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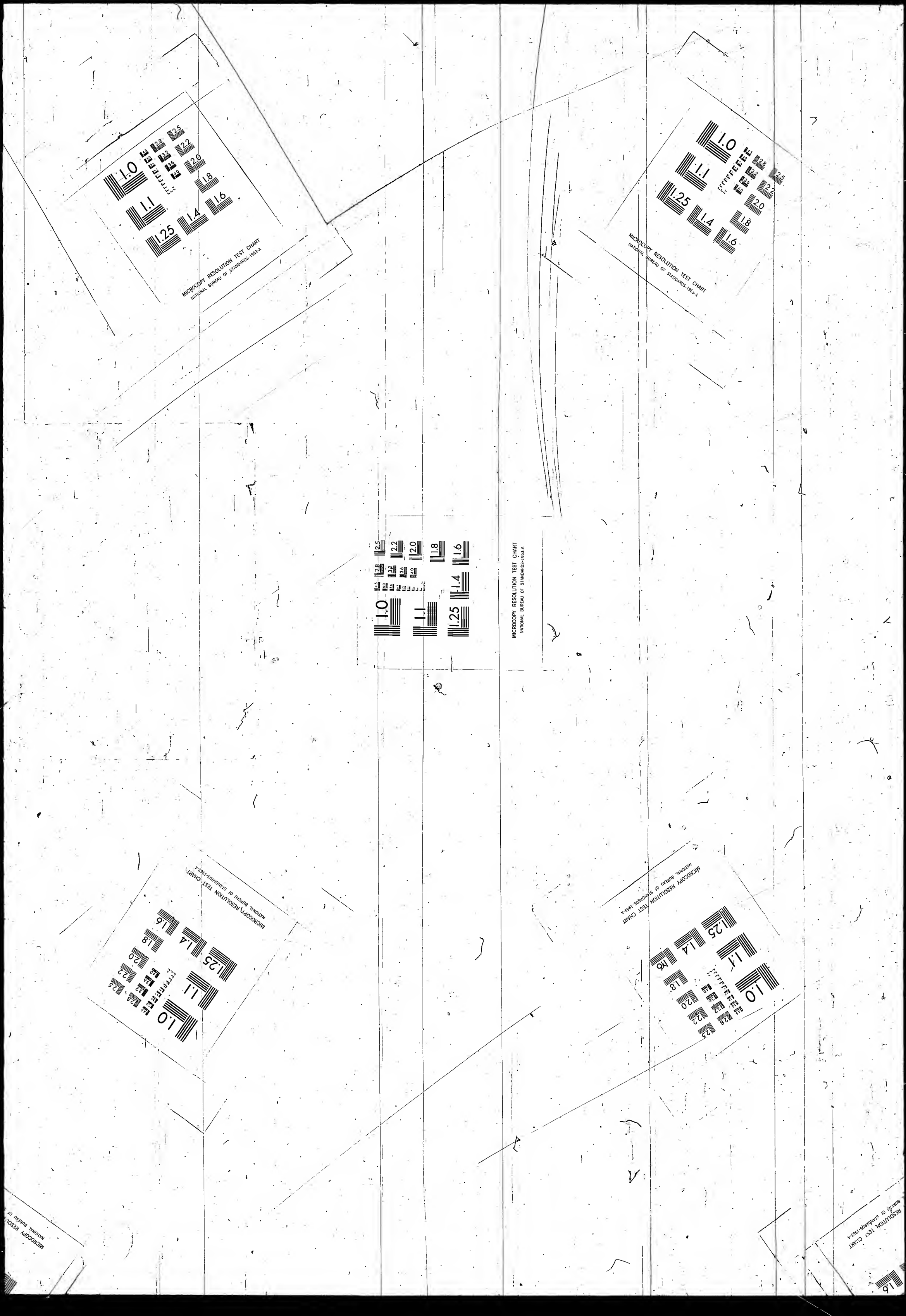

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The Creamery List

Herewith is the list of the checks in amounts of over $50 which was issued by the creamery last week for cream delivered in November. While the list does not contain so many names as other months, it shows some very good checks for November which is considered one of the ligbtest months of the year. With many cows freshing in December, the list for that month will show an increase. Here is the list for November:

C. H. Swanson	$215.52
Novak & Son	215.20
Christ Anton	209.32
N. E. Beebe	208.58
Anton Bros.	189.99
I. A. Rotzlar	177.89
C. Kruse	169.93
Emil Person	139.51
Ole Larson	138.80
Wahlbeck Bros.	133.43
Fred Ulrich	130.56
K. T. Dalager	119.80
Mrs. J. Thorstveit	119.63
F. Schmidt	118.40
J. A. Anderson	118.00
F. Bothman	113.59
And. Ortloff	113.41
R. Melin	113.04
H. R. Allen	111.49

J. J. Larson, 98.73, Wm. Rinkenberger, 97.25, E. C. Hetzer, 95.01, Gust Larson, 89.11, I. Iverson, 88.95, Emil Larson, 86.14, B. Walseth, 85.53, A. Johnson, 83.16, H. Jepson, 81.37, Mrs. A. Aubol, 81.36, J. Maakrud, 79.72.

L. A. Westphal, 76.89, C. A. Melin, 76.37, T. Mogen, 75.85, J. O. Swanson, 74.25, E. H. Stephens, 73.93. C. E. Naplin, 73.28, D. Johnson, 73.12, Swanson Bros, 73.04, Ole Hagglund, 71.64, F. E. Rux, 69.82, F. Anderson, 69.83, Dan. Johnson, 69.05. And. Erickson, 69.05, H. Johnson, 68.99, S. Skottem, 68.86, Carl Zinter, 68.67, Johnson Bros, 64.57, Swan Weiberg, 64.36, John Norman, 64.34. W. D. Ewing, 64.00 Wm C. Bothman, 60.67. Her. Ortloff, 60.46, W. Adams, 60.33, C. J. Swanson, 59.93, Mrs. A. P. Ander-58.64. R. Randorf, 58.02, S. N. Sorvig. 55.97, B. Johnson, 65 08, V. G. Brink, 53.88, Joe King, 52.52, Mrs. J. Konicksen, 53.43. Theo. Anderson, 53,32, Chas. Schneider, 53.29 J. A. Almquist, 52.87, Oscar Haugen, 52,31, Geo. Haupt, 51.98, Sig Vik, 51.89, Wm. Yonke, 50.67, H. Holmes 50.33.

Eastern North Dakota and parts of central Minnesota have had no snowfall this winter according to reports from travellers coming thru.

Immigration Officer Killed

Robert Lobdell, immigration officer stationed at Roseau, was found shot to death on the higbway east of that city Tuesday evening last week. Travellers who had gone over that route shortly before the trageday was discovered, reported having seen the officer, apparently in argument with a stranger, on the road that evening. A posse was hastily organized to search for the man, and he was captured near the Canadian line early next morning. He was lodged in the jail at Roseau. Tbe suspect refuses to discuss the killing, maintaining he is innocent. He has thus far failed to give anv satisfactory explanation of his presence in vicinity of wbere the crime was committed.

Bray Mutual Annual Meet

Annual meeting of the Bray Mutual Fire Ins. Co. was held here yesterday afternoon. Due to cold weather, the meeting drew but small attendance. Annual report of the secretary shows the company is in a flourishing condition. No change was made in officers, the present board being re-elected without opposition.

Melvin Sherva returned Friday to Wahpeton, N. D., after spending Christmas here with his mother.

Mrs. Arthur Hanson, who has been a patient at the hospital at Drayton, N. D., following an operation, was so much improved that she was able to return home last Thursday. Altho ordered to have absolute rest and quiet for the next three weeks, she is gaining strenght daily.

Several parties from districts where there were little or no crops the past season, have been here recently to enquire about farms for rent. Anyone having a farm that is equipped witb inhabitable buildings, can find a renter without difficulty by calling at this office.

A young man near Warren met death last week in a most peculiar manner. While at a neighbors place, the latter decided to sboot a horse that was ill. The young man got to close to the horse which was tbrashing about after it was shot, and received a kick wbich fractured his skull, causing death sbortly thereafter.

Proud Papa

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

A carload of butter tubs was shipped in and unloaded this week for the creamery.

Ole Johnson motored Saturday to Holt to attend a meeting of the officers of the Carlson Merc. Co.

Splendid Christmas programs were given last week at the Norwegian Lutheran and Swedish Mission churches,

Miss Gunhild Nelson leaves latter part of the week for her school at Wolverton after having spent the holidays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson.

Mrs. Theo. Skatrud and children left last week to visit until latter part of this week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Paulson, at Duluth, Minn.

Mrs. L. Nagel departed last week for her home at Seattle after being here to attend the funeral of her sister, the late Mrs. Rupert Nelson.

Wednesday morning was the coldest day recorded here thus far this winter. The mercury was around 20 below zero during the early morning hours.

Ed Engh re-arranged the interior of his garage this week so as to provide room for warm storage of cars. He has space now for seven or eight cars in the heated part of the garage.

Cifford Bilden returned Friday to Dalton, Minn where he is employed in the creamery, after spending a weeks vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bilden.

Mrs. Ed Shaskey left last weekend for ber home at Aberdeen, S. D., after a visit here at home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Loberg.

Misses Alice and Hazel Fricker leave this week to resume their school teaching duties in southern part of the state after having spent Christmas vacation here with their father, M. Fricker.

The influenza epidemic which struck here about six weeks ago, and caused closing of the school for a week, appears to be on the wane. Very few new cases are being reported in this vicinity, and those who have had it are nearly all out again.

Rev. A. F. Nelson is able to be around to attend to his usual duties after having been ill about ten days.

Herman Jepson and family are all able to be about again after being down with a somewhat severe siege of influenza.

Miss Lilly Gunstad returned home Sunday after spending a week with relatives at Cummings, N. D.

"HOT HEELS" Real comedy "hot off the griddle" with Glenn Tryon. Here next Saturdry and Sunday.

The postoffice and bank was closed Tuesday in observance of New Year Day.

A Christmas tree and children's program was given at he local Swedish Lutberan church Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jennie Carter and sons returned this week after spending the holidays at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ferdie Brown, at Grygla.

Due to illness in his family, L. E. Healy. special deputy examiner in charge of the Farmers State Bank, was unable to make his regular monthly trip from Red Lake Falls to here, last Friday.

See Glenn Tryon with his one man orchestra and Patsy Ruth Miller with her trained troupers in the melodramatic comedy, "HOT HEELS" here next Saturday and Sunday.

Arvid Carlson, of Middle River, and Tony Carlson of Holt, president and secretary, respectively, of the Carlson Merc. Co, were here Thursday looking after business matters at the local store.

Miss Huldah Gigstad, who has spent Christmas vacation at home leaves today for a couple days visit with friends at Crookston before returning to her duties as principal of one of the city schools at Moorhead.

Laura and Pearl Simonson left Sunday evening to visit friends at Hamilton, N. Dak. Tbey returned Tuesday evening, driving back with Birdie and Inez Carl and Roy Baxter of Minneapolis who visited at the P. Simonson home. The entire party left Wednesday morning for Minneapolis.

Pre-Inventory Sale

The Carlson Mercantile Company is advertising a January pre-inventory clearance sale at their five stores, including the local store. Tbe company is offering substantial reductions, in all lines, and has some especially good bargains in broken and short lots of goods. The sale starts Jan. 7th, and ends Jan, 18th.

Three good prizes are to be given away at each store to three persons purchasing the largest amount of gocds during the sale.

Move To Gonvick

Mrs. Ernest Patenode and children left last week with their household goods to make their home at Gonvick where Mr. Patenode recently purchased a barbershop. The Patenode family have made many friends in St. Hilaire during their recent, as well as previous time of residence here, who regret to see them leave, but who all join in wishing them success and happiness in their new home.

This section of the state was treated to its first snowfall of any amount this winter, last Sunday and Monday.

While not enough snow fell to interfere with auto traffic, there is sufficient for good sleighing. The mercury was down to 18 below zero Monday morning.

Peter Engelstad and Peter Wold of Thief River Falls, and Ed Aubol of this place, met here Thursday last to audit the books of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company in preparation for the annual meeting held here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Miller, who have been located the past few years at Phoenix, Ariz., send greetings thru these columns to their friends in the old home community. They are planning on a trip up here next summer for a visit with relatives and friends. Marvin states seeding will commence in his vicinity in about four weeks from now.

Mrs. Clara Houghton and daughters, Cleo and Dorothy arrived last week from Minot to visit at the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. R. Young.

Charles Winter and family of Hillsboro, N. D. motored up Sunday for a visit at the home of his brother, Harry of this village.

H. S. Alumni Reunion

The annual reunion of the high school alumni association was held Thursday evening at the Imperial hall and was fairly well attended. Dancing and cards were enjoyed until a late hour when lunch was served at the Blue Parrot Inn. Among the interesting features of the gathering, was the reading of messages from quite a number of alumnus who were unable to be present, but are keeping in touch with their former schoolmates.

At the business session, Melvin Sherva was elected honorary president, and Clifford Bilden was named secretary pro-tem in absence of the regular secretary.

It was suggested, and decided upon, that hereafter the annual gatherings sball be in charge of each succeeding senior class to graduate here. It is believed this be the means of securing better attendance, and will result in a more successful reunion in general.

About forty alumnus were present at this gathering, and all report having a fine time in the evening of association with their former schoolmates.

25 Years Ago

Larry Golla, assistant at the Mc-Andress barber shop, spent the week-end with his folks at Thief River.

Mrs. J. K. Hannay entertained the M. E. Ladies Aid at her home that afternoon.

Miss Alice Sorsoliel left to resume her school work at Key West after having spent the holidays at home.

After spending the holidays at home, Norman Aimer left Saturday for St. Paul where he was attending school.

New York price on extra first creamery butter was quoted that week at 23 cents a pound.

Miss Eva Johnson was ill that week, and Prof. J. B. O'Brein was attending to her duties at the postoffice.

The Hotel Markham which had been closed for a short time on account of bankruptcy of E. J. Druecker, was re-opened that under management of W. A. Arthur. The new manager, who was an experienced hotel man, had a long term lease on the place.

TheSpectator, $1.50 a year.

Starting Out Right

Almost everyone starts a new year by making some sort of resolution. The new year always holds out hope, and prospects look better.

Resolve right now to save a part of what you earn. Its the best insurance for the future you can obtain. Our savings department is willing and ready to help you.

Merchants State Bank

St. Hilaire - - - Minnesota

Over The Top

Resolve to help your creamery do the largest volume of business in its history, this year.

Haul yonr cream to it--boost for it whenever opportunity offers, and induce yonr neighbors to join. Every collar, less operating expenses, made by the creamery is paid to its patrons. If yon are not a shareholder arrange to buy one or more shares, and help your neighbors boost for the community's biggest asset-the creamery.

St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n

St. Hilaire, Minn.

JUST HUMANS

By Gene Carr

"GOSH! WE MADE TH' GRADE!"

Mother's Cook Book

All the beauty born of light
  At Nature's proud command
Abides anear with sovereign might
  In common things at hand.
It is no far-off visioned trance
  For spirits high and low,
But dwells within the constant glance
  The common eye may own.
  —Mary Flanagan.

THE WHOLESOME BANANA

A STAPLE food is one that is abundant, easily obtained, of moderate cost and high food value and also palatable and easily digested. The banana fills every one of these requirements.

So many of our fruits are nine-tenths water, whereas the banana is one-fourth solids.

The banana has been called difficult of digestion; this is a mistake; it is only true of the unripe fruit, and applies to all unripe fruit.

Even in illness the banana has its place. When ordinary starchy foods like bread, potatoes, and cereals are not well digested, the children will often gain rapidly on fully ripe bananas.

Being by nature hermetically sealed, it may be purchased from the push cart with perfect safety.

Only the fully ripe fruit should ever be given children. Unripe fruit when baked may be safely eaten by those in perfect health.

The yellow ripe stage when all trace of green has disappeared, and flecks of brown appear on the skin, is the time to serve the fruit. It is now delicious in flavor and can be readily digested. Even brown-skinned fruit, if firm, is most marketable, for then the starch is converted into sugar and the flavor developed to its highest point.

Food experiments by dietitians have shown that the carbohydrates of the ripe banana are as readily assimilated as those of potato or cereal, and that digestion is directly proportional to the ripeness of the fruit.

An authority says:

"The banana has been the victim of one of those curious antagonisms, so frequent in medicine which has made lay people regard the banana as unsuitable infant food, although in the tropics it has been so used for generations."

Bananas may be prepared for the table in various ways. Used with cereals, as salads and as desserts. As a cooked vegetable it is especially appetizing. Fruit not so fully ripened may be served in this manner. For desserts and for eating in the natural state, the rich, sugary, full ripe fruit is necessary.

Nellie Maxwell

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What Does Your Child Want to Know?

Answered by BARBARA BOURJAILY

WHAT MAKES US FALL OVER?
You have lost your sense of balance,
  And so you take a tumble.
If it were not for this wondrous sense
  All life would be a jumble.

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THE WHY of SUPERSTITIONS

By H. IRVING KING

EMPTY ROCKING-CHAIR

IN MANY sections of the country it is believed by the superstitious that when an apparently empty rocking-chair is seen to sway back and forth without any visible cause in that chair is seated the spirit of some deceased member of the family come back to choose the one of his kin who shall next join him in the realm of shades.

In the spiritism of primitive man the spirit was conceived of as retaining in the disembodied state the same habits, needs and desires which it possessed while animating the flesh. And thus it was to a large extent, down through the classic ages and thus it is among many savage tribes today. Soldiers were slaughtered upon the tumulus of a warrior, slaves sacrificed upon the grave of their master and the East Indian widow burned herself upon her lord's funeral pyre in order that the spirit of the deceased might not be unattended and uncompanioned in its new state by familiar ghosts. This ancient idea that the spirits of the mortally dead seek companionship is the basis of many funeral and death superstitions today—of which the empty rocking-chair superstition is one. There is something very naive about this superstition. The disembodied spirit, longing for the companionship of one of its kin after the manner of the flesh, comes not in watches of the night and in form of terror, but makes itself at home, seats itself in the old familiar rocking-chair and chooses with calmness and deliberation the one of the family who shall join him on the other shore.

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SAWS

By Viola Brothers Shore

FOR THE GOOSE—

A GIRL knows when a man wants to marry her, early in the game. But not as early as the neighbors.

A stupid person might misunderstand your silence. But what harm can that do?

There's bound to be a certain amount of self-interest in any passion that oughta keep you from trustin' it, even if it looks perfeckly jake.

FOR THE GANDER—

Why does a thirty dollar a week clerk lookin' out of the window of a restaurant look more like somebody than his boss that's walkin' by?

A real great man is great without bein' proud. An imitation one is proud without bein' great.

Any guy that thinks, while he's down on his knees proposin' to a woman, that she didn't know what was comin', is even dumber than he looks.

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When Money Is Coal

The coal pile and the money pile, thinks an outstanding manufacturer, should be regarded similarly as the raw materials of industry.—American Magazine.

Like Elephant's Trunk

Khartoum derives its name from the Arabic words meaning "Elephant's Trunk," so called on account of the shape of the peninsula between the Blue and White Niles.

WHY THE FIRE WENT OUT

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

MOTHER asked Mary to fix the fire
  Mary waited and asked her sire,
Father told William to fix the thing
  William told Bobbie some wood to bring,
Bobbie told sister to get it quick,
  Sister told Fido to fetch a stick,
Fido barked and he ran about—
  And that's how it was that the fire went out.

That's how it is there are many things to do
  Still unfinished when day is through,
That's how it is that the set of sun
  Finds so much of our work undone.
Whether the task is great or small,
  It never really gets done at all,
It's shoved and shifted and passed about—
  And that's how it is that the fires go out.

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SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

By F. A. WALKER

QUALITY OF CLEARNESS

WE READ a great deal in the newspapers about Lloyd George, and as we read, especially if we are given to reflection, we marvel at the clarity of his thought, always so lucidly expressed that the average schoolboy can follow and understand it.

All the arguments of this wonderful man of Great Britain are plain, convincing, forceful and simple, illuminated from beginning to end with clear thinking.

Even to those who do not at all times accord with his beliefs, his words of wisdom find lodgment in their hearts and give them much to think about long after his utterances have been published.

If you will carefully consider clearness of thought, you will discover that it has much to do with success in all walks of life, and particularly where thoughts are expressed in little words whose meanings are as open as daylight.

To make yourself understood, in any worthy work or cause, is to make yourself useful.

And this usefulness, which may be confined to yourself alone, will become apparent to others who will bid for your ability, glad to give you a place from which you may continue to rise to larger spheres and greater heights.

It is the clearness of the diamond that gives its value.

It is the clearness of truth that imparts to it its potential power.

If you would seek value and power, make yourself clear in thought and word and act.

However humble your place may be, if you make yourself understood, show each day that you are sincere in your effort to advance, that the interests of those who give you employment are your interests, you will encounter no serious difficulties.

To become a leader among men, you must, like Lloyd George and others, be frank with yourself, for frankness is really the basis of true greatness, which in turn is clearness unblurred.

Do this and there never will be any doubt about your success, or the loyalty of your friends, when your acts for some selfish or envious reason may be questioned by your enemies.

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SUPERSTITIOUS SUE

SHE HAS HEARD THAT—

If a jane has a dimple, it should be cherished as a heaven sent gift, for it is said to be the finger print of an angel who has turned her face up to kiss while she was sleeping.

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To Mend a Fault

To retract or mend a fault at the admonition of a friend in no way hurts your liberty, for it is still your own activity which, by means of your own impulse and judgment and by your own mind, makes you see your mistake.—Marcus Aurelius.

Her Melon and Music Diet

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS

(Copyright.)

ETHEL MANNERING was in that somewhat flattering but at times a bit troublesome position of having a few too many beaux on her string.

During the last three months she had succeeded by dint of much thought in simmering them down to about two—the two being the interesting and esthetic Hillery de la Rue and the more rubicund and slightly more domineering rival, Tom Jones.

Ethel liked the two immensely but had been of late much inclined to accept the graceful attentions of Hillery.

When they were out at lunch Hillery always took her to some exquisitely decorated tea room where atmosphere abounded and the music would lure the soul far from the mundane things of earth. They would perhaps, at Hillery's suggestion, have a dainty lunch of iced melon, a delicately blended salad and a cupful of coffee with perhaps a wisp of a wafer. Ethel had noticed that Hillery's sensitive and esthetic soul shriveled away in horror when a large and fragrant beefsteak smothered with onions was even so much as carried past their table.

As a matter of fact, Ethel sighed a bit wistfully as she watched a healthy couple at a table further on enjoying a very luscious looking stew.

However, the lovely music and Hillery's charming intellect made amends and Ethel began to feel that she was perhaps a bit mundane.

Tom Jones had been away for some three months and Hillery had been almost in full possession of the lovely Ethel. But upon Tom's arrival he straightway made an engagement with the girl he had long loved. Over the telephone he said to her:

"I've had a very satisfactory trip and want to celebrate. Come and have lunch, then we'll take a long spin up the Hudson. I have the afternoon free today."

"Oh, Tom, I'm having lunch with Hillery, but I could meet you at two o'clock—will that do?"

"Sure," said Tom. "But bring along a warm coat—it might be chilly coming back."

Ethel turned from the telephone with a smile. Tom was always so thoughtful. Hillery sometimes forgot there was such a thing as a chilly breeze. He liked seeing girls daintily clad and etherial.

"What have you dragged that great coat along for," he asked upon catching sight of her at the doorway of the tea room.

Ethel blushed as if guilty of wanting to be warmly clothed.

"Well—Tom Jones has just returned and he wants me to go for a spin this afternoon—it might be chilly."

"Tom always thinks of the physical well being—if nothing else," Hillery said somewhat unpleasantly. "The kind of girl Tom should take to is the bovine, red-cheeked type—whose soul needs no beautiful music and who can join him in a good big Irish stew for lunch."

When they had finished their scant lunch and enjoyed an intellectual feast instead Ethel went off to meet Tom.

"Well, well, it's good to see you again, Ethel," laughed Tom, with his warm handshake thrilling right up Ethel's arm. "You look a bit thin, though. It takes me to keep you up to snuff and keep the roses in bloom in those pale cheeks. Better put your coat on—dear."

And before Ethel could protest Tom had pushed her into her coat and buttoned up the neck.

Ethel was glad of the warmth. She had shivered a bit. "What's more, you're shivering. What have you had for lunch? Something substantial? If you've started off for a brisk afternoon with me on one of those melon and music lunches with a sardine or shrimp thrown in for good measure then, my girl, we'll just go have a regular lunch before we start."

He took her by the arm gently but firmly, put her in his car, and drove downtown to an old-fashioned restaurant that was not famous so much for its music and decorations as for its well-cooked steaks and chops.

Ethel was almost hysterical by this time, for there was no protesting when Tom was about. He ordered vegetable soup made with good stock, a couple of grilled chops and some baked onions, another vegetable or two and some apple pie.

An hour later Ethel and Tom emerged from the restaurant. There was a lovely flush on Ethel's cheeks and Tom's eyes gleamed at sight of it. He tucked her most comfortably into the car and Ethel gazed at him with eyes that had never looked in just that way at Hillery.

"How's that?" asked Tom, "Comfy?"

"Beautiful!" said Ethel. "You're really a darling, Tom," she nodded. "I haven't been so comfy and happy and warm for three months."

"You see, dear," said Tom with a laugh as he swung the car into the maelstrom of Fifth avenue traffic with a hand that never wavered, "you need me to look after your well being. I don't mind how much melon and music you have so long as you have some food along with it."

"I rather think I can do without the melons," said Ethel softly, "so long as I have you."

CAP AND BELLS

A FAMILY AFFAIR

Hospital Patient (swathed in bandages, to fellow-sufferer in next cot)—Do you suppose your wife will come to visit you?

Fellow-Sufferer—She's in a hospital herself.

Hospital Patient—What—the two of you at the same time?

Fellow-Sufferer—Yes, but she started it.

A la Burbank

Bert—He's earned the gratitude of all husbands by his genius.

Mack—What did he do?

Bert—Discovered a new plant that will go eight days without water. Finest thing in the world for us when the wife goes to the country. Won't be bothered watering plants at home.

FULLY SATISFIED

Boss—Well, are you satisfied with the way we're treating you here?

Employee—Sure—going to leave now. I've had enough.

Love's Labor Won

How does the busy gossiper
  Improve each shining minute?
She finds the newest little yarn
  And then begins to spin it.

Selfish Man

Mr. Knagg—I dreamed I bought a new seven-passenger car and we were starting off on a trip, but before you were ready I woke up.

His Wife—If that isn't just like your selfishness! And you had plenty of time to dream till I'd got into my clothes and made at least a start with you.

'Nuff Sed

Blinks—How do you and your wife agree on politics?

Jinks—Well, if I was a national committeeman of my party I'd probably have to send in my resignation.

Exact Information

Waiter (to guest)—Would you like one of our $1.50 or $2 dinners?

Guest—What's the difference?

Waiter—Three potatoes, two asparagus, and one strawberry.

SHOULD GO EARLIER

"I went to the beauty parlor late this afternoon."

"Why didn't you go before it was closed, dear?"

Billionth Time—Mary

Since Mary had a little lamb
  In a place where such things come nigh,
Her sweetie's ordered for his lunch
  A glass of milk and slab of pie.

Flareback

The salesgirl was a trifle haughty.

"These stockings are $20 a pair. But I don't suppose you want anythink like that?"

"No, I am looking for something better."

A Practical Girl

Cora—Why do you send out your wedding invitations so far in advance?

Dora—Most of our friends keep their money in savings banks and have to give notice.

Said in Its Favor

Her Husband—Is that the evening gown that cost me $600?

Mrs. Upstyle—This is it. Isn't it a dream?

Her Husband—Well, I'll say this much for it; at that rate I sure couldn't afford to cover you decently.

Chance to Lose Them

"Why did you take your dog to see the performing fleas?"

"Thought maybe his fleas might get stage struck."

FARM POULTRY

BUCKWHEAT GOOD FATTENING FEED

Buckwheat is a pretty good fattening feed for turkeys. Some prefer barley and corn, however. Either barley or oats, if mixed with buttermilk and the hulls removed, would be a preferable mixture. The buckwheat has the objectionable quality of having a woody, fibrous hull which is not good feed. A mixture of all three or four would do pretty well.

Some records sent in give the costs of feeding one part ground oats with hulls removed and two parts buttermilk as being 6¼ cents per pound, while the cost of feeding on equal parts ground barley, oats, and corn, with the oat and barley hulls removed and with the same relative amount of buttermilk, averaged about the same. A mixture of 200 parts corn meal, 100 parts ground oats, hulls removed, 50 parts red dog flour, 3 parts tallow, 706 parts buttermilk, averaged a cost of about 5 cents per pound.

Using equal parts ground oats and barley, hulls removed, one part beef scraps and eight parts buttermilk, the cost was shown to be 4¾ cents per pound. Of course, these costs were not figured lately, but the comparisons remain. The Cornell fattening ration of 100 pounds corn meal, 100 pounds buckwheat middlings, 100 pounds oat flour, 30 pounds beef scraps, and one part charcoal, is considered, too, a very fattening ration.

Sodium Fluoride Best for Destroying Vermin

Sodium fluoride is one of the best substances to use for getting rid of chicken lice. It can be purchased at almost any drug store. It can be applied by the "pinch" method, or by mixing with four parts of talc or fine dust and using a dusting can or by making a dip. The pinch method is most commonly used. In this method the hen is held in such a way that the feathers loosen up and one pinch is applied to the head, one on the neck, two on the back, one on the breast, one below the vent, one on the tail, one on each thigh and one on the underside of each wing. This application should be repeated in about eight days so as to kill the lice that were in the egg form during the first application.

Blue ointment is usually mixed with equal portions of grease. Three pea-sized portions are rubbed into the feathers—one around the vent and the other two under each wing.

If head lice are present it is usually better to apply some lard with 10 to 20 per cent kerosene thoroughly mixed with it or with 5 per cent of carbolic acid.

Producing Capons for Consumption at Home

The matter of producing capons for home consumption has not had proper emphasis. Everyone is aware of the superiority of meat from unsexed larger animals and as a rule such male animals are never used unless operated upon. But the fact that capon meat is as superior to rooster meat as steer beef is to bull beef is not generally realized. The farmer and poultryman should not be content with a low grade food stuff when it is very easily possible to have the best. The time will come, no doubt, when we will insist on ca. on quality in fowls as much as we do now for steer beef.

Poultry Hints

Man has to hustle, but a hen makes money "laying around."

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Sick birds should be segregated and proper remedies applied. Probably vaccination is as good a remedy and preventative as can be used.

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The value of clean feed in preventing poultry disease is being realized more and more by poultrymen. All feed should be given to chicks in clean troughs or hoppers.

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It is a good plan, when starting into the turkey raising business, or if in it now, to plan the production program over a period of more than one year. If this is done yards can be planned so that they may be rotated and so that the poults can be raised on fresh ground.

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Poor layers have the opposite characteristics of those given to be used in the selection of breeders. They have thick, rigid pelvic bones; but two or three finger widths span between these and the rear of the keel bone.

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If a strict separation of turkeys and chickens is to be secured, as is vitally necessary for success with the former, the producer is obliged to raise his poults in confinement. In addition to the value of this method in preventing disease it also has its merits in that the poults can be given closer supervision.

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Hens don't stop laying to molt. They molt when they stop laying. Of course, it's natural for them to let up on egg production, so they can grow their new winter coats

Uncle Sam Counts His Children

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON
Drawing by Ray Walters.

IT WAS John Adams, second President of the United States, whose vision of the potentialities of America led him to predict that the population of the United States would sometime exceed 200,000,000 at a time when such a prophecy seemed little more than a wild flight of imagination and utterly ridiculous. Writing from London in 1786, while he was minister to the court of St. James, Adams said: "It has ever been my hobby horse to see rising in America an empire of liberty, and a prospect of 200,000,000 or 300,000,000 of freemen without one noble or king among them."

It was John Tyler, tenth President of the United States, blessed with a similar vision, who made a similar prophecy, though not so extravagant as Adams' but at the same time doubtful of fulfillment, and missed his guess by only a few years and a relatively small number of millions of population. In a letter addressed to Col. Samuel Gardiner of Shelter Island, whose son married Tyler's daughter, and dated from the ex-President's country seat, Sherwood Forest, Va., November 26, 1850, Tyler said: "In a little more than half a century, a people who were regarded as little better than a host of murderers or sojourners among savage tribes have attained position among the first civilized powers.

"With a spirit of adventure heretofore unequaled by anything which has occurred on the map of the world, there is united a deep plodding sagacity which crowns the most daring enterprises with success. Such a people, even had they attained that which is denominated a stationary condition in regard to population, would not fail to attract great and absorbing attention. But, when the reverse is the fact, when our population is known to double in every period of twenty-five years, when having now a population of 25,000,000 that number, before the child now in the nurse's arms attains maturity, is destined to reach nearly 50,000,000, and before that same child shall have passed the boundaries of middle age, to 100,000,000."

Now that Uncle Sam is preparing again to count his children, for preparations for taking the decennial census in 1930 are already under way in Washington, it is interesting to check up on the predictions of these two Presidents and see just how nearly right they were. Although Tyler's prophecy was a bit too optimistic, he was not far wrong. At the time his letter was written the population of the country was 23,260,638. He predicted that it would double in the next 25 years and although there are no figures available for 1875 by 1880 it had reached 50,262,382. It had not reached the 100,000,000 mark by 1900, as his prediction suggested, for Uncle Sam's children then numbered 76,129,408, and it was not until 20 years later that it reached the mark of 105,710,620. Even though the "doubling" process which he prophesied did not continue consistently, there did take place the amazing growth in the nation of 50,000,000 people in half a century, or an increase in population of 200 per cent.

How Uncle Sam's Family Has Grown in 140 Years

Year	Population
1790	3,929,214
1800	5,308,483
1810	7,239,881
1820	9,638,453
1830	12,866,020
1840	17,069,453
1850	23,191,876
1860	31,443,321
1870	38,558,371
1880	50,155,783
1890	62,947,714
1900	75,994,575
1910	91,972,266
1920	105,710,620
1930 (Estimated)	132,000,000

So Tyler's prophecy was not so extravagant as it must have seemed at the time. And when there is taken into consideration the steady increase during the 142 years since John Adams made known his vision, even his prophecy does not now seem so fantastic. The census bureau estimates that there were 120,013,000 people living under the Stars and Stripes on July 1, 1928 and that the census of 1930 will show a population of approximately 132,000,000. So John Adams' vision of "200,000,000 or 300,000,000 of freemen," though still in the future, does not now look so improbable.

Although Uncle Sam's decennial count of his children is not due to begin for two years yet, the machinery for accomplishing this huge task is already in operation. Before congress adjourned last May the house passed the census bill and it will be taken up promptly by the senate when congress convenes again in December. As it passed the house, the bill included a new feature in census enumeration, that of accounting for retail and wholesale distribution of commodities. For many years the government has collected statistics in regard to the production of commodities but none on distribution. The inclusion of this feature in the 1930 census bill was suggested by Herbert Hoover, then secretary of commerce, and if the senate passes the bill without eliminating this innovation, it is believed that the facts thus obtained will form the foundation for a marked advance in the efficiency of our marketing system.

The census will also assemble data on the subjects of irrigation, drainage and mines as well as including the census bureau's biennial inquiry into the state of manufacturing and the quintennial investigation of agriculture. At the same time the bureau will continue its annual routine of collecting statistics on births and deaths, industrial and business conditions, financial facts relating to the cities and states and records of marriages and divorces.

The preliminary work of mapping out the territory for the 1930 census is being carried on now under the supervision of William M. Steuart, director of the census. The first job is to get a description of all the political subdivisions, some 100,000, in the United States and to obtain accurate maps for use in designating the enumeration districts. The count will be made not only of the millions who live within the boundaries of the 48 states but also in Alaska, Hawaii, Porto Rico. The governors of Guam, Samoa, the Virgin Islands, the Philippines and the Panama Canal Zone will be directed to take a census in the same year, according to plans to be approved by the director.

The actual count of Uncle Sam's children will begin on May 1, 1930, and it is expected that the statistics on the total number will be available by December of that year. Then will begin the enormous task of classifying and compiling the facts obtained in the enumeration and this will be handled by a small army of census bureau employees and a battery of self-feeding tabulating machines, verification machines and automatic sorting machines.

The Cigar Store Indians

We are asked what has become of the wooden Indians that used to stand out in front of the cigar stores in the cities. We suppose they have joined the movies and are used in the westerns that thrill the very small boys of today. We'll never forget the first wooden Indian in full war paint that brandished his tomahawk at us when we went to St. Louis to take in the fair. We swung onto the Indian as we came around the corner on Market street near the old Union market and our Adam's apple will never come nearer leaving us than it did when we saw the uplifted tomahawk and the set face of that wooden terror.—Centralia (Mo.) Fireside Guard.

Cost of a Census

The first census cost about $44,000. The 1910 census cost nearly $16,000,000. In 1930 it will probably cost $35,000,000 to the government to collect all the information that it will require. Reduced to a per capita basis, however, this is under 30 cents a person.—New York Herald-Tribune.

The First Census

The first census, taken in 1790 covered only population. The count was made within a year from the date of the inauguration of President Washington, and the assembling of the First congress of the United States. The enumerators took the name of the head of each family, together with the total number of persons in the family classified as free or slave. The count began on the first Monday in August 1790, and the law gave nine months for the completion of the work.

Double this time elapsed, however, before all the returns were in. Communication then was slow and uncertain. The Americans of that day, particularly in the rural districts, regard[illegible] enumerators with so[illegible] were those w[illegible] of the fed[illegible] at get[illegible] base an [illegible] of the [illegible] avo[illegible] volume of fifty-six pages. Discolored and crumbling with age, this little book is very rare. The census bureau has two of the few copies in existence, and the Library of Congress one.

A comparison of this little book, eight by five inches in size, with the hundred and more quarto volumes, twelve by nine inches, with an aggregate of more than 40,000 pages, which the census bureau issues in the course of a decade, illustrates strikingly the expansion of the census work.—New York Herald Tribune.

The SANDMAN STORY

ABOUT BOASTING

"NO LANDLORD," said Mother Kangaroo, "can complain of my children.

"If they get a bit wild or if they're apt to get into trouble I can put them in my pouch and carry them so they don't bother anyone.

"I'm very superior," Mother Kangaroo ended.

"Ah," said the Cat who was wandering about the zoo and who belonged to a lady who lived very near the zoo, "I rode in a taxicab the other night.

"Yes, when all the people were coming home in their automobiles and in taxicabs from the theaters one evening last week, I was riding with my mistress in a taxi, too. I looked out of the side window and when all the

The Cat Told of His Ride in the Taxi.

cars were stopped by the big policeman, so other cars could move in the other direction, all the people saw me from the windows of their cars.

"They looked at me and then turned and nudged each other so that everyone looked at me.

"My mistress was much amused and she held me up a little higher so I could see and be well seen.

"I can tell you I was a proud cat.

"I wouldn't be at all surprised if some of those people wondered if I had been to a theater.

"I hadn't been to one. My mistress had been out of town for several days and I had been with her and we were on our way home.

"Oh, it was a splendid experience for a cat to have; I certainly have the right to boast."

"You have the right to boast," said the Kangaroo, "but there is more excuse for my boasting. I have even greater reasons for boasting when you think that I can look after my children in such a fine way."

"Neither of you," said Old Hippo from his yard near by, "has as much reason or right for boasting as I have.

"Now, I can yawn quite openly when I'm bored or sleepy or tired and you will admit that my yawn is quite a yawn.

"It's not a child's portion, nor a misses or junior size. It is a real, real hippo's yawn.

"If people are bored or tired or sleepy they have to pretend that they are quite wide awake.

"They have to cover up their yawns and appear not to be yawning. And if they're caught yawning they apologize and say:

"'Dear me, I don't know what makes me yawn. I'm sure it's not the company.'

"Now, I don't have to say any such thing. I don't have to apologize.

"They can think it's the company or not, as they see fit. I don't care.

"I can do as I choose."

"There's more reason and excuse for my boasting than for either of you," said the Kangaroo.

"Just what I say about you and Hippo," said the Cat.

"Just what I say about you and Cat," said Hippo to the Kangaroo.

And so they boasted.

Again and again they told their stories. The Cat told of his ride in the taxi through the city streets at night when the people were coming from theaters and when they looked at him as though he, too, came from one of the theaters and had seen one of the plays.

The Kangaroo boasted and Old Hippo boasted.

But all of a sudden they stopped boasting.

For word came that the Elephant's mate was very ill and perhaps would not get well.

And the Elephant was trumpeting his grief—oh, such sad trumpet wails and sounds—and he was pacing up and down, refusing any food, hoping with all his great affection that his mate would get well.

And the three who had been boasting felt ashamed that they were so fond of themselves and so boastful, when the Elephant cared not for himself, but for his mate.

They stopped boasting then and were very quiet, wishing a great big wish that soon the Elephant's mate would be well!

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How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

"PALLBEARERS"

"PALLBEARERS" is a rather mournful topic. But they are a very definite element of our social life and we cannot help seeing them or hearing about them, or perhaps if we are men, some day ourselves finding conferred upon us the sad honor of carrying to his last resting place the remains of a friend. It is meet, therefore, that we know the true significance of the term which has been applied to the office.

The name pallbearers for the friends of the deceased who carry the coffin to the grave is of somewhat direct significance.

Pall comes from pallium, which means a cover or a mantle, and may be used to designate any kind of rich cloth. But in olden times it was used specially for the heavy covering that was draped over the coffin at a funeral ceremony. And it is for this reason that the men who bore upon their shoulders the coffin came to be called pallbearers.

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"Einstein upset the law of gravity," says Sagacious Sarah, "but what we really need to know is who upset the gravity of law."

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The Missing Napkins

"Where did you git all the handkerchiefs, John?" asked the ruralist's wife on his return from the big city.

"Wal, I'll tell you, Mary. In every place I went to eat they gave me one."

For Meditation

By LEONARD A. BARRETT

A DARING CHALLENGE

IT WAS a daring challenge; but, who would venture to name a single book, poem, or piece of music written during the last ten years that will be remembered fifty years hence? The criticism of European authors is that the literary product of America smacks of the crass materialism of our age. They argue that the commercial value of a book is the first consideration of a publisher in estimating the risks he takes in publishing the volume. These European critics also say that men and women in America are writing the kind of books the public will buy and that nothing really worth while is being created today which administers to the outreachings of the soul. Whether this is a just criticism or not time only can tell. The statement, however, gives one cause for grave concern.

Undoubtedly it is true that the prevailing materialism of our age is responsible for the lack of the truly creative spirit. It is interesting, however, to observe that while our age may not be creative in spirit, it certainly is interpretative. There never was an age in which music, art and literature were more wonderfully interpreted than at the present time.

Recognizing this fact, we are afforded a good degree of amusement at the recent prize of something like twenty thousand dollars, offered to any person who would successfully complete Schubert's Unfinished Symphony. The merits of a creative product cannot be so hastily judged. Only time can do that. Schubert's Symphony ranks among the first classics in music because of the approval of years of interpretation and experience. No person can be successfully urged to so important a task by the glitter of gold. The Symphony of Schubert was the product of a life's experience. The promise of a shining material reward could never have produced it. Whoever attempts to complete the Unfinished Symphony must be urged on by a burning purpose, born of the sacrifice and sorrow of a Schubert, and not by the promise of a reward of twenty thousand dollars.

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Very Necessary

When packing for a journey of any sort we should include with all other accessories that much needed package of "good manners."—Successful Farming.

Don Terry

Wanderlust carried Don Terry (real name Donald Loker) of Natick, Mass., to Hollywood and into a star role in the "movies." His first success was the male lead in "Me, Gangster." He is a former Harvard athlete. It was after touring Europe and the Far East that we was induced to sign his name to a motion picture contract.

Uncommon Sense

By John Blake

APOLOGIZING

A MAN'S first complete apology for a dishonorable act usually requires a great deal of moral courage. It is usually only after a hard struggle with himself that he can bring himself to admit he was at fault.

It is perhaps because it is so difficult to pronounce that an apology has such a marvelous effect. If the offense is forgivable any generous person will take an apology in full restitution for a friend again.

There is nothing humiliating about an apology.

Everybody in the world has cause to apologize for his acts occasionally, whether or not he does so.

Some persons go through life without ever once admitting to another that they are at fault. They know, of course, that their conduct is occasionally contemptible. But they never think it worth while to admit this.

As a result they estrange a great many more people than they would if they acknowledge their shortcomings.

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There are two factors that make an apology difficult.

One is the fear that it will be mistaken for weakness. The other is the fear that it will be ungraciously received.

This first factor is very powerful when there is apparent ground for it. A physical weakling, for instance, will find it extremely difficult to apologize to an athlete, for he will think that the latter will consider the apology mere cowardice. A somewhat similar situation may exist when a person of average mentality feels that he ought to apologize to a genius.

The second factor is likewise powerful, though its strength disappears when it is logically examined. If we feel we ought to apologize to a person we should, of course, do so irrespective of how he may receive it.

We apologize because we know it is the right thing to do and not merely because we want to win over a sorehead.

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If any person receives a sincere apology for some forgivable offense in a surly and ungracious manner you may safely set him down as a second-rate individual. But give him a chance to show himself generous.

Many persons who are not afraid of apologizing to an "equal" never think of apologizing to a person of lower station. Yet anybody, if he has been offended, is entitled to an apology. And it is surprising how many people—in even the humblest walks of life—appreciate that an admission of fault shows moral courage.

Anyone who can bring himself to apologize seldom has cause to regret his courage.

And the thing comes easier with practice.

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The price of $27,000 was paid for an Oliver Goldsmith manuscript in London at auction recently.

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We have a large supply of International and Northup-King dairy feeds in the 16-20-24 per cent protien content.

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Arthur Hanson Local Manager

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Pre-Inventory Sale

Starts January 7th. -- Ends January 18th

Our huge stocks, **$75,000.00** worth of high class merchandise, must be reduced at least one- third in two weeks.

To accomplish this gigantic stock reduction before inventory, prices will be slashed on all small and broken lots of high grade goods, and big reduction will be made on all regular stock, at each of our five stores.

Costs are forgotten- these goods MUST be moved regardless of wholesale to us.

The Big Merchandising Event Of The Season

Three Free Merchandise Prizes

To stumulate interest in this big event, we are giving away three merchandise prizes to the persons making largest purchases at this sale. First, second and third largest purchases will be given the prizes below, at each store.

Save your cash sales slips and bring them in on January 18th.

Buy Now!

Make substantial savings on the goods you need now at height of season.

Nothing is reserved-cut prices apply to all lines

First Prize	Second Prize	Third Prize
9 x 12 Felt Base RUG	66 x 80 Part-Wool BLANKET	72 x 80 Plaid-cotton BLANKET

BE SURE to bring in all cash sale slips on Jan. 18th. Prizes will be awarded on Mon. Jan., 21st

Carlson Merc. Co., Inc.

-- FIVE STORES --

Notice of Mortgage Sale

WHEREAS, Default has been made by the mortgagors in the conditions and covenants of a certain mortgage and mortgage note duly executed and delivered by Ida M. Chapman and H. L. Chapman, her husband, mortgagors, to the Hoag Security Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, bearing date of April, 9, 1921 with a power of sale therein contained and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 22nd day of April, 1921 at 8 A. M. and was recorded in Book 51 of Mortgages on page 50 which said mortgage with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the Hoag Security Company, Mortgagee, to J. Z. I. Purdy and E. de La T. Purdy "as joint tenants and not as tenants in common" by written assignment signed Hoag Security Company by D. N. Winton, its president, and L. M. Hoag, its secretary, dated on the 28th day of April, 1921, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 8th day of July, 1925, at 8 A. M. and recorded in Book 63 of Mortgages on page 581.

There is now due and claimed to be due on said mortgage and the indebtness secured thereby, principal and interest at the date of this notice, the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Sixteen and 86-100 Dollars ($1116.86).

By reason of said default the said power of sale contained in said mortgage has become and is operative and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: South Half (S1-2) of the Northeast Quarter (NE1-4) and West Half (W1-2) of the Southeast Quarter (SE1-4) of Section Ninteen (19), Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range Forty-four (44) West of the Fifth Principal Meridan containing one hundred sixty acres more or less according to the United States government survey thereof, together with all hereditaments and appurtenances which sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington County at the front door of the court house in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State on the 29th day of January, 1929, at 10 A. M. of that day at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $1116.86 together with interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) attorneys fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated this 10th day of December 1928.

California Trust Company, Inc., Guardian of the Estate of E. de La T. Purdy, Incompetent Ward Mortgagee.

Paul A. Lundgren,
Attorney for Mortgagee
Thief River Falls, Minn.

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LOCALS

Ernest Patenode was over Sunday from Gonvick to take over a load of household effects which were left here when the family moved the previous week.

25 YEARS AGO

Mike Anderson and M. Hammar left for Battle River to spend a few days on Anderson's claim, and to look over available lands in that locality.

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At meeting of the directors of the Merchants State Bank it was decided to erect a new hrick huilding as soon as weather would permit in the spring.

THE
CHURCHES

SWEDISH MISSION
Rev. C. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00 a. m.

Services by Rev. Dahlherg at 11:00 a. m. and at 8:00 a. m. Both these services will be in the American language.

A meeting of the Y. P. S. will be held Saturday. Jan, 12th at the Alf. Dahlstrom home. Everyhody welcome.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday Jan. 6th services as follows:
Oak Ridge at 11:00 in Norwegian
St. Hilaire at 2:30 in Norwegian.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services in the local church at 10:30 A. M.

Services in the Clara church at 3:00 P. M.

St. Hilaire
Methodist-Community Church
Rev. Edith Grays, pastor.

No services until further notice.

Robert Rosenthal of Crookston, was here for a short time yesterday while enroute home from a visit at Thief River Falls. Mr. Rosenthal was engaged in the clothing husiness in this village about thirty years ago, having at one time operated in the huilding now occupied by the Larson Bros. general store.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all friends and neighbors for the assistance and sympathy given us during cur late bereavement in the death of our heloved wife, mother and daughter, and those who gave the heautiful flowers.

R. Nelson and family
Mr. and Mrs. W. Adams

NOTICE--Starting with December, I will he in St. Hilaire on the last Friday of each month during the winter to attend to husiness of the Farmers State Bank. For the purpose of conserving fuel, I will main- my headquarters at the Spectator office when in St. Hilaire, during the winter.

L. E. Healy,
Spec. Deputy Examiner

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Poultry Show This Week

The twelfth annual poultry show of the Pennington County Poultry Ass'n, opened at Thief River Falls on Tuesday. As most farmers in the county have gone into either turkey or chicken raising the past couple years, it is expected the number of enteries at the Show will be much larger than formerly. A. M. Pilky, of the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston, and W. E. Stanfield of St. Paul, will be the judges, and will also be on the speaking program in connection with the show.

Hallock Papers Merge

The Kittson County Enterprise, published at Hallock, has bought the plant and buildings of the People's Press, a co-operatively owned weekly paper published for many years at Hallock, and has consolidated the two plants. J. Erlandson, a former resident of Mayfield township east of here, has been editor of the Press the past few years.

Warren Papers Consolidate

The Warren Sheaf, published by J. P. Mattson, and one of the oldest papers in this part of the state, has taken over the Register published in the same city since in 1887. The Register was published for many years by C. L. Stevens, and has been owned by members of that family since it was founded. First issue of the consolidated paper came out last week.

Issue Flu Warning

The Minnesota State Medical Association urges the following precautions in order to break the influenza epidemic which is now sweeping over the country:

1. Keep out of large crowds.
2. When first signs of cold or fever appear, go to bed and remain there until has subsided.
3. Keep away from people with colds. If afflicted yourself, be careful in sneezing and coughing so others may be protected.

Fresh air, sunlight and plenty of sleep are regarded as best preventatives.

While the number of cases reported in this vicinity are few at present, it is wise to observe the above rules to prevent any fresh outbreak.

Free T. B. Clinic Friday

A free tuberculosis clinic will be held at the St. Hilaire high school Friday, January 11th, between the hours of 9 and 12 A.M. Children under 16 years of age will not be admitted unless they are accompanied by their parent. The clinic is sponsered by Dr. B. C. Bernard, superintendent of the Oakland Park Sanatorium, Thief River Falls. There are no charges connected with this clinic.

Announce Engagement

The following, taken from the Chisholm Herald, will be of interest to many people here where one of the principals mentioned, resided for many years:

"Mr. and Mrs. Louis Swenby announce this week the engagement of their daughter, Ruth, to Mr. George Fricker of Holt, Minnesota.

Miss Swenby is a very well known Chisholm girl, having graduated from the local schools and is also a graduate of the Winona State Teachers College. For the past three years Miss Swenby has taugth in the public school at Holt.

Mr. Fricker is a prominent business man and is in charge of the Marshall County State Bank at Holt. The date of the wedding has not been set."

Winter term of school at the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston opened Monday morning this week. As attendance during the fall term exceeded all previous fall term records, it is expected the winter term enrollment will shatter the long standing record of 301 established in 1919-1920.

The following students from this vicinity returned to school this week Clifford Lindquist, Helen Naplin, and Alice Naplin of Wylie, Vernon Pope of St. Hilaire and Oscar Wedul of Hazel. Lloyd Johnson, winner of the free scholarship offered by the Merchants State Bank, also enrolled for this term.

Quarterly statement of condition of the Merchants State Bank, which was called by the superintendent of banks on Dec. 31st, shows the local institution is in excellent condition. Deposits are increasing at the Old Reliable.

Eastern papers this week announced the death of Harry S. Lehr, former society leader, at Baltimore, Md.

Winter Flannels

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Jake Bohlen returned home yesterday morning after a visit to his former home in Iowa.

"ALIAS THE DEACON" A real entertainment treat for everybody. Here next Saturday and Sunday.

Supt. E. N. Reiersgord returned last week-end after having spent Christmas vacation at his home at Ulen, Minn.

About four inches of snow fell over this section Tuesday night and yesterday.

Look for announcement in next issue of the High School Carnival to be given on Friday, January 25th, 1929.

Mr. T. M. Skatrud and children returned home Saturday morning after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Paulson, at Duluth.

Last Sunday was the most uniformly cold day recorded thus far this winter. At no time during the day did the mercury go above 16 degrees below zero.

The mercury dropped to 22 degrees below zero here Saturday morning last. While cold weather has prevailed after the New Year, there are hut five inches snow.

"ALIAS THE DEACON" starring Jean Hersholt, the greatest character delineator on the screen today. At the Imperial next Saturday and Sunday.

Emil Just was in charge of A. Satterbergs place of business this week while the owner was attending a convention of farm machinery dealers at Minneapolis.

Paul Erickson returned last week end to resume his studies in the medical school of the University of Minnesota after having spent Christmas vacation with his parents west of town.

The snow plowing outfit belonging to the state highway department was busy first of the week clearing away small drifts on the highway which resulted after the high wind Monday.

Miss Gladys Eastman came Saturday from Minneapolis for an indefinate visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. Thorstad, north of here where members of the family have been ill the past week.

Ed Durbin and family motored Sunday to International Falls for a visit with friends,

H. A. Olsen has moved his office back to the quarters he formerly occupied in the Branum building.

Mrs. H. W. Anderson of Bowbells, N. D., came Wednesday to visit indefinitely with her mother Mrs. E. E. Anderson.

Mrs. O. Gunstad returned Saturday after spending two weeks at the home of her mother, and with other relatives, in Minneapolis.

The Carlson Merc. Co., reports a good run of business at the local store thus far this week after opening of their pre-inventory sale which started Monday.

Miss Gabrielle Cathelineau left Sunday to resume her school teaching work this week near Argyle after having spent the holidays at home.

Regular monthly meeting of the village council was held Monday evening. Due to absence of President A. Satterberg, Councilman H. Hanson acted as president pro-tem.

Miss Lilly Gunstad left Sunday to resume teaching in the village school at Rosewood after having spent her Christmas vacation at her home east of town.

All members of the local teaching staff returned last week-end and Sunday, and school re-opened Monday morning after the usual holiday vacation of two weeks.

Mrs. Frank Berglund and son, Canrad, left Monday for their home at McInnis Creek near Rainy River, Ontario., after spending a couple weeks here at the home of Mrs. Carrie Berglund.

Harvey Olsen returned Saturday to Fargo after having spent about two weeks here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olsen. Harvey is employed in a jewelry store at Fargo.

E. H. Johnson has returned to Minneapolis where he is district salesman for a large tobacco company, after having spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Johnson, at their farm home west of town.

4H Club Pageant, Jan, 16

The local 4H Club will stage a pageant and show for benefit of that organization, at the Imperial Hall on Wednesday Jan. 16th. In addition to the pageant, a film entitled "Thats My Daddy", starring Reginald Denny, will also be shown A matinee performance will be given at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Admission for the matinee is 10 and 25 cents. For the evening performance, which starts at 8:00, the price is 15 and 25 cents. The young folks have worked hard for several weeks preparing for this event, and they state it will be well worth anyone's while to see the performance.

M. Forder Is Dead

M. Forder, an oldtime resident of Thief River Falls, died Sunday at his home in that city, according to information received here. The Forder family were residents of this village hack in sawmill days. Death is said to have been caused by general debility due to old age.

Parties returning from the woods report there are quite a number of camps operating this winter. Cutting of sawlogs and pulp timber is going on at the different camps hut lack of snow is holding back haul ing. Northern Minnesota expects to make the biggest cut of timber in years this winter, hut snow will be necesary before the timber can he hauled out of the woods.

Soft Coal—Have a carload of soft coal on track here now. Phone your orders to the depot, and save handling charges by taking direct from the car.

Art. Hendrickson.

Chas. Kundert, manager of the local and Red Lake Falls telephone lines, was up yesterday from the Falls looking after business matters at the local office.

The Personal Property Tax List, the Delinquent Tax List, the Annual Financial statement of Pennington County will be published in this paper during the next few weeks.

R. L. Hauge, one of the oldest residents of the village, has been ill the past two weeks. He is reported to be somewhat improved at this time.

P. T. Meeting Friday

A meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held at the school building Friday evening this week.

A good program has been prepared. Rev. Crawford Grays, of Thief River Falls, will address the meeting.

It is desired that as many as possible shall attend these meetings which are held for mutual benefit of all who are interested in the school.

Legislature In Session

The bi-annual session of the Minnesota legislature opened at St. Paul this week. The session is for a period of 90 days, and closes generally about the 15th of April.

W.C.T.U. Meeting, Jan. 18th

The W. C. T. U. has secured Rev. Edith Grays of Thief River to address a meeting to the high school assemble on subject of "Law Enfoecement". The address will be given at 2:30 on Friday, Jan. 18th. The public is cordially invited to attend.

25 Years Ago

Miss Maymie Clark came up from St. Peter Minn, to make her home with her aunt, Mrs. Leonard Holmes.

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Carl Johnson was at Vivian helping in a family celebration in honor of his father's 80th birthday anniversary.

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Dr. J. C. Cummings arrived from Minneapolis and established temporary offices at the Hotel Markham.

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Chas. Gustafson was called to Crookston by serious illness of his son, Helon, who was attending school there.

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Mr. and Mrs. Anton Baker were down from Germantown for a visit with friends.

—xxv—

Mrs. Norander, mother of And. Norander, was very ill and slight hopes were entertained for her recovery.

—xxv—

Dr. C. Highie, the veterinary surgeon who located here, established temporary headquarters at Patterson's livery harn.

The Spectator, $1.50 a year.

Starting Out Right

Almost everyone starts a new year by making some sort of resolution. The new year always holds out hope, and prospects look better.

Resolve right now to save a part of what you earn. Its the best insurance for the future you can obtain. Our savings department is willing and ready to help you.

Merchants State Bank

St. Hilaire - - - - Minnesota

Over The Top

Resolve to help your creamery do the largest volume of business in its history, this year.

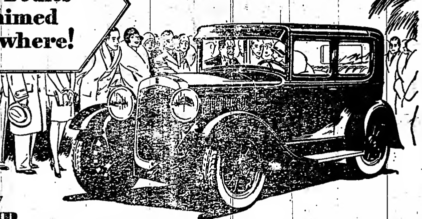
Haul your cream to it—boost for it whenever opportunity offers, and induce your neighbors to join. Every dollar, less operating expenses, made by the creamery is paid to its patrons. If you are not a shareholder arrange to buy one or more shares, and help your neighbors boost for the community's biggest asset—the creamery.

St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n

St. Hilaire, Minn.

5,000,000 came the first week!

Greater Beauty Larger Bodies Acclaimed Everywhere!



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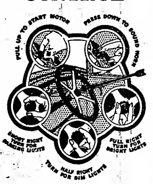

A single button at the center of the steering wheel, which controls all functions of starting the motor, operating the lights and sounding the horn.

GREATER BEAUTY—LARGER BODIES

When the new Superior Whippet was presented to the American public last month, it won the enthusiastic praise of millions who thronged the 6,000 showrooms of Willys-Overland dealers. The style creation of master designers, the new Superior Whippet introduces beauty of line and color never before associated with Fours and light Sixes. Longer bodies, higher radiator and hood, sweeping one-piece full crown fenders, all contribute to the trim, smart appearance that arouses the admiration of millions throughout the country.

In roominess and comfort, the new Superior Whippet sets its own advanced standards. The more spacious interiors are scientifically designed for maximum head room, leg room and elbow room. Riding comfort is further enhanced by wider seats with form-fitting backs, oversize balloon tires, snubbers, and longer springs both front and rear.

Mechanically, the new Superior Whippet improves upon even its own predecessor. A higher compression engine gives considerably more speed, power, pick-up.

See the new Superior Whippet today. An immediate order will aid in early delivery.

WHIPPET 4 COACH **$535**

Coupe $535; Sedan $595; Roadster $485; Touring $475; Commercial Chassis $365.

WHIPPET 6 COACH 7-Bearing Crankshaft **$695**

Coupe $695; Coupe (*with rumble seat*) $725; Sedan $760; Sport DeLuxe Roadster $850 (*including rumble seat and extras*). All Willys-Overland prices f. o. b. Toledo, Ohio and specifications subject to change without notice.

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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE
BRAY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE CO.
of Red Lake and Pennington Counties, State of Minnesota, for the year ending December 31, 1928.

Organized the 9th day of March, 1893.
Commenced business the 8th day of June, 1893.
President, Ed. A. Aubol, P. O. Address, St. Hilaire, Minn.
Vice President, O. L. Larson, St. Hilaire, Minn.
Secretary, John O. Swanson, P. O. Address, Wylie, Minn.
Treasurer, Peter Engelstad, Thief River Falls, Minn.
Director, Herman Ortloff, St. Hilaire, Minn.

Actual cash balance on hand and in the bank as shown by statement December 31 of previous year		$ 429.96
Cash received as first payment on Policies issued during the year	$ 2,487.81	
Cash received from Assessment levied during the year	7,285.72	
Cash received from payment on one note	109.40	
Cash received from payment on one note	497.46	
Total amount of cash received during year		$ 10,380.39
Total cash including balance on hand from previous year		$ 10,810.35

Schedule of Assesments Levied During Year
Assessment Levied Feb. 10, 1928.
Total insurance in force, $3,908,718.00.
Rate—1-5 per cent.
Total assessment called, $7,815.43.
Assessments collected, $7,285.72.

Disbursements During Year 1928

Paid Losses remaining from previous year	$ 750.00	
Paid Losses incurred during the year	1,507.21	
Return Premiums paid to Policy Holders	3.18	
Paid Commission and Expenses to Agents	490.50	
Paid Agents for Adjusting Losses	31.50	
Paid Directors	12.00	
Paid President	58.40	
Paid Secretary	366.85	
Paid Treasurer	109.40	
Paid Board of Audit	9.00	
Paid Telephone Expenses	11.75	
Paid Rent of Hall	3.00	
Paid Membership in State and National Insurance Assn.	14.50	
Paid postage	18.00	
Paid premium on treasurer's bond	15.00	
Paid advertising	6.12	
Paid office supplies	108.55	
Paid refund on assessment to members	15.41	
Paid Insurance Department Fees	2.00	
Paid exchange to banks on checks	17.65	
Paid Borrowed money	675.00	
Paid interest on borrowed money	20.15	
Paid one cancelled check	5.20	
Refund to treasurer on post office deposit	6.39	
Paid vice president	12.00	
		$ 4,268.76
Actual cash balance on hand and in bank at close of year		$ 6,541.59

Assets Other Than Cash, December 31, 1928

Balance on Peter Engelstad note		$ 307.87
Balance on James S. Roy and N. E. Beebe note		497.46
Premium unpaid		321.10
Total assets other than cash		$ 1,126.43
Total assets of the company, including balance cash on hand and in bank December 31, 1928		$ 7,668.02

Liabilities, December 31, 1928

Undisputed losses of this year remaining unpaid at end of year (estimated)	$ 40.00	
Total liabilities December 31, 1928		$ 40.00
Surplus or excess of assets over liabilities		$ 7,628.02

Policy Exhibit

	No. Policies	Amount
Policies in force December 31 of previous year	1567	$3,908,718.00
Policies issued during the year	362	950,962.00
Total	1929	$4,859,680.00
Policies expired or ceased to be in force during year	444	1,035,774.00
Policies and amount in force December 31, 1928	1485	$3,823,906.00

	Total No.	Total Amt.
Unpaid Losses at end of previous year: Fire 2, $750.00	2	$ 750.00
Loss claims incurred during the year: Fire 4, $1,229.16; Lightning 8, $318.05	12	1,547.21
Total: Fire 6, $1,979.16; Lightning 8, $318.05	14	$ 2,297.21
Losses Paid during year: Fire, 5, $1,939.16; Lightning 8, $318.05	13	$ 2,257.21
Losses Remaining unpaid at end of year: Fire 1, $40.00	1	$ 40.00

State of Minnesota,
County of Pennington.

St. Hilaire, Minn., Jan. 2, 1929.

ED. A. AUBOL, President, and JOHN O. SWANSON, Secretary, of the BRAY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, being duly sworn, each for himself deposes and says, that they are the above described officers of said Company, and that on the thirty-first day of December last, all of the above described assets were the absolute property of the said Company, free and clear from any liens or claims thereon, except as above stated, and that the foregoing statement, with the schedules and explanations herein contained, annexed or referred to, are a full and correct exhibit of all the Assets, Liabilities, Income and Disbursements, and of the condition and affairs of the said Company on the said thirty-first day of December, and for the year ending on that day, according to the best of their information, knowledge and belief, respectively.

ED A. AUBOL,
JOHN O. SWANSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of January, 1929.
FRED BISKEY,
Notary Public, Pennington Co., Minn.
My Commission expires Jan. 29, 1935.

School Proceedings

Postponed regular meeting of directors of Ind. Schoo. Dist. 102 held November 28th 1928.

All members present.

Minutes of last meeting approved as read.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed:

The Parawax Company Floor sweep	$10.25
St. Hilaire Telephone Exchange, rent	12.30
St. Paul Book & Stationery Company as bills	17.56
Lyons & Carnahan, books as bills 11-2-28	18.63
John C. Winston Co., books as bill 10-17-28	7.94
A. W Brink, inspecting boiler	4.00
W. M. Welch, supplies as bill, 11-15-28	13.86
Red River Power Company two months	14.93

On motion duly made and carried the school building and contents be insured at $48,000.00.

No further business motion for adjournment carried.

E. O. Burkee,
Clerk,

Helps Out Ministers

"Queen Anne's Bounty" is a fund set aside by Queen Anne in 1704 to augment the poorer livings of the Church of England. In 1913, 170 livings were augmented, besides benefactions and grants made to the extent of about £50,000. The capital fund at that time was more than £7,600,000.

Fine Engraving

Alfred McEwen of New York, who recently engraved the Lord's prayer on a needle, says that the engraving is done by a special reducing apparatus, the diamond point of which does not vary a millionth fraction of an inch. The work is generally done through a magnifying glass.

South River Falls

Miss Nannie Erickson who has spent the last month at her home returned to her school at Wannaska to resume her duties as teacher there.

Miller Peterson left Monday evening for Minneapolis where he will be employed.

School re-opened in district 133 J on Monday with a small attendance, due to the cold weather and sickness.

Miss Martha Anderson who has spent her holiday vacation with her sister, Mrs. Carl Swanson returned to Moorhead to resume her work as teacher in the public schools of that city.

Navy Plane Scoops Up Gold in Nicaragua Mine

Washington.—Mining gold with an airplane is the most bizarre of all tales yet to come to the Navy department here from the marines in Nicaragua. Captain Howard, marine corps pilot, made a forced landing with an amphibian plane—so goes the story—in the jungle area near the La Paz mine and his pontoon scooped up earth heavily laden with gold.

Corporal Cole, observer aboard the plane, panned out $100 worth of yellow metal with ease, says the Managua report. The marooned aviators were rescued by other planes the following day and were returned safely to Managua—with the gold as evidence.

Scale Mount Baker

Fort Portal, Uganda, Africa.—The Chicago Geographical society expedition to the Mountains of the Moon planted the American, British and Explorers' club flag on the summit of Mount Baker, August 26. The climb and descent was attended by great hardship, the party having to contend with snow storms most of the way.

BORAH SPEEDS PEACE TREATY

Holds Center of Senate Stage in Three-Hours of Questioning.

Washington—Before an inquiring membership, Chairman Borah of the senate foreign relations committee propelled the Kellogg peace pact on its way in the senate in debate which became personal as well as conciliatory. After three hours, during which he answered questioners from all sides of the chamber the sponsor of the treaty pledging the nations of the world to renounce war summed up and answered the arguments made against the pact and called for early ratification of it in its present form. Senator Reed, Democrat of Missouri who is ready to lead the opposition and whose onslaught has been eagerly awaited by those wishing to see a Reed-Borah clash in debate, replied only briefly with a reading of correspondence of the other nations. The Missourian has not yet begun his fight.

"This correspondence," Senator Reed said, "showed that many constructions have been placed upon the treaty, and there is a dispute already as to its meaning."

Answering arguments against the treaty, which came largely in the form of inquiries during debate, Senator Borah contended that the treaty could not infringe upon the American Monroe doctrine because that doctrine is a part of the American policy of self-defense. He insisted the right of self-defense was inherent in the treaty.

The Ridiculous Dove

When a man is made up wholly of the dove, without the least grain of the serpent in his composition, he becomes ridiculous in many circumstances of life and very often discredits his best actions.—Addison

When War Did Good

When General Sherman made his devastating march to the sea his horses scattered the seed of Lespedeza, or Japanese clover seed which is now making many Southern farmers rich.—Farm and Fireside.

WELCOMES SON REARED BY MAIL

Mother Sees Boy for First Time in 49 Years.

New Orleans, La.—Separated 49 years by the wide gulf of Atlantic, a mother and the son she reared by mail now are reunited.

Mrs. Mary Ann Tiernan Moonan has seen her son, George A. Moonan, Dublin barrister, for the first time since he was seven years old.

Although related by the closest of blood bonds, they met virtually as strangers.

The man barely remembered the mother who had left him with relatives in Ireland when she left that country to visit her father and mother, who had migrated to New Orleans.

Moonan's mother never returned. She kept constantly in touch and directed his rearing by mail. On numerous occasions she planned to go back to her native land, but as time sped on, the old ties weakened and the new ties strengthened.

It was tomorrow for her and tomorrow never came. But now this slender woman of eighty-two is planning to sail for Ireland under the protecting arm of her fifty-six-year-old son.

She would not come to him so he came to her. The mother had turned deaf ears to his cabled and written pleas to return to her native shores so Moonan came to plead his case in person.

With the picture of her relatives waiting to receive her in old Ireland she capitulated, packed her belongings and is ready for the journey.

"Old scenes, old songs, old friends again," is the thought that is carrying Mrs. Moonan over the ocean.

Republican Nickname

The term "Grand Old Man" was applied to Mr. Gladstone in 1882, and is accredited to John Bright, who used it in a speech made in that year in Northampton, England. In America the phrase was appropriated and changed by members of the Republican party, who affectionately called it the "Grand Old Party." This at once became a newspaper slogan, and in the headlines alluding to the party was shortened into "G. O. P."

Vice Presidential Deaths

The men who died while holding the office of vice president of the United States were George Clinton, Elbridge Gerry, William R. King, Henry Wilson, T. A. Hendricks, Garrett A. Hobart and James S. Sherman.

Yes Then Especially

"The height of a New York skyscraper takes the visitor's breath away," declares a traveler. Especially if the lift is not working and he has to keep an appointment on the top floor, adds the Humorist.

Something of a Contrast

In contrast with the service maintained by the air mail from coast to coast, we find that on July 18, 1861, the first mail coach reached Kansas from San Francisco after a trip of seventeen days.

Happiness a Duty

There is no duty we so much underrate as the duty of being happy. By being happy we sow anonymous benefits upon the world, which remain unknown even to ourselves.—Stevenson.

Origin of "Literature"

Murray's Oxford dictionary says that the word literature is derived from the Latin litteratura, either directly or through the French litterature. Litteratura is from the Latin littera, meaning a letter. The word appears in the form of laterntour as early as 1375. In its present form it first appears in the Wyntoun Cronicle in 1425.

Big Cities in Youth

New York, Philadelphia, Boston, Baltimore, Providence (R. I.), Cambridge (Mass.), Worcester (Mass.), and Louisville (Ky.), in the order named, were the cities of the day in 1700. New York led with a population of 40,401, and Louisville made a small tenth with only 200 inhabitants.

Holy Mother's Last Days

There is very little knowledge with respect to the later life of Mary, the mother of Christ. According to tradition, she was tenderly cared for by the disciple St. John, to whom Christ bequeathed her care while on the cross. It is reported that she died at Ephesus at a greatly advanced age.

Dairy Feeds

We have a large supply of International and Northup-King dairy feeds in the 16-20-24 per cent protien content.

We also have bran, shorts and egg mash.

Use Mascot flour--It's all the wheat that's fit to eat.

Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

N. Benoit Local Mgr.

COAL! COAL!

We have a big supply of hard and soft coal and also pocohontas briquette coal on hand.

Call, or phone in your orders now while the weather is ideal for delivering.

C. Roe Grain Company

ST. HILAIRE, MINN

Arthur Hanson Local Manager

Statement of the condition of

Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire, Minn.

at close of business on December, 31st, 1928.

Bank No. 447 RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	$91,875.02
Overdrafts	None
Securities, Bonds, etc.	70,696.77
Banking House Furniture and fixtures	7,800.00
Other Real Estate owned	7,775.00
Cash on hand and due from Banks	27,815.10
Cash Items and checks	None
TOTAL	$205,961.89
LIABILITIES	
Capital	10,000.00
Surplus	3,000.00
Undivided Profits (net)	1,572.25
Savings Deposits	11,513.68
Time Certificates	106,116.21
Cashiers checks	17.00
Deposits subject to check	73,742.75
TOTAL	$205,961.89

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. ss

We, J. W. Black, President and Fred Biskey, Ass't Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemly swear that the statement is true to our knowedge and belief.

J. W. Black, President
Fred Biskey, Ass't Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of Jan. 1929.

George Werstlein

(Seal) Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission expires Oct. 22nd, 1933.

Correct Attest (Two) Directors: E. O. Burkee, Theo. M. Thronson

State of Minnesota
County of Hennepin } ss.

On this 8th day of Jan. A. D. 1929, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County, personally appeared J. W. Black to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

E. G. Austin

(Seal) Notary Public, Hennepin Co, Minn.
My commission expires Dec. 3, 1932

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

St. Peter—Former State Senator Henry C. Miller, who for 30 years pnblished tha St. Peter Free Press, died here at the homs of Carl Miller, his son. He was 86 years old.

Minneapolis—Bids have been opened hy directors of the Northwestern National Bank for construction of tha new $6,000,000 Northwestern Bank building.

Fairmont—A 10 pounde great northern pike was caught through the ice nn Tuttie lake hy E. J. Alhert. According to Albert the fish was canght with an angla worm for hait.

Mankato — Funeral services for Charles Timmerman, nperator of ons of the largest cigar factories in sonthern Minnesota, who died after a short iliness, were conducted here.

Chandler—The State Bank of Chandler, Murray county, which was closed a year and a half ago, has been reopened with a capital of $24,000 and a eurplus of $4,800. All the old nfficers wera re-elected.

Red Wing—The door of the new $50,000 Masonic Temple have heen opened for tha first meeting nf Red Wing Lodge No. 8 at a special hanqnet and three day celebration of completion of the temple.

St. Paul—Carl T. Schuneman of St. Paul, second assistant secretary of the treasury, will resign before the end of the Coolidge administration in March and will not he a candidate for re-appointment.

Owatonna—John Bulver was named president of the Maple Creek Rural Telephone Company, a farmers' cooperativa line operating in an area of conisderahle extent northeast of the city.

Minneapolis—The new paved Shakepee cntoff into Minneapolis has reeulted in the saving of an hour on running times on bnses between Fairmont and Minneapolis, according to Northland Transportation.

Albert Lea—C. C. Lndwig of Portland, Ore., was chosen hy the Albert Lea city council as city manager under the nsw conncil-manager form of government which will go into effect at once.

Minneapolis—Canuck, nine-monthsold black hear, who escaped from Longfellow Gardens here, was captnred hy police, taken to the station in a patrol and locked in a cell until his keeper called for him.

Owatonna—Dr. F. M. Smersh, president of the Owatonna hoard nf health, died here of hronchial pneumonia. Dr. Smersh was prominent in civic affairs and in local and national medical and pnblic health associations.

Bird island—The Renville County Poultry show opened here. V. C. Benjamin of Redwood Falls is acting ae judge. More than $400 is to he nffered for premiums. Between 400 and 500 birds are entered for prizes.

Minneapolis—The annual meeting and winter school nf the Minnesota Fox & Fur Breeders' association will take place January 11 and 12 at the Nicollet hotel. Eighteen addrasses by furhreeding experts will be given.

Duluth—Asurance that the stone-arched hridge at the Duluth State Teachers College and completion of tha hasement of the new elementary bnilding, finished last year, would be undertaken wes received here hy H. J. McCieran.

Long Prairie—Officers of the Todd County Old Settlers Association have completed arrangements to bnild a log cabin to cost $2,500 on the Todd County fair gronnda in Long Prarie and will be used as the association headqnarters.

St. Paul—Five candidates had filed to succeed the late State Senator Frank A. Day of Fairmont. Paul C. Cooper, Fairmont; C. E. McNaugbt, St. James; Carl J. Eide, Madella; Angust Saggan, Ceylon, and Robert H. McCune, Fairmont.

Owatonna—W. S. Williams has purchased the holdings of his partner, E. Y. Meeser in the Williams Motor Company here. The partnership will be sncceeded hy a corporation which will operale the company's garages and other property here and at Ellendale under the eame name.

Faribault—Farihanlt has heen awardad first place in the state of Minneeota in the competilion staged hy the international commiltee on fire prevention and Clean-np week for the year 1928, according to an annonncement made by tha National Fire Protective association at New York.

Minneapolis—The "Minnesota Plan" for farm relief, eponsored by sixty rural newspaper men of the state lese than a month ago, is winning wide spread approval according to reports sent ont hy the Legislativa Reference Bureau. Newspapers generally are commenting favorahly npon the plan while pnblishers of Minnesota farm papers unite in voicing their approval. Likewise leaders in the livestock and dairy industry nf the state are being qnoted as impressed with the valne of the plan for hetter protection for farm products. Minnesota's congressmen will see that the plan gets a fair hearing before congress.

Fairmont—Tribnta was paid to State Senator Frank A. Day, pnblisher of the Fairmont Sentinel, who died last Wednesday at Winona by thousands from all parts of the state, at the funeral of the veteran pnblisher and political leader. They nverflowed the Fairmont Methodist church and 3,000 persons heard eermons eulogiiang the man who "pnt Fairmont on the map." Lond speakers were used to carry tha talks to the hundreds outside. Six members of the Fairmont Sentinel staff were pallbearers and Masonic burial rites were held at the grave.

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NOTICES

Notice of Mortgage Sale

WHEREAS, Default has been made by the mortgagors in the conditions and covenants of a certain mortgage and mortgage note duly executed and delivered by Ida M. Chapman and H. L. Chapman, her husband, mortgagors, to the Hoag Security Company, a corporation organized under the lawe of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, bearing date of April, 9, 1921 with a power of sale therein contained and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 22nd day of April, 1921 at 8 A. M. and was recorded in Book 51 of Mortgages on page 50 which said mortgage with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the Hoag Security Company, Mortgagee, to J. Z. I. Purdy and E. de La T. Purdy as joint tenants and not as tenants in common" by written assignment signed Hoag Security Company by D. N. Winton, its president, and L. M. Hoag, its secretary, dated on the 28th day of April, 1921, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 8th day of July, 1925, at 8 A. M. and recorded in Book 63 of Mortgages on page 581.

There is now due and claimed to be due on said mortgage and the indebtness secured thereby, principal and interest at the date of thie notice, the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Sixteen and 86-100 Dollars ($1116.86).

By reason of said default the said power of sale contained in said mortgage has become and is operative and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: South Half (S1-2) of the Northeast Quarter (NE1-4) and West Half (W1-2) of the Southeast Quarter (SE1-4) of Section Ninteen (19), Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range Forty-four (44) West of the Fifth Principal Meridan containing one hundred sixty acres more or less according to the United States government survey thereof, together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances which sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington County at the front door of the court house in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State on the 29th day of January, 1929, at 10 A. M. of that day at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $1116.86 together with interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) attorneys fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated this 10th day of December 1928.

California Trust Company, Inc., Guardian of the Estate of E. de La T. Purdy, Incompetent Ward Mortgagee.

Paul A. Lundgren,
Attorney for Mortgagee
Thief River Falls, Minn.
D13-J17

LEONARD HOLMES
UNDERTAKER
Full Line Of Funeral Supplies On Hand
St. Hilaire, Minn. Nov 26th

The Market

(Corrected on Wednesday)

Northern Wheat	$.93
Durum Wheat	.75
Rye	.85
Barley	.45
Oats	.35
Flax	2.16
Eggs, cash	.25
Creamery butter	.51

NOTICE--Starting with December, I will be in St. Hilaire on the last Friday of each month during the winter to attend to business of the Farmers State Bank. For the purpose of conserving fuel, I will main my headquarters at the Spectator office when in St. Hilaire, during the winter.

L. E. Healy,
Spec. Deputy Examiner

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Tuberculin Testing
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Office By Hotel Ogahmah
Block North from G. N. Depot

COTTAGE IN TREE TOPS HAVEN FOR HONEYMOONERS

Love Nest Built hy Pennsylvania Farmer Is Occupied Most of the Year.

Hellam, Pa.—A cottage in the tree tops, surrounded by a myriad brilliant-colored lights and overlooking a placid little hrook—that is the boneymoon ideal ne conceived hy Morgan Emig, a farmer near here.

And the etrange part of it all is ihat Emig bas built this love nest for the henefit of others and it has already been nsed by honeymooners from all parts of the country.

Situated among the hranches of a huge buttonwood tree, the cottage is equipped as thoroughly as any of its size on the ground, containing electric light, diehes, stove for cooking, complete bedroom and living room euites and has porchee on three sides.

To approach the love nest, one musi first enter Emig's farm and traverse the quarter mile between tha main bighway and tha cottage.

On arrival there is a flight of eteps leading up the trunk of the tree to a height of ahout twenty-five feet, where they turn and lead out along a branch to a spot directly over the stream, where the cottage is located.

The cottage rests on heams supported by steel cables and wns buili about eight years ago.

"I first got the idea when a bunch af kids wanted to build a treehouse and laid a platform in tha branches," Emig eaid. "I then wondered why a substantial house could not he made there and started work. Each year I made improvements and added a little eomething, but now, in my estimation, it le about perfect."

The cottage ie weatherproof and even hae a back yard. Scattered ahout among the hranches and amid the many colored lights are chairs and benches for use in the summer, as Emig says his house is occupied virtually the year round.

Aside from its nse by honeymooners, Emig rente the cottage for card parties, dances and lika social gatherings. A radio is provided with two loud speakers, one located in the cottage and the other in the top of the tree. "At one time there have heen as many as 26 persons dancing in the cottage and at card parties there have heen fonr tables in play," Emig said.

"Of course, it ie making the money, as it ie to nse the year around and I charge rental for the nse of it, hut the biggest kick I get ont of it is from the honeymooners and others who get the benefit of it," ha eaid. "and I have a lot of fun improving it."

At nighta the tunes from the loud speaker can he heard on the main York to Harrisburg road a quarter of a mile away and the lights in the huge tree can be seen from a great distance, resembling a monster Christmas tree.

Old Queen of the Seas

The United States superdreadnought Wyoming on July 19, 1912, made 22,045 knots on her standardization trial. This wae the largest and fastest battleship afloat at the time with twelve-inch guns.

Height of Wisdom

"We regard our ancestors ae wise," said Hi Ho, the saga of Chinatown, "especially those ancestors who attained riches we hope to inherit."—Washington Star.

Alpaca and Sheep

The body of the alpaca has somewhat the form of a sheep, but it has a long neck. It is also more active and carries its head erect.

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Something to kick about: To receive a nice, new pockethook for Christmas after one has spent everything that might have made the pocketbook useful.

Its a little too early yet to hegin lobking forward to spring, but several parties have told us of previously unfailing signs which indicate spring will be unusually early this year. With a good share of the plowing still to be done before crops can be put in, spring cannot come any to early to suit most people in this part of the state.

If the present session of the legislature will pass one measure to provide methods and means whereby the state of Minnesota will pay its just share of taxes on such agricultural lands as have been acquired by it thru operation of the Rural Credits Act--this section of the state will feel entirely satisfied if nothing else is done.

So many farms have been acquired by the state, on which no taxes are being paid, that it is creatiing a burden on those who have to pay the ever-increasing tax bill. The cost of maintaining roads, schools and other public enterprises, cannot be reasonably borne bv a part of the people. Private parties who acquire lands thru foreclosures, are not exempt from payment of taxes and there appears to be no good reason why the State of Minnesota should be so favored.

The following, taken from one of our exchanges, while not exactly new, contains some food for thought.

Tighten your s'penders and read this one. It's a little hard cooked in language, but there is quite a bit of truth in it at that:

"Nothing wrong here except that entirely too many of us get up in the morning at the alarm of a Cinnecticut clock, button a pair of Chicago trcusers to Ohio suspenders put on a pair of shoes made in Massachusetts, wash in a Pittsburg tin basin, using Cincinnatti soap, and a cotton towel made in New Hampshire, sit down to a Grand Rapide table, eat pancakes made from N. Dakota flour, spread with Vermont maple syrup, and Kansas hacon fried on a St. Louis stove. We buy fruit put up in California seasoned with Rhode Island spices and sweetened with Colorado sugar, put on a bat make in Philadelphia, hitch a Detroit mule fed on Texas gasoline, to an Ohio plow and work like hell all day long on a Minnesota farm covered with New England mortgages, send our money to Ohio for auto tires, wondering why Minnesota taxes are $2.75 per acre while the farmer of Ohio pays $1.00 tax and drives on paved roads, and at night we crawl under a New Jersey hlanket tobe kept awake by a damn dog--the only home product on the place. Wondering all the while why ready money and prosperity are not more abundant in this wonderful state of ours."--Independent.

Spain Has Oldest City

Toledo, Spain, is the oldest existing city. Spanish legend variously ascribes its foundation to Hercules, Tubal, grandson of Noah, and to Jews exiled hy Nebuchadnezzar. Livy mentions its capture by the Romans in 193 B. C.

Canaries and Children

To insure a dignified baptismal service, the pastor of a Connecticut church hit upon the idea of using canaries to entertain children and keep them quiet until the services were ended. The plan was successful.

Auto Overhauling

This is the best time of the year to have your car overhauled and put in shape for use next spring.

I have facilties for doing this work, and am making special prices for it during the winter months.

Grease-Oil-Gas-Storage

Store your car in my heated garage. A phone call will bring it, properlly greased, filled with oil and gas, ready for use. Repairs of all kinds given prompt attention.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Money Saving Items

Here are a few of the many bargains at our Pre-Inventory sale, now on:

Sale closes Friday, Jan. 18th

Percale, per yard	.09
Mens fleeced cotton mitts, pr.	.13
Raisens, 2 lbs for	.16
Macaroni shells, 6 pkgs.	.25
Mens flannel shirts	.79
Mens 30 in. horsehide vests,	8.49
Cotton blazers, each	.98
Childrens sweaters, each	.69
Dainty Jell powder, 4 pkgs.	.25

Carlson Merc. Co. Inc.

St. Hilaire, Minn

The Blue Parrot Inn

You are cordially invited to call at the new cafe and get acquainted. Once you try our tasty, home baked pastry, you will always be a customer.

Instead of working over a hot stove at home on Sundays, bring the family to the Inn for our special Sunday dinner.

Lunches and meal at all hours

Milaca—The south half of Sullivan lake and the north half of Platte Lake have been closed for winter fishing by order of the state game and fish commissioner.

Howard Lake—James Tomlinson, farmer, lost twelve head of milch cows when they broke through the ice on Crow river and drowned. The loss has been placed at $1,200.

Time for Vare's Action Extended.

Washington—The senate committee investigating the 1926 primary campaign of William S. Vare of Pennsylvania decided to give the senator-elect an indefinite extension in which to present any argument in his own behalf that he or his attorneys may wish to bring up.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

WHEREAS, Default has been made hy the mortgagors in the conditions and covenants of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Peter Sabo and Inga Sabo, his wife, mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, bearing date the 2nd day of January, 1924, and, with a power of sale therein contained, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 2nd day of January, 1924, at three o'clock P. M., and duly recorded therein in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 117 thereof;

AND WHEREAS, Said default consists in the failure of said mortgagors to pay the sum of Twelve Dollars and twenty-two cents ($12.22), being the balance due and unpaid of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest which became due and payable on the 2nd day of July, 1927, and to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest, each amounting to One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents ($171.88), which became due and payable on the 2nd day of January, 1928, the 2nd day of July, 1928, and the 2nd day of January, 1929, in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and to keep the buildings on said mortgaged premises insured as stipulated in and hy the terms of said mortgage, in default of which the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, elected to and did on the 26th day of November, 1928, pay the sum of Twenty-two Dollars and fifty cents ($22.50) to effect such insurance, which default has continued to this date;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, and pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage and as authorized by law, the Department of Rural Credit, on behalf of the State of Minnesota, the mortgagee and owner and holder of said mortgage, has exercised and does hereby exercise its option to declare, and hereby does declare, the whole of the loan secured by said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith;

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payahle upon said mortgage, and the loan secured thereby, at the date of this notice, by reason of said election, the sum of Five Thousand One Hundred Ninety Dollars and eight cents ($5,190.08), unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from the 2nd day of January 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per centum per annum, and Five Hundred Twenty-seven Dollars and eighty-six cents ($527.88) amortized principal and interest, with interest on $12.22 thereof from July 9th, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, interest on $171.88 thereof from January 2nd, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, interest on $171.88 thereof from July 2nd, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, and interest on $171.88 thereof from January 2nd, 1929, at seven per centum per annum, in all the sum of Five Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-five Dollars and eleven cents ($5,765.11), including the amount paid for insurance, as aforesaid, with interest thereon at seven per cent. from said date of payment;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, the said power of sale contained in said mortgage has become and is operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured hy said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and covered hy said mortgage, situate, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-six (26), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made hy the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 25th day of February, 1929, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest hidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the deht then due on said mortgage, including said insurance paid as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and expenses allowed hy law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided hy law.

Dated January 9th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.

Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS,
Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
Helmer M. Feroe,
Assistant Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (J10-F14)

U. S. Curbs Cunard Mail.

New York—The Cunard liner Berengaria sailed for Europe with only such mail aboard as is specifically addressed for transportation by that ship. A postoffice bulletin announced mail for Europe, Africa and West Asia, via Cherhourg and Southampton, must be specifically addressed for the Berengaria, Andania and Ausonia in order to be forwarded on those ships. All three ships are owned hy the Cunard line, a British concern.

Court to Review Sinclair Case.

Washington—The Supreme Court has announced it will review the entire proceedings in the conviction of Harry F. Sinclair, oil man, for contempt of the senate naval leases investigating committee in refusing to answer questions. The case was set for argument February 18.

THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Black River chuch at 10:30 A. M., and in local church at 3:00 P. M.

Annual business meetings of the three congregations will be held as follows: Black River, Tuesday, Jan. 15 at 1:00 P. M.. St. Hilaire, Jan. 16 at 2:00 P. M., Clara church Jan. 17 at 2:00 P. M.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle. Pastor.

Sunday, Jan. 13. Services as follows:

St. Hilaire: Services at 11:00. A. M.

Clearwater at 2:00 P. M.

SWEDISH MISSION
Rev. C. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00 A. M All children should make it a point to be present.

St. Hilaire Methodist-Community Church
Rev. Edith Grays, pastor.

No services until further notice.

Radio Program, Jan, 12

Internationally prominent figures of the engineering, political and industrial world will be heard over the radio network of 40 stations of the National Broadcasting Company next Saturday evening starting at 8:00, in connection with dedication of the Great Northern Railway's new Cascade tunnel.

President-elect Herbert Hoover, Madam Ernestine Schumann-Heink world famous contralto, as well as voices of the greatest figures in the political, engineering and industrial world will be heard. Tune in on your favorate station Saturday evening and hear the wonderful program given in connection with the most modern achievement of its kind in the world, completion of eight miles of concrete tunnel thru the granite backbone of the Cascade mountain range.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Satterberg left Saturday for a visit with relatives at Minneapolis, and with friends in St. Paul.

Estray—A sorrel colt, age 3 years, strayed from my place near Dorothy about three weeks ago. Anyone having it in possession, or knowing its whereabouts, kindly notify

John Drees,
J-10-17 pd Dorothy, Minn.

U. S. and Canada Sign Falls Pact.

Washington—A treaty providing for joint action to increase and maintain the scenic beauty of Niagara Falls has heen signed by the United States and Canada, it is disclosed hy Secretary of State F. B. Kellogg. Under the convention, the two nations would share the cost of constructing remedial works in the Niagara river to increase the volume of water flowing over the American falls and to provide hetter distribution of the flow over the Canadian section of the cataract. This board estimated that the cost of remedial work would approximate $1,750,000.

To Construct Air Plane Radio Station.

La Crosse, Wis.—Work on the radio and heacon station at La Crose, Wis., which, together with a station in Minneapolis, will furnish radio weather reports to airplanes traveling between Chicago and the Twin Cities, will be started here soon, according to D. T. Stevens of the lighthouse division of the department of commerce.

Worker Dies in Seven-Story Fall.

Minneapolis—Rudolph Sollie, 23 years old, a laborer employed in the construction of the Rand Memorial building here, was fatally injured when he fell from the seventh story of the building to the sidewalk. He was taken to Asbury hospital, where he died, from injuries received.

Leaps Eleven Stories, but Still Lives.

New Orleans, La.—James R. Orr, who attempted to end his life by plunging from the eleventh floor of the Roosevelt hotel, is alive because he landed in a wire net stretched over a glass roof of the hotel lobby.

Air Tarvel to Cuba Increases.

Havana—Aerial travel between Cuba and the United States has increased greatly with the arrival here of a number of private planes carrying winter visitors to this country.

Thank You All

It would be putting it mildly to state the publisher is pleased over the number of renewals and new subscriptions received the past week. The number received exceeded our best expectation, and we are naturally gratified as a result. We take occassion to thank each and every one of those whose names appear herewith:

Joe Hauge, Frank Peterson, Mrs. S. Wieberg, Clarence Aubol, Mrs. A. Aubol, Joe Torstviet, Joe Patton, J. A. Hansen, A. Aug. Erickson, John Folstad, Mrs. N. C. Nyhagen, Mrs. O. A. Norquist, Mrs. C. E. Whaley, Mabana Grocery, Att'y Paul Lundgren, Chas. L. Kundert, Emil Just, Fred E. Rux, J. J. Larson, Ed Aubol, W. J. Swenson, John Norman, Mrs. A. P. Anderson, Anton Johnson, Herman Jepson, L. Gullickson, Mrs. K. O. Gigstad, Nels Johnson, Mrs. Henry Horsager, Oscar Haugen, Geo. Hanson, Karl Dalager, Hans Wilson, Walback Bros, H. L. Hanson, Henry Simonson, Aug. N. K. Anderson, David Johnson, G. H. Martz.

LOCALS

Mrs. Carrie Berglund is convalescing after being ill for a week or more.

Mrs. O. O. Maland is reported to be improving after a serious illness.

Miss Lee, one of the teachers here, returned Tuesday morning after spending the holidays with her parents in Wisconsin. She was snowbound for a day on return trip.

Simon Holmberg, who has charge of the sausage manufacturing department at Durbin's meat market, is moving his family down from Thief River Falls and will occupy the Hed residence, recently vacated by the Patenode family.

Word has been received from the Beebe family that they have arrived in the Rio Grande country in Texas. Its warm down there at this season; so warm as to be uncomfortable at times. They say fresh fruits are obtainable everywhere down there now.

For Sale: Nice shepard pups at $2.00 each. Mother is first class cattle dog. Call on

Philip Anderson,
R3 Red Lake Falls, Minn.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

State Planes May Go to Inauguration.

Minneapolis—Minnesota may send airplanes as well as a special train to Washington for the inaurgural ceremonies for President-elect Herbert Hoover March 4. Airplane companies operating here today received requests from Paul Henderson, special member of the parade committee of the inauguration committee, to send planes to Washington. Machines will he sent into the air at the same time to circle the capitol and double back and forth over the parade. Minnesota also is planning to have a special train for the inauguration.

10,000,000 Wheat Acres for Russia.

Los Angeles—The Times published an announcement hy Thomas D. Campbell of Hardin, Mont., and Pasadena, said to he America's largest wheat grower, that 10,000,000 acres of Soviet Russia plains are to be planted to wheat and flax with American machinery under his direction. After the selection of the vast acreage, Campbell said that more than $100,000,000 in American planting and harvesting machinery would he purchased for the work.

Man Held on "Moral" Murder Charge.

Canton, Ohio—Wilbur O. Heidman, 27 years old Lorain furnace salesman, is formally charged with the "moral murder" of his wife Margaret, 21 years old, whom he has named as the slayer of Bernard E. Fearn, Canton coal dealer. After two weeks of investigation of Heidman's story that his attractive young wife committed suicide after confessing that she killed Fearn, T. C. McQuate, Stark county coroner, filed an affidavit charging "moral murder" with Justice of the Peace Donald M. Smyth. McQuate said he based his charge against Haldman on a similarity in the conviction of D. C. Stephenson of Indianapolis, former Ku Klux Klan leader, of the death of Miss Madge Oberholtzer in 1925.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

WHEREAS, Default has been made by the mortgagors in the conditions and covenants of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John W. Denhart, also known as John William Denhart, and Ester Vidacy Denhart, his wife, mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1925, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 12th day of March, 1925, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded therein in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 309 thereof;

AND WHEREAS, Said default consists in the failure of said mortgagors to pay the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest, amounting to One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents, ($171.88), which became due and payable on the 16th day of August, 1928, in accordence with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and to keep the buildings on said mortgaged premises insured as stipulated in and hy the terms of said mortgage, in default of which the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, elected to and did on the 11th day of August, 1928, pay the sum of Twenty-two Dollars and fifty cents ($22.50) to effect such insurance, which default has continued to this date;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, and pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage and as authorized by law, the Department of Rural Credit, on behalf of the State of Minnesota, the mortgagee and owner and holder of said mortgage, has exercised and does hereby exercise its option to declare, and hereby does declare, the whole of the loan secured hy said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith;

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payahle upon said mortgage, and the loan secured therehy, at the date of this notice, hy reason of said election, the sum of Five Thousand Two Hundred Ninety-one Dollars and sixty-two cents ($5,291.62), unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from the 16th day of August, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per centum per annum, and One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents ($171.88) amortized principal and interest, together with interest thereon from the 16th day of August, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, in all the sum of Five Thousand Six Hundred One Dollars and seventy-eight cents ($5,601.78), including the amount paid for insurance, as aforesaid, with interest thereon at seven per cent. from said date of payment;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, the said power of sale contained in said mortgage has become and is operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and covered by said mortgage, situate, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼), and that fractional part of the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE¼ of SW¼), being and lying East of the Right of Way of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company, as the same is located over and across said Government Subdivision, all being in Section One (1), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 179 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 25th day of February, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest hidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and expenses allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 9th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,

Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
Helmer M. Feroe,
Assistant Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (J10-F14.)

Approval Given Without Debate.

Washington—Without discussion the Pan-American conference on arbitration and conciliation approved in plenary session drafts of multilateral arbitration and conciliation treaties which were approved hy their respective committees.

Part-Time Resident Must Pay Tax.

Minneapolis—A person living and voting in Minnesota, who owns a car which is in the state only a small part of the year must nevertheless buy a Minnesota state automobile license for that vehicle.

Continued Prosperity for Spain.

Madrid—Continued prosperity in Spain under the administration of Primo de Rivera is reflected in estimates for the national hudget of 19[illegible]. The estimates showed a surplus of about $16,000,000.

St. Paul, Minn.

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Winter Shows, Feb. 4-8

The Red River Valley Winter Shows and Northwest School Farmers' Week, northern Minnesota's premier winter event, will open at Crookston on February 4th and continue until evening of Feb. 8th.

Rural school spelling contests, Livestock judging, crops judging contests and many events of interest are on the program. The exhibits of farm crops and livestock of all kinds is expected to exceed that of any previous show. Men of national prominence in the dairying industry as well as other speakers of note, are on the speaking program.

Special trains will run on all lines leading into Crookston, for the big show. The train on this line will leave Warroad at 6:00 A. M., Wednesday, Feb. 6th arriving in Crookston before noon. Return train leaves after the evening program at 10:00 or shortly thereafter.

School Carnival, Jan. 25

The main feature of the program of the Carnival which is to be given Friday evening, January 25, at 7:30 at the school building, is Peanuts and Pennies, a musical play for boys, in three acts. This feature alone would be a treat for anyone, but there is also to be another by the school faculty which promises to be the best ever. Besides these two numbers, there will be other good features. There will also be some new kinds of booths which will be interesting to visit. The school extends a hearty welcome to everyone in the community to attend the carnival Friday evening, Jan. 25th.

Rev. E. B. Dahlstrom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dahlstrom of Sanders township, who is now pastor of a church at Berkeley, California., writes that he is enjoying the balmy climate in the land of "roses and sunshine." Altho' the weather there has been cold and wet the previous month, it was starting to warm up and everything was getting green. He sends greetings thru the columns of the Spectator to his numerous friends in the old home community.

A Great Northern bridge crew has been here this week putting in a new bridge across the little creek at south end of town, and making repairs on other bridges and culverts on this section of the road.

P. T. Meeting Postponed

Meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association which was to be held at the school building last Friday evening, was postponed because of severe cold weather and drifted condition of the roads which would have prevented many from attending.

Fine Poultry Show

One of the finest exhibitions of poultry ever shown in this section of the state was that at the twelfth annual show of the Pennington County Poultry Association at Thief River last week. Due to severe weather prevailing on days of the show, attendance from the rural districts was not as good as had been hoped for.

The Personal Property Tax List for Pennington County is published in this issue. Preserve your list for future reference. Its interesting to make comparisons of these lists for different years. Annual statement and Delinquent Tax List will be published in Spectator in the near future.

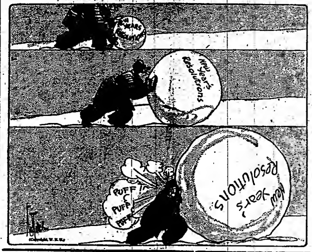
The county board in Roseau County has authorized a countywide tuberculin test of livestock which test will be made next spring. By midsummer Roseau county expects to be on the list of accredited counties.

Widespread acceptance of the Whippet and Willys-Knight models has enabled the Willys Overland Co. to expand its dealer organization nearly 20 percent the past year. New dealers have been added each month to handle the Company's aggressive production of 130,000 units during first three months of this year, and 300,000 the first six months. The snappy, new models have met with unprecendated reception everywhere, and shipemnts for January alone are expected to exceed 30,000 cars. Young & Erickson are local dealers for Whippet and Willys-Knight cars.

A little girl was burned to death, and an older sister so severely burned that little hope is held out for her recovery, in a fire which destroyed a farm home near Roosevelt last Thursday.

A later report stated the older sister had died as result of burns sustained.

The First Weeks Are the Easiest



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mrs. R. J. McKercher returned Tuesday morning after a visit with relatives at Grand Forks.

Johan Johnson was down Tuesday from Thief River for a brief visit with relatives and friends in this community.

Miss Grace Dahle has returned to her studies at Concordia College, Moorhead, after being delayed a week on account of illness.

Elias Melvie, manager of the creamery at Hazel, motored over yesterday for a brief visit with friends in the village.

"BUCK PRIVATES" A comedy riot built around the army of occupation, starring Lya De Putti and Malcolm McGregger. Here next Saturday and Sunday.

Wiley Ewing and family are recuperating after a recent attack of influenza, One of the Gothiea boys was called to do chores about the place while the family was ill.

Emil Christopherson left last week for his home at Cadallac, Sask, Canada., after spending several weeks at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Sam Thompson.

After spending a month here with his parents and other relatives, Elmer Loberg left Tuesday evening for his home at Endiang, Alta, Canada., where he and hrother, John, are engaged in farming.

Cash Cartier, superintendent of the Red River Power Company plant at Red Lake Falls, was up Tuesday setting a few meters and looking after other bnsiness for the company.

The annual ice harvest has started on the river at this place. The creamery here, that at Hazel, as well as quite a number of private parties are getting their next season supply from below the old raceway.

Ed Durbin motored Tuesday to Crookston to have repairs made on the body of his new Pontiac car which was damaged when the car tipped over while returning from a trip to International Falls.

A snowfall Thursday has blockaded many sideroads for auto traffic. Snowplows of the state high way department are keeping the trunk roads in passable condition, however, so that necessary auto traffic is not delayed.

H. A. Olsen installed a new electric ally operated radio set at the Blue Parrot Inn first of this week.

"BUCK PRIVATES" A smashing human comedy with a different twist. At the Imperial next Saturday and Sunday.

Peter Bergh was over during the week-end from his home at Plummer to look after business matters at his local hardware store.

The Barzen mill at Thief River, which has not been in operation for some time, is reported to be getting ready to operate again.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Satterberg returned Friday after spending a week at Minneapolis where Mr. Satterberg attended the state convention of the Minnesota farm implement dealers.

To Ice Users: All persons wishing ice packed, or for washing purposes and asked to communicate with the the undersigned at once as cutting will be discontinued next week.
C. A. Halverson.

A new set of library books has been received at the Spectator office this week. Due to amount of detail work connected with handling these hooks, no hooks will be issued hereafter except on Fridays and Saturdays.

It is reported here that federal prohibition agents had a very fruitful raid on illicit liquor dealers at Thief River Falls last week-end. It is said about twenty different parties are in toils of the law as result of the roundup.

John D. Porter and two friends motored over Sunday from Bemidji to look after matters in connection with the local branch of the Porter Auto Sales. They returned home the same day.

Butter output at the creamery for 1928 exceeded that of the previous year by more than 10,000 lbs. This despite the fact that a number of patrons were unable to haul here a good part of the season because of poor road conditions.

Simon Holmberg brot his wife and son down last week-end from Thief River Falls and they are now nicely settled in the Hed residence in north part of town. Mr. Holmberg is to have charge of the sausage manufacturing department at Durbin's meat market this year.

New Mill For Warroad

A new felspar mill, the first of its kind in this section of the country, is being built this winter at Warroad. The mill will grind feldspar which will be taken from huge deposits discovered on an island near that city. Feldspar and by products obtained from it, are used in the manufacture of electric insulating materials of different kinds. From 20 to 30 men will be employed at the mine during the season in getting out enough raw material to keep the mill running night and day thruout the year. The mill will employ from 10 to 12 men the year round.

Lose At Crookston

The High School basketeers motored Saturday evening to Crookston and played a game with the Cathedral team of that city, losing by a score of 25 to 8. The game was better played than the score indicated as the local lads had many chances at the hoop but played in hard luck most of the time. The boys all reported having a fine time even if they had to be satisfied with the short end of score.

Bemidji reported having nearly a foot of snow last week. Considerable snow has fallen in the woods area north of there but the swamps are unfrozen in many places which makes it difficult to take out timber.

Easter comes unusually early this year and those who have faith in the old saying, "Early Easter, early spring" are looking forward to an early breakup.

BOIL IT DOWN

IF YOU'VE got a thing that's happy,
Boil it down!
Make it short and crisp and snappy,
Boil it down!
When your brain its coin has minted,
Down the page your pen has sprinted,
If you want your effort printed,
Boil it down!

Take out every surplus letter,
Boil it down!
Fewer syllables the better,
Boil it down!
Make your meaning plan—express it
So we'll know, not merely guess it;
Then, my friend, ere you address it,
Boil it down!

Cut out all the extra trimmings,
Boil it down!
Skim it well, then skim the skimmings,
Boil it down!
When you're sure 'twould be a sin to
Cut another sentence in two,
Send it on and we'll begin to
Boil it down! —Selected

Dies After Operation

Word was received here this week of the death of Gus Hofgren which occured either Saturday or Sunday at a Minneapolis hospital following an operation for mastoid trouble. No details except the above, are obtainable at this time. Mr. Hofgren will be recalled by many people here as he and wife (Gertrude Hooper) have visited here several times at her parental home, their last visit being that of last summer. They have for several years resided at Minneapolis.

Heartfelt sympathy of numerous friends in St. Hilaire and vicinity is extended to Mrs. Hofgren in her sad loss.

Pageant Well Attended

The pageant and movie show given yesterday afternoon and last evening by the 4H Club, was favored with good attendance at both performances. The young folks had their parts well learned, and are to be commended for putting on such a fine performance, the first of its kind to be given here by the Club.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. M. Palmgren was recovering after a long illness.

—XXV—

G. W. Cunningham drove in from his home at Peasoup Island to transact some business.

—XXV—

Dr. A. F. Blomburgh went to Minneapolis to spend a few days with friends.

—XXV—

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Rolland went to Crookston for a visit at the Miller home and with other relatives.

—XXV—

D. B. Larson was here from Halstad to look after matters at the Bramsness farm which he bought that week.

—XXV—

Anton Anderson returned from Fosston where he had several teams unloading sewer pipe for the new sewer system that town was putting in the following spring.

—XXV—

Ole Opperud traded his store building, fixtures and stock of confectionery to Julins Pleth for a quarter of land in Black township.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beebe and children, who have spent the past few weeks at Mercedes, Texas., are reported to have terminated their stay and started out for home.

The Spectator, $1.50 a year.

Starting Out Right

Almost everyone starts a new year by making some sort of resolution. The new year always holds out hope, and prospects look better.

Resolve right now to save a part of what you earn. Its the best insurance for the future you can obtain. Our savings department is willing and ready to help you.

Merchants State Bank

St. Hilaire - - Minnesota

Over The Top

Resolve to help your creamery do the largest volume of business in its history, this year.

Haul your cream to it—boost for it whenever opportunity offers, and induce your neighbors to join. Every dollar, less operating expenses, made by the creamery is paid to its patrons. If you are not a shareholder arrange to buy one or more shares, and help your neighbors boost for the community's biggest asset—the creamery.

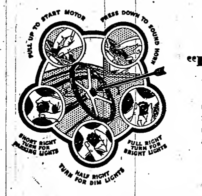
St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n

St. Hilaire, Minn.

IN THE SPOTLIGHT AT THE NEW YORK SHOW

THE NEW SUPERIOR **Whippet**

WORLD'S GREATEST SEDAN VALUES!



WITH THE NEW "FINGER-TIP CONTROL"

The greatest advance in driving convenience since the self-starter. A single button in the center of the steering wheel, controls all functions of starting the motor, sounding the horn and operating the lights.

WITH all its many improvements, with its greater beauty, longer wheelbase, larger body, new "Finger-Tip Control" and higher compression engine, the Superior Whippet Four Sedan is still the world's lowest-priced four-door enclosed car.

And the new Superior Whippet Six Sedan is the world's lowest-priced six-cylinder four-door enclosed car to offer the important advantages of seven-bearing crankshaft, "Finger-Tip Control," silent timing chain, full force-feed lubrication and Nelson type aluminum alloy invar-strut pistons.

Never have Fours and light Sixes been distinguished by such beauty and style as are now winning nation-wide praise for the new Superior Whippet with its longer bodies, higher radiator and hood, and sweeping one-piece full crown fenders.

See and carefully examine the new Superior Whippet Fours and Sixes without delay. Learn fullest automobile values! An immediate order will aid in early delivery.

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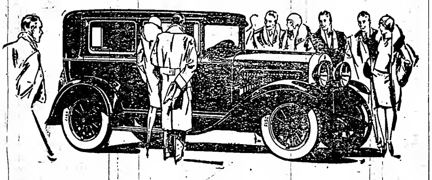
WHIPPET 4 SEDAN **$595** WHIPPET 6 SEDAN 7-Bearing Crankshaft **$760**

Whippet 4 Coach, $535; Coupe, $535; Roadster, $485; Touring, $475; Commercial Chassis, $365. Whippet 6 Coach, $695; Coupe, $695; Coupe (with rumble seat), $725; Sport DeLuxe Roadster, $850 (including rumble seat and extras). All Willys-Overland prices f. o. b. Toledo, Ohio, and specifications subject to change without notice.



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ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

Personal Property Tax List For 1928

VILLAGE OF ST. HILAIRE

Total Tax Rate by School Districts
School District No. 102, Rate in Mills 84.8
(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 36 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Allen, H. R.	$ 305	$ ——	$ 43.34
Baako, Geo.	23	500	4.77
Benoit, Nels	40	——	5.68
Bergh, P. E.	814	750	117.92
Bjerk, M. E.	90	——	12.79
Brink, V. G.	285	——	46.50
Burkee, C. Mrs.	25	——	3.55
Burkee, E. O.	30	——	4.20
Camp, Otto	20	——	2.84
Carlson Merc. Co. Inc.	1800	——	255.78
Carpenter, L. I.	23	——	3.27
Central Lumber Co.	1990	——	282.78
Durbin, Ed.	254	——	36.09
Eliason, John	10	——	1.42
Erickson, Ed.	10	——	1.42
Erickson, G. M.	105	——	14.02
Fricker, Mike	15	——	2.13
Gilgstad, "Estate"	94	——	13.36
Gunstad, O.	140	——	20.75
Hagglund, E. O.	309	——	43.91
Hage, M. R.	10	——	1.42
Hagstrom, A. P.	25	——	3.55
Hanson, Art.	20	——	2.84
Hanson, H. F.	52	——	7.39
Hanson, J. A.	205	——	29.13
Hauge, Oscar	78	1000	14.08
Hendrickson, Eliza	50	——	7.10
Hendrickson, Art.	30	——	4.26
Highland, Mike	71	——	10.06
Hoff, S. M.	59	——	8.38
Hooper, G. W.	123	——	17.48
Huff, C. R.	193	——	27.42
I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 147	60	——	8.53
Jackson, M. H.	692	300	99.23
Just, Emil	35	——	4.97
Johnson, O. C.	69	——	9.80
Kolstad, K. A.	34	——	4.83
Larson, A. J. Mrs.	20	3000	11.84
Larson Bros.	1816	800	259.00
Loberg, L. A.	57	——	8.10
Mantz, Anna Mrs.	109	——	15.49
Molstad, C.	20	——	2.84
Nash, Albert	15	——	2.13
Nelson, A. F. Rev.	38	——	5.46
Nelson, N. A., "Estate"	215	——	30.55
Olson, H. A.	102	500	15.99
Olson, Wm.	85	——	12.08
Olson, Anna Mrs.	28	——	3.98
Paquin, Joe	80	——	11.37
Patterson, A. L. Mrs.	60	——	8.53
Patterson, N. E.	45	——	6.39
Peterson, Anna Mrs.	10	——	1.42
Peterson, Ed.	31	——	4.41
Pierson, B. H.	20	——	2.81
Poppler Piano Co.	80	——	11.37
Porter, J. D.	248	500	36.74
Red Lake Falls Mills. Co.	1046	350	151.00
Red River Power Co.	1000	450	143.46
Roy, J. S.	63	3000	17.65
Roy, Paul	35	——	4.67
Satterberg, A.	63	——	8.65
Sherva, O. Mrs.	10	——	1.42
Simonson, Peter	19	——	2.70
Skatrud, T. M.	38	——	5.40
Sletvedt, Ole	10	——	1.42
Standard Oil Company	1295	——	184.02
St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Ass'n.	850	1250	124.54
Sundholm, Enock	667	250	95.53
Swanson, Peter	15	2000	8.13
Wilson, Hans	99	——	14.67
White Eagle Oil Co.	50	——	7.11
Young & Erickson	45	100	6.70
C. Roe Grain Co. (Grain Tax $2.84)	1060	700	155.57
Hallstrom, P. A.		1000	3.00
Pearson, Sam		1000	3.00
Jackson, H. O.	24	——	3.41

VILLAGE OF GOODRIDGE

Total Tax Rate by School Districts
School District No. 8, Rate in Mills 92.6
(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 36 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, M. M.	$ 52	$ 100	$ 9.55
Anderson, Sever	636	200	167.11
Aarnass, Claudia	15	1000	5.67
Barzen, Math Company (Grain Tax $2.51)	100	——	20.36
Bridgeman & Russell	20	——	3.56
Christianson, H. & Son	1170	500	209.64
Christianson, Halvor	51	——	9.07
Christianson, Carl	43	——	7.65
Duluth Creamery Produce Co.	20	——	3.56
Erickson, Joe E.	80	——	14.23
Edseth, Carl	55	——	6.73
Frodahl, H. P.	33	100	6.17
Goodridge Mercantile Company	2837	1200	508.36
Gilbertson, Theo.	44	100	8.13
Goodridge Farmer Elev. Company (Grain Tax $1.74)	1276	2500	235.17
Goodridge Co-op. Cream. Company Ass'n.	810	1000	147.10
Hanson & Barzen Mill. Company	1200	——	213.48
Halvorson, Albert	88	400	16.80
Johnson, George	8	700	3.70
Kately, Emary	30	——	5.34
Kirkle, O. S.	66	——	11.74
Lindstrom, Ella	83	——	14.70
Linstrom, C. F.	165	——	20.35
McLeod, V. C.	81	——	14.41
McDonald, R. H.	48	——	8.54
Mandt, A. B.	274	1000	51.74
Manhattan Oil Co.	40	——	7.12
North American Cream. Company	20	——	3.56
Olson, Owen A.	30	——	5.33
Payne, Jay	55	100	10.68
Peterson, E. L.	65	——	16.66
Rod, H. I.	183	——	32.56
Robertson Lumber Co.	714	——	127.62
Smith, D. E.	13	100	2.01
Singer, Stephen	1061	——	188.75
Stephenson, C. O.	25	——	4.45
Sundquist, J. A.	594	200	106.27
Standard Oil Co.	756	——	134.46
Tessum Seed. & Grain Co.	190	——	33.80
Tellefson, Agnes	236	——	42.52
Thoreson, M. G.	40	——	8.18
Wold, Geo.	31	200	8.11
White Eagle Oil Co.	40	——	7.12
Gulman, Even		100	.30
Habedank, Ben F.		700	2.10
McEnelly, J. A.		1000	3.00
Tellefson, Henry		100	.36
Tharoldson, Salva		200	.66

Mr. Henry Sandberg called at the Clarence Roese home Sunday evening.

Dr. Bowers of Thief River was called to the H. Finstad home on Saturday due to the illness of Mrs. Finstad.

Mesdames Morris Johnson, Lloyd Johnson and Erling Johnson of Thief River visited at the Odegaard home this week.

Dr. Froelich of Thief River was called to the Nels Nelson home Sunday for Mrs. Nelson who has had the "flu."

Mrs. John Wolden and son, Richard, who has been visiting for some time at the Hans Frederickson home, spent Monday night at the Odegaard home. They returned Tuesday morning to their home at Minneapolis.

Crab Apples and Potato Bugs

By EDGAR T. MONFORT

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THE yearnings always grew worse in spring. The sight of young green leaves on a tree brought a lump in her throat for it reminded her of other trees—a yard full of them and back of the yard an apple orchard that looked so daintily festive at this season. She knew, too, that there would be serenely clucking hens followed by fluffy chicks running through the young weeds in the apple orchard. And in the gray, old weather-beaten barn, back in a corner of the hayloft, a softly purring mother cat with two or three kittens sprawling and tumbling over her.

With a gesture of impatience Maryann Nelson dabbed at the stinging tears that would come into her eyes and spill down her cheeks. As she looked up from her typewriter and out the window across a sooty roof she saw the topmost tip of an elm tree in all the lacy daintiness of its early spring frock. The branches swayed gently to the rhythm of a breeze she could not feel and the pastel green of the leaves seemed to defy the dirt and dust of the big city.

It had been five years since Maryann had seen spring in the country and the worst was, she reflected bitterly, she had not appreciated its beauty before moving to town. Already bored with life, as soon as she had finished high school she had persuaded her parents to let her take a business course and get a position. She was not needed on the farm and there was nothing there that she liked to do at the time.

"When a girl's got her head and heart set on doing something she doesn't get any satisfaction out of life till she's tried it," Mr. Nelson had said wisely enough.

So they let her go without protest or ill feeling and she, determined to conquer the world, had set out in high spirits. Up to that time homesickness was to her merely a word to be found in the dictionary under H, but she soon developed an intimacy with it and its heart-breaking symptoms that put a shadow in the deep blue eyes and made her wish that cities had never been.

Her parents wrote regularly, letters full of happenings on the farm, always with a postscript of apology: "I know this won't interest you, but there isn't much else to write about." And she, to whom every detail was a bitter-sweet stab, would sigh as she read the letters, "It takes contrast to make one appreciate things," she mused, "but so often you can't go back."

"Can you tell me where I can find the A. F. Jones account? It isn't in the file where it belongs."

Maryann was brought out of her reverie by the sound of Bill Scott's voice and a quick flush overspread her face as she dropped her head to hide the tear that she knew was still loafing guiltily on her cheek—one round, telltale drop of woe.

"Maryann, you've been crying," he accused in a voice resonant with sympathy. "What's the matter?"

But Maryann shook her head and tried to swallow the lump that was rising in her throat again. How could she tell him why she had been weeping when he did not even know that she had ever lived in the country? Somehow, she had always felt ashamed of it—and hated herself for being ashamed. But there was something so distinctly urban about this well-built, well-dressed coworker of hers; the very way he held his cigarette, the way he walked—everything he did reeked of the city.

"Let's go somewhere tonight," he begged. "I got a letter this morning that has upset me and yet I believe it'll be the best in the end. I want to talk it over with you. I need your help and advice."

Maryann was so weary that evening that she had planned not to primp for Bill, but habit is a strong thing and she found herself getting ready with the same happy anticipation she had always experienced. She enjoyed looking her prettiest for Bill.

"It's just this way," he told her, dropping down on the divan beside her. "I got a letter from mother this morning and she says dad's not very well and she feels I ought to come home. It was hard as the dickens at first, but I've faced the thing out and it doesn't seem to me that I'll ever make a success as a business man. Six years ago I started in as a bookkeeper and—I'm still a bookkeeper. And here, I've got nearly two hundred pounds of brawn and muscle and I use these fingers on my right hand. That's all it takes to be a bookkeeper. No, I see it now. I was never intended for a business man. I'm going out to the farm, Maryann. Dad bought a place three years ago when the doctors ordered him to the country. And the only regret I have—is you. I'd—hoped some day. Oh, well, you know—but you'd never be happy in the country."

It was then that Maryann did a surprising thing. Quite boldly and ecstatically she flung her arms around his neck and crept up close to the two hundred pounds of brawn and muscle.

"Just leave me behind if you dare!" she whispered. "I bet you don't know a crab apple from a potato bug, but I can show you a thing or two."

Didn't Finish

The old wise man who wrote: "Know thyself," should have added: "And know others as you know thyself."—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

Careful Bus Driver Was Taking No Risk

The route of the bus line crossed a railroad track in a Massachusetts town, which extended about one block in either direction from this point. The rest of the track had been long since removed.

The bus driver, an old grizzled resident, had made the trip twice each day for the last eight years. Never, in his career as a bus driver, had he neglected to stop at the point where the railroad had crossed the path of the bus.

A traveling salesman, forced upon the neighborhood against the wishes of both, was a passenger one day on the bus when the driver made his usual stop at the crossing. The salesman was in a hurry and was exasperated at the snail's pace of the bus. This unnecessary waste of time made him wrathy.

"Say!" he shouted to the driver, "what's the idea? There can't be any trains on that track?"

"Well, just the same," explained the driver, stolidly, "there's been a lot of people killed with empty guns."

Famous Adventurer

Cagliostro's real name was Guiseppe Balsamo. This Italian was born at Palermo June 8, 1743, and died at St. Leon, Italy, August 26, 1795. He entered the Order of Brothers of Mercy, where he received training in medical science. As he showed a love of dissipation, he was compelled to separate from the order. He assumed the name Count Cagliostro and traveled through Europe, and by his chemical mixtures and tricks gained sums of money. In 1789 he returned to Rome. Here he busied himself about Freemasonry but, being discovered, was condemned to imprisonment for life as a Freemason and a heretic. He died after five years' imprisonment.

Radio From Body

Almost every one has had the strange experience of "feeling the presence" of some person in a room when that person was out of sight and hearing. Two Munich professors have made discoveries which may help explain the mystery, says Popular Science Monthly. The skin, they have found, holds an electrical charge, as if connected with a hidden battery. By delicate radio instruments they claim to have discovered that our bodies send forth electrical emanations which can be detected six feet away.

South River Falls

Edgar and Arthur Peterson visited at the A. Aug. Erickson home on Sunday.

School reopened in the Riverside school January 14 after a three weeks vacation.

Horace Dalager who attends school in St. Hilaire spent the week-end at the home of his parents.

Roads are blocked and people are forced to resort to the sleighs.

Thorstien Walseth, Edgar Lloyd and Arthur Peterson visited at the Erickson home on Monday.

Donald and Marion Thyren and Maurice and Cyrus Peterson visited at the L. Pederson home on Sunday.

HAZEL NEWS

Miss Laura Engen returned to her home near Thief River Falls on Friday evening after sewing for one week at the Adrian Anderson and Ole Odegaard home.

Ole Odegaard was a business caller at Thief River on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Denhart visited at the Clarence Roese home Tuesday evening.

Miss Myrtle Dahl of Thief River Falls came Tuesday and will be employed at the Ed Knutson home.

Miss Ruth Seeland resumed her teaching in the Washington school after a three week vacation.

Mrs. Nels Johnson returned to St. Hilaire on Wednesday after a spending two weeks at the Ole Odegnard home caring for her daughter Eliza Hendrickson, who has been ill with pneumonia.

Mr. Theo. Prestby was a caller at the Erling and Carl Prestby homes on Tuesday.

Annie Anderson and Beatrice Lokken returned to St. Hilaire on Sunday after spending the week-end at their parental homes.

Mr. John Johnson of Thief River Falls was a caller at the A. Alberg home, Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Seeland and daughter, Ruth, autoed to Thief River Falls on Thursday, where they shopped and visited with friends.

Miss Anna Melvie visited at the Ole Odegaard home Thursday evening.

Alex Rasmusson, T. Prestby and W. Denhart visited at the Carl Prestby home on Wednesday evening.

Mesdames A. Anderson, Nels Nelson and O. Seeland called at the Ole Odegaard home on Monday.

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Pennington County Personal Property Tax List for 1928

TOWN OF BRAY

Total Tax Rats by School Districts

School District No. 7, Rate in Mills 6.
School District No. 69, Rate in Mills 6.8
School District No. 66, Rate in Mills 11.6
School District No. 146, Rate in Mills 8.3
School District No. 180, Rate in Mills 10.2

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Akerlund, E. J.	$ 546	$ 3000	33.35
Behnke, John F.	204	—	8.42
Dahlen, August	203	—	7.69
Hanson, Halvor	288	600	13.89
Hawkinson, Harry	260	—	10.74
Hegstrom, A. P.	305	2000	18.60
Johnson, Iver A. H.	476	—	19.66
Langelette, A. D.	22	—	.86
Larson, Emil	538	1000	23.22
Lindblom, Henry	66	—	3.96
Lindblom, Annie	97	—	4.01
Lindquist, G. A.	279	—	11.52
Lindquist, C. A.	714	—	27.00
Lindquist, Glenn	81	—	3.07
Luttmer L. D. & H. G.	773	—	26.30
Lindblom, Peter	368	900	17.90
Nelson, C. A.	436	—	17.05
Odelin, Halvor	69	—	2.72
Olson, Carolina	310	—	13.33
Olson, Walter	37	—	1.53
Olson, S. N.	310	—	12.80
Person, Christ	402	4000	29.51
Rux, Rueben R.	227	—	6.00
Sandry, D. D.	694	—	27.13
Schalz, N. P.	537	—	22.18
Schalin, August	321	—	12.17
Schalin, Victor	299	—	11.33
Schalin, John	330	—	13.27
Selms, Herbert	143	—	5.56
Slack, G. E.	241	—	6.42
Stromberg, John	23	—	.95
Swanson, John O.	276	600	13.80
Wood, Melvin H.	351	—	13.36
Lindbloom, Annie		1800	5.40

TOWN OF BLACK RIVER

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 1, Rate in Mills 21.1
School District No. 43, Rate in Mills 7.
School District No. 94, Rate in Mills 11.1
School District No. 102, Rate in Mills 84.8
School District No. 108, Rate in Mills 13.7
School District No. 227, Rate in Mills 24.6

(Rats of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Almquist, J. A.	$ 138	$ —	$ 17.24
Adolfson, Claus	255	—	13.00
Anderson, Felix	360	—	15.67
Anderson, Albert	233	—	11.03
Dreeland, James	265	—	16.22
Erickson Bros.	460	—	23.60
Erickson, Hannah	109	—	5.12
Erickson, Andrew	284	—	14.54
Holmes, Edith	115	—	14.36
Hartjl, W. C.	131	—	10.36
Holmes, Harold	76	—	6.74
Holmes, O. A.	120	—	10.11
Hallstrom, A. G.	344	—	17.61
Harbott, Fred	46	—	2.30
Harbott, Dan	06	—	5.07
Harbott, Emil	00	—	4.61
Jacobson, Henry	03	77	.60
Johnson, L. M.	201	—	13.30
Landman, Fred	300	—	24.42
Lundberg, Peter	333	—	41.59
Maren, Ed.	182	1000	12.32
McKercher, R. J.	877	—	100.54
Novak, Wm.	770	—	36.69
Parson, Emil	266	—	15.26
Rosette, Lars	151	—	16.86
Rotzler, I. A.	383	—	19.61
Sauer, Ross	328	—	10.79
Steigen, John	238	—	12.19
Svenson, Mons	125	—	15.01
Stark, Axel	146	—	18.24
Swanson, Axel	260	—	14.85
Schmitz, Crispu	284	—	14.51
Schneider, Charley	146	—	7.57
Wahlbeck, Selmer	206	—	13.66
Walton, Chas.	176	—	21.08
Walton, C. E.	56	—	0.69
Erickson, Axel		140	.44

TOWN OF CLOVER LEAF

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 6, Rate in Mills 62.6
School District No. 15, Rate in Mills 41.
School District No. 44, Rate in Mills 26.2
School District No. 46, Rate in Mills 3.3
School District No. 66, Rate in Mills 8.4

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, Gus	$ 144	$ —	$ 10.47
Anderson, Iver	183	—	10.60
Brownlee, D. G.	67	—	6.32
Fuller, C. H.	280	—	9.80
Gangness, John	171	—	21.26
Holmen, Ole	278	—	0.64
Hruby, Franciska	55	—	1.63
Hruby, Joe	111	—	3.80
Hruby, J. E.	144	—	5.04
Hanson & Barzen Milling Company Grain Tax $55	1465	—	107.00
Kotlan, Anton	210	—	12.88
Larson, Torjus	248	—	6.86
Miller, E. N.	409	—	10.40
McLeod, Stuart	440	—	54.09
North American Cream Company	17	—	1.24
Oski, Andrew	36	—	2.62
Oski, Joe	229	400	17.84
Ptacek, Joseph	328	—	11.48
Pommerenke, E. H.	269	—	19.56
Sabo, Peder	487	—	10.53
Swanjord, Aslak	157	—	9.66
Stageberg, Oscar	255	—	16.54
Sanders, Emil	249	—	18.10
Schantzen, F. J.	107	—	6.20
Svensgaard, Karen	359	—	12.57
Skaar, T. J.	220	—	7.70
Sandum, Gilbert	766	—	58.61
Thompson, Tom	382	—	47.48
Thompson, C. T.	300	—	37.29
Thief River Falls Cream Ass'n.	30	—	2.18
Wahlberg, Olaf	216	—	6.64
Seichter, J. F.	190	—	11.00
Zacher, Paul	79	—	5.74
Schel, J. M.		400	1.26

TOWN OF DEER PARK

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 10, Rate in Mills 24.0
School District No. 34, Rate in Mills 8.7
School District No. 47, Rate in Mills 14.2
School District No. 52, Rate in Mills 10.5
School District No. 58, Rate in Mills 11.3

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, Berget	$ 167	$ —	$ 6.85
Bolstad, Jens Mrs.	284	—	12.38
Dahle, Ole	328	—	14.30
Elsbrener, John	278	—	13.57
Gran, Halvor	177	—	7.26
Gunderson, John	201	—	12.74
Gustafson, Pete	441	—	21.52
Glsselquist, Ole Mrs.	240	—	11.71
Helle, Daniel	137	—	5.97
Haugen, Hazel	150	—	8.15
Hofstad, Gunder	228	—	11.13
Haugen, Olof	129	—	5.29
Johnson, Anton	161	200	7.23
Kazmark, Max	37	—	1.81
Lundeen, Osmund	133	—	5.45
Lundeen, Frank	546	300	27.54
Langlie, A. Mrs.	161	—	7.86
Loftus, Oscar	203	—	9.91
Legvold, Ole	128	—	6.25
Lindtvedt, Knut	193	200	10.02
Lindtvedt, Talak	223	300	11.78
Mandt, Osmund	673	—	27.59
Myrum, Halvor	287	—	14.01
Nesland, Ole	454	—	19.79
Nessen, Christ	54	—	2.64
Olson, Knut	285	—	11.69
Peterson, John	543	400	27.70
Qualy, Grunde	114	—	6.52
Rodman, Will	375	—	16.35
Rodman, James	200	—	11.34
Rustan, Ed.	194	—	8.46
Radack, James	167	—	6.85
Rodniski, John	648	—	31.62
Rome, Tom	128	—	8.25
Rensla, Erick	327	—	15.96
Syrtvedt, Ole	459	—	20.61
Singer, Geo. Mrs.	483	—	19.80
Singer, Lewis	104	—	4.26
Singer, Will	40	—	1.64
Syversrud, Elizabeth	206	—	8.45
Sigurdson, Sigrud	257	—	16.54
Syzmanski, Ben	373	—	15.29
Stolaas, Mrs. Sjalr	146	—	6.06
Stucy, Otto	502	—	23.34
Stolaas, Olaf	238	—	9.76
Lofthus, Tom		1600	4.80
Johnson, Martin		500	1.50
Lindtvedt, Gunder		400	1.20

VILLAGE OF GOODRIDGE

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 6, Rate in Mills 92.6
School District No. 60, Rate in Mills 8.4
School District No. 228, Rate in Mills 40.3

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Akin, L. M.	$ 451	$ —	$ 56.10
Belland, Tom	61	500	1.62
Graver, O. H.	07	200	1.47
Hanson, Edwin	147	—	18.28
Hanson, Eddie	88	—	8.40
Hay, J. H.	224	—	27.86
Iverson, Casper	303	—	45.15
J. V. Sheep & Wool Co. "C. N. Urdahl"	59	—	7.34
J. V. Sheep & Wool Co.	208	—	33.34
Kellog, Grace B.	245	—	30.47
Kusmak, John	296	—	37.07
Lien, Henry	392	—	28.26
Lovly, Peter	194	—	24.13
Markuson, Arnie	132	—	16.42
McEnelly, Guy	233	—	28.99
McEnelly, John	224	—	27.87
Mutnansky, M. A.	317	—	39.43
Nelson, Catherine A.	104	—	12.94
Nelson, Theo.	24	—	2.98
Paskewitz, R. R.	34	—	4.22
Stomlien, Lars	280	—	34.83
Thompson, Ole	17	—	.68
Urdahl, Nicoly	180	—	22.39
Urdahl, O. N.	407	—	58.09
Vaughan, Morgan	488	—	60.71
Vaughan, Sarah	15	—	1.87
Zavoral, Albert	15	—	1.87
Larson, Casper		100	.36

TOWN OF HICKORY

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 3, Rate in Mills 43.1
School District No. 0, Rate in Mills 21.3
School District No. 10, Rate in Mills 24.9
School District No. 65, Rate in Mills 33.5
School District No. 07, Rate in Mills 30.2

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Arverson, Albin	$ 277	$ 350	$ 22.02
Arverson, Arthur	215	—	15.57
Arntson, John	360	1000	26.24
Arveson, Eddie	288	—	21.80
Bjornaraa, Bj.	350	—	22.51
Bjerklee, Peder E.	368	—	23.37
Clementson, Carl	229	—	16.58
Christianson, Olive	301	—	27.33
Cvan, John	86	—	8.50
Coan, Barth	120	—	9.08
Dahl, Jos. A.	212	—	18.08
Florence, Thomas	6	—	.58
Fore, Martin	178	—	15.18
Hanson, Anlang,	163	—	13.97
Hendrom, Ole	304	—	25.03
Hanson, Bennie A.	259	—	10.45
Halvorson, Theodore	106	—	12.45
Hanson, Gilbert	346	—	25.20
Halvorson, Elick	157	—	13.89
Haugan, Arnold	32	—	2.73
Hauge, Severt H.	107	1000	12.13
Hanson, H. T.	417	100	26.76
Halvorson, Henry	320	—	27.30
Jazdzyk, John	145	—	10.50
Johnson, Erick	110	—	6.99
Johnson, John O.	16	—	1.86
Jasefson, Arne	339	—	21.53
Korupp, L. H.	368	—	27.86
Kolshus, Gunder	25	—	1.51
Lewis, Tom	94	—	7.12
Larson Bros	124	200	8.47
Lenvik, Osval	183	—	15.61
Mostrom, Gust	57	—	4.13
Martinson, Walter	89	—	8.74
Mostrom, John	470	—	40.09
Mostrom, Alfred	21	—	1.79
Mostrom Elmer	31	—	2.64
Nelson, Ole M.	66	—	4.43
Nelson, Olaf	175	100	11.40
Onsgaard, A. J.	362	—	24.29
Olson, Julius	81	—	4.42
Oftelie, E. H.	59	—	3.96
Rindahl, Ole	203	—	13.62
Rindahl, Ben	209	—	15.13
Oftelie, H. E.	158	—	10.47
Savage, Frank	183	—	13.25
Stucy, Ed.	305	100	22.08
Sannes, Sarah	168	30-G.	10.84
Sordal, John O.	777	—	56.25
Skomedal, Thor.	132	—	11.26
Tasa, T. A.	315	—	21.14
Thompson, T. E.	326	—	22.01
Tveltbak, Bjorn	365	—	31.13
Thompson, Christ	233	—	15.64

VILLAGE OF HIGHLANDING

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 34, Rate in Mills 8.7
School District No. 37, Rate in Mills 6.7
School District No. 38, Rate in Mills 15.5
School District No. 47, Rate in Mills 14.2
School District No. 50, Rate in Mills 18.
School District No. 66, Rate in Mills 8.4

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Aubol, A. O.	$ 306	$ —	$ 15.21
Appelman, M.	344	—	17.54
Bakken, Synova	58	—	2.96
Dahle, Knut	369	—	18.34
Erickson, Math	62	—	3.16
Ellingson, C. A.	457	200	19.89
Eliason, Henry	386	—	20.65
Fimrit, A.	458	—	22.78
Forst, John	128	—	6.85
Giving, Arndt	110	—	5.60
Giving, Ole Jr.	27	—	1.38
Gunstenson, Gunsy	196	1650	18.24
Giving, Engeborg	198	—	10.59
Hower, Sophia	413	—	20.53
Homme Bros.	260	—	12.92
Hanson, Henry	191	—	9.49
Hedeen, E. W.	256	—	10.80
Hamn, Theo.	344	—	14.52
Hamn, Mabel	71	—	3.00
Homme, John T.	200	—	9.94
Halvorson, P. C.	348	—	18.62
Horachek, Anton	425	—	22.74
Halvorson, Oscar	314	—	16.80
Helgeson, Arthur	194	—	9.89
Hammerstein, Alfred	298	—	12.58
Hjelle, Christ	379	—	15.99
Hanson, Justin	273	—	14.61
Hanson, A. W.	342	—	18.30
Jenson, E.	333	—	16.55
Johnson, Anton	731	—	30.85
Johnson, A. Z.	95	—	4.84
Johnson, John M.	263	—	13.41
Kolestrand, D. A.	284	—	14.12
Kveste, Ben K.	293	—	14.56
Kjos, Herman A.	30	—	1.49
Kjos, Carl A.	445	—	22.12
Kerbechek, John	340	—	18.19
Korstad, Ed.	567	150	24.38
Myrom, Anna	483	—	20.38
Nelson, Ola	199	—	10.15
Nelson, Louise	315	—	15.66
Nestebo, Trobjor	177	—	6.80
Overwold, G. O.	115	—	4.85
Overwold, Ole O.	79	—	3.33
Peterson, Clarence E.	189	—	9.64
Rustebak, Ole	211	—	6.90
Refsnes, Peder	152	—	6.41
Rime, E. K.	269	—	14.39
Ramsey, James S.	529	—	28.30
Rustad, Julia	184	—	9.14
Sunsdahl, Ole O.	186	—	9.95
Sanders, Elo, Secy.	40	—	2.14
Sanders, Elo	428	—	21.83
Srnsky, Alois	360	—	18.30
Sunsdahl, Johnnie	84	—	4.49
Swanson, John N.	322	—	17.23
Singer, Stephen	348	300	19.52
Sund, Even J.	149	—	0.29
Syverarud, Edwin K.	254	—	11.23
Skatberg, T.	514	—	25.55
Thorson, Gilbert	131	—	7.01
Thoreson, Oscar	482	2000	31.79
Thorson, T. M.	250	—	12.75
Tharaldson, Oscar	248	—	12.85
Tanner, Eugene	157	—	7.80
Urdahl, Fred	265	—	13.52
Vad, Christoffer	488	—	24.25
Vettleson, Willie	337	—	16.75
Vaughan, Will. Sec'y.	50	—	2.11
Vaughan, Will. Sec'y.	400	—	10.88
Vettelson, Louis	75	—	3.82
Wold, August	114	—	4.81
Wold, Peter C.	137	—	5.78
Vaughan, William	346	—	14.60
Zavoral, Frank	261	—	13.96
Gunstenson, Ole		750	2.25
Johnson, And. G.		1000	3.00

TOWN OF KRATKA

Total Tax Rats by School Districts

School District No. 11, Rate in Mills 19.
School District No. 13, Rate in Mills 4.9
School District No. 35, Rate in Mills 21.7
School District No. 41, Rats in Mills 6.4
School District No. 44, Rate in Mills 20.2
School District No. 60, Rate in Mills 21.5
School District No. 66, Rate in Mills 8.4
School District No. 68, Rate in Mills 6.1

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Annenson, Anders	$ 211	$ —	$ 11.92
Austin, K. K.	232	—	6.91
Breiland, Andrew	139	—	6.85
Breiland, Ole S.	285	—	14.05
Brevick, Olaf	96	—	3.72
Cousin, Wm.	300	—	12.67
Christofferson, Ole	220	—	11.14
Elefson, Tosten	61	—	3.01
Evenson, Anmund	310	—	12.00
Evenson, Signs	231	—	8.67
Evenson, Knut	63	—	2.22
Greattinger, M. J.	122	—	4.72
Gunderson, Oline	00	—	3.17
Hofdal, O. R.	312	—	15.38
Hanson, Albert	279	—	10.80
Hanson, Julius	144	—	5.57
Hedeen, Clifford	290	—	14.29
Hemmestvedt, T. Sr.	180	—	6.97
Hemmestvedt, T. Jr.	180	—	0.01
Hesby, J. R.	166	—	6.16
Holdahl, O. A.	150	—	7.77
Jenson, Anton	443	—	17.14
Johnson, Joseph	54	—	2.09
Johnson, R. M.	336	—	12.00
Johnson, Hans	86	—	3.33
Joratad, Hans	242	—	9.37
Klemmetson, Elling	262	—	0.22
Knutson, Ingvold	276	—	10.00
Kongolf, L. A.	259	—	12.77
Larson, Olaf	95	—	4.08
Lendobeja, Peter	282	—	16.01
Mandt, A. B.	18	—	.63
Olson, Grunder	227	—	6.76
Peterson, Carl	285	1000	13.03
Phelps, Frank	248	—	12.23
Quirk, John	434	—	15.28
Rehm, Otto	908	1000	47.76
Robinson, F. B.	01	—	3.49
Rolfson, Gilbert	03	950	2.96
Rolsland, Mabel	145	—	7.51
Rolsland, Dreng	67	—	3.47
Sidig, John	45	—	1.73
Skebicki, S. J.	275	—	10.64
Solheim, Ivar	381	—	14.63
Szymanski, Florian	149	—	7.35
Tieman, B. E.	186	—	0.42
Tvelten, Staale	105	1100	6.48
Waale, H. T.	502	—	19.28
Wilson, Hilda	64	—	2.48
Wright, P. H.	54	—	2.00
Grimmestad, Christ		000	2.70
Hanson, Emma		3000	9.00
Hemmestvedt, Sidney		800	2.40
Johnson, John S.		400	1.26

TOWN OF MAYFIELD

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 13, Rate in Mills 4.0
School District No. 16, Rate in Mills 18.5
School District No. 33, Rate in Mills 9.1
School District No. 35, Rate in Mills 21.7
School District No. 39, Rate in Mills 6.7
School District No. 60, Rate in Mills 21.5

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Austad, Grunde	$ 423	$ —	$ 18.27
Asbjornson, Grunder	313	—	13.52
Asp, J. P.	322	—	13.91
Arnsburg, A.	233	—	10.07
Brown, Fred E.	24	—	1.04
Borgeld, Warner	229	—	9.89
Carlson, Roy	80	—	4.68
Carlson, John "Est."	245	—	14.26
Culkins, P. W.	129	—	7.51
Frydenberg, Karl J.	180	—	9.90
Gabrielson, Thom	10	—	.43
Hegland, Ole	295	—	12.74
Homme, H. K.	224	—	9.68
Hoass, Martin	274	—	12.49
Jenson, S. C.	200	—	9.12
Johnson, J. P.	566	—	31.13
Johnson, C. M.	92	—	6.97
Jesperson, William	237	—	13.79
Johnson, Albert	145	—	6.26
Klove, Lars	286	—	16.59
Larson, John L.	259	—	15.07
Larson John L. & Hill	60	—	3.49
Langel, Berget	401	—	17.32
Myrum, Ole	274	—	11.54
Nelson, Sever	396	—	17.11
Nelson, Morris	40	700	3.83
O'Leary, M. J.	54	—	2.97
Olson, Bjorne G.	60	—	2.59
Olson, Magnus	171	—	7.39
Olson, Carl G.	278	—	11.92
Peterson, John	195	—	6.89
Rewerts, Rewert	55	—	3.19
Swanson, Sam B.	131	—	7.02
Solberg, John	863	—	21.05
Skalet, Arthur	186	—	10.23
Solberg, Adolph	137	—	7.95
Tvedten, Svarle	144	—	6.57
Tveit, G. B.	291	—	12.57
Wedul, Ole	304	—	17.63
Wilde, Alice M.	252	—	10.89
Nereson, Ole		5000	15.00
Nelson, John		1000	3.00

TOWN OF NORTH

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 18, Rate in Mills 45.2
School District No. 25, Rate in Mills 18.1
School District No. 26, Rats in Mills 8.8
School District No. 29, Rate in Mills 6.
School District No. 42, Rate in Mills 5.4
School District No. 135, Rate in Mills 7.1
School District No. 219, Rate in Mills 12.

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Aakre, O. A.	$ 260	$ —	$ 16.97
Anderson, John W.	22	—	1.73
Armren, Carl	232	—	18.24
Austinson, A.	100	—	6.36
Bothum, M.	142	240	11.88
Ballingrud, M. H.	232	—	9.14
Bartleson & Smith	76	—	3.60
Bjerke, T. H.	138	—	5.44
Carlson, O. N.	23	—	1.84
Christianson, Waldie	628	—	32.34
Christianson, Milda	145	900	10.10
Conklin, F. B.	669	—	52.58
Copp, Vivian E.	376	—	10.80
Dokken, Otis J.	18	—	1.41
Eide, Anna	116	—	4.57
Engen, Christ	452	—	23.29
Engen, Gunda	65	—	3.35
Erickson, H. F.	99	—	7.78
Flattum, Alfred	153	—	12.03
Favick, Ole	07	—	.55
Gangness, S. J.	16	—	1.26
Green, E. O.	425	—	33.40
Greibstein, Emil	259	—	20.36
Gorden, A. P.	214	—	10.82
Gunderson, Rabert	35	—	2.75
Haavi, G. K.	142	—	11.16
Hayes, R. F.	198	—	7.80
Hillard, Carl	282	—	12.03
Holmes, J.	26	—	1.37
Hoverstad, A.	450	—	35.37
Hoverstad, C. M.	738	—	58.01
Hicks, H. W.	50	—	3.93
Hamre, T. P.	20	—	1.57
LeSage, Geo. D.	18	—	1.41
Isaacson, O. C.	10	—	.79
Jacobson, Pete	93	—	3.66
Jacobson, Thomas	399	—	16.11
Jorde, Andrew	265	—	10.44
Jorde, M. G.	310	1000	15.21
Jorde, K. M.	321	—	12.85
Johnson, Minnie	339	—	26.65
Johnson, Renold,	376	—	14.81
Joyce, Mrs. Geo.	85	—	3.56
Kaushagen, Henry	418	—	10.47
Kinsela, T. G.	21	—	1.65
Knutson, Julius	11	—	.80
Knox, A. D.	244	—	12.58
Lane, I. G.	84	100	0.60
Larson, Nels O.	09	—	.71
Lawson, L. O.	75	—	2.66
Lian, Tom	07	—	.55
Loyland, Knute	175	—	6.90
Longren, Alfred	477	—	37.49
Long, W. O.	62	—	4.67
Maland, H. J.	267	—	10.52
Malone, Hilda	110	—	9.12
Magnuson, John L.	71	—	5.58
Moore, Emma Mrs.	04	—	.31
Murphy, Wm.	28	—	2.20
Moen, Ole	520	—	40.87
Nelson, Tora	135	—	5.32
Noper, V. C.	989	—	77.74
Norbeck, Christ	370	—	14.58
Norquist, Emil	65	300	0.01
O'Hara, Raymond H.	80	—	6.26
Oftelie, C. O.	27	—	2.12
Olson, Carl	262	—	20.56
Olson, Albert	255	500	11.59
Paulson, Amelia	21	—	1.05
Ostvolden, Nels	57	—	4.48
Posten, S. M.	124	—	6.74
Reedy, L. C.	26	—	2.04
Rude, Ray J.	99	—	4.16
Rustad, Christ	83	—	3.27
Rynestad, T. K.	528	—	20.80
Sande, Hans	397	—	31.26
Steenerson, G. L.	263	—	26.67
Steene, Christian	410	—	16.51
Stigen, Theodore	177	—	6.07
Steene, Andrew	23	—	1.81
Sorlom, Peter	108	500	9.09
Sorenson, S. L.	167	—	10.14
Smith, Will	573	—	29.51
Swanson, Geo. G.	32	—	2.51
Swanson, Edwin L.	100	—	7.20
Syverson, Dan	20	100	2.58
Thompson, A. G.	73	—	2.86
Vevea, Lewis	41	—	3.22
Williams, W. W.	127	—	5.77
Winson, Ole	99	—	.71
Williamson, A.	13	—	1.02
Wold, Roy	50	—	1.07
Hicks, H. W.	50	—	3.93
Adolphs, G.		700	2.10
Banford, Mary T.		1200	3.00
Holum, Iver		500	1.50
Holte, Syver T.		700	2.10
Moe, Christ		500	1.56
Monson, Anna		1000	3.06
Roslie, Edward		50	.15

TOWN OF NUMEDAL

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 7, Rate in Mills 6.
School District No. 64, Rate in Mills 6.3
School District No. 147, Rate in Mills 12.7

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Asp, O. Chas.	$ 223	$ —	$ 0.56
Bugge, John	375	—	14.48
Bugge, Petrina	432	—	18.58
Christenson, John	291	—	12.51
Duls, George	96	—	4.13
Forslund, Alfred	036	—	24.32
Hanson Bros.	123	—	4.71
Halbash, Theo.	318	—	13.07
Joringdal, Elias	282	—	10.89
Joringdal, Joseph	133	—	5.13
Johnson, Charles	297	—	12.77
Knutson, Soren	610	—	31.27
Larson, Olaf	382	—	14.75
Martinson, I. J.	325	—	13.98
McCracken, C. E.	430	—	18.49
Olson, A. S.	151	—	6.49
Olson, Maret	73	—	3.14
Osness, Joseph	185	—	7.14
Pederson, Oscar	11	—	.47
Rud, Henry	166	—	7.14
Ronning, Gerturde	160	—	6.88
Stammes & Co.	1028	—	39.80
Sande, Ole	13	—	.50
Swanson, P. P.	01	—	2.62
Thompson, Henry	50	—	2.15
Waslie, T. J.	196	—	8.51
Waslie, J. O.	74	—	3.18
Bordson, Hans		600	1.50

TOWN OF NORDEN

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 2, Rate in Mills 16.9
School District No. 25, Rate in Mills 18.1
School District No. 127, Rate in Mills 6.7
School District No. 135, Rate in Mills 7.1

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Aaseby, Lewis	$ 242	$ —	$ 10.29
Aas, Martin	42	—	1.76
Ayers, Mrs. D. W.	181	—	7.40
Brateng, John	243	—	10.33
Berg, Carl	87	—	6.70
Blom, John	202	—	10.24
Dimmen, Severt E.	77	—	3.27
Dimmen, Lewis	91	—	3.87
Doles, Fred G.	138	—	8.01
Eklund, Henry C.	66	—	4.38
Feragen, And.	201	—	6.22
Feragen Bros.	30	—	1.23
Funnesdahl, A. J.	306	—	12.52
Gilbertson, Oscar F.	115	—	4.70
Hanson, Gerbard	5	—	.20
Hovick, Sophia Mrs.	122	—	4.99
Hollander, Fred	55	—	2.25
Iverson, Knute P.	179	—	7.60
Johnson, Marvin	18	—	.55
Johnson, Anna Mrs.	66	—	2.80
Johnson, Karie Mrs.	86	—	3.52
Johnson, Charley	156	—	0.63
Johnson, Aug.	193	—	10.02
Knutssth, Knute	186	—	7.90
Kron, Elmer	42	—	2.13
Klerk, Jens	560	—	22.90
Kron, Axel	90	—	4.56
Lappegaard, Ole	126	—	6.39
Leral, O. K.	56	—	2.04
Mead, F. N.	178	—	7.57
Lappegaard, Albert	146	—	7.45
Mossestad, J.	194	—	6.25
Mossestad, Peter	97	—	4.12
Meyers, Peter F.	99	—	5.02
Myrom, Harry	163	—	8.26
Myrom, Hans	49	—	2.46
Ness, Emil	79	—	3.23
Newaman, Anna Mrs.	104	—	4.40
Nordhagen, Olof	49	—	2.48
Nordhagen, G. J.	00	—	4.50
Nora, Nils O.	120	—	5.16
Olson, Gorden M.	287	—	11.74
Ordal, Sammeline	231	—	9.45
Peterson, Bengt	210	—	10.65
Peterson, P. M.	102	—	6.60
Price, V. J.	223	—	11.57
Rust, Matinus	141	—	5.09
Rodegaard, Nils	101	—	4.29
Roos, Emma Mrs.	173	—	7.08
Sjolsvold, John	292	—	11.04
Sorenson, Sven	302	—	12.35
Sorenson, Soren	302	—	12.35
Slinger, C. T.	121	—	4.95
Skaar, Ole	168	—	6.87
Samuelson, Nils	00	—	2.55
Tessum, A. B.	46	—	1.70
Voldness, N. J.	108	—	4.59

TOWN OF POLK CENTRE

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 1, Rate in Mills 21.1
School District No. 17, Rate in Mills 6.5
School District No. 04, Rate in Mills 11.1
School District No. 00, Rate in Mills 11.5
School District No. 124, Rate in Mills 11.6

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Aaseby, Iver	$ 150	$ —	$ 0.21
Boutain, Albert P.	443	—	17.63
Boutain, Wm.	521	—	20.74
Erickson, Martin	291	—	12.28
Eckstein, Fred	208	—	6.78
Hallstrom Harold, etal.	348	—	14.68
Halstrom, Henry	342	—	14.43
Herron, M. J.	354	—	16.26
Helm, Chas.	240	—	16.13
Jenson, Jens	362	—	12.74
Joppru, Oscar	402	—	16.61
Johnson, Harry	400	—	10.04
Johnson, J. E.	123	—	5.09
Kisner, Otto	246	—	10.47
Kruse, Christ Jr.	136	—	5.36
Kruse, Christ Sr.	576	—	23.93
LaCoursine, Grace	106	—	4.22
LaCoursine, Napoleion	305	—	20.30
Mosbeck, Olaf	323	—	13.63
Melin, C. A.	320	—	13.50
Melin, C. R.	440	—	18.57
Melin, Alex	185	—	7.81
Melin, Henry	94	—	3.97
Mosbeck, Oscar "Harold Hallstrom"	143	—	0.03
Malkness, John	388	—	16.37
Naplin, C. E.	513	—	21.21
Naplin, John	550	—	23.24
Peterson, Beda	100	—	4.39
Sorvig, A. M.	352	—	14.85
St. John, F. L.	179	—	7.41
St. John, Arthur	66	—	3.73
Swanson Bros.	442	—	16.65
Zeitz, Emil C.	300	—	18.61
Naplin, S. J.		500	1.50
Naplin, Gust		5000	15.00

TOWN OF ROCKSBURY

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 12, Rate in Mills 10.8
School District No. 18, Rate in Mills 45.2
School District No. 20, Rate in Mills 8.6
School District No. 54, Rate in Mills 17.1
School District No. 73, Rate in Mills 13.6
School District No. 102, Rate in Mills 84.8
School District No. 154, Rate in Mills 0.5
School District No. 165, Rate in Mills 10.3

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, A. E. Mrs.	$ 77	$ —	$ 3.76
Anderson, Edwin	141	—	0.77
Anton Bros.	506	—	24.26
Aubol, W. L.	173	—	6.61
Aubol, Marie	173	—	6.61
Aubol, Ed. A.	328	—	10.89
Borgen, A. O.	232	—	10.37
Bothamn, W. C.	334	—	13.60
Buek, Huber	158	—	6.14
Beebee, N. E.	816	—	67.27
Erickson, Karl	185	—	7.57
Erickson, J. Arthur	50	1600	7.61
Erickson, Gunder	185	—	6.88
Engelstad, Peter	1693	—	75.68
Engelbart, John	136	—	7.00
First National Bank	565	—	29.10
Finstad Bros.	502	—	24.21
Geske, Gust	348	—	10.71
Gran, John	32	—	1.42
Groundhouse, Ed.	476	1000	23.65
Gunstad, Art	106	—	4.88
Grane, A. R.	265	—	10.54
Gunderson, O. B.	262	—	8.26
Geske, Albert	287	—	13.78
Halvorson, Halvor	156	—	7.11
Holm, Ben	34	—	1.47
Hanson, Geo. H.	101	—	8.29
Husby, Andrew	263	—	10.76
Heinze, C. L.	107	—	4.78
Hetland, S. F.	12	—	.54
Hauske, Ed.	254	—	10.36
Hogenson, Ed.	148	—	6.02
Hunt, S. E.	503	—	22.46
Hooper, G. W.	211	—	10.87
Harder, Mark	232	—	11.85
Hetzer, E. C.	105	—	10.04
Hanson, H. O.	28	—	1.34
Iverson, Iver	215	—	8.76
Johnson, John	552	1500	26.35
Johnson, B. T.	00	—	2.71
Johnson Bros.	330	—	36.34
Johnson, Anton	284	—	11.62
Johnson, Albert	605	—	27.04
Jaranson, Ole	97	—	4.60
Kettelson, Erick	3	—	.14
Jenson, Ed.	126	—	6.18
Kline, Alex	64	—	2.56
Kvall, John	115	—	4.07
Kirby, S. R.	7	5000	15.36
Koop, Henry	284	—	13.63
Koop, Fred	130	1000	11.32
Krammer, Fred	282	—	22.45
King, Joe	143	—	7.30
Loberg, Ole	90	—	4.94
Lobert, Arnt	133	—	0.85
Lemky, M. B.	156	—	6.36
Lian, Ole	150	—	0.71
Lee, C. M.	10	—	.72
Loken, Martin	80	—	3.01
Loken Bros.	48	—	1.66
Liden, C. E.	173	—	7.73
Mathess, H. A.	286	—	13.73
Mikkelson, Ellen	75	—	3.35
Matheson, Martin	404	—	16.52
Myrom, Anton	327	—	14.62
McAndrews, Martin	66	—	3.09
Mehrkens, H. W.	356	—	17.00
Nettleland, Otto	154	—	6.30
Nelson, Nels	151	—	6.83
O'Neil, D. P.	225	—	10.66
Oen, Rasmus	116	—	5.27
Oen, Henry	262	—	11.71
Oen, Edwin	64	—	2.86
Olson, O. N.	404	—	17.45
Oein, C. E.	227	500	10.76
Olson, H. H.	112	3500	15.51
Olson, Paul	11	—	.57
Pope, Henry	326	—	15.65
Randorf, Anna	328	—	16.89
Relerson & Nohre	300	—	13.41
Relerson, P. P.	249	—	11.13
Rockstad, Martin	100	—	4.80
Rued, Hans P.	237	—	11.38
Randorf, Willie	250	—	12.88
Swanson, Even	184	—	9.48
Satre, F. T.	235	—	11.28
Satre, Elmer	76	—	3.65
Stroberg, Herman	55	—	2.25
Stroberg, John	269	—	11.00
Swanson, Robert	124	—	0.38
Skottem, Severt	179	—	9.22
Timm, Ed.	678	—	32.54
Turnquist, Fred	61	—	2.73
Torsevelt, Martha Mrs.	372	—	10.81
Vingle, Oldus	55	—	2.25
Weberg, Albert & Carl	115	—	4.70

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Weherg, Swan	319	—	13.05
Wilken, Gust	309	—	15.91
Westphal, L. A.	271	—	13.96
Vik, S. P.	253	—	13.03
Wilken, Henry	68	—	3.26
Ytesund, Knute	277	—	12.38
Zinter, Karl	185	—	9.53
Zinter, Emil	10	—	.52
Zinter, Karl Jr.	72	—	3.70
Elgsten, Carl		2000	6.00
Lee, S. O.		600	1.80
Nelson, Caroline G.		500	1.50
Nelson, John P.		1000	3.00

TOWN OF REINER.

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 8, Rate in Mills 92.6
School District No. 48, Rate in Mills 16.5
School District No. 57, Rate in Mills 4.6
School District No. 70, Rate in Mills 24.6
School District No. 228, Rate in Mills 40.3

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Austad, Iver	$ 43	$ —	$ 2.40
Arntz Bros.	59	—	2.94
Arntz, Albert	99	—	4.94
Brekkeen, Edward	13	—	.65
Berg, Theo.	114	—	5.69
Berg, Clara	144	—	7.19
Citizens State Bank	175	—	10.15
Duluth Creamery Co.	20	—	.76
Dahelen, Lottie	119	—	4.52
Dohner, John	70	—	2.66
Erickson, Selmer	21	—	.80
Erickson, John	71	—	2.70
Faragen, Andrew	256	—	18.57
Fort, Will	13	—	.49
Grimley, Even	392	—	19.56
Helle, T. J.	336	—	16.77
Hermanson, Sever	250	—	12.47
Holen, Halvor	106	—	5.27
Halvorson, Fergen,	201	—	10.03
Hoppa, John	100	—	5.80
Iverson, John	149	—	7.44
Iverson, Andrew	61	—	4.04
Johnsrude, Bennett	106	—	7.81
Johnson, Peter	330	—	19.14
Johnsrud, Betsy	101	—	5.04
Kassa Bros.	270	—	10.26
Manhatten Oil Co.	40	—	1.52
Melander, Victor	224	—	6.51
Miller, John	357	—	17.81
Olson, Ole A.	160	—	6.08
Olson, Peter M.	112	—	4.26
Quam, Clara	64	—	2.43
Race, Frank	172	—	6.54
Race, Jerry	148	—	5.62
Smith, F. A.	88	—	5.10
Sigrud, Emil	214	—	10.68
Stenvik, John	233	—	8.85
Singer, Stephen	140	—	5.32
Tanner, Geo.	10	—	.50
Tangeh, Christ	201	—	7.64
Tellefson, Elev	122	—	7.08
Thoreson, M. J.	90	—	3.42
Uglem, Oleander	115	—	4.37
Vraa, Geo.	72	—	2.74
Vraa, Elmer	339	—	16.91
Vraa, Gilbert	190	—	7.22
Wahlin, Carl	198	—	7.52

TOWN RIVER FALLS

Total Tax Bate hy School Districts

School District No. 6, Rate in Mills 12.5
School District No. 12, Rate in Mills 10.8
School District No. 19, Rate in Mills 15.1
School District No. 102, Rate in Mills 84.8
School District No. 133, Rate in Mills 5.5
School District No. 178, Rate in Mills 5.7
School District No. 227, Rate in Mills 24.8

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Adams, Washington	$ 353	$ —	$ 42.32
Ahlberg, Carl	168	—	7.71
Aldrich, C. E.	535	500	26.06
Anderson, Anton E.	348	—	15.97
Anderson, A. P. Mrs.	312	—	12.67
Bohlen, J. H.	324	—	38.85
Bothman, Frank	450	—	16.36
Brandmer, Geo.	220	—	8.93
Corner, Russell	122	—	4.95
Denhart, J. W.	166	—	7.62
Dohson, Fred	340	—	13.80
Dohson, Wm. L.	168	—	6.82
Dalager, K. T.	508	—	20.62
Erickson, A. Aug.	344	—	13.97
Erickson, Bros.	114	—	4.63
Erickson, Gust	199	—	8.12
Froehlich, H. W. Dr.	130	—	5.28
Gestee, Ed.	75	—	3.06
Gilhertson, Paul	238	—	10.92
Gunstad, John	306	—	12.48
Hallamack, Emery	538	600	34.03
Hanson & Barzen Mill. Co.	1000	—	45.90
Hanson, H. L.	119	1000	7.80
Halvorson, C.	71	—	8.51
Hauge, O. T.	419	—	17.09
Hazel Co-op Cream Ass'n.	400	—	18.36
Hazel Mercantile Co.	867	1000	42.80
Hauge, Andrew	25	—	1.02
Hedlund, John	211	—	8.57
Jepson, Herman,	255	—	12.80
Johnson, B. E.	313	—	12.77
Johnson, Daniel	441	—	22.14
Johnson, Otto	330	—	13.46
Lundberg, John	200	—	11.98
Maakrud, John	225	—	26.98
Nelson, J. P.	40	—	1.84
Norman, John	456	—	27.31
Johnson, Dan	359	—	14.65
Nyhagen, Adolf	125	—	7.49
Odegaard, Ole	30	—	1.38
Palmquist, J. Mrs.	362	—	14.70
Peterson, Josephine	65	—	2.64
Peterson, Oscar C.	186	—	8.54
Peterson, Gust	188	—	7.67
Roese, Clarence	202	—	9.27
Sandherg, A. P.	350	—	16.52
Sandherg Bros.	59	—	2.71
Sjoherg, John	302	1500	16.76
Soderberg, Fred	192	—	23.02
Stephen, E. H.	679	—	34.09
Stephens, Robert	129	—	6.48
Sumpter, T. J.	515	—	24.51
Svenson, August	219	—	8.94
Swanson, C. A.	153	—	6.21
Svenson, Elmer	197	—	8.04
Vik, Arne	862	—	103.85
Walseth, Bernt	429	—	21.54
Wisbworth, Owen	178	—	7.24
Wilson, W. P.	284	—	11.59
Winter, H. E.	67	—	2.73
Yonke, Wm.	275	—	11.22
Haugen, Gunhild		2000	6.00
Peterson, Ole		600	1.80

TOWN OF SANDERS

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District Nn. 73, Rate in Mills 13.6
School District No. 106, Rate in Mills 18.1
School District No. 135, Rate in Mills 7.1
School District No. 149, Rate in Mills 8.8
School District No. 166, Rate in Mills 11.9
School District No. 194, Rate in Mills 10.7

(Rate of Taxation nn Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount nf Tax
Anderson, N. K.	$ 127	$ —	$ 5.83
Anderson, Theo. T.	247	—	11.34
Anderson, Eric E.	82	1100	7.06
Anderson, J. A.	448	—	25.85
Anderson, Carl R.	25	—	1.44
Anton, Chris	391	—	20.02
Appel, Peter	225	—	10.32
Atwood, A. H.	273	—	12.53
Bakke, Jesse	321	—	15.50
Brandvold, Hjammar & John	186	—	9.21
Borgen, C. G.	69	—	3.41
Brandrud, S. Mrs.	56	—	2.57
Carlson, C. Aug.	242	1200	15.29
Dahlstrom, Alfred	177	—	10.21
Foster, Lester	192	—	9.27

Names of Persons, Firms nr Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount nf Tax
Fromm, John	89	—	5.14
Hohner, Wm.	373	—	19.10
Johnson, Gust	295	—	17.02
Johnson, Alma S.	182	—	9.01
Jacobson, A. V.	192	—	9.50
Jenson, Carl	122	—	5.45
Klappenback, William	214	—	10.34
Klien, F. M.	246	—	11.88
Krause, Emil	82	—	3.96
Krause, Max	262	—	13.41
Lockrume, A. K.	176	—	8.08
Lind, Albert W.	113	—	5.46
Larson, O. L.	165	—	6.17
Larson, Ole	281	—	13.91
Meyer, F. W.	254	—	12.27
Mosbeck, J. Mrs. Estate	435	—	21.01
Mortenson, Andrew	177	—	8.76
Mogen, T. O.	440	—	21.78
Maland, O. O.	58	—	2.87
Ness, S. H.	103	—	4.97
Olson, A. O. K. & E. A.	274	—	13.23
Ness, Peder	117	—	5.79
Olson, Arthur D.	76	—	3.76
Olson, Alfred C.	243	—	11.15
Olson, E. B.	254	—	14.66
Ortloff, Andrew L.	304	—	17.54
Ortloff, Herman	334	1500	23.77
Ortloff, Henry	64	—	3.09
O'Boyle, J. F.	277	—	13.71
Olson, Hans	96	—	4.41
Patton, J. V.	150	—	8.66
Peterson, J. O.	316	—	18.23
Peterson, Nels	337	—	19.44
Prichard, Will. Jr.	77	—	3.53
Russell, Corner	42	—	1.93
Royal, Joe	81	—	4.67
Ristau, Henry & Willie	265	—	12.80
Rux, Harry A.	69	—	3.98
Rux, Daniel D.	230	—	13.27
Rux, Fred E.	479	—	27.64
Rux, Henry	64	—	3.69
Sevre, O. K.	314	—	18.12
Sevre, Albert	207	—	10.00
Swanson, Richard & George	502	—	24.85
Swanson, Herman T.	272	—	13.14
Swanson, C. H.	330	—	15.94
Swanson, Enock	265	—	13.12
Seaverson, Joe	118	—	5.42
Thorstad, Bert N.	189	—	9.68
Tessum, Olaf	74	—	3.57
Wacker, F.	361	—	16.57
Wold, A. J.	224	—	10.28
Wilo, K. Mrs. & Sons	328	—	16.79
Yonke, E. A.	335	—	16.18
Carlson, Milford		1000	3.00

TOWN OF SMILEY

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 4, Rate in Mills 12.4
School District No. 26, Rate in Mills 8.6
School District No. 30, Rate in Mills 17.2
School District No. 31, Rate in Mills 8.7
School District No. 51, Rate in Mills 10.8
School District No. 221, Rate in Mills 16.5

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, Oscar N.	$ 395	$ —	$ 17.74
Angell, Elias	111	—	4.98
Antonson, Borger	94	—	4.94
Anderson, J. W.	148	1000	9.94
Anfinson, Ole T.	94	—	4.94
Barstad, Adolph	176	—	9.38
Bjorge, Alvin	76	—	4.05
Bjorge, Theo.	78	—	4.16
Burtness, Nels	174	—	7.81
Belsweinger, Carl	437	—	19.58
Brekke, Annie	33	—	1.48
Benson, Carl	98	—	5.15
Beerbower, Fred	277	—	12.44
Bolstad, Henry	89	—	3.99
Epson, Nels	82	—	3.67
Erickson, Tollefson	102	—	5.37
Fredrickson, Hans	168	—	8.84
Gihl, Joseph	241	—	12.85
Gustafson, Otto	120	—	6.31
Gilhertson, Carl	161	—	7.55
Gullingsrud, E. O.	152	—	6.82
Helgeland, Ole	590	—	31.45
Hardisty, Frank	314	—	14.06
Hammar, B. B.	183	—	8.20
Hanson, John T.	49	—	2.55
Helegeson, Martin	84	—	3.94
Iverson, T. S.	21	—	.98
Johnson, N. E.	270	—	14.39
Johnson, Engebart	114	—	6.00
Johnson, Lewis E.	60	—	2.91
Lee, Lewis	125	—	5.60
Larson, Krist	422	—	18.91
Lonhack, S. W.	282	—	18.68
Lindeboja, Walter	101	—	7.61
Lindeboja, Adam	5	—	.24
McCrum, W. O.	257	—	12.46
Nordal, Gertrude	66	—	2.96
Newton, A. B.	350	—	18.65
Johnson, John S.	73	—	3.54
Nelson, L. A.	299	—	14.50
Nelson, S. S.	94	—	4.41
Nelson, Edwin	153	—	8.05
Nelson, Johnnie	105	—	5.00
Olson, Mike	108	—	5.68
Peterson, O. J.	257	—	12.05
Pederson, O. M.	336	—	15.05
Peterson, Anton	250	—	11.73
Roisland, Bert	83	—	3.89
Solomonson, J. E.	210	—	11.19
Peterson, Elias	54	—	2.53
Skjerping, Carl	7	—	.31
Skjerping, Tohias	153	—	6.85
Sanders, Thos.	332	—	14.87
Stenseth, L. O.	423	—	18.95
Solheim, Knut	185	—	9.66
Solewnway, M. G.	304	—	14.74
Stene, Tohias	145	—	6.51
Snetting, Olaf	127	—	6.68
Slater, C. W.	60	—	3.16
Thune, Peter	41	—	2.16
Thune, Emil	65	—	2.92
Thune, Ole	23	—	1.21
Torkelson, Anfin	18	—	.95
Tosmey, C. H.	230	—	11.16
Thelge, J. M.	17	—	.91
Turnwall, J. D.	156	—	7.00
Vigen, E. O.	102	—	4.94
Valsvik, O. J.	185	—	8.97
Weebe, H. A.	229	—	12.04
Wiener, Casper	210	—	10.19

TOWN OF SILVERTON

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 28, Rate in Mills 13.1
School District No. 30, Rate in Mills 17.2
School District No. 42, Rate in Mills 5.4
School District No. 53, Rate in Mills 21.2
School District No. 55, Rate in Mills 22.9

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Monev and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, Anton	$ 167	$ —	$ 9.50
Baker, Nick	227	—	9.33
Baner, Jnhn	123	—	7.00
Berggren, Gust	244	—	11.91
Brezney, Andro	268	—	15.25
Brezney, John	130	—	7.40
Brezney, Pete	23	—	1.31
Burdick, Fred	156	—	9.14
Burringrud, Nels	339	—	19.29
Carlson, Andrew	88	—	3.62
Connell, P. J.	96	—	5.46
Christofferson, Nels	148	—	6.08
Forthum, Ole	377	—	22.09
Fodstad, Halvor	456	200	22.85
Grinde, Ole E.	283	500	15.32
Habedank, C. W.	99	—	5.80
Hanson & Barzen Mill. Company	1520	—	62.47
Hanson, Henry	147	—	7.17
Hanson, Lars	126	—	5.18
Hanson, Oden	114	—	4.69
Hanson, Syvert	347	—	16.93
Hegreness, John J.	378	—	18.45
Heelren, Edw. O.	145	—	5.96
Homme, Ole	428	—	24.35
Hruby, Ludvick	96	—	5.46
Kozojed, Anton	123	—	7.21
Luhe, Fred	209	—	11.89
McCormick, Thos.	155	—	6.37
McMahon, Sam	105	—	5.98
Moe, Oscar	39	—	1.60
Moen, Martin	124	—	6.65
Omundson, Oscar	319	—	18.15
Omundson, Peder	294	—	15.55
Ose, Ole T.	278	—	16.29
Panek, Stanley	157	—	9.20
Peterson, Clarence L.	91	—	4.44
Peterson, P. A.	181	—	7.44
Ramstad, Olaf	81	—	4.75
Reller, J. B.	273	—	14.44
Senum, Geo.	117	—	4.80
Sorlom, P. A.	36	—	1.48

Names nf Persons, Firms nr Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Sundt, John A.	352	—	14.47
Svobodny, Frank	302	—	17.70
Swanson, Victor J.	114	100	4.99
Topinka, Joseph	112	—	6.37
Whitney, A. F.	149	—	8.73
Woolson, Harry C.	348	—	16.98

TOWN OF STAR

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 5, Rate in Mills 22.8
School District No. 14, Rate in Mills 25.1
School District No. 58, Rate in Mills 15.
School District No. 59, Rate in Mills 20.6
School District No. 65, Rate in Mills 33.5

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, M. J.	$ 285	$ —	$ 15.50
Anderson, Carl	220	—	10.74
Bakken, Alvin	309	—	20.80
Bye, Marie	319	—	18.06
Borstad, O. P.	262	—	13.76
Danielson, Knute	116	—	6.83
Danielson, Berget	195	—	11.49
Dahlen, H. A.	211	—	12.43
Ekwall, Carl Sr.	153	—	7.47
Elg, Carl	350	—	19.04
Eidelbas, John	141	—	7.67
Fort, Anton	132	—	7.24
Folkedahl, Gurinia	183	—	10.78
Fjeld, Hans	416	—	22.63
Giving, Martin	159	—	7.75
Hovet, Tollef J.	294	—	17.31
Hoffman, J. V.	110	—	6.98
Hyland, Theo.	110	—	6.23
Iverson, Gustav	279	—	13.62
Iverson, A. Gust	165	—	9.72
Johnson, Ludvig	282	—	16.61
Johnsrud, Toloy	39	—	2.30
Johnsrud, Julia Mrs.	148	—	7.22
Johnsrud, Cornelius	156	—	7.61
Kompen, G. A.	234	—	18.17
Kolstrand, Pete	198	—	9.66
Kotraba, Martin	281	—	15.29
Kotraba, Anton	47	—	2.54
Larson, N. P.	28	—	1.75
Lein, Ole K.	52	—	3.06
Larson, F. Mrs.	185	—	10.90
Lokken, Ole S.	207	—	10.10
Loyland, Tollef O.	162	—	9.17
Lokken, Alf. C.	24	—	1.17
Marquis, Hubert	454	—	22.16
Meyers, William	151	—	7.37
Mandrud, Gilbert	305	—	20.53
Meyer, Nick	153	—	7.47
Nerhus, Ole	126	—	7.42
Omlid, Salve O.	87	—	5.12
Olson, G. G.	247	—	12.05
Omlid, Sven	49	—	2.39
Omlid, Olaf	418	—	20.40
Prestegaard, Severt	310	—	15.13
Parnow, O. E.	269	—	13.13
Roash, John	121	—	6.85
Roysland, Knute	208	—	11.77
Roysland, S.	223	—	12.62
Solberg, H. C.	243	—	13.22
Selbert, John	293	—	15.94
Stenvik, Oscar	285	—	15.50
Smicke, Frank	15	—	.82
Skaaren, K.	187	—	10.17
Srnsky, Lawrence	132	—	7.18
Sjulestad, Even	496	—	28.07
Sunnesdahl, Henry	227	—	12.85
Tharoldson, Tharold	183	—	10.78
Tronvet, Ole N.	274	—	15.51
Wolden, Ole Mrs.	93	—	5.26
Wells, Lawrence	41	—	2.41
Zavoral, Robert	249	—	13.55
Larson, O. F.		200	.60

TOWN OF WYANDOTTE

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School siDtrict No. 6, Rate in Mills 12.5
School District No. 35, Rate in Mills 21.7
School District No. 125, Rate in Mills 12.2
School District No. 148, Rate in Mills 17.5

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Albein, John	$ 39	$ 800	$ 4.45
Bergedahl, Targen	35	—	1.84
Bergh, Martin H.	258	—	13.57
Berglund, Johanna O.	41	—	2.16
Bowers, Dr. J. T.	469	—	27.10
Brenman, Henry	240	—	12.62
Brown, C. J.	62	—	3.59
Bruggerman, Albert	119	—	6.29
Bruggerman, Henry	217	—	11.41
Carlson, Chas. F.	262	—	16.46
Clark, Wm. T.	316	—	16.62
Evenson, James	126	—	6.63
Evenson, Louis	196	—	10.31
Fahr, Geo. & Leo	152	—	8.00
Finstad, Helmer	220	—	11.64
Gleve, Oscar	74	—	3.89
Hagen, Karl C.	77	—	4.05
Halin, Andrew D.	134	—	7.04
Halvorson, Theo.	165	—	8.68
Hanson, Nels	76	—	4.00
Hanson, O. M.	187	—	10.83
Hanson, Sam	32	—	1.63
Haugen, David	377	—	19.83
Hedin, Oscar	143	300	8.42
Helgeson, Alfred	40	—	2.10
Helgeson, Ole	9	—	.47
Jorgenson, John O.	217	—	13.48
Kolseth, Peter	173	—	9.10
Kolseth & Samuelson	30	—	1.58
Larson, John R.	247	—	12.99
Loringer, Earl	74	—	8.91
Mornen, Henry	274	—	15.86
Nilson, Andrew	69	800	6.05
Nelson, Julius	16	—	.84
Nelson, Robert	47	—	2.47
Noel, Ovia	177	—	9.81
Olson, Theo.	71	—	3.73
Peterson, Palmer M.	139	—	8.05
Peterson, Anton	310	—	16.40
Peterson, John E.	292	—	15.44
Peterson, Matin J.	238	—	12.59
Peterson, W. Mrs.	475	—	25.13
Rockwell, Roy	75	—	3.95
Rolstad, Alfred	46	—	2.48
Rolstad, I. J.	140	—	7.41
Roman, Oscar	136	—	7.15
Schaak, Math. J.	461	—	26.69
Schroeder, Otto C.	148	—	8.56
Wilson, Gust	381	—	20.04
Wilson, Isaac E.	297	—	18.44
Wilson, O. E.	424	—	22.48
Berg, Hilmer		100	.30
Bodin, Andrew		3000	9.00
Evenson, Maria N.		600	1.80
Peterson, Frank		500	1.50

CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 18, Rate in Mills 45.2

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	—Valuation— Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount nf Tax
Aanstad, S. L.	$ 63	$ —	$ 6.43
Aaseby, Iver C.	504	320	52.37
Alexander, Chas.	55	—	5.61
Anderson, Andy	90	2100	15.48
Anderson, T. P.	85	—	8.67
Arnold, P. Dr.	427	325	44.52
Aanstad, Hans	27	—	2.75
Akre, A. H.	91	—	9.28
Arhart, H. H.	121	150	12.79
Auringer, A. L.	4	—	.41
Aga Machine Shop	300	—	30.60
Almstadt, A. B.	49	—	6.00
Amundson, Blondie	31	—	3.16
Armour Creameries	100	—	10.20
Baker, John	82	—	8.26
Bakke, E. B.	12	—	1.22
Bakke, Ida	35	—	3.57
Barzen Milling Co. (Grain Tax $2.76)	667	3400	80.90
Barzen, Math	992	—	101.18
Bateman, Stanley A.	967	—	98.64
Belcher, R. A.	18	—	1.84
Bennes, E. M.	306	724	33.38
Benson, Severt	453	—	46.20
Berg, A. J.	78	—	7.96
Bergstrom, H.	157	520	17.57
Bessler, Elsie	42	—	4.28
Berve, H. O.	53	1300	9.31
Biddick, G. L.	143	—	14.59
Bjorkman, Dan	428	310	44.59
Belderman, Jacob	196	200	20.59
Bishop, J. M.	159	55	16.38
Bishop, W. A.	475	—	48.45
Bloomquist, John E.	41	—	4.18
Bloomquist, C. A.	10	—	1.02
Booren, Dr. G. W.	377	—	38.45
Borgen, Louis	77	—	7.85
Borry, A. J.	866	932	91.13
Borry, J.	170	374	18.46
Bothum, M.	94	—	9.59
Brandon, Sever	89	—	9.08
Brandvold, Fred	19	—	1.94
Bredeson, Alfred	1089	2815	119.52
Bridgeman Russell Co.	100	300	11.10
Brokke, T. S.	79	—	8.06
Brumund, H. A.	1002	5350	118.25
Bunday, Theo.	40	—	4.08
Berg Company	913	222	93.80
Burns, M. C.	19	—	1.94
Burstad, Ed. P.	145	480	16.23
Bye, Morris	44	—	4.49
Brink, M. W.	22	—	2.24
Bakke, Lars	13	—	1.33
Benson, M. M.	63	—	6.43
Bottleson, Andrew	481	338	50.08
Burdicke, Fred	178	—	18.10
Buffalo Foundry Co.	634	—	64.67
Caldis, James G.	696	—	70.99
Campbell, A. M.	35	—	3.57
Carlson, August	34	2300	10.37
Cerny, Lewis J.	183	—	18.66
Ohommie, H. O.	136	2765	22.15
Christo, Mary	508	—	51.82
Christofferson, Carl	755	1952	62.87
Clauson, Christine	62	25	6.30
Cloutier, A. J.	38	—	3.88
Collins, John	29	—	2.96
Conner, Chas. E.	26	—	2.65
Craik, Andy	65	—	6.63
Cronkhite, J. F.	141	—	14.38
Crown, Joringdahl & Plough	250	—	25.50
Curran, Geo. P.	80	3000	17.16
Curtis, J. P.	1916	1500	199.93
Carlisle, W. L.	103	—	10.51
Conner, J. B. Mrs.	64	—	6.53
Davidson, J. C.	148	—	15.10
Dahl, Anton	1152	500	119.00
Dahl, K. E.	94	—	9.58
Dahl, S. K.	384	2100	45.47
Dahlen, H. S.	160	—	16.32
Dahlquist, W. E.	52	—	5.30
Dalton, G. F.	86	—	8.77
Davis, L. R.	17	—	1.73
DeCremer, Louis	1182	3582	131.31
Dorn, A. H.	46	—	4.69
Donvide, W. J.	3	—	.31
Dress Club	125	—	12.75
Dudley, F. J.	126	—	12.85
Duluth Creamery Produce Company	100	198	10.79
Ellingston, Peter	80	—	8.18
Engen, Albert	65	—	6.63
Englund, H. R.	41	—	4.18
Erickson & Lund	284	1315	32.91
Erickson, Adolph	17	—	1.73
Erickson, Ben	32	—	3.28
Erickson, C. O.	84	—	8.57
Erickson, Ed.	13	—	1.33
Ericson, Roy L.	55	50	5.76
Evenson, C. M.	27	—	2.75
Evenson, M. V.	109	—	11.12
Evenson, Claude	51	—	5.20
Erickson, Geo. L.	102	—	10.40
Farmers Exchange Ele. Co. (Grain Tax $11.79)	1216	772	138.14
Favrow, P. S.	78	—	7.96
Fillmore, A. L.	242	—	24.68
Fitger Company	170	—	17.34
Fitterman, Charles	222	500	24.14
Fladweid, Luella	227	100	23.46
First & Peoples State Bank	926	—	94.46
Farmers Co-op. Poultry Ass'n.	455	—	46.41
Fox, Arthur	2	—	.20
Frissell, G. H.	65	—	6.67
Froehlich, H. W. Dr.	188	25	19.25
Froseth, Carl	383	155	39.54
Froseth, Henry	8	—	.82
Froseth, Perry	1540	1367	161.18
Fry, Harry	410	350	42.89
Fuller, Theresa	24	—	2.45
Fulton, J. H.	36	—	3.67
Furran, L. L.	200	—	20.40
Furstnau, Bertha Mrs.	30	—	3.06
French, W. R.	152	—	15.50
Gustafson, Chas.	117	—	11.93
Gahrielson, A. G.	72	—	7.34
Gamble Rohinson Co.	8168	9864	862.73
Grannum, C. O.	71	—	7.24
Grannum, O. G.	61	—	6.22
Green, F. P.	52	—	5.30
Gullingsrud, E. O.	58	—	5.92
Gullingsrud, John	47	—	4.79
Gulrud, Chris.	124	74	12.67
Gustafson & Son	2299	13003	273.51
Gustafson, C. D.	85	—	8.67
Hale, W. L.	124	—	12.65
Halland, Helmar	28	—	2.88
Halledin, O.	9	—	.92
Hamm Brewing Co.	194	—	19.78
Haney, F. C. Dr.	65	—	6.63
Hanson Barzen Mill. Co.	5509	4250	574.67
Hanson, Fred	43	—	4.39
Hanson, H. H.	6	5400	10.61
Hanson, Leonard	56	—	5.71
Hanson, O. C.	178	1030	21.25
Hardisty, James H.	5	—	.51
Harlow, M. C.	4	—	.40
Harris, Nate	194	680	21.82
Harris, Paul	99	—	10.10
Haug, C. M.	200	—	20.40
Haugen, H. A.	25	—	2.55
Haynes, F. F.	245	—	24.99
Heggen, A. M.	95	—	9.69
Helgeland, E. L.	112	—	11.42
Hellquist, C. E.	78	327	8.94
Hermanson, L. I.	58	500	7.42
Hess, L. S.	52	—	5.30
Hicks Furniture Co.	162	—	16.52
Hill, Ed.	28	—	2.80
Hillard, C. G.	191	200	20.08
Holum, B. J.	10	—	1.02
Holmherg, Cora A.	73	50	7.56
Hermanson, J. H.	88	—	8.08
Holzknecht, Hubert	9	—	.92
Hoppa, F. A.	65	—	6.63
Hanson, Arthur	30	—	3.00
Iverson, Ed.	50	—	5.10
Ireland Lumber Yards	3702	841	380.12
Jacobson, A. E.	423	297	44.04
Jacobson, R. J.	30	—	8.06
Jaranson, Ed.	20	100	2.34
Jenson, Max	12	—	1.22
Jenson, O. E.	113	150	11.97
Johnson, Alfred	18	—	1.84
Johnson, Gustie	331	203	34.37
Johnson, M. M. & son	600	275	82.02
Johnson, M. M.	61	—	6.22
Jung's Quality Bakery	3363	4443	356.37
Jung, H. C.	34	—	6.47
Johnston, L. R.	107	—	10.91
Kenyon, Fay W.	36	—	3.67
Kielty, John	51	—	5.20
Kiewel Products Co.	2092	6353	232.44
Kiewel, Ben J.	215	—	21.93
Kinghorn, Harry W.	107	—	10.91
Knudson, Bernard	23	—	2.35
Kolberg, Indor	12	—	1.22
Knudson, Clarence C.	216	100	22.33
Korstad, Will	52	—	5.30
LaBree, W. J.	88	—	8.98
Lambert, Roy	2323	1835	242.46
Langlett & Bugge	275	—	28.05
Langseth, A. M.	1099	400	113.80
Larson, Carl B.	5122	11400	556.64
Larson, H. L.	41	—	4.18
Larson, L. G.	85	—	8.67
Larson, L. H.	135	—	13.77
Larson, Nels	112	—	11.42
Lee, Ed.	116	321	12.79
Lee, Theodore	22	—	2.24
Legvold, Ingeborg Mrs.	35	—	3.57
Lien, A.	759	240	78.14
Lenertz, A. I. Mrs.	43	—	4.39
Liden, Oscar	28	—	2.86
Lieberman, Chas.	5529	1100	568.28
Lindberg, N. C.	87	—	8.87
Laird, Scott	68	—	6.94
Linth, John	28	—	2.80
Loken & Company	287	139	29.69
Loken, Halvor A.	45	800	6.99
Looker, R. E.	88	—	8.98
Lufkin, A. E.	137	—	13.97
Lufkin & Bishop Auto Co.	643	450	66.94
Lund, Robert	82	—	8.26
Lund, H. P.	422	—	43.04
Lundell, O. J. Rev.	37	—	3.77
Lundgren, C. J.	41	—	4.18
Lundgren, Paul A.	318	—	32.44
Mabey, P. W. & Chommie H.	260	973	29.44
Mabey, Perl W.	135	14268	56.57
Matheson, A. C.	54	—	5.51
Mattson, A. E.	28	—	2.86
Mattson, Carl G.	87	—	8.87
Mattson, C. W.	86	—	8.77
McCarty, Jerry J.	87	89	4.03
McClelland, Ethel	84	—	8.57
McDaniel, C. W.	37	—	3.77
McGinn, Mary Mrs.	63	—	6.43
Melby, Carl J.	18	—	1.84
Melby, Knute	89	—	9.08
Merth, Rev. Father	50	—	5.10
Mellby, O. F. Mrs.	145	—	14.79
Mongoven, H. J.	189	850	21.83
Monson, Oscar	99	2080	16.34
Morgan, Roy	88	—	8.97
Morris, Pete	300	—	30.60
Mostue, A. E.	61	600	10.06
Mulry, W. H.	1753	3207	188.43
Myrom, P. O.	96	—	9.79
Myrom, Sig	38	1800	9.28
Manhattan Oil Co.	375	—	38.25
Manhattan Oil Co.	62	—	6.32
Manhattan Oil Co.	1744	—	177.89
McFarland, M. T.	140	—	14.28
Anderson, Nels K.		350	1.05
Burringrud, A. O.		1000	3.00
Carlson, Alfred		100	.30
Christianson, Ole		700	2.10
Eklund, Adolph		3000	9.00
Eklund, Andrew		1500	4.50
Elofson, Bessie Mrs.		825	2.47
Erickson, John E.		965	2.90
Holmgren, John A.		2000	6.00
Johnson, Emil		3038	9.11
Johnson, Lars A.		5000	15.00
Kretzschmer, Anna		1200	3.60
Norby, Bert. O.	6	—	.61
Nelson, Charles A.	70	—	7.14
Nelson, C. W.	152	—	15.50
Nelson, E. T.	70	—	7.14
Nelson, H. E.	110	—	11.22
Nelson, J. E.	28	—	2.86
Nelson, Nels H.	56	—	5.71
Nelson, Nels S.	64	—	6.53
Nelson, O. H.	493	1300	54.19
Nelson Yngve Motor Co.	184	384	19.92
Neset, Olaf	2038	500	209.36
Ness, Andrew	22	—	2.24
Ness, Ed.	59	—	6.02
Nesse, J. N. Dr.	302	300	31.70
Newell, H. B.	1531	1604	160.97
Nicholson, Geo. M.	49	—	5.60
Neilson, Knute	66	—	6.73
Neilson, Nells L.	39	50	4.13
Norhy, Bert	64	—	6.53
North American Creamery Company	35	—	3.57
Northwestern Memorial Company	130	—	13.20
Northern Woodwork Company	1301	2219	139.30
Oden, A. J.	104	—	10.61
Oen Mercantile Co.	16274	14298	1702.84
Oen, Evangeline	143	—	14.50
Offerdahl, Ole	54	—	5.51
Oftedahl, John	74	—	7.54
O'Hara Fuel & Ice Co.	418	64	42.83
Olson, Alfred E.	72	300	8.24
Olson, Freeman	42	—	4.28
Olson, H. M.	20	—	2.04
Orme, T. C.	99	500	11.60
Ostby, A. D.	134	—	13.67
Overland, E. J.	87	—	8.87
Olson, Alfred K.	53	—	5.41
Parbst, Otto C.	70	—	7.14
Patton, F. S.	121	—	12.34
Paulson, Oscar	63	—	0.43
Penney, J. C. Company	8864	1129	907.52
Peoples Co-op. Co.	809	1460	80.90
Peoples Oil Company	1637	1800	172.37
Peterson Biddick Co.	2140	900	221.59
Peterson, Hans H.	6	—	.61
Physicians Hospital Co.	692	—	70.58
Poleir, William	29	—	2.90
Pope, L. C.	119	—	12.14
Porter, C. H.	115	100	12.03
Pratt, Harry A.	67	—	6.83
Prichard Company	2663	—	271.63
Prichard, W. W. Jr.	56	—	5.71
Prichard, W. W. Sr.	96	—	9.79
Protz, Fred	49	—	5.00
Provencher, H. A.	53	—	5.41
Provencher, Julian	1479	9300	178.70
Prytz, Roy M.	57	—	5.81
Protzeller, H. W.	88	—	8.98
Palmer School of Chiropractic	200	—	20.40
Ralston, J.	45	—	4.59
Reliahle Motor Co.	1301	3600	145.33
Ryer, W. N.	38	—	3.87
Quale, Theo.	355	515	37.70
Queen City Bottling Works	180	—	18.30
Rambeck, O. A.	45	—	4.59
Rayson, L. M.	130	—	13.20
Red Lake Ice Company	698	1417	75.45
Red Lake Falls Mill Co.	1334	—	130.06
Red Owl Store	1167	1123	123.06
Releerson, T. J.	77	4459	21.24
Reynolds, E. B.	52	—	5.30
Rhodegaard, H.	65	—	6.63
Richards, Ernest J.	72	—	7.34
Rhodegaard, H. N. & Co.	887	2783	98.83
Risherg, Axel	30	—	3.00
Roark, P. W.	144	—	14.69
Roherts, H. E. A.	45	—	4.59
Robertson Lumber Co.	1483	—	151.27
Rolland, Elias	742	800	78.08
Rolland, J. L.	66	—	6.73
Roharge, V. F.	30	—	3.67
Rupprecht, Ottn "Estete"	23	—	2.35
Rustad, Ed. J.	27	—	2.75
Safford, H.	302	—	30.80
St. Martin, Oliver	257	—	26.21
Salveson, Sigrud	187	—	19.08
Sandeen Garage	1019	2300	110.84
Sannes, Ole	84	—	8.58
Scanlon, T. D.	34	—	3.47
Schermer, W. H.	50	—	5.10
Schmitz, Joseph S.	45	—	4.50
Schalherg, H. C.	26	—	2.65
Schuster, C. C.	22	—	2.24
Shaw, Daniel	102	—	16.52
Severson, Edward	19	—	1.94
Shanahan, F. M.	161	—	16.42
Silk, N. J.	142	—	14.48
Skog, John	103	—	10.51
Skorheim, O. L.	2	—	.20
Smith, W. E.	49	—	5.00
Smithers, Wm.	160	—	16.32
Snyder, C. C. Dr.	328	150	33.91
Soderberg, Erick	30	—	3.06
Sorenson, Milford	16	—	1.84
Stageberg, T. O.	73	200	8.05
Standard Oil Company	3234	—	829.86
Stanton, F. W.	25	—	2.55
Stehhins, F. J.	1797	350	184.34
Steen, James S.	80	—	8.10
Stitt, J. L.	80	—	8.10
Storholm, Christ	164	—	16.73
Storholm, O. J.	66	—	6.73
Stoughton, E. A.	9	—	.92
Strand, H. K.	930	—	94.86
Swanson, Albert S.	40	—	4.08
Swanson, O. E.	19	—	1.94
Swedenherg, A. W.	593	1000	63.49
Swift and Co.	380	600	40.56
Semlsch, H. W.	90	—	0.18
Sheedy, Wm.	184	—	18.77
Shaw Poster Ad. Company	688	—	70.18
Sullivan, R. D.	30	—	8.06
Steenerson, C. A.	124	—	12.65
Tassa, T. A.	90	—	9.18
Tessum, Gynther	89	—	8.97
Thief River Music Co.	2539	2000	264.98
Thief River Cream & Produce Company	27	—	2.75
Thief River Iron Works	1000	—	102.00
Taver, E. D.	102	—	10.40
Taxeraas, O. E.	70	350	8.19
Tessum, Olaf	53	—	5.41
Tessum & Company (Grain Tax $.98)	3148	4855	336.65
Thief River Clinic	320	8100	41.94
Thief River Co-op. Creamery Ass'n.	1750	—	178.50
Thief River Branch, Nash Finch Company	17352	33691	1870.98
Thief River Motor Co.	578	1270	62.76
Thief River Hatchery	223	300	23.65
Thief River Falls Times	3060	2953	320.98
Thoreson, A. W.	28	—	2.86
Toms, J. C.	54	—	5.51
Tonie's Tire Shop	152	—	15.50
Tungseth, E. L.	76	—	7.75
Twete, L. R.	37	—	3.77
Thronson, T. M.	128	—	13.06
Union Plumbing Co.	261	—	26.62
Vistaunet, P. L. Dr.	288	—	29.37
Vorachek, J. J.	10	47	1.16
Umland, Bert F.	37	—	3.77
Walker, Mary R. "Estate"	223	—	22.75
Wangenstein, A. & Son	1113	670	115.54
Ward, Gaston	73	—	7.45
Ward, John	75	—	7.65
Warner, Charles	12	—	1.22
Wasgren, J. A. Mrs.	52	—	5.80
Weeks, Rosa	70	—	7.14
Wetherbee, C. E.	30	—	6.06
White Eagle Oil & Refining Company	1378	—	140.56
Werstlein, Geo. W.	86	—	8.77
White, D. F.	47	—	4.79
Williams, G. G.	1762	3200	189.32
Williams, Oscar	65	—	6.63
Wilson, H. W.	95	—	9.69
Winger, Olaf G.	685	—	69.87
Wengler, John	36	—	3.67
Wyman, C. O.	334	300	34.97
Walker, James	818	—	82.44
Yngve, Anton	31	—	3.16
Yotter, J. O.	21	—	2.14
Olson, Mrs. Henry		100	.30
Rindahl, Andrew		7000	21.00
Swenson, Bengt		1000	3.00
Swenson, Ole		200	.60
Thune, Peter		7300	21.90
Wilken, Amund		500	1.50

Dairy Feeds

We have a large supply of International and Northup-King dairy feeds in the 16-20-24-32 per cent protien content.

We also have bran, shorts and egg mash.

Use Mascot flour--It's all the wheat that's fit to eat.

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We have a big supply of hard and soft coal and also pocohontas briquette coal on hand.

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C. Roe Grain Company

ST. HILAIRE, MINN

Arthur Hanson Local Manager

SHRINE TO MARK CLARK'S BRAVERY

Memorial to Rise on the Site of Fort He Retook From British.

Indianapolis.—Action by congress, and approved by President Coolidge, has given assurance that there will arise on the site of Fort Sackville in Vincennes a notable memorial to George Rogers Clark, who conquered the British and wrested from them control of the old Northwest on that spot 150 years ago next February 25.

An appropriation of $1,000,000 by congress for construction of the memorial, and appropriations by the state of Indiana and city of Vincennes totaling nearly $700,000 to buy the site, now covered with commercial and industrial buildings, and to construct adequate approaches to the memorial, make it possible to build the greatest historic shrine west of the Alleghenies.

The event to be commemorated was one of the bravest and most dramatic episodes of our national history. George Rogers Clark, twenty-six, and commander of the militia in the county of Kentucky, envisioned the peril to the Revolutionary cause in British inspired Indian raids from the territory northwest of the Ohio against the frontier settlers.

Shot Falls During Eclipse.

After great difficulty he obtained from the Virginia legislative council a secret order to organize the frontiersmen and march against the British posts in the Northwest. Little bands of pioneers were formed and eventually about 200 gathered at the rendezvous on Corn Island in the Ohio river at the falls where Louisville now stands.

There, on June 24, 1778, they set forth, shooting the falls at the moment of a partial eclipse of the sun. Down the Ohio to old Fort Massac, near the present town of Metropolis, Ill., and thence through the plains and wilderness to attack the British post at Kaskaskia their route lay.

The little garrison at Kaskaskia was thoroughly surprised, not dreaming of an attack from the harassed Kentuckians. On July 4, 1778, the post was captured without the firing of a shot while the garrison was in town at a dance. Cohokia, a British post several miles away, also soon was taken without difficulty, and the British post at Vincennes.

But at Detroit, territorial capitol, Henry Hamilton, the governor, organized a force of British regulars, Creole volunteers and Indians, and led them down the Wabash to Vincennes. Clark's lieutenant surrendered, with Clark far away at Kaskaskia. Winter set in. Hamilton placed the fort in good repair and arranged affairs for a speedy crushing of the Americans at Kaskaskia when spring should come.

Clark's situation was desperate. Cut off from his home base, he determined to do the so-called impossible—attack the British regulars at Vincennes. In mid-winter his men and the Kaskaskia Creoles, who volunteered for his service, set out for Vincennes. In a few days they reached the "drowned lands" of Illinois. Clark led his men through icy waters, mile after mile. The last few days they were without food.

Clark Recaptures Fort.

Yet in the face of these hardships the pioneer men finally reached Vincennes, renewed their courage and attacked a superior, well-trained enemy intrenched in a newly repaired fort. Hamilton and his men were so taken by surprise and shaken by the unerring accuracy of the Kentucky riflemen, and he was so deceived as to the force of Americans that he at length proposed capitulation. Only unconditional surrender was acceptable, and that he finally gave. British colors then were lowered, and domination of the region northwest of the Ohio passed over to the new United States.

It is to commemorate Clark's deed on its 150th anniversary that the memorial movement was begun. The Indiana commission tentatively has proposed that a hall of history be erected on the site of Fort Sackville, commemorating in mural painting and sculpture the winning of the region and its subsequent development.

Elephant Good Swimmer

The elephant swims more easily than it walks. It simply stands upright and treads water.

Live Without Slumber

The only fish that never sleep are the salmon, pike and goldfish.

TEX RICKARD PASSES

Body Was Taken to New York After Short Services At Miami Beach.

Miami, Fla.—Death has claimed George L. (Tex) Rickard, New York sports promoter. He succumbed in a hospital here to complications which set in after an operation for the removal of his appendix. Mrs. Rickard, Jack Dempsey, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Field of New York, Dr. E. H. Adkins were at the bedside when the maker of champions passed away.

Dempsey, gravely concerned over Rickards' condition since he heard of his friend's relapse Friday night, said: "It must come to every one, but its mighty hard to see Tex go." We can hardly carry on as he would have done. I have lost the best Pal I ever had, and not only myself, but the whole sporting world has lost its best friend. Later he said. "We plan to go through with Rickard's plan and ideas for the future as he had created them. So far as we know now, the fight between Stribling and Sharkey will be held on February 27, in Miami Beach as originally planned."

Architect, 81, Gets Rand Royalty.

Minneapolis—Nearly 50 years after he had envisioned the principle which makes possible the skyscraper of today, Leroy S. Buffington, engineer, architect and inventor of the building which has made millions for other men, will receive the first tangible recognition of his invention and his first royalties on a building constructed after his ideas. Rufus Rand, who is erecting the 25-story Rand building here, will pay Mr. Buffington the one-eighth of one per cent royalty on steel skeleton buildings, amounting to $2,250.

Three States Want Devere.

Memphis, Tenn.—As the center of a legal scramble because of the number of crimes which municipal and federal officials wish to clear up by convicting him, Frank "Bubbling Over" Devere, alleged ex-convict and bank robber de luxe, waits in his cell in Memphis while the United States government and cities in Minnesota, Iowa and South Dakota sought to take him into custody. Governor Henry Horton of Tennessee has granted extradition of the captive to answer

Polish Activity Disturbs Russia.

Berlin—Some light on soviet Russia's anxiety to conclude an antiwar treaty with Poland and Rumania may be shed by a dispatch from Prague, which describes military activity in Poland, apparently directed against its bolshevist neighbor. The dispatch says several large shipments of arms and munitions from France for Poland have arrived at Danzig in the last few weeks.

Puts Nonparty Cabinet in Force.

Belgrade—By suspending the constitution, dissolving parliament and appointing what is virtually a dictatorship in the form of a nonpolitical government headed by his personal friend, General Pera Zivkovitch, King Alexander of Jugoslavia has ended the political deadlock arising from the clash between the Croat autonomists and the Serb nationalists.

Small Cuban Sugar Crop Forecast.

Havana—That the new Cuban sugar crop will not exceed 4,600,000 tons was the belief expressed by Dr. John Mechodo Mene, executive secretary of the Cuban national sugar commission. Cuba's grinding season opened under a presidential decree which lifted all restrictions on the crop.

Newton Pleads Court Bill.

Washington — Representative Walter H. Newton appeared before the house judiciary committee to urge a favorable report on his bill providing for the division of the present eighth judicial circuit. The bill would create one new circuit.

Army Marches to Battle Indians.

Douglas, Ariz.—Echoes of old Indian warfare days sounded here, as an expedition left Agua Prieta to hunt down and capture or kill a band of Apaches was believed to be drawing near the Indian camp in the fastnesses of the Sierra Madre mountains.

Eight Escape In $100,000 Fire.

Winnebago, Minn.—Eight persons, including three children, were rescued on fire ladders from the second story of the Sharp building here when fire destroyed this large structure, causing losses aggregating $100,000.

Elihu Root on World Court.

Geneva—Elihu Root, noted American statesman, has notified the League of Nations of his acceptance of membership on a committee of jurists appointed to review the statutes of the World Court.

22 Missing in Volcano Eruption.

Santiago, Chile—Dispatches from Puerto Montt, based on unconfirmed reports of Carbineers, state that five families, totaling 22 persons, are missing in the area over which the eruption of Calbuco has poured lava.

Lindbergh to Open Pan-American Line.

New York—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh has announced that he would fly the plane which will open the Pan-American Airways, Inc., new mail route from Miami to the Panama Canal zone on February 4.

Buried Treasure Unearthed In Cuba.

Havana—Buried treasure consisting of Spanish doubloons, rare vases and some jewels, has been unearthed here. The law requires that such discoveries be turned over to the government, which shares in them.

LEGAL NOTICES

Notice of Mortgage Sale

WHEREAS, Default has been made by the mortgagors in the conditions and covenants of a certain mortgage and mortgage note duly executed and delivered by Ida M. Chapman and H. L. Chapman, her husband, mortgagors, to the Hoag Security Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, bearing date of April, 9, 1921 with a power of sale therein contained and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 22nd day of April, 1921 at 8 A. M. and was recorded in Book 51 of Mortgages on page 50 which said mortgage with the debt secured thereby was duly assigned by the Hoag Security Company, Mortgagee, to J. Z. I. Purdy and E. de La T. Purdy "as joint tenants and not as tenants in common" by written assignment signed Hoag Security Company by D. N. Winton, its president, and L. M. Hoag, its secretary, dated on the 28th day of April, 1921, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 8th day of July, 1925, at 8 A. M. and recorded in Book 63 of Mortgages on page 581.

There is now due and claimed to be due on said mortgage and the indebtness secured thereby, principal and interest at the date of this notice, the sum of One Thousand One Hundred Sixteen and 86-100 Dollars ($1116.86).

By reason of said default the said power of sale contained in said mortgage has become and is operative and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, viz: South Half (S1-2) of the Northeast Quarter (NE1-4) and West Half (W1-2) of the Southeast Quarter (SE1-4) of Section Ninteen (19), Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North of Range Forty-four (44) West of the Fifth Principal Meridan containing one hundred sixty acres more or less according to the United States government survey thereof, together with all hereditaments and appurtenances which sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington County at the front door of the court house in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State on the 29th day of January, 1929, at 10 A. M. of that day at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt of $1116.86 together with interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) attorneys fees as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure and the disbursements allowed by law subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale as provided by law.

Dated this 10th day of December 1928.

California Trust Company, Inc., Guardian of the Estate of E. de La T. Purdy, Incompetent Ward Mortgagee.

Paul A. Lundgren,
Attorney for Mortgagee
Thief River Falls, Minn.
D13-J17

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UNDERTAKER
Full Line Of Funeral Supplies On Hand
St. Hilaire, Minn. Nov 26th

The Market

(Corrected on Wednesday)

Northern Wheat	$.98
Durum Wheat	.87
Rye	.85
Barley	.48
Oats	.37
Flax	2.16
Eggs, cash	.25
Creamary butter	.51

NOTICE--Starting with December, I will be in St. Hilaire on the last Friday of each month during the winter to attend to business of the Farmers State Bank. For the purpose of conserving fuel, I will main- my headquarters at the Spectator office when in St. Hilaire, during the winter.

L. E. Healy,
Spec. Deputy Examiner

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Tuberculin Testing
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Office By Hotel Ogahmah
Block North from G. N. Depot

Sarcasm Flivvered

The buttonless husband thought he might get something done by the use of a little sarcasm, so he announced:

"Remind me to buy some needles and thread when I go out."

"Don't trouble to buy any," said his wife, casually. "You can always borrow mine, you know."

OH, THE CAT!

"Gwendoline, you never told me what you thought of my choice for a husband."

"Well, if you ask me Esmeralda, I think he necks just fine."

Caruso Cat Cured

Mary had a Thomas cat
That warbled like Caruso.
A neighbor hit him with a baseball bat
Now Thomas does not do so.

True Happiness

Emily—I am the happiest woman in the world. I am marrying the man I want.

Winnie—Oh, that's nothing. True happiness comes to a girl by marrying the man somebody else wants.

Merely on a Visit

Motorist (giving friend a lift)—Going too fast? You said you wanted to get to the hospital in a hurry.

Nervous Friend—Yes, but I d-don't want to a-stay there.

NOT TIES, BUT BONDS

"I hear she's held to her old husband by many ties."

"By many bonds, I'd say."

Two Millions Made One

She was a millionaire's daughter
And he was a millionaire's son;
They ran away and got married
And now the two million are one.

The Guilty Ones

Visitor—How does the land lie out this way?

Native—It ain't the land that lies; it's the real estate agents.

Buying to Order

Bill—You're buying your girl's face powder now?

Harry—Yes, some that won't show on a blue serge suit.

Such Is Life

Bill—Can you lend me a dollar? I don't get paid until tomorrow.

Jerry—Sorry; I got paid yesterday.

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School Proceedings

The postponed regular meeting of directors of Ind. School Dist. 102 held January 8th 1929.

All members present.

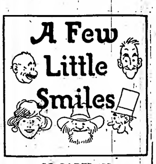
Minutes of last regular meeting approved as read.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed:

Minn. School Board Ass'n. Dues	$ 5.00
Norwestern Blaugas Co. Bill 1-1-29	6.75
M. Highland-Freight and drayage	10.98
W. M. Welch Mfg. Co. Supplies Bill 12-28-28	27.00
Fire Insurance premiums	353.92

No further business motion for adjournment carried.

E. O. Burkee, Clerk.



SO CARELESS

The young thing showed her engagement ring to her dearest friend.

"Oh, my dear, I'm surprised," exclaimed the d. f.

"I thought you'd be."

"Yes; I told Jack when I returned that ring to have it reset before he passed it along to anyone else and he hasn't done it."

In Reverse

"Have you heard that the Meiers have had a divorce?"

"Yes—why was it?"

"He wanted to live in the country and she wanted to stay in town."

"Where are they now?"

"She has gone back to the country to her mother—he is in town with his parents."—Dorfbarbier (Berlin).

Trouble With Watch

Patron—My watch which I bought from you has stopped. What is the matter with it?

Jeweler—It is a victim of what the doctors call "cachexia."

Patron—What in the world does "cachexia" mean?

Jeweler—It means run down.

Forewarned

Young couples who go to the city hall to obtain a marriage license give themselves away. You just can't mistake them. Of course the guards and the elevator men can spot a couple at once. One of the timorous kind got on an elevator recently to ride to an upper floor to the marriage clerk. The elevator stopped with the door an inch above the paving of the building.

"Watch your step," shouted the operator, and then, with a grin, "from now on."—Los Angeles Times.

Original Sin

It is lucky that our knowledge does not usually extend beyond our parents, or at the most our grandparents. If so much were also known of our more remote forbears, we should not have a single fault nor commit a single disreputable act which we should not attempt to justify as our inherited burden.—Arthur Schnitzler in Vanity Fair.

Sock in the Eye

One who knows something about life said the other day: "Few were ever permanently hurt by a 'sock in the eye.' The eye grows black and blue, and for a while feels very uncomfortable. But the blue wears away and the black wears away, and you can still see. Don't worry about a "sock in the eye."—It can't last.—Grove Patterson, in the Mobile Register.

Auto Overhauling

This is the best time of the year to have your car overhauled and put in shape for use next spring.

I have facilities for doing this work, and am making special prices for it during the winter months.

Grease-Oil-Gas-Storage

Store your car in my heated garage. A phone call will bring it, properly greased, filled with oil and gas, ready for use. Repairs of all kinds given prompt attention.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Dressed Turkey Week

We will start buying dressed turkeys again on January 21 and continue for one week. If you have any turkeys to dispose of we would advice selling at this time, as it will not pay to carry them over, when you have an opportunity to get them on the market now:

We are going to pay special prices delivered at our warehouse at Thief River Falls for above week. If you are unable to drive to Thief River, ship them in by express and you will receive the same treatment as if you were here yourself. Checks will be mailed same day shipment is received.

Live poultry getting scarce and we need lots of it to fill our orders. Have you any to sell?

We are in need of Med red clover-alsike-mamoth-sweet clover and timothy seed, so if you have any to sell get in touch with us or bring in a load at any time. Prices good. We will buy on clean basis after it is put over the mill, and you take back the screenings, or on a dockage basis.

If you want any seeds or flax cleaned for your own use, bring it in early before you get busy at something else. We will clean it for you and guarantee you a good job, at reasonable prices:

Yours Truly

Peterson Biddick Co.

Thief River Falls, Minn

The Blue Parrot Inn

You are cordially invited to call at the new cafe and get acquainted. Once you try our tasty, home baked pastry, you will always be a customer.

Instead of working over a hot stove at home on Sundays, bring the family to the Inn for our special Sunday dinner.

Lunches and meal at all hours

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

WHEREAS, Default has been made by the mortgagors in the conditions and covenants of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Peter Sabo and Inga Sabo, his wife, mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, bearing date the 2nd day of January, 1924, and, with a power of sale therein contained, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 2nd day of January, 1924, at three o'clock P. M., and duly recorded therein in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 117 thereof;

AND WHEREAS, Said default consists in the failure of said mortgagors to pay the sum of Twelve Dollars and twenty-two cents ($12.22), being the balance due and unpaid of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest which became due and payable on the 2nd day of July, 1927, and to pay tha semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest, each amounting to One Hundred, Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents ($171.88), which became due and payable on the 2nd day of January, 1928, the 2nd day of July, 1928, and the 2nd day of January, 1929, in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and to keep the buildings on said mortgaged premises insured as stipulated in and by the terms of said mortgage, in default of which the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, elected to and did on the 28th day of November, 1928, pay the sum of Twenty-two Dollars and fifty cents ($22.50) to effect such insurance, which default has continued to this date;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said defeult, and pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage and as authorized by law, the Department of Rural Credit, on behalf of the State of Minnesota, the mortgagee and owner and holder of said mortgage, has exercised and does hereby exercise its option to declare, and hereby does declare, the whole of the loan secured by said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith;

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable upon said mortgage, and the loan secured thereby, at the date of this notice, by reason of said election, the sum of Five Thousand One Hundred Ninety Dollars and eight cents ($5,190.08), unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from the 2nd day of January 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per centum per annum, and Five Hundred Twenty-seven Dollars and eighty-six cents ($527.86) amortized principal and interest, with interest on $12.22 thereof from July 9th, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, interest on $171.88 thereof from January 2nd, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, interest on $171.88 thereof from July 2nd, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, and interest on $171.88 thereof from January 2nd, 1929, at seven per centum per annum, in all the sum of Five Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-five Dollars and eleven cents ($5,765.11), including the amount paid for insurance, as aforesaid, with interest thereon at seven per cent from said date of payment;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, the said power of sale contained in said mortgage has become and is operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and covered by said mortgage, situate, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-six (28), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 25th day of February, 1929, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance paid as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and expenses allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 9th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee.
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.

Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS,
Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
Helmer M. Feroe,
Assistant Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
810 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (J10-F14)

Ancient Adornments

Closely releted to necklaces of precious etonee are the chains and collars of gold which appear to have been used by the Hebrews for ornament as well as official distinction, mnch es they are, to a certain extent, today. Ancient Persians were extremely fond of gold ornaments and conspicuous among the various objects were chains.

Wash House Plant

To guard bouse plants against insects, spray stems and leaves once a month or oftene with a solntion made by dissolving half a cake of soap shaved fine in a quart of boiling water, and adding four gallons of cold water. Apply with a whisk broom or spray, and rinse with clear water a half hour later.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Fairmont—A 10 pounds great northern pike was caught through tha ice on Tuttle lake by E. J. Albert.

Lakefield—Mrs. John Braedull, who makes her home with her niece, Mrs. Hans Husan, here, celabrated her ninety-ninth birthday anniversary.

Hastings — Mrs. Agnes Brennan, early resident of Welch township, Goodhue county, died et the aga of 84, after a short illness from pneumonia.

Springfield—Mrs. E. L. Nippolt was choeen president of the Alumni Association of Springfield at the annual get together.

Littls Falls—Morrison county warranty deeds totaled 537 in 1928, according to Fred Larson, register of deeds.

New Prague—Mrs. Catherine Pavek, 102 years old, died at her home hara. She is the second New Prague centenarian to dia within a month.

Blooming Prairie—Mrs. Ward Morton hae haen elected president of the Blooming Prairie high echool Alumni Association at its annual banqnat and meeting at the high school.

Winona—Benjamin Campbell of the fourth district wae elected chairman of the Winona county board of commissioners at their annnal meeting here. He succeeds E. J. Helm.

Owatonna—Mrs. Alfred B. Hart, Jr., was elected commissioner of the Owetonna Girls Sconts council et its annual meeting here, succeeding Mre. C. A. Tincher.

Blooming Prairie—Mrs. Jennie Siewert was named oracle to lead the Blooming Prairie unit of tha Royal Neighbors of America at its annnal meeting here.

St. Paul—Minnasota Saturday joinad with North Dakota and Montana in protesting any increase of ratas on grain and grain products in the western trunkline district.

Mankato — Funeral services for Charles Timmerman, operator of ona of the largest eigar factories in southern Minnasota, who died after a short illnese, were conducted here.

Hope—Records of the Hope Farmere Co-operativs Livestock Shipping Association disclosed that the marketing organization had one of its baet yaars during 1928. The organization ahippad 228 carloads of stock.

Litchfield—Funeral services for Mrs. A. T. Koerner, 84 yaars old, who died here have been conducted. She is survived by one son, P. O. Koernar of Litchfield, and a daughter, Mrs. Raph Stone of St. Paul.

Dawson—According to a report made by Fire Chief H. C. Bacon of the Dewson fire department, damagee of $167 were done by fira in Dawson in 1928. The amount is the lowest in several years.

Hastings—The $30,000 watar bond proposal for improving the wetar system in this city was rejarted et a special meeting by a majority of 402 votes against and 99 in favor of the issua.

Minneapolis—W. F. Kunze, president of the board of public welfare, will file for mayor within a few days. He is expected to be one of the principal opponents of Mayor George E. Leech in the primary campaign.

Gaylord—Mr. and Mrs. Georga A. McKenzie, Sr., parents of Clanda H. McKenzie, state senetor and repnblican national committeeman, have observed their fiftieth wedding anniversary at thair home here. Mrs. McKenzie is observing her birthday also.

St. Peter—Fire, discovered by passerby who saw smoke pouring throogh the windows, destroyed the Methodist Episcopal church hera. The loss is estimated at $25,000. An overbeated furnace is thought to havo caused the blaze.

Ramer—This village of about 300 population, which only two years ago was on the verge of bankruptcy, is today in "sound condition," and beginning to thrive again, largaly through the enactment of the so-called Remer bill at the 1927 legislative seeeion.

Appleton—Gunder Kivley, cashier of the First National Bank here, and connected with the institution for 40 years, has resigned and retired from active business life. His succesor es caehier will be named by tha directors, according to C. M. Kregs, president.

St. Pater—Funeral eervices have been conducted hera for H. C. Miller, pioneer of St. Pater, who died at tha age of 86. Mr. Miller, former newspaper publisher, postmaster, United States consul to Ecuador, state senator and local councilman, had not been in good health for eight years.

Virginia—Frank L. Lucke, Minneapolis bond salesman on trial in district court hera on a charge of forgary and misleading tha state commissionar of banks, through his counsel admitted having executed several promissory notes found listed among assets of the Aurora State bank of Aurora.

Eden Valley—M. E. Waller, 65 yeare old, Edan Valley banker, died hera as a result of cancer. Mr. Weller, well known throughout central Minnesota, was the head of a large mercantile firm in Eden Valley for 17 years. Ha left the concern to hecoma president and aotive head of the State bank of Eden Vallay.

Hamline—A special train of abont ten express cars will be pressed into service next month to bring exhibits from the Chicago motor car exhibition to the Northwest Anto Show at the Minnesota State Fair grounds. The Chicago exposition closes the day the Northwest show opens and the train will start for the Twin Cities as soon as the last visitor leaves the Coliseum in the Windy City. The local show opens Feb. 2. Another big consignment of cars, chasis and accessory will be rushed here from the New York [illegible]

THE

CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Clara church at 10:30 a. m. and in the local church at 3:00 p. m.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor

Services next Sunday, Jan. 20th as follows:
St. Pauli, 11:00 A. M. Norwegian
Ebenezer, 3:00 P. M. Norwegian.

SWEDISH MISSION
Rev. C. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00.

St. Hilaire
Methodist-Community Church
Rev. Edith Grays, pastor.

No services until further notice.

Thank You All

We wish to thank all whose names appear below for renewals and new subscriptions received from them the past week. Some of the names have appeared on our list for more than 20 years, and we are naturally pleased to see them continue. Thanks again to J. R. Larson, Marvin Miller, Mrs. Gust Anderson, John O. Swanson, Gust Peterson, Albert Seaverson, Wm. Bergland, Aug. Bergland, Claus Adolphson, Gust Erickson, C. R. Melin, Bennie Johnson. Chr. Kruse, Sr, Anton E. Anderson S. M. Hoff, Mrs. Carl Gustafson, Dr. C. Swanson, Herman Anderson, Red River Power Co, Mrs. A. L. Patterson, A. F. Hall, Rev. E. B. Dahlstrom, Harry Johnson, Mrs. A. W. Howie, H. F. Hanson, Erick Anderson, Sam Lorentson, Philip Anderson, Theo. Skatrud, H. A. Olsen, H. R. Allen, John R. Gothiea, Mark Harder, Rev. D. G. Jacobson, James Amble.

For Sale:-Nice shepard pups at $1.00 each. Mother is first class cattle dog. Call on

Philip Anderson,
R3 Red Lake Falls, Minn.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Estray—A sorrel colt, age 3 years, strayed from my place near Dorothy about three weeks ago. Anyone having it in possession, or knowing its whereabouts, kindly notify

John Drees,
J-10-17 pd Dorothy, Minn.

World's Tallest Building Is Planned for Chicago

Chicago.—Chicago gave birtb to the skyecroper and now it is to regoin the honor of heving the tallest bnilding in the world.

The Cbicogo Tower, which hoa been ennounced for coostruction in February, will rise 880 feet above the etreet level of Wocker drive, exceeding tbe beight of tbe Woolworth building by 88 feet.

Tha Chicago Tower will bave e gross floor aree of 5,097,778 square feet which will meke it the largest building in the world.

Nine clesses of tenancy will be incinded in tha new bnilding. Beeides a 75 etory office bnilding the skyecraper will honse tbe Chicego Apparel Mart, a 440-room botel, a 25-story garage, two clubs ond two convention boils.

The building will be erected on air rights over the Illinois Central railroad tracks and its estimoted coet is $45,000,000.

Walter W. Abischlager is tbe archi tect for the Chicago Tower.

Morn and Night

We often get np in the morning feeling like a stnnt flyer and go to bed et night feeling like e pedestrian crossing the etreet.—Ohio State Journal.

Success Spells Failure

More men are failures on eccount of success than on account of failnres, thinks the successful business men in the American Magazine.

Let Charity Be Wise

It is wicked to withdraw from being useful to the needy, and cowardly to give away to the worthless.—Epictetus.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

WHEREAS, Defeult has been made by the mortgagors in the conditions and covenants of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John W. Denhart, also known as John William Denhart, and Ester Vidacy Denhart, his wife, mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, mortgegee, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1925, and with a power of sele therein contained, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 12th dey of March, 1925, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded therein in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 309 thereof;

AND WHEREAS, Said default consists in the feilure of seid mortgegors to pay the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest, amounting to One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents, ($171.88), which became due and payable on the 16th day of August, 1928, in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and to keep the buildings on said mortgaged premises insured as stipulated in and by the terms of said mortgage, in default of which the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, elected to and did on the 11th day of August, 1928, pay the sum of Twenty-two Dollers and fifty cents ($22.50) to effect sucb insurance, which default has continued to this date;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of seid default, and pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage end as authorized by law, the Department of Rural Credit, on behalf of the State of Minnesota, the mortgegee and owner and holder of said mortgage, has exercised end does hereby exercisa its option to declare, and hereby does declare, the whole of the loan secured by said mortgage to be due and payeble forthwith;

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and peyeble upon seld mortgage, and the loan secured thereby, at the date of this notice, by reason of said election, the sum of Five Thousand Two Hundred Ninety-one Dollars end sixty-two cents ($5,281.62), unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from tha 16th dey of August, 1928, et the rate of five and one-fourth per centum per annum, and One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents ($171.88) amortized principal and interest, together with interest thereon from the 16th day of August, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, in all the sum of Five Thousand Six Hundred One Dollers end seventy-eight cents ($5,801.78), including the amount paid for insurance, as aforeseid, with interest thereon at seven per cent. from seid dete of peyment;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, the said power of sale contained in said mortgege has become and is operative, end no action or proceeding having been instituted et lew or otherwise to recover the debt secured by seid mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sele conteined in seid mortgage, and pursuent to the stetute in such case mede end provided, the seld mortgaga will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and covered by said mortgage, situate, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) and that fractional part of the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE¼ of SW¼), being and lying East of the Right of Way of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company, as the same is located over and across said Government Subdivision, all being in Section One (1), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Ranga Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 179 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be mede by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 25th day of February, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendua to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on seid mortgage, including said insurance paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and expenses allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one yeer from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 9th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Cheirman,

Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
Helmer M. Feroe,
Assistant Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Peul, Minnesota. (J10-F14.)

Wild Goose Chase

Belief is expressed thet monsters of the Jurassic period mey yet be alive in the junglee of Centrel America. The tired business men who wants variety in his vecation may take notice.—Boston Transcript.

Roughing It

"Rongbing it," in thie red-blooded ege, consists in spending a week et e mountein ebeck where the plumbing isn't concealed and there isn't e single full-length mirror.—Los Angeles Times.

Glass for Display

Novegem is the neme applied to bits of glass of e high index of refraction, cut and polished and used in jeweled arches and other electrical displays.

The Inexplicable Sex

When thoroughly convinced that the man can cause her unhappiness, a woman is happiest in love.—Vanity Fair.

Secret of Happiness

If yon are able to forget fancied injuries, you have found one of the secrets of happiness.—Atchison Globe.

Acquired Needs

Turn-about is fair play. In this age of luxury invention is the mother of necessities.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Happy in Our Illusions

This world's a place, all said and done, by fond illusions ruled; that man has mighty little fun who never can be fooled.

Over and Under

Fewer crimes would be undertaken if more criminals were overtaken.—Wall Street Journal.

Wisdom of Confucius

It is hard not to chafe at poverty, a high thing not to be proud of wealth.—Confucius.

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The Creamery List

Herewith is a list of checks for more than $50 which were issued by the creamery this week for cream delivered during December. The list shows a good increase over that of the previous month. It is expected it will be larger each succeeding month from now until next fall.

Novak & Son	$282.10
N. E. Beehe	220.93
Anton Bros.	213.26
Christ Anton	205.53
I. A. Rotzlar	198.75
Mrs. J. Thorstveit	198.49
C. H. Swanson	194.94
C. Kruse	173.15
Fred Ulrich	165.11
K. T. Dalager	144.50
H. Johnson	143.81
Walbeck Bros.	140.21
Emil Person	133.95
Frank Bothman	127.43
And. Ortloff	126.78
Wm. Rinkenberger	125.52
Geo. Haupt	113.33
H. R. Allen	112.41
F. Schmidt	109.72
J. A. Anderson	106.69
Anton Johnson	106.33
B. Walseth	105.60
Swan Weiberg	103.21
I. Iverson	102.36

Carl Zinter, $99.66, H. Jepson, 99.08, Ole Larson, 99.04, T. Mogen, 98.68, E. Hetzer, 97.24, E. H. Stephens, 94.99, C. J. Swanson, 93.23, A. Swanson, 91.94, V. G. Brink, 89.36, J. J. Larson, 88.43, E. W. Swanson, 86.77, Mrs. A. P. Anderson, 86.00, Swanson Bros., 83.78, Fred E. Rux, 82.42, C. E. Naplin, 80.82, Emil Larson, 79.39, John Maakrud, 77.68, D. J. Johnson, 76.46, F. Anderson, 76.24, R. Melin, 75.84, John Norman, 75.14, Ole Hagglund, 74.95, L. A. Westphal, 73.96, And. Mortensen, 73.85, H. Ortloff, 73.61,

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Dan Shaw Resigns

Postmaster Dan Shaw at Thief River Falls, has resigned his position because of ill health, and John Morgan, who formerly held that position, has heen named acting postmaster. Mr. Shaw's resigination is made such that he will take a six months vacation, and, if after that time his health improves to such extent that he can resume work, he will do so, otherwise the resigination will be effective.

Regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the creamery, was held Monday afternoon.

Carnival Tomorrow

The high school students and teaching corps are making great preparations for their annual school carnival which takes place at the school auditorium tomorrow evening. A musical play entitled "Peanuts and Pennies" will be the main feature. This play is said to be alone well worth the small price of admission. Several other fine features will also be given. As in past years, there will also be an array of booths to give the event a carnival atmosphere. There will be something going on every minute, and no one should miss it.

Demonstation Friday

Young and Erickson, local agents for the Whippet and Willys-Knight cars, will have a new 1928 Whippet car here tomorrow for display and demonstration. The new model is a fine appearing job, and is said to be as sturdy as it is good appearing

Due to lack of room, the garage will not have a line of new cars on floor until about March 1st, though they can make delivery now of any model.

Auction Tomorrow

Ed and Wm. Engh have bills out advertising an auction sale of house hold goods and other articles, which sale takes place tomorrow afternoon at their residence a block south of Satterberg's feed barn in this village.

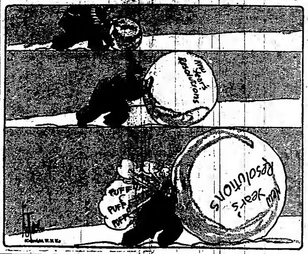
After recent death of their mother, the boys found it took too much of their time they needed in operation of their garage, to maintain the residence, consequently they decided to sell the household goods at auction. Their chattels are all in best of condition and should find ready sale.

A cold wave predicted for the entire state Monday evening materialized the following morning. A high northwest wind drifted the snow so it hampered auto traffic, and hus service was cut off during the afternoon.

Yesterday morning the mercury was down to 25 below, but the wind had subsided so it was possible to clear the roads.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

The First Weeks Are the Easiest



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mrs. John P. Nelson is reported to be quite ill at her home in the Addition north of the village.

For Rent--Well improved farm adjoining the village. In excellent condition. Call on or address,
J54-31pd W. Hartje, St. Hilaire, Minn.

Sheriff Ole Ihle was down Monday from Thief River attending to business matters in connection with his official position.

Come on in! Join the chorus of laughs with Laura LaPalante and Glenn Tryon in "THANKS FOR THE BUGGY RIDE" here next Saturday and Sunday.

Mike Highland is taking a vacation this week altho it is not entirely to his liking. He is suffering from after effects of influenza and was taken last evening to the hospital at Thief River for treatment.

Tony Carlson, secretary-treasurer of the Carlson Merc. Co., came down with an assistant from Holt on Tuesday to invoice the stock in the local store.

Among the oldtime subscribers of the Spectator who renewed the last week, is Andrew Soderberg of Biola, Calif. Mr. Soderberg was one of the early pioneer settlers in this community and farmed here many years before going to California.

J. E. Draeger, special deputy bank examiner, made his regular weekly trip to Bagley yesterday where he gave attention to matters in connection with the Clearwater County State Bank. He was accompanied by Mrs. Draeger and two children who visited friends there during the day.--Gonvick Banner.

Harvey Olsen and Hilmer Nelson who are both employed at Fargo, motored up Sunday morning for a visit at their respective homes. Upon returning, they drove down a new Essex car which the former bought thru the local agency.

The N. E. Beebe family will return home this week after a seven weeks auto tour during which time they visited relatives at Pelican Rapids, Rapidan and Mankato in this state, with friends in different parts of Illinois, and, spent some time looking after matters in connection with real estate owned near Mercedes in the Rio Grande district of Texas.

The second session of the "Dairy Feeding School to be held here this winter, will be held at the Imperial hall on Friday, Feb, 8th.

Only two men are now employed at maintenance work on the local section of the Great Northern which is about twenty miles in length.

Wanted:-Work with team such as wood, ice, hay, coal hauling, etc. If you have hauling of any kind, please phone No. 70.
E. Hilligoss, City.

Rev. M. L. Dahle left Monday to attend the northern Minnesota conference of Norwegian Lutheran churches which is held at Moorhead this week.

L. E. Healy, receiver of the closed Farmers State Bank, will be here tomorrow on his regular monthly trip to attend to business of the bank.

You'll thank Laura LaPlante and Glenn Tryon for an hour of hilarity when you see them in "THANKS FOR THE BUGGY RIDE" at the Imperial next Saturday and Sunday.

A meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held Friday afternoon at the school building. Rev. Edith Grays of Thief River was present and gave a splendid address, taking for her subject "Law Enforcement."

Arne Vik was the winner of the first prize, a rug, offered to the customer making the largest purchases at the Carlson Merc. Co., pre-inventory sale held recently. Andrew Ortloff and G. Bergland were winners of the second and third prizes, each being given a blanket.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Ulrich left Thursday by car, for their former home at Beach, Mont., after spending the holidays at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ulrich and Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. John Lehmkuhl. Miss Dorthy Ulrich accompanied them.

Sheriff Ole Ihle of this county, assisted by the Sheriff of Marshall County, and a big group of deputy sheriffs sworn in for the occasion staged one of the biggest raids on illict liquor dealers ever attempted in this county, at Thief River Falls a week ago. Preparation for the raid had gone on for several weeks, and it is reported a mass of evidence was secured before arrests were made.

Win From Goodridge

The high school basketball team were at Goodridge last Friday evening for a game with the high school team of that village. The local hoys had no difficulty in holding their opponents this time, taking the lead at opening of the game and maintaining it to the final whistle when the score was 18 to 4. Due to close guarding, the Goodridge lads were able to connect with the hoop only once, the other two points being made by free throws.

Annual Creamery Meeting

The annual meeting of the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Association will he held at the Imperial Hall in St. Hilaire, Minn., on Monday, February 4th, 1929, at 1 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year and to transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.
N-24-31 F. S Erdmann, Sec'ty.

State To Pay Taxes

A bill has been introduced in the legislature, which if it hecomes a law, will permit the State of Minnesota to pay school taxes on farm lands which have been acquired hy the state thru the Rural Credit Bureau. While text of the bill is not available at this time, it is understood payment of school taxes will be made only in counties where 5 percent or more of farm lands has been acquired by the Bureau. The bill does not provide for payment of any other tax but school taxes.

The Erickson & Young garage has recently purchased a car and wrecking equipment which is heing fitted up for service. A wrecking car that could get to scene of accidents in a hurry, has been needed here for some time and the new one will fill the requirement.

Rev. A. H. Bergford returned to the village yesterday from a trip to Detroit Lakes where he has been since Monday in attendance at a conference of circuit officers and general president of the Northern Minnesota District of the Norwegian Church of America, Preparation of the budget for the coming year was among the matters which received attention from the officers during the session.--Gonvick Banner.

Petit Jury Called

Herewith is a list of petit jurors called for the February term of district court which will be held at Thief Rives Falls first part of next month. St. Hilaire will have two representatives on the inry this term, and there are a number of others from this immediate locality:

Name	Residence
Mrs. Albert Geske	Rockshury
Mrs. Axel Risberg	Thief River Falls
Miss Mary Stensrud	North
Mrs. Osmund Urdahl	Goodridge
Mrs. Otto Rehm	Kratka
Thos. Halhack	Numedal
Mrs. E. M. Schutt	Thief River Falls
Ole Larson	Sanders
C. A. Swanson	River Fal's
Eldor Johnson	Bray
Fred Anderson	Star
Mrs. Sam Swanson	Mayfield
Olaf Haugen	Deer Park
Miss Ella Nelson	Bray
Henry Hanson	Numedal
I. A. Rolstad	Wyandotte
Mrs. E. O. Burkee	St. Hilaire
Elmer Adolphson	Thief River Falls
Paul Roy	St. Hilaire
Gust Naplin	Polk Center
Hans Solberg	Star
Chas. M. Evenson	Thief River Falls
Harry Johnson	Polk Center
Walter Aubol	Rockshury
Mrs. Peter Amundson	North
Paul Gilbertson	River Falls
Soren Bergland	Thief River Falls
Henry Rumestrand	Kratka
Ernest Yonke	Sanders
Oscar Thoreson	Highlanding

25 Years Ago

J. M. Richards, manager of the Crookston Lumber Company, was here looking after husiness at the local plant.

Robt. Fritz and family left for Thief River Falls where they expected to make their home.

Heinrich Cuno was laid up with a badly frozen foot, part of which would have to be amputated.

N. Beebe, father of N. E. Beebe of this place, died at Upland, Calif.

Miss Helma Nelson went to Thief River to spend a week with friends.

H. J. Enderle returned after spending a few weeks in Illinois in interest of the Julius Pleth Land Company.

Ole Magnuson bought R. Anderson's lunch counter in the Bjerk saloon and took possession that week.

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Starting Out Right

Almost everyone starts a new year by making some sort of resolution. The new year always holds out hope, and prospects look better.

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St. Hilaire - - - - - Minnesola

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St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n

St. Hilaire, Minn.

HER DEAD SEA FRUIT

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

ANGEVINE KIRK was passing the hall table when an unusual impulse made her turn back to look at the mail lying there in two neat piles, papers and magazines one place, letters another. It was seldom she received a letter for she wrote none. In fact, there was nobody to write to any more. And yet there was a letter directed to herself! Without recognizing the handwriting she tore it open and read it while through an open door somewhere the odors of the dinner being prepared by Mrs. Newton and Bessie gathered in intensity.

She smiled scornfully as her glance flew from word to word, then she laughed. She laughed again after she had reached her room upstairs where she reread the letter, dwelling upon its contents more particularly. Minnie Sprague had written to her—Minnie Sprague of all people. What is more, Minnie Sprague had asked her back to Westmore for a week-end visit!

She crushed the letter in her hand and tossed it into the wastebasket, but the phrases lingered in her mind as she brushed her hair and changed her office uniform for a soft crepe. Minnie would not have written if she did not really want her. "Must have got my address from Mrs. Piper," Angevine thought. Mrs. Piper was storing a few things that belonged to Angevine against that time when, too old to work, she might set up a home for herself. An old maid's paradise of course; Minnie had the man she had always wanted. Irony for Minnie to ask her to come back after fourteen years and see how happy she was with Frank.

"She wants a chance to sample my Dead sea fruit," Angevine thought, as she ate the chicken, Maryland style—Mrs. Newton was a fine cook—laughed at a joke of Mr. Everson's and enjoyed the table decoration of zinnias captured from the first frost. Her thoughts were busy with the subject of her invitation, doubtful, curious, yet tempted. By the time the cream pie came she had decided to take Minnie at her word. "If she thinks I'm afraid to come I'll show her that she is mistaken. Even if I haven't got over the fact that Frank Sprague threw me over for my dearest friend I think I can mystify her a little. And if I must take my Dead Sea fruit along for her to inspect I'll take only the finest specimens and pretend I prefer them to all others."

Three days later Angevine packed a suitcase with her choicest wearing apparel and began her journey of eighty miles.

Very composed and charming in her black tailored suit, sable stole and black-and-white hat she stepped from the train at the Westmore station and found Minnie Sprague's chauffeur waiting for her. She entered the comfortable sedan and was rapidly driven to the old Sprague home where once she had hoped to enjoy a lifetime of usefulness as the wife of the man she loved. As she mounted the steps Minnie came out to receive her. Accompanying her was her son, a lad of thirteen.

"Angie, dearest! I'm so glad to see you. Come right in; Paul, please take her suitcase to the west chamber. Would you like to go up at once, Angevine?"

Angevine went upstairs. The room was lovely in its buff and white with a touch of blue. She sighed as she opened her suitcase and took out her gray crepe, her gray hose and strapped pumps. Gray became her, for she was dark and spirited looking. But how pretty Minnie was! Fair, plump, white-skinned after fourteen years. Suddenly her Dead sea fruit seemed to crumble and show their ashen content.

They dined alone, Minnie, Paul and Angevine. There was a maid, evidence of money everywhere, from the late Mrs. Aaron Ward roses in the cut-glass bowl to the soft fire in the grate.

"Mr. Sprague is out of town," Minnie explained. "I am expecting him home tonight, though."

After supper they had a pleasant evening alone together before the fireplace. Minnie laughed a good deal, but veered off from personalities. She was interested in Angevine, but not curious.

"You look successful and satisfied," she said.

Angevine produced her finest specimen of Dead sea fruit.

"I am. Nothing to wish for, really. We are like one family at Mrs. Newton's, where I have been so long, it seems like home. And you," she said, laughing, "look as sleek and contented as a cat that has been fed on chicken and cream."

"Oh, Frank is a great money-maker," Minnie replied lightly.

The next morning as Angevine, dressed in a trim serge with charming touches of scarlet, came downstairs, a door opened and Frank Sprague appeared before her. He stared at her unbelievingly, then came forward with outstretched hand.

"How do you do, Angevine? Sorry I couldn't be here last night to see you."

Angevine replied in kind. But her thoughts whirled. He had not changed save for a line or two of silver in his gold hair and his manner, which was more assured.

Her Dead sea fruit seemed literally to lose all power to deceive as she accompanied Frank to the dining room where the radiant Minnie waited. Paul had not yet appeared.

They had passed the cereal stage and were beginning on the waffles when Paul entered.

"Well, son," Frank said. "What did I tell you about being late for breakfast? Looks as if you and I would have to have a little settlement."

"I'm sure there's no harm in Paul's sleeping a little longer than usual, Frank," Minnie said quickly. "Especially when he is tired."

"Tired! Tired at his age!" Frank scoffed. "What has he done to get tired? No son of mine shall grow up to be another Roger Preston."

Roger Preston was Minnie's brother and Angevine knew just how worthless he had been as a boy. She heard Minnie give a gasp, saw her flush and swallow hard.

"You needn't always be throwing poor unfortunate Roger up to me, Frank," she cried.

"I'm not throwing him up to you, my dear. I'm only trying to impress upon you that one example of that kind in our immediate family is enough."

A perfect storm of angry, unpardonable words followed. No sense or control, and no regard for the amazed guest. Paul sprang up and flung out of the room. His mother followed him, Angevine was left alone with Frank, but he was scarcely aware of her presence. Presently she, too, withdrew and went to her room.

There Minnie found her.

"I want to apologize for what happened, Angevine," she said. "But it is no unusual occurrence, Frank never lets up on the boy. It's too bad. Paul's all right." And sitting down she talked at length, blaming her husband, extenuating Paul and herself. "Frank has an obsession that darling Paul is like my poor brother used to be," she sighed. "And that he'll come to the same end unless he gets a lot of trimming now. Of course it is all unreasonable and childish. It makes me miserable. And it sets Paul against his father."

Angevine said nothing as she listened. She saw the whole thing clearly. Minnie stood by her boy, undoing all his father tried to do. And Frank was hasty and unsympathetic, not much more right in his method than was Minnie in hers. She wondered how it would all end. Not happily for the boy she was certain if Minnie went on pampering him on the sly and his father scolded him in public.

The day passed. Church, an afternoon motor ride and two exquisite meals. Paul was sullen to his father, and barely tolerant to his mother. His father thundered at him, his mother shielded him. It was all very unpleasant and Angevine was glad when it was over.

She left by the early train Monday morning. Minnie kissed her good-by, Frank saw her upon the train. They both begged her to come again.

She reached her own room at noon. Such a sweet, pretty room! Her books and pictures welcomed her. Luncheon would be ready in ten minutes. She was hungry.

Oh, home was good, her job was good, her own money good. Had she really loved Frank Sprague or envied Minnie? Better a thousand times to be an old maid than to live like that!

Then suddenly she found herself laughing with real joy. Her poor Dead sea fruit! It did not seem possible but—they had changed to peaches!

Dogs an Afterthought in "Uncle Tom's Cabin"

No dogs pursued Eliza over the ice floe, in the book, and I find no hint of bloodhounds in the playbills and the advertising woodcuts until 1879, when a Broadway company in which Jennie Yeamans played Topsy introduced both dogs and horses on stage.

Boys in the North and West grew to manhood in the belief that the bloodhound is a large and fierce-looking animal rather than the woebegone, bleary-eyed, flop-eared hound of reality, because the bloodhounds of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" always were Great Danes or mastiffs.

This was a concession to popular error. The bloodhound, or trail dog, as the Southern negro calls him, is merely a hound with a specialized nose for human scents. The dog itself was a visual anti-climax, and if early "Tom" shows employed them they soon learned their error and gave the public what it wanted.

A. B. Stover of Boston, a "Tom" show magnate of the '80s, had three Great Danes that nightly gave every appearance of being about to make mincemeat of Eliza. This bit of realism was not attained by accident. Stover fed the dogs in one fashion only. Once a day he bought them a quantity of ground meat, which he divided in equal portions and tied in three red bandanna handkerchiefs. Stover hung each bandanna in turn about his neck and made the dogs, one at a time, jump for it repeatedly before it was given to them. The dullest dog soon associated red bandannas with meat, and as Eliza was careful to wear such a kerchief about her neck in crossing the ice, the Great Danes leaped at her throat fearsomely. —Wesley W. Stout in the Saturday Evening Post.

We Can't?

Who is without cant in a land where cant is a material vice?—American Magazine.

HAZEL NEWS

Miss Edna Prestby stayed at E. Prestby home Wednesday evening.

E. N. Melvie was a St. Hilaire business caller on Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Holton visited at the Ole Odegaard home on Friday.

Miss Anna Melvie visited Sunday at the A. Anderson home.

Naomi Johnson visited at the E. N. Melvie home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Denhart visited at the Carl Prestby home Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard were Thief River Falls callers on Wednesday.

Miss Anna Melvie visited Tuesday evening at the Ole Odegaard home.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lokken and daughter, Margaret, visited at the C. Alberg home on Sunday.

Mrs. Adrain Anderson and daughter, Mayme, visitsd at the E. Holten home Saturday evening.

Mr. Martin Knutson accompanied by Myrtle Dahl autoed to Thief River Falls Sunday where the latter visited at her home.

Miss Mildred Denhart returned to Thief River Falls Saturday evening after spending a couple of days at her parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Melvie motored to Thief River Falls Wednesday evening where they visited with friends.

Mr. Martin Knutson of Bemidji came Friday to visit at the home of his brother Ed Knutson. He returned to his home on Monday.

Axel Rassmusen, Erling and Carl Prestby autoed to Thief River Falls Wednesday evening where the latter had his car repaired.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Odegaard and son, Harvey, Mrs. A. Anderson, and Miss Eliza Hendrickson autoed to Thief River Falls Monday where Harvey received medical attention.

South River Falls

Miss Theo. Burstad went to Grand Forks last week.

Paul Anderson called at the P. W. Peterson home Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Peterson and family visited at the Erickson home Monday evening.

Thorstein Walseth was a social caller in St. Hilaire, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Paul Thyren visited at the L. Peterson home Monday afternoon.

Donald, Marvin, Ivanette and Evelyn Thyren visited with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Thyren.

Mrs. Aug. Erickson and Leonard Erickson visited at the Samuelson home and P. W. Peterson home on Sunday.

The school board in Dist. 133J. meet in the school house Monday evening for the purpose of opening bids for wood. Arthur and Edgar Peterson were given the job.

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The Pity of It

Lots of people are sure they are right who never go ahead.—Boston Transcript.

Banana Prolific Plant

An ordinary crop of bananas yields approximately 82,000 pounds of food per acre.

Evil in Satiety

I hold this to be the rule of life: Too much of anything is bad.—Terence.

LEGISLATION TO HELP FORESTRY

Congress Authorizes Purchase of Land in Three Lake States.

Washington.—Legislation which its proponents believe will give a substantial impetus to forestry work is one of the achievements of the congressional session.

Under the McNory-Woodruff law expenditure of $8,000,000 during the next three years for the purchase of national forest lands is authorized while the McNary-McSweeney law authorizes greatly increased expenditures for forest research, says the Chicago Tribune.

Both bills had the backing of the American Forestry association and other organizations and of the Department of Agriculture.

Provide Three-Year Program.

Of the $8,000,000 for the purchase of forest lands, $2,000,000 becomes available on July 1, 1928, $3,000,000 on July 1, 1929, and $3,000,000 on July 1, 1930. Originally a program for the expenditure of $4,000,000 over a period of ten years was contemplated, but the bill as passed provides for only a three-year program in order to keep within the recommendations of the budget bureau.

The McNary-McSweeney law makes it possible gradually to increase present and actual expenditure of about $1,190,000 by the Department of Agriculture for forest research to a maximum of $3,575,000. It is proposed that the maximum will be reached at the end of a ten-year period, approximately equal annual increases being made until the limit of the authorization is reached.

For Experiment Stations.

The current appropriation for forest experiment stations is $337,000 and annual increases would amount to $65,000 to $70,000 a year and reach $1,000,000, the maximum authorized under the new law, in ten years. Similarly the appropriation for forest products is $500,000 and appropriations would increase at the rate of about $50,000 annually. Current appropriations for forest range research are $45,000 and would increase at the rate of about $25,000 a year.

One of the sections of the McNary-McSweeney law provides for a comprehensive forest survey of forest needs, forest growth, and forest resources, a new undertaking for which no funds are at present available. An initial appropriation of $75,000 is contemplated, this to be increased the second year to $150,000, and the third year to $250,000. Thereafter $250,000 would be appropriated annually until a total of $3,000,000 has been used.

With the exception of the provision for a forest survey the annual increase over the ten-year period for forest research appropriations would approximate from $215,000 to $220,000.

Enlarge Research Units.

Under the law existing research units or stations in the Department of Agriculture would be continued and enlarged. Eleven existing regional forest experiment stations located in the major forest regions of the United States would be continued and enlarged in accordance with the requirements of the respective forest regions in which they are located. Similarly the activities of the forest products laboratory would be expanded. The law authorizes the secretary of agriculture in his discretion to establish and maintain several new forest experiment stations.

"The department believes that a program for at least ten years is necessary if such a long activity of forest research is to be developed in a sustained, far-sighted way," said Secretary of Agriculture Jardine in explaining the purpose of the McNury-McSweeney law. "A long term program will afford one of the most effective means of stimulating men to train for research and thereby of meeting one of our most critical needs.

Many Important Problems.

"A large percentage of the important problems on which research should be undertaken will require at least ten years for solution. Most of them should not be undertaken without reasonable assurance, such as a ten-year program affords, that they can be carried through to completion."

In explaining the McNory-Woodruff act Secretary Jardine emphasized the proposal to add to forest lands already acquired in the East and South, 2,500,000 acres in the middle western states of Michigan, Wisconsin, and Minnesota. The purchases are made by the national forest reservation commission for the purpose of acquiring forest lands on the watersheds of navigable streams.

"The lake states contain large areas of cut-over land which originally supported white and Norway pines," said Secretary Jardine. "After the virgin timber was cut jack pine and scrub hardwoods followed in many places, but in others even this inferior growth has been practically destroyed by fire, so that it will be necessary to re-establish a forest cover by artificial means.

Forests of Lake States.

"The forests of the lake states have contributed an enormous amount of timber for the upbuilding of the industries of the nation, and it is essential in our future economy that these lands be restored to timber production

"Of the total original forested area of 112,000,000 acres in the three states of Michigan, Wisconsin, and Minnesota, less than 24,000,000 acres now remain; while of the cut-over lands

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Through its connecting strait, which is only about 800 feet wide, the heavily salted waters of the Caspian flow in a steody torrent, for the higher rote of evaporation in the shollow gulf keeps its level about a foot lower than thot of the main body.

During the summer the temperoture of the water is high enough to keep all the solts in solution, but in winter the woter temperoture drops to a few degrees above freezing, and according to the well-known laws of solution the leost soluble minerals crystollize out first.

In this cose the Glauber's solt is the only one that comes out; the others, principolly common salt, sodium sulphate ond mognesium chloride, remain in solution.

The Glauber's salt crystols settle on the bottom and are woshed ashore by the woves. When they dry they are picked up by the wind and carried still forther from the woter.

By Inches

When Bobbie wos six he was given a real watch, which, regardless of quality or accuracy, hod a loud tick. Naturally, the little fellow was very proud, and he would stroll up and down the street, stopping every moment or two to draw the timepiece from his pocket and regard it gravely.

Every passerby smiled at Bobbie's performance, but the climax came when his little cousin, Betty, tripped along ond asked him the time.

Bobbie regarded his watch perplexedly for a moment, and then replied with dignity: "Two inches to four!"

Value of Puzzles

Solving puzzles moy benefit a person in various ways, particularly in the exercise of mental powers. Many of the puzzles indulged in at the present time are educational and contribute actual knowledge.

Differ Over Sense of Sight in Snail

The physiology and habits of the snail have long interested noturolists, ond among other questions relative to this mollusk its blindness hos often been deboted. Certain speciolists are inclined to believe that it does see, but thot its eyes ore unable to bear much light, adducing as an argument the known fact thot the snoil is passive during the night but during the doy looks for shody places. Another noturolist differs, ond ofter hoving studied 2,400 cases, he thinks the distribution of the snoils in dork inclosures during the day is accidentol—that the snoil neither flies from the light nor seeks the dark. If o brilliont light be brought into contact with its eyes at a distance of from one to two millimeters no reoction is noticed, and the same thing hoppens after potting it in the dark or if it be subjected to the roys of electric light.

The snail does not seem to toke account of obstacles of ony kind and crowls only from odor, temperature and from agitotions in the oir (such as thot produced by a mouth organ for instonce) or disturbances in the earth oround it. The snoil doubtless does not see, hear, or even feel, except as it is acted upon from such disturbances as have been mentioned. The removal of its eyes does not produce any modificotion whatever either in its activity, mode of life or even in its sensibility to pain.

World's Tower of Babel

A total of 2,976 longuages spoken throughout the world is given by an expert from carefully compiled statistics from the various countries. This number includes the mony borbaric means of expression used in obscure corners of the earth. Forty-eight of the 860 distinctive longuages existing today are current in Europe, 153 in Asia, 424 in North and South America, and 117 in Oceania.

Cursing With an Object

Certoin priests, chosen for their virtuous habits, were appointed to utter public curses by the ancients, and this custom is still practiced by the Arabs. Public cursers among the Arabs copy the ancient ritual by uttering their maledictions with one shoe on and a bare foot resting upon a block of stone. Their duty is to curse the crops in order to assure a good harvest.

TORNADOES RAKE FIVE OF STATES

Ten Killed And Thirty Hurt By Two Disastrous Windstorms.

Evansville, Ind.—Ten deaths and injuries to about 30 persons, mostly children, is the known toll of two tornadoes which swept through five middle western and southern states, accompanied by heavy rain storms.

Nine of the deaths were caused by a twister which blew out of the southwest and up the Ohio and Wabash river valleys. A second storm struck Shelby, Miss., killed one man and injured several other persons.

First to feel the middle-western tornado was Cape Girardeau, Mo., where two children were killed. At Maunie, Ill., where a school building collapsed, two children and a women were killed and 25 school children injured. Three persons were reported drowned along the Ohio river and a woman was killed and her two grand children injured at Fort Branch, Ind. The storm was reported centered at Cleveland and the Lake Erie district with indications that it would pass on up the St. Lawrence valley.

Three men were drowned and five or more injured today by a wind and rain storm that swept Kentucky unroofing buildings and paralyzing wire and rail facilities for several hours.

Rockefellers to Still Row.

New York—Indications are multiplying that, although the Rockefeller-Stewart fight for control of the Standard Oil Co. of Indiana will be bitterly fought, every effort will be made to make it appear in the public eye as a dignified contest and not a knock-down and drag-out brawl for power. Colonel Robert W. Stewart, arrived from Chicago this morning but denied that his visit was an invasion of enemy country for any purpose connected with the Rockefeller controversy. At almost the same time the Rockefeller offices made public a letter and its answer in indication that there was a firm intention to avoid any appearance of mud-slinging and to keep the contest on a "high plane."

Impeachment Voted in Oklahoma.

Oklahoma City, Okla.—Impeachment charges voted against Governor Henry S. Johnston by the Oklahoma house of representatives have reached a total of four, the house adopted two more of the 10 articles reported to it by its investigating committee. The long fight of Governor Johnston's political foes for his impeachment bore fruit when the investigating committee filed the 10 impeachment charges and recommended the executive's immediate suspension from office.

Must Not Look Like Mussolini.

New York—Frank Valentino, a barber, reputed double of Premier Mussolini, says that he'd been told that he must stop looking like Il Duce in public. Signor Cavaradossi, Italian vice consul, who communicated this information to Valentino, said the barber had been making use of his resemblance for publicity purposes, and that it had to stop.

Young and Morgan Accepts Place.

New York—Sir Esme Howard, British ambassador to the United States, on his arrival in New York said that the official invitation to become the unofficial American members of the committee of experts which is to study the German reparations problem had been extended to Owen D. Young and J. P. Morgan and accepted.

Washington Senate and House.

Washington—The senate considered the nomination of Secretary West. The house passed the $541,000,000 independent offices appropriation bill. The federal trade commission continued its inquiry into public power utilities. The house ways and means committee heard representatives of the wood industry on tariff revision.

Afghanistan King Flees in Plane.

New Delhi, India—Inayatullah, king of Afghanistan for a few days, and members of his household have been evacuated from Kabul by British airplanes. The party reached Peshawar en route to Kandahar, where Inayatullah's predecessor and brother, the former King Amanullah now resides.

Gustemala Revolt Reported in Mexico

Mexico City — Special dispatches from Suchiate on the Guatemalan border report that General Ubico has revolted and captured the towns of Rethainleu and Mastenango. Communications with Guatemala City are reported cut off and all border traffic stopped.

Bandits Kill Cashier in Missouri.

St. Louis—Toddie V. Phelps, cashier of the Overland State bank, was shot and fatally wounded by one of four men who held up the bank and escaped with approximately $10,000 in cash. Phelps died in a hospital later.

Hope Abandoned for Buried Miner.

Steubenville, Ohio—Rescue workers have abandoned hope of rescuing alive Pal Nick, 33 years old, who was imprisoned in a mountain of earth and stone at the United States Coal Company mine at Bradley.

Movie Sound Stage Destroyed by Fire.

Hollywood, Calif.—Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the newly completed sound stage of the Paramount-Famous Players-Lasky motion picture studio with an estimated loss of $400,000 here.

AUCTION

The following househlod and other goods will be sold at auction at our residence, a block south of the Erickson garage in St. Hilaire on:

Friday, January, 25th 1929

Sale Starts At 1:00 P. M.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

- Wash bench with wringer att.
- Nobby steel range
- Schills Reliable heater
- Dining table
- 6 dining chairs
- Dropleaf kitchen table
- 2 kitchen chairs
- Kitchen cupboard
- 2 Rockers, Wash stand
- Arm rocker, Dresser
- New Home sewing machine
- Pathe phonograph
- 25 phonograph records
- Desk and bookcase
- Folding bed
- 3 steel beds
- Couch, Library table
- 2 table lamps

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

- No. 11 Alladin lamp
- Water barrel, steel
- 1 bbl. Gal iron stock tank
- Hand power washing machine
- Ironing board
- 2 clothes racks
- Set offlat irons
- Copper boiler
- Galvanized iron boiler
- Set of kitchen utensils
- Set of dishes
- 2 buck saws, 1 man saw
- Cross cut saw, Cant hook
- Home made table
- Home made cupboard
- Lawn mower
- Some fruit jars
- 2 galvanized wash tubs

TERMS: This sale for cash only.

Wm and Ed Engh

Owners

R. J. McKercher, Auctioneer — Paul Roy, Clerk

NOTICE--Starting with December, I will be in St. Hilaire on the last Friday of each month during the winter to attend to business of the Farmers State Bank. For the purpose of conserving fuel, I will main my headquarters at the Spectator office when in St. Hilaire, during the winter.

L. E. Healy,
Spec. Deputy Examiner

The Creamery List

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Mrs. A. Aubol, 72.72, Wm. Bothman, 72.52, J. Gunstad, 71.43, Wm. Yonke, 71.18, Gust Larson, 69.61, S. Skottem, 66.70, W. D. Ewing, 65.44, E. Hallameck, 62.33, Swanson Bros., 61.78, Mrs. J. Konickson, 61.67, W. Palmquist, 59.49, J. A. Almquist, 59.11, J. O. Swanson. 57.58, W. Adams, 57.33, B. Johnson, 57.04, S. N. Sorvig, 56.08, A. G. Hallstrom, 55.92, Wm. Randorf, 55.04, J. Royal, 55.01, J. Sjoberg, 54.89, C. O. Swanson, 54.84, R. J. McKercher, 54.24, Dan. Johnson, 52.21, Johnson Bros. 51.25, C. Pearson, 50.56.

The heating plant at the creamery is causing a little trouble since cold weather set in. Parts of the building can be heated without difficulty while others remain cold even when heavy steam pressure is carried. The trouble is to be remedied as soon as weather conditions will permit working on the plant.

Inca Capital

The chief town of the Incas was Cuzco. The descendants of the Incas still represent over 50 per cent of the inhabitants of Peru.

Dreaded Amphibian

The wickedest crocodile known is the Java man eating "crock." It sometimes grows to 35 feet in length in its wild state.

Its Worth Not Proved

The virtue which never has been attacked by temptation is deserving of no monument.—Mlle. de Scuderi.

Council Proceedings

Regnlar meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire, Minn., held at the Presidents office, January 7th at 8:00 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the Clerk.

All members present except the president.

On motion duly made and carried councilman Hanson was appointed president pro-tem.

On motion duly made and carried the minutes of last regular meeting were approved as read.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed as read.

Red River Power Co., lights	$34.30
John Forseen, salary	15.00
O. Gunstad, proceedings	2.25
Harry Ortloff, labor	5.40

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjourned.

M. Fricker, Clerk. — H. F. Hanson, President pro-tem

SWEEPING REMARK

Miss—I don't believe Mrs. Brown ever brushes out her house.

Mister—I wouldn't say that—it's too sweeping a remark.

Comedian or Gentleman?

An English writer once said: "No gentleman can be a comedian." He followed up his remark by discussing the very nature of comedy, which he described as a buffoonery on the better elements of human nature; and he deduced that anyone who makes fun of another person or of another person's eccentricities or mental peculiarities is no gentleman.

Bids Wanted:-The school board of District No. 236J will receive sealed bids up to time of meeting Friday, Feb. 1st., for delivery of 10 cords of split, heavy body, green poplar cordwood at the school grounds of said district.

J-24-31 — Herman Jepson, Clerk.

Thank You All

We hereby acknowledge receipt, and express our appreciation to all named below who have all advanced their subscription account with the Spectator the past week:

And. Huseby, I. Rotzler, Emil Person, Chapin Pub. Co, Francis Johnson, Selmer Olson, Mrs. R. Wallin, Eric Thyren, Aug. Svenson, Mrs. A. Sand, Mrs. J. Konickson, Martin Hanson, Mrs. N. W. Anderson, Elias Melvie, Helga Kalland, A. Bilden, M. Fricker, Leo Carpenter, E. O. Johnsen, Harry Ortloff Wm. P. Wilson, J. A. Anderson, A. Soderberg, H. O. Jackson, Carlson Merc. Co, Holt, Carlson Merc. Co-, Middle River, Geo. Swanson.

Monarch in the Plural

That kings speak of themselves as "we" is a survival from the Roman empire when there were two emperors, one in Italy and one in Constantinople. They issued identical decrees under their joint authority; hence the custom of the plural "we."

Worthlessness of Dreams

Keeping a record of dreams is perhaps as valuable as keeping a record of the vagaries of the demented. For dreams are but the involuntary absence of reason. Only Freud attempts to make a "science" of it.—Exchange.

Virtue in Benevolence

How easy it is for one benevolent being to diffuse pleasure around him; and how truly is a kind heart a fountain of gladness making everything in its vicinity to freshen into smiles.—Washington Irving.

This Age of Service

Indeed, this is the age of service. The hotels advertise road-house dinners and the road-houses assure the customer that he is getting as good a meal as he could get at a hotel.—Detroit Free Press.

Auto Overhauling

This is the best time of the year to have your car overhauled and put in shape for use next spring.

I have facilities for doing this work, and am making special prices for it during the winter months.

Grease-Oil-Gas-Storage

Store your car in my heated garage. A phone call will bring it, properly greased, filled with oil and gas, ready for use. Repairs of all kinds given prompt attention.

ED ENGH
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Bargains For This Week

White Naptha Soap, 10 bars	.35
Swifts Pride Washing powder	.19
Corn starch, 3 pkgs for	.20
Calumet baking powder	.26
Raisens, 2 lbs for	.14
8 oz Cotton batts, reg 15 c each	.11
Post Toasties, pkg.	.12
Yarn, 1 oz. balls, reg. .25 now	.20
Ladies felt slippers, reg. 1.45	1.10

Prices good until Jan 31st.

M. H. JACKSON
General Merchandise
ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

The Blue Parrot Inn

You are cordially invited to call at the new cafe and get acquainted. Once you try our tasty, home baked pastry, you will always be a customer.

Instead of working over a hot stove at home on Sundays, bring the family to the Inn for our special Sunday dinner.

Lunches and meal at all hours

Germany's U-Boat Loss

It was auounced on November 29, 1918, that Germany had lost about 200 U-boats in the course of the war. According to a later compilation made by Reuter's agency, the total number of German submarines lost by accident and enemy action was 205.

Words Needed Then

A lexicographer points out that there are 200,000 useless words in the English language. Has he ever got up late and broken a shoestring while hastily dressing for a bite of breakfast?—Forth Wayne News-Sentinel.

Johnny's Plea

The stranga ideas gained by children through overhearing their elders are always entertaining. Little Johnny, accompanying his mother to church had beard, just before the offertory each Sunday, the minister's bland remark: "It is better to giva than to receive."

One day, after he bad been naughty, his mother exclaimed: "Johnny, what shall I do with you?"

After a moment's deep thought Johnny replied: "When I goes to church tha man in tha nightgown always says it's better to forgive than to be cheese."

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

WHEREAS, Default has been made by the mortgagors in the conditions and covenants of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Peter Sabo and Inga Sabo, his wife, mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, bearing date the 2nd day of January, 1924, and, with a power of sale therein contained, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 2nd day of January, 1924, at three o'clock P. M., and duly recorded therein in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 117 thereof;

AND WHEREAS, Said default consists in the failure of said mortgagors to pay the sum of Twelve Dollars and twenty-two cents ($12.22), being the balance due and unpaid of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest which became due and payable on the 2nd day of July, 1927, and to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest, each amounting to One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents ($171.88), which became due and payable on the 2nd day of January, 1928, the 2nd day of July 1928, and the 2nd day of January, 1929 in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and to keep the buildings on said mortgaged premises insured as stipulated in and by the terms of said mortgage, in default of which the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, elected to and did on the 26th day of November, 1928, pay the sum of Twenty-two Dollars and fifty cents ($22.50) to effect such insurance, which default has continued to this date;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, and pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage and as authorized by law, the Department of Rural Credit, on behalf of the State of Minnesota, the mortgagee and owner and holder of said mortgage, has exercised and does hereby exercise its option to declare, and hereby does declare, the whole of the loan secured by said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith;

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable upon said mortgage, and the loan secured thereby, at the date of this notice, by reason of said election, the sum of Five Thousand One Hundred Ninety Dollars and eight cents ($5,190.08), unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from the 2nd day of January 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per centum per annum, and Five Hundred Twenty-seven Dollars and eighty-six cents ($527.86) amortized principal and interest, with interest on $12.22 thereof from July 9th, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, interest on $171.88 thereof from January 2nd, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, interest on $171.88 thereof from July 2nd, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, and interest on $171.88 thereof from January 2nd, 1929, at seven per centum per annum, in all the sum of Five Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-five Dollars and eleven cents ($5,765.11), including the amount paid for insurance, as aforesaid, with interest thereon at seven per cent from said date of payment;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, the said power of sale contained in said mortgage has become and is operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and covered by said mortgage, situate, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-six (26), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 25th day of February, 1929, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance paid as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and expenses allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 9th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS,
Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
Helmer M. Feroe,
Assistant Attorney General,
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (J10-F14).

Up to Cats

The members of the International Conference to War Against Rats in Paris unanimously agreed that cats were the best medium to exterminate tha enemy. They have decided to recommend the establishment of ranches to raise and train cats to attack rats according to the accepted scientific methods of cat and rat warfare.

False Satisfaction

If a man has money, says tha old sheep herder, in Farm and Fireside, ba can buy his way in and think he's getting there faster. But the only real way is for a man to start young and grow into the game, learning as he goes.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Alexandria—A. H. McCody has been elected president of the Chamber of Commerce at the annual meeting.

Brainerd—The winter court of honor for Boy Scouts will be conducted here February 10 during anniversary week. The court of review will be Feb. 2.

Hugo—A lone bandit entered the First State Bank here, held up the cashier and escaped with $1,000 cash.

Winnebago — Fire destroyed the Sharp block, this town's outstanding structure, and caused losses aggregating $100,000.

Red Wing—Birth rate led deaths in this community in 1928. The city health officer reports show 285 births and 172 deaths.

Waseca—Methodist pastors of the Mankato district will conduct a retreat in Waseca. Dr. H. F. Ackerman, district superintenednt, will preside.

Albert Lea—Fire which the local department fought in subzero temperature destroyed the First Presbyterian church here with loss of $85,000.

Eveleth—George A. Whitman, president of the First National Bank has left for a three months' trip to South America.

Fulda — Condemnation proceedings have been started to acquire a new right-of-way for trunk highway No. 16, between here and Worthington.

Kiester—According to A. S. Olson, field manager for a sugar company, there will be an increase of more than 100 per cent in sugar beet acreage in this vicinity this spring.

Northfield—Extension of the curb light system or "white way" over the entire route of the Jefferson highwey through Northfield has been accomplished by addition of 271 lights.

Appleton—Mrs. Henry Grages is dead here at the age of 70 years. Mr. and Mrs. Gragas celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last February.

Stillwater—W. J. Madden will lead the Stillwater Association, local civic group, another year. E. R. Weiss was named vicepresident, A. D. Murphy, secretary, and R. G. Staples, treasurer.

St. Paul—Minnesota Canneries packed a total of 58,707,792 cans of foodstuffs in 1928, according to a report of the state dairy and food department.

LeSueur—A colony of beavers has invaded the farm of Louis Lindorf near here. It is the only "wild" colony in southern Minnesota and steps have been taken to protect them.

St. Paul—A. J. Olson of Renville was re-elected president of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation at the closing session of the federation's annual convention.

Hutchinson—The Hutchinson Rifle and Revolver Club, organized two years ago, has been revived with a squad of members turning out regularly for practice.

Bagley—Injuries suffered when his automobile overturned near here, resulted in the death of Edwin Langseth, 32 years old, farmer living east of Clearbrook, at a hospital here.

Minneapolis—About 400 dealers from all parts of the northwest were entertained by the Roycraft Co., of Minneapolis at a meeting and dinner in the Nicollet hotel.

Red Wing—The Visiting Nurse Association of Red Wing has a balance of $1,026.84 to carry on the work. The association averaged ten calls a day for 1928 with expenditures of $2,374.

Faribault—Dr. A. L. Haynes, for five years junior physician at the state school for feeble minded here, has been announced as the successor to Dr. D. E. McBroom, formerly senior physician of the institution.

Shakopee—Selection of a jury began here in district court for retrial of John A. Luce, state reformatory inmate, on a charge of attempting to burn the Prior Lake restaurant, a previous jury having disagreed.

Ruthton—A. D. Campbell of Tracy found a nugget of pure gold in the gizzard of a duck which he bought from a local butcher. Efforts are being made to locate the place where the duck was raised.

St. Paul—Bids will be opened Feb 7 for construction of a new addition to the Mineral Springs Tuberculosis Sanitorium at Cannon Falls, which will cost approximately $130,000. The state will pay $11,500.

Hutchinson—Mrs. Jennie Wanamaker Newcomb, pioneer resident here is dead at the result of a fall on the ice three years ago. Her father was a cousin of the merchant, John Wanamaker.

Austin—Mervin Otteson, son of Sheriff James B. Otteson of Freeborn county, has been sentenced to an indeterminate term at the St. Cloud reformatory when he pleaded guilty here to a charge of second degree grand larceny.

Albert Lea—The State Bank of Twin Lakes, a subsidiary of the Freeborn County State Bank of Albert Lea, has changed hands. The controlling stock of the Charles E. Paulson estate has been taken over by H. L. Peterson, the bank's cashier, and Ferris White, farmer, near Twin Lake.

Minneapolis—The forty-third annual poultry show, sponsored by the Minnesota State Poultry association, will open its four-day stand Thursday at Kenwood armory here with the largest entry list in its history. More than 3,000 exhibits are entered by breeders from nine states and Canada.

Hastings—Charging 19 instances of misconduct, a petition asking the disbarment or disciplining of Alfred M. Joyce, Dakota county attorney, has been filed with Samuel B. Wilson chief justice of the Minnesota supreme court, by the state board of law examiners.

THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH MISSION
Rev. C. Dahlberg, Pastor

January 27.

Sunday School at 10:00 A. M.

Morning worship-Theme. "Bringing in the Sheaves" at 11:00 A. M.

Evening Service-Theme. "A Closed Door and a Waiting Saviour" at 7:30 P. M.

Everyone welcome to these services.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Jan. 27, Services as follows
Clearwater Luth.:11:00 A. M.
Oak Ridge Luth.: 2:00 P. M.

St. Hilaire Methodist-Community Church
Rev. Edith Grays, pastor.

No services until further notice.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services Sunday in Black River church at 10:30 A. M. and in local church at 3:00 P. M.

Hygeine Courses Can Cure Speech Defects

In the multiplicity of services designed to promote the health and welfare of children, speech has been sorely neglected, claims Dr. John A. Glossburg, who writes in Hygeia Magazine of overcoming vicious speech habits.

Inferiority complexes, shut-in personalities, shyness, timidity, maladjustment, suicidal tendencies, emotional instability, criminality and antisocial characteristics are some of the results of the disturbances of speech, he says.

Doctor Glassburg warns that baby talk, if prolonged beyond the age of infancy, produces many of the lisps, ineffectual control of breath, nasality, harshness due to overenervation of speech muscles and the overanxiety that leads to confusion of thought and the many negligences of ordinary American speech. Meager vocabulary, inexact and poorly expressed ideas, slovenly diction, all tend to mold the mind into acceptance of inferior ideas and to prevent straight thinking.

Speech defects are curable, Doctor Glassburg insists. Re-education in speech is a course in mental and physical hygiene. Speech specialists believe that by overcoming a speech disorder they can change the attitude, behavior and personality of a person and readjust him properly to his environment.

City People Neglect Places of Interest

"Ninety per cent of New York's residents have never seen the sights which most interest visitors from other places," deplores the editor of Farm and Fireside.

"Figures show that out-of-town visitors who go to the top of the Woolworth tower are hugely in the majority, less than 10 per cent being New Yorkers," the article continues. A test was made by the editor while entertaining a group of farm boys and girls from Maine and Illinois. They all voted preponderantly that the panorama as seen from the top of the tallest building in the world was the most impressive sight they had seen in a tour of many cities awarded them as champion grain growers or stock raisers by various farm clubs.

Caretakers of other historic points in New York also informed the boys and girls that the number of New Yorkers visiting their places is less than 10 per cent of the total number of sightseers.

Their Meeting Place

One of the partners in a big and very prosperous firm of stockbrokers has a brother in the tailoring trade. The two brothers see very little of each other, although the tailor often calls at the office of his wealthy brother.

The other day, annoyed by his brother's refusal to leave his private office to see him, the tailor insisted upon speaking to him on the telephone.

"Is that you, Sidney?" asked the tailor.

"Yes, I am Mr. So-and-so," came the reply. "Who are you? I'm very busy."

"You may not remember me; this is your brother Nathan. I met you in our father's house."—Exchange.

Goats Have Queer Horns

One of the species of wild goats found among the lofty peaks of the Himilayas is notable for its twisted horns, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. They somewhat resemble huge screws, are three feet long and are set on the head to form a "V." The home ranges of the animals are nearly inaccessible to hunters.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

WHEREAS, Default has been made by the mortgagors in the conditions and covenants of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John W. Denhart, also known as John William Denhart, and Ester Vidacy Denhart, his wife, mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1925, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 12th day of March, 1925, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded therein in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 309 thereof;

AND WHEREAS, Said default consists in the failure of said mortgagors to pay the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest, amounting to One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents, ($171.88), which became due and payable on the 16th day of August, 1928, in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and to keep the buildings on said mortgaged premises insured as stipulated in and by the terms of said mortgage, in default of which the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, elected to and did on the 11th day of August, 1928, pay the sum of Twenty-two Dollars and fifty cents ($22.50) to effect such insurance, which default has continued to this date;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, and pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage and as authorized by law, the Department of Rural Credit, on behalf of the State of Minnesota, the mortgagee and owner and holder of said mortgage, has exercised and does hereby exercise its option to declare, and hereby does declare, the whole of the loan secured by said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith;

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable upon said mortgage, and the loan secured thereby, at the date of this notice, by reason of said election, the sum of Five Thousand Two Hundred Ninety-one Dollars and sixty-two cents ($5,291.62), unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from tha 16th day of August, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per centum per annum, and One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents ($171.88) amortized principal and interest, together with interest thereon from the 16th day of August, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, in all the sum of Five Thousand Six Hundred One Dollars and seventy-eight cents ($5,601.78), including the amount paid for insurance, as aforesaid, with interest thereon at seven per cent. from said date of payment;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, the said power of sale contained in said mortgage has become and is operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and covered by said mortgoge, situate, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) and that fractional part of the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE¼ of SW¼), being and lying East of the Right of Way of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company, as the same is located over and across said Government Subdivision, all being in Section One (1), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 179 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 25th day of February, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and expenses allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 9th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
Helmer M. Feroe,
Assistant Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (J10-F14.)

Another Thing to Explain

When scientists are through discussing why man adopted clothing, maybe they can explain why he took up tattooing.—Boston Herald.

The Wrong Road

Pleasure seeking and luxury wanting is not the road to happiness, a student of home life writes in the American Magazine.

Community Character

Every community has at least one sucker who will do all the work if given a few chairmanships.—Washington Post.

The Art of Interest

Good neighbors early learn the art of being interested without being inquisitive.—American Magazine.

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Winter Show, Feb. 4-8

Program of the Winter Shows, which will be held at Crookston, Feb, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8th, 1929 contains the names of some of the most prominent speakers in this section of the country. Dr. E. H. Lindley, Chancellor of the University of Kansas, will speak Monday., Dean W. C. Coffey of the University of Minnesota speaks Monday., Bishop G. G. Bennet of Duluth, speaks Tuesday evening., Dr. L. D. Coffman, president of the University of Minnesota, is on the program for Wednesday evening, and, Hon. L. J. Taber, Master of the National Grange, of Columbus, Ohio, will speak Thursday evening. In addition to these speakers of national prominence, there will be a number of others connected with the Extension Division of the University as well as experts in all branches of agriculture. Those who can possibly arrange their affairs so as to attend the Winter Shows for one or more days, should do so as the educational value of the meetings is worth considerable more than the time spent, and small cost of going.

The months of January this year was marked by lower temperature than has prevailed during that month for several years past. December had higher temperature and much more pleasant weather than is usual for that month, however, which sort of balances the winter. With only eight weeks or so until spring, the present winter will be short regardless of what the weather may be during that time.

County Agent Douglas states he will have a small supply of the new rust-resistent wheat, and also the newest variety of oats and barley for distribution among farmers in this county the coming spring. As the supply is limited, he intends to place small lots among farmers so they may raise their own seed. The new varities have met with success elsewhere in the state and Mr. Douglas hopes to grow enough here so there will be sufficient for use all over the county.

L. E. Healy, receiver of the Farmers State Bank, was up Friday from Red Lake Fails looking after business matters pertaining to the bank.

Bemidji Hospital Burned

The Lutheran Hospital at Bemidji, an old landmark in that city, burned to the ground early Monday morning. Thirty patients in the hospital when the fire started, were removed to places of safety nearby thru efforts of nurses and help of firemen. The hospital, which was a frame structure, was built during early milling days, but it has had several additions built to it since that time. As the fire started in upper part of the building, a good share of the hospital equipment was removed, but the building is a total loss.

Carnival A Success

A good sized crowd attended the school carnival given at the school house last Friday evening, despite the extremely cold weather prevailing at that time. Children of the grades presented their play "Peanuts and Pennies" which was very interesting, and enjoyed by all present. Six children of the primary room next presented a costume dance playlet which won well merited applause. The final number was a humerous skit by members of the faculty which was very good. After the plays, the audience visited the different booths and refreshment room, and joined in the general hilarity. The carnival was a big success in every way, and those sponsering it state it netted the school over fifty dollars above expenses.

Rev. Bergford Resigns

Rev. H. Bergford, pastor of the Samhold church for several years, tendered his resignation Sunday at the close of his services. The resignation is effeetive in April, it is understood.-Gonvick Banner.

The village of Warroad anticipates a busy season for the laboring people residing thers because the government has opened bids for river improvements that will cost over $100,000, on the Warroad river. A concrete wall along both banks of the river will be constructed the coming spring and summer to prevent high waters in Lake of the Woods from backing up into the river and overflowing parts of the village.

Want Ads Bring Results

READY MONEY

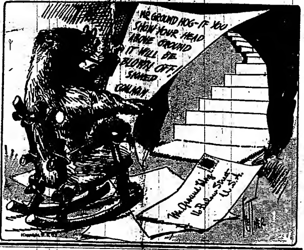
Opportunity always comes first to those who are in position to take advantage of it.

Creating a surplus by systematic saving of part of your income, will eventually place you in the preferred position where opportunity will seek you out. Start a savigns account now. We will be glad to assist you.

Merchants State Bank

St. Hilaire - - - - Minnesota

Another Victim of the Racketeer



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Arthur Hendrickson shipped in a carload of coal from the Ford mine this week.

Miss Bernice Bjerk left yesterday for Warren where she will take the training course for nurses at the Bratrud Clinic and hospital.

Adolph Brevik, who resides in Canada, is here for a visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. E. Landis, and with other relatives.

The Wilcox meat market and E. Sjoberg general store at Roseau, burned to the ground last week with a loss of about $20,000.

L. E. Healy was up Monday from Red Lake Falls to attend to some business matters in connection with the Farmers State Bank.

Dr. L. R. Twete the veterinarian, was down from Thief River both Friday and Saturday of last week attending to calls from this immediate vicinity.

Mrs. J. P. Nelson left first of the week, and Mr. Nelson left yesterday morning to spend the winter with relatives at Roseau. Both have been ill lately and it is hoped the change will benefit them.

Mrs. L. Gullickson entertained a group of girls in honor of Evelyn Peterson, at her home Wednesday evening. Games and contests formed the entertainment after which a very delicious lunch was served.

Two plumbers from Thief River have been busy several days past making repairs on the steam plant at the creamery which has caused some trouble during the recent cold weather.

Saturday is Groundhog Day. If the day be cloudy, there will be six weeks more of winter. If sunshine prevails on that day, spring will be along about the same time so take your choice.

Annaul meeting of the creamery association will be held at the Imperial hall next Monday afternoon. All interested in welfare of the creamery should make it a point to be at the meeting.

Paul Ortloff, who is employed as foreman by a road construction company operating near Barnesville, came up last week-end to spend a short vacation with his family.

The Dorcas Society of the Nor. Luth. church meets Saturday afternoon at 2:00 in the church parlors. Mrs. L. Gullickson and Mrs. Dahle will entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Carlson of Morganville, Kansas, are the happy parents of a husky, seven pound son born Tuesday. Mother and child both doing fine, says the message received by Mrs. Carlson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Patton of this place.

Mike Highland whose illness necessitated his removal last week to a hospital, has shown much improvment, and he will soon be about again as usual. He was brot home Monday.

Young & Erickson have finished their new auto hoist and and wreck. er outfit, which is mounted on a speedy six cylinder car, and are now ready to give their attention to wrecked and ditched cars on short notice.

A very successful auction sale of household goods was held Friday at the Engh residence. Everything offered was sold at fair price despite the fact that severe cold weather that day prevented many from being present.

Federal prohibition officers staged two raids on illicit liquor dealers at Red Lake Falls this week, one Monday morning and the other Tuesday, according to reports received here.

Nine inches of snow fell in parts of central Minnesota and over St. Paul and Minneapolis last Thursday and Friday. Roads are blocked by heavy snow banks in that part of the state, altho' the trunk roads are being opened by plows. While very cold weather prevailed in Northwestern Minnesota during the same time, no snow fell in this part of the state.

February 15th is the last day on which auto owners in this state may make application for their 1929 license tags without penalty. Time extensions have been granted at different times in the past, but such will not be the case this year, according to information received. To save penalty of 25 a day for failure to apply, all auto owners should have their applications in not later than Feb. 15.

Feeding School Feb, 8th

The second meeting of the dairy feeding school sessions to be held here this winter and coming spring will be held at the Imperial Hall on Friday, Feb, 8th, at 1:30 P. M.

The subject to be taken up at this meeting will be balancing feed rations. Those who attended the previous meeting are well pleased with the information gained, so it is hoped that there will be even better attendance at the February meeting.

Discontinues Cafe

A. Camp, who has conducted a restaurant in the Bjerk building the past year, closed his place of business Saturday and left with his family and household effects for his former home at Dugdale. Mr. Camp formerly operated a store at Dugdale, and he expects to again engage in the same line.

During their time of residence here, the Camp family made many friends who regret to see them leave, but who all join in wishing them success wherever they may locate.

To Eliminate Exemption

A bill now before the legislature provides for elimination of $100 exemption which has been granted to heads of families in their personal property assessment.

If this bill becomes law, it will bring on the tax rolls thousands of familirs who have never paid any personal property taxes, and also a goodly number who always contrive to have their assessed values only a few dollars above the exemption mark.

Has Snowmobile

George Biskey, mail carrier on route one, has had his Ford roadster equipped with caterpiller thread in rear and runners in front, for use on the route. The outfit seems to be able to travel easily thru heavy snow where on ordinary car would stall. Use of the car thus equipped enables Mr. Biskey to make his route in much faster time than is possible with horses.

"THE WILD WEST SHOW" with circus stunts and Hoot Gibson in the lead. Here next Saturday and Sunday. Its the last show this season. COME!

Farm Exhibit, Feb. 19th

A special train carrying two carloads of special farm exhibits of livestock, crops, etc., which is being shown thruout this section by courtesy of the Great Northern Railway Company, will be on this line the week of Feb, 18-23. The exhibit will be in St. Hilaire during the afternoon of Tuesday, Feb, 19th., and everybody in this section is cordially invited to visit the train and view the exhibits. Unless other arrangements are made later, it is planned to have a meeting during the afternoon at the Imperial Hall. Agricultural Agent Dan Willard of the Great Northern, and several representatives from the University of Minnesota will be present to explain the various features of the exhibits as well as to address the meeting at the hall. The exhibit is reported to be exceptionally good, so no person interested in agriculture in this section, should miss seeit. Bring the family to the meeting and spend a profitable afternoon.

25 Years Ago

Henry Peterson was confined to bed with an attack of lagrippe.

—XXV—

Art Ittner, of the Spectator force was visiting with relatives at Red Lake Falls.

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An auction sale of farm equipment and livestock was advertised to be held at the Ole Cliffgaard farm on March 1st.

—XXV—

Wm. Eikhoff and Ed Whaley returned after spending several weeks on their claims near Big Fork.

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After being home a few weeks, O. H. Peters returned to Crookston to resume charge of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co's elevator there.

—XXV—

Richard Duntley bought the stock of chinaware which was part of the Opperud stock and was closing it out at his place of business.

—XXV—

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lasell were called upon to mourn the loss of their infant daughter who died Monday of that week.

—XXV—

Annual meeting and election of officers of the co-operative creamery association at Thief River Falls was held in that city last Mondry.

The Spectator, $1.50 a year.

Faith And Preservance

When this creamery started 26 yrs. ago, many people then residing here were not very optomistic as to its ultimate success. Those who pinned their faith to dairying, and patronized their creamery since then, are nearly all here today, and have something to show for their efforts.

The same story will be repeated in the next decade. YOUR creamery will enjoy a bigger success than ever before if all patrons will boost for it, and patronize it.

St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Auto Tire Reduction
S-A-L-E

To reduce stock, we are offering special prices on the following high class tires and tubes. All are first grade stock, and carry the regular Goodrich guarantee:-

29 x 4.40 Silvertown casings each
$8.00

30 x 3 1-2 Silvertown casings each
6.70

30 x 3 1-2 Goodrich Cavalier Casings
5.65

30 x 3 1-2 Goodrich oversize casings
6.25

30 x 4.50 Goodridge casings
7.50

30 x 3 Commander casings, each
4.50

29 x 4.40 Commander casings
5.95

TUBES

30 x 3 1-2 red tubes, each	$1.25
29 x 4.40 tubes, each	$1.55
Goodrich tube repair outfits	.15

Grant storage batteries, 1yr guarantee, each $8.00
Special prices good from Feb. 1, to Feb, 15.

Young & Erickson
ST. HILAIRE,

HAZEL NEWS

Mrs. E. Prestby visited at the O. Odegaard home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gullinsrud of Thief River falls were Hazel callers on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Seeland visited with the latters mother, Mrs. M. Sherva, in St. Hilaire on Sunday.

Mr. W. Denhart and Axel Rasmussen picked turkeys at the Carl Prestby farm on Tuesday.

Lena, Inez, and David Holten visited at the Adrain Anderson home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Thune and children visited at the Carl Alberg home Saturday evening.

Miss Myrtle Dahle and Miss Arlene Knutson visited at the Pete Nelson home Saturday evening.

Mr. Carl Prestby hauled a load of dressed turkeys to Thief River on Thursday.

Miss Dorothy Olsen was a dinner guest at the O. Seeland home on Sunday.

Mrs. A. Anderson spent Thursafternoon at the Ole Odegaard home.

Miss Anna Melvie left Sunday for Thief River where she will be employed at the Sanitorium.

Dr. Lynde of Thief River Falls was called to the B. Theo. Johnson home Thursday evening due to the illness of Naomi.

Mrs. C. Roese and children Stanley and Joyce, Mr. H. Sandberg visited at the Anton Peterson home on Sunday.

Mr. Nels Nelson was a business caller at Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg and children, O. Hauske, Edwin Huseby Hilda and Arthur Erickson visited at the C. Finstad home Sunday evening.

South River Falls

Hans Hogquist visited at the Erickson home Sunday afternoon.

Paul Thyren called at the L. P. Thyren home on Monday.

Alvin Swenson and Thorstien Walseth visited at the A. O. Swanson home Saturday evening.

Ernest Erickson, Melford, Lloyd and Arthur Peterson and Herman Sandberg visited at the C. A. Swanson home Sunday.

Paul Thyren was a business caller at Red Lake Falls Friday.

Erick Thyren is confined to his bed with an attack of pluerisy. His many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

PROBABLY NOT

Kid (espying tight-wire walker)—Oh mother, why is that man walking on a rope 'way up there in the air?

Mother (waiting at crossing)—Probably because he wasn't able to cross the street in any other way, dear.

BABIES, WASTEBASKETS, POLITICS

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

BOSS PETER DOOLEY descended heavily from his car, slammed its door and stalked across the pavement toward the old red courthouse. He scowled at four blond children playing around a small coyote tied to a wire not far from the windows of the jail. Must be the kids of that woman. It was to see "that woman" he had on a busy day driven to the county seat from Parmalee, twenty miles away, the flourishing city of the county. It was to see "that woman" and tell her a few things. How she had ever got the office of register of deeds was beyond him, expert politician though he was. The farmers had inexplicably voted for her, everybody in the county, in fact, save the intelligent citizens of Parmalee. And now there were complaints. Naturally. A woman with a great wild mob of children trying to run an important county office! No wonder, the complaints had come largely from Bill Platt who had run for the nomination and Bill's friends, but no doubt there was some ground for them. It was hard on the party to have an inefficient officerholder drawing a fat salary and doing nothing.

Boss Dooley tramped savagely up the stairs.

"She'll get out!" he growled. I'll tell her she doesn't get a second term, tell 'er so she'll know it. 'N' she'll get out before she's drove out, too. She'll stay at home 'n' tend to 'er brats, that's what she'll do."

He threw open the door beneath the sign "Office of the Register of Deeds." Well—. At a long desk sat a blond young woman with her head bent over papers. At a desk with his back to the door a lank figure of a man stood writing assiduously in certain great canvas-backed books. The room was very still save for a small, mysterious shuffling and rattling somewhere. The room was clean, orderly. The head of the young woman was attractively sleek. She wore a cool, rather severe blue dress. She did not look up immediately upon the entrance of Boss Dooley. When she did it was with evident reluctance, the papers before her possessing an interest no visitor might approach. But she recognized Boss Dooley—as who in the country did not?—smiled and held out a hand across the desk. She did not rise, was not effusive.

"Will you sit down, please?" she said in a cool, pleasant voice.

He sat down. Like a tongue-tied schoolboy Boss Dooley sat down. The room again became still, save for the faint shuffling and rattling that came not from the top of the low desk nor yet from the high desk where absorbedly worked the man. Boss Dooley, sitting still and waiting for "that woman" to give him her attention, became, in spite of himself, at least externally cooled off. A breeze redolent of rain-washed leaves, came through a high window and fanned his thick neck. But say, this was a nice way to treat a man of some importance, now wasn't it? Couldn't leave off looking at a bunch of papers a minute to hear what he had to say. Well, she'd hear good and plenty when she did pay him some attention. H'm, a nice breeze. Say, where in heck did that noise come from.

The young blond woman pushed a button. A girl came from an adjoining room.

"Yes, Mrs. Foster," the girl said.

"Make two carbons of this, please, and return at one for dictation."

"Yes, Mrs. Foster."

The girl disappeared.

Mrs. Foster glanced presently at her wrist, smiled at Mr. Dooley.

"You are coming to lunch with us, Mr. Dooley," she said, and wrote rapidly on a small paper, "so we can talk.—Horace," she then murmured.

The lank man turned from the high desk. He was kindly, not too forceful, inoffensive, middle-aged. He took the paper. And then he stooped at Mrs. Foster's side. He picked up something and set it for a moment on the top of the desk. It was a wastebasket. The wastebasket was large. A blue comforter lined it. Different kinds of rattles were tied to its rim. "Horace" lifted out a baby perhaps nineteen months old, droped it expertly over his arm, walked to the door, disappeared. With the baby's departure, the queer noise ceased.

Mr. Dooley continued to wait. Mrs. Foster continued to work with papers.

A whistle blew. Mrs. Foster with swift fingers rearranged the papers, weighted them and rose, smiling, cool, kind, "business-like" and yet the considerate hostess.

"I have been wanting to see you, Mr. Dooley," she said. "I have, as you know, an unusual opportunity for keeping in touch with the developments over the county. I have been interested in the coal situation down in the southwest corner. Dougola is growing. Believe the party ought to be doing some pioneer work there—"

Peter Dooley was interested in the Dougola coal lands. Eagerly he followed the blue-clad slim figure of the register of deeds of Latrasse county down the stairs, asking questions, receiving surprising answers. The woman had a head on her.

At sight of them at the courthouse door the four children left off baiting the coyote to run smiling up to Mrs. Foster.

"I must walk with Mr. Dooley, children, today," she said. "Run on and wash up for lunch. Our house is only a block south, Mr. Dooley. We always walk."

She continued to discuss the affairs of the party, as did Mr. Dooley.

When they reached the house she handed him a weekly current events magazine, indicated a chair on the porch and disappeared. Mr. Dooley sat in the chair, opened the magazine. H'm, well, plenty of time yet to speak about that second-term business. In a surprisingly short time a bell tinkled within the house. A tiny blond girl appeared, touched Mr. Dooley's massive knee and shyly said:

"Please come in to lunch."

Mr. Dooley, wondering why, by George, he hadn't gone to the restaurant, followed his small guide into the house. It was cool, rather bare, to be sure, but not too unattractive.

In the dining room were set two tables. One was low, with four small chairs drawn up to it. The other had three adult chairs and a high chair in which a baby sat blissfully and industriously imbibing graham crackers. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Foster appeared simultaneously from the kitchen, one with a platter of chops and a plate piled high with rolls, the other with two vegetable dishes. Coffee percolated on the larger table, glasses of milk sat on the small table. The chops were done as he liked chops, Mr. Dooley discovered. The coffee was strong, as he like coffee to be. Well. And the children, though they laughed and murmured among themselves, were not too noisy. The baby became a sight presently, what with graham crackers and mashed potatoes from the ear to ear and eyebrow to bib, but Horace picked him up and vanished with him before Mr. Dooley quite died of him.

After lunch a small colored girl began to clear up the tables. The family proceeded en masse to the courthouse. The eldest child carried picture books, the second and third boxes of colored pencils and scissors, the fourth clasped a doll to her bosom. In his perambulator, wheeled by Papa Horace, the baby clutched a bottle of milk against his clean, rosy countenance and went to sleep.

And all this while the register of deeds of Latrasse county, Mrs. Gertrude Foster, and Boss Peter Dooley talked together of important and complicated things.

At the courthouse door, however, Boss Dooley discovered himself courteously dismissed. He shook hands with the tall, kindly not-too-forceful Horace, then with the small blond register of deeds herself. It was not until he had got almost back to Parmalee that Boss Dooley left off thinking about politics in the large long enough to realize that he had not told that woman—oh, well, Bill Platt was a blamed whiner.

Community Gathers to Roof Neighbor's House

In the African colony of Nigeria the natives have a community enterprise that for ingenuity and usefulness goes the quilting parties and corn-husking bees of our grandparents one better. Whenever a native builds a new home, the entire male population of the village leave whatever work of their own they happen to be doing and come together to build a roof for their fellow tribesman.

This roof is made in one piece, and as it must cover the whole dwelling its construction is no light task. A score of men work on it at once. Some bring in from the forests great loads of slender young stalks. Others trim the stalks to make them smooth and usable for the work of construction, in which the stalks must fit closely side by side with little space between them if the roof is to be satisfactory. Others fasten the stalks together with thongs attached to circular pieces that serve as hoops to hold the roof in proper conical shape. When it is finished, the workers hoist the one-piece roof on their shoulders, carry it to the new house, and slide it into place on the baked-clay walls.

The community-built roof is sturdy and capable of withstanding even the heavy downpour of tropical rains. The pulpy stalks of which it is made swell in wet weather so that it is practically watertight, while in dry weather it shrinks to admit sufficient light and air for health and comfort.

The natives do not see anything remarkable in their co-operative enterprise. Every house must have a roof to keep out the scorching heat of the sun and the driving storms of the rainy season. They know of only one kind of roof, and that cannot be built nor put into place by one man alone.

For centuries their ancestors have worked together to build the roofs of their homes. Each man knows that his own house was roofed by the help of his neighbors.

They take the extra work as a matter of course, never regarding it as drudgery. On the contrary, there is a sort of holiday atmosphere about the group of workers as, laughing and chatting together, they prepare the materials and work busily at the construction.

Ball Before Wheel?

What in the world would present-day sport do without the ball? Think of the games that in one way or another depend on knocking about some kind of ball. Truly, it is said that the wheel is man's greatest invention but perhaps the ball came first! The wheel connotes labor, and as primitive man probably hadn't thought of the motto of later days, "Business before pleasure," maybe the ball was first and the wheel evolved from it.

Woman Had Many Gifts

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt was a versatile person. She was a painter and sculptor of merit, wrote plays and a volume of memoirs, and was acknowledged as the first actress of her time.

Rays From Radium

Radium gives off three kinds of rays: Alpha rays, or rapidly moving atoms of helium; beta rays, the atoms of electricity, and gamma rays, similiar to X-rays.

Tennis Old Pastime

The origin of the game of tennis is obscure. It was played by the ancient Greeks and Romans and was popular in France as early as 1300.

Hide Must Be Tanned

The American Chemical society says that if left untanned a hide, like the meat, decays. In the untanned state the fibers of the hide are glued or matted together. When tanned the strings or fibers are "individualized" so that they move separately without tearing apart. This process also swells or thickens the skin.

Natural Enemy of the Rat

Ever since the time when cats caught mice among the grain sacks that Joseph stored up against the seven years of famine, right down to the present, cats have been helping mankind get rid of the rats and mice that infest the barns and the corn cribs of the world.

Good and Bad Qualities

The ailanthus or tree of heaven has some disadvantages but it does not appear to be destructive. Its roots do not spread like those of the Carolina poplar and other trees, so as to penetrate sewers, crack curbing and walls. It thrives in the poorest soil and is of very rapid growth. Its worst fault is the unpleasant odor of the staminate flowers.

Need for Friendship

And let no one make the mistake of believing that friendship is appreciated only by those who are broken in body and in fortune. Many are envied for their wealth or position who at the same time hunger for human sympathy. One may be as lonely in a Rolls-Royce as in a Ford.—Judge Charles Forrest Moore.

Dairy Feeds

We have a large supply of International and Northup-King dairy feeds in the 16-20-24-32 per cent protien content.

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Use Mascot flour--It's all the wheat that's fit to eat.

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COAL! COAL!

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Call, or phone in your orders now while the weather is ideal for delivering.

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ST. HILAIRE, MINN

Arthur Hanson Local Manager

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } SS

In District Court
Fourteenth Judicial District

First State Bank of Roosevelt
Plaintiff

vs

Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson
Defendants

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Roseau upon a Judgment rendered in said Court in favor of First State Bank of Roosevelt, Plaintiff, and against Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson Defendants, and a transcript of which said judgment was subsequently and prior hereto duly filed and docketed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Pennington County, Minnesota, I have levied upon the following described real estate of said defendants, to-wit;

The South-half of the North-quarter (S1-2NW1-4) and Lots three and four (3 and 4) of section four (4) township one hundred fifty-two (152) range Forty-four (44) West, in the County of Pennington. Minnesota.

And that I shall, on Friday the 15th day of March, 1929 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson in and to the above described property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Four Hundred Fifty-three and 13-100 Dollars ($453.13), together with all accrueing costs of sale, and interest on the same from the 17th day of January, 1929, at the rate of six per cent per annum, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 28th day of January, 1929.

O. L. Ihle,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.

M. J. Hegland,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Roseau, Minnesota.
J31-M-7

Bees Hold Business Section Two Hours

Westwood, N. J.—This town suspended business for two hours when a swarm of beee took possession of the principal corner, Weetwood and Center avennes.

The first intimntion came when Dr. F. C. Young hopped into hie car, and hopped right out egain. He waited a while, but the bees refused to ebandon his machine, and he had to resort to a taxicab. Stores closed doors and windows, and tha bees tried perticnlarly bard to enter the Waller department etore. Fnrtive individuals darted down the streets, but most of them were stung.

Finnlly an nnidentified citizen, experienced in the weys of bees, bronght n hive, mosqnito netting end smokepot, and soon bed the swnrm cnptured.

Navigators' Line

The international date line is an irregular lina drawn on the mnp of the Pacific ocean near the 180-degree meridian of longitnde, and marks the place where navigators change their date.

OKLA. GOV. SUSPENDED

Executive Challenges Legality as Senate Forms Court for His Trial.

Oklahoma City, Okla.—Sweeping aside opposition, the Oklahoma senate has suspended from office Governor Henry S. Johnston having received five articles of impeachment voted last week by the house of representatives. W. J. Holloway, lientenant governor, notified Johneton that he was assuming the dnties of the gubernatorial office during the period of suspeusion, the senate resolved itself into court of impeachment and organized for the trial of the governor; and the house investigating committee resumed its inquiry into the affairs of state departments. The eenate eet Jannary 28 ae the day for Johneton's appearance before the conrt.

The suspended governor asserted that while he felt the snspension had not been carried ont in a legal manner. It was hie contention that the senate shonld not heve received the impeachment charges until after it bad resolved itself into a court and that his enspension hy the senate hed no force. He said he would make no attempt to retein his office, however.

Althongh Governor Johnston is a Democrat, oppoeition to his euspension was led in the senate hy a Repuhlican, W. T. Clark. A resolntion which would heve pledged the eenate againet suspension was introdnced hy Clark end Fletcher Johnson, Democrat, before the impeachment charges reached the seneta.

Atlanta Millionaire Sued for $250,000.

Atlanta, Ga.—Mise Frances Porter wanta $250,000 becanee ehe saye Conkie P. Wihteheed, millionaire Atlanta sportsman, ruined her stage career and bumilated her by declining to becoma her patron end husbend. A suit filsd in Fulton snperior court came as a sequel to differences between the Atlanta millionaire and tha dancer aboard hie yacht in Havana harbor. False imprisonment, slander, and frand were allaged in the suit, delineated by an sccount of the harbor altercation, storiee purportedly by Whitehead and Mise Porter's charge that he had promieed to get her on the stage in New York and marry her as soon as he wes divorced.

Linar Goes Aground off Bahamas.

New York—Eighty-one passengers of the world cruise ship, President Garfield were eafe aboard the Munson liner Pan-America after a rescua from their own ship, which ran aground on Mantanilla reef at the northern tip of the Bahama island group.

Word of the rescue of the passengere came first from Robert E. Duff, operating managar in New York for the Dollar line and a short time later from the Radio Marine corporation, which was in direct communication with the Pan-America.

Primary Cost Under Million.

Waehington—Tha presidential primery campelgn cost the 15 candidates in the two mejor perties $894,096 and it was money legitimately spent in the opinion of the eenate campaign funds investigation committee. Herbert Hoover reported tha largest amount with preconvention expenditures placed at $394,254.18. Alfred E. Smith who won the Democratic nomination was the next largest epender in tha primaries, the committee pntting hie expenses et $152,622.53.

Farmer Dairy Strikers Dump Milk.

Cihcago—Militant dairy farmers wayiald two Soo Line trains at Lake Villa station, 15 miles weet of Wankegan and dnmped the contents of two tank care of milk. Sixty cane of milk were taken from a train bonnd for Chicago end the strikers boarded a second milk train, emptied two tank cars and toseed out all the milk they found in three refrigerator care.

Power Plant Blast Kills One.

Peoria, Ill.—One man waa killed and two othere injnrad, one perhaps fatally, in an explosion in the mill rcom of the super power plant opereted by the Insull intereets at Powerton, near here. The dead man is Kenneth R. Greig of Pekin, ehift engineer. The injured are John H. Eggena, who may die, and Addison C. Depny, both of Pekin.

Navy Gig Hits Barge; 5 Die.

Washington—The drowning of one naval officer, a pay corps officer and three enlieted seamen off Balboa, Canal Zone, when a navy gig collided with a barge, has heen reported. The gig was returning from Balboa to tho deetroyer tender, Whitney, and after etriking the barge, towed by the canal tug Mariner, sank immediately.

Booth, Gaining Health, Plans Battle.

London—General Bramwell Booth has gained physical strength in the last 10 daye which will aid him in prosecution of the fight which he seeme determined to continna for retantion of control of the Salvation Army.

$190,000 Ship Gets $1,600 Bid.

Boston—The Herbert L. Rawling, four-master echooner, which was a thing of beanty when built 10 years ago at a cost of $190,000, has been knocked down at auction for a paltry $1,600.

Wordrobe Variety Aids Cotton Industry

New York—The harm that short skirts did the cotton goods industry is being overcome. Business is improving hecause women's wardrobes are greater than ever in number and variety of articles.

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Congressman C. G. Selvig says the bill to restrict shipment of prison made goods has passed Congress and has received signature of the President. Thru efforts of members of the farm bloc, who were opposed to the bill, it was amended so it wil not become effective for five years. The American Federation of Labor proposes by this bill, to eliminate competition of prison labor with factory labor. It means that convicts will have to be supported thru taxation rather than thru products of their own labor, as is now the case in Minnesota.

As Congressman Selvig aptly puts it "If union labor will lend a hand to help the American farmer eliminate competition from abroad, they will produce so many additional jobs that the small number of people working in prison factories will not be so important.

Weather and the Moon

Many people believe that it is a sign of cold weather when the moon is far to the north. There is probably no relation whatever between the wenther and the apparent position of the moon. The moon's motions are uniform and its position can be compnted for years and even centnries ahead. No such uniformity exists in regard to the weather.—Pathfinder Magazine.

LOCALS

For Sale:-Dry wood, sawed in stove lengths, at $6.50 per cord delivered. Call on or address
John Engelbart,
J31-F7 pd R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

Geo. W. Christie, one of the publishers of the Red Lake Falls Gazette, was elected president of the Northern Minnesota Editorial Association at the winter meeting held recently at Sauk Centre.

For Sale:-A New Home sewing machine, Pathe phonograph with 50 records, a folding bed, 2 iron beds with springs and two iron beds without springs. Will sell cheap to move quickly. Call on Engh Bros. at the garage in St. Hilaire.
J31-F7 pd

The Northern States Power Company, of which the Red River Power Company is a part, recently announced a building and repairing program for 1929 that will total several millions of dollars. Improvements are to be made on all plants owned by the company in this section, including Red Lake Falls Fargo, Grand Forks and Minot.

Earl D. Jenson, former resident here, came up yesterday from Minneapolis to look after business matters, and to visit with friends.

The Market

(Corrected on Wednesdey)

Northern Wheat	$1.03
Dorem Wheat	.9$
Rye	.89
Barley	.55
Oets	.40
Flax	2.17
Eggs, caeh	.25
Creamery butter	.50

LOCALS

Notice: Will have a carload of soft coal from the Ford mines, here this week. Place your orders now and get delivery from the car. Call the depot
Art Hendrickson.

All who have notices to be published, are kindly asked to bring them in as early as possible. Much matter that could be in on Monday, now comes Wednesday and Wednesday night. As practically all our time is taken up with proof reading, makeup and press work on Wednesdays, it will simplify matters considerably if notices that can come in before, are brot earlier than Wednesday.

Wanted:-Work with team such as wood, ice, hay, coal hauling, etc. If you have have hauling of any kind, please phone No. 70.
J31tf E. Hilligoss, City.

For Rent-Well improved farm adjoining the village. In excellent condition. Call on or address
J54-31pd W. Hartje,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

NOTICE--Starting with December, I will be in St. Hilaire on the last Friday of each month during the winter to attend to business of the Farmers State Bank. For the purpose of conserving fuel, I will main my headquarters at the Spectator office when in St. Hilaire, during the winter.

L. E. Healy,
Spec. Deputy Examiner

Bids Wanted:-The school board of District No. 236J will receive sealed bids up to time of meeting Friday, Feb. 1st., for delivery of 10 cords of split, heavy body, green poplar cordwood at the school grounds of said district.
J-24-31 Herman Jepson,
Clerk.

Auto Overhauling

This is the best time of the year to have your car overhauled and put in shape for use next spring.

I have facilities for doing this work, and am making special prices for it during the winter months.

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Instead of working over a hot stove at home on Sundays, bring the family to the Inn for our special Sunday dinner.

Lunches and meal at all hours

Placing the Blame

"Oh, wby did I leave bome and mother?" she sobbed after their first quarrel.

"Chiefly because your family were too stingy to take us in," be answered bitterly.

Flee the Flappers

Smith—What do you think of flappers, as a rule?

Smart—Not the best rule to follow. On the other hand, a good rule to go by.

Irrational Rations

Laundress—I couldn't come yesterday, Miss Johnson; I had such a pain.

Mistress—What was it, Melissa, dyspepsia?

Laundress—Well, ma'am, it was something I eat; the doctor called it acute indiscretion.

Now She Knows

Wife—If I were to die, what should you do?

Husband—Oh, the same as you would yourself.

Wife—You wretch! I've always suspected it.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

WHEREAS, Default has been made by the mortgagors in the conditions and covenants of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Peter Sabo and Inga Sabo, his wife, mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, bearing date the 2nd day of January, 1924, and, with a power of sale therein contained, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 2nd day of January, 1924, at three o'clock P. M., and duly recorded therein in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 117 thereof;

AND WHEREAS, Said default consists in the failure of said mortgagors to pay the sum of Twelve Dollars and twenty-two cents ($12.22), being the balance due and unpaid of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest which became due and payable on the 2nd day of July, 1927, and to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest, each amounting to One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents ($171.88), which became due and payable on the 2nd day of January, 1928, the 2nd day of July, 1928, and the 2nd day of January, 1929, in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and to keep the buildings on said mortgaged premises insured as stipulated in and by the terms of said mortgage, in default of which the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, elected to and did on the 26th day of November, 1928, pay the sum of Twenty-two Dollars and fifty cents ($22.50) to effect such insurance, which default has continued to this date;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, and pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage and as authorized by law, the Department of Rural Credit, on behalf of the State of Minnesota, the mortgagee and owner and holder of said mortgage, has exercised and does hereby exercise its option to declare, and hereby does declare, the whole of the loan secured by said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith;

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable upon said mortgage, and the loan secured thereby, at the date of this notice, by reason of said election, the sum of Five Thousand One Hundred Ninety Dollars and eight cents ($5,190.08), unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from the 2nd day of January 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per centum per annum, and Five Hundred Twenty-seven Dollars and eighty-six cents ($527.-88) amortized principal and interest, with interest on $12.22 thereof from July 9th, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, interest on $171.88 thereof from January 2nd, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, interest on $171.88 thereof from July 2nd, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, and interest on $171.88 thereof from January 2nd, 1929, at seven per centum per annum, in all the sum of Five Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-five Dollars and eleven cents ($5,785.11), including the amount paid for insurance, as aforesald, with interest thereon at seven per cent, from said date of payment;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, the said power of sale contained in said mortgage has become and is operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and covered by said mortgage, situate, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-six (26), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 25th day of February, 1929, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance paid as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and expenses allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 9th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.

Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS,
Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
Helmer M. Feroe,
Assistant Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
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MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Kimball—At the Annual Meeting of the Kimball Community Club, E. A. Erickson was elected President.

Hayfield—The Hayfield Presbyterian church has been completely destroyed by fire with a loss of $36,000.

Minnecta—Otto Anderson is the new president of the Citizens Lunch Club, succeeding T. P. Culshay.

Minneapolis—Two bandits tied, gagged and chloroformed the proprietor of the Bidwell Pharmacy and rified the safe of $250.

Little Falls—The leaders of the Morrison County Farm burean are planning a drive to provide a $2,000 fund to retain county agent Henry Wener.

Winger—At the annual meeting of the Winger Lutheran congregation, Tom Haugan was elected vice-president.

Winger—The Rindel Co-operative Dairy Association reports that 317,326 pounds of butter was produced in 1928 with a gross value of $151,099.

Duluth—A contest of one act plays participated in by 60 farmers' clubs of St. Louis County is in preparation throughout the county.

Herman—William T. Ziebarth, 62 years old, former mayor of Herman, and president of the school board, died at Rochester.

Hutchinson—Officers of the Hutchinson Concert Band have been re-elected for 1929, Dr. Arthur B. Peterson, president and Hans M. Peterson director.

Northfield—Debating teams of nine institutions will be met by representatives of St. Olaf College this year, according to Professor Harry Pearson, coach.

St. Paul—Nine engine companies and three hook and ladder companies were required to extinguish a blaze at the LaSalle Products Company. The loss amounted to $200,000.

Albert Lea—H. J. Anderson of the Bancroft Creamery has been announced as champion butter maker of Minnesota in a competition sponsored by the State Dairymen's Assn.

Little Falls—George W. McCullough, state game and fish commissioner spoke at the annual meeting of the Morrison County Sportsmen's Club last Thursday evening.

Waseca—The Minnesota State Dairymen's Assn. has elected L. Jensen of Clearbrook to a ninth term as president, at its fifty-first annual convention here.

Wabasha—The attempts recently made to stock the Upper Mississippi River Wild Life and Game Refuge with beaver colonies are beginning to show good results.

Milaca—Stockholders of the Milaca Farmers Co-operative Creamery, the largest in the state in the Land O' Lakes organization, will conduct their annual meeting here.

Winona—Beekeepers of southeastern Minnesota and western Wisconsin will have an annual meeting in the courthouse here, plans for which are in charge of Ozro S. Holland, secretary.

Hutchinson—February 7 is the date chosen for Hutchinson's all-community dance to be given free of charge by the Hutchinson fire department. John Knaff is chairman of arrangements.

St. Paul—Funeral of Mrs. Melvin Maas, wife of Congressman Maas of the fourth district, who died in Washington of influenza following a short illness, will be held here.

Northfield—Professor I. M. Cochran of Carleton College and Mrs. Cochren have returned from a half year's absence abroad while Professor Cochran was on sabbatical leave.

St. Paul—An increase of $1,056,363.85 in total state bank deposits is shown in tabulation of the bank call as of December 31, 1928, which has been completed by A. J. Veigel, state commissioner of banks.

Rochester—Plans have been made for the biennial state convention of the Minnesota branch of the American Association of University Women, to be held April 26 and 27 in Rochester, Minn.

Red Wing—Stricken with apoplexy while driving a Milwaukee fast mail train into the city, engineer Mey stuck to his post until he became unconscious. He died in a hospital at Red Wing.

Minneapolis—Arthur Lorenz, convicted of conspiracy to use the mails to defraud in connection with the Cochran "gold note" swindle scheme, has been sentenced to 20 years in prison.

Moorhead—Pastors of northern Minnesota churches began arriving here for the four-day convention of the Northern Minnesota conference of the Norwegian Lutheran Church of America next week.

Long Prairie—Burns received in an explosion of gasoline with which she was cleaning garments caused the death of Mrs. August Westphal, 45 years old, mother of Ed Westphal, University of Minnesota fullback.

St. Paul—Nationally prominent pharmacists will address the 49th annual conveniton of the Minnesota State Pharmaceutical association to be conducted here at the St. Paul Hotel February 6, 7 and 8th.

Early American Poet

Walter Jerrold in his biography of the poet says that Oliver Wendell Holmes' grandmother was the great-great-grandmother of Anne Bradstreet. Critics sometimes refer to her as the first poet in the American colonies.

Penalty of Wealth

"He who attains great wealth," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "may too often find himself at the mercy of those who pretend to enough wisdom to show him how to protect it."—Washington Star.

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CHURCHES

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Rev. Edith Grays, pastor.

No services until further notice.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Feb. 3, services as follows:

St. Hilaire church, 11:00 A. M. American language with sermonette in Norwegian

St. Pauli:-Norwegian sermon a 2:00 P. M.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in local church at 10:30 A. M., and in Clara church at 3:00 P. M.

SWEDISH MISSION

Rev. C. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school, 10:00 A. M.
Morning service at 11:00.
"Christ and the lonely"
Evening service at 7:30.
"The Voyage of Life"
Services at Black River at 2:30 P. M. "What is a Christian"

Why go to church? Because the church is God's way of saving, conserving, and keeping humanity from moral degeneration.

The Y. P. S. meets at the home of Albert Anderson next Saturdav, Feb. 2nd. Everyone welcome.

Regular prayer meeting will be held at the Alfred Dahlstrom home Friday, Feb, 8th.

Luther League Program Feb. 3, 1929

Opening Hymn, Come, Thou, Almighty King.
Hymn, I need Thee Every Hour.
Scripture reading and Prayer, Rev. Dahle.
Confession of Faith-- Audience.
Hymn-- Beautiful Saviour.
Annual business meeting- Election of officers.
Hymn-- Jesus, Lover of My Soul.
Vocal solo-- Margaret Dahle.
Reading- -Miss B. Braseth.
Selection-- H. S. Girls Glee Club.
Brief Articles, by various members.
Selection-- Ladies' Trio.
Clcs'ng Hymn-- Sun of My Soul.
Lord's Prayer.

After the program, refreshments will be served in the church parlors by the Bilden, Gigstad and Rosette families.

A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Annual Creamery Meeting

The annual meeting of the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Association will be held at the Imperial Hall in St. Hilaire, Minn., on Monday, February 4th, 1929, at 1 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year and to transact any other business that may properly come before said meeting.

N-24-31 F. S Erdmann, Sec'ty.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

WHEREAS, Default has been made by the mortgagors in the conditions and covenants of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John W. Denhart, also known as John William Denhart, and Ester Vidacy Denhart, his wife, mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1925, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 12th day of March, 1925, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded therein in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 309 thereof;

AND WHEREAS, Said default consists in the failure of said mortgagors to pay the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest, amounting to One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents, ($171.88), which became due and payable on the 16th day of August, 1928, in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and to keep the buildings on said mortgaged premises insured as stipulated in and by the terms of said mortgage, in default of which the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, elected to and did on the 11th day of August, 1928, pay the sum of Twenty-two Dollars and fifty cents ($22.50) to effect such insurance, which default has continued to this date;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, and pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage and as authorized by law, the Department of Rural Credit, on behalf of the State of Minnesota, the mortgagee and owner and holder of said mortgage, has exercised and does hereby exercise its option to declare, and hereby does declare, the whole of the loan secured by said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith;

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable upon said mortgage, and the loan secured thereby, at the date of this notice, by reason of said election, the sum of Five Thousand Two Hundred Ninety-one Dollars and sixty-two cents ($5,291.62), unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from the 16th day of August, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per centum per annum, and One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents ($171.88) amortized principal and interest, together with interest thereon from the 16th day of August, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, in all the sum of Five Thousand Six Hundred One Dollars and seventy-eight cents ($5,601.78), including the amount paid for insurance, as aforesaid, with interest thereon at seven per cent. from said date of payment;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, the said power of sale contained in said mortgage has become and is operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and covered by said mortgage, situate, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) and that fractional part of the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE¼ of SW¼), being and lying East of the Right of Way of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company, as the same is located over and across said Government Subdivision, all being in Section One (1), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 179 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 25th day of February, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and expenses allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 9th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,

Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
Helmer M. Feroe,
Assistant Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (J10-F14.)

M. F. Frederickson, whose address is given as St. Hilaire, recently enrolled for a course of study at Dunwoody Institute at Minneapolis. Dunwoody Institute is a gift to the residents of the State for training of boys and men in trades and industries. The school has an endowment of over five million dollars, the income from which is spent for trade and industrial training. The school is operated without profit, and is open to any man or boy of Minnesota who desires training in any of the various trades taught at the school.

Want advs bring results.

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Farmers Meeting, Feb 19

The Sugar Beet Special Train, which was so much appreciated in the territory where it was shown, has been changed from four cars to two, and will be shown on this line of the Great Northern the week starting, Feb, 17.

One car shows sheep and dairy cattle exhibits and features sweet clover and alfalfa in rotation for sheep and cattle. Exhibits in the other car show the value of rotation of crops and especially the rotation of sweet clover and cultivated crops with grain. Sample bundles of grain from differently handled field are shown which demonstrate what clearly gained by rotation of crops.

A farmers meeting will be held at the Imperial hall during the afternoon to discuss crop rotation, soil fertility, and cultivation, sheep and dairy cattle, alfalfa. clover and feed crops. Discussion will be led by Robt. Douglas, County Agent, and Dan E. Willard and Paul C. C. Wagner, Agricultural Development Agents of the Great Northern. Admission to the exhibit cars, and afternoon meeting, are free. Remember the day and date, and plan to attend.

Want Adv Brings Results

On Thursday, January 24th, Will Hartje inserted a small local adv in the Spectator offering his farm near town for rent. On Monday Mr. Hartje received a letter of inquiry about the place from E. D. Jensen of Minneapolis, who resided north of here until last fall. As result of the inquiry, Mr. Jenson came up Wednesday morning, purchased the entire farming equipment, livestock and household goods of Mr. Hartje, and got possesion of the place this week. Thus, one man who desired to locate elsewhere, sold all his chattels and rented his farm, while another made a good buy of farm equipment, and rented a most desirable place, all as the result of inserting a 25 cent want adv.

Ole Johnson, manager of the Carlson Merc. Co., store here, and Arvid Carlson of Middle River, president of the Carlson Merc. Co, Inc., left Tuesday to take in Market Week in the Twin Cities. They expect to make large purchases of spring stock for their five stores while in the Cities.

Iowa Town Snowbound

Daily newspapers have for the past week told of efforts being expended to bring relief as to fuel and food to an Iowa town that has been snowbound for two weeks.

State highway department snow. plows succeeded in opening the road about half way to the village, but the road drifted in again as fast as it was opened. Last report stated the plows would be held in readiness for use when weather condition became such that they could be operated. This from Iowa, several hundred miles south of here, is in direct contrast to conditions in Northern Minnesota. While there is some snow here, and cold weather has prevailed during January, no places are snowbound. Autos and busses have operated without trouble in this part of the state all winter. While it is generally conceeded that this section is not without drawbacks, the above is proof that conditions are not always ideal other places either. Close observation of weather condition thruout the entire county this winter, shows Northern Minnesota has had as good, and in many instances, much better, weather than has prevailed in other section.

Albert Lonson, formerly of Thief River Falls, and well known to many local people, dropped dead after an attack of heart trouble last week while crossing the bridge between Baudette and Spooner, at which latter place he was in charge of a closed bank. According to information received here, A. F. Hall, former cashier of the Farmers State Bank here, has been named temporary receiver of the Spooner bank to succeed Mr, Lonson.

The high school basketball team motored Friday evening to Fisher and engaged the high school team there in a red hot contest, and took the short end of a 12 to 9 score. The game was quite evenly played thruout, but the local boys were unable to overcome the three point lead maintained by the Fisher cagers.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beebe returned home Thursday after spending two months in looking after their real estate holdings in Texas, and visiting with relatives in southern part of this state. They report having a most enjoyable trip.

Want Ads Bring Results

More Brilliant as the Years Go By

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

P. E. Bergh came over Monday from Plummer to look after his hardware store after being laid up several days by a severe cold.

It is reported the highway department intends to have the road between here and Thief River Falls oiled the coming spring.

The local W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Rev. M. L. Dahle on Tuesday, Feb. 12th. All interested are welcome.

L. E. Healy, special deputy in charge of the Farmers State Bank, was here Monday attending to some business affairs of the bank.

Norman Olsen was up at Alverado during last week-end to take care of churnings at the creamery there which were delayed because of illness of the operator.

S. Bergland motored down Saturday from Thief River for a visit at the homes of his son and daughter, G. Bergland and Mrs. Margaret Volden.

The Pacific coast country, which is generally favored with mild weather this time of the year has lately experienced severe cold and heavy snows.

Young & Erickson are advertising a clearance sale of auto tires, tubes and other auto supplies. The tires and tubes are all of the Goodrich make which are considered topnotch for quality.

A young daughter of Mr. Gunderson, who resides on the Benson farm across the south bridge, was taken ill Thursday with an attack of appendicitis and was removed to a hospital at Thief River to undergo an operation

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Prugh and children, Dennis and LaVaghn, and Mrs. Harry Prugh and daughter, Violet, of Thief River Falls, visited Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. K. O Gigstad. They also visited at the Anton E. Anderson home, east of town, in the evening.

Quite a number of people from this vicinity took advantage of the special rates offered by the Great Northern and went to Crookston yesterday to attend the Winter Shows. The Show is reported to be exceptionally fine this year, both as to entertainment offered and variety of exhibits shown.

Miss Lily Gunstad, who teaches at Rosewood, came down Saturday and spent until Sunday afternoon at her home east of town.

Art Hendrickson unloaded and distributed a carload of Ford coal last Friday. This carload is the first from the Ford mines to be shipped in here.

Mrs. E. D. Jenson and son, who have resided in Minneapolis since last fall, are expected here this week to join Mr. Jenson to make their home on the Hartje farm adjoining town.

Boxed writing papers of all kinds many suitable for gifts, also bulk paper and envelopes, loose leaf composition bond paper, and correspondence tablets for sale at the Spectator office.

J. D. Porter, accompanied by a friend, motored over Thursday from Bemidji to attend to collections and to look after other business matters in connction with his auto sales here in 1928.

Saturday was Groundhog Day. Cloudy weather prevailed here all day. According to tradition, this indicates that spring will start at once, but its probably safer to figure the start of spring about March 22.

R. L. Hauge, venerable resident across the river, is reported to be getting along nicely after quite a spell of illness. Mr. Hauge has been a familiar figure on the streets here the past twenty five years, and his many friends hope to see him about again soon.

Harold Holmes, who is in the railway mail service with headquarters at St. Paul, came home yesterday to spend a vacation with his family. He may transfer to another branch of the government service next spring.

J. A. Hanson, proprietor of the moving picture show, announced at his performance last Saturday and Sunday that shows will be discontinued at the hall for balance of the winter.

J. Edw. Johnson, of Black River district is planning to build a modern stock barn on his place the coming spring and summer. A new barn will add materially to appearance of his place as, well as causing quite a saving in labor in handling of his dairy herd.

To Build New Residence

Ole Larson, prominent dairyman residing in Sanders west of here, will commence erection of a commodious, new residence as soon as frost is out of the ground in the spring, The new house will be two stories with full basement. Mr. Larson has a fine barn built a few years ago, and now with addition of a residence, his place will be one of the best equipped, as to buildings, in this section,

P. T. A. Meets Friday

The Parent-Teachers Association will have its regular monthly meeting at the school building Friday evening this week.

Supt. Hughes of the public schools at Red Lake Falls, will be the speaker. Several musical numbers and other entertainment will be provided. Lunch will be served as usual.

A bill introduced in the legislature which would permit the State of Minnesota to pay school taxes on lands acquired by the Rural Credit Bureau in certain districts, has been declared unconstitutional by the attorney general. While this will temporarily hold up the relief expected, other means of attaining the same end are being looked into and its probable some way will be found during the present session.

At meeting of the village council held Monday night, it was decided to have 150 cubic yards of gravel hauled this winter. Part of it will be used for a new walk to be laid west of the tracks, part will go on the street from Broadway west to Hans Wilson's place, and balance will be used on the streets north of Mrs. N. A. Nelson's property and north of the Mission church lots.

Tollef Thompson, a former resident of this village in and prior to sawmill days, came down Thursday from his home at Spooner for a week-end visit with relatives and old friends. Mr. Thompson was engaged in the general merchandise business business at Spooner for many years after leaving here.

Mike Highland, who has been quite ill the past two weeks with influenza and tonsilitis, has shown much improvement lately. Mike's eronumus friends hope for his speedy recovery.

Annual Creamery Meeting

The annual meeting and election of officers of the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n was held Monday afternoon at the Imperial hall. A goodly number of patrons and stock holders were present, altho' bad road conditions prevented many others from being present, Matters pertaining to the creamery were discussed, but concensus of opinion seemed to be that the plant was being operated as efficiently as possible at present, and everyone seemed satisfied with its record the past year. The annual statement of the secretary, which is to be published soon, shows the creamery made a gain in 1928 over the previous year. A careful comparison of the statement here with that of other plants in this part of the state, shows the local creamery paid its patrons more per lb for butterfat than a big percentage of other creameries in this district.

Felix Grandbois, who has served as president the past two years, was re-elected, as also were Secretary Fred Frdmann and Treasurer W. P. Wilson. O. L. Larson, who has been director, was named vice-president and John Maakrud was elected director.

The matter of buttermilk disposal was brot up, but no action was taken, the matter being left to descretion of the board.

Bids Wanted

The village council of St. Hilaire will receive sealed bids up to time of meeting Thursday evening, Feb. 14 for delivery of 150 cubic yards of gravel at designated places on the village streets, same to be delivered by the 15th of March, 1929. The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids as its judgement may dictate.

M. Fricker, Clerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hartje, who leased their farm last week to E. D. Jensen, left this week to spend balance of the winter with his relatives at Austin, Minn. Next spring they intend to visit relatives of Mrs. Hartje in Illinois, and later will decide upon a permanent location. Mr. and Mrs. Hartje have made many friends during their years of residence here who regret their decision to leave this community, but all join in wishing them success wherever they may locate.

The Spectator, $1.50 a year.

READY MONEY

Opportunity always comes first to those who are in position to take advantage of it.

Creating a surplus by systematic saving of part of your income, will eventually place you in the preferred position where opportunity will seek you out. Start a savigns account now. We will be glad to assist you.

Merchants State Bank

St. Hilaire - - - - Minnesota

Faith In The Future

When this creamery started 26 yrs. ago, many people then residing here were not very optomistic as to its ultimate success. Those who pinned their faith to dairying, and patronized their creamery since then, are nearly all here today, and have something to show for their efforts.

The same story will be repeated in the next decade. YOUR creamery will enjoy a bigger success than ever before if all patrons will boost for it, and patronize it.

St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Auto Tire Reduction
S-A-L-E

To reduce stock, we are offering special prices on the following high class tires and tubes. All are first grade stock, and carry the regular Goodrich guarantee:-

29 x 4.40 Silvertown casings each
$8.00

30 x 3 1-2 Silvertown casings each
6.70

30 x 3 1-2 Goodrich Cavalier Casings
5.65

30 x 3 1-2 Goodrich oversize casings
6.25

30 x 4.50 Goodridge casings
7.50

30 x 3 Commander casings, each
4.50

29 x 4.40 Commander casings
5.95

TUBES

30 x 3 1-2 red tubes, each	$1.25
29 x 4.40 tubes, each	$1.55
Goodrich tube repair outfits	.15

Grant storage batteries, 1 yr guarantee, each $8.00
Special prices good from Feb. 1, to Feb, 15.

Young & Erickson
ST. HILAIRE,

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 24th, 1924, executed by Carrie Brekke, a widow, as mortgagor, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 29th, 1924, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 221 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $51.99, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $109.38, due on April 24th, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $109.38 each, due on October 24th, 1927, April 24th, 1928, and October 24th, 1928, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises for the years 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928; and to pay the premium on insurance policy covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $3,324.85, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from October 24th, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $380.13, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $51.99 thereof since November 16th, 1927, on $109.38 thereof since October 24, 1927, on $109.38 thereof since April 24th, 1928, and on $109.38 thereof since October 24th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $313.10 for taxes including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at seven per cent. per annum since January 25th, 1929, and the sum of $18.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since August 3rd, 1928, in all the sum of $4,109.30, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates, as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Thirteen (13), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 22nd day of March, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated February 6th, 1929.

State of Minnesota, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.

Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)

G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (F7-M14.)

South River Falls

Mrs. August Erickson and Ernest Erickson visited at the Miller Peterson home Sunday afternoon.

Edgar Peterson is helping at the L. P. Thyren home during the illness of Erick Thyren.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thyren and family were guests at the Will Rinkenberger home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ulrich visited at the Geo. Hesse home Monday.

Donald and Marvin Thyren visited at the John Larson home over the week-end.

Mrs. John Mahla is seriously ill at her home in River township.

Mrs. Herman Burstad visited at the Geo. Hesse home Monday afternoon.

Paul Thyren called at the Fred Ulrich home on business Monday.

Paul Jepson visited with Joyce Stephens Sunday.

Gladys Peterson, Anne Walseth, Evelyn Peterson and Horace Dalager spent the week-end at their respective homes.

Squaring Things for Rodney

By AD SCHUSTER

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"I'M NOT saying you did it. I won't accuse my own son of theft." Jason Will spoke with effort. "But the money's gone. It was in your keeping. I guess you better go, too." He crossed the room and looked out of the window.

"Father!", Rodney Will, angry at the accusation, sick at heart, made a final appeal. The old man turned to silence him.

"You started going wrong when you took to leaving town over the week ends. How do I know you were calling on a girl? Maybe you were gambling, maybe . . ."

"That's enough. Some one has been filling your mind with suspicion. You will find out some day the truth of all this and you will be very sorry." And Rodney left.

The next evening he told the story to Mary, a story which meant an end to wedding plans and one to test her faith. Mary did not falter.

"We'll have to show him he's wrong,' she said. "Tell me all about it from beginning to end."

It was a week later when a young woman who gave the name of Millicent Clayme arrived in Minden looking for work. She visited the factory of Jason Will, smiled sweetly at Art Dale the cashier and was given encouragement.

"We're needing a little help," Dale said. "You see the old man's son has gone. I'll say a word for you." And he left to speak to Jason.

Millicent got the job. Resentful of the attentions of the cashier she did her best to gain his confidence. In time they considered friends.

"That so Will's, why did he leave?" she asked one day. "It would seem to me this business would be a fine thing for a young man."

"It is a good thing," said Art. When old Jason dies the man who has charge here can make a fortune. Young Will could have had it all but he, well, they say he dipped his fingers into the cash drawer, or something."

Millicent nodded. "And that made it so much nicer for you?"

"Yes, there is nothing to keep me from being rich now. I stand in with the boss, as you see."

"Well," Millicent sighed. "I never knew young Will, but he must have been stupid to give up a chance like that. Maybe its all for the best because this business will need a smart man; one who knows how to get along. You'll do more, perhaps, than he could. My, I wish I were a man." And the smile she gave him meant she wished she were a man like Art Dale. He moved closer.

"Listen, girl, you did right to come here for a job. There is nothing like working for a place with promise and for a man who knows how to make good. Nobody counts this business for much but they don't figure on what can be done when old Jason dies. I helped get you the job, didn't I? Well, you stick by me and we'll be rich. Will you do it?"

The answer was an adoring gaze "But," she said at last, "it may be a long wait."

"I've thought of that, too. Old Jason is a tough one. But the son's going wrong is breaking him up." He took her hand and, encouraged, went on.

"If it comes to the worst and the wait is too long we can make a clean up right under old Jason's nose and skip. What do you say?"

"You are wonderful, Mr. Dale, but do you think we could?"

"I know it. The old man leaves everything to me and trusts me absolutely. He would take my word against that of his own son."

Millicent's eyes widened yet they seemed still full of admiration.

"You mean?" she said.

"I mean I had to get the kid out. That makes it nicer for us," and he leaned forward.

"Yes, doesn't it!" Old Jason stood in the door of a closet and Millicent, white-faced and exhausted with the ordeal leaned back. Dale looked from one to the other, wet his lips, and tried to speak.

"It was a pretty trap," he said at last, "and sprung by an expert. Well, what are you going to do?"

"I'm going to send a wire to my son," old Jason answered, "that is if I can find him."

"There is no need," said Millicent, "I've done that already. You see, I am Mary Clay, the girl he is going to marry."

Choice of Evils

"A poor defense!"

Marshal Rollo Duncan of Helena was condemning a Montana novelist who in an audacious novel had "fouled his own West."

"The man's defense," Marshal Duncan went on, "was a poor one. He needed the money, he said, and since he thought these things anyhow, why, he might as well print them and make a profit.

"A poor defense. Yes, worse than little Willie's.

"'Willie,' said his momma, 'how dared you steal your sister's dime? Don't you know that in doing so you broke a commandment?'

"'Oh, well,' said Willie, 'it was better to break one commandment and have the dime than break another and only covet it.'"

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Kenyon—J. C. Halvorson was elected president of the Kenyon Dairy Association at its annual meeting.

Mora—At a meeting here in which half a hundred persons took part, a Mora community band was organized.

St. Paul—February 15th will be the last day to get auto license tags without paying a penalty of twenty-five cents a day.

Roseau—W. L. Edwards, secretary of the Roseau Shipping association, reports an increase of $5,795 in the business over last year, totalling $72,232.87.

St. Paul—A total of $10,101,252.49 has been turned in to Mike Holm, secretary of state, as receipts from motor vehicle registration for 1928.

Minneapolis—Street car fares in the Twin Cities have been increased to a cash fare of ten cents or six tokens for forty-five cents.

Bowlus—The Morrison County State Bank of Bowlus stockholders have held their annual meeting and elected John A. Bartoo president.

Rochester — Rochester Automobile Dealers Association elected Clarence Fischer as president of the organization for 1929.

Benson—Dr. C. L. Scofield of this city has received a re-appointment for a three-year period to the state board of health by Governor Christianson.

Ceylon—August Saggau of this city has been elected to fill the vacancy in the state senate, caused by the death of Frank A. Day, by a large majority.

Bagley—More than $250,000 has been paid to farmers in this community for clover seed by seed buyers in the last three months.

Albert Lea—Two churches, one here and one in Hayfield, have been destroyed by fire with a total loss of $120,000.

Thief River Falls—A special tax levy of $8,000 has been voted by the county commissioners to retire county bonds that fall due this year.

Saint Paul—Floyd B. Olson, Hennepin county attorney has been elected president of the Minnesota County Attorney's Association, at the annual meeting in the court house here.

Minneota—What is believed by H. Lacy, local ice dealer, to have been the largest ice harvest on record here, has been cut. 2,100,000 pounds in ten days.

St. Paul—The commission row building here on Sixth street, between Rosebell street and Broadway, was nearly destroyed by fire with an estimated loss of $180,000.

Redwood Falls—One week after the mortgage on the Christian Church was destroyed to signify complete payment of all debts, fire completely wiped out the entire structure with a loss of $40,000.

Jackson—Fire of unknown origin totally destroyed the Rost Co-operative Creamery 12 miles west of here on highway No. 9. The loss amounts to $9,500.

Jackson—Purchase of a new $5,000 pipe organ for Our Savior's church of this city has been approved at a business meeting here. Installation will be as soon as possible.

Northfield—Dean W. C. Coffey of the College of Agriculture, University of Minnesota, will speak at the annual meeting of the Northfield Community Holstein Club, February 20.

Litchfield—Approximately 150 Meeker county business men and farmers attended a farewell banquet here in honor of Colonel Charles H. March, newly appointed member of the federal trade commission. Colonel March plans to leave for Washington.

Bayport—At a special session the Bayport village council decided to refer the offer of $60,000 made by the Northern States Power Company for the electric distribution system here to a vote of the citizens.

Albert Lea—Miss Theresa Pfaender of New Ulm has been chosen to be the first home demonstration agent for Freeborn county and will take up her work here March 1, or as soon as she can leave her present position.

Minneapolis—Net railway operating income of the Northern Pacific railway for 1928 was $2,495,735 greater than for 1927, according to a report of revenues and expenses filed with the interstate commerce commission.

St. Paul—A complete audit of Ramsey county departments, a detailed examination of the books and affairs of the board of control, in search for fraud, will be started immediately by the state, it was announced by Henry Rines, state comptroller.

Minneapolis—Found guilty by a special trial board of insubordination, Forrest Wheeler, for 13 years secretary of the Minneapolis civil service commission and a national recognized authority on civil service, was discharged "for the good of the service."

Owatonna—Following three District Court hearings and two Minnesota state Supreme Court appeals, the status of the estate of Daniel Piper of Medford has been settled by payment of $23,000 to the First National Bank of this city, trustee of the estate, by The Royal Indemnity Company, sureties for Guy B. Bennett.

Marshall — Racing ostriches have been booked to appear at the 1929 Lion County Fair this year.

St. Paul—The St. Paul Ford plant will start night operations in its assembly division, boosting the output to 880 automobiles every 24 hours and increasing the number of men employed to more than 1,400.

Minneapolis—The Hennepin county board voted to divert $15,000 of the Hennepin county state aid road fund at Washington county as a share of the $38,000 expense of improving a three and one-half mile stretch of road on highway No. 45 to Stillwater.

Stars on the Flag

The stars on the American flag represent the states of the Union collectively, not individually. It is erroneous to suppose that a certain star represents a particular state.

Colors of Stars

The varying intensity of light and the changes of color of stars are due to the interference of the rays of light when passing through the earth's atmosphere.

Dickens Neglected

While bronze tablets are affixed to six houses in which Charles Dickens lived in London, there is not a single statue to the great novelist in the metropolis.

Curling Iron Long in Use

In the tombs of ancient Egypt many bronze implements are found somewhat similar to modern curling tongs. During the Fifteenth century hair was frizzed with curling irons.

Alaskan Mushers

A musher is an Alaskan foot traveler or courier who goes along with a dog team. "Mush" is from the French word "marchons!"—a cry of the voyagers to their dogs.

Famous Old Song

The words of the song "Ben Bolt" were written by Thomas Dunn English in 1842, and were set to the music of an old German air by Nelson Kneass.

Famous Early Mansion

Marshall hall was the colonial seat of the Marshalls. It was originally a tract of 200 acres purchased direct from the Piscataway Indians by William Marshall I. The old mansion was built by William Marshall II a half century before Mount Vernon. The property remained in the Marshall family for six generations and extended its boundaries to include 1,000 acres. In 1866, through Civil war misfortune, the family lost it. Thomas Hanson Marshall lived there in General Washington's time and served under Washington in the Revolutionary war. He married Rebecca Dent. Four of his six children were living during the Revolutionary war.

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Arthur Hanson *Local Manager*

HAZEL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Alberg and children visited at the O. Thune home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Johnson and daughters, Mary Jane and Naomi visited at the Nels Nelson home on Sunday.

Mrs. Anton Peterson underwent an operation on her eye at the Physician's Hospital at Thief River Falls on Friday.

Mrs. E. Knutson and daughter, Arlene, Misses Myrtle Dahl and Gladys Alberg visited at the Adrian Anderson home Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Finstad called at the C. Alberg home on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kvale and Mrs. E. Thune visited at the Ole Odegaard home on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. John Schoberg and daughter, Hannah, visited at the A. Anderson and Pete Nelson homes on Monday.

Miss Agnes Peterson, a nurse at the Bemidji hospital which burned recently, returned home Monday evening.

Misses Ruth Seeland and Dorothy Olsen called at the A. Anderson home Wednesday evening.

Mr. A. Widme left Monday for Grafton, N. D. where he will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Finstad visited at the Ole Odegaard home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erling Prestby were Thief River callers on Wednesday.

Mr. Theo. Prestby of Kratka visited at the E. Prestby and C. Prestby homes on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Holton visited with friends at Thief River Falls on Saturday.

Mrs. E. N. Melvie and son, Robert visited at the A. Anderson home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Peterson and son, Russel of Argyle accompanied hy Mrs. G. Bruce who has been visiting at the Peterson home came Saturday to visit at the O. Odegaard home. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson returned the same evening.

Mrs. E. Holten received the sad news of the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. Albert Lonson, who died at Spooner on Saturday.

Miss Lina Holten of the Hazel school atteneded the sectional spelling contest in dist. 178 on Friday afternoon. Being the winner of the contest, it was possible for her to attend the County spelling Contest which was held in the court rooms at Thief River Falls on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Anna Alberg visited at the Pete Nelson and Ole Oeegaard homes on Monday.

The annual creamery meeting was held in the Hazel Hall on Monday afternoon. The following officers were elected: Anton Peterson-Pres. Anton Anderson-Vice Pres. Hjalmer Finstad- Sec. John Larson-Trea. and Carl Benson-director.

Mrs. Henry Sandberg, Mrs. C. Roese and Carl Peterson autoed to Thief River Falls Sunday where they visited with Mrs. Anton Peterson who is at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard and sons Rueben and Walter, Eleza Hendrickson, and Mrs. G. Bruce were dinner guests at the Adrian Anderson home on Sunday.

Mrs. K. Finstad and son Hjlmer visited at the O. Odegaard home on Wednesday.

Mr. E. Holten was a business caller at Mavie over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Denhart called at the Carl Prestby home Saturday evening.

Mrs. Theo. Johnson and daughters Naomi and Mary Jane were St. Hilaire callers Saturday evening.

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SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Minnesota, County of Roseau } SS

In District Court
Fourteenth Judicial District
First State Bank of Roosevelt
Plaintiff
vs
Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson
Defendants

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Roseau upon a Judgment rendered in said Court in favor of First State Bank of Roosevelt, Plaintiff, and against Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson Defendants, and a transcript of which said judgment was subsequently and prior hereto duly filed and docketed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Pennington County, Minnesota, I have levied upon the following described real estate of said defendants, to-wit;

The South half of the Northwest, quarter (S1-2NW1-4) and Lots three and four (3 and 4) of section four (4) township one hundred fifty-two (152) range Forty-four (44) West, in the County of Pennington. Minnesota.

And that I shall, on Friday the 15th day of March, 1929 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson in and to the above described property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Four Hundred Fifty-three and 13-100 Dollars ($453.13), together with all accrueing costs of sale, and interest on the same from the 17th day of January, 1929, at the rate of six per cent per annum, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 28th day of January, 1929.

O. L. Ihle,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.

M. J. Hegland,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Roseau, Minnesota.
J31-M-7

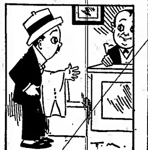
A Fraternizer

Lady (having seen maid out with well-known but now elderly tenor) —Minna, who was the gentleman you were with last night?

Maid—He was my brother, madam.

Mistress—Yes, he was my brother ten years ago.—Der Wah, Berlin.

NEVER OUT AT NIGHT



Salesman—Let me sell you some nightshirts.

Old Timer—No—never go out at night.

Busy Smithy

Beneath the spreading chestnut tree
The smith works like the deuce;
For now he's selling gasoline,
Hot dogs and orange juice.

25 Years Ago

Fred Case accepted a position as engineer in the sawmill at Crookston and planned to move down that spring.

—xxv—

A. Dainard and H. C. Adams returned from Alma, Wis., where they were witnesses in a murder trial.

—xxv—

M. Hammar bought a new engine for his feed mill, and was planning on operating daily after the new engine was installed.

—xxv—

Mrs. W. A. Arthur, who had been ailing for some time, was successfully operated upon by Dr. J. C. Cummings, assisted by Dr. Koch of Thief River Falls.

—xxv—

The war between Russia and Japan was begun that week when Japanese torpedo boats destroyed two Russian battleships and one cruiser.

—xxv—

The local H. H. H. Society issued invitations for a grand Leap Year Ball to be given at the Imperial Hall the following Monday evening

—xxv—

Robt. Fritz was down from Thief River for a visit with friends. He was going to handle the saws at the Winton plant the following season.

The Spectator

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Announcement of showing of new models of automobiles now being made everywhere, is a sure indication taat spring is "right around the corner".

LOCALS

Axel Johnson came over last week from Bemidji for a visit with his relatives. Axel has purchased a tract of land near Bemidji and expects to make his home there.

Notice: All prospective candidates for township office in Sanders township, are hereby notified that filings for such offices must be in hands of the township elerk not later than Feb, 25th., in order that names may appear on the printed ballot.

O. O. Maland, Clerk.

And Lessons Learned

Almost all experience is found while looking for something better.—Louisville Times.

Its Significance

The gold fringe on the American flag denotes that it is regimental colors.

LOCALS

Wanted:-Work with team such as wood, ice, hay, coal hauling, etc. If you have have hauling of any kind, please phone No. 70.
J31tf E. Hilligoss, City.

For Sale:-A New Home sewing machine, Pathe phonograph with 50 records, a folding bed, 2 iron beds with springs and two iron beds without springs. Will sell cheap to move quickly. Call on Engh Bros. at the garage in St. Hilaire.
J31-F7 pd

For Sale:-Dry wood, sawed in stove lengths, at $6.50 per cord delivered. Call on or address
John Engelbart,
J31-F7 pd R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

Corn Meal Widely Used

Investigations made by the Department of Agriculture show that more than 60 per cent of the food consumed by the people of the United States, on an average, is of vegetable origin, and that about one-seventh of this, or 8.7 per cent of the whole, is corn meal. Of the total protein consumed, animal as well as vegetable, corn meal supplies 10 per cent; of the total fat, 3.8 per cent, and of the total carbohydrates, 13.7 per cent.

Fled From Painted Baboon

A blue baboon has stopped the raids of wild animals in Kenya, South Africa, according to latest reports. Elephants, hippopotami, bushpigs and baboons that have done much damage in villages have been completely routed by the "strange creature," which consisted of a baboon that was captured, shaved and painted a bright blue before he was released to try to join his fellows, who fled at his appearance.

Invention Long Delayed

There is nothing more prosaic than a rope, and yet in the march of labor-saving invention a rope-making machine was long one of the last on the list. So long, indeed, did rope-making remain one of the manual arts that the name of the place where the work was done has become ingrained in popular speech, and the rope factory, though in no way meriting the appellation, is still known in some quarters as the "rope-walk."

Auto Overhauling

This is the best time of the year to have your car overhauled and put in shape for use next spring.

I have facilities for doing this work, and am making special prices for it during the winter months.

Grease-Oil-Gas-Storage

Store your car in my heated garage. A phone call will bring it, properly greased, filled with oil and gas, ready for use. Repairs of all kinds given prompt attention.

ED ENGH
St. Hilaire, Minn.

S-P-E-C-I-A-L-S

Bargains that speak for themselves

Ladies silk and wool hose, reg. .50 **.39**
Ladies silk and wool hose, reg 1.00 **.79**
Mens' hose, regular .50 values **.39**
White elastic, half inch, per yard **.06**
Silk finish darning cotton, **.04**
Colored bias tape, 6 yds. **.07**
Cotton blankets, 64-76 **1.55**
Mens' all wool unionsuits, reg. 3.95 **3.26**

M. H. JACKSON
General Merchandise
ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

The Blue Parrot Inn

You are cordially invited to call at the new cafe and get acquainted. Once you try our tasty, home baked pastry, you will always be a customer.

Instead of working over a hot stove at home on Sundays, bring the family to the Inn for our special Sunday dinner.

Lunches and meal at all hours

Poets Inspired by Bird

Industrions searchers heve hronght to light 178 adjectives applied by British poets to the nightingale's song.

The New Germany

Germany's present official name is "Dentsches Reich." In English it is called the "German Republic."

But Some Emulate It

In spite of the well-known fable no race horse has ever been named The Tortoise.—Toledo Blade.

Evil in Excess of Ease

The maxim of giving wey to heve en easy life will, if yon follow it, lead to your having life withont a moment's ease.—Palmerston.

Poor Policy

To lose our charity in defense of our religion is to sacrifice the citadel to maintain the ont-works.—Colton.

Turks Bar Christianity

Turkey is the only country in the world in which Christianity is not accepted as a religion.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

WHEREAS, Default has been made by the mortgagors in the conditions and covenants of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Peter Sabo and Inga Sabo, his wife, mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, bearing date the 2nd day of January, 1924, and, with a power of sale therein contained, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 2nd day of January, 1924, at three o'clock P. M., and duly recorded therein in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 117 thereof;

AND WHEREAS, Said default consists in the failure of said mortgagors to pay the sum of Twelve Dollars and twenty-two cents ($12.22), being the balance due and unpaid of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest which became due and payable on the 2nd day of July, 1927, and to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest, each amounting to One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents ($171.88), which became due and payable on the 2nd day of January, 1928, the 2nd day of July, 1928, and the 2nd day of January, 1929, in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and to keep the buildings on said mortgaged premises insured as etipulated in and by the terms of said mortgage, in default of which the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, elected to and did on the 26th day of November, 1928, pay the sum of Twenty-two Dollars and fifty cents ($22.50) to effect such insurance, which default has continued to this date;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, and pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage and as authorized by law, the Department of Rural Credit, on behalf of the State of Minnesota, the mortgagee and owner and holder of said mortgage, has exercised and does hereby exercise its option to declare, and hereby does declare, the whole of the loan secured by said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith;

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable upon said mortgage, and the loan secured thereby, at the date of this notice, by reason of said election, the sum of Five Thousand One Hundred Ninety Dollars and eight cents ($5,190.08), unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from the 2nd day of January 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per centum per annum, and Five Hundred Twenty-seven Dollars and eighty-six cents ($527.88) amortized principal and interest, with interest on $12.22 thereof from July 9th, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, interest on $171.88 thereof from January 2nd, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, interest on $171.88 thereof from July 2nd, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, and interest on $171.88 thereof from January 2nd, 1929, at seven per centum per annum, in all the sum of Five Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-five Dollars and eleven cents ($5,765.11), including the amount paid for insurance, as aforesaid, with interest thereon at seven per cent. from said date of payment;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, the said power of sale contained in said mortgage has become and is operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and covered by said mortgage, situate, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-six (26), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 25th day of February, 1929, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance paid as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and expenses allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 9th, 1929.
STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS,
Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
Helmer M. Feroe,
Assistant Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
810 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (J10-F14)

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BOK TOWER A NEW ERA SIGN

President Credits Idea to Free Education, Concerts and Museums.

Mountain Lake, Fla.—In a setting Washington—The Democratic side delivered what may be his last address as chief executive, dedicating to the people of America the sanctuary and singing tower established here by Edward Bok.

A crowd of tens of thousands listened as the President spoke, although only a small part of the throng was visible to the President. His audience was seated among the palm trees and shrubbery with which the sanctuary abounds, while amplifiers carried the President's message to them.

Mr. Coolidge was introduced by Mr. Bok, once an immigrant from Holland, later a prominent editor and philanthropist, whose generosity made possible the sanctuary and the singing tower with its carillon of 61 bells. Governor Doyle E. Carlton of Florida also delivered an address, welcoming Mr. Coolidge to Florida and inviting him to make his home in this state after his fast approaching retirement from office.

Mr. Coolidge's address was devoted largely to an exposition of the view that the people of America are achieving a constantly growing appreciation of the beautiful.

Coolidge Navy Stand Lauded.

Washington—The Democratic side of the senate chamber furnished support for the view of President Coolidge that immediate construction of all of the proposed 16 warships should not be unequivocally demanded. Senator Harrison, Democrat of Mississippi, who is seldom found among supporters of administration policies, declared the clause in the bill to require the starting of construction of all the 15 cruisers and one aircraft carrier by July 1, 1931 was "unprecedented" and inadvisable.

Rails Reach High Point.

New York—The bull party of the New York stock exchange rode into the new month on the rails. Shares of about a dozen railroads were bid up $5 to $10 a share to record high prices in the second successive day of heavy buying of rail stocks. The strength of the rails, once regarded as the backbone of the market, inspired heavy buying of other stocks. Radio, which had been quiet for some time, was sent skyrocketing $33 a share to $403, which is $17 under the peak price reached last year.

Tentative Rail, Barge Tariffe Fixed.

Washington—Secretary Davis announced he had been informed by Major General Ashburn, chairman of the Inland Waterways corporation, that a tentative joint rate agreement had been reached between the corporation and officials of the various railroads. It was said the agreement, an outgrowth of a recent conference here, still must be approved by the secretary of war and the railroad executives.

Fame Upsets Gene in Dalmatia.

Zagreb, Jugoslavia—Gene Tunney, one time heavyweight champion of the world, has not yet got beyond the confines of his fame in either time or distance. The newspaper Novosti says that his appearance at Raguza on the Dalmatian coast excited such intense popular interest that he was unable to find the privacy he sought and therefore fled to an unannounced destination.

Bible 6,000 Years Ahead of Einstein.

Chicago—Paul Rader, Chicago evangelist and biblical literalist, asserts that the Bible is about 6,000 years ahead of Professor Einstein on his new theory of the relationship between electricity and gravity as the elementary force holding the universe in suspension.

League Will Fight Shumaker Jailing.

Indianapolis—E. A. Miller, attorney for the Indiana Anti-Saloon league, announced that the league would carry to the United States supreme court its fight to save the Rev. E. S. Shumaker, Indiana superintendent from serving a 60-day penal farm sentence for contempt of the Indiana supreme court.

Marriage License Price War Started.

Superior, Wis.—Because Duluth has been getting the cream of the marriage license business at the head of the lakes, A. R. Cole, clerk of the Douglas county court here, has launched a price war. Henceforth marriage licenses will sell for 50 cents, he announced. The previous fee was $1.

Approval of New Barge Reported.

Washington—It is understood here that marine engineers have approved designs of the new 1,000-ton barge that is to be constructed for future use along the Mississippi river system.

England to India Air Service to Open.

London—Regular air service between India and England will be inaugurated by Imperial Airway, Ltd., in April. A seven day's service will be installed.

Panama Traffic Sets New Mark.

Balboa, C. Z.—New records in traffic through the Panama Canal were set during January. Of 733 vessels passing through the canal, 608 were commercial ships and 125 naval vessels. Tolls totalled more than $2,500,000.

THE CHURCHES

St. Hilaire
Methodist-Community Church
Rev. Edith Grays, pastor.

No services until further notice.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Black River church at 10:30 A. M., and in local church at 3:00 P. M.

A New Type Of Spectacle Lens

I am now furnishing the new Tillyer and Orthogen lenses—the finest Ophthalmic lenses the world has ever known.

See me at:
Red Lake Falls, Fri. Feb. 8.
Thief River Falls, Sat, Feb. 9.
Plummer, Wed. Feb. 13.

Dr. Geo. E. Spofford
Optometrist

LOCALS

BRIQUETTES:-I have a carload of Pocohontas briquette coal on tracks in St. Hilaire now. Kindly phone in, your orders so delivery can be made from the car, thereby avoiding expense of extra handling. A. Satterberg, City,

The most commonly used National Mazda electric light bulbs, 10, 15, 25 and 40 watts, are now retailing at 20 cents each. The 50 and 60 watt sizes are slightly higher. Get your bulbs from the manufacture's distributor, at the Spectator office.

Mrs. A. H. Gunstad and family received word Thursday of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. B. M. Johnson, which occured the previous day at her home at Cummings, N. D.

Funeral services were held Saturday at Cummings.

The three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Patenode, seriously ill and under the care of a physician with special attention of a nurse over the early part of the week, is slightly improved today, according to word given out from the home.:Gonvick Banner.

Swen Benson was quite ill first part of the week. He was considerably improved yesterday, however, and outlook for complete recovery is bright despite his advanced age.

Oscar Kolstad left last week to seek employment in the woods north of Bemidji. If he fails to find anything there, he planned to go to Duluth where he was formerly employed.

Thank You All

Weex press our thanks and appreciation to all those whose names appear below, who have advanced their subscription accounts with the Spectator within the past few days: M. R. Hage, Fred Soderberg, Miss Myrtle Eikhoff, L. A. Westphal, W. Young, Rupert Swanson, E. Sundholm, S. Skottem, Wm. Engh, Alex Swanson, Henry Starken, John Engelbart, Chas. Naplin, Mrs. L. Giese, Oscar Mosbeck, Leo. Holmes, P. Hallstrom, W. Rinkenberger, E. D. Jenson, John Lundberg, Peterson Bros., Wm. Palmquist, O. Maland, D. Lazar, C. R. Huff, Chas Lindquist and Fred Ulrich.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

WHEREAS, Default has been made by the mortgagors in the conditions and covenants of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John W. Denhart, also known as John William Denhart, and Ester Vidacy Denhart, his wife, mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of February, 1925, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 12th day of March, 1925, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded therein in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 309 thereof;

AND WHEREAS, Said default consists in the failure of said mortgagors to pay the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest, amounting to One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents, ($171.88), which became due and payable on the 16th day of August, 1928, in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and to keep the buildings on said mortgaged premises insured as stipulated in and by the terms of said mortgage, in default of which the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, elected to and did on the 11th day of August, 1928, pay the sum of Twenty-two Dollars and fifty cents ($22.50) to effect such insurance, which default has continued to this date;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, and pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage and as authorized by law, the Department of Rural Credit, on behalf of the State of Minnesota, the mortgagee and owner and holder of said mortgage, has exercised and does hereby exercise its option to declare, and hereby does declare, the whole of the loan secured by said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith;

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable upon said mortgage, and the loan secured thereby, at the date of this notice, by reason of said election, the sum of Five Thousand Two Hundred Ninety-one Dollars and sixty-two cents ($5,291.62), unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from the 16th day of August, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per centum per annum, and One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents ($171.88) amortized principal and interest, together with interest thereon from the 16th day of August, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, in all the sum of Five Thousand Six Hundred One Dollars and seventy-eight cents ($5,601.78), including the amount paid for insurance, as aforesaid, with interest thereon at seven per cent. from said date of payment;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, the said power of sale contained in said mortgage has become and is operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and covered by said mortgage, situate, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) and that fractional part of the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE¼ of SW¼), being and lying East of the Right of Way of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company, as the same is located over and across said Government Subdivision, all being in Section One (1), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 179 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 25th day of February, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and expenses allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 9th, 1929.
STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
Helmer M. Feroe,
Assistant Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (J10-F14.)

Prosperity and Wit

No laws of dynasties or philosophers have ever changed the popular opinion that wits are entitled to a superior share of the world's goods. Every man believes it and wishes he had more wits.

Midget Honey Bees

The smallest honey bees in the world are found in the East Indian islands and on the mainland of Hindustan. Their honeycombs are no larger than a child's hand, and the cells are about the size of a small pinhead.

Beauty and Life

Life, to be pleasurable and successful, requires something besides food and raiment, roof and gasoline; that something else is beauty and loveliness.—Farm and Fireside.

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Eric Thyren Died Tuesday

Eric Thyren, age 41, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Thyren, pioneer residents southeast of here, passed away Tuesday, after a two weeks illness, of pneumonia. For several days prior to his death, his condition was such that death was hourly expected, and absent members of the family were called to his bedside. Death of Eric Thyren removes from this community one of its best liked, and most progressive young men. As data is not available at this time, an obituary notice will be published next week.

Funeral services will be held at the Thyren home at 10:00 Saturday forenoon, and at the local Swedish Mission church at 2:00 Saturday afternoon, Rev. C. Dahlberg officiating. Interment will be at the cemetery east of town.

Heartfelt sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Thyren and family in their sad loss of son and brother.

Will Have Re-union

A very interesting news item came to this office today too late to publish in detail this week. It states that the eight grade class that graduated at the local school in 1919, ten years ago, is planning a homecoming and re-union here the coming summer. There were 24 members in the class and most of them have already signified their intention of being present. The young people have scattered to many states of the Union, and a few have not been here since they graduated. This event will be the first of its kind ever staged here, and will be looked forward to with more than usual interest.

Notice To Parents

Some school children are in the habit of walking on the public highway to and from school and since there is great danger in this practice, pupils in every grade have been warned by the teachers to discontinue walking on the highway and use the sidewalks. Co-operation from the parents in this respect may avoid serious injury to your child or possibly death.

By Order of
Village Council
School Board

The Spectator, $1.50 a year.

Home Project Leaders To Meet Here Feb, 19th

Leaders of the Womens' Home Project work now being put on in this part of the county, will meet for instructions with Miss Cooke, at the domestic science room in the local school building on Tuesday, Feb, 19th, at the usual hour.

As date of the meeting is on same day the special train of exhibits on the Great Northern will be here in, it will be possible for the unit leaders to view the train exhibit before the meeting at the school house.

Jurors called for the present term of district court in this county, reported for duty yesterday morning. Due to settlement of several cases slated the first day, the jurors were excused for the day after a short session.

A woman residing at Dilworth near Moorhead, was instantly killed last week when struck by a car while walking on the highway during a snowstorm.

An upward trend is noted in price of grain this week. Wheat is now over a dollar a bushel.

The G. N. snowplow was on this line last Sunday clearing sidetracks where snow had drifted.

Twentw-two below zero was recorded here Tuesday morning. The cold wave has passed, and warmer weather can be expected, according to weather reports.

Allwho have announcements they wish published, are kindly asked to bring them in as early as possible in the week.

A bill is before the legislature to do away with spring elections in villages and boroughs. Instead of election in March, it will be held in December, and officials elected will take office first of the year.

Tomorrow is the last day on which applications for auto licenses can be made in this state without payment of penalty at rate of 25 cents per day.

Want Ads Bring Results

Remembered!!

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mrs. Mike McAndress has been ill lately with an attack of inflnenza She is much improved at this time.

Hay for Sale:- Second cutting alfalfa hay in stack. Call on or address, Anton Johnson, R1, Hazel, Minn. F14-21

Geo. Biskey, carrier on route number one, severely wrenched his knee laat week and was compelled to resort to crutches for a few days.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veterinarian, was down both Friday and Saturday last week in response to a number of calls from this vicinity.

Mike McAndress, who quit farming a few years back, has again felt tbe call of the soil, and is going to farm his place north of town this year.

Joe King and John Engelbart bave leased the fields on the Jensen farm north of town that will be vacated the coming spring by E. C. Hetzer.

R. L. Hauge, who has been ill several weeks, was over town Monday for the first time since the holidays. Tho still weak from effect of bis illness, he is gaining strength daily.

Elsewhere in this issue is a call for bids on the former A. S. Wilson farm in this village. This tract, of about 60 acres is a most desirable one, and should find ready sale.

Louis Westphal is on the lookout for the first crow to arrive this spring. He has come under the wire with first report for some years past, and believes in keeping up his reputation in that respect.

Olé Johnson, manager of the local Carlson Merc. Co., atore, returned Monday after attending Market Week at Minneapolis and St. Paul to assist in purchasing stock for the five stores belonging to the company.

A very good meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held at the school building last Friday evening. Supt. Hughes of Red Lake Falls was present and gave a fine address along educational lines. Several musical numbers were enjoyed after which all partook of the lunch provided. Next meeting is to be held in March.

Mrs. Ole Johnson and children returned Tuesday after spending a week with relatives as Holt.

OATS FOR SALE: Call at the Enoch Swenson farm west of St. Hilaire. F14-21pd.

An interesting and well attended meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held at the Rev. Dahle home Tuesday evening.

Central and southern Minnesota was treated to another snow storm first of the week. This section was fortunate to escape with just a trace of snow.

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Eric Thyren Died Tuesday

Eric Thyren, age 41, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Thyren, pioneer residents southeast of here, passed away Tuesday, after a two weeks illness, of pneumonia. For several days prior to his death, his condition was such that death was hourly expected, and absent members of the family were called to his bedside. Death of Eric Thyren removes from this community one of its best liked, and most progressive young men. As data is not available at this time, an obituary notice will be published next week.

Funeral services will be held at the Thyren home at 10:00 Saturday forenoon, and at the local Swedish Mission church at 2:00 Saturday afternoon, Rev. C. Dahlberg officiating. Interment will be at the cemetery east of town.

Heartfelt sympathy of the community is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Thyren and family in their sad loss of son and brother.

Will Have Re-union

A very interesting news item came to this office today too late to publish in detail this week. It states that the eight grade class that graduated at the local school in 1919, ten years ago, is planning a homecoming and re-union here the coming summer. There were 24 members in the class and most of them have already signified their intention of being present. The young people have scattered to many states of the Union, and a few have not been here since they gradiuated. This event will be the first of its kind ever staged here, and will be looked foreward to with more than usual interest.

Notice To Parents

Some school children are in the habit of walking on the public highway to and from school and since there is great danger in this practice, pupils in every grade have been warned by the teachers to discontinue walking on the highway and use the sidewalks. Co-operation from the parents in this respect may avoid serious injury to your child or possibly death.

By Order of
Village Council
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Home Project Leaders To Meet Here Feb. 19th

Leaders of the Womens' Home Project work now being put on in this part of the county, will meet for instructions with Miss Cooke, at the domestic science room in the local school building on Tuesday, Feb. 19th, at the usual hour.

As date of the meeting is on same day the special train of exhibits on the Great Northern will be here, it will be possible for the unit leaders to view the train exhibit before the meeting at the school house.

Jurors called for the present term of district court in this county, reported for duty yesterday morning. Due to settlement of several cases slated the first day, the jurors were excused for the day after a short session.

A woman residing at Dilworth near Moorhead, was instantly killed last week when struck by a car while walking on the highway during a snowstorm.

An upward trend is noted in price of grain this week. Wheat is now over a dollar a bushel.

The G. N. snowplow was on this line last Sunday clearing sidetracks where snow had drifted.

Twentw-two below zero was recorded here Tuesday morning. The cold wave has passed and warmer weather can be expected, according to weather reports.

All who have announcements they wish published, are kindly asked to bring them in as early as possible in the week.

A bill is before the legislature to do away with spring elections in villages and boroughs. Instead of election in March, it will be held in December, and officials elected will take office first of the year.

Tomorrow is the last day on which applications for auto licenses can be made in this state without payment of penalty at rate of 25 cents per day.

Want Ads Bring Results

Remembered!!

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mrs. Mike McAndress has been ill lately with an attack of influenza. She is much improved at this time.

Hay for Sale:- Second cutting alfalfa hay in stack. Call on or address, Anton Johnson, R1, Hazel, Minn. F14-21

Geo. Biskey, carrier on route number one, severely wrenched his knee last week and was compelled to resort to crutches for a few days.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veterinarian, was down both Friday and Saturday last week in response to a number of calls from this vicinity.

Mike McAndress, who quit farming a few years back, has again felt the call of the soil, and is going to farm his place north of town this year.

Joe King and John Engelbart have leased the fields on the Jensen farm north of town that will be vacated the coming spring by E. C. Hetzer.

R. L. Hauge, who has been ill several weeks, was over town Monday for the first time since the holidays. The still weak from effect of his illness, he is gaining strength daily.

Elsewhere in this issue is a call for bids on the former A. S. Wilson farm in this village. This tract, of about 60 acres is a most desirable one, and should find ready sale.

Louis Westphal is on the lookout for the first crow to arrive this spring. He has come under the wire with first report for some years past, and believes in keeping up his reputation in that respect.

Ole Johnson, manager of the local Carlson Merc. Co., store, returned Monday after attending Market Week at Minneapolis and St. Paul to assist in purchasing stock for the five stores belonging to the company.

A very good meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held at the school building last Friday evening. Supt. Hughes of Red Lake Falls was present and gave a fine address along educational lines. Several musical numbers were enjoyed after which all partook of the lunch provided. Next meeting is to be held in March.

Mrs. Ole Johnson and children returned Tuesday after spending a week with relatives as Holt.

OATS FOR SALE: Call at the Enoch Swenson farm west of St. Hilaire. F14-21pd.

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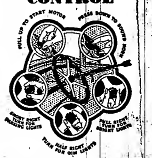

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NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 24th, 1924, executed by Carrie Brekke, a widow, as mortgagor, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 29th, 1924, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 221 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $51.99, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $109.38, due on April 24th, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $109.38 each, due on October 24th, 1927, April 24th, 1928, and October 24th, 1928, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises for the years 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928; and to pay the premium on insurance policy covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $3,324.85, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from October 24th, 1928, at the rate of five andone-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $380.13, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $51.99 thereof since November 16th, 1927, on $109.38 thereof since October 24, 1927, on $109.38 thereof since April 24th, 1928, and on $109.38 thereof since October 24th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $313.10 for taxes including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at seven per cent. per annum since January 25th, 1929, and the sum of $18.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since August 3rd, 1928, in all the sum of $4,109.30, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates, as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Thirteen (13), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 22nd day of March, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated February 6th, 1929.

State of Minnesota, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.

Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (F7-M14.)

Want Ads Bring Resutls

Bids Wanted

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M. Fricker, Clerk.

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For the Year ending December 31, 1928.

St. Hilaire, Minn., Feb. 4, 1929.

Amount of cream received, pounds	997,475	
Average test of cream	26.16	
Butterfat from cream, pounds		260,894.54
Butter sold to patrons, pounds	14,150.25	
Butter sold for cash at creamery	7510	
Butter shipped to L. O. L. Creameries	300,225	
Butter sold elsewhere	80	
Total butter made		321,965.25
Overrun 23.41%, or pounds		61,070.71
Average monthly price paid patrons for L. O. L. fat		51.92c
Average net price paid for all butter fat		51.17c
Average net price obtained for L. O. L. butter		45.51c
Cost per pound of making butter		3.00c
Cost of power and fuel per 100 pounds of butter made		31.25c

93 score or Land O' Lakes butter, 189,453.

RECEIPTS

Received for butter sold patrons	$ 6,699.00	
Received for butter and cream for cash	4,048.25	
Received for butter sold L. O. L. Crs.	133,110.61	
Received for butter sold elsewhere	41.54	
		143,899.40
Received for buttermilk sold patrons	$ 380.70	
Received for buttermilk for cash at cry.	125.10	
Rec'd for buttermilk for cash otherwise	10.23	
		516.03
Received for Salt sold at creamery	$ 103.30	
Received for Salt sold patrons	596.70	
Rec'd for Salt sold to stores & Hazel cry.	230.52	
		930.52
Received for Cheese sold patrons	$ 611.84	
Received for Cheese sold for cash	428.39	
		1,040.23
Received for Cream coolers sold patrons		82.00
Received for Misc. items sold patrons	$ 45.29	
Received for Misc. items sold at cry.	6.05	
Rec'd for Misc. items sold otherwise	19.64	
		70.98
Received for book account from patrons	$ 11.06	
Received for book account cash	.51	
		11.57
Received for Fly spray sold to patrons	$ 24.25	
Received for Fly spray sold for cash	2.00	
		26.25
Received for cream hauling from Wylie		143.45
Rec'd for R. R. fare for delegate to L.O.L. meeting		16.64
Received Poultry and egg commission		309.80
Received Certificates of Ind. of L. O. L. Crs.		889.78
TOTAL		$147,936.65

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid patrons in checks	$124,966.91	
Paid patrons in produce etc.	8,530.02	
Paid into sinking fund on butterfat	1,517.42	
		135,014.35
Paid Buttermaker's salary		2,100.00
Paid Helper's salary		1,067.40
Paid Secretary's salary		500.00
Paid Treasurer's salary		168.00
Paid Directors' salaries and expenses		86.50
Paid for cream hauling from Wylie		266.50
Paid Station manager		42.25
Paid Phone rent and toll		35.45
Paid for supplies		1,248.32
Paid for butter tubs		1,432.70
Paid for salt		513.34
Paid for coal		821.91
Paid for Cheese		968.70
Paid for Freight on supplies		166.20
Paid for Drayage		217.90
Paid for Power and light		342.83
Paid for Repairs and pump		309.93
Paid for Ice		103.00
Paid for Liability Insurance		65.40
Paid for Personal Property tax		109.86
Paid for Fly Spray		44.85
Paid for Incidentals		70.15
Paid for Books, stationery and printing		135.80
Paid to Delegate to Land O' Lakes meeting		16.64
Paid Poultry and egg commission		264.37
Payroll overdrafts outstanding		64.27
Certificates of Ind. of L.O.L. Cr's. outstanding		889.78
Balance at end of year		870.25
TOTAL		$147,936.65

SINKING FUND

RECEIPTS

Received from Gen. Fund on butterfat	1,517.42
Received Office and shop rent	294.87
Received Interest	50.08
Received Bills and accounts receivable	15.00
Received Refund on supplies	235.39
Received Fire and Lightning loss adjustment	763.60
Received Int. on shares of Association	20.01
Received from Farmers State Bank	2,526.56
Received from old scale and churn	30.26
Overdraft at end of year	3,332.15
	$8,785.34

DISBURSEMENTS

Overdraft at beginning of year	$ 3,766.09
Paid on loans	1,500.00
Paid Interest on loans	96.50
Paid Interest on shares for 1926	832.50
Paid Taxes on real estate	714.80
Paid Insurance	62.50
Paid Repairs	69.56
Paid for work and material to repair the fire and lightning damages	743.39
Charged off as part of loss at bank	1,000.00
	$8,785.34
Inventory of supplies	$ 1,162.75

HAZEL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. O. Odegaard, Mrs. G. Bruce and Miss Elisa Hendrickson were St. Hilaire callers Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Roese and children, Miss Selma Peterson, Carl and Hjalmer Peterson visited at the Henry Sandberg home on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Odegaard and Mrs. G. Bruce were Thief River callers on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Anderson visited at the Carl Alberg home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sumpter visited at the C. Alberg home Saturday evening.

Miss Selma Peterson returned Thursday from Chicago where she has been employed.

Mrs. T. Prestby visited at the C. Prestby home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Johnson and children shopped at Thief River Falls Monday evening.

Misses Ruth Seeland and Dorothy Olsen were dinner guests at the C. Alberg home on Tuesday.

Dr. Frohlich was again called to the Nels Nelson home on Sunday due to the illness of Mrs. Nelson, who has been ill the past two months.

Misses Dorothy Olsen and Ruth Seeland visited at the "Pete" Nelson home Monday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. Seeland visited with Mrs. M. Sherva in St. Hilaire on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Peterson and children of River Falls visited at the "Pete" Nelson and Oscar Seeland homes on Sunday.

Misses Mayme and Phoebe Anderson visited at the E. Holten home on Sunday.

A number of friends tendered Mrs. Carl Alberg a shower at her home Saturday afternoon. Following a social hour lunch was served by the self invited guests, who were, mesdames O. Odegaard, A. Anderson, G. Bruce, C. Prestby, E. Prestby, C. Roese. W. Denhart, H. Sandberg, E. Melvie, John Peterson, Martin Peterson. M. Lokken M. Finstad, E. Husky, E. Thune, O. Thune, Eli Peterson, ond Misses Anna Peterson, Eliza Hendrickson, and Mary Oien.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Nelson left Thursday morning for Brooton where they attended the funeral of the former's father. They returned Saturday. During their absence Miss Anna Alberg stayed at the Nelson hhme.

On Tuesday afternoon, Oscar Seeland, Iver Rolstad, Ole Thune, and Henry Erickson sawed wood at the Carl Alberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Prestby and children of Kratka are visiting this week at the C. Alberg home.

Miss Mildred Denhart visited at the Adrian Anderson home Saturday evening, before leaving for Thief River where she attends high school.

Miss Myrtle Dahl left Saturday evening for Thief River Falls where she will visit a week at her parental home.

Miss Anna Melvie who is employed at Thief River Falls visited Sunday afternoon at the E. N. Melvie home.

Misses Mildred Denhart and Lavora Sumpter visited with Miss Joyce Roese on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Thune returned Monday from Thief River Falls after visiting for a few days at the Carl Melvie nome.

Mrs. Clarence Roese, Mrs. Henry Sandberg, Selma and Carl Peterson visited with Mrs. Anton Peterson at the Physician's Hopital at Thief River Falls on Sunday.

Mayfield and Vicinity

Dorothy Haney spent the weekend with her parents at Thief River.

Clarence and Alice Carlson were visitors at the Isaac Wilson home Thursday evening.

Miss Anna Wedul visited at the John Asp home last Saturday evening.

Mrs. J. O. Carlson and son, Roy, motored to Thief River and returned, Monday.

Mrs. Wm. Jesperson was a visitor Tuesday at the Knute Thorvildson home.

Alice Carlson was a visitor Mon. at the J. O. Carlson home.

Allen Rehm called at the Wm. Jesperson place, Tuesday.

George and Lloyd Swanson were at Plummer last Tuesday.

Chas. Carlson and son, Clarence, motored fo Thief River and returned, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Rehm visited at the Chas. Carlson home Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jorgensen are the proud parents of a ten pound daughter born Feb. 7th.

Mrs. J. O. Carlson and son, Roy, motored Friday to Thief River where the former stayed to spend a few days with friends.

John Asp attended to matters of business at Hazel, Friday.

Lillian Carlson spent last weekend at her home here.

Mrs. Ed Evenson and son, Raymond, cleaned the school building in Dist. 35 last Friday.

Dairy Feeds

We have a large supply of International and Northup-King dairy feeds in the 16-20-24-32 per cent protien content.

We also have bran, shorts and egg mash.

Use Mascot flour--It's all the wheat that's fit to eat.

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Arthur Hanson Local Manager

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Minnesota, } SS
County of Roseau }

In District Court
Fourteenth Judicial District

First State Bank of Roosevelt
Plaintiff

vs

Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson
Defendants

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Roseau upon a Judgment rendered in said Court in favor of First State Bank of Roosevelt, Plaintiff, and against Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson Defendants, and a transcript of which said judgment was subsequently and prior hereto duly filed and docketed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Pennington County, Minnesota, I have levied upon the following described real estate of said defendants, to-wit;

The South half of the North-west, quarter (S1-2NW1-4) and Lots three and four (3 and 4) of section four (4) township one hundred fifty-two (152) range Forty-four (44) West, in the County of Pennington. Minnesota.

And that I shall, on Friday the 15th day of March, 1929 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson in and to the above described property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Four Hundred Fifty-three and 13-100 Dollars ($453.13), together with all accrueing costs of sale, and interest on the same from the 17th day of January, 1929, at the rate of six per cent per annum, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 28th day of January, 1929.

O. L. Ihle,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.

M. J. Hegland,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Roseau, Minnesota.
J31-M-7

Primitive Pressing

The first reference to eodirons that we find wne in the year 1832. Before the use of irons for emootbing clothee, a form of mongle wae employed. The hox mangle hy which articles were pressed on flot surfacee by rollers, which were weigbted witb a hox full of atoues, moved to and fro hy a rack and pinion. The clothes were passed between woodeu rollere or bowle held close together hy weighted levers. In earlier periods, and in rural districts particularly, clothee were very often preseed by folding them carefully and placing heavy weighte npon them.

Gave Name to Bullet

A minie hall is a conical rifle bullet with a cavity in its basc pingged with a metal cup, which, hy the explosion of the charge, is driven farther in, expanding the sides to fit closely tha rifling. Such balls were mnch used in the middle of the Nineteenth ceutury and are named after the inventor, Capt. C. E. Minie of France.

Only Known to Be Old

There are no authentic data regarding the origin of the game of croquet, which was a favorite of kings some 200 years ago. Some writers say that it was evolved from the game paille-maille, which was played in Languedoc as early as the Thirteenth century.

SENATE PASSES BARGE FUND

$2,500,000 of the Amount to Be Available for Use At Once.

Washington, D. C.—The northwest moved a step nearer its goal of adequate barge line equipment for the upper Mississippi river when the senate, with no great amount of debate, passed the war department appropriation hill containing a $10,000,000 item for tha Inland Waterways corporation, and $50,000,000 for general river and harbor work throughout the country. Tha hill already had passed the lower bouse and it now goes to conference, hut no difficulty is expected from this quarter. The fight on the bill was made in the senate, where it was adequately handled by Senator Henrik Shipstead of Minnesota, in collaboration with senators from other river states. Almost as important passage of the measure itself is the ruling handed down concurrently with the senate's action by Comptroller General J. R. McCarl, in answer to a query by Senator Shipstead. Ha held that it will be possible, under the act, to let contracts immediately for the entire $10,000,000. General T. Q. Ashburn, head of the Inland Waterways corporation, had maintained that the hill would make such disposition of tha money impossible. As now written, the hill provides that $2,500,000 be made available immediately, $1,500,000 for the fiscal year of 1930, and $3,000,000 for each of the years 1931 and 1932. Just how the comptroller general arrived at bis conclusion was not explained, bot it was thought possible that contracts for river equipment can be let against the government's promise to make payments possible in the future.

Sweetheart Visits Devers at Duluth.

Duluth—With a court order, signed by Jodge John B. Sanborn, Johanna Bruce was permitted to visit her sweetheart, Frank Devers, in the county jail here. She was accompanied by Archie M. Carey, Dever's attorney, and the two left for Minneapolis later. This was the first meeting of Devers and the girl since she was hrought here from Memphis to await trial on a charge of stealing mail at Hibbing. She is held following a not guilty plea, pending trial at the May term of federal court.

Travelers Marooned By Floods.

Capetown—Further plans in the Mozamhique district of Portuguese East Africa have caused most rivers to overflow and in soma places the river mnd has piled up 19 feet making several hreaches in the railways. Mails and passengers are held up at Beira in Portuguese East Africa and the Busi river is running so high dwellers in the vicinity ars compelled to seek refuge on the housetops. Tugs heve heen sent to their rescne. The damaga at Beira le estimated at between $200,000 and $400,000.

British Will Heve More Warships.

Londou—The controversy in the British cabinet concerning the proposal to abandon the hnilding of two cruisers apparently has ended in a victory for the "big navy" men. Work on these cruisers, as well as on smaller craft provided for in the immediats construction program, will go on, according to a etatement hy W. C. Bridgman, first lord of the admiralty, in reply to a qoestiou asked in the House of Commons hy Leslie Hore-Belisha.

Edwin B. Denby Dies.

Detroit, Mich.—Edwin B. Deuby, former eecratary of the navy passed away euddenly from heart failure at hie botel here. Denby's law office said ba bad appeared in perfect health when be left the offices. He has been at the office regularly the last two weaks. Denby also eerved as representative from Michigan in the fifty-ninth, eixtieth and eixty-first congressee from 1905 to 1910.

Asa Keyes Found Guilty of Bribery.

Los Angeles—Former District Attorney Asa Keyes and the two co-defendants have been convicted of conspiracy and hribery by a superior court jury which deliberated on its verdict lese than two hours. The co-defendants were Ben Getzoff, alleged 'fixer," and Ed Rosenberg, alleged giver of bribes to ohtain lax prosecution when he was a defendant in the Julian Petroleum company fraud cases.

Tug Races to Aid of Pacific Ship.

San Pedro, Calif.—Tha suspearco, freigbter, of the Trans-Marine company, San Francisco, was rolling helplessly off Magdalena bay, it was reported hy radio here. The tug Sea Rover was hurrying to her assistance. The Suspearco, en ronte from New York to San Francisco, carried general cargo and a crew of 25 men. Magdalena bay is off the coast of lower California.

Germans Leave for Reparations Parley

Berlin—The four German experts to the reparations conference have left for Paris, where the session will take place. They are Dr. Hjalmar Schact, president of the Reich Bank, Dr. Carl Mulchior, Albert Voegler and Ludwig Kasll.

Ten Gallon Hats to Grace Parade.

Washington—One thousand 10 gallon hats are to be worn in the inaugural parade by repnhlicans from the state that made the brown derby famous.

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South River Falls

Henry Burstad visited at his mother's home on Sunday.

Mabel Swanson visited at the Hedlund home Sunday.

Wm. Palmquist called at the Solmon Swenson home Sunday.

John Hogquist went to Thief River on Monday.

Nancy Hedlund visited with Mrs. Paul Thyren on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burstad and family visited at the Carl Swanson home on Saturday evening.

Floyd, Sylvester, and Helen Hesse called at the Herman Burstad home on Saturday evening.

Ernest and Harry Erickson spent Sunday at the Aug. Swenson home.

About seventy-five friends of Mr. and Mrs. George Haupt pleasantly surprised them last Saturday evening, honoring them on their twentieth wedding anniversary.

Edward Burstad called at the George Hesse home Sunday.

Oscar Thyren of Kelliher arrived last Thursday at the Paul Thyren home. He was called here by the serious illness of his brother Erick who died Tuesday morning.

Congoleum Rugs

Gold Seal congoleum rugs, with border, at following low prices:

6 x 9, for	$4.45
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9 x 9 for	$7.95
9 x 10 1-2 for	8.95
9 x 12 for	10.00

Breakfast table and 4 chairs unfinished, for only, $10.00

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Thief River Falls.

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LOCALS

Notice:All prospective candidates for township office in Sanders township, are herehy notified that filings for such offices must he in hands of the township clerk not later than Feb, 25th., in order that names may appear on the printed hallot.

O. O. Maland, Clerk.

Wanted:-Work with team such as wood, ice, hay, coal hauling, etc. If you have have hauling of any kind, please phone No. 70.

J31tf E. Hilligoss, City.

Cemeteries Come First

Arabian villages in Egypt are usually of a drab ehobbiness, but the cemeteries are a collection of gracefully designed and bigbly ornate tombstoues coeting mnch more money than the houses.

Rich Canadian Province

Prince Edward Island is the smallest province of the Dominion of Canada, hut the most thickly populated, and it has the greatest per capita wealth.

Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council of St. Hilaire, Minn. was held at the president's office, Feb. 4th, at 8 p. m.

Meeting called to order hy the president.

All members present.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved.

On motion duly made and carried the following hills were allowed as read:

Red River Power Co., lights,	$34.30
John Forseen, salary,	$15.00
O. Gunstad, proceedings	$2.25
Knute Kolstad, fixing door on village hall	$1.00

The application of the Hamm Brewing Co. for 50 per cent reduction in the assessed valuation of lot 3, block 40, original townsite of St. Hilaire, was rejected.

On motion duly made and carried the clerk was instructed to advertise for bids for 150 cubic yds. of gravel to be delivered on the village streets before March, 15th.

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjourned.

A. Satterberg
President

M. Fricker
Clerk.

Live on Credit

Hope is the dope,
Go woo and win it.
Who lives on hope
May live on credit.

Familiar Incident

"Have you ever beeu up in an airship?"

"No," answered Senator Sorghum. "The publicity is no good. Things have gotten so that you're liable to get only half a column on an inside page, even if you fall out."—Washington Star.

Backseat Wisdom

A young married woman who was learning to drive a car became somewhat confused over the details and exclaimed: "But how can I think of what to do?"

"Oh, just imagina that your husband is driving," was the instructor's rejoinder.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

Auto Overhauling

This is the best time of the year to have your car overhauled and put in shape for use next spring.

I have facilties for doing this work, and am making special prices for it during the winter months.

Grease-Oil-Gas-Storage

Store your car in my heated garage. A phone call will bring it, properlly greased, filled with oil and gas, ready for use. Repairs of all kinds given prompt attention.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

Here We Are Again Folks With A Few More Bargains

Men's dress hose, reg .50	$.39
Ladies silk and wool hose; reg. .50	.39
Men's heavy sweaters, reg. $5.45	4.75
Boy's heavy blue sweaters, reg. 4.00	3.35
Men's Jearsey sweaters, reg, 2.75	2.25
Corn flakes, per pkg.	.11
Post bran, per pkg,	.12
White Naptha soap, 10 bars,	.35
Swan matches, 6 boxes	.18

M. H. JACKSON

General Merchandise

ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

The Blue Parrot Inn

You are cordially invited to call at the new cafe and get acquainted. Once you try our tasty, home baked pastry, you will always be a customer.

Instead of working over a hot stove at home on Sundays, bring the family to the Inn for our special Sunday dinner.

Lunches and meal at all hours

FIGURE THIS OUT

"Where did yon buy that miracle hat?"

"I'm sorry, but I don't think I know what hat you are referring to."

"Well, yesterday you had a new hat on and I understand some one was calling it a miracle hat.

"I remember some one telling me how well it became me, but I can't seem to recall anyone calling it a miracle hat."

"Indirectly some one did. If a hat can become a girl I certainly would call it a miracle hat."

Cooling Effect of Color

Tests made by engineers with instruments that measured heat flowing through a sunlit roof showed that a white roof for a house is as cooling as the white clothes you wear in hot weather. Shiny aluminum paint is even better, as it reflects away the sun's hot rays. A roof coated with it transmits 88 per cent less heat inward. This probably works both ways, as in winter some heat escaping from the house may be reflected back again, resulting in a fuel saving.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

WHEREAS, Default has been made by the mortgagors in the conditions and covenants of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by Peter Sabo and Inga Sabo, his wife, mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, bearing date the 2nd day of January, 1924, and, with a power of sale therein contained, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 2nd day of January, 1924, at three o'clock P. M., and duly recorded therein in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 117 thereof;

AND WHEREAS, Said default consists in the failure of said mortgagors to pay the sum of Twelve Dollars and twenty-two cents ($12.22), being the balance due and unpaid of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest which became due and payable on the 2nd day of July, 1927, and to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest, each amounting to One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents ($171.88), which became due and payable on the 2nd day of January, 1928, the 2nd day of July 1928, and the 2nd day of January, 1929, in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and to keep the buildings on said mortgaged premises insured as stipulated in and hy the terms of said mortgage, in default of which the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, elected to and did on the 26th day of November, 1928, pay the sum of Twenty-two Dollars and fifty cents ($22.50) to effect such insurance, which default has continued to this date;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, and pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage and as authorized hy law, the Department of Rural Credit, on behalf of the State of Minnesota, the mortgagee and owner and holder of said mortgage, has exercised and does hereby exercise its option to declare, and hereby does declare, the whole of the loan secured hy said mortgage to be due and payable forthwith;

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to be due and payable upon said mortgage, and the loan secured thereby, at the date of this notice, hy reason of said election, the sum of Five Thousand One Hundred Ninety Dollars and eight cents ($5,190.08), unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from the 2nd day of January 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per centum per annum, and Five Hundred Twenty-seven Dollars and eighty-six cents ($527.86) amortized principal and interest, with interest on $12.22 thereof from July 9th, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, interest on $171.88 thereof from January 2nd, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, interest on $171.88 thereof from July 2nd, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, and interest on $171.88 thereof from January 2nd, 1929, at seven per centum per annum, in all the sum of Five Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty-five Dollare and eleven cents ($5,765.11), including the amount paid for insurance, as aforesaid, with interest thereon at seven per cent, from said date of payment;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, the said power of sale contained in said mortgage has become and is operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured hy said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will he foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and covered by said mortgage, situate, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northwest Quarter (NW¼) of Section Twenty-six (26), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 25th day of February, 1929, at eleven o'clock in tha forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the deht then due on said mortgage, including said insurance paid as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and expenses allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 9th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.

Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS,
Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
Helmer M. Feroe,
Assistant Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (J10-F14)

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MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Hutchinson—John Brandt, president of the Land O' Lakes Creameries Inc., spoke here at the annual meeting of the Farmers Creamery.

Hutchinson—The first land sale of 1929 in this community has been completed when Jens Juul sold his farm in Renville County for $150.00 an acre.

Red Wing—Red Wing's fire loss in January, supposed to be the dangerous month of the year, was just $62, according to Fire Chief A. Olson.

Little Falls—The West Side Co-operative creamery manufactured 252,099 pounds of butter in 1928, according to the report of John Loeks, secretary.

St. Paul—The First Nat'l Bank and the Marchants Nat'l bank here have consolidated into the $10,000,000 First Nat'l bank of St. Paul.

Little Falls—An exhaust heater on a produce truck was held responsible for a fire which destroyed 5 cratee of oranges.

Faribault—Fire desaroyed the Grand Theater here, with a lose of $200,000. A large part of the business section was threatened.

Rushmore—Rushmore has organized a band of 30 pieces, to be known as the Rushmore Concert Band. Mike Dirks was elected president.

White Bear—Bills have been introduced in the legislature for an appropriation for the repairs of the armory here, totalling $12,850.

Mankato—Walter Fenske, 25 years old, suffered a skull fracture and other serious injuries when a delivery truck he was driving was struck by a street-car.

Hibbing—The third annual Old Settlers banquet and entertainment was attended by 150 men and their families. Hibbing's first mayor, Fred Twitchell, was toastmaster.

St. Paul—A warning to drivers to beware of snow plows, now in action on a great many highways has been voiced by the Minnesota highway department.

Park Rapids—The second annual automobile show, sponsored by the American Legion post here, will be held February, 19 and 20 in the Park Rapids Nat'l Guard armory.

Little Falls—President George E. Selke of the St. Cloud Teachers College will he the speaker at the annual father and son banquet, slated for Feb. 11 at the city gymnasium.

Sauk Rapids—Fred Dusha, his wife and children narrowly escaped death in a fire which destroyed their restaurant and living quarters above it. Loss has been estimated at $3,500.

Faribault—Directors of tha Farihault Chamber of Commerce will co-operate with the management of the Harvey Hotel in staging its opening ceremonies sometime in March.

New Prague—Four-H Club leaders of Scott county have been called to meet at New Prague when several club members will be presented with prizes won during the last year.

St. Peter—A new staff, elected to serve until close of tha present school year, has taken charge of the Gustavian Weekly, student publication of Gustavus Adolphus College.

White Bear—The first National Bank has installed a ventilator in tha vault. In case a person is accidently locked in he would be supplied with sufficient air from outside.

Minneapolis—During 1928 the Minnesota Highway department completed 113 miles of paving, 272 miles of grading and 297 miles of gravel surfacing —a total of 682 miles of highway.

Maynard—Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the Maynard postoffice, a hardware store and a pool hall, causing losses estimated to aggregate $50,000.

St. Paul—Two northern tracts of state owned land totaling 174,000 acres, have been set aside by a special executive commission as Minnesota's first public shooting grounds and refuge.

Plainview—Directors of the Plainview creamery have decided to expend $18,000 to construct an addition to their plant, buy new equipment and a buttermilk drier. The plant is now valued at $65,000.

Olivia—Melbourne Heins, 22 years old, was drowned in South Africa, according to a cablegram received here by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Heins. He was a member of an English government exploring party.

Winona—Fire starting in the basement destroyed the Grill cafe here with loss estimated by the owner, A. W. Briggs, at between $12,000 and $15,000. The blaze started in a storeroom.

Chatfield — Chatfield Co-operative Laundry, established in conjunction with the co-operative creamery here, has been sold to Early Glover, for several years in charge of operations. The laundry was the first of its kind in the state.

Northfield—Registration for the second semester at St. Olaf College shows a slight decrease compared with last year's enrollment. Seventeen new students matriculated for the second half, bringing the total to 995. Last year's figure was 1,009.

Fairmont—Frank E. Dougherty has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late senator Frank A. Day, editor.

Fairmont—George W. McCullough, state game and fish commissioner, addressed the Martin county fish and game protective league at a banquet here.

Minneapolis—The Hennepin county board voted to divert $15,000 of the Hennepin county state aid road fund at Washington county as a share of the $38,000 expense of improving a three and one-half mile stretch of road on Highway No. 45 to Stillwater.

Jennie G. Wilson Farm For Sale

I will receive sealed bids for the purchase of this farm, edging the city limits, and containing about 60 acres.

All taxes and mortages are paid in full. A certified cbeck for ten per cent of the amount of your bid must accompany your bid. If necessary the bids can be made for one-third casb, balance to suit 6 per cent. Bids sbould range from $3600 up. The rigbt to reject any and all bids is reserved. The call for bids will be closed March 2, 1929 at 6 P. M.

L. E. Healy,
Special Deputy Examiner,
F-14-28 Far. St. Bk., St. Hilaire.

THE CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday Feb. 17th services at follows:

Oak Ridge Luth. 11:00 A. M. Norw.

St. Hilaire Luth. 8:00 P. M. American.

This service will be the first in a series of Lecture Services on the passion of Jesus. "On to Calvary."

SWEDISH MISSION
Rev. C. Dahlberg. Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00 A. M.
Morning service at 11:00.
Evening service at 7:45.
Service at Black River, 2:30 P. M.

Prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Steiger, Saturday evening, Feb, 23. Topic: Hope.

St. Hilaire
Methodist-Community Church
Rev. Edith Grays, pastor.

No services until further notice.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Clara church at 10:30 A. M., and in the local church at 3:00 P. M.

In Memoriam

In loving remembrance of our dear sister, Alma Engh, who died one year ago, February 17th, 1928.

"Through all pains at times she'd smile,
A smile of Heavenly birth:
And when the Angels called her home,
She smiled farewell to earth.
Heaven retaineth now our treasure,
Earth the lonely casket keeps;
And the sunbeams love to linger,
Where our sainted sister sleeps.

Sigvard, Edward, William and Siguard Engh.

The Market

(Corrected on Wednesday)

Northern Wheat	$1.05
Duram Wheat	.87
Rye	.93
Barley	.56
Oats	.40
Flax	2.28
Eggs, cash	.25
Creamery butter	.53

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Self-Confidence

If a child can acquire a superiority complex before he is old enough to be a prig be will achieve self-confidence. —The American Magazine.

Husband's Sins

A little love and understanding, thinks the successful wife, writing in Farm and Fireside, will cover a multitude of sins in a husband.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

WHEREAS, Default has been made by the mortgagors in the conditions and covenants of that certain mortgage duly executed and delivered by John W. Denhart, also known as John William Denhart, and Ester Vidacy Denhart, his wife, mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, hearing date the 16th day of February, 1925, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota on the 12th day of March, 1925, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded therein in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 309 thereof;

AND WHEREAS, Said default consists in the failure of said mortgagors to pay the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest, amounting to One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents, ($171.88), which became due and payable on the 16th day of August, 1928, in accordance with the terms and conditions of said mortgage; and to keep the buildings on said mortgaged premises insured as stipulated in and by the terms of said mortgage, in default of which the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, elected to and did on the 11th day of August, 1928, pay the sum of Twenty-two Dollars and fifty cents ($22.50) to effect such insurance, which default has continued to this date;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, and pursuant to the terms and conditions of said mortgage and as authorized by law, the Department of Rural Credit, on behalf of the State of Minnesota, the mortgagee and owner and holder of said mortgage, has exercised and does hereby exercise its option to declare, and hereby does declare, the whole of the loan secured hy said mortgage to he due and payable forthwith;

AND WHEREAS, There is actually due and claimed to he due and payable upon said mortgage, and the loan secured thereby, at the date of this notice, hy reason of said election, the sum of Five Thousand Two Hundred Ninety-one Dollars and sixty-two cents ($5,291.62), unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from the 16th day of August, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per centum per annum, and One Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and eighty-eight cents ($171.88) amortized principal and interest, together with interest thereon from the 16th day of August, 1928, at seven per centum per annum, in all the sum of Five Thousand Six Hundred One Dollars and seventy-eight cents ($5,601.78), including the amount paid for insurance, as aforesaid, with interest thereon at seven per cent. from said date of payment;

AND WHEREAS, By reason of said default, the said power of sale contained in said mortgage has become and is operative, and no action or proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed hy a sale of the premises described in and covered by said mortgage, situete, lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) and that fractional part of the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NE¼ of SW¼), being and lying East of the Right of Way of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie Railway Company, as the same is located over and across said Government Subdivision, all being in Section One (1), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 179 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made hy the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 25th day of February, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and expenses allowed hy law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated January 9th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,

Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
Helmer M. Feroe,
Assistant Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (J10-F14.)

Age and Youth

Age seke with timidity to be spared intolerable pain. Youth, taking fortune by the beard, demands joy like a right.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

Right Way to Progress

He who wants to accomplish something does not achieve it by scolding about the wrong, but by endeavoring to do right.—Goethe.

Purpose of Evil

Evil is generally committed under the hope of some advantage the pursuit of virtue seldom obtains—B. R. Heydon.

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Four "ins" that put you out of the running: Indifference, ingratitude, intolerance, indulgence.—Forbes Magazine.

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Old Pioneers Called By Death

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Nelson Both Passed Away At Roseau Last Week

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Nelson, old pioneer residents of Rocksbury township, who were taken to Roseau a short time ago to spend the balance of the winter with relatives both passed away last week, Mrs. Nelson on Thursday morning and Mr. Nelson 23 hours later, death being due in both cases to infirmities incident to old age. Neither were in good physicial condition when they left here about two weeks ago, so their deaths were not unexpected.

The remains were brot down from Roseau by motor hearse Saturday afternoon, and double funeral services were conducted by Rev. M. Dahle at the Norwegian Lutheran church at 2:00. Interment was made in the Nelson burial plot in the cemetery north of town which adjoins the farm which Mr. Nelson homesteaded fifty years ago.

John P. Nelson

John P. Nelson was born in Denmark, June. 19th, 1854 and was 74 years, 7 months and 27 days of age at time of death Feb. 15th. He came to this country when a young man; landing in Canada. In fall of 1879 he came over land thru this section to view the country. After a short time be left to return the following year when he homesteaded north of here. According to Mr. Nelson's own statements made many times during later years, he was the first white settler in this section. He was married in the fall of 1882, and his wife died in the spring of 1885 leaving an infant son, Charles. The latter grew to manhood, but preceeded his father in death on Dec. 29, 1922. Mr. Nelson continued to reside on the farm and was married to Caroline A. Mossestad a few years later. To this union was born twin daughters, both of whom died when a few months old.

Caroline A. Nelson

Caroline A. Nelson, nee Mossestad, was born in Sondfjord, Norway, Jan, 15, 1845. She came to this country in the spring of 1886, and was married to J. P. Nelson shortly thereafter.

Mrs. Nelson was 84 years and 1 month of age at time of her death on February 14th.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson resided continuously on their farm, now known as the Jenson place, until 1920 when they sold it and bought a small tract in the Addition north of this village, which has since been their home. They both enjoyed fairly good health until this winter. Unable to care for themselves they were both taken a short time to Roseau to spend balance of the winter. Both Mr. and Mrs. Nelson were held in high esteem in this community where they resided so long, and their deaths, tho' expected, was a shock to their many friends.

Mr. Nelson expressed a wish shortly before he died, to give his kindest regards and good wishes to all their friends and neighbors, and to thank them for their many kindnesses thruout years spent here. "They are all such splendid, good people" was his last tribute to his old home folks. The Spectator, which John Nelson saw founded in pioneer days, carries his last wishes to their old friends and neighbors.

To mourn their passing they leave a sister-in-law, six nephews and two nieces: Mrs. L. A. Mossestad Julius, Andrew, George, Peter and Gina Mossestad, Lauris and Jacob Aaseby, and Mrs. Marie Budd of Roseau, by whom they were cared for in their last illness, besides a host of old friends in this community.

P.-T Meeting March 1st

Next meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held at the school building Friday evening March 1st.

Supt. Morris Eye of the schools at Thief River Falls, will be speaker of the evening. A good program has been arranged, and lunch will be served.

Win At Middle River

After playing in hard luck a good share of the present season, the high school basketeers motored last evening to Middle River and took on the high school team there in a fast contest, winning by a score of 18 to 6.

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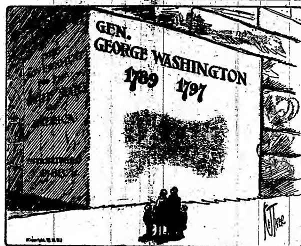

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mike Higbland, who has suffered from inflammatory rheumatism the past few weeks. is reported to somewhat improved which is good news for his numerous friends.

The Dorcas Society will be entertained by Mesdames Theo. Skatrud and E. O. Burkee at the church basement at 2:00 P. M., Saturday.

Clayton LaCore motored up Friday evening from Bemidji for a brief visit at the John Maakrud home. On his return to Bemidji Saturday he was accompanied by Evelyn Maakrud who spent until Monday visiting relatives and friends in that city.

William Hallemeck left Sunday evening for Washington, D. C., for a visit with his sisters who are employed there. Bill intends to look around the capitol city and may seek employment there or in some nearby place.

Walfred Walback returned home Saturday after spending about three weeks at Thief River Falls. Walfred is interested with several others at Thief River in the manufacture and sale of a new signalling device for automobiles which is to be placed on the market soon.

Has Success With Sheep

That it pays to raise sheep when one takes interest in it is attested by the experience of a local boy. About ten years ago, Klemens Gigstad of this village, was given one ewe. From this small start, altho handicapped by lack of pasturage sufficient at times for his flock, he has sold over fifty sheep, and still has about ten head. Last year he raised 18 lambs, as fine a lot as anyone might wish to see. His average wool clip for several years has been nine pounds or more per sheep which has added considerable to his income.

The success Klemens has had with his sheep has been won because he was always willing to adopt the methods that had been proven successful hy others. Any boy or girl in this locality, can, by assistance from their parents, do equally as well. The county agent will be pleased to explain to any boy or girl how they may obtain foundation stock, and get started. While financial returns from sheep raising are generally good, to the boys and who engage in it, the feeling of doing something worthwhile is of equal value.

Europe was in the grip of a cold wave last week that cost thousands of lives on the continent. The weather was the coldest recorded for 150 years.

Monday was extremely cold for this time of the year, the mercury here registering 32 degrees below zero. It is anticipated that such snaps will be of short duration during balance of the winter.

The Ladies' Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained by Mesdames L. Loberg and K. Kolstad at the church basement on March 1st. All members are requested to be present for a business meeting at 2:30 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Thyren have returned to their home at Kelliher after being called here by illness, and later, death, of his brother, Erick.

At special meeting of the village council held last Thursday evening, Martin Hallstrom was awarded the contract for furnishing and hauling 150 cubic yards of gravel to be used by the village for walk and road purposes.

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Dividend checks in amounts of ten per-cent of their claims, were received by depositors of the closed Farmers State Bank at Plummer last week. A payment of 15 per cent was previously made.

Friday was the last day on which application for auto licenses could be mailed in without payment of penalty. Those who neglected to attend to that little duty, must pay at the rate of 25 cents per day for 30 days and after that at a rate of a dollar a month until payment is made.

The High school basketball team, accompanied by their coach, E. N. Reiersgord, motored Saturday to Clearbrook where the boys played a hard-fought game with the Clearbrook team, losing by a score of 17 to 13. The game was evenly played during the first half, but lack of "steam" on part of the local lads during the last frame, turned the tide in favor of Clearbrook.

Farmers Meeting Held

Severely cold weather served to cut attendance somewhat at the farmers meeting and special train exhibit held here Tuesday, the same being sponsored by the Great Northern Railway Co. County Agent Douglas presided at the afternoon meeting held at the Imperial hall. D. E. Willard, agriculturalist of the Great Northern, gave a very interesting talk on the value of crop rotation. Mr. Willard is an able and convincing speaker, and his talk was greatly enjoyed.

For some reason or other only one of the two carloads of exhibits arrived here. As there were quite a number of 4H Club members and high school students present, most of the afternoon discussion was given over to sheep raising because the exhibit car contained the sheep exhibit. The speaker urged parents to encourage their boys and girls, and assist them in getting a start in raising sheep. Using the new methods, he said it was comparatively easy for any boy or girl to make a success in raising sheep. Demand for lambs has increased steadily year by year, and indications were that it would continue good, he said.

After the meeting at the hall, all present were invited to view the exhibit. Here was demonstrated bow sheep could be handled successfully; the difference between the various breeds; best methods of feeding and housing, etc. The meeting was of considerable educational value, and it to be regretted that cold weather prevented many from being present who would have gained valuable ideas if they could have been present.

4H Club Meeting

A meeting of the All Star 4H Club was held last Friday evening at the school building. County Agent R. M. Douglas and Miss Brown, of the Extension Division of the University of Minnesota, were present, the latter delivering a very encouraging talk on activities of club members, in addition to some definate clues to the sewing girls.

For the purpose of editing a club paper, two members are to represent each club of Pennington County at Thief River Falls once a month. Lufern Mogen and Vera Almquist were appointed from the local group.

At conclusion of the meeting, a tasty lunch was served by several of the members.

Clair Jones Killed

Information has recently reached this office of the death a former St. Hilaire boy, tho not of recent date, that will be of interest to many people here. as well as to many former residents who peruse these columns weekly.

Gilman Clair Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Jones, who resided here some years ago, was killed in an automobile accident at Los Angeles, Calif., in November. Details of the accident are lacking. Mr. Jones is survived by his widow and 2 small children.

After finishing school here, Clair took up railroad work and was for a short time located at Noyes up on the Canadian border. Later he went west and was employed for several years in Colorado.

Erick Thyren

Funeral services for the late lamented Erick Thyren, were conducted Saturday by Rev. O. J. Lundell of Thief River Falls and Rev. C. B. Dahlberg of this village. Services were held at the Thyren home at 10:00 A. M., and in the local Mission church at 2:00. A large number of friends and neighbors attended the service at the home, and the church was filled to capacity with people from county and town who came to pay their last respects to Erick who was held in high esteem by everybody in the community. Rev. O. J. Lundell spoke in the Swedish language, and Rev. Dahlberg in American language. A profusion of beautiful flowers, the parting tribute of esteem to the deceased from his many friends, were in evidence. Burial was made in the Swedish cemetery east of town where a sister of the deceased was buried some years ago.

Erick Thyren was born in Linkjoping, Sweden on May, 18, 1887, and was 41 years, 8 months and 25 days of age. He came to this country with his parents in 1890, and has since resided on the farm with his parents. To mourn his death, he leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Thyren; two brothers, Oscar at Kelliher, and Paul who resides near the home place, and, one sister, Esther, who stays at home., besides a number of other relatives. To these is extended the heartfelt sympathy of this community.

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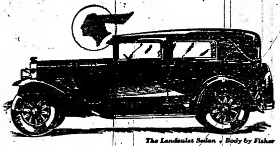
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Notice To Taxpayers

Personal Property taxes for the current year must be paid before the first day of March to avoid penalty.

John Gullingsrud, Co. Treasurer
Pennington County, Minnesota

South River Falls

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Thyren returned to their home at Kelliher Sunday evening after a weeks visit at the L. P. Thyren home.

Miss Selma Erickson, who has assisted at the Thyren home during the illness of the late Erick Thyren, returned to her home in Thief River Falls, Sunday.

Ferdie Swenson has spent the past week at home of his cousin Art Swanson.

Lloyd Peterson is doing the chores for Carl Swanson while he is on the jury at Thief River Falls.

Alvin Gustafson arrived Monday evening for a visit with his uncle, John Larson and his sister Mrs. Dagna Ergeson.

Maurice, Cyrus and Dale Peterson and Joyce Stephens visited with Harold Walseth on Sunday.

Hen Has Operation; Back on Job Again

Memphis, Tenn.—"Sassy Sne," prize hen of Herbert Burns, is beck on the job of an "egg a day" after undergoing a "major operation" recently.

Last Joly "Sassy Soe" suddenly stopped contribnting a daily "and" for hsr master's breakfast af "bam and—," for which she had become noted.

A poultry specialist at tha University of Tennessee veterinary school was called into consultation. "Sassy Sua" hadn't laid an egg in more than a week, and she appeared to ha a very sick hen.

"There's just ooe chence of saving ber," the specielist told Burns, "en operotion." It sounded serious, but Burns consented and "Sassy Sna" underwent the sorgery.

Eight fully developed eggs—four with bard abells and four with soft shells—were removed. "Sassy" was neatly bemstitcbed and pot to bed. For days she hovered between life and death.

"Sassy" lived, but weeks went by and she showed na indicatian of again resuming her old occupation of an egg a day. Then one morning recently sbe loodly announced she was back on the job.

HAZEL NEWS

Mrs. W. Denhart and Mrs C. Roese visited at the Floyd Sumpter home on Friday.

Mr. "Pete" Nelson is sick this week, and Mr. Nels Nelson is taking his place on the railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and children, Selma Peterson, Mr. Anton Peterson and sons, Carl and Hjlmer called at the Henry Sandberg home Sunday evening.

Kenneth and Vernon Finstad visited at the Carl Alberg home Saturday.

Carl and Hjlmer Peterson visited their mother at the hospital at Thief River Falls, Sunday. Friends will be glad to hear that she is much improved.

On Tuesday afternoon, Floyd Sumpter, Hjlmer Peterson, Axel Rassmusson, Clarence Roese and Mr. T. Sumpter sawed wood at the W. Denhart home.

Mrs. G. Bruce and Mrs. O. Odegaard visited with friends at Thief River Falls on Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Prestby and children are visiting this week at the E. Prestby home.

Misseses Ruth Seeland and Dorothy Olsen visited at the E. Knutson home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Theo. Johnson and two daughters visited at the Nels Nelson home on Wednesday.

Beatrice Lokken, Annie Anderson and Agnes Anderson spent the week end at their respective homes.

Mrs. E. Prestby and Mrs. Theo. Prestby visited at the O. Odegaard home on Saturday.

Mrs. Adrian Anderson, Miss Anna Alberg, and Mrs. G. Bruce called at the O. Odegaard home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Seeland visited at the Carl Alberg home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Roese called at the W. Denhart home Monday.

Mrs. Martin Lokken and daughter Margaret and Roy Lokken visited at the Nels Nelson home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Denhart were callers at the Carl Prestby home on Monday.

Miss Elesa Hendrickson visited at the Adrian Anderson home on Wednesday.

The local creamery will install a new churn this week. The creamery held its monthly meeting on Tuesday.

Mrs. O. Bruce visited at the C. Roese home on Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Melvie were St. Hilaire callers on Thursday.

Mrs. Eli Peterson visited at the C. Alberg home Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandberg and baby visited at the C. Roese home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Henry Sandberg and Mrs. C. Roese called at the Anton Peterson home on Thursday.

Misses Elisa Hendrickson and Dorothy Olsen called at the E. N. Melvie home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Seeland and daughter, Ruth, Mrs. Adrian Anderson, and Mrs. Carl Alberg were Thief R'ver Falls callers on Saturday.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 24th, 1924, executed by Carrie Brekke, a widow, as mortgagar, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the affice af the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 29th, 1924, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 221 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $51.99, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $109.38, due on April 24th, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest far $109.38 each, dua on October 24th, 1927, April 24th, 1928, and October 24th, 1928, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described martgaged premises for the years 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928; and to pay the premium on insurance policy covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $3,324.85, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from October 24th, 1928, at the rate of five andone-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $380.13, amortized principal and interest, with interest an $51.99 thereof since November 16th, 1927, on $109.38 thereof since October 24, 1927, on $109.38 thereof since April 24th, 1928, and on $109.38 thereof since October 24th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum af $313.10 for taxes including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at seven per cent. per annum since January 25th, 1929, and the sum of $18.00 premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate af seven per cent. per annum since August 3rd, 1928, in all the sum of $4,109.30, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates, as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover tha debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

> Ths Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Thirteen (13), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 160 acres, more ar less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court Hause in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 22nd day of March, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon af that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, an said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as pravided by law.

Dated February 6th, 1929.

State of Minnesota, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.

Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
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Early English Novelist

Jane Aosten was ooe of the most famous of Englisb navelists. She bad the advaotage of en education for soperior ta that af most girls af ber dey. She wea edocoted by her father. Jane was tbe yaungest of seven ebildren, of whom only one other wes a girl. Her father was rector af Stevenson, oear Basingstoke, in Hompshire. Here sbe lived far tbe first 25 years af ber life. Sbe is said ta bave been the founder af the domestic navel.

Important Charity

The Needlework Golld of America was arganized in 1885 by a small groop of wamen who recognized tba great need for clothlog in bospitels, homes aod otber charities. From this small beginning the work bas been extended so that hranches now function in forty stetes, the District of Columbia, Long Island and the territory of Hawaii. It has never changed its simple form of membership—the giving of two or more new garments or a sum of monay.

An Absentminded Bridegroom

By RAY LEWIS

"WELL, well, congratulations, old mao!" ond Jerry Green gave Davis a slop an the bock whicb caused him to wince, even es be had an inword doubt of tbe sincerity af his fellow boarder's felicitations. "Wben is tbe hoppy event to be?"

"Coo't soy as to thot," returned Devis pleasantly enough. "The soooer the better."

"Ta be sure, ta be sure. Only, mind you, Deve," and Jerry shook a waggisb finger under the other's very nose, "don't get one of your absentuinded streaks and forget there is to he sucb a thing as a wedding wben tbe joyful day comes. That woold be tough on Doris! And count on your fellow boarders, ald lop. Tbey'll be an hand, every man of them!"

Tbe affuble Jerry left Davis at the next corner, and the latter proceeded mora slowly, reflecting hitterly that if he nnd Doris could ouly skip their wedding day their marriuge would hegin much more auspiciously. The very thought of going through the salemn ceremony witb that hunch of conspirators eyeing him aud nudging each other if be fumbled for the ring or Doris hesituted over the promise ta abey, he hated in auticiputiou of the eveut.

Doris, he knew, wos of the saiue mind as himseif. But teu years' humble subservience to her aggressive auot hod luduced in the girl u docile acquiescence in ull things. It would oever have occurred to her to combat her relotive's wishes, even in so personol a matter us her own wedding.

Yet that olght Doris, with troubled eyes, poured out ber heart to Dave as the two walked down to the moving pictures, their one escape from the uninviting oolsy phooograph ridden parlor.

"It's oot the ceremony part or even the sopper I dread, Dave," she confided. "Tbe crowd will be decent eoough then. It's ofterword. I wos getting cleon towels out of the closet for Aunt Fanny as that awful Jerry Green and Ed Barrows came down tbe hall. They didn't koow I wos anywbere around, but I heard Jerry says that we didn't stand a chaoce of getting oway together. There are to be a couple of flivvers—owned hy friends of Jerry's—at each end of the street ond you ore to be—well, kidoapped, end I'm to be tokeo to tbe wrong station, and, ah, Dove, it'll be just cheap horseploy!"

Davis was silent far several moments. He suspected the existence af a stote of affairs of which Doris was ignoront. Io the first place, ever since his orrival ot the bourding house some yeors ago, be had heen an object of fun, if not contempt, to the "gay-dog" young crowd of clerks which boosted Mrs. Borker's place as a "really live joint!" Davis had chosen it because of its low retes and its nearness to a bronch library, where so many of his eveuings were spent. That trait was especially provocative of criticism—that e mao would prefer mulling aver books to e good, snappy game af cords or o billiard party with the other roomers. The fact that he was really absentminded at times—forgetting meal hours or his hat or some equally important item—had furnished further opportuolty for their shafts of ridicule.

But, most vital of all, Davis suspected that a very real enmity toward him existed oo the part of Ed Barrows and that Doris wos the cuuse Ed, who fancied he had a way with all ladies, hod tried to philander with Doris, bad had his passing interest stayed and flamed by her quiet indifference, and had seen "that absentminded bookworm" maka good where be had foiled.

On the night of the wedding excitement wns distinctly evident at the supper table ut Mrs. Barker's. The ceremony was scheduled for 7:30, the express mao was to come for the trunks at 7:00 and Doris was to put on her going-away suit lo which she was ta be married immediately after she had for the last time cleared the long table. In view of the occasion ber eunt bad thoughtfully excused her from any further duty in the kitchen.

Everyone wes prompt to the meal—thot is, everyoue except Davis. In fact, it was well along toward the end af the meat pie course when the telepbone bebind Jerry Greeo rang noisily. Jerry jamped to answer. Then be hong op the receiver, doubled up in laughter, slapped bis thigb and all but choked. "That bird Davis will be tbe death of me! He's clean goue end forgotten it's his weddiog day Says to expect bim in about an bour or so to toke Doris here to the movies He's eating ot a quick lunch so's to stop at' tbe library!"

There was ntter silence. Then to a man tbe boarders laughed, only sobering slightly when they saw Doris' foce bowed lo ber bands, rise ond leave the room. Behind her fingers bid e tremulans smile.

Thus it was thot while the crowd waited for Dove ond Mrs. Barker ettended to tha express man Doris slipped oot and met ber bridegroom at the corner. A few minutes later, in a quiet little parsonage nptawn, a perfectly satisfied couple said "I do" and "I will" before ouly foor spectators—the minister, his wife, his daughter and the friendly ald parsonege cat.

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Tuberculosis And Food

Years ago it was customery after an individual found out he had tuberculosis for him to begain to load his digestive tract with a superabundance of rich foods. Many patients would eat three rather heavy meals a day and in addition take as lunches, between meals and at bedtime, one or two quarts of milk and a dozen raw eggs. Time has proven that this procedure was a mistake as a general rule. The disease, tuberculosis, with the rest treatment now available requires no such orgies of nourishment taking. In fact, it has been fouud that such large amounts of food actually prove too heavy a load for some patients whosa digestive systems are already weak ened by the disease.

Nowdays, we feel that three meals a day, consisting of well balanced food, should meet all the requirements necessary for the nourishment and up-building of the average patient The food for the most part should be simple and wholesome, and the menu should be varied. Some patients in this particular section of the state care for little except meat and potatoes, bread, cake and coffee. There is no objection to these foods in themselves, for they are good, but such a diet is too restricted and does not cover all the needs of the body. At the Sanatorium, patients are urged to eat vegetables and fruits fresh if possible, otherwise canned and those from the root cellers with the addition of milk. There are certain elements present in vegetables and fruits which are much needed by the body for its up-building and these elements are not found in such quantities elsewhere. The value of milk as a food is, of course, undisputed.

For some patients under certain conditions, special articles of food are ordered by the physician in order to meet soma special requirement of the patient. Under similar circumstances, lunches between meels may even be ordered; but such procedures are not the rule but the exception in tuberculosis.

The writer feels that if he can persuade the people of this particular district to grow and eat more vegetables and fruits, a most worthwhile effort will have been accomplished

By B. C. Bernard, M. D.,
Superintendent and Medical Director, Oakland Park Sanitorium

When Learning Counts

Whot you leern today, or this month, isn't apt to amonnt to mnch. It is what beppened lest yeer, ten years ogo, e century ego, tbat counts, because it bas been tried out. . . . I predicted the resnlt of the last election exactly montbs in advanee, not by what the men were ssyiog this snmmer, but by what men hed done years before in elections.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

Public Enamies

That there are mea in all conntries wba get their living by war and by keeping op the qoerrels of netions is as shocking as it is trne; bot wben those wbo are concerned in the government of a conotry moke it a study to sow discord eod coltivete prejudices between natioos it becomea the more unpardonable.—Thomas Paine.

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of that certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by the Citizens State Bank of Hazel, Minnesota, a corporation, as mortgagors, to The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Indiana, mortgagee, bearing date the 22nd day of January, 1926, with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of February, 1926, at four o'clock P. M. in Book 76 of Mortgages on Page 188.

That said default consists in the failure to pay principal note of One Hundred Dollars ($100) due January 10, 1929, and the failure to pay interest amounting to One Hundred Ninety-five Dollars ($195) due January 10, 1929, and,

Whereas, The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company has elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and,

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred Twelve and 31-100 Dollars, ($3212.31), and,

Whereas, said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, which said premises are situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota and are more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4) in Section Six (6) Township One Hundred Fifty Two (152) North of Range Forty-Two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 168.57 acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof,

together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State on the 6th day of April, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars ($75) attorney's fee, as atipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one (1) year from the date of sale.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1929.

THE LINCOLN NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation, MORTGAGEE.

R. V, GLEASON,
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332 Builders Exchange,
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F21-M28

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State of Minnesota, }
County of Roseau } SS

In District Court
Fourteenth Judicial District
First State Bank of Roosevelt
Plaintiff
vs
Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson
Defendants

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Roseau upon a Judgment rendered in said Court in favor of First State Bank of Roosevelt, Plaintiff, and against Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson Defendants, and a transcript of which said judgment was subsequently and prior hereto duly filed and docketed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Pennington County, Minnesota, I have levied upon the following described real estate of said defendants, to-wit;

The South half of the Northwest, quarter (S1-2NW1-4) and Lots three and four (3 and 4) of section four (4) township one hundred fifty-two (152) range Forty-four (44) West, in the County of Pennington! Minnesota.

And that I shall, on Friday the 15th day of March, 1929 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson in and to the above described property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Four Hundred Fifty-three and 13-100 Dollars ($453.13), together with all accrueing costs of sale, and interest on the same from the 17th day of January, 1929, at the rate of six per cent per annum, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 28th day of January, 1929.

O. L. Ihle,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.

M. J. Hegland,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Roseau, Minnesota.
J31-M-7

Mulberry Cultivation

There are several varieties of mulberry in the United States the leaves of which are used for feeding silkworms. One is the black mulberry (Morus nigra), which grows in the South and in California. The white mulberry (Morus alba) is much more extensively planted and its leaves are considered the best food for silkworms. The paper mulberry is still another species which furnishes leaves for silkworms.

For That Tired Feeling

Backaches and footaches and headaches are responsible for most of the wrinkles and worry squints and tired listless faces among women. Body aches give that hard edge to the voice and make women feel forty-five when they are barely past thirty. Many of the tired aches could be avoided if women would take a little less care of their houses and a little better care of themselves.—Farm and Fireside.

Primitive Peoples

Certain tribes of the Kalahari desert bushmen are said to bury their sick while still alive, because their religious beliefs forbid the touching of human corpses. Another tribe has been found in the same section which was too low in the scale of civilization even to build huts to live in, preferring to live in the holes made by antbears, which they enlarge by scooping out earth.

Life and the World

Nobody ever got on in life by caring too much about getting on in the world.—Woman's Home Companion.

Statistical Note

The only thing more numerous than the sands of the sea are the cures for flu.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Briefly Told

It's thoughtfulness that makes and keeps friends.

Mayfield and Vicinity

Lloyd Swanson was a caller Saturday at the Bergdahl home.

Gillard Larson returned Saturday from Amery, Wisc.

Mrs. Chas. Carlson and daugher, Doris, and Hilda Carlson visited Monday at the B. Torvildson home.

W. Jasperson and Geo. Swanson motored to Thief River and returned Monday.

Beatrice Omdahl spent the weekend at home of her sister, Mrs. Dreng Roisland.

Mrs. John Asp and daughter, Evelyn, Mrs. J. O. Carlson and Hilda Carlson visited Sunday at the Allen Rehm home.

Mrs. A. Rehm was a visitor Thursday at the Jesperson home.

Mrs. J. O. Carlson and son, Roy, motored Friday to St. Hilaire for a visit with friends.

Mrs. Sam Swanson left Monday for Thief River to do jury service at present term of district court.

Arnt Wedul was a visitor Friday at the J. Asp home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rehm motored Tuesday to Thief River and returned.

A number of people in this locality attended the Valentine party given Thursday in Dist. 35.

Dreng Roisland was a caller at the W. Jasperson home Tuesday.

Mrs Chas. Carlson and children, Clarence and Alyce, motored to Thief River and returnd Saturday.

Allen Rehm sawed wood at the school house in Dist. 11 last Thursday.

Dorothy Haney spent the weekend at her home at Thief River.

Congoleum Rugs

Gold Seal congoleum rugs, with border, at following low prices:

6 x 9, for	$4.45
7 1-2 x 9 for	$5.95
9 x 9 for	$7.95
9 x 10 1-2 for	8.95
9 x 12 for	10.00

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Hicks' Furniture Co.

Thief River Falls,

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Notice:All prospective candidates for township office in Sanders township, are hereby notified that filings for such offices must be in hands of the township clerk not later than Feb, 25th., at 6 p. m. Print names may appear on the printed ballot.

O. O. Maland, Clerk.

Wanted:-Work with team such as wood, ice, hay, coal hauling, etc. If you have have hauling of any kind, please phone No. 70.

J31tf E. Hilligoss, City.

Holds Us Up

The lowest rock of the earth's crust is granite. It is the bedrock of the world, and contains no vegetable or animal components.

We Have Living Evidence

Scientists have traced man back to a fish. It looks as though they're on the right track at last.—Adrian Daily Telegram.

What's the Use?

Why strive for heaven, asks a reader in Farm and Fireside, when after reaching it we don't know it?

Heredity Gives Claws to Filipino Family

Manila, P. I.—Claws on fingers and toes is the hereditary misfortune visited upon a family of Filipinos reported by Dr. Leopoldo S. Clementa of the University of the Philippines to the Journal of Heredity for publication in the near future.

The peculiarity apparently arose for the first time in the case of the father, for he is one of three brothers, the other two of whom have normal nails. Married to a normal Filipino woman, he has become the father of a family of nine children, five of whom show the same abnormality. The trait is apparently what students of genetics call a "dominant," and will be handed on, in varying degrees, to the children of the thick-nailed members of the family, while the normal children will not need to fear it.

The peculiarity is a physical as well as a social handicap, Doctor Clementa reports. It makes a normal walking gait difficult, and normal running impossible. The thick toenails cause considerable pain when rapid movement is attempted, and compel the wearing of very wide-toed shoes. When the finger or toenails are to be trimmed they have to be soaked in warm water for an hour before cutting.

Bedeviled by Bad Luck; Back of It a Landlord

Chicago.—James K. Sabath, who is in the insurance business, decided to buy his own home last fall when his landlord, Geoffrey Muller, jacked the rent of his apartment $25 a month.

To heat his new home Sabath bought "no ash household coal," advertised by an enterprising fuel corporation. But the stuff wouldn't burn. When Sabath sued the fuel company he found that its president was Muller, his old landlord. Sabath lost the suit because Muller testified the company had never said the coal would burn. "We advertised that it would make no ash," Muller declared.

Sabath's humor was restored the other night when he was riding home. He saw fire engines working ineffectually on several mountains of blazing coal in Muller's yard. He was still laughing when he entered his home. Shortly afterward the telephone bell rang.

"Say," said the caller, "this is Muller. Our coal yard just burned. Total loss of $35,000 and we got a policy in your company."

Now the police are trying to prevent a justifiable homicide.

Auto Overhauling

This is the best time of the year to have your car overhauled and put in shape for use next spring.

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Juvenila Respect

Children rarely respect anything which they can use liberally and without distinction.—Woman's Home Companion.

Troubles in Flocks

Tronbles ere exceedingly gregarious in their nature, and flying in flocks are apt to perch capriciously.—Dickens.

Thought for Today

To drive hogs one should understand human nature.—John Andrew Holmes, in the Detroit Free Press.

Place Chicago Population at 3,215,000.

Chicago—Chicago is further intrenched as the second city of tha United States with a population of 3,215,000, figuree compiled by the Chicago Association of Commerca show.

Mexico Waits Labor Legislation.

Mexico City—The newspaper El Universal said that the labor lagislation project sponsored by President Portes Gil could not bo enacted into law before the Septembar session of congress.

THE CHURCHES

St. Hilaire
Methodist-Community Church
Rev. Edith Grays, pastor.

No services until further notice.

SWEDISH MISSION
Rev. C. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday, Feb. 24.
Sunday school at 10:00 A. M.
Morning service at 11:00.
Evening service at 7:45.
Service at Black River, 2:30 P. M.
The Y. P. S. to be held at the Alex Swanson home has been postponed to Saturday evening, March 9th.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle. Pastor.

Sunday Feb, 24th.
Services at Ebenezer in Mayfield at 11:00 A. M. Norwegian.
Services at St. Pauli at 2:30 P. M. Norwegian.
St. Hilaire church at 8:00 p. m. American.
Come to the Lenten services Sunday evening. Follow the Saviour on His way to the Cross.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Black River church at 10:30 A. M., and in local church at 3:00 P. M.

Card of Thanks

We take this method to express our most heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all neighbors and friends who assisted us in so many ways during the last illness, and after the death of our beloved son and brother, Erick Thyren. We also wish to thank Revs. O. J. Lundell and C. B. Dahlberg for their comforting sermons; those who contributed the beautiful flowers, and those who furnished musical numbers at the funeral. All these numerous kindnesses by our neighbors and friends shall ever be held in grateful remembrance.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Thyren
and family.

Hard to Explain Origin

Chile, or Chili is an Indian name. whose origin has not been satisfactorily explained, no less than six derivationa hnving been euggested. Perheps it is from the Quichne chiri or chili—cold—referring to the perpetual euow on many of the mountains.

Odd English Auction

A curlons enction is held in the villnge of Upwey, Weymonth, Englend, every epring when the parish meadow is rented for the year, not to the highest bidder, bnt to the one who bids last when the light from a bit of candle expires.—New York Times.

The Market

(Corrected on Wednesday)

Northern Wheat	$1.07
Durum Wheat	.96
Rye	.94
Barley	.53
Oats	.40
Flax	2.27
Eggs, cash	.25
Creamery butter	.53

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LINDY TO WED ANNE MORROW

The Romance of the Couple Dates Back to Flier's Good-will Journey.

Mexico City—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh and Miss Anne Spencer Morrow, it was learned authoritatively here, will he married either in May or June in Mexico City or New York. The principals still have under consideration the exact time and place.

Amhassador Dwight W. Morrow, soon after the arrival of his wifa and daughter from the United States, formally announced the engagement of Anne to the famous aviator.

The engagement of Colonel Charles A. Lindhergh to one of the daughters of Dwight W. Morrow, United States ambassador to Mexico, former Morgan partner, has heen rumored for some time bnt the reporta were indefinite as to jnst which one it would be—Anne or Elisabeth, her older sister.

When Elisabeth retnrned from Europe last November, after having visited Mrs. Evengeline Lindbergh, tha flying colonel's mother, in Turkey, tha rumors were more or less definite that it was Elisabeth.

Anne Morrow, the colonel's fiancee, is 22 years old, six less then the colonel himself, and has heen a favorite in Mexico City diplomatic circles, participating omre often than her sister, who although heiress to millions, preferred to teach school.

When rumors of Lindbergh's regard for one of the Morrow sisters were first published here, Mrs. J. J. Morrow, their aunt, was quoted as saying that both girls had toid her several times there was nothing to the rumor as "Lindy isn't a bit sentimental and doesn't care for girls."

Minnesota and Northwest to Gain.

Washington—Representative August H. Andresen of Minnesota secured the passege by the honse of the Norbeck-Andresen Bird Refuge bill. The vote was unanimous. The Norbeck bill passed the senete in the lest session of congress, and was amended by the honse committee on agricuitnre by the substitution of the Andresen bill, which wes more explicit in some of its terms. Minnesota and other northwestern states will heve more game and fish refuges as a result of this action of the house.

Sheriff Saves Northcott from Mob.

Riverside, Calif.—Gordon Stewert Northcott, convicted of sleying three boys in his Wineville, Calif., chickeo farm, saw the shadow of an unitimely noose cast on the walls of his cell here as 250 meu surrounded the jeil, end N. R. Wioslow demanded of Sheriff Clem Sweeters that he be allowed to see the prisoner to "get the ectnal truth." Throngh a pell of smudge smoke 55 automobiles suddenly appeared on the streets by the county jeil. Winslow, for the mnrder of whose sons, Lewis end Nelsou, Northcott will be sentenced to heng, walked to the jeil door and rang the night bell.

Letters Threaten Portes Gil, Calles.

Mexico City—Threatening letters have been received by President Emilio Portee Gil and his predecessor io office Plutarco Elias Celles. Three more unexpected bombs have beeo found in residencas of prominent members of the Nationalist Revolutionery party which is dedicated to preserve the policies of Calles and the late General Ohregon.

Girl Shatters 3 Air Marks.

Los Angeles—Miss Bobby Trout, Los Angeles girl eviator in her Golden Eegle monoplane, set a new world's endnrance flight record for women of 17 honrs, 5 minntes end 37 seconds. The yonng woman's feat regained for her the endnrence record she hed lost last week when Miss Elinor Smith of New York set a merk of 13 hours 16 minutes 45 seconds.

Paderewski Ill With "Flu."

Nice, France—Jan Iguaz Pederewski, the noted pianist, is ill with grippe and has been forced to cancal his engagements. His doctors stated that he was recovering, bnt because of his age, must remain quiet.

Snow Buries 30 Villages.

Zagreb, Jugo-Slavia—Thirty villages near here have been buried by an enormone snowfall. Becanse of tha complete stoppage of transportetion the anthorities have been unable to send the food of which the villages ere believed to be in serious need.

Mrs. Fokker Killed in 15-Story Jump.

Naw York—Mrs. Viole Fokker, wife of Anthony H. G. Fokker, airplane manufacturer, committed suicide by jumping 15 stories from the bedroom window of their Riverside drive apartment. She was 29 years old.

Tear Bombs Used by Woman Bandit.

Detroit—A young woman walked into a branch office of the Michigan State bank of Detroit and fired two tear gas bombs, held np the teller and escaped with $2,000.

Byrd Radios News of Terrific Gale.

Durham, N. C.—A terrific gale has been eweeping the camp of Commander Richard E. Byrd's antarctic expedition. Operator Grenlie with the gronp informed F. M. Whitaker in exchange of messages.

Fitzmaurice Quits Irish Air Service.

Dublin, Irish Free State—Colonel James Fitzmaurice, one of the three who first made a non-stop westward crossing of the north Atlantic by airplane, resigned as chief of the army air force.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Albert Lea—Lesley S. Whitcomb wae nominated to be postmester here.

Duluth—H. C. Dudley, mining engineer and operetor, is planning to erect a $100,000 residence in this city.

Waseca—A committee of business men is nearing a goel of $150,000 for establishment of a cannery here.

Olivia—R. F. Crim of University Farm will be in charge of a crop improvemant meeting here next week.

St. Cloud—The Diemond Motor Parts Company has doubled its working force the pest week and is steadily increesing prodnction.

Lamberton—Anthony J. Praxel, a leading attorney here end former member of the state legisleture, died et the age of 51.

Minneapolis—William F. Kunze, president of tha hoard of public welfare has filed as e candidate for mayor of Minneapolis.

Albert Lea—The locel post of the American Legion will stege a boy's and girls' dog derby here lete this month.

Waterville—The Weterville Creamery Association elected Elmer Smith as president at their aooual convention here.

Madalia—Madelie's annuel auto show this yeer surpessed eny previous year in number of displeys and attendence during their two dey show.

Annadale—L. E. Lersen is presideot of a newly organized creamery association here which expects to be in operetion by summer.

Redwood Falls — The Minnesota Christian Endeavor Convention will be conducted here June 19 to 23, witb ooe thousend delegetes expected.

Le Sueur Center—F. E. Eyrich has been elected presideot of the Le Sueur Center Community Club, at their ennual meeting.

Cokato—C. D. Alstad was elected president of the newly organized Cokato Town end Country Club, with 40 meking epplicetion for memhership.

Dassel—A. J. Olson of Renville, president of the Minnesota Farm Bureeu Federetion will be the principal speeker at Dassel's annual corn nnd grain show here.

Little Falls—A resolution asking the legilalatnre to creete a fourth judgeship in the Seveoth Judiciel District hes been passed by the Morrison County Board.

Goodhue—Citizeos of Goodhue tnrned down the proposal to issue $36,000 in bonds for enlergemeot of high school facilities. The margin was more then two to one.

Farmington—L. A. Godby was elected president of the Farmiogton Commercial Club for the fonrth year et the annuel meetiog when T. J. Feely wee re-elected vice presideot.

Wadena—County Agent A. W. Jecob has given his resignetion to the county farm bureau, effective this month. He expects to go to Creek county, Oklehome, to he county agent there.

Clarks Grove—Funeral services have been conducted for L. O. Sorenson, pioneer here, who died at the ege of 88, three weeks after tbe death of his wife, 87.

Northfield—Irma Reinecke, Morristown 4-H club girl who won the national Holstein dairy calf club championship, will be hooored hy the Northfield Community Holstein Club at its anunal meeting February 20.

St. Paul—A hooeymoon in the eir began wben Dr. R. O. Storherg and his bride, who wes Miss Jeanette Olsoo, boarded a Uoiversal Airways plane for Chicago. Tbe two live in St. Paul end were married there.

Minneapolis—The 1929 Northwest Anto Show in the Livestock Pavilion et the Stato Fair Grounds, has beeo the most successful in the history of the Twin Cities, hotb in the metter of etteodance aod ettrectiveness.

Melrose—H. B. Otte, buttermaker end maneger of the Melrose Cooperative Creamery at Melrose, is the newly elected president of the Central Minnesota Creemery Operators and Menegers Association.

Minneapolis—Five cherges of embezzlement standing egeiost Henry Hanke, former Hennepin county treasurer, will be dismissed and Hanke will face no further prosecution when he is releesed from Stillweter penitentiary ahout Angust 4.

Minneapolis—The Northwest First Annnel Fur Breeders Show will open et the Minneapolis Auditorium Thursday Februery 28th end continue to March 3rd. Any breeder of fur bearing animals may enter. Charles S. Steffes of Minneapolis is secretary.

Moorhead—An investigation was launched by Cley county anthorities into the death of Mrs. Henrietta Elliott, 34 years old, of Dilworth, whose body was fonnd on a highway near Dilworth. It was indicated she wes killed when she wes thrown from en automobile.

Eveleth—Appointment of an interim committee by the state legislature to investigate and determine whether mine tax relief is necessary for the welfare of the miinng indnstry of Minnesota is esked by e delegetion of representatives of range cities at a meeting here.

Albert Lea—Governor Christianson has snspended James B. Otteson of Albert Lee es sheriff of Freehorn county and appointed Thomas L. McCormick, 52, of Albert Lea, to temporarily sncceed him, pending hearing on ouster proceedings against Otteson.

St. Cloud—A committee of central Minnesota bankers, named at a secret meeting here which launched a move to abolish the state banking department and set np a uew system patterned after the federal reserva, hopes to have a bili ambodying the proposal ready within a week for presentation in the legislature.

25 Years Ago

A big auction sale was to be held at the Cliffgaard farm the following Tuesday.

—XXV—

The fire department was called to the planing mill to quench a fire which had started in the fuel shaving room.

—XXV—

Chas. Brink, then located at Thief River, was here calling on friends while enroute home from a trip to Crookston.

—XXV—

John Saltvik left for Rainy River with intention of starting a bowling alley. Miss Rosie Gigstad succeeded him as clerk at the M. L. Hanson store.

—XXV—

President Roosevelt signed an act which provided for sale of eleven townships of the Red Lake Indian Reservation, the border line of which was seven miles east of here.

—XXV—

The Kolstad shoe store closed out its stock of shoes. The place was to be continued as a repair shop by John Forseen.

—XXV—

P. G. Otterness and T. O. Melhous of Cannon Falls bought the J. J. Kordahl farm northeast of town. The Kordahl family were to have a sale March 10th.

LOCALS

Ed Roy left first of the week for Rochester, Minnesota, to consult physicians at the Mayo Clinic in hope of obtaining relief for an ailment of long standing.

OATS FOR SALE: Call at the Enoch Swenson farm west of St. Hilaire. F14-21pd.

Hay for Sale: Second cutting alfalfa hay in stack. Call on or address, Anton Johnson, R1, Hazel, Minn. F14-21

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

FOR RENT

For rent on shares, the S. E. quarter of Sec. 24, Twp. 153, Range 44. This land has been into sweet clover for several years and should he in first class condition for crop.
W. F. Urenn,
F21-28 Plymouth. Iowa.

The Spectator, $1.50 a year.

Notice To Parents

Some school children are in the habit of walking on the public highway to and from school and since there is great danger in this practice, pupils in every grade have been warned by the teachers to discontinue walking on the highway and use the sidewalks. Co-operation from the parents in this respect may avoid serious injury to your child or possibly death.

By Order of
Village Council
School Board

Jennie G. Wilson Farm For Sale

I will receive sealed bids for the purchase of this farm, edging the city limits, and containing about 60 acres.

All taxes and mortages are paid in full. A certified check for ten per cent of the amount of your bid must accompany your bid. If necessary the bids can be made for one-third cash, balance to suit 6 per cent. Bids should range from $3600 up. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. The call for bids will be closed March 2, 1929 at 6 P. M.

L. E. Healy,
Special Deputy Examiner,
F-14-28 Far. St. Bk., St. Hilaire.

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Creamery List

True to prediction made last month, the number of checks in sums over $50 issued by the creamery showing good increase this month over that of last. From now until next summer, there will be an increase each month. Here is the list of checks of more than $50 each, issued last Friday:

Novak & Son	282.04
Mrs. H. J. Thorstveit	257.39
Anton Bros.	222.51
Christ Anton	221.43
N. E. Beebe	206.21
Geo. Hanpt	206.12
Fred Ulrich	200.11
I. A. Rotzlar	187.50
Swan Weiberg	161.05
C. Kruse	158.85
H. Jepson	158.72
C. H. Swanson	149.91
Wahlbeck Bros.	142.96
H. Johnson	133.59
K. T. Dalager	133.22
And. Ortloff	131.75
Wm Rinkenberger	131.02
Frank Bothman	130.49
E. H. Stephens	128.33
Anton Johnson	128.08
Emil Person	125.31
R. Melin	120.49
John Norman	119.78
F. Anderson	115.02
Wm Palmquist	113.68
Mrs. A. P. Anderson	113.21
And. Mortenson	109.97
John Gunstad	108.30
Frank Schmidt	107.65
B. Walseth	104.17
Ole Larson	103.53

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Sells Fine Sire

Richard J. McKercher, local breeder of bigh class Shorthorn stock, recently sold a fine young sire, of the Clay- Buttercup milking Shorthorn strain, for shipment to North Dakota. To get established in the dairying industry, parties in North Dakota bave bought several carloads of fine animals, one carload of which goes from this county. Mr. McKercber's herd contains many finely bred specimens, and selection of one of his animals as foundation stock in N. Dakota is a distinct boost for his herd, not to mention much personal satisfaction to Mr. McKercher who has spent much time and money in bringing his herd up to where it is considered one of the outstanding herd of Shorthorns in this section.

Killed In Plane Crash

Lieut. Andrew Knox, age 25, a former resident of Fisher, and later of Thief River Falls, was killed Monday at Selfridge Field in Michigan when his plane went into a nose dive while making a test flight. Lieut. Knox begun his training for the air service in the fall of 1927 and received his commission as lieutenant, last fall, and came to Selfridge Field in November, 1928.

It is understood the body will be shipped to Thief River Falls and he will be buried there with military honors.

Project Meeting

The "Do What I Can" unit of the Poultry Project met at the K. T. Dalager farm on Tuesday, Feb. 26. Ten members were present, one being absent. Tbe leaders. Mrs. W. P. Wilson and Mrs. H. Jepson presented the subject "Chick Rearing" as given by Miss Cooke of the University of Minn.

Proper feeding, not overfeeding, chick diseases, brooders, brooder houses and locations of houses on clean ground were all discussed. An economical chick feeder made of laths was shown and directions given for making it The members brought dinner which was served at noon and the meeting began directly afterward.

Mose Allard, 97 year old resident of Red Lake Falls, died a week ago Saturday while visiting at the home of a son at Allard, Wash.

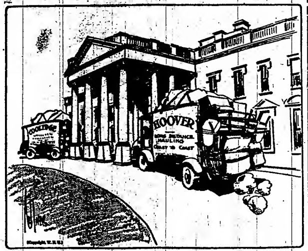
In accordance with an executive order, an open season for taking muskrats will prevail in this state starting at noon March 1st, and continuing until noon March 10th.

Receipts of cream at the creamery were the heaviest last Friday of any one day this winter. Besides filling all the vats, it was found necessary to store about a hundred gallons in station cans until churning time next day.

Parts of the road leading east from here have been blockaded by snow the past week. The road is clear for a considerable distance, hut a few spots close in where drifts are deep, have bampered auto traffic considerahly.

Want Ads Bring Results

Moving Time in Washington



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know. . . . .

Mrs. M. Volden has improved appearance of her cafe hy addition of a new candy case.

G. Bergland motored Saturday to Grand Forks to consult an occulist about an eye ailment that has troubled him for some time.

Miss Mae Kenney, who teaches in the Aug. Svenson school spent last week-end at the home of her parents at Thief River Falls.

Sheriff Ole L. Ihle was down Monday afternoon from Thief River attending to business matters in connection with his official position

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A carpenter crew and bridge gang of the Great Northern, were switched off here last week while doing some repairs on company property in this vicinity.

L. E. Healy was up Tuesday from Red Lake Falls attending to business matters of the local Farmers State Bank of which he is special deputy examiner.

Henry Olsen intends to install one of his newest types of radio recievers at the school house this week-end so that the studen.s may hear President-elect Hoover's inaugural address which is to be broadcast, Monday.

Two of the county road tractors, one having a snowplow attached, opened the state road from Swan Johnson's corner to near the north bridge last Sunday.

Farm For Rent:- 320 acres, about 280 under cultivation. Buildings in good condition. Good water. Call on or address

S. L. Lind,

F28-M7pd R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

Mike Highland is showing improvement every day after an illness of over a month, and is looking forward to being able to be out again.

Regular monthly meeting of the directors of the creamery was held Friday last. The meeting was to have been held Wednesday but was postponed because of illness of Secretary Erdmann. He was still ill Friday and unable to attend.

Felix Grandbois, Fred Erdmann and G. Bergland, president, secretary and manager, respectively, of the creamery, were at Thief River Falls yesterday to attend the district meeting of officers of the Land O'Lakes creameries in this district.

Annual village and township elections will be held on Tuesday, March 12th.

Mrs. Mike McAndress is improving after being seriously ill the past week.

Regular monthly meeting of the school board was held Tuesday evening.

Miss Lilly Gunstad, who teaches in the village schools at Rosewood, came down Tbursday evening for a week-end at her home east of town.

Today is the last day on which payment of personal property taxes may be made for the current year without payment of penalty.

S. Bergland was down Friday from Thief River for a brief visit at the homes of his daughter and son, Mrs. M. Volden and G. Bergland,

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Thawing weather first three days of this week has served to settle the snow drifts somewbat. Snow is gone on the highway and motoring is excellent.

Ed Durbin, J. Bohlen, Dr. S. S. Houlton, G. Bergland and O. Gunstad motored Tuesday to Crookston and returned the same evening.

Gunhild Nelson, accompanied by Marcella Bhend, came up Friday from Wolverton and spent the week-end visiting at the home of Miss Nelson's parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson.

Gravel for the village streets has been coming in at the rate of 12 cubic yards a day the past week or more. With this gravel to fill in some of the low spots, it is expected the streets in town will be in generally good condition this spring,

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Steve Ford suffered the loss of one of his team of horses last week when an auto collided with it on the state road near the Swan Johnson farm. The animal had a leg fractured which necessitated its being killed.

Mrs. Mike Highland was at Thief River all day Tuesday visiting with her husband who is a patient at the hospital. Mike is showing gradual improvement, but may have to undergo a tonsil operation soon in which event he will not be home until some time next week.

4H Club Meeting

Arrangements are being made for a meeting of the 4H Club on Friday, March 8th. All club members and their parents are invited. All others wishing to join, may do so at the George Wilson home.

Win At Oklee

The high school basketball team, accompanied by a number of rooters. motored Friday evening to Oklee for their last game of this season's schedule. Tbe boys put up a real scrap at this game and won by a score of 19 to 12.

P. T. A. Meet Friday

Regular monthly meeting of the Parent-Teacbers Association will be held at the school building tomorrow evening. Supt. Morris Bye of tbe Thief River public schools, will be speaker of the evening. Other entertainment has also been provided for, and lunch will be served as usual.

Song, America	Audience
Dramatization of the Tar Babies by the 1st and 2nd grades	
Vocal Solo	Clarence Pearson
Address	Supt. Morris Bye
P. T. A. Song	Audience

Lunch 10 cents

Luther League Program

Program for the Luther League of the Norwegian church for Mar. 3rd.

Hymn	No. 64
Prayer	Rev. Dahle
Hymn	No. 340
Minutes of last meeting	
Reading	Miss Haslam
Song	Glee Club
Reading	Dorothy Olsen
Talk	Mrs. Thorvilson
Hymn	No. 48

A new concrete floor was laid yesterday by Knute Kolstad and Ed Peterson, in the refrigerator room at the creamery to replace a composition floor which was put in when the plant was built.

Peter Bergh motored last evening to his home at Plummer after being here during fore part of the week looking after business at his hardware store.

Mike McAndress shipped a mixed carload of livestock from here to market at So. St. Paul last Saturday.

Undergoes Operation

Axel Jacobson was operated upon for chronic appendicitis at the Deaconess hospital at Grand Forks last Thursday. He went thru the ordeal in good shape, and is now rapidly regaining strength. Axel's many friends sincerely hope he will secure permanent relief for an ailment that has bothered him for several years.

Tax List Out

The Delinquent Tax List of Pennington County for the current year, is published in this issue. Light crops in some sections and drowned out crops in other parts of the county last fall, probably accounts for the list being larger tban usual.

25 Years Ago

St. Hilaire Camp M. W. A., was preparing to observe the eighth anniversary of organization of the camp, by giving a grand ball.

—XXV—

P. Martinson and family came from Averill, Minn., to occupy the Kordahl farm.

—XXV—

Mrs. J. C. Cummings came up from Minneapolis to join her husband. Dr. and Mrs. Cummings were to reside in the McCaffrey residence.

—XXV—

The previous Saturday morning a fire destroyed six bnildings at Thief River Falls. The Weeks bowling alley, real estate office of C. J. Knox, John Morgan's saloon, the Delmonico restaurant, and the Curtis drug store were among the buildings destroyed.

—XXV—

Mrs, P. G. Paradis returned home after spending the week-end with her relatives at Red Lake Falls.

—XXV—

Henry Olsen went down to Crookston with his little daugher who was receiving treatments from Dr. Morley for an eye affliction.

—XXV—

Marcus Johnson was here inspecting busines done at his local agency of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

Notice I will be in St. Hilaire to attend to business of the Farmers State Bank, on Friday. March, 1st., and also on Friday, March 29th, all day on both dates.

L. E. Healy, Spec. Ex.

Safety---

Every action by the officers of this institution is determined by one one major consideration--

Tbe safety of our depositor's money.

In all of our investments, in all of our loans we are guided by this policy--in order that your surplus money may be here working for you day and night--and that it may always be available for your use at a moment's demand.

Our Savings Department Is At Your Service

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St. Hilaire - - - Minnesota

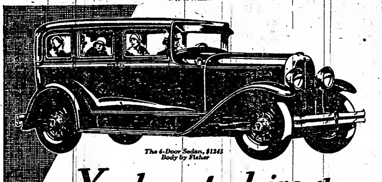
Buy A Share

Every patron of the creamery should own at least one share of its stock. This will give your a vote and a voice in its management.

Actual value of the plant is several times that of its stock, so you make a good investment by buying shares. Arrange to get your's now.

St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n

St. Hilaire, Minn.



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TAXERAAS MOTOR SALES
Thief River Falls, Minn.

A NEW ALL-AMERICAN SIX BY OAKLAND
PRODUCT OF GENERAL MOTORS

Notice To Taxpayers

Personal Property taxes for the current year must be paid before the first day of March to avoid penalty.

John Gullingsrud, Co. Treasurer

Pennington County, Minnesota

HAZEL NEWS

Mrs. M. Lokken is spending this week at the C. Alberg home.

Mrs. Sam Swanson of Mayfield visited at the O. Odegaard home.

Miss Ruth Seeland spent the week end with friends at Tbief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Widme and children visited at the Nels Nelson home on Sunday.

Miss Lilly Gunstad who teaches at Rosewood spent the week-end at her parental home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Alberg are the proud parents of a baby girl born Wednesday- Feb. 20th.

Mrs. Dagney Ergueson and daughter spent Thursday evening at the Oscar Seeland home prior to their departure for Chicago where the former will be employed.

W. Denhart and Axel Rasmusson spent Wednesday evening at the C. Prestby home.

Miss Lilly Gunstad visited at the A. Anderson bome on Saturday evening.

Mrs. John Magnusson of Plummer spent the week-end at the Adrian Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Seeland and Mr. O. Odegaard were callers at the C. Alberg bome.

Mrs. Otto Rehm of Kratka visited at the Ole Odegaard home on Thursday.

Art Wedul was a business caller in Hazel on Saturday.

Oscar Hogquist of Thief River Falls visited at the E. Knutson home on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs C. Roese and children, Carl, John, and Selma Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. A. LaCousiere and sons, visited at the Henry S and berg home on Saturday evening.

Miss Eliza Hendrickson returned to St. Hilaire on Sunday after spending the winter at the O. Odegaard home.

Mrs. G. Bruce, Mrs. O. Odegaard and Miss Elisa Henerickson visited at the Adrian Anderson home on Friday night.

Erling Anderson Rueben and Walter Odegaard visited at the Washington School on Friday when the Hazel school kept the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Thune, Mrs. O. Thune and children, and Margaret Lokken visited at the C. Alberg home on Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Dahl returned to the E. Knutson home on Thursday after spending a week at her parental home in Thief River Falls.

Mrs. G. Bruce, Mrs. O. Odegaard and Miss Elisa Hendrickson, spent Thursday afternoon at the E. Prestby home.

Alvin Gustafson came Tuesday from Superior, Wisc., to visit at the John Larson home.

Skunk Trap Catches Runaway Show Dog

Viroqoa, Wis.—A little skunk trap, in a ravine south of Viroqua, put an end to fiva mooths' freedom enjoyed hy a Great Dana dog which tired of theatrical life and "jumped" an Uncle Tom'a Cahin show here in July.

Tha dog had dodged hullets and evaded snares many weeks. Farmers wera afraid the huge animal would prey on liva stock or attack children on their way to school. These fears wera groundless, for tha dog proved to be very tractahla after his capture.

Robert Benson, a Viroqua butcher, cama upon the dog in tha backroom of his market one night last summer and locked the door. In the morning the dog was gone. Ha had gnawed and hroken a large hola in tha door. Tha ultimata capture was accidental. John Ellefsou, a farmer, set a trap for skunks near a dead horse, and got ona skunk. When be went to the trap the uext morning, there was the dog with two toes caught in the trap.

Ben Brown, Viroqua theater manager, is attempting to get in touch with tha Tom show manager.

Spanish Term

In southwestern United States the Spaoish term "hacienda" is used for a productiva estahlishment in tha country for farming or stock raising. It is a landed estate, one especially on which the owner resides.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditinns of that certain mortgage dated April 24th, 1924, executed hy Carria Brekke, a widow, as mortgagor, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in tha office nf the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 29th, 1924, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 221 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $51.99, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $109.38, due on April 24th, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $109.38 each, due on October 24th, 1927, April 24th, 1928, and October 24th, 1928, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises for the years 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928; and to pay the premium on insurance policy covering the huildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due nn said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $3,324.85, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from October 24th, 1928, at the rate of five andone-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $380.13, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $51.99 thereof since November 16th, 1927, on $109.38 thereof since October 24, 1927, on $109.38 thereof since April 24th, 1928, and on $109.38 thereof since October 24th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $313.10 for taxes including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at seven per cent. per annum since January 25th, 1929, and the sum of $18.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since August 3rd, 1928, in all the sum of $4,109.30, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates, as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgaga, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

Tha Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Thirteen (13), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold hy the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 22nd day of March, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at puhlic vendue to the highest hidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and dishursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided hy law.

Dated February 6th, 1929.

State of Minnesota, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.

Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)

G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (F7-M14.)

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F14M7pd.

Snlled Plann Kays

If it is ooly auperficial dirt oa piano keys, a damp cloth will remove the suhstance, or a cloth dipped in milk. Do not have the cloth so wet that any liqold runs hetween the keys. After cleoosing, allow the plaoo to remain opeo so that the aunlight may keep the keys white. Dnst regularly.

Tnday's Duty First

Be oot anxious abont tomorrow. Do today's duty, fight today's temptations, and do oot weaken nor diatract yourself hy looking forward to things which ynn cannot see, and cnuld not understaod if you saw them.—Charles Kingsley.

Early Move for Freedom

The first popolar written constitution was framed at Hartford, Conn., on January 14, 1639. Tha towns represeoted were Hartford, Wethersfield ond Windsor. The document provided for equal representation from all tha towns.

SENATE VOTES GREATER PENALTY

Dry Law Would Fix Penalty 5 Years In Prison, Fine of $10,000.

Washington—First offendsrs, along with hardened violstors of tha prohibition law, would he liable to a maximum penalty of a fioa of $10,000, or five years in prison or hoth under a bill passed hy tha seoate and sent to the honse.

By a vota of 65 to 18 the senate approved the measure introduced hy Senator Jones, Republican, Washington, after several days of dehate marked hy a clash of views hetween Borah and Raad on the dry question.

The proposal to increase the maximum penalty in such a way as to make them applicahle to first offeoders was attacked hy many senators as too drastic hut the majority of the senate decided such a step necessary to help enforca the prohihtion laws more effectively

In raising the penalty so as to include first offenders, the senate softsned the hlow by approving o provision lo the hill which declares it to he the senss of the senate that judges, when imposing sentences "should discriminate between casual or slight violations and hahitual sales of intoxicating liquor or attempts to commercializs violations of the prohihition law."

Before the hill passed Senator Blugham, Republican, Connecticut, proposed to exempt first offenders from the imposition of the maximum penalties, hut tha senata votcd him dowo, 51 to 31.

John D., Jr., Losing Votes.

Chicago—Thousands of proxies given John D. Rockefeller, Jr., in his fight to oust Colonel Rohert W. Stewart as chairman of the hoard of directors of the Stondard Oil Co. of Indiana, have heen revoked, the stockholders protective committoa announced. The committes wos formed to aid Colonel Stawart who refused to comply with Mr. Rockefeller's request to resign.

Fifty Injured in Fire in Hudson Car.

New York—Fifty persoas were injured, four men and two women seriously, and 200 possengers were affected hy smoke and fumes when fire hroka out in tha first car of a New Jersey hound seven-car Hudson tubs train, 1,000 feet west of the Christopher street station in Manhattaa.

Costes Plans Dives into French Forest.

Paris—Shortly after taking off on a flight to Haooi, French Indo-China, Diaudonne Costes, famous Freach flier, crashed lo Body forest, a few miles ontside of Paris. His plaoe was destroyed, hut he and his crew were little hurt.

"Gift Judge" Faces Impeachment.

Sacramento — The committee appointed hy the stote legislatura to investigate the acceptance by Judgs Carlos S. Hardy of Los Angeles of a check for $2,500 from Aimes Sempls McPherson, evangelist, decided to report lo favor of his impeachment.

Slayers Who Fled Ohio Prison Seized.

Columhus, Ohio—Pat McDermott and Mike Jacko, lifs time slayers who escaped from the Ohio penitentisry here with three other convicts, were captured by suburhan police in a stona quarry near Arlington, Columhus suburh.

Twenty "Rebels" to Attend Inaugural.

Beauvoir, Miss.—Twenty veterans of the war hetween the states will attend tha inauguration of President-elect Hoover from the Jefferson Davis Confederata Soldiers' Home here. They will he escorted to Woshington hy Eloathan Tartt.

Trolley Car Passengers Kidnaped.

Mexico City—El Universal Grafico in a special dispatch from La Barca in the stata of Jalisco says that insurgents kidnaped all passengers on a street car in the suburhs of that town. The hody of one of them was found later hy troops.

Alma Rubens Seriously Ill.

Los Angeles—Alma Ruhens, film actress is in the Hollywood hospital lo a precarious condition from a surgical operation while federal aod stata ageats were completing their investigation of a narcotic case in which shs is the central figure.

Northwestern "U" Willed 8 Millions.

Chicago—An $8,000,000 endowmeut fund for Northwestern university is estahlished hy the will of the late Milton H. Wilson of Evanstoo, clothing manufacturer, who died February 10 at Pasadena, Calif.

Two Ynuths Die in Illinois Chair.

Chicago — Anthony Grecco and Charles Walz, youths in their teens, were executed in the county jail hers for the murder of a policeman. Theirs were the first lives exacted by the electric chair lo Cook county.

Bandits Get $5,000 in Raid.

Atlanta—Threa masked men, armed with a machine gun, held up a hranch of tha Citizens and Southern National hank, escaping with $5,000 after forcing employes tn lie face down on the floor.

Drop Food nn Ice Bound Ship.

Warsaw—Airplanes hava dropped food sopplies to the crew of ths Polish freighter, Iczew, which has heen imprisoned hy ice in Kiel hay for the past waek. Icehreakers have tried to reach the vessel, but without success.

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Rule For Bus Drivers Good Rule For Others

If the private auomobile driver would adopt the requirements of a bus driver, accidents on the highways would be cut more than 75 percent. What are the requirements of a bus driver? He must be experienced in handling cars; he is forbidden to converse with other passengers; he is not allowed to smoke while driving, and must stop before crossing railroad tracks. The private auto diver is lost in conversation with his passengers more than 50 per cent of the time. At times he even takes both hands from the wheel to light a cigarette, pipe or cigar. And how many private auto drivers stop, or even slow down, when they come to a railroad track? No wonder accidents on highways are ever on the increase. The innocent must suffer for the absent minded incompetent, don't-give-a-whoop driver at the wheel.—Albert Lea Tribune.

The following epitaph on the tomstone of a strongheaded auto driver, contains some food for thought:

"Here lies the body of Amos Ray,
He died maintaing his right of way.
He was dead right, but right or wrong,
He is just as dead as tho he were wrong.

Tbe warning issued to school children about using the highway in going to and from school, seems to have gone unheeded. There is more danger in this practice than most people seem to realize. With roads in the icy condition they are now, it is impossible to gauge exactly what a car will do when the brakes are suddenly applied to avoid hitting a pedestrian. There is danger of the car "sideswiping" and getting out of control thru no fault of the driver. Those who persist in using the road should at least use the edges of the grade where danger is less.

Wills Kept nn Recnrd

Lawyers aad seorchers lo titles frequently apply for permission to acrutinize old wills in the records of the New York Surrogates' court, in some coses where the influeaca of the dead bond is still felt. Often they play a port in resolving title to a piece of property that moy have beeo origioally secured from the first Indian resideot of Maohattan or granted later by the Dutch or by King Charles or King James.

Italian Singers

Itoly hos produced much mora than her proportion of aingers of world reoown. Some hove attributed this to the climate, aome to the diet, soma to the open-oir life. These may have helped, hut others insist that the most importont element in tha sncccss of the Itolion-horn ainger is the Italiao loogunge itself. In Itnly the child is taught to love heooty in nature and art.

Tha Present Cnnnts

Most of us hove qoit asking tha cost of things. All we want to know is the amount of the down payment.—Arkansas Gazette.

Camel Accepts Fate

The momeot a camel loses its footing lo a stream it turns on its sida and exerts oo effort to save itself from drowning.

Nn Longer Has a Pnint

An old aaying that has about gona out of use: "You can't do that any more than you can fly."

Supplement to
ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR

Delinquent Tax List

FOR

Pennington County Minnesota

SHOWING DELINQUENT REAL ESTATE TAXES ON THE FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY 1929

State of Minnesota,
County of Pennington—ss.

District Court,
Fourteenth Judicial District.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA, to all persons, Companies or Corporations, who have or claim any estate, right, title or interest in, claim, to, or lien upon, any of the several parcels of land described in the list hereto attached:

The list of taxes and penalties on real property for the County of Pennington remaining delinquent on the first Monday in January, 1929, has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of said county, of which that hereto attached is a copy.

THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby required to file in the office of said Clerk, on or before the twentieth day after the publication of this notice and list, your answer in writing, setting forth any objection or defense you may have to the taxes, or any part thereof, upon any parcel of land described in said list, in, to, or on which you have or claim any estate, right, title, interest, claim or lien, and in default thereof judgment will be entered against such parcel of land for the taxes on said list appearing against it, and for all penalties, interest and cost. You are further notified that at the expiration of five years from the date of the tax judgment sale pursuant to such judgment, each parcel of land sold at such sale, and not redeemed, will become and be the absolute property of the purchaser or of the state, or of his or its assigns, without further right of redemption, and without any notice of expiration of the time to redeem the same.

ADOLF EKLUND,
Clerk of the District Court,
of the County of Pennington, Minnesota.
(District Court Seal)

A List of Real Property, for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on which Taxes remained delinquent on the first Monday in January, A. D. 1929.

TOWN OF BRAY

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Fifty-five (45)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
D. D. McCall, SW¼ SE¼	1	11.21
A. M. & Bess McCall, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	1	44.30
A. M. & Bess McCall, N½ SE¼ & SE¼ SE¼	1	57.88
A. M. & Bess McCall, SW¼	1	75.47
E. C. Babcock, NE¼	3	72.30
J. H. McKay, SE¼	3	70.59
A. D. Langlett et, al, NE¼	4	43.50
Margaret Gergen, NW¼	4	61.37
D. S. B. Johnson Land Co., Lots 1 & 2	5	32.08
B. W. Davis, S½ NE¼	5	25.98
Theo. LaBesslonier, SE¼	5	47.90
Everett L. Callanan, SW¼	5	60.66
Apolonia Geargen, SW¼	8	40.84
Mike Ault, W½ NE¼	8	20.42
John Benson, E½ NE¼	8	20.42
Wm. Catler, NE¼	0	81.91
Wm. Catler, NW¼	0	45.36
David W. Garrer, SE¼	9	43.68
Herbert Selms, NW¼	10	95.53
Ira Radamar, S½	12	138.09
Susan A. Suttie, NE¼	13	52.04
M. H. Tonneson, SE¼	10	47.84
M. H. Tonneson, NE¼	16	65.00
G. A. Foote, NW¼	16	44.24
Evelyn E. Lyman, NW¼	17	41.36
Evelyn E. Lyman, W½ SW¼	17	20.88
W. E. Dutton, SE¼	18	46.90
S. M. Sirkland, NE¼	19	41.36
D. S. B. Johnson Land Co., NE¼	21	51.50
E. F. O'Foote, NW¼	21	44.20
D. S. B. Johnson Land Co., SE¼	21	52.84
E. F. O'Foote, SW¼	21	44.20
Henry Lindhlom, SE¼	22	90.94
V. C. Noper, SE¼	26	54.66
V. C. Noper, SW¼	26	66.68
Henry Luttman, NE¼	28	38.84
Carl E. Crown, SW¼	28	50.21
Marion H. P. McFadin, E½ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	30	43.44
Thos H. Hooper, SE¼	30	41.35
W. L. Tenk, NE¼	30	41.35
Iver Wickum, W½ SW¼ & W½ NW¼	32	38.84
Carl A. Anderson, S½ SE¼	34	31.32

TOWN OF BLACK RIVER

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Forty-four (44)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Mary E. Wallen, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	2	188.14
M. W. Brink, SE¼ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	2	142.98
Alfred Nelson, N½ SE¼	2	89.51
Julius Kunz, S½ SE¼ & SE¼ SW¼	2	127.79
Victor J. Brink, S½ NE¼	8	85.28
Farmers State Bank, Lots 1 & 2	3	83.42
Farmers St. Bank, St. Hilaire, SW¼	8	236.10
Farmers St. Bank, St. Hilaire, SE¼	3	179.88
Fred D. Hodgson, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	6	81.96
Fred D. Hodgson, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	6	69.67
Esther Anderson, NE¼	7	63.33
Minneapolis Trust Co., NE¼	9	202.56
A. M. Scroggen, et al, SW¼	9	151.70
Margaretta Warner, et al, NE¼	10	272.38
Gus H. Wilke, SW¼	10	223.26
Edw. Foster, SE¼	10	282.03
L. S. Wilson, E½ NW¼ & SW¼ NW¼	11	208.04
Isaac Newberg, SW¼	11	301.48
D. S. B. Johnson Land Co., SE¼	11	290.52
Henry Jacobson, E½ NW¼ & E½ SW¼	13	224.26
Angelina Haupert, SE¼ Exc. Railway	13	200.16
Wm. Morgan, NE¼ Exc. Railway	14	237.52
G. B. Koerner, NW¼ Exc. Railway	14	256.84
R. J. McKercher, SW¼	14	191.48
R. J. McKercher, SE¼	14	226.72
Ole Wiggen, NE¼ Exc. Railway	15	227.52
State of Minnesota, NW¼	15	214.46
N. E. Gaass, SE¼ SW¼ & N½ SW¼	16	47.39
Red Lake Co. Inv. Co., SW¼ SW¼	16	16.72
State of Minnesota, SW¼	17	64.72
And Dragland, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	19	102.32
Red Lake Co. Inv. Co., NW¼	21	73.26
Robert Ford, NW¼	23	72.28
L. A. Wellman, SW¼	23	69.29

TOWN OF CLOVER LEAF

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty-one (41)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Julia M. Ferve et al, SE¼	8	122.15
Peoples State Bank, SE¼	11	170.48
Barley Webber, SW¼	12	170.48
Elmer L. Peterson, SE¼	12	186.56
Jacob Vad, NE¼	13	190.42
Hoag Security Co., NW¼	13	181.50
C. T. Thompson, NW¼	14	186.00
E. F. Dolan, SE¼	14	161.54
Helen W. Jones, NE¼	15	189.73
Martha M. Sands, SE¼	15	161.34
Erick Anderson, SW¼	16	117.50
State of Minnesota, SE¼	16	118.78
James S. Stene, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4 Exc. Railway	19	64.58
Daniel Shaw, Part of SW¼ NW¼	21	5.92
John Bratrud, NW¼ Exc. Railway	23	153.32
Gust M. Maham, NE¼ Exc. Railway	24	157.61
H. G. Borgen, SE¼ Exc. Railway	24	153.78
Thorpe Bros., SW¼ Exc. Railway	24	86.68
The Liberty State Bank, SE¼	25	83.14
Peter Sabo, NW¼	26	82.14
Martha Wayshek, NW¼	27	53.22
Gustav Grodelt, SW¼	27	68.88
H. S. Dahlen, SE¼	28	90.96
Ole Holmen, NE¼	29	92.39
Ole Holmen, NE¼	30	77.16
G. V. Crownswall, NE¼	31	101.22
John S. Gustafson, NE¼	33	95.60
Alma K. Sandum, SE¼	33	100.46
State of Minnesota, SE¼	34	54.59
Petra Borgen, et al, NW¼	35	69.12
Henry Thoreson, SE¼	35	[illegible].38
State of Minnesota, SW¼	36	51.54
State of Minnesota, NE¼	36	72.20

Townsite of Mavie

	Lot	Blk.	
N. W. Townsite Co., Lot	4	1	.74
N. W. Townsite Co., Lot	6	1	.74
N. W. Townsite Co., Lot	6	1	.74
N. W. Townsite Co., Lot	7	1	.76
N. W. Townsite Co., Lot	8	1	.76
N. W. Townsite Co., Lot	9	1	.76
N. W. Townsite Co., Lot	10	1	.76
N. W. Townsite Co., Lot	11	1	.76
N. W. Townsite Co., Lot	12	1	.76
N. W. Townsite Co., Lot	13	1	.76
N. W. Townsite Co., Lot	14	1	.74
N. W. Townsite Co., Lot	15	1	.74
N. W. Electric Ry. Co., Lot	16	1	.74
N. W. Electric Ry. Co., Lot	17	1	.74
N. W. Electric Ry. Co., Lot	18	1	.74
N. W. Electric Ry. Co., Lot	19	1	.74
N. W. Electric Ry. Co., Lot	20	1	.74
N. W. Electric Ry. Co., Lot	21	1	.76
N. W. Electric Ry. Co., Lot	22	1	.76
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 1 &	2	2	1.50
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 8 &	4	2	1.50
John D. Height, Lot	5	2	.74
J. J. Speeler, Lots 6 &	7	2	8.42
J. J. Speeler, Lot	8	2	1.20
J. J. Speeler, Lot	9	2	7.22
J. J. Speeler, Lot	10	2	2.70
Gus Anderson, Lots 11 &	12	2	[illegible].37
Gus Anderson, Lot	13	2	.76
N. W. Townsite Co., Lot	14	2	.76
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 15 &	16	2	1.50
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 17 &	18	2	1.50
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 19 &	20	2	1.62
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 21 &	22	2	1.52

Du Champs Addition to Mavie

	Lot	Blk.	
Leonora Lonson, Lot	6	2	10.22

TOWN OF DEER PARK

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Forty (40)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
B. H. Castello, SW¼ SE¼, SE¼ NW¼ Lots 6, 7 & 10	1	87.86
A. S. Langher, S½ NW¼, NW¼ SW¼ Lots 3, 4 & 8	2	28.34
Tohias Olson, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	4	76.82
S. L. Holm, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	5	47.28
Helen S. Winton, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	5	72.40
Thos. J. Rome, SE¼ SW¼ & NE¼ SW¼	6	45.92
Thos. J. Rome, Lots 5 & 6	6	34.71
Hoag Security Co., S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	6	83.99
Merchants State Bank, SE¼	7	88.86
P. W. Mabey, NE¼	7	90.16
Lenora Lonson, Lot 1	7	16.16
State of Minnesota, Lot 4 Sec 7, SE¼ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	18	78.80
Aug. Kitzer, SE¼ Exc. 2 acres	8	139.02
Ole Skreland, NW¼	6	117.28
Victor Singer, NE¼	8	134.04
Ewert Rewerts, SE¼	9	137.84
Hattie Stucy, N½ NE¼	12	44.36
Fred Stucy, S½ NE¼	12	44.89
N. W. Trust Co. (Guardian), NW¼	12	91.40
Tom T. Olson, NW¼ SW¼	12	23.32
Ellsworth & Jones, S½ SE¼ Sec. 12 N½ NE¼ Sec.	13	95.48
State of Minnesota, SW¼ NE¼ & NW¼ SE¼	13	52.88
State of Minnesota, SW¼ SE¼	13	16.28
P. L. Wojnorowski, SW¼	15	94.38
K. E. Syversrud, NW¼	16	115.20
John Palbrook, SW¼	17	104.50
E. A. Torgerson, S½ SE¼	16	47.10
Fred Stucy, N½ SE¼	18	47.10
E. A. Torgerson, NE¼	19	110.56
Levett & Johnson Trust Co., E½ NW¼	20	43.60
Halvor Hoberg, W½ NW¼	20	43.80
F. & M. St. Bank, Oklee, W½ SE¼ & SE¼ SE¼	21	48.28
Madge Fessler, NE¼ NE¼	24	10.32
Cap. Trust & Savings Bank, SE¼	24	88.72
Cap. Trust & Savings Bank, NW¼	24	77.28
E. R. Allen, NW¼ NE¼	24	9.20
Theo. LaBissonlere, S½ NE¼	24	38.64

TOWN OF GOODRIDGE

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty (40)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Anna Barzen, SE¼	8	164.34
John Bratrud, SW¼	10	142.06
John Bratrud, SE¼	10	142.06
Elizabeth L. Jackson, SW¼	11	186.54
Iver M. Vesthy, SE¼	13	129.10
Wm. Richards, NW¼	13	138.60
Hoag Security Co., SW¼	13	138.66
John M. Stephenson, SE¼	14	139.89
Lucelle Johnson, NE¼	14	119.73
Hellick Motor Sales Co., NW¼	14	120.11
Lester E. Gessell, NE¼ SE¼	15	34.45
Geo. Rockelwold, NE¼	15	125.56
Esther Myriand, NW¼	15	124.50
J. H. Shreve, W½ SW¼ Sec. 15 E½ SE¼	16	180.94
Ida F. Whetten, NE¼ SW¼ Sec. 15, & SE¼ NE¼	16	80.68
K. N. Knutson, NW¼	16	164.74
Ole A. San, W½ SE¼	16	80.28
Bessie J. Axelrod, W½ NE¼ & NE¼ NE¼	16	113.04
C. L. Hackworth, NE¼	17	167.12
Hoag Security Co., NW¼	17	166.10
Oscar Thompson, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	18	160.62
Ole H. Grover, SE¼	18	85.10
Laura E. Naplin, E½ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	18	188.78
W. J. Bartz, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	19	159.06
Carl Lindstrom, W½ NW¼	21	105.18
John Guinan, SW¼ Exc. Plated portion	21	146.97
I. K. Turner, NE¼	21	164.96
Casper Iverson, N½ NE¼	22	45.53
J. B. Howe, S½ NE¼	22	78.98
Grace L. Long, N½ SE¼ & N½ SW¼	23	121.58
Hoag Security Co., NW¼	23	121.43
Michael Kassa, NW¼ NW¼	24	42.02
Blanche B. Graham, SW¼ NW¼	24	42.02
State of Minnesota, SE¼	24	190.03
Mathew A. Mutninsky, NE¼	24	182.13
Elizabeth Perry, SW¼	24	157.02
Michael Kassa, E½ NW¼	24	78.99
John L. Banford, SW¼	25	155.93
C. V. & W. H. Ewing, NW¼	25	155.60
State of Minnesota, SE¼	25	188.72
Frances Hoch et al, NW¼	27	160.20
Wm. A. Long, SW¼	28	172.11
Wm. A. Peters, SW¼	29	155.42
Citizens State Bank, SE¼	30	162.08
J. E. Elliott et, al, NE¼	30	157.52
T. F. Vessey, E½ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	31	61.14
F. Weirts, W½ NE¼	31	38.74
A. Froehlks, E½ NE¼	31	36.07
Sarah E. Vaughan, NE¼	32	164.12
Clara Vaughan, SE¼	62	158.67
Morgan Vaughan, NW¼	33	244.03
Albert A. Lande SE¼	34	83.10
Georgie A. Cooper, NE¼ Exc. 4.06 acres	34	144.35
Bertha D. Perrin, SW¼	35	165.72
Georgia H. Cooper, NW¼	35	147.30
Herman Swenke, SE¼ SE¼	35	22.40
Savings Loan and Trust Co., SW¼	36	158.07
Peter Lovely, NE¼	36	164.14
Edward Hanson, SE¼	36	202.56

TOWN OF HIGHLANDING

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty (40)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Ole P. Bratland, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	1	98.58
F. M. Sponheim, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	3	91.53
Julia Gunderson, W½ SW¼	5	35.37
Oscar Tharaldson, E½ SW¼	5	40.52
Ole Nelson, SE¼	7	72.67
Annie McBain, SE¼	8	84.60
A. C. Schultz, NE¼	9	84.00
A. C. Schultz, SE¼	9	73.50
John Forseth, NE¼	13	98.49
Ole O. Sunsdahl, SE¼ Exc. 2 acres	13	88.12
Ole N. Olson, SW¼	13	85.71
George Baird, SE¼	14	109.52
George Baird, NE¼	14	88.37
Farmers State Bank, Mavie NE¼	10	73.98
Math. Erickson, SW¼	16	45.72
Elo Sanders, NW¼	16	50.10
Farmers State Bank, W½ NW¼	17	38.20
T. M. Thoreson, SE¼ & E½ NW¼ Exc. 1 acre	17	61.67
H. A. Dahl, SW¼	17	84.03
Harry Goodner, SE¼	18	80.18
John Quirk, Lots 3, 4, 6 & 7	19	46.98
Idon Davis, SE¼	21	88.46
Ole Prestehak, NW¼	21	40.40
Christ Vad, NW¼	23	64.11
T. Skatberg, W½ SE¼	23	31.47
T. Skatberg, SW¼	23	71.59
Christoffer Vad, S½ NE¼	23	32.62
Effie Tauner, NW¼	24	71.59
State of Minnesota, NW¼	25	72.26
State of Minnesota, SW¼	25	65.39
State of Minnesota, NW¼ SE¼	25	16.80
State of Minnesota, SW¼ SE¼ Sec. 25, & W½ NE¼	36	64.36
O. J. Birkley, W½ SE¼, SE¼ SE¼ & Lots 9 & 10	30	83.84
John Quirk, SE¼ NW¼, Lots 1, 2 5 & 6	30	67.26
A. L. Mostue, SW¼ SE¼	31	20.64
Ellsworth & Jones, SE¼	32	102.32
Cit. State Bank, McIntosh, NE¼	32	104.76
Evend Sund, SW¼	32	48.62
Hallam Company, NE¼	33	102.92
Thalma O. Dahle, Lot 4 North Pt. Lot 5 & NW¼ SW¼	34	35.57
Otto R. Stucy, SE¼	35	31.59
State of Minnesota, N½ NW¼	36	31.66

TOWN OF HICKORY

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Thirty-Nine (39)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Ellsworth & Jones, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	1	106.65
Jacob Poppe, Lots 1 & 2	1	29.61
Ellsworth & Jones, E½ SE¼ & S½ NE¼	1	65.38
M. Rindal, Part of SE¼ SW¼	2	6.82
C. Christianson, SE¼	2	94.76
Louis Nitzschek, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	2	73.30
John T. Coan, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	3	100.56
Christ Hoverstad, NW¼ SW¼	3	20.38
T. P. Martinson, S½ SW¼	3	37.12
Eddie Arveson, Lots 1 & 2	3	34.92
Ellsworth & Jones, SE¼ NE¼, NE¼ SE¼ Lots 5 & 6	3	67.75
E. H. Crapser et al, N½ SW¼ SE¼ SW¼ & Lot 5	4	91.16
Hoag Security Co., S½ NE¼	4	41.62
Minneapolis Trust Co., Lot 1	6	12.47
C. L. Stucy, SE¼ NW¼, SW¼ NE¼	5	42.36
Fred Stucy, NW¼ SE¼ & Lot 6	6	40.22
Carl Teigen, NE¼ SE¼, Lot 10, SW¼ SE¼ & Lot 7	6	65.77
First Nat. Bk., Waseka, Lots 6, 8 & 9 Sec. 5, Lots 10, 11, 12 & 13	6	43.17
First State Bk., Oklee, Lot 11 Sec. 5, S½ NE¼ NE¼ SE¼ Lots 6 & 6	8	97.97
L. W. Bullington, SW¼	8	101.49
Carl Teigen, Lot 1	8	4.68
Ellsworth & Jones, W½ SE¼	9	51.82
Cicilia Lepkowski, E½ SE¼ Sec. 8, SW¼ NW¼, NW¼ SW¼	9	97.96
T. R. Martinson, Lots 4, 5 & 6	10	26.61
Ellsworth & Jones, Lot 1	10	15.64
First Nat. Bk., T. R. Falls, Lots 8, 9 & 10	10	41.82
Martin Christianson, N½ NE¼, SE¼ NE¼ & Lot 6	11	75.33
A. D. Brown, Part of Lot 2	11	5.11
John Mostrom, Lots 8 & 11 Sec. 11, Lots 3, 6, 7 & 9 Sec. 12, NW¼ NE¼	13	141.48
Martin Fore, SW¼ SE¼ Sec. 11, NW¼ NW¼ Sec. 12, N½ NE¼	14	137.85
And. Arvidson, NW¼	12	73.92
W. G. Knowles et al, NE¼ SE¼, SE¼ NE¼ Lots 0 & 8	12	40.23
Adolph A. Dahl, W½ SE¼ Sec 1, N½ NE¼ Sec. 12 1 &	12	65.65
Joseph A. Dahl, SE¼ NE¼ & Lots 1	13	45.55
State of Minnesota, S½ NW¼ & N½ SW¼	13	142.39
State of Minnesota, SW¼ SW¼	13	31.99
State of Minnesota, SW¼ NE¼	13	25.54
Arthur Arvidson, NE¼ NW¼	13	27.87
Trail State Bank, SE¼ SW¼ Sec. 13, E½ NW¼ & SW¼ NW¼	24	127.38
Nels Fora, N½ NW¼ & SE¼ NW¼	14	99.89
Minneapolis Trust Co., SW¼	14	109.87
Minneapolis Trust Co., SW¼ SE¼ Sec. 14, S½ NE¼ & NW¼ NE¼	23	122.38
H. R. Berg, NE¼	15	133.74
State of Minnesota, SW¼	15	68.34
W. B. Torgerson, SE¼	15	141.80
Adolf A. Dahl, NW¼	15	129.16
Deposit Bank of Winona, W½ NW¼	16	53.24
F. & M. State Bank, Oklee, S½ NE¼ & NE¼ NE¼	16	79.24
Melvin K. Tuff, S½ SW¼	16	46.76
R. W. Serkland, SE¼	16	88.11
Ellsworth & Jones, E½ NW¼ & N½ SW¼	16	103.52
G. H. Kolshus, S½ SW¼	17	45.88
Deposit Bank of Winona, E½ NE¼	17	54.32
F. & M. State Bank, Oklee, NW¼	17	116.53
G. Landmark, W½ NE¼	17	61.90
M. J. Linden, NE¼	18	88.76
Joseph A. Dahl, S½ SE¼	18	42.44
Trail State Bank, NE¼	19	73.80
Clara Tuff, NE¼	20	71.43
E. J. Toupin et al, SW¼	20	78.04
Seaver Seaverson, SE¼	20	78.04
Eastern Investment Co., S½ NW¼	20	36.30
Jane R. Tuff, SW¼	21	77.74
Ole O. Tuff, NW¼	21	83.13
Theo. T. Skomedal, NE¼	22	120.43
State of Minnesota, SE¼	22	65.70
Nels E. Rullen, N½ SE¼, N½ SW¼	23	92.54
Joseph A. Dahl, NW¼	23	105.23
Nels E. Rullen, S½ SE¼ & S½ SW¼	23	112.18
First State Bank, Gully, N½ NE¼, SW¼ NE¼ & NW¼ SE¼	24	130.98
Walter C. Dahl, SW¼ SE¼	24	23.54
Ellsworth & Jones, SE¼ NE¼, E½ SE¼ Sec. 24, & NE¼ NE¼	25	124.80
Clara E. Norman, SE¼ NE¼ & NE¼ SE¼	25	41.02
Helga S. Dahl, SW¼	24	114.65
Ingeborg Dahl, W½ NW¼ Sec. 25, & N½ NE¼	26	114.37
Clara E. Dahl, SW¼	25	102.99
Gunder Hogtvedt, NW¼	26	98.59
Trail State Bank, S½ NE¼	26	45.44
Selmer Ashjornson, SW¼	27	104.52
Nels O. Resan, NE¼	28	100.38
Minneapolis Trust Co., SE¼	28	96.08
Thomas T. Tasa, SW¼	29	114.34
O. L. Dahl, NW¼	29	86.91
Marie Johnson, NE¼	29	120.12
Ivar A. Tasa, NE¼	30	93.58
A. J. Ausgaard, SE¼	30	76.17
N. W. Trust Co., E½ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	30	82.00
Anna Mellhouse, SE¼ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4 Sec. 30, Lots 1 & 6	31	80.82
B. E. Bjerkley, E½ SW¼, SW¼ SE¼ & Lot 8	31	97.70
Oscar Svein, NE¼ SE¼	30	20.94
Melvin R. Gorden, E½ NE¼, NW¼ NE¼ & Lot 7	31	94.21
I. A. Clementson, Lot 9 Sec. 31, SW¼ NW¼ & Lot 3	32	69.95
Geo. A. Belto, Lot 5	32	4.44
L. H. Jones, E½ NW¼, NE¼ SW¼ & Lot 6	32	75.90
Thomle Larson, NW¼ NW¼	32	26.12
James Peacock, Lot 1	33	1.44
Maria Halvorson, NE¼	43	104.68
James A. O'Niell, SW¼	33	86.18
Harshall Lehtinski, NW¼	33	55.8[illegible]
State of Minnesota, SW¼ SE¼	34	16.64
Maria Halvorson, N½ SW¼, SE¼ SW¼ Lot 1	34	77.48
Bj. Bjornaraa, NE¼	34	118.48
Wm. H. Rowe, NW¼ SE¼, E½ SE¼ Sec. 34, NW¼ SW¼	35	79.08
I. A. Clemenson, W½ SE¼	35	39.44
F. & M. State Bank, Oklee, E½ SE¼ Sec. 35, N½ NW¼	36	79.02
George D. Legnam, S½ SW¼	36	38.20

TOWN OF KRATKA

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-one (41)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
T. Hemmestvedt, Sr., E½ SE¼	1	34.88
Ivor O. Solheim, SE¼	3	41.65
Hanson & Barzen, SE¼	4	91.90
Priscella R. Biedermann, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	5	81.77
Mary S. Cargill, SE¼ NW¼ Lots 3 & 5	6	77.70
Theo. L. Olson, E½ SW¼ Lots 6 & 7	6	72.32
Theo. L. Olson, E½ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	7	61.16
Swedish Luth. Board Educ., NE¼	9	86.12
Ole Tweden, NW¼	9	102.20
Sarah Knutson et al, NW¼	11	70.44
Torjus Hemmestvedt, SE¼ Exc. 2 acres	11	73.12
State of Minnesota, SE¼	14	47.48
Mary S. Cargill, SE¼	15	55.16
State of Minnesota, NW¼	16	61.02
First National Bank, SE¼	19	39.38
State of Minnesota, S½ NE¼ Lots 2 & 3 Sec. 20, Lot 11	21	79.66
State of Minnesota, Lots 4 & 6	21	40.66
Merchants St. Bank, St. Hilaire, E½ NW¼ Lots 10 & 12	21	64.82
S. K. Vinlos, Lots 3, 6 & 7 Sec. 21, Lot 13	22	19.92
Elling Klementson, SE¼	25	98.32
Kittel Brekke, SW¼	27	91.26
C. M. & Bertha Balver, NW¼ Exc. 8.15 acres	28	47.28
State of Minnesota, NW¼ SW¼ E½ SW¼ Sec. 28, & NE¼ SE¼	29	60.28
O. O. Hofdahl, SW¼ SW¼ Sec. 28, S½ SE¼ & NW¼ SE¼	29	49.84
John G. Hesby, NE¼ Sec. 29, Part of SW¼ SW¼	28	88.80
Otto Rehm, W½ NE¼	30	24.91
First Nat. Bank, T. R. F., E½ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	80	71.22
Chas. A. Jones, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	31	82.20
R. N. Cowen, NW¼	32	88.16
August Thell, SW¼	33	71.02
Jonas Bakke, E½ NW¼	33	32.94
Louis Kongolf, NE¼	34	94.56
H. O. Himdahl, SW¼	35	85.30
Elling Klemenson, NW¼	66	120.42

Kratka's Sub-division

	Lot	Blk.	
Alexander Jenson, Lots 1 &	2		7.24
Sophia Kratka, Lots 3 &	4		7.24

Tessum's Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Oluf Tessum, Lots 1 &	2	1	1.44
Oluf Tessum, Lot	3	1	.72
Alfred Flattum, Lots 6 &	7	1	1.44
Oluf Tessum, Lots 9 &	10	2	1.80
Oluf Tessum, Lots 15 &	16	2	1.60
Oluf Tessum, Lots 19 &	20	2	1.80
Oluf Tessum, Lots 27 &	28	2	1.80
Oluf Tessum, Lots 31 &	32	2	1.80
James Mulhall, Lots 3, 4 &	5	3	2.70
Oluf Tessum, Lots 14 &	15	3	2.90
Oluf Tessum, Lots 16 &	17	3	2.90
Oluf Tessum, Lots 1 &	2	4	1.82
Oluf Tessum, Lots 3 &	4	4	1.82
Oluf Tessum, Lots 6 &	6	4	1.62
Oluf Tessum, Lots 7 &	6	4	1.80
Oluf Tessum, Lots 9 &	10	4	1.62
Oluf Tessum, Lots 11 &	12	4	1.82
Oluf Tessum, Lot	13	4	.91
J. J. Weeks, Lots 14 to 16 inclusive	14	4	3.80
Oluf Tessum, Lots 7 &	8	6	1.79
A. W. Crown, Lots 9 &	10	5	1.79
Oluf Tessum, Lots 24 &	25	6	1.70
A. W. Crown, Lots 25 &	26	6	1.79
Steiner Btinsman, Lots 3, 4, 6 &	6	8	3.61
O. W. Carlson, Lots 13 to 16 inclusive		8	1.79
Oluf Tessuf, Lots 17, 18 &	19	6	2.72
Steiner Blinsman, Lots 20, 21, 22 &	23	6	1.79
O. W. Carlson, Lots 30 to 34 inclusive		6	3.61
Ole Flattum et al, Lots 14, 15, 16 &	17	9	3.61
Rose O. Weeks, Lots 1, 6, 2 &	3	12	2.72

Tessum Addition, Old Plot.

	Lot	Blk.	
Oluf Tessum, Lots 1 to 4 & Lot	10		65.17

TOWN OF MAYFIELD

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Forty-one (41)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Gust B. Tvelt, Lot 4 Sec. 1, Lots 1 & 2	2	78.34
Morris Olson, SW¼	3	62.46
C. M. Peterson, SW¼	6	61.83
John Carlson, Lot 2	6	30.92
John Carlson, SE¼	6	68.48
H. C. Jasperson, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	7	71.46
Harm Krupper, SE¼	8	47.19
The Hallam Co., SE¼	9	47.80
L. H. Nelson et al, NW¼	9	47.80
H. Kneher, W½ SW¼	9	16.72
Sam Muhron, SW¼	12	95.45
Ellsworth & Jones, S½ SE¼	12	46.06
Ellsworth & Jones, N½ SE¼	12	46.72
H. N. Peterson, E½ SE¼	13	38.80
Minneapolis Trust Co., W½ SE¼	13	38.37
Julia M. Garvey, NW¼	14	51.09
Carl Winge, NW¼	15	47.78
Orhin J. Hamry, W½ NW¼	16	25.10
Michael O'Leary, SE¼	17	44.14
Guy Peters, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	18	87.48
Val Yager, E½ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	19	91.31
Knut Danielson, NW¼ NE¼	19	18.30
S. C. Dahlquist, SW¼ Exc. 2 acres	20	62.37
Northwestern Trust Co., NE¼	21	88.94
A. C. Wickersheim, SW¼ NE¼	22	17.60
John A. Duffy, NW¼ SW¼	22	19.92
John A. Duffy, SW¼ NW¼	22	17.08
Sigward S. Grothe, N½ NW¼, SE¼ NW¼ & SW¼ NE¼	23	75.27
Robert Hegland, S½ SE¼	23	42.18
Minneapolis Trust Co., N½ NE¼	24	30.06
F. O. Gustafson, N½ NW¼ & SE¼ NW¼	24	61.24
Northwestern Trust Co., SW¼	24	84.84

TOWN OF NORTH

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty-three (43)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Oscar M. Evenson, SE¼	12	100.81
T. K. Rynestad, NE¼	13	37.00
T. K. Rynestad, SE¼	13	68.64
V. J. Price, Lots 3 & 4	18	82.28
C. M. Hoverstad, SW¼	25	135.75
Elnor O. Overland, NE¼	26	81.05
C. M. Hoverstad, SE¼	26	238.36
Aslak Jaranson, Part of SE¼ NW¼	28	1.76
Aslak Jaranson, Part of NE¼ NW¼	28	1.00
Ole L. Fevig, W½ NW¼	28	59.44
Chas. R. Peneluna, NW¼	20	199.58
Chas. R. Peneluna, NE¼	29	306.03
J. Mulhall Part of SE¼ SE¼ n of 8½ acres	29	20.68
Lottie Jenson, Part of SE¼ SE¼ n of 8½ acres	29	9.60
V. L. Noper, N½ NE¼, SE¼ NE¼ & NE¼ SE¼	32	174.78
Louisa Robbecke, S½ NW¼, SW¼ NE¼ & NW¼ SE¼	32	130.60
State of Minnesota, SW¼ & S½ SE¼	32	455.00
M. G. Kirby, Lot 7	35	.36
Jessie A. Rustad, NE¼	35	80.35
C. M. Hoverstad, NW¼	36	71.24

Townsite of Fairfield

	Lot	Blk.	
Emma Beauleau, Lots 4 &	5		14.48
Emma Beauleau, Lots 0, 7 &	8		21.72
H. S. Aanstad, North half Lot	11		6.33
Roy Motz, Lot	13		16.20
I. R. Glesne, Lot	18		7.24
Olson & Prichard, Lot	19		7.24
M. O. Stenberg, North 81 feet Lot	28		9.04
Hamre Hogenson Holdings Co., South 50 feet Lot	28		7.24
I. R. Glesne, Lot	30		14.46
Arthur Erickson, Lot	40		16.85
T. J. Carr, Lot	44		28.96
Citizens State Bank, East 100 ft. Lot	47		12.67
H. Brahender, South 60 feet Lot	43		4.54
Hiren Smith, S½ Lot	54		16.20
Edward L. Elofson, N½ Lot	54		28.96
H. L. Dudley, Lot	55		14.48
C. M. Carlson, South 50 ft. Lot	56		5.42
William Herron, Lot	62		16.09
E. K. Aasen, Lot	63		14.98
N. A. Larson, Lot	66		9.05
W. A. Cobb, Lot	71		18.09

Eshelby's Re-arrangement of Smiley's Add. to Fairfield

	Lot	Blk.	
And Hoveland, Lots 23 &	24		47.06
Herman Berndt, Lots 27 to	31		46.36
Robert Satharan, Lot	33		7.26
Capt. A. Hoveland, Lots 41 to 44 inclusive			30.63
H. O. Chommle, Lot	45		16.29
H. O. Chommle, Lot	46		6.42

Bothun's Addition to Fairfield

	Lot	Blk.	
Erick Olson, Lots 10, 11, 12 & S½ Lot	9		9.04
Anna Israelson, Lots 13 &	14		9.04

Park Addition to Thief River Falls

	Lot	Blk.	
Carl Dammer, Lot	4	1	2.16
Frank B. Conklin, Lot	3	1	1.61
Reinhart Johnsrud, Lot	17	3	3.62
Ole Folkestad, Out Lots A & B		7	12.67
S. E. Ahlberg, Lot	1	6	6.42

Rustad's Sub-Division, Lots 7 & 6 Sec. 34.

	Lot	Blk.	
Jessie A. Rustad, Lots 2 to 9 inclusive			57.98
Jessie A. Rustad, Lot	13		3.61
Bessie O. Quist, Lot	15		6.42
Anna Vraa, Lots 6 &	7		36.19
Jessie A. Rustad, Lots 23 to 33 inclusive			28.97
Jessie A. Rustad, E½ Lot 36 & All of Lots 37 to 46 inclusive			28.96
Jessie A. Rustad, Lot	58		6.42

Long's Sub-Division of Lots 6 & 7 Sec. 27.

	Lot	Blk.	
Peter Amundson, Lot	6		14.50
W. O. Long, Lots 12 &	13		7.24

Fairground Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	6	1	2.16
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	7	1	2.16
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	8	1	2.16
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	9	1	2.16
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	10	1	2.16
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	11	1	2.16
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	12	1	2.16
Joseph Neset, Lots 1 &	2	2	4.32
Anna Jother, Lots 8 &	4	2	4.33
E. C. Eshelby, Lots 5 &	6	2	4.33
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	7	2	2.16
Arne Engrebretson et. al., Lots 8 &	9	2	6.42
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	8	5	3.62
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	9	6	3.62
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	10	5	3.62
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	11	6	3.62
Ed. Warner, Lots 1 &	2	6	7.22
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	3	6	3.62
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	4	6	3.62
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	6	6	3.62
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	6	6	3.62

Fairfax Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
E. C. Eshelby, Lots 4 &	5		2.16
Olof Nordhagen, Lot	13		1.07
Olof Nordhagen, Lot	14		1.08
E. C. Eshelby, Lot	123		1.26
H. A. Dyberg, Lots 174, 175 & 176			6.42

TOWN OF NORDEN

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty-four (44)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
John Bratrud, N½ SW¼	7	.38
Anders Mosestad, Lot 4	7	27.66
Edna V. Nelson, W½ SW¼	8	53.48
E. T. Reamer et al, NW¼ SE¼	7	11.97
G. J. Nordhagen, W½ SW¼ Sec. 10, Part of W½ NW¼	15	67.22
G. J. Nordhagen, SW¼ NW¼ & South 10 rods of NW¼ NW¼	15	30.25
Steward Arnold, SE¼ SE¼	11	29.50
Steward Arnold, W½ NW¼	12	54.02
N. Hunich, E½ SE¼ & W½ SE¼	12	114.34
V. J. Price, E½ SE¼	13	85.16
Frank Mousley, E½ NW¼	13	58.78
Hannah Mousley, N½ SW¼ & SW¼ NW¼	13	43.51
Hannah Mousley, E½ NE¼ & E½ SE¼	14	126.44
Ole O. Stene, W½ SW¼	15	50.67
Geo. C. Anderson, NW¼ SE¼, N½ SW¼ & SW¼ SW¼	16	66.09
Ole O. Stene, E½ SE¼	16	43.11
Amund Morstad, SW¼ SE¼	16	17.01
E. H. Rich, NW¼	17	116.43
John Brynestad, SE¼ SW¼	16	32.04
J. D. Knapp, E½ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	16	57.86
G. J. Nordhagen, NW¼ NE¼ & N½ NW¼	21	108.06
Bengt Peterson, N½ NE¼, SE¼ NE¼ & NE¼ SE¼	22	51.86
Louis Soderberg, E½ NW¼, SW¼ NE¼ & NE¼ SW¼	22	07.58
Howard Carlson, NW¼ NW¼	22	38.10
G. J. Nordhagen, SW¼ NW¼	22	17.38
State of Minnesota, SE¼ SE¼ Sec. 23, NW¼ NW¼ Sec. 25, N½ NE¼ Sec.	26	163.36
Louis Faragen, S½ SE¼	24	61.66
Sophia Howick, SE¼	25	103.56
Lars K. Hitterdahl, E½ NW¼ & E½ SW¼	25	77.66
Ida Fersgen, NE¼ SE¼	26	32.86
State of Minnesota, W½ NE¼ & E½ NW¼	30	73.40
Wm. Lons, Lot 4	30	12.71
Ed. Sevre et al, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 &	4	83.56
S. B. Swanson, S½ SW¼	34	44.18
Karl Mostal, N½ NE¼, NE¼ NW¼ & SW¼ NE¼	34	74.76
James A. Donahue, SE¼ & SE¼ NE¼	34	221.68
Olga A. Lerol, SE¼ NE¼	35	56.96
L. K. Hitterdahl, NE¼ NE¼	36	28.33
State of Minnesota, NW¼ SW¼	36	52.14
Frances M. Klein, N½ SE¼	36	114.27
State of Minnesota, S½ SW¼ & NE¼ SW¼	36	150.57
Francis M. Klein, SW¼ SE¼	36	43.63
Olga A. Lerai, SW¼ NW¼	36	52.14

TOWN OF NUMEDAL

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty-five (45)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Jessie L. Herring, S½ NE¼ & NE¼ NE¼	15	42.22
Jessie L. Herring, SE¼	15	55.00
Jessie L. Herring, SW¼	15	55.60
David Knutson, W½ NW¼	16	23.21
David Knutson, W½ SW¼	16	46.46
Marshall State Bank, NE¼	17	50.52
John A. Rued, NE¼	16	61.00
Paul Svenson, SE¼	18	53.50
Ole O. Habhet, NE¼	16	55.66
H. B. McCrackie et al, NE¼	22	27.49
Geo. Duis, SW¼	22	32.73
H. B. McCrackle, et al, E½ NE¼ & SE¼ NW¼	23	10.74
J. S. Herring, SE¼	23	70.04
J. S. Herring, E½ SW¼ & SW¼ SW¼	23	40.26
H. B. McCrackle, et al, E½ NE¼ & SW¼ NE¼	23	28.33
H. B. McCrackle, et al, NW¼ SW¼	23	11.38
John W. Benson, SW¼ NW¼	26	22.52
Empire Farms Co., SE¼	28	56.48
J. R. Bayley, W½ NE¼ & E½ NW¼	28	80.46
R. E. Adams, NE¼	36	72.71
Hicks & Co., NW¼	36	71.16
Jennie Werkman, SE¼	36	85.42
John Olson, SW¼	31	83.04
G. H. Hagen, NE¼ NE¼	32	14.14
A. E. Reed, NW¼	35	80.88
A. E. Reed, SW¼	35	62.88

TOWN OF POLK CENTRE

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Forty-five (45)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
J. A. Duffy, S½ SE¼	3	20.47
Katie Correll, N½ SW¼ & SW¼ SW¼	5	44.21
State of Minnesota, NW¼ & SE¼	6	150.16
Jane E. McGovern, NW¼	7	49.12
Chas. Helm, N½ SW¼ & SW¼ SW¼	8	44.52
G. H. Bamhouse, SW¼ NE¼	9	17.26
H. R. Kellog, W½ NW¼	11	26.69
Meta A. Leeper, W½ SE¼ & SE¼ SE¼	16	44.26
Meta A. Leeper, SW¼	16	58.06
Henry H. Hallstrom, NE¼	17	66.64
First & Peoples St. Bank, SE¼	17	51.70
H. A. Verpeller, E½ SW¼	18	24.56
W. S. E. Morgan, Lots 2 & 3	16	20.12
First & Peoples St. Bank, Lot 4	16	12.96
Forrest M. Fischer et al, SE¼	19	55.04
B. T. Terry, NW¼ NE¼, N½ NW¼ & SE¼ NW¼	20	46.38
I. M. Tuff, SW¼ NW¼	20	11.58
Albert Boutain, W½ SW¼, SE¼ SW¼ & SW¼ SE¼	21	75.92
A. P. Boutain, NE¼ SW¼	21	13.02
Sidona E. Brummer, W½ NW¼ & NW¼ SW¼	23	59.24
C. Brandt, SW¼ SW¼	23	20.93

TOWN OF ROCKSBURY

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-three (43)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Capital Trust & Savings Bank, SW¼ SE¼ & Lot 3	2	32.84
Anna M. Kirby, Lots 6, 7 & 8	2	28.22
Cap. Trust & Savings Bank, SE¼ SW¼	2	17.72
Zertina Knox Winton, N½ SW¼	2	35.30
Agnes Akre, Lot 6	2	.96
Zerlina Knox Wilton, NE¼ SE¼	3	19.28
Geo. W. Mason, Lot 8	4	11.88
Geo. W. Mason, Part Lot 8	4	.34
Elvina C. Crown, Part of Lot 7	4	8.65
First National Bank, East part Lot 6 & South part Lot 6	4	31.48
Conely Real Estate Co., Lots 1 & 2	6	44.06
Gust Geske, W½ SE¼, SE¼ SE¼, SE¼ SW¼ exc. 3 acres	8	93.40
Lena Johnson, W½ NW¼ Sec. 10, Lots 1, 2, & 6 Sec.	9	119.26

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Geo. A. Stephens, W½ SW¼	10	38.26
Axel Engelstad, S½ NW¼	22	52.70
F. J. Stebbins, SE¼	26	85.88
E. D. Jensen, SW¼ SW¼ Lots 8 & 10	29	75.40
Mike McAndress, Lot 9	29	6.82
Mike McAndress, Part Lots 4 & 5	32	24.41
Mike McAndress, W½ NW¼ Part Lots 4 & 5 Exc. Road	32	60.56
Herman P. Fellman, Part E½ SE¼ Sec. 31 Pt W½ SW¼ Sec.	32	75.93
Martin McAndress, Pt. Vacated Blk's 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 18, 19, 20, 21, 28, 29, 30, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 53, 54, 55, All in C. & C. Nelson's First Addition to St. Hilaire	40	40.90
Chr. Witzmaekl, NE¼ SE¼ Sec. 34, & NW¼ SW¼ Sec.	35	39.46
Nels Nelson, Part S½ NE¼, NE¼ NE¼ Exc. 3½ acres	36	54.38

C. & C. Nelson's Second Addition.

	Lot	Blk.	
A. G. Norlander, Lots 23 &	24	7	.28

TOWN OF RIVER FALLS

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Forty-three (43)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
D. S. B. Johnson Land Co., Part of Lots 3 & 4	1	7.39
Soo Railway Co., Part of Lot 4	1	15.84
John W. Denhart, SE¼ & Part of NE¼ SW¼	1	81.43
Frans Freeholtz, SE¼ NW¼, SW¼ NE¼ Lots 2 & 3	2	124.33
Minn. Loan & Trust Co., SW¼ SW¼	2	29.25
State of Minnesota, SW¼	4	44.75
Chas. Sumpter, S½ NE¼	13	50.21
First and Peoples State Bank, S½ SW¼ Exc. 2 acres	13	46.64
Oscar Hogquist et al, W½ NW¼	14	39.90
Jerusha Atherton, NE¼ NE¼	19	18.97
Martin Hanson, SE¼ SE¼	17	11.90
N. A. Nelson, W½ SE¼ & SE¼ SE¼	19	34.90
S. C. Crocker, NE¼ SE¼	19	24.38
Carrie M. Crocker, W½ SW¼ & SW¼ NW¼	20	64.92
Nels A. Nelson, NE¼ SW¼ Lots 6 & 7	20	32.40
August Lundberg, NE¼ SE¼	23	19.21
First & Peoples State Bank, N½ NW¼	24	41.76
August Lundberg, SW¼ SW¼ & S½ of NW¼ SW¼	24	27.91
Fred Elleson, NW¼ NE¼	24	27.08

	Lot	Blk.	$ Cts.
M. R. Odegaard, Lots 4 to 7 inclusive		1	.76
D. S. B. Johnson Land Co., Lot	8	1	.19
Tri. State Land Co., Lots 9 to 12 inclusive		1	.74
Carl Mathson, Lots 13 &	14	1	.39
Farmers Club Hall Ass'n, Lot	10	1	.38
J. W. Colp (Estate), Lot	17	1	.20
Wm. Gilbertson, Lot	20	1	.38
D. S. B. Johnson Land Co., Lots 1, 2 &	3	2	.58
D. S. B. Johnson Land Co., Lots 4, 5 &	6	2	.56
John F. Magnuson, Lot	7	2	15.67
August Roese, Lot	9	2	.38
Anton Peterson, Lot	10	2	.38
Alfred Jenson, Lot	13	2	4.20
D. S. B. Johnson Land Co., Lots 14, 15 &	16	2	1.14
D. S. B. Johnson, Land Co., Lot	17	2	.38
D. S. B. Johnson, Land Co., Lots 1 to 8 inclusive		4	2.28
D. S. B. Johnson, Land Co., Lots 6 &	10	4	.58
D. S. B. Johnson, Land Co., Lots 18 &	19	4	.58
D. S. B. Johnson, Land Co., Lots 23 to 20 inclusive		4	1.15
D. S. B. Johnson, Land Co., Lots 27 to 30 inclusive		4	1.15
D. S. B. Johnson, Land Co., Lots 31 &	32	4	.58

Bramsness Addition to St. Hilaire

	Lot	Blk.	$ Cts.
T. M. Brevig, Lots 11 &	12	1	5.60
Magnilda Brevig, Lots 1 to 5 inclusive		2	.43

TOWN OF REINER

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Thirty-nine (39)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Susan M. Spear, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	7	80.92
Halvor G. Knutson, W½ SE¼ Exc. 6 acres	7	35.72
State of Minnesota, E½ SW¼ & SW¼ SE¼	8	69.28
M. A. Bailand, NW¼ SE¼	8	23.20
Christ R. Johnsrud, E½ SE¼	8	40.88
Whiler-Misner Loan Co., W½ SW¼	9	41.86
J. T. Elsenpeter, E½ SE¼, SE¼ SW¼ & W½ SE¼	9	105.80
W. R. Hoag, NE¼ SW¼	9	25.10
F. P. Gresne, SW¼	10	71.08
John Hoppa, NE¼ SE¼	11	17.00
First & Peoples State Bank, SW¼	11	69.70
Jessie J. Sorchitt, NE¼	13	08.76
Farmers Finance Corp., E½ NW¼	13	34.18
Goodridge State Bank, W½ NW¼	13	37.20
Frances Prince, SE¼ SE¼ & W½ SE¼	14	53.96
Oluf Gustafson, SW¼	14	70.26
Goodridge State Bank, S½ NE¼	14	37.00
Katherine Bussard, SE¼	15	78.70
H. P. Olson, S½ NE¼ & NW¼ NE¼	15	53.40
John Erickson, NW¼	15	72.34
Martin O. Moen, E½ SW¼	10	39.34
A. R. Johnsrud, NW¼ NW¼ Sec. 16, NE¼ NE¼ Sec.	17	42.94
Savings Loan & Trust Co., SW¼	17	00.80
State of Minnesota, SW¼ NE¼, S½ NW¼ & NE¼ NW¼	16	80.99
State of Minnesota, NW¼	17	90.48
Margaret C. Gray, W½ NE¼ & SE½ NE¼	17	70.83
John Hornike, SE¼	18	93.39
Blanche B. Graham, NE¼	18	99.20
Torpen Morken, SE¼	19	92.58
Citizens State Bank, NE¼	19	95.40
Minneapolis Trust Co., E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	19	89.04
George Kaasa, NE¼ NW¼ Lot 1	19	19.99
Susan Kaasa, SE¼ NW¼ & Lot 2	19	23.58
John Girmschild, SW¼	20	91.10
Citizens State Bank, NW¼	20	96.24
G. A. Vraa, NW¼	21	39.95
Cecil E. Olson, SW¼	21	44.52
Arnt Johnsrud, NE¼	21	90.23
Knut Haugen, SE¼ NW¼	24	22.06
Alfred Olson, S½ SE¼ & NE¼ SE¼	25	27.22
Edith C. Winton, NW¼	26	77.53
Hoag Security Co., NE¼	27	82.22
A. O. Halvorson, E½ SW¼	27	88.70
Lester E. Gessell, NE¼ NW¼	27	19.44
State of Minnesota, SE¼	27	75.99
Franklin R. Greene, SW¼ NE¼	28	21.06
Oscar J. Stenvick, SW¼ SE¼	28	19.33
Sec. State Bank, Owatona, NW¼	29	97.96
L. M. Burdick, SW¼	29	84.20
Carl O. Wahlin, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	30	83.26
Lars J. Furan, SE¼	30	124.28
State of Minnesota, E½ NW¼, Lots 1 & 2	31	78.72
J. W. Bren, NE¼	31	81.14
Frances W. Champ, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	31	93.76
F. D. Baird, NW¼	32	82.63
Thorwald Thoreson, SW¼	32	85.08
Albert Arntz, W½ SE¼ & Part of E½ SE¼	35	14.64
Ed. H. Brakken, SW¼ SW¼	36	14.12
Oliver Arntz, SE¼ NW¼	38	16.03
Ed. H. Brakken, E½ SE¼	36	25.37

TOWN OF SANDERS

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-four (44)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Carl Jenson, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	1	192.21
First and Peoples State Bank, SW¼ NW¼	2	56.5[illegible]
Swan B. Swanson, SE¼ NW¼ Lots 1, 2, 3 & 4	2	245.33
Wm. Yonke, NE¼ SW¼	2	49.95
A. A. Cooper, Lots 1, 2 & 3	3	131.88
Amond Mostad, SE¼ NE¼	4	11.59
Katie Flouey, S½ NE¼	5	28.74
Geo. K. Johnson, Lots 3 & 4	5	38.91
A. M. McCall et al, Lots 3, 4, 6 & 6	6	124.25
Augusta Tessum, SW¼ NE¼, SE¼ NW¼, NW¼ SE¼ Part of Lot 2	8	100.33
State of Minnesota, SW¼ SE¼	6	20.50
State of Minnesota, NE¼	7	73.39
Olof A. Nelson, E½ SW¼, SE¼ NW¼ & NW¼ SE¼	7	62.38
Anna Kratzschmer, Lots 2 & 3	7	34.36

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
State of Minnesota, NW¼	8	94.50
S. W. Swanson, E½ NW¼	9	36.82
Sigvold Ness (Estate), W½ SE¼	10	16.08
Ole Haraldson, NE¼	11	196.64
F. T. Satre, SW¼	13	100.19
Alvina Lund et al, SW¼	14	123.12
A. C. Mathson et al, SW¼ NW¼	18	20.64
Swan B. Swanson, NW¼ SW¼ & NW¼ NW¼	16	38.82
Thos. Erickson, NE¼ NW¼	16	20.64
R. E. Jones, SE¼ NW¼ & NE¼ SW¼	17	28.74
The Haynes Land Co., E½ SE¼, NW¼ SE¼, & SE¼ NE¼	18	57.47
State of Minnesota, SW¼	19	88.98
State of Minnesota, W½ SE¼, SE¼ SE¼ Sec. 19, SW¼ SW¼ Sec.	20	81.77
Hoag Security Co., SW¼ SE¼, SE¼ SW¼	20	37.80
Elta B. Darrow, S½ SE¼ Sec. 21, N½ NE¼ Sec. 28	21-28	80.83
Jacob Hoffberger, SW¼	21	80.81
Nels Peterson, SW¼	22	101.48
Julius Feind et al, SE¼	22	84.78
Alvina Lind et al, NW¼	23	213.98
John L. Amble, SE¼	23	190.85
W. F. Urcenn, SE¼	24	187.89
W. A. Beardsley, NW¼	25	187.89
Erick Olson, NE¼	25	191.53
A. M. Berghorn, SW¼	26	196.40
Savings Loan & Trust Co., SE¼	28	196.40
John Fromm, NW¼	27	13.76
Hjalmar Bradnvold et al, S½ SW¼ Sec. 27, & N½ NW¼	34	82.86
Wylie State Bank, SW¼ Exc. ½ acre	28	64.06
John Fromm, SE¼	28	76.96
First State Bank Wylie, NW¼	33	64.66
Fred D. Hodgson, SE¼ SE¼	33	21.05
Fred D. Hodgson, S½ SW¼ & NE¼ SW¼	34	80.42
K. O. Gigstad, SE¼ SW¼	35	51.22

TOWN OF SMILEY

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-two (42)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Alfred & Carl Skjerping, SE¼	1	77.06
Ole O. Botstad, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	1	83.10
Louis Lee, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	2	80.20
Alfred & Carl Skjerping, SE¼	2	88.44
M. L. Rucker, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	3	76.48
Jonas Bakke, SW¼	3	84.48
Silas & Daniel Syverson, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	4	83.50
Minn. Mut. Life Ins. Co., SW¼	4	77.05
A. M. Boistad, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	5	81.30
Alf. Borge, SE¼ SE¼ Sec. 10, Sec. 6, & Lots 6 & 7	7	55.43
Sophia Sebusser, E½ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	7	61.85
Sophia Schusser, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	7	70.07
Abraham Newton, NE¼ NW¼ & Lot 3	8	19.64
E. F. Franklin, S½ SE¼ Lots 9, 10 & 11	8	54.06
Abraham Newton, N½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	8	48.82
Krist Larson, NE¼	10	79.46
Knut Larson, E½ SE¼ Lots 6 & 7	10	81.45
Gertrude Boistad, SW¼	11	85.22
State of Minnesota, NE¼	11	66.40
Dobner Bros. Inc., N½ NW¼	12	44.22
E. F. Franklin, NW¼	16	103.18
F. T. Franklin, NE¼	17	203.07
F. T. Franklin, SE¼	17	202.54
Theo. M. Bjorge, S½ NE¼	18	38.94
Laura Dahl, E½ SW¼ Lots 4 & 5	19	51.34
State of Minnesota, SE¼	19	114.22
State of Minnesota, NW¼ SW¼	20	19.44
State of Minnesota, SW¼ SW¼	20	19.44
Savings Loan & Trust Co., SW¼	21	142.74
Citizens State Bank, NW¼	21	172.88
Frank McGinty, NE¼	22	82.12
Casper Weiner, Lots 2, 3 & 4	23	20.68
Casper Weiner, NW¼	23	00.99
S. S. Nelson, Lots 7, 8 & 9	24	27.32
Conely Corporation Co., SW¼ & S½ SE¼ Lots 10 & 11	24	94.19
State of Minnesota, NE¼	25	71.99
T. D. Dahlberg, SE¼	27	72.38
Maude G. Mabey, N½ SE¼, SE¼ SE¼ & Lot 9	28	122.80
John E. Johnson, Lot 2	20	16.61
C. L. Dobner, NE¼ NW¼	29	38.43
Freeman Allen, NE¼ SW¼ Lot 3	30	54.15
Martin Helgeson, SE¼	34	65.18
Anton Peterson, NE¼	35	68.76
Anton Peterson, N½ NW¼ & N½ of S½ NW¼	35	49.61
Wm. Sherwood, SE¼	35	73.08
O. J. Peterson, SW¼	35	80.09
O. J. Peterson, S½ of S½ NW¼	35	15.56
Albert Fellman, SE¼	36	89.34

TOWN OF SILVERTON

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty-two (42)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Geo. E. Sannum, SE¼	8	114.26
State of Minnesota, SW¼	16	183.95
Gunhild Ose, SE¼	10	159.54
C. H. Brown, SW¼	11	186.23
H. A. Loken, SW¼	12	123.65
State of Minnesota, SE¼	13	127.27
M. H. Hoge, NE¼	13	149.26
John Steinaker, SW¼	15	94.88
Swedish Luth. Board of Edu., SE¼	18	69.70
T. K. Rynestad, E½ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	18	35.24
T. K. Rynestad, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	18	34.48
Nels Christofferson, NW¼ Exc. Ry.	20	79.30
Clement Sebek, SE¼ Exc. Ry.	23	103.64
G. W. Connell, NE¼ Exc. Ry.	24	101.87
H. R. Sullivan, SW¼ Exc. Ry.	24	164.30
Joseph Topinka, SE¼ Exc. Ry.	24	97.52
G. W. Connell, SW¼	25	148.74
Hans Baner et al, SW¼	20	54.44
Ralph Mayhew, NW¼	27	110.45
State of Minnesota, SW¼	28	78.12
Arthur B. Anderson, SE¼	29	70.21
State of Minnesota, NW¼	29	75.26
State of Minnesota, SW¼	29	98.42
W. J. Janda, SW¼	32	87.10
John J. Hegreness, NE¼	33	38.42
John J. Hegreness, NW¼	33	48.04
Peter Amundson, SE¼	33	96.88
Andrew Hoveland, NE¼	35	63.00
S. S. Stenberg, NW¼	36	115.80
John Oftendahl, SE¼	36	54.40

TOWN OF STAR

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Thirty-nine (39)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1627)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Citizens State Bank, SE¼ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	1	62.36
Citizens State Bank, NE¼ SW¼	1	17.41
Albert Arntz, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	2	82.88
Julius J. Thomas, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	2	74.27
Frances W. Champ, SW¼	2	80.05
Hoag Security Co., SW¼	3	92.90
Hellen Griffith, S½ SE¼	3	47.62
Retail Lumberman's Ins., Ass'n. S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	8	96.14
John T. Coan, S½ NW¼ Lots 8 & 4	4	76.30
Louis Klimstra, SE¼	4	84.15
Jerry Race, SE¼ NE¼ Lot 1	4	19.12
Anna Sinski, SW¼	5	86.22
Hans Solberg, S½ NW¼ Lots 8 & 4	5	100.82
Anton Fort, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	6	74.86
William Lanske, E½ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	7	91.88
Thorvald Kompelien, NE¼	8	81.10
Emil Grams, SE¼ NW¼	8	36.74
Steward Martin, N½ NW¼ & SW¼ NW¼	8	57.62
Louis Ramsey, SW¼	11	82.30
Hoag Security Co., SE¼	11	72.50
Mary Hohn, S½ SW¼, NE¼ SW¼ Sec. 12, NE¼ NW¼ Sec.	13	64.68
Dobner Bros. Inc., E½ NE¼, N½ SE¼ & NW¼ NE¼	13	78.49
Ellsworth & Jones Inc., S½ SE¼	13	31.34
Beatrice W. Heaber, NE¼ SW¼	14	22.79
Christ Hoverstad, NE¼ NE¼	14	8.51
M. A. Ballard, W½ NE¼ & E½ NW¼	14	76.13
State of Minnesota, S½ SW¼, SW¼ SE¼ Sec. 14, & SE¼ SE¼	15	78.74
Bohmil Hruby, Part of Lot 3	18	6.59
Inga Boen, SE¼	19	36.08
Ole Johnsrud, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	19	96.72
Carl J. Ekwall, SE¼	20	05.42
Ole Johnsrud, S½ SW¼	21	50.44
F. & M. State Bank, Oklee, N½ NW¼	22	44.20
Thorwald Thorwaldson, N½ NE¼ Exe. 5 acres	23	23.88
Tollef K. Hovet, NE¼	22	103.92
Chr. Hoverstad, NE¼ SW¼	23	11.31
Capital Trust & Savings Bank, S½ SW¼	23	48.42
Ole Tharaldson, NW¼	23	103.12

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
A. Gullickson, S½ NE¼ & N½ SE¼	23	15.82
Christ Johnson, S½ SE¼ Sec. 23, & S½ SW¼ Sec.	24	68.59
Peter E. Perath, W½ NE¼	24	30.36
Ole Halvorson, W½ SE¼	24	30.36
First National Bank, E½ SE¼	24	30.36
John L. Hatch, SW¼	25	66.03
Engeborg Tharaldson, SE¼	25	60.78
M. G. Jorde, NE¼	26	73.70
Chas. L. Alexander, NE¼	25	60.76
Ludvig Johnson, SE¼	26	71.32
Albert E. Cooper, W½ SE¼	27	54.50
Iver C. Iverson, W½ NE¼ & NE¼ NE¼	27	77.89
L. J. Schefer, N½ SW¼	27	44.76
Hoag Security Co., SE¼	28	85.52
Wm. Rowe, S½ NE¼ & NW¼ NE¼	28	69.60
O. P. Bolstad, SE¼	29	100.29
Torbjor Norsterbo, SE¼ SW¼ Lot 4 Sec. 30, NE¼ NW¼	31	70.76
Gustaf Iverson, E½ SW¼ Lots 2, 3 & 4	31	100.66
Theresa Stucy, NW¼ SE¼	31	23.36
Harry Stucy, S½ of SE¼ SE¼	31	11.62
Chas. L. Stucy, NE¼ SE¼ & N½ of SE¼ SE¼	31	32.78
Knute Dahle, Lot 1	31	22.74
Karl Dahle, SE¼ NW¼	31	23.04
H. Wolfgran, S½ SW¼ & SW¼ SE¼	32	69.62
Harry Stucy, NE¼ NE¼ Sec. 32, & W½ NW¼	33	70.42
Henry Tiedeman, N½ SW¼ & SE¼ SW¼	33	72.60
Citizens State Bank, SW¼ NE¼	34	29.62
Citizens State Bank, NW¼ NE¼ & E½ NE¼ & NE¼ SE¼	34	100.99
Nels P. Larson, SE¼ SE¼	34	36.19
H. K. Grimage, NE¼	35	84.61
Eddie Arveson, W½ SW¼	35	38.84
Citizens State Bank, S½ SE¼ & E½ SW¼	35	80.78
I. A. Clemmenson, SW¼	39	78.74
Bergit Danielson, NW¼	36	78.74
Trail State Bank, SE¼	36	73.46

TOWN OF WYANDOTTE

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Forty-two (42)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
T. J. Quamme, Lot 4	1	19.60
T. J. Quamme, Lots 1 & 2	2	53.36
W. H. Sherwood, Lots 3 & 4 Sec. 2 & Lot 3	3	60.92
First St. Bank, Plummer, SE¼ SE¼ & Lot 8	3	43.22
Ivar A. Rolstad, NE¼ SE¼	5	19.84
Ivar A. Rolstad, Lot 1	5	40.45
Earl J. Loringer, SE¼	6	89.34
Elias Roslie, SE¼	8	91.32
Laura Holton, NE¼	9	71.68
J. W. Phalen, SE¼	13	99.62
Ovia Noll, NE¼ NE¼, Lots 2 & 4 Part Lot 5	14	83.51
Oscar I. Carlson, SW¼	16	86.77
Jens Anderson, SE¼	16	75.62
Grothe Realty Co., SE¼ Exe. 2 acres	17	85.94
Evelyn V. Adams, SE¼ Exe. Ry.	19	120.32
Mary Thoma Mooner, NW¼	21	07.83
Henry Enderlie, SW¼	21	80.80
Lena Nelson, NW¼	22	59.56
J. W. Phalen, SW¼	22	73.58

VILLAGE OF GOODRIDGE

Original Townsite

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Description	Lot	Blk.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
H. Tollefson, Lots 1, 2 &	3	1	122.94
Northwestern Townsite Co. Lots 4 &	5	1	8.58
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 9 &	7	1	7.85
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 8 &	9	1	7.26
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 16 &	11	1	6.56
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 12 &	13	1	4.97
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 14 &	15	1	4.08
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 19 &	17	1	4.08
M. J. Lysbakken, Lots 18 &	19	1	21.02
Even Gulman, Lots 20 &	21	1	7.72
Harold Gunderson, Lot	22	1	7.72
Gilbert Gunderson, Lot 1 & West 5 feet Lot	2	2	142.60
Ole A. San, Lot	7	2	71.72
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 9, 8 &	9	2	26.84
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 10, 11 &	12	2	17.27
Carl Lindstrom, Lot &	13	2	2.78
Ole A. San, Lot	14	2	21.93
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 15, 16 &	17	2	7.64
Eastern Marshall Co. Phone Co., Lot	22	2	38.02
Peoples Oil Co., Lot	12	3	14.18
Julius Stephenson, Lots 19 &	20	3	50.50
M. Olson & Son, Lot	22	3	7.72
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 1 &	2	4	1.38
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 3 &	4	4	8.68
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 5 &	9	4	8.68
Carl Edseth, Lot	13	4	16.02
A. C. Tvedt, Lots 1 to 9 inclusive		5	130.52
A. C. Tvedt, Lots 7, 8 &	9	5	8.07
A. C. Tvedt, Lots 10 &	11	5	7.26
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 1 &	2	6	3.30
Chas. Fitterman, Lot	3	6	1.73
N. W. Townsite Co., Lots 4 to to 11 inclusive		6	10.66
N. W. Townsite Co., All of Blk.		7	14.01
C. C. Gulrud, Part of Block		8	00.62

Goodridge First Addition

	Lot	Blk.	$ Cts.
Quale & Empire Lot Co., Lots 4 &	5	2	2.90
Earl Buckler, Lots 16 &	17	2	2.90
Earl Buckler, Lots 18 &	10	2	73.84
Earl Buckler, Lots 20 &	21	2	2.90
Quale & Empire Lot Co., Lots 1 &	2	3	2.20
Quale & Empire Lot Co., Lots 3 &	4	3	2.20
Quale & Empire Lot Co., Lots 5, 0, 7 &	8	3	4.40
Quale & Empire Lot Co., Lots 9, 10, 11 &	12	3	4.40
Quale & Empire Lot Co., Lots 13, 14, 15 &	19	3	4.40
Quale & Empire Lot Co., Lots 17, 18, 19 &	20	3	4.40
Quale & Empire Lot Co., Lot	21	3	1.10
Quale & Empire Lot Co., Lots 26 &	27	3	2.90
Village of Goodridge, Lots 1 to 15 inclusive & Ditch Tax only		4	6.25
Clarence Dispan, Lots 16, 17 &	18	4	3.69
Quale & Empire Lot Co., Lots 19 to 23 inclusive		4	5.50
Quale & Empire Lot Co., Lots 26 to 30 inclusive		4	6.50
St. Ann Church, Lots 24 & 25 (Ditch Tax only.)		4	.78
Village of Goodridge, Out Lot A (Ditch Tax only.)			4.76

Linstrom's First Addition

	Lot	Blk.	$ Cts.
Carl Lindstrom, Lots 1 to 4 inclusive		1	3.34
Carl Lindstrom, Lots 5 to 8 inclusive		1	3.34
Carl Lindstrom, Lots 9 &	10	1	2.21
Oliver Resam, Lots 11 &	12	1	54.70
Carl Lindstrom, Lots 1 to 4 inclusive		2	5.82
Carl Lindstrom, Lots 5, 8 &	7	2	5.42
Ole A. San, Lots 8 &	9	2	29.67
Carl Edseth, Lot 15 & S½ Lot	16	2	20.68
Palmer O. Tvedt, Lots 5 &	6	3	8.58
Ole A. San, Lot	7	3	60.69
Ole A. San, Lots 8 &	9	3	5.04

Lindstrom's Second Addition

	Lot	Blk.	$ Cts.
Carl Lindstrom, Lots 1 to 4 inclusive		1	1.66
Carl Lindstrom, Lots 6 &	6	1	1.33
Carl Lindstrom, Lots 1 to 4 inclusive		2	2.67
Carl Lindstrom, Lots 5 &	8	2	1.33
Owen A. Olson, Lots 8 &	9	2	.62
Carl Lindstrom, Lots 7 &	10	2	2.04
Carl Lindstrom, Lots 1 to 4 inclusive		3	2.66
Carl Lindstrom, Lots 5 to 7 inclusive		3	3.05
John T. Lindstrom, Lot	8	3	.66
Anna M. Lindstrom, Lot	9	3	.66
Carl Lindstrom, Lot	10	3	.00
Carl Lindstrom, Lots 1, 2 &	3	4	8.76
H. B. Rockne, Lot	5	4	38.62
Carl Lindstrom, Lot	7	4	2.44
Jeanett Olson, Lots 8 &	9	4	35.99
Carl Lindstrom, Lot	10	4	1.72
Carl Lindstrom, Lots 1 &	2	5	1.34

Golden Extension

	Lot	Blk.	$ Cts.
Otto R. Stucy, Lots 1 &	2	10	1.14
Newton Monkers, Lots 3 &	4	10	1.15
Nick Bundhund, Lots 5 to 8 inclusive		16	2.30
Newton Monkers, Lots 9 to 11 inclusive		10	1.73
Irwing Quist, Lot		11	.58
P. A. Langlois, Lots 2 &	3	11	9.45
D. G. Brownlie, Lots 4 &	6	11	1.15
Nick Bundhund, Lots 6 &	7	11	1.16
Nick Bundhund, Lots 8 &	9	11	1.15
J. P. Jensen, Lots 10 &	11	11	1.14

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Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Forty-three (43)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Description	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Anna Olson, South part North of 14 Acres of Lot 2	6	65.13
Jennie G. Wilson, Part of Government Lots 3 & 4	6	89.56
Jennie G. Wilson, 96x300 Ft. West of Ry. Vacated Blocks 61 to 68 & South 16 ft. of Blk. 75	6	12.21

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Forty-four (44)

	Section	$ Cts.
A. A. Cooper, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	1	257.64
Crookston Lumber Co., Und One half Int Gov't Lot 16 between Ive's Addition and River	1	9.22

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Forty-three (43)

	Section	$ Cts.
G. W. Hooper, A Strip of Land between Northside Add. and G. N. Railway	6	5.38
G. W. Hooper, 80x400 ft. between Northside Add. and McAndress Property	9	2.60

Original Townsite

	Lot	Blk.	$ Cts.
Gust Nelson, Lot	9	24	13.02
M. R. Hoage, Lots 11 &	12	24	16.54
Mary LaCombe, Lots 11 &	12	25	8.56
Simpson & Tillie, Lot	5	26	.00
W. W. Clark, Lot 17 and S½ Lot	16	29	2.28
W. J. Ives, Lot 1 &	2	28	.98
Eda Holmes, Lot 11 &	12	28	39.62
Theresa Peterson et al, Lots 1 to 9 inclusive		29	4.22
Eda Holmes, Lots 13 to 16 inclusive		20	1.63
Gus Anderson, Lots 1 &	2	35	72.39
Florence Patterson, Lots 3 &	4	35	3.58
Thos. Downing, Lots 5 &	6	35	3.58
Arlo Sharpman, Lots 1 &	2	36	2.63
Joseph Payment, Lots 4 &	5	36	2.63
E. O. Topkins, Lot	6	39	1.46
H. H. Smith, Lots 21 &	22	36	.90
Crookston Lumber Co., Lot	24	36	1.30
Edward Holmes, Lot 1 to 8 inclusive		37	93.80
St. Hilaire Townsite Co., Lot	19	38	2.93
Carrie B. Dalnhart, Lots 11 &	12	38	13.92
L. M. Rolland, Lot	16	38	5.86
J. H. Hanney, Lot	15	39	11.72
Jennie G. Wilson, Lot	19	39	11.72
C. O. Evenson, Lot	19	39	70.30
Hans Johnson, Lot	16	46	11.73
Fred Hendrickson, Lots 5 to 8 inclusive		41	2.28
J. A. Braa, Lot	9	41	.60
Fred Hendrickson, Lots 10, 11 &	12	41	1.64
School Dist. No. 162, Lots 13 &	14	41	.93
Joseph Flint, Lot	15	41	.66
Fred Hendrickson, Lots 19 to 21 inclusive		41	2.66
Catholic Church, Lots 22, 23 &	24	41	1.61
Fred Hendrickson, Lots 1 to 12 inclusive		48	7.16
A. S. Wilson, Lots 13 to 18 inclusive		48	29.31
St. Hilaire Townsite Co., Lots 16 to 24 inclusive		48	3.58
L. K. Kolstad, Lot	4	49	11.72
M. V. B. Ives, Lot	5	49	11.72
C. A. Skele, Lot	8	46	8.78
N. A. Nelson, Lots 11 &	12	49	57.19
Farmers State Bank, Lots 10, 11 &	12	50	85.00
Dan Patterson, Lot	21	56	8.79
Arthur W. Erickson, Lot	23	50	11.74
L. K. Kolstad, Lots 1 &	2	51	31.96
C. A. Skele, Lot	16	51	2.63
Hnlvor Johnson, Lots 5, 6 &	7	52	29.31
Justice Johnson, Lot	0	52	2.93
Halvor Johnson, Lots 9 to 12 inclusive		53	5.86
Jennie C. Wilson, Lots 1 to 24 inclusive		54	71.66
Martin McAndress, Blocks 96, 91 &		92	19.55

Townsite Companies First Addition

	Lot	Blk.	$ Cts.
E. O. Burkee, Lots 13 to 18 inclusive		64	14.66
Martin McAndress, Lots 1 to 24 inc. Block 79, Lots 1 to 11 inclusive		86	19.54

Townsite Companies Second Addition

	Lot	Blk.	$ Cts.
E. O. Brink, Lots 7 to 12 inclusive		17	46.99
Josephine Jorgenson, Lots 1 &	2	23	2.92
K. O. Gigstad, Lots 3 &	4	23	2.92
M. Reine, Lots 5 &	6	23	9.56
Louis DeCathleleneau, Lots 9 &	16	23	29.26

Ive's Addition

	Lot	Blk.	$ Cts.
Aminta Hooper, Lots 1, 2 &	3	1	119.00

Owner's Re-arrangement of Ive's Addition

	Lot	Blk.	$ Cts.
L. A. Carlson, Lot	3	3	20.51
Erick Anderson, Reserve C.		3	5.88
Sander Engebretson, Reserve Part of Gov't Lot	16	3	0.80
Gnyther Tessum, Lot	4	1	1.30
Gynther Tessum, Lot	5	1	1.36
Gynther Tessum, Lots 12 &	13	1	2.01
Gynther Tessum, Lots 17 &	18	1	1.96
Gynther Tessum, Lots 20 &	21	1	1.66
Gynther Tessum, Lots 23 &	24	1	1.96
Gynther Tessum, Lots 1 &	2	2	2.66
Gynther Tessum, Lots 3 &	4	2	2.66
Gynther Tessum, Lots 5 &	6	2	2.66
Gynther Tessum, Lots 7 &	8	2	2.61
Gynther Tessum, Lots 9 &	10	2	2.61
Effie Blaeka, Lots 11 & 12		2	2.01
Gynther Tessum, Lot	13	2	.90
Anna Martz, Lots 1 &	2	3	1.99
Mark Harder, Lots 3 &	4	3	1.96
Gynther Tessum, Lots 5 &	9	3	1.90
Gynther Tessum, Lots 7 &	8	3	1.96
John P. Nelson, Lots 9 &	10	3	1.96
Gynther Tessum, Lots 11 &	12	3	1.96
Nellie Fellman, Lots 13 &	14	3	1.90
Gynther Tessum, Lots 15 &	10	3	1.06
N. P. Schaltz, Lots 17 &	18	3	1.66
Hans Wilson, Lots 19 &	20	3	1.99
Hans Wilson, Lots 23 &	24	3	1.66
Dan Johnson, Lots 25 &	20	3	1.96
N. A. Nelson, Lots 27 &	28	3	1.96
N. A. Nelson, Lots 29, 30 &	31	3	2.92
Anton Severshek, Lots 32 &	33	3	1.96
Edward Hauske, Lots 34 &	35	3	1.96
Gynther Tessum, Lots 38 &	30	3	1.00
Gynther Tessum, Lots 40 &	41	3	1.96
Gynther Tessum, Lots 42 &	43	3	1.99
Gynther Tessum, Lots 44 &	45	3	1.96
Gynther Tessum, Lots 49 &	47	3	1.96
John P. Nelson, Lots 48 &	49	3	1.96
Gynther Tessum, Lots 50 &	51	3	1.96
Hans Wilson, Lots 54 &	55	3	1.66
N. A. Nelson, Lots 56, 57 &	58	3	2.02
N. A. Nelson, Lots 59 to 02 inclusive		3	3.91
Gynther Tessum, Lots 1 &	2	4	1.99
Gynther Tessum, Lots 3 &	4	4	1.90
Gynther Tessum, Lots 5 &	6	4	1.66
Gynther Tessum, Lots 7 &	8	4	1.96
Gynther Tessum, Lots 9 &	10	4	1.90
Gynther Tessum, Lots 11 &	12	4	1.96
Gynther Tessum, Lots 13 &	14	4	1.66
Gynther Tessum, Lots 15 &	10	4	1.90
Gynther Tessum, Lots 17 &	18	4	1.66
Gynther Tessum, Lots 19 &	20	4	1.99
Gynther Tessum, Lots 21 &	22	4	1.96
Gynther Tessum, Lots 23 &	24	4	1.96
Gynther Tessum, Lots 25 &	20	4	1.96
Gynther Tessum, Lots 27 &	28	4	1.66
Gynther Tessum, Lots 29 &	30	4	1.90
Gynther Tessum, Lot	31	4	.64

CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

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Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty-three (43)

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1927)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
T. Mortenson, Part of SE¼ SW¼	33	6.03
Lottie W. Patton, Part of NE¼ SW¼	33	65.77
M. C. Harlow, W½ SE¼ Lots 5 & 6 Exc. 8 acres Sec. 34, Lot 1	35	168.74
Conley Real Estate Co., S½ NW¼ Less City Property	34	54.33
Phillip J. Cote, Part of SW¼ SW¼	34	1.74
Carrie L. Johnson, Part of SW¼ SE¼	34	6.98
M. C. Harlow, Vacated Blocks, 1, 2, 3, 16 & 21	34	60.64
S. O. Bergland, Vacated Lots 1 to 9 inclusive, Block 44	34	2.34
T. C. Johnson, Part of SE¼ SW¼	34	13.08

Original Townsite

	Lot	Blk.	$ Cts.
Henry Elde, Lots 3 &	4	6	34.98
And. Gunderson, Lot	6	6	53.64
Conrad Vinge, Lot	8	7	41.98
H. N. Hager, Lots 7 to 12 inclusive		9	55.98
Olof A. Winger, Lots 3 &	4	10	20.98
J. M. Bishop, Lots 7 &	8	16	20.98
Leo. J. Fahey, Lots 9 &	10	10	165.60
S. S. Kampton, Lot	18	11	10.49
Frank D. Dalager, Lots 19 &	20	11	44.30
M. C. Harlow, Lots 8 &	9	12	62.71
F. & M. State Bank, Lots 6, 7 &	8	13	181.90
Presbyterian Church, Lots 16, 17 & 18 (Paving Tax only)		13	29.25
V. L. McGregor, Lots 19 &	20	14	192.61
Chas. Shirley, West 56 feet Lots 1 &	2	15	44.30
L. D. McAdams, Lots 19 &	20	15	55.98
Chas. T. Hanson, Lots 23 &	24	15	85.79
O. H. Neseth, Lots 11 &	12	18	25.66
H. W. Siems, Lots 13 &	14	18	88.62
Lillian M. Conner, Lots 7 &	8	21	220.92
Elmon Mercantile Co., East 34 ft. Lots 21, 22, 23 &	24	21	109.62
Carl Fredrickson, Lots 15 &	10	22	20.98
M. R. Hoge, Lots 21 &	22	22	58.36
Albert Hendrickson, Lots 7 &	8	23	48.98
J. M. Bishop, Lots 13 &	14	23	19.75
J. M. Bishop, Lots 15 &	19	23	19.75
J. M. Bishop, Lots 17 &	18	23	19.23
J. M. Bishop, Lots 11 &	12	24	18.65
John Morgan, Lots 5 &	9	20	21.05
J. M. Bishop, Lots 7 &	8	20	21.65
F. & M. State Bank, Lots 11 &	12	26	53.62
J. M. Bishop, Lots 15 &	19	29	19.60
J. M. Bishop, Lots 17 &	18	20	19.80
J. M. Bishop, Lots 10 &	26	29	19.80
Ole Peterson, Lot	5	27	23.32
First National Bank, Lot	9	27	14.00
A. & G. Carlson, Lots 15 &	19	27	18.60
Mrs. B. M. Bakke, Lot	17	27	8.32
J. M. Bishop, Lots 18 &	19	27	17.48
J. M. Bishop, Lots 20 &	21	27	17.48
J. M. Bishop, Lots 23 &	24	27	19.80
J. M. Bishop, Lot	22	27	9.44
Agnes Aos, et al, Lots 1 &	2	28	603.70
H. K. Strand, Lots 3 &	4	28	219.66
Lloyd T. Aines, Lot	7	28	143.04
T. O. Mannum, Lot	8	28	101.92
Salvation Army, Lot (Paving Tax only.)	9	28	31.08
Nortz Lumber Co., Lot	12	28	99.59
A. B. Remmem, Lots 26, 21 &	22	28	44.30
A. B. Remmem, Lot	23	28	135.27
A. B. Remmem, Lot	24	28	149.83
Lars K. Stromme, North 21 feet Lot	7	29	103.00
Erling Dahl, Lot	8	26	113.10
Gray & Wold, Lot	9	29	110.82
Empire Farms, Co., Lot	10	29	239.38
Empire Farms Co., Lots 11 &	12	29	216.98
Ole Arneson, Lot	19	29	147.14
T. K. Dahl, Lot	20	29	99.90
Henry Elde, 16 ft. West of East 52 ft. Lots 21 to	24	29	215.34
Mary Christo, W 50 feet, Lots 1, 2, 3 &	4	36	464.44
First National Bank, Lots 7 &	8	36	252.44
First National Bank, Lot	6	36	158.80
J. M. Bishop, Lot	15	30	104.16
John Offerdahl, Lot	17	39	292.10
F. & M. State Bank, Lot	16	36	113.47
Chris Amundson, Lot	26	39	127.48
J. E. Curtis et al, West 35 ft. of East 60 ft. Lots 21 to	24	36	714.59
German Evang. Church, Lots 13, 14, 15, 16 (Paving Tax only.)		31	152.07
Church Property, Lots 19 & 26 (Paving Tax only.)		31	73.19
Denis C. Cavanaugh, West 60 ft. Lots 22, 23 &	24	31	007.92
Andrew Gunderson, 16 ft. West of East 25 ft. Lots 22, 23 &	24	31	65.17
Tessum and Co., Inc., East 46 feet of Lots 13 &	14	34	232.55
Oscar Rambaek, S½ Lot 19 and Lots 26 &	21	34	202.42
First National Bank, West 56 ft. Lots, 7, 8, 6, 16, 11 &	12	35	366.88
Carl Froseth, Lot	16	35	254.98
Bessie K. Hamre, East 119 ft. Lots 1 &	2	36	285.32
Elias Rolland, Lot	7	39	349.70
T. P. Hnmre, West 89 feet Lots 13, 14 &	15	36	539.16
First & Peoples State Bank, East 55 ft. Lot	16	36	55.00
H. E. Crandall, Lot	21	36	193.77
Barbara Eastman, Lot 22 Exc. 15x56 feet		36	297.29
Citizens Security Co., Lots 1, 2, 3 &	4	37	931.65
Lillian Way, Lot	8	37	333.12
Frank Fisher, West 59 feet Lots 13 to 16 inclusive		37	137.92
Ramstad & Mellgaard, East part of Lots 19 &	26	37	23.32
Citizens Security Co., Centre 56 feet Lots 13 to 18 inclusive		37	131.30
Ole T. Sandnes, Lot	24	37	248.79
J. M. Bishop, Lots 1 to 4 inclusive		38	32.62
O. O. Kvendvolden, Lots 5 &	6	38	15.16
J. M. Bishop, Lots 13 to 18 inclusive		38	45.42
J. M. Bishop, Lots 16 to 24 inclusive		38	47.76
W. W. Prichard, Lots 6 &	7	36	18.66
W. W. Prichard, Lot	8	30	9.32
Evelyn Thoreson, Lots 6 &	19	39	65.30
Theo. Jorgenson, Lots 14 &	15	30	16.33
Elias Rolland, Lots 18 & 16 West 74 ft. Lots 26 to	24	39	153.92
H. N. Hager, Lots 1, 2, 3 &	4	46	29.71
H. N. Hager, Lots 5 to 0 inclusive		46	34.98
Herman Molin, Lots 16, 11 & 12		46	71.12
Thief River Falls Iron Works, Lots 13 to 24 inclusive		40	203.44
Geo. L. Stearns, Lot	1	41	3.82
W. W. Prichard, Jr., Lots 5, 6 &	7	41	27.48
W. W. Prichard, Jr., Lots 3 &	4	41	11.66
J. A. Malnsine, Lot	8	41	5.82
Geo. L. Stearns, Lots 0 to 24 inclusive		41	51.31
Wm. Buelman, Lots 1 &	2	43	1.81
Louis Hanson, Lots 12 &	13	43	2.33
Louis Hanson, Lots 14 &	15	43	2.33
Louis Hanson, Lots 16 &	17	43	2.33
J. M. Sponcel, Lot	18	43	1.16
Louis Hanson, Lot	16	43	1.16
I. M. Smith, Lots 26 &	21	43	2.33
Louis Hanson, Lot	22	43	1.16
Marion Bishop, Lots 9, 10, 11 &	12	52	25.62
Catherine E. Ives, Lots 1 to 5 inclusive		53	37.86
Maude M. Bishop, Lots 13 to 16 inclusive		53	26.26
Maude M. Bishop, Lots 17 &	18	53	12.23
Math Barzen, Lots 16 &	26	53	11.66
Maude M. Bishop, Lot	21	53	0.32
Math Barzen, Lot	22	53	6.32
Theo. Moran, Lots 23 &	24	53	17.40
Arthur Johnson, Lots 3 &	4	54	74.64
J. M. Bishop, Lots 7, 8 &	9	54	14.00
J. M. Bishop, Lots 16, 11 &	12	54	103.82
Samuel Fitterman, Lot	4	56	78.04
Theo. W. Mork, East 56 ft. Lots 13 to 17 inclusive Pt Lot	18	56	426.76
A. D. Langlett, 46 ft. centre of Lots 13 to 18 inclusive		56	165.52
Hilmar Aga, West 56 feet Lots 13 to 18 North 15 ft. of west 56 ft. Lot	18	56	138.14
Anna Kratsehmer, Lot	10	56	7.58
Anna Kratzschmer, Lot	26	56	7.68
Anna Kratzschmer, Lots 21 &	22	56	15.14
Anna Kratzschmer, Lots 23 &	24	56	249.32
H. O. Hanson, Lots 1 &	2	57	430.50
Peter Quande, Lot	3	57	101.78
E. H. Kueffer, Lot	4	57	192.77
E. H. Kueffer, Lot	5	57	286.05
E. H. Kueffer, Lot	9	57	99.48
E. H. Kueffer, Lot	7	57	99.48
Chas. M. Plain, Lot	9	57	105.88
Chas. M. Plain, Lot	10	57	198.22
Chas. M. Plain, Lot	11	57	115.21
Chas. M. Plain, Lot	12	57	382.92
George Newberry, East 50 ft. Lots 13 &	14	57	180.86
George Newberry, Lots	15	57	85.92
Robert Cochran, Lots 17 &	18	57	155.48
Carl A. Borgeson, Lots 19 &	20	57	155.48
John L. Magnuson, Lots 1, 2 &	3	58	507.28
Martin V. Evenson, West 20 ft. Lots 11 &	12	58	40.73
Mary Mehan, Lot	17	58	190.83
M. C. Harlow, Lot	21	58	160.64
M. C. Harlow, Lot	22	58	137.96
John J. Vorachek, Lot	23	58	99.48
John J. Vorachek, Lot	24	58	465.30
Church Property, Lots 18, 19, 20, 21 (Paving Tax only.)		50	156.39
Queen City Bottling Works, East 40 ft. Lots 15, 19 &	17	59	22.16
F. & M. State Bank, T. R. Falls, Lot	0	63	135.82
Geo. Diebel, Lots 9 & 10 S½ Lot	11	63	109.50
F. C. Nicholl, Lot	13	63	53.59
Lawrence Mortgage Co., East 90 ft. Lots 15 &	16	63	245.16
First National Bank, Lots 17 &	18	63	530.11
J. M. Bishop, Lots 10 &	20	63	190.97
J. M. Bishop, Lot	24	63	47.86
Olga Steward, Lot	25	63	47.86
Esther Myrland, Lot	26	63	47.28
Anna Kratzschmer, Lots 27 &	28	63	94.58
Pioneer Sash and Door Factory, E½ Lots 17 &	18	64	126.66
Henry Diebel, E½ Lot	16	64	1.46
P. J. Mahon, Lots 20 &	21	64	15.72
Dan Bergsman, Lot	24	64	12.52
Citizens State Bank, Grygla, Lots 25 &	26	64	25.04
August Yonke, Lots 31 &	32	64	39.04
J. M. Bishop, Lots 6, 7 &	8	67	11.18
J. M. Bishop, Lots 9 to 12 inclusive		67	14.62
J. M. Bishop, Lots 13 &	14	67	7.46
Henry Pope, Lots 15 &	16	67	55.00
Mary K. Walker, Lots 17, 18 &	16	67	82.04
Mary K. Walker, Lots 20, 21 &	22	67	16.50
Ole G. Hanson, Lots 23, 24 &	25	67	10.50
John Shabel, Lots 26, 27 &	28	67	10.56
John Shabel, Lots 20, 30, 31 &	32	67	13.98
James Walker, Lot	17	68	2.34

Martha Rogers, Lot	18	68	2.34
H. B. Slater, Lots 19 to 22 inclusive		68	10.84
J. R. Fredlund, Lots 26 &	27	68	4.66
C. Kretzschmer, Lot	29	68	2.34
Chas. A. Kiewel, Lot	30	68	2.34
Hemmingsen's Addition			
Wm. N. Ryer, Lots 1 &	2	2	44.30
Ed. S. Christie, Lots 3 & N½ Lot	2	3	10.49
V. M. Higbenbottem, Lots 4, 6 &	6	3	64.12
Harold Skjerva, Lot	4	4	4.94
E. S. Wilcox, Lot	6	6	2.34
Thos. Smith, Lots 6 &	7	5	4.66
August Peterson, Lot	8	6	20.98
C. E. Sanderson, Lot	1	0	8.16
E. E. Aspeland, Lots 2 &	3	6	14.00
Ole O. Vinge, Lot	4	6	6.98
Geo. L. Stearns, Lot	6	6	0.98
Betesta Holmes, Lots 6, 7 &	8	6	20.98
C. W. McDaniel, Lot	9	6	6.98
C. W. McDaniel, Lot	10	8	6.98
Ed. L. Krogstad, Lots 11 &	12	6	17.49
Axel Thorseson, Lot	16	6	3.64
Peter C. Wold, Lot	12	7	6.98
Mary Hallam et al, Lot	13	7	3.64
Christ Bugge, Lots 14, 15, 16 &	17	7	66.47
Nels G. Olson, Lots 11 &	12	8	17.20
Christ Bugge, Lots 19 &	20	8	4.60
H. A. McClother, Lot	24	8	3.20
Porter's Addition			
John Backer, Lots 8 &	9	8	72.56
Phil Zeh, Lots 4 &	6	3	39.70
Martin Stordahlen, Lots 14, 15 &	16	3	38.48
Jonas Blomquist, Lot	1	4	16.33
Emil Grebstein, Lots 15 &	10	4	7.84
Christian Brown, Lots 1 &	2	5	46.10
Wm. A. Teal, Lots 3 &	6	6	7.84
Maude M. Bishop, Lot	7	5	4.66
K. Panick, Lot	17	5	3.49
J. M. Bishop, Lots 3, 4 &	6	6	33.50
John Scheres, Lots 1 to 6 inclusive		7	23.32
Citizens State Bank, Lots 7 &	8	7	65.36
Martin McAndress, Lots 10, 11 &	12	8	53.64
K. A. Sundahl, Lots 17 &	18	8	6.98
Alphonce Fountain et al, Lots 7 &	8	9	39.64
Jennie Jacobson, Lots 13 &	14	9	27.98
Hans H. Jacobson, Lot	15	9	4.66
Nels Erickson, Lots 20 &	21	9	18.66
Marria Hetland, Lots 23 &	24	9	24.48
Axel T. Johnson et al, Lots 6 &	7	11	35.04
H. B. Newell, Lots 23, 24 &	25	11	75.90
Anna C. Jenson, Lots 20 &	27	11	36.70
Chas. F. Wisner, Lots 3 &	4	12	39.92
A. O. Borgen, Lots 5, 6 &	7	12	96.02
Lucis Pescinski, Lot	9	12	11.80
Chas. F. Wisner, Part of Lot 11 All of Lots 12, 13 &	14	12	12.82
Bert Fish, Lot	15	12	3.96
Chas. F. Wisner, Lots 1 to 6 inclusive		13	24.48
Aslak Jaranson, Lots 7 &	8	13	11.07
Mary Walker, Lots 9 &	10	13	8.18
Maude M. Bishop, Lots 18, 20, 21 &	22	13	13.98
Otto F. Wendt, Lot	19	13	3.64
T. J. Mjoseth, Lot 2 &	3	14	8.98
Phillip E. Zeh, Lots 11 &	12	14	6.98
Phillip E. Zeh, Lots 1 to 5 inclusive		15	17.49
J. M. Bishop, Lot	6	15	3.49
State of Minnesota, Part of Lots 13 to 17 inclusive		16	4.66
Mary Horjesh, Lots 18, 19 &	20	16	33.82
Carolina Barlow, Part Lots 1 &	2	17	4.66
Minnie Hoard, Lots 10, 11 &	12	17	100.28
John Bratrud, Lot	2	18	22.20
Anna C. Stageberg, Lots 7 &	8	18	39.62
Anna C. Stageberg, Lots 9 &	10	18	16.02
E. P. Bakke, Lots 11, 12, 13 &	14	18	106.79
Gustaf Carlson, Lots 18, 20 &	21	18	51.32
J. P. Curtis, Lots 27, 28, 29 &	30	18	40.65
Chas. Tedford, Lots 14 to 25 inclusive		10	11.18
Anna Kratzschmer, Lots 1 &	3	21	9.32
Anna Kratzschmer, Lots 4, 5 &	6	21	6.98
Svere Lovied, Lots 11 &	12	21	4.66
Fred Stensrud, Lots 10 &	17	21	16.33
Christ Strom, Lot	18	21	2.33
Anna Kratzschmer, Lots 19 to 24 inclusive		21	14.00
Emma Payette, Part of Lots 1, 2 &	3	22	6.98
Emma Payette, Lots 7, 8 &	9	22	0.98
Phil Zeh, Lots 10, 11 &	12	22	6.98
Emma Payette, Lots 1, 2, 3, &	4	23	9.32
Math Barzen, Lots 4 &	7	23	2.33
Thos. H. Smith, Lots 11 &	12	23	3.49
Louis Hettland, Lots 1, 2, 3 &	4	24	0.08
Olof Gregerson, Lots 0 to 9 inclusive		24	0.34
Chas. E. Tadford, Lots 1 to 6 inclusive		25	5.60
Maria Charpa, Lots 7 &	8	25	1.86
Thos. H. Smith, Lots 11 &	12	25	1.86
Northern R. E. Mtg. Co., Lot	13	25	.92
Security State Bank, Lots 14 to 26 inclusive		25	12.13
Security State Bank, Lots 1, 2 &	3	26	4.66
Bed Lake Rapids Addition			
Annie Moe, Lots 30 &	31	3	4.66
Annie Moe, Lots 32 &	33	3	4.30
Annie Moe, Lots 34 &	35	3	4.88
Magnus Hulin, Lots 1 & 2 & Part of Reserve		5	4.66
Lena Berg, Lots 28 & 29 S½ Lot	30	6	47.82
Rasmus Tangstad, Lots 7 &	8	7	32.65
Citizens State Bank, Lots 9 &	10	7	23.32
John McFarland, Lots 11 &	12	7	9.32
Martha Skjallberg et al, Lots 13 &	14	7	14.00
P. L. Meyhew, Lots 25, 26 &	27	7	14.00
Louisa Soderberg, Lots 31 to 34 inclusive		7	18.60
Hans Sahl, Lots 39 &	40	7	61.32
Erick Olson, Lots 41 to 48 inclusive		7	37.36
Priscella Biederman, Lots 1, 2 &	3	8	53.76
Mary E. Wilcox, Lots 4 to 12 inclusive		8	41.98
Mary E. Wilcox, Lots 13 to 16 inclusive		8	18.66
Erick Levin, Lots 17 &	18	8	9.32
Centran Metrapalitan Bk, Lots 19 &	20	8	9.32
Centran Metrapalitan Bk., Lots 21 &	22	8	9.32
Centran Metrapalitan Bk., Lots 23 &	24	8	10.50
Gust Naplin, Lots 36 to 39 inclusive		8	18.05
Security State Bank, Lots 40 to 44 inclusive		8	23.32
Peter Peterson, Lots 45 &	46	8	9.32
Peter Peterson, Lots 47 &	48	8	9.32
Alice N. Graves, Lots 31 &	32	9	8.40
Andrew N. Ness, Lots 33 &	34	9	67.85
Thos. H. Smith, Lots 3 &	4	10	1.40
Martha Amble et al, Lots 5 to 10 inclusive		10	8.40
Martha Amble et al, Lots 11 to 15 inclusive		10	6.98
Martha Amble et al, Lots 16 to 19 inclusive		10	6.66
Peter A. Monsrud, Lot	20	10	1.40
Herman Halvorson, Lot	21	10	4.66
K. O. Sundahl, Lots 34 &	35	10	8.72
K. O. Sundahl, Lots 36, 37 &	38	10	5.60
Unknown, Lot	48	10	.93
Olof Thompson, Lots 21, 22, 23 &	24	11	26.12
Andrew Stenseth, Lots	25	11	.47
Andrew Stenseth, Lot	1	13	.47
Samuel Plough, Lots 4 &	6	13	1.86
R. O. Johnsrud, Lots 8 to 11 inclusive		13	2.10
Erick Bergland, Lots 12 &	13	13	.47
Reinhart Johnsrud, Lots 6, 7 &	8	14	2.79
Scand. Am. State Bank, Lots 13 to 16 inclusive		14	3.72
John Ferguson, Lots 17 to 20 inclusive		14	8.72
Carr and Bishop, Lots 21 to 24 inclusive		14	1.86
J. A. Jackson, Lots 25 to 31 inclusive		14	8.26
J. A. Jackson, Lots 32, 33 &	34	14	1.40
Ed. Rosenquist, Lots 5 &	6	15	1.86
Knut Danielson, Lot	7	15	.93
H. E. Rudberg, Lot	8	15	.93
Olof O. Kvall, Lots 9 &	10	15	1.86
Olof O. Kvall, Lots 11 &	12	15	1.86
Samuel Plough, Lots 13 &	14	15	1.86
Samuel Plough, Lots 15 &	16	15	1.86
Olof O. Kvall, Lot	17	15	6.59
Geo. L. Stearns, Lots 21 to 24 inclusive		15	3.72
C. H. Estell, Lots 29 to 32 inclusive		15	3.72
Sander M. Vraa, Lots 38, 39 &	40	15	2.79
John Hopkins, Lots 45 to 48 inclusive		15	372
Pauline Wedmer, Lots 4 to 8 inclusive		16	85.04
A. W. Hedstrom, Lot	9	16	10.72
A. E. Brandt, Lots 10 &	11	16	2.79
Julius Sonjle, Lots 27, 28 &	29	16	6.60
Reinbard Johnsrud, Lots 30 to 34 inclusive		16	9.34
Anna K. Stromme, Lots 35 &	36	16	3.72
F. M. Barns, Lots 37 to 44 inclusive		16	14.90
F. M. Barns, Lots 45, 46, 47 &	48	18	7.48
Citizens State Bank, Lots 1 to 8 inclusive		17	17.22
Citizens State Bank, Lots 9 to 18 inclusive		17	17.22
Citizens State Bank, Lots 17 to 24 inclusive		17	18.16
Citizens State Bank, Lots 25 to 32 inclusive		17	24.24
Citizens State Bank, Lots 33 to 40 inclusive		17	24.24
Citizens State Bank, Lots 41 to 48 inclusive		17	25.98
W. R. Patterson, Lot	4	18	4.66
W. R. Patterson, Lot	6	18	4.66
J. P. Curtis, Lots 13 to 18 inclusive		18	27.98
E. S. Wilcox, Lots 19 to 24 inclusive		18	18.60
Blanche Pilger, Lots 29 &	30	18	9.32
Wm. Pilger, Lots 31 &	32	18	9.32
E. S. Wilcox, Lots 33 &	34	18	9.32
W. A. McIntyre, Lots 37 &	38	18	9.82
W. A. McIntyre, Lots 39 &	40	18	9.82
H. A. Egeland, Lots 1, 2 &	3	19	42.84
Karl Sundahl, Lots 4 &	5	19	14.58
T. J. Carr, Lots 6 to 9 inclusive		19	38.44
Christian Garnandt, Lots 25 &	26	19	45.40
Linda Rohhecke, Lots 1 & 2 & N½ Lot	3	20	136.43
Linda A. Booren, Lots 4 & 5 S½ Lot	3	20	15.10
Louise Rohhecke, Lot	6	20	5.82
C. W. Vorachek, Lots 15, 16 &	17	20	17.50
Walter Jonas, et al, Lots 18 &	19	20	11.60
Walter Jonas et al, Lots 25 to 29 inclusive		20	86.29
H. E. Crandall, Lots 48, 47 &	48	20	22.70
Mary C. Seaverson, Lots 16 &	17	21	37.32
Anna Mickelicky, Lots 18, 19 &	20	21	34.98
Phensie O'Neill, Lots 21 to 24 inclusive		21	30.32
G. G. Williams, That part of Reserve lying east of Red Lake River, between west side of Mpls. Ave. a line 265 ft. in an easterly direction along Ry., Also that part of Lots 35, 36, 37 & part of Vacated Street, Exc. that Part owned by Soo Railway			23.32
Knox's Re-Arrangement of Blocks 23 & 24 Bed Lake Rapids Addition			
Citizens State Bank, Lot 'O'		23.	2.33
Maude M. Bishop, Lot 'P'		23	48.06
Elizabeth A. Rinker, Lots 18, 19, 20 &	21	24	124.72
Bed Lake Rapids Addition			
Lucelle E. Johnson, Lots 9, 10 &	11	25	151.69
J. W. Wheeler, Lots 23 &	24	25	27.97
Chas. Shirley, Lots 25 &	26	25	65.36
Anna C. Sundahl, Lots 29 &	30	25	18.06
M. Lydia Dahlen, Lots 1, 2, 3 &	4	26	177.24
O. A. Ramheck, Lots 42, 43 &	44	26	46.64
O. A. Westin, Lots 1, 2, 3, &	4	27	53.04
Inga B. Young, Lot 7 & E½ & N 10 ft. of W½ Lot	8	27	59.35
J. P. Curtis, Lots 28 to 32 inclusive		27	233.22
B. R. Weaverson, Lots 8 &	9	28	9.82
Geo. L. Stearns, Lots 19 &	20	28	9.32
Soren Nygaard, Lots 28 &	29	28	35.63
Geo. Larson, Lot	32	28	7.00
F. & M. State Bank, Lots 33 &	34	28	97.92
Alf. Solberg, Lots 19 &	20	29	4.66
A. M. Paulson, Lots 21 &	22	29	4.66
Christ Strom, Lots 23 &	24	29	4.66
Alfred W. Paulson, Lots 28 &	29	29	9.32
L. G. Johnson, Lots 1, 2, &	3	30	5.58
James F. Farr, Lot	4	30	1.86
Fred C. Brendicke, Lot	6	30	18.65
Mary La Jambe, Lots 15 to 24 inclusive		30	21.62
Harriet M. Anderson, Lots 40 &	41	30	6.05
Annie Nelson, Lots 47 &	48	30	6.08
Ed. T. Iverson, Lots 1 to 11 inclusive		31	15.49
Paul J. Trontvedt, Lots 25 to 30 inclusive		31	11.18
J. R. Anderson, Lots 38 &	39	31	3.72
J. F. Gallhaller, Lots 40 &	41	31	3.72
Hans Quam, Lot	42	31	1.66
J. P. Curtis, Lots 43 &	44	31	3.72
State Bank of Grygla, Lots 47 &	48	31	3.72
C. Ryberg, Lots 4 to 7 inclusive		32	3.72
F. E. Lewis, Lots 8 to 11 inclusive		32	3.72
Carr & Bishop, Lots 38 to 44 inclusive		32	2.84
Emil E. Olson, Lots 1, 2, &	3	33	13.07
Jennie Simonson, Lots 7 to 11 inclusive		33	5.82
Mary Jacohson, Lots 41, 42 &	43	33	10.72
C. N. Sonneyson, Lots 44 to 48 inclusive		33	4.63
Carr & Bishop, Lots 1 to 11 inclusive		34	4.90
A. S. Bishop, Lots 19 &	20	34	.93
Bertha Lundell, Lots 23 &	24	34	1.86
Carr and Bishop, Lots 25 to 28 inclusive		34	1.66
J. P. Curtis, Lots 40 &	41	34	3.00
Carr & Bishop, Lots 42 to 48 inclusive		34	3.26
Conley's First Addition to Bed Lake Rapids			
Annie K. Myrom, Lot	5	1	46.82
Wm. Knight, Lot	6	1	47.34
Karl A. Sundahl, Lot	7	1	16.33
Karl A. Sundahl, Lot	8	1	61.80
Conley's Second Addition to Red Lake Rapids			
Amy McMahan, Lot	1	2	25.66
C. L. Dobner, et al, Lots 7, 8 &	9	2	11.13
Minnie Skramstad, Lot	1	3	18.66
Edward S. Wilcox, Lot	2	3	4.58
Crookston Build. & Loan Ass'n., Lot	4	3	29.37
Harry Schuster, Lots 7 to 12 inclusive		4	16.34
Harry Schuster, Lots 1 to 6 inclusive		4	18.64
Catherine Miller, Lots 7, 8 &	9	6	6.64
Conley's Third Addition to Red Lake Rapids			
Ole Reydahl, Lots 1 to 4 inclusive		3	18.32
Ole Reydahl, Lots 1 to 4 inclusive		4	6.12
Ole Reydahl, Lots 7 &	8	4	7.46
Nels Christianson, Lot	3	6	67.63
Eugene LaCoe, South 100 feet Lot	2	7	20.52
Conley's Real Estate Co., Lots 3 &	4	7	12.81
Conley's Real Estate Co., Lots 5, 6 &	7	7	27.51
Bertha Krogstad, Lot	8	7	11.66
John M. Patrick, Lots 3 &	4	9	18.60
Conley Real Estate Co., Lots 1 &	2	10	23.32
Conley Real Estate Co., Lots 3 &	4	10	15.86
Conley Real Estate Co., Lots 5 &	6	10	12.81
Conley Real Estate Co., Lots 7 &	8	10	18.66
Knox's Addition to Bed Lake Rapids			
John Myers, Lots 1 &	2	4	2.56
G. H. Travers, Lot	4	4	.93
Theo. Gilbertson, Lot	6	4	.93
Albert Svenson, Lots 12 to 17 inclusive		4	4.20
Wm. Pilger, Lots 18, 19 &	20	4	22.09
H. A. Sanders, Lots 25, 26 &	27	4	2.79
Casper Nelson, Lots 28 &	29	4	1.84
Casper Nelson, Lots 30, 31 &	32	4	2.79
Wm. J. Hahedank, Lots 33 to 36 inclusive		4	28.82
Alfred G. Johnson, Lots 10 to 13 inclusive		6	30.78
A. J. Malfa, Lots 10 &	17	6	2.33
Oen Mercantile Co., Lots 24 &	25	6	15.84
B. E. Davidson, Lots 30 &	31	6	8.72
Andrew Jetland, Lots 32 &	33	6	37.52
Anna Paulson, Lot	39	6	1.86
Crookston Build. & Loan Ass'n., Lot	40	6	54.60
A. J. Holmgren, Lots 4, 6 &	6	6	7.00
Inez Olson, Lots 19 &	20	6	4.66
Anna Nelson, Lots 14 &	15	8	30.82
John Sjolsvold, Lots 16 &	17	8	11.56
Louis Karnow, Lots 18, 19 &	20	8	17.50
Lawrence H. Irgens, Lots 33, 34 &	35	8	37.90
Fred Gullenhack, Lot	27	9	25.28
Emma F. Fletcher, Lots 36 &	37	9	29.72
Oscar Williams, Lots 15, 16 &	17	10	61.80
Loren Dillen, Lots 18, 19 &	20	10	27.40
Gust Fevig, et al, Lots 1 to 6 inclusive		11	23.82
And Smith, Lots 6 &	7	11	22.16
Chas. M. Plain, Lots 7 to 10 inclusive		12	18.66
Gilbert Lonson, Lots 13 &	14	12	23.90
W. B. Fuller, Lot	15	12	6.28
Rena H. Teslow, Lots 23 &	24	12	67.02
P. A. Kolden, Lots 19, 20, &	21	13	13.98
Oscar Bye, Lots 5 &	6	14	.94
Tallack Froisness, Lots 9 &	10	14	.94
Chas. Plain, Lots 13, 14 &	15	14	5.56
Hans Angel, Lots 20 &	21	14	8.72
T. L. Mellgaard, Lots 1 to 4 inclusive		15	1.88
L. A. Burnham, Lots 9 to 12 inclusive		15	1.85
T. L. Mellgaard, Lots 13 to 16 inclusive		15	1.87
T. L. Mellgaard, Lots 17 to 20 inclusive		16	1.86
T. L. Mellgaard, Lots 21 &	22	15	.98
John M. Stephenson, Lots 23 &	24	15	.93
Maude M. Bishop, Lots 1 to 8 inclusive		22	3.72
Maude M. Bishop, Lots 9 to 15 inclusive		22	3.26
Maude M. Bishop, Lots 16 to 19 inclusive		22	1.86
Thos. H. Smith, Lot	20	22	.47
Pauline Boe, Lots 21 to 26 inclusive		22	2.79
Jacob Thill, Lot	1	23	.47
Amanda Sheebel, Lots 5 &	6	23	.93
Mathie Weeks, Lots 11 &	12	23	.93
Thos. H. Smith, Lot	13	23	.47
J. P. Curtis, Lots 17, 18 &	19	23	39.71
Joseph Vatova, Lots 21 to 26 inclusive		24	66.47
E. J. Rustad, Lots 1 &	2	25	125.94
John Morgan, Lot	14	25	3.26
Ed. Frank, Lots 17 &	18	25	6.59
John Morgan, Lots 1, 2, 3 &	4	26	56.89
Aneta Shaw, Lot	16	26	3.36
Knute Swanson, Lots 25 &	28	26	32.65
Louise Erickson, Lots 1 &	2	27	46.64
Louise Erickson, Lots 3 &	4	27	6.59
Alex Welch, Lots 21 & 22 South 10 ft. Lot	23	27	30.32
Meehan's Addition			
Theo. Lee, Lot	16	1	73.46
Oluf Tessum, Lot 22 & Part of Out Lot C		1	62.96
Oluf Tessum Lot 23 & Part of Out Lot C		1	23.32
Oluf Tessum, Lot 24 & Part of Out Lot C		1	23.32
Math Barzen, Lots 28, 29 & 30 & Part of Out Lot C		1	65.28
Ludvig A. Lien, Lots 7 &	8	2	37.32
Gust Gustin, Lot	3	3	6.98
K. M. Hanson, Lot	4	3	8.74
John P. Hagen, Lot	5	3	4.66
Augusta Nelson, Lots 1 &	2	7	88.44
Augusta Nelson, Lot	3	7	34.98
Gladys Evenson, Lot	4	7	44.35
Anna C. Bradley, Part Lots 1 &	2	8	36.14
C. W. Booren, W½ Lots 6 &	6	8	44.85
Inga Gangness, Lot	8	8	27.98
George Larson, Lot	9	8	16.32
Sons of Norway, Lots 1, 2, 3, &	4	11	349.83
Christian Bang, Out Lot A			62.96
P. Meehan's Addition			
John B. Conner, Lot	5	1	181.91
H. R. Prichard, Lot	9	2	24.75
Nels Samuelson, N½ Lot 5		4	12.52
Highland Addition			
Theo. Quale, Lot	1	8	163.25
Lillian Way, Lot	10	4	142.26
H. P. Anderson, Lot	12	4	102.01
Ole A. Mjelden, Lot	8	6	55.98
Howe Paige, Lot	10	5	13.98
Olof Sherstad, Lot	0	8	84.06
Riverside Addition			
Peter Thillen, Lots 2 &	3	3	64.98
Mary A. Bane, Lot	6	3	3.49
Christ Strom, Lot	4	7	9.32
Mary A. Bane, Lot	2	11	8.62
Oakland Addition			
Howe Paige, Lots 1 &	2	2	9.33
Howe Paige, Lots 3 &	4	2	9.33
Howe Paige, Lots 6 &	6	2	11.70
Howe Paige, Lot	7	2	7.58
Minneapolis Bridge Co., Lots 8 &	9	2	28.55
Howe Paige, Lots 11 &	12	2	14.00
Howe Paige, Lots 13 &	14	2	14.00
Howe Paige, Lots 15 &	16	2	14.00
Howe Paige, Lots 17 &	18	2	11.66
Howe Paige, Lots 10 &	11	4	30.82
Howe Paige, Lots 12 &	13	4	30.32
Howe Paige, Lots 14 &	15	4	26.82
Howe Paige, Lot	16	4	11.66
Howe Paige, Lots 1 &	2	6	27.98
Howe Paige, Lots 3 &	4	5	27.98
Howe Paige, Lot	6	5	16.33
Howe Paige, Lots 11 &	12	5	30.82
Howe Paige, Lots 13 &	14	5	27.98
Howe Paige, Lots 15 &	18	5	27.98
Howe Paige, Lots 1 &	2	6	27.98
Howe Paige, Lots 3 &	4	8	27.98
Severine Brenden, Lot	0	0	53.91
Howe Paige, Lot	9	6	16.33
Howe Paige, Lot	10	6	14.00
Howe Paige, Lots 13 &	14	6	25.64
Howe Paige, Lots 15 &	18	8	25.04
Howe Paige, Lots 1 &	2	7	0.99
Howe Paige, Lots 3 &	4	7	4.56
Howe Paige, Lot	6	7	2.33
Lester D. Hendry, Lot	0	7	2.33
Agata Quale, Lot	7	7	163.10
Howe Paige, Lot	11	7	2.90
Howe Paige, Lots 12, 13 &	14	7	15.24
Howe Paige, Lots 15 &	16	7	5.82
E. T. DeVelting, Lot	1	8	3.49
Earl De Velling, Lots 2 &	3	8	6.98
Howe Paige, Lots 4 &	5	8	13.97
Howe Paige, Lots 6 &	7	8	13.97
Howe Paige, Lot		8	9.62
John A. Carlson, Lot 1 & N½ Lot	2	9	17.49
Howe Paige, Lot	2	10	16.33
Howe Paige, Lots 9 &	10	10	12.96
Howe Paige, Lots 11 &	12	10	12.96
C. W. McDaniel, Lot	2	11	18.66
Howe Paige, Lot	10	11	16.90
Albert Larson, Lot	11	11	16.90
Howe Paige, Lot	12	11	18.90
P. W. Roark, Lot	3	12	139.92
John Bye, Lot	2	13	18.65
Wilhelm Micbelet, Lot 7 S½	8	13	28.68
Pennington Co. Red Cross Chapter, Lot	12	13	17.49
Albert Larson, Lot	1	14	13.98
Ethel B. Berkley, Lot	2	14	55.96
Wm. Smithers, Lot	7	14	139.92
Minneapolis Bridge Co., Lots 1 &	2	15	61.78
Howe Paige, Lots 3 to 6 inclusive		15	30.28
Zeh's Addition			
M. V. Evenson, Lot	4	1	9.82
Annie B. Culver, Lot	2	2	12.82
Annie B. Culver, East 30 ft. Lot	4	2	.70
Perl W. Mabey, Lots 7 &	8	2	6.98
Alfred T. Dicken, W½ Lot	6	8	6.58
C. A. Dicken, E½ Lot	0	3	25.20
First National Bank, Lot	8	3	33.82
John E. Olson, Lots 12 &	13	3	8.98
E. J. Rolland, Lots 6 &	6	4	3.49
Elias Rolland, Lots 2, 3 &	4	6	55.12
Tessum's Addition			
Anton T. Hanson, Lots 26, 27 &	28		41.98

State of Minnesota,
County of Pennington—ss.

T. P. Anderson being by me first duly sworn deposes and says that he is the County Auditor of Pennington County, Minnesota, that he has examined the foregoing list and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is a correct list of the taxes delinquent for the year 1927, upon Real Estate in said County.

T. P. ANDERSON,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of February, A. D., 1929.

ADOLF EKLUND,
Clerk of the District Court
Pennington County, Minn.

(SEAL)

State of Minnesota,
County of Pennington—ss.

I, T. P. Anderson, County Auditor, in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the foregoing copy of the list of Real Estate Taxes in said County remaining delinquent on the 1st Monday in January, 1929, was this day received from the Clerk of the District Court in and for said County and State.

Witness my hand and official seal this 1st day of February, A. D., 1929.

T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor,
Pennington County, Minn.

(SEAL)

NOTE—Parties remitting for the above will please add 30 cents to each item to cover cost of printing and Clerk of Court's fees.

Flights

"I have admired some of your flights of oratory."

"Please don't mention them," said Senator Sorghum. "Rhetorical aviation doesn't appear to count at present."—Washington Star.

POPULAR, OF COURSE

First Youth—Do you find yourself popular with the girls?
Second Youth—Oh, yes, I own a car.

The Griddle-Cake Girl

By JANE OSBORN

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NELLIE OTIS, looking very trim and pretty in a new street frock for which she had paid ten dollars and seventy-five cents and a hat which she had bought at a sale for a dollar and a half, boarded the morning train out of Gregton and waved farewell to her sister-in-law who stood watching on the platform. No tears shed, that was a blessing. It was a lot harder to leave home for the girls who had mothers and real sisters to make a fuss about them. And Nellie had never said much about her plans for leaving Gregton. She had given up her cashier's job at the store without saying what she had intended to do. With two hundred dollars to draw on she would be in no immediate want in the city.

Nellie opened her purse to get out her ticket—so it would be convenient when the conductor came along—and as she did so she also took out a little clipping that had really served as a send-off for her migration for the city. It told of a girl about Nellie's age—from a country place probably very much like Gregton—who had gone to the city to seek her fortune. Having been unable to find work in store or office she had gone to work in a quick restaurant, where she had been set to making griddle cakes in a front window. Passing by the window a famous producer had seen her, noted the perfections of her face and figure and straightway gone within to arrange an interview. And now this girl was being educated at this producer's expense for the stage—language lessons, dancing lessons, music, singing—everything that a girl might want.

Nellie was reflecting. Of course she never would consent to make a spectacle of herself in a restaurant window. And she had no desire to go on the stage. Precisely what she wanted to do she didn't know—she had saved the clipping just because it showed her that girls who went to the city sometimes succeeded in good positions.

And as she thought, the little clipping fluttered to the floor and the young man who, unseen by Nellie, had taken the seat behind her saw it and reached to get it. A little later, holding it between thumb and first finger, he quietly stepped into Nellie's compartment.

"I picked this up, Nellie," he said.

Nellie looked up into the eyes of Bob Leonard, with whom her brother had gone to school and who had recently come home after the completion of his medical studies. People said he had come to take the place of his father, old Doctor Leonard, who assuredly needed a rest after long years of devotion to a strenuous country practice.

"Where are you going?" asked Nellie.

"Same place you're going," laughed Bob.

"Why, Bob Leonard," said Nellie, the color coming to her cheeks. "You don't mean that you aren't going to stay and practice in Gregton? Your father can't keep up with that country practice forever and there isn't another doctor that side of the river for miles and miles and I've been reading about how important it is to have good doctors for the country practice."

"You seem to know quite a lot about the situation," said Bob, with a smile. And then, "How about your plans? You going up to apply for a job as flap jack turner? I read the clipping. Do you know, I've heard that there is a waiting list yards long now in all the quick lunch counters where they have girls turning flap jacks in the windows."

"Don't be so silly," said Nellie. "I just saved that because it was amusing. But I am going to the city to work, all the same."

"I wouldn't," said Bob dryly. "After all, you owe something to Gregton as much as I do."

They talked of other things for a time, lunched together in the dining car and by two or three in the afternoon found interests in common and sympathies that they had never discovered in all the years they had known each other in Gregton.

"Tell you what I'll do," said Bob when they were within a half-hour of the city. "I'll go back if you will. No one knows but you that I was thinking of leaving for good and I don't believe anyone knows you were, either. Frankly, the reason the Gregton proposition didn't appeal to me was because I needed some one to share the experience with. I didn't see a girl there that appealed to me, and I still thought of you as a child."

"I don't see how you intend to have me share it with you," said Nellie slowly.

"I mean I want to marry you," said Bob. "If you're willing we'll just get married in the city, send word to the folks, spend a week or two on a sort of wedding trip and then go back."

Then they sat making plans, even starting to make a list of the things they would need to buy in the city, kitchen equipment and instruments that Bob felt he would need as an up-to-date practitioner.

"You see what a silly little girl you were to run away to the city," said Bob, holding her arm as they walked behind their porter along the station platform in the city.

"Not at all," defended Nellie. "I came to seek my fortune, and I found it before I'd even got here. I did even better than the griddle cake girl."

The Unexpected Happens

By CLARISSA MACKIE

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THE gray roadster had covered mile after mile of the fine mountain roads before it took a wrong turn that brought it suddenly to a sandy road through deep woods. So narrow was the track that Melton Bush kept steadily on his way, hoping for a chance that further along there would be a place to turn around.

When he did stop, it was to gaze at a tea room at the side of this out-of-the-way mountain road—such a gay little cottage, all pine boards and yellow paint and scarlet geraniums in green boxes, that Melton stopped the roadster with a definite jerk that brought a trim-skirted girl to the tiny front porch.

"Oh!" she uttered surprisedly.

Mr. Bush's leveled eyes surveyed her critically. "May I have something to eat?" he inquired.

She stared, and then lifted a young, scared voice.

"Soo-san!"

"Yes?" came a lovely feminine voice out of the air above the roadster, and when Melton Bush looked up he saw a charming girl stepping down from a seat built high among the hemlock branches.

As the branches swung back from her passing, the young city man was aware of the spicy fragrance of hemlock, and then, the girl was pausing beside the car.

"Wouldn't you like something to eat out of doors, here under the trees?" And when he heartily agreed, she showed him where he might wash his hands at a bench.

When he returned to the front of the cottage a small yellow table had been laid with a square of white linen and a bunch of yellow poppies in a yellow pottery jar. On thick yellow pottery plates were large baked potatoes, a puffy omelet, fresh tomato salad, a blackberry tart, a small pitcher of thick cream, and a cup of delicious coffee.

"How did you evolve this magic?" inquired Melton Bush of the smaller girl, who stood uneasily near by.

"Miss Susan fixed—prepared—it," she said primly.

In a moment the charming Susan appeared at the door.

"Do you wish for anything more?" she inquired in her lilting voice.

"Nothing more, thank you," he said, rising. "It has been a delicious meal, and I can only wonder how you can do business on this lonely by-road."

She regarded him seriously. "To tell you the truth—we have been here for six weeks and you are our first customer!"

"Six weeks! Why didn't you close up and go back to town?"

She smiled sadly. "There was so little money to invest—and now that it is almost gone we cannot get back to town. My father, who was quite ill when we came here, has been so much benefited by the air."

"Who did you buy this place from?" he interrupted.

"Wilbert Higgins. He led us to believe that it was on the motor highway—and the owner is that very rich Melton Bush, who owns so much land that only his agents know how much he has. You would think, wouldn't you that he was rich enough without cheating a woman out of her very livelihood?" She looked indignantly at Melton Bush, as if she really knew his name as well as she seemed to know his reputation.

As for the rich Mr. Bush, he merely paid his modest little bill, and declared he would stop the next time he came that way and have a meal.

A few days later he went to see Mr. Higgins. The agent took his turn at blushing when confronted with the yellow bungalow deal.

"You told us to get rid of all extra holdings, Mr. Bush," he explained, "and if the lady had advertised she might have attracted people—"

"Buy it back from her now! Give her one thousand dollars more (for her trouble and inconvenience) than she paid you for it—and get her town address for me—see?"

"Yes, sir," said Mr. Higgins quite meekly, and went to work on the property transfer at once.

Weeks afterward, Melton Bush went to the Chester Square address that William Higgins had given him. He rang the shining brass doorbell and was shown into the presence of Susan Raymond.

"Why—Mr. Bush," the girl stammered, glancing at his card. "How could I know that it was you who came to the tea room that day—and I should never have talked so foolishly, but, really, I was discouraged, then."

"It was the happiest day of my life," said young Mr. Bush. "Your experience at the hands of my agent has changed all my plans—hereafter, I shall be my own agent, and at least earn my living. How is your father, Miss Raymond?"

So Melton Bush made the acquaintance of Colonel Raymond, and it was not long before he was a friend of the family, and then Susan's accepted suitor.

Their honeymoon was spent in the tiny cottage in the woods, and one day Melton said to his wife: "Susan, darling, what were you doing in the hemlock tree the first time I ever saw you?"

"I was crying," she confessed, and then her husband swore that she should never weep again. And, so far, he has kept his word.

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Very few things are harder to put up with than the annoyance of a good example.—Mark Twain.

Nothing so needs reforming as other people's habits.

GIVE CHILD GOOD START

Americans are called "high feeders." As statistics tell us that no other nation has so many who are overweight and diabetic as we have, it must prove that we are greatly interested in food. Such being the case, it behooves every mother to see that her child is trained to eat the right kind of food and in the right amounts.

We know many children who refuse to eat foods that all dietitians tell us are good for us. How shall we get them to eat such foods? One of the first things to do to obtain such results is to eat them yourself.

The parent who refuses foods because he does not like them can only blame himself when the child refuses to eat them.

It should not be necessary to stress the fact that all foods should be appetizing. Many children take a dislike to milk because it has tasted, some that had an unpleasant flavor, or it might have been slightly sour. When such is the case, time, patience and ingenuity will be required to overcome such dislike.

Forcing a child to eat food to which he has taken a dislike is worse than useless. Begin by changing the child's attitude toward food, by stories, pictures and booklets. Child welfare agencies are distributing such literature. The pictures of well, healthy children, how they eat, exercise and sleep, and the child of wrong habits, will make a great impression upon a child's mind.

One habit which must be broken if already formed is the pernicious candy-eating habit. The sugar which we need in our diet is supplied by starchy foods and these are taken care of in our bodies and changed to useful sugar.

The child who is made ill by certain foods is an entirely different matter. Such foods should be avoided for some time and often the sensitiveness will be overcome. These problems should be attended to by the family physician.

Nellie Maxwell

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What a young man earns during the day goes into his pocket, but what he spends in the evening goes into his character.—Dr. T. L. Cuyler.

SEASONABLE GOOD THINGS

Even the potato, the common fruit of Mother Earth, is more often ruined in the cooking than properly cooked and served as a fluffy delectable vegetable, or a snowy ball mealy and hot.

New potatoes are scraped before cooking, every eye and spot removed; old ones are peeled very thinly, as much of the real value of potato lies nearest the skin. Many prefer to cook potatoes in their jackets and when cooked in a waterless cooker they are something entirely different in flavor to the usually served potato.

Potatoes to be boiled should be placed in lightly salted, boiling water and when tender drained and shaken over the heat to remove all steam. This will insure a mealy potato. If they are not to be served at once place in the oven or heater and cover with a hot towel. Where potatoes are put on to cook in cold water, allowed to simmer and stew and often boil dry before they are cooked, then more water, often cold, is added, is it surprising that we have so many dishes of poor potatoes?

Grape Juice Ice.—Take one pint of sweetened grape juice one quart of thin cream, one tablespoonful of lemon juice and freeze as usual. Serve in sherbet cups with a spoonful of vanilla ice cream, or a spoonful of whipped cream on top.

Bird's Nest Salad.—Line heart curled leaves of lettuce with finely cubed apples mixed with equal parts of finely shredded celery. Mix one canned pimento finely mashed with mayonnaise; into this stir the apple and celery. Around the edge to carry out the idea of the nest, make a ring of chopped nuts. Peel and seed four large grapes and arrange in the nest. Serve with more dressing.

Pear and Almond Salad.—Peel very ripe pears, cut into halves, remove the core and place cut side down on hearts of lettuce. Cover with blanched quartered almonds and serve with a rich mayonnaise with a ball of cream cheese.

Nellie Maxwell

Gardener Lucky When Father Toad "Locates"

If a family of toads take up their residence in the garden it is time to feel that good luck has smilingly descended upon the place.

The toad is an asset. As a worker he does not believe in short hours, but is constantly on hand throughout the 24-hour day. He asks for nothing, only that he be left alone. And his presence means better vegetables and lovlier flowers and richer grass.

One joy in life is his—that of eating. He is at it so continuously it might be regarded as almost a religion. The biggest eater among the field hands is a novice compared to him. In 25 hours the toad will consume insect food of a volume four fold the capacity of his stomach.

Variety is his long suit, and the majority of the things the toad loves are in their state pests of every man who puts seed into the ground. With few exceptions, everything in the shape of an insect goes where all insects should go—to a stomach oblivion. With the toad if it can go into the mouth it is edible.

Life on Earth Before the Cambrian Period

A picture of life as it existed on the earth 600,000,000 years ago has been drawn by Prof. Sir Edgeworth David, Australian scientist.

He has found fossils of animal life in Australia dating back to before the Cambrian period in geology.

Sir Edgeworth, almost by accident discovered in the rocks of Mount Lofty and in the Flinders ranges of South Australia beautifully colored fossils which, from the strata in which they were found, show that a marine fauna in the early days of the earth's formation had covered a million square miles of what is now Australia.

The fossil life thus represented must have crossed the Pacific ocean. Some of it consists of sandworms and of forms related to crayfish and shrimps. Their limbs and shells were formed of a horny substance, and the colors were those of the rainbow.

"I could kick myself that I should have overlooked this obvious discovery for so long," said the professor in announcing it.—London Tit-Bits.

Bolshevik Cruelty

The animals in the Russian zoo were singled out by youthful and mischievous bolsheviki for practical bolshevist jokes. They hurled razor blades in loaves of bread and pitched them into the cage of a $15,000 elephant. The poor creature died in agony the same day. An ostrich dying mysteriously was found to have swallowed a leather glove. Some one reported having seen a youth throw a rubber fish to a sea lion. The animal died and the rubber fish was found in its stomach. Such diabolical tricks stirred up a hot public resentment and the guards around the zoo were doubled.

Whale Was Monster

The enormous skeleton of a 5,000-year-old Greenland whale has been found at Kistinge, near Halmstad, Sweden, by workmen digging a ditch near the seashore. A monstrous jawbone, measuring about thirteen feet in length, has already been unearthed. On account of its size it was first taken by the workmen to be a part of the hull of an ancient vessel.

The bone has been examined by archeologists, who estimate the whale to have lived at the end of the ice age, about 5,000 years ago.—Kansas City Star.

East Indian View

The stricter code of morality applied to women is really a compliment to them, for it accepts the natural superiority of women. But the modern women, if I may say so, is losing her self-respect. She does not respect her own individuality and uniqueness, but is paying an unconscious tribute to man in trying to imitate him. She is fast becoming masculine and mechanical. Adventurous pursuits are leading her into conflict with her own inner nature.—S. Radhakrishnan in "The Hindu View of Life."

Bread From Peanuts

"If the general public were educated to the great value of peanuts as a food for human beings, the farmer in the South could grow more with profit," an expert of the Department of Agriculture declares. "A bread made of a mixture of 25 parts peanut flour and 75 parts wheat flour is a very nutritious and palatable food. In experimental feeding of rats, the bureau found that the rate of growth of animals fed on peanut bread was much greater than that of animals on a diet of whole wheat bread."

Business Men in Pulpit

A practical way of solving the problem of a shortage of clergy in London is believed to have been found by recruiting from business and professional men. The authorities of Spitalfields parish church started classes last year for business and professional men who wished to become clergymen. Three hundred candidates applied for the course. Sixty were enrolled and will shortly be ordained by the bishop of London.

Sympathy Invaluable

Sympathy speaks not only consoling words but takes the trembling hand and sends to the heart of the sorrowing the electric spark of courage to fight life's battles alone.—Grit.

SPRAY OF HOT OIL FATAL TO MOSQUITO

Hot fuel oil, sprayed along the shores of the lakes in the Canal zone, is a most efficacious weapon against malaria-laden mosquitoes. This oil, a big factor in the fight which is culminating in certain abolition of the insect, has destroyed breeding places in the Pedro Miguel and Gatum lakes.

The method used to spray the oil necessitates the use of a rowboat carrying a tank containing 150 gallons of oil, and a crew of three men. One man rows, one works a hand pump and the other handles the spray nozzle. The hot oil is sprayed on the shore line as fast as the boat can be propelled. This surface filming has been found positive and complete.

Wind action and wavelets carry the oil into every nook and cranny, even to a considerable distance from the point of application. A rigid inspection follows every oiling to determine if it has been done thoroughly.

Elsewhere than in the lake areas, mosquito breeding is controlled chiefly by training of streams and by draining and filling.

CHIPPY CHAFF

Luck is very slow in repeating itself.

A life of ease is a difficult pursuit.—Cowper.

One can be a hero and yet not be one all the time.

No possession is gratifying without a companion.—Seneca.

Some folks roll their r's and some have rolls of V's and X's.

A man who feels his oats doesn't necessarily have horse sense.

Angel food is the proper diet for those who dwell in air castles.

Most every man is personally acquainted with the speaker of the house.

The man who lives only to amuse himself has the hardest kind of task to perform.

Labor is the divine law of our existence; repose is desertion and suicide.—Mazzini.

The ultimate notion of right is that which tends to the universal good.—Francis Hutcheson.

There is nothing truly valuable which can be purchased without pains and labor.—Addison.

Being myself no stranger to suffering, I have learned to relieve the sufferings of others.—Virgil.

Another sacred duty that can't be escaped: Keeping the trophy loving cup from becoming tarnished.

Japan Finds Market for Frogs in America

The frog industry of Louisiana is a rather large one for two reasons. In the first place the demand for frogs' legs in the vicinity of New Orleans is greater than in any other section of the country, and, in addition to that, the frogs grow to enormous size in that part of the country. Not long ago a shipment of 5,000 frogs was made to Japan, and now that country is shipping frogs to this country, conveniently serving sections which are not so easily reached by the Louisiana growers. The latter state is capable of supplying the entire demand of the country as far as the production of frogs is concerned, but the growers have not been very energetic in opening up new territory. The shipments from Louisiana amount to 2,000,000 frogs annually, valued at $500,000.

Taught to Handle Money

A course of instruction in money management will be given experimentally to elementary pupils in two grades of Driscoll and Devotion schools, Brookline, Mass. The course, planned by a member of the faculty of the economics committee of the Massachusetts Teachers' federation, is a systematic study of the implications of money as they confront the self-supporting adult; the necessity for work; capacity to earn; usefulness of work to others; payment in return for service, and use of money in saving, spending, and giving.—School Life.

The Tease

The late Gov. Austin Peay of Tennessee was a bitter opponent of evolution, short skirts and bobbed hair. At a Baptist supper in Nashville a pretty girl tried to tease the stern and handsome governor.

"Oh, for the days," she said, "when men were men!"

"And women weren't," said he.

Prudence

"Did you ever speculate in Wall street?"

"No," answered Mr. Dustin Stax. "I disapprove of gambling. I never risk a dollar without knowing what is going to happen and without being in a position to facilitate the procedure."

Power of Music

It is significant now artists turn constantly to music to assist in expressing emotions which seem to elude the other arts, in reaching the hearts and imaginations of their hearers.—American Magazine.

Mortifying

"Her husband doesn't seem stylish enough to suit her."

"No, he embarrassed her terribly asking for old-fashioned shortcake."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

How Often 'Tis True

He—Wouldn't you like to hear me sing "Because I Love You"?

She—No; if you love me, please don't sing.

NOT IN SMALL BOY TO RUN FROM FIRE

A few weeks ago fire started in the projection room of a moving picture theater in Hartford, Conn. Cautious patrons sought the nearest exits, and firemen from three companies dashed in prepared, as always, to do or die.

A half hour later, the fire extinguished, the show went on. Had the audience stayed through the excitement and the supposed danger? The adults hadn't, but the small boys who filled the gallery when the fire began were still there when the picture was resumed. It was a "Western," of course; a rip-roaring, hard-shooting "Western" with muscular hero, incredibly intelligent horse, sneering villain and golden heroine. It was, as Stevenson said of "Treasure Island," "all the old romance retold exactly in the ancient way."

They loved it so well that danger could not drive them away. What would Tom Mix say if he saw a fellow run from a little fire? Stick it out, pard!

Berlin Business Men Forced to Exercise

Berlin is rapidly becoming a city of fences in the truest sense of the word. Busy squares are being fenced in; low wire fences are being erected between the tracks of the street cars, where they run on a strip of grass in the center of the road; everywhere substantial metal fences are being put up. This is done to force the pedestrian to cross certain squares and thoroughfares only at specially marked corners. The population, however, is not exactly grateful to the authorities for thus taking care of them, for the fences smack too much of the old Prussian discipline. Not infrequently it happens that a man who has to catch a train or who is otherwise in a hurry jumps a fence and thus many a sedate business man is gradually acquiring considerable athletic skill.—Exchange.

Ladies' Things

He is one of the few males at a New Jersey coast resort, and he is having the time of his seven-year-old life playing around the hotel and its private beach.

While their children absorb sun rays and dirt, the mothers seem to do little but sit on the veranda smoking, talking and playing bridge.

The other day the seven-year-old boy happened to be near when his mother expressed a need.

"Junior," she said, "please go get mother her cigarettes and matches."

"Aw, mother," said the little man, "don't make me walk out here before everybody with those ladies' things."—New York Sun.

Electricity Corrodes

Corrosion of pipe lines that carry oil has perplexed scientists for some time, but bureau of standards investigators, after a number of tests, have announced that they are of the opinion the action is due to electricity. Running through soils where the ground is of different chemical composition and of varying moisture content, the pipe is subjected to the results of a discharge and a collecting of electrical current at different points. The earth, in other words, becomes a sort of huge battery of cells formed by the different soil sections.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Best Gait

Bobby was spending his vacation in the country, where his constant companion was a sturdy black shetland pony that possessed that well-known pony trait of always trotting twice as fast on the homeward trip as on the outbound way. Some horse-loving friend inquired of the boy: "Bobby, which is Dandy's fastest gait?" He flashed a quick comeback: "The barnyard gate!" said he.

Not Enough

First Politician—I don't see why I wasn't elected. I was for a larger dinner pail for the laboring man.

Second Politician—That may be all well and good, but you never said anything about putting stuff in the larger bucket you advocated.

A Place for Them

Some of the old-time, straight-shooting cowboys, who have found the thrills gone in that line, may be able to land jobs at the gasoline filling stations. That's one place where speed on the draw still can be put to practical use.—Sioux City Tribune.

Sweet Revenge

Girl Movie Usher—You're looking pleased with yourself.

Another One—An old flame of mine has just come in with his latest and I've separated them.—Passing Show.

She Knows the Rules

"It makes me nervous to see Betty swim so far out; she might take a cramp."

"Oh, she'll get along all right—there's no lifeguard around."

Horse Sense

Higgins (rancher)—Pete, when you married your third wife did you take a bridal tour?

Plain man Pete—Nope! Just took a fancy to her.

A Sure Sign

Claude—I wonder if Margie has company.

Wilfred—She must have—there's no light in the parlor.

PITHY NOTES

Prudence is a feather plucked from some past folly.

Easiest and cheapest way to put on style is with clothes.

Great leaders are scarce because so few wish to be led.

Mobs are usually a criticism of the way the law has been enforced.

The sun shines for all, but the porter does it for a quarter.

All hardwood tables should have glass edges for cigarettes.

Matrimony—one of the United States that isn't on the map.

The smaller the fish the more it strains the veracity of the fisherman.

When you lose money and gain wisdom by it your loss is your gain.

Happiness is in one's disposition; and that is not of one's own making.

Lots of men whom you can't run over won't stare you in the eye, either.

Time may mean much to us; but in our relation to eternity, why should it?

Universal brotherhood begins with some men by borrowing money of their friends.

Don't take a bull by the horns. Take him by the tail. Then you can let go without help.

If you must be either, be a turtle instead of a clam. Then you will have a little snap about you.

Lots of men would never be recognized as fools if they didn't fall in love and give themselves away.

Go back to the home town and reminisce with the old cronies—but they can't laugh like they used to.

If boys admire their teacher or grown-up leader, no other incentive is needed to make them imitate him.

Aviation Loses Place as Matter of Wonder

Aviation has reached the point where nobody is surprised at anything that takes place and the public seems rather to expect the unexpected to happen in the realm of aeronautics.

Wilkens and Eielson, roaring across the icebound Arctic from Alaska to Spitzbergen in 20 hours, and Kingsford-Smith, spanning the Pacific from California to Australia in three space-annihilating leaps, have been able to hold their place upon the front pages for a fleeting moment.

In the early summer of 1927 the world went mad at the achievement of an unknown youth in spanning the Atlantic. Three months later the public had become so accustomed to transoceanic air conquests that the only way to create excitement was to fall in the ocean—not fly across it.—William M. Henry in Liberty Magazine.

New Zealand Fruit

New Zealand recently celebrated the shipping of its millionth case of fruit, the dominion's overseas fruit trade having grown from 1,236 cases in 1908 to 1,018,027 cases for the 1928 season. With the exception of shipments of apples or pears to Montevideo, Rio de Janiero and Montreal, all the fruit has been sent to cities of the United Kingdom.

Making Angling Easier

A recently invented fishing-reel automatically retrieves the line after a cast by means of a spring wound as the plug on the line travels through the air. The tension produced is sufficient to wind the reel again even after casts of fifty to sixty feet. A lever control releases the spring and stops it to prevent backlash.

Sailing Vessels Passing

Full-rigged sailing vessels, once the pride of Sweden's ocean commerce, are being driven from the trade lanes by steam and motorships. Only six of the old wind-jammers are in service and not one of the brigs is carrying cargoes where in 1905 there were 230 full-rigged ships and 69 brigs flying the Swedish colors.

Some New Ones

The vaudeville performer was cheerful about it.

"A touch of asthma is no fun," he stated, "but I'm getting off some notable wheezes."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Unfortunately Not

You can't choose your friends for their taste in interior decorating or refuse to go to Aunt Lydia's because her living room makes you feel insignificant.—Woman's Home Companion.

Couldn't Try It

"Did you try that recipe for wilted lettuce?"

"I asked for wilted lettuce at the market and the man got mad."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Entirely by Motor

"Did you complete your trip by motor?"

"Yes," said Mr. Chuggins; "part way in my own car and part way in an ambulance."

On the Trail of Glennon

By JANET BROWN

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"WHAT do you think of Mr. Brown?" Dorothy True asked with an effort to appear casual in her interest. Dorothy was the younger of the two pretty True girls.

"Oh, I think he is tallish and broad shouldered, with a taste for gray tweed and green neckties and—" answered Alicia.

"Piffle," ejaculated Dorothy, and then, "What's the use!"

With that the younger sister took a folded paper that she had been sitting on from its hiding place, and threw it in the fire.

Mr. Brown was the young man whom they had recently met at a dance in town, and who had been coming out from the city to the True home with considerable frequency ever since.

In the paper that was now blazing up the chimney was an account of a culprit whose real name was Glennon, but who went by a half dozen or so aliases. The paper had described Glennon as a professional heart-breaker. He was now wanted by the police for having made way with $500 that he had "borrowed" from a young woman in the city.

"The young man is fairly tall, well built and of singularly fascinating appearance and manner—or at least this is the opinion of the young women who will appear against him." That is what the paper said.

The night after Dorothy's discovery she lay awake for many hours making plans that were deep and full of concern for Alicia. The important thing was not only to protect Alicia from falling deeply in love with the culprit—if this were possible—but to get sufficient evidence against him to make it possible to aid in securing his arrest.

This could be done, Dorothy decided, by getting him to transfer his attentions from Alicia to herself. If Alicia felt that it was Dorothy instead of herself for whom he cared she was not the sort of sister who would interfere. So Dorothy decided to make it appear that Glennon, alias for the time John Brown, was really her admirer.

Mr. Brown called the next evening. It appeared that Alicia or Mrs. True had asked him to dinner. Unfortunately for her plans, thought Dorothy, she had not been told of Mr. Bown's expected presence or she would have changed into her most becoming home evening frock. As it was, she came in from the country club after he had arrived and had to appear at dinner still in her boyish sports clothes. She determined, however, to let her charm and sprightliness of manner make up for the lack of winsome dinner clothes.

Dorothy realized that she was in a measure succeeding even before dinner was over. When the evening in the True drawing room was half spent, Dorothy was a little surprised when the fascinating Mr. Brown made his way to her side and said, sotto voce, "Suppose you come out for a little run in the country. I brought my car tonight—there's a fine moon. Do you think your mother would have any objection?"

It was easily arranged with Mrs. True, and Dorothy went to her room for her cape. "Alicia," Dorothy heard the alleged Mr. Brown say as she was going upstairs, "I want to ask a favor of you. I'm sorry, but could you let me have a five-spot till tomorrow? I left my wallet in the office and I may run out of gasoline. Don't let Dorothy know I'm such a piker."

Assuredly the plot was thickening. Dorothy seized her cape in her room and paused just long enough to take an old revolver from its hiding place in her dressing table drawer. To be sure it was unloaded, and it was of ancient make. She had found it in the attic. Two blocks away from the True house the alleged Mr. Brown took a hand from the wheel, groped for one of Dorothy's and found it.

"Dorothy, dear," the villain said, "I have felt sure until tonight that you hadn't given me a thought. But tonight you have seemed just a little kinder. Dorothy, dear—" The car stopped under the shade of an old elm, and Dorothy felt two strong arms about her. She turned her face away, but she felt a kiss.

Then a car showed its searchlights ahead. "I think we'd better go to the garage, if you don't object," he said. "I'm almost out of gas."

"To the garage!" Dorothy mocked, feeling for her funny old revolver and then flourishing it. "To the police station, you mean."

Mr. Brown seemed not in the least afraid. For he backed his car to the shade of the elm tree again, waited till the car was behind them and then crushing Dorothy and her poor old revolver in his arms, demanded an explanation. He had never even heard of Glennon.

Then they went to the garage and then back to the True house. Twenty minutes before, when they had just left the house Mr. True had commented to Mrs. True: "Seems as if our little Dorothy is rather shining up to Brown."

"Yes, I know Dorothy is interested in him," smiled Alicia. "Poor child, she thinks he is quite fascinating. Love surely is blind."

So no one was very much surprised when Dorothy and John Brown returned, asking the family's blessing on their plighted troth.

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See us for prices on the above, and on any other seed you may want this spring.

C. Roe Grain Company

ST. HILAIRE, MINN

Arthur Hanson Local Manager

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Minnesota, }
County of Roseau } SS

In District Court
Fourteenth Judicial District

First State Bank of Roosevelt, Plaintiff

vs

Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson Defendants

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Roseau upon a Judgment rendered in said Court in favor of First State Bank of Roosevelt, Plaintiff, and against Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson Defendants, and a transcript of which said judgment was subsequently and prior hereto duly filed and docketed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Pennington County, Minnesota, I have levied upon the following described real estate of said defendants, to-wit;

The South half of the Northwest, quarter (S1-2NW1-4) and Lots three and four (3 and 4) of section four (4) township one hundred fifty-two (152) range Forty-four (44) West, in the County of Pennington. Minnesota.

And that I shall, on Friday the 15th day of March, 1929 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson in and to the above described property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Four Hundred Fifty-three and 13-100 Dollars ($453.13), together with all accrueing costs of sale, and interest on the same from the 17th day of January, 1929, at the rate of six per cent per annum, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 28th day of January, 1929.

O. L. Ihle,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.

M. J. Hegland,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Roseau, Minnesota.
J31-M-7

French Women Fight to Play Pelote Game

Paris.—Women may practice any sport but pelote in Paris. They have tried for years to be permitted but the association that controls the picturesque Basque game regards woman as unable to stand the strain. They may, however, play a variety of the game called "raquette," reputed to be a near ancestor of tennis.

Pelote is akin to handball in theory. The ball is propelled against a wall from the "chistera," a long, narrow basket strapped to the wrist, shaped so that it is something like an elongated hand.

Women are seldom permitted to play pelote in the Basque country, along the Spanish border, but a group of Basque girls living here are determined to break down the barriers.

Writes Own Eulogy

Worcester, Mass.—The only services at the funeral of Thomas P. Abbott were the reading of a paper prepared by himself. The paper was a sketch of his own life.

Natural Ice Discarded

The city of New York is supplied artificial ice, and the Hudson valley natural ice crops have gone largely into the discard, along with the Maine ice cut, so far as the metropolis is concerned. The ice plants in the city make 80,000 tons a day.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of that certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by the Citizens State Bank of Hazel, Minnesota, a corporation, as mortgagors, to The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Indiana, mortgagee, bearing date the 22nd day of January, 1926, with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of February, 1926, at four o'clock P. M. in Book 76 of Mortgages on Page 188.

That said default consists in the failure to pay principal note of One Hundred Dollars ($100) due January 10, 1929, and the failure to pay interest amounting to One Hundred Ninety-five Dollars ($195) due January 10, 1929, and,

Whereas, The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company has elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and,

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred Twelve and 31-100 Dollars, ($3212.31), and,

Whereas, said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, which said premises are situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota and are more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4) in Section Six (6) Township One Hundred Fifty Two (152) North of Range Forty-Two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 168.57 acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof,

together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State on the 6th day of April, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars ($75) attorney's fee, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one (1) year from the date of sale. Dated this 11th day of February, 1929.

THE LINCOLN NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation, MORTGAGEE.

R. V. GLEASON,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
332 Builders Exchange,
Minneapolis, Minnesota.
F21-M28

Reminders of Old Rome

The Palatine hill, Rome, is now a public park; the Janiculum has been converted into walks and drives.

Business Is Business

Some people are not satisfied to take things as they come unless they can sell them at a profit.

That's Something

There are certain people who don't seem to have any special mission in life except to be news.

Advertising does not increase costs. By creating additional demand which calls for greater volume, it actually decreases costs.

Let the Spectator carry your advertising message. It reaches the people you want to reach. The cost is low when compared to results obtained.

Mayfield and Vicinity

Mr. Wedul was a business caller in Thief River on Friday.

Mrs. Otto Rehm returned home from Thief River on Wednesday.

Orlando Larson called at the Allen Rehm home on Sunday.

Mrs. O. Omdahl visited at the Sam Swanson home on Sunday.

Mrs. J. Asp and daughters Florence and Evelyn were visitors at the O. Hofdahl home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jaspersen called at the Dreng Roisland home on Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Haney visited over the week-end at the Charley Carlson home.

Miss Rosie Jorgenson visited at the Issac Wilson home on Wednesday.

Mrs. O. Omdahl has been a visitor the past week at the William Jasperson home.

Lloyd Swanson and Richard Carlson visited at the I. Wilson home on Tuesday evening.

Miss Viola Wilson, Woodrow and Stanley Wilson and George Swanson were visitors at the J. O. Carlson home Friday evening.

Mrs. Charly Carlson and daughters Alice and Doris and son Clarence and Miss Dorothy Haney visited at the J. O. Carlson home Saturday evening.

Wanted: Work with team such as wood, ice, hay, coal hauling, etc. If you have have hauling of any kind, please phone No. 70.
J31tf E. Hilligoss, City.

Congoleum Rugs

Gold Seal congoleum rugs, with border, at following low prices:

6 x 9, for	$4.45
7 1-2 x 9 for	$5.95
9 x 9 for	$7.95
9 x 10 1-2 for	8.95
9 x 12 for	10.00

Breakfast table and 4 chairs unfinished, for only, $10.00

Hicks' Furniture Co.
Thief River Falls,

F14M7pd

He Walks 29 Miles So Brother Can Wed

Griswold, Iowa.—Greater love hath no man than this, that he walks 29 miles through mud to get a marriage license for his brother.

This test of brotherly devotion occurred thus:

Parker W. Reynolds, a young Griswold business man, was to marry Miss Frances Hall one Saturday evening at eight o'clock. He started the day before for Atlantic to get a license, but got only as far as the farm home of his bride-to-be's parents, a little east of Griswold, when he got marooned in the mud.

Saturday morning he called his brother, Malcolm D. Reynolds, at Griswold, and asked him to go to Atlantic on the train to get a license. But the train had gone, so the brother, with Orlo Balcom and Stewart Forsyth, two friends, started by auto for Atlantic. They went seven miles, as far as Lewis, when they decided it would be easier to walk unhampered than to push the car all the way.

They walked 11 miles to Atlantic and got the license. Then they hoofed it back through the mud 18 miles to the Hall farm.

The wedding was an hour late.

Diamonds in America

Although Arkansas is the only place in which real diamonds are found in the rough in America, the United States is credited with having 10,000,000 carats of cut diamonds in its citizens' jewelry boxes.

South River Falls

Paul Anderson visited at the Aug. Erickson home Monday evening.

Lemly Dobson called at Thief River on Saturday.

O. Hogquist of Thief River visited with his parents here on Sunday.

Mrs. Aug. Erickson visited at the Hans Hogquist home Sunday.

Clarence Burnquist came last Thursday from Minneapolis to visit with his sister and brother-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thyren.

The "Do what I can" poultry unit met at the K. T. Dalager home Tuesday. The ladies all furnished toward a dinner and a profitable and enjoyable time was reported by all.

Like Mother Makes

Mrs. Black, just married, wrote home to her mother down in Dixie to send her the recipe for hot cakes. After much labor the following recipe was mailed back to the daughter: "Take as much flour as you need, 'cording to how many folks they is to set; put in some salt—anybody knows how much; put in all the rest of the ingredients, an' be sure to have your griddle hot."—Exchange.

Flags at Olympic Games

The flag used for the Olympic games has an arrangement of five circles on a white or neutral background. The three upper circles, blue, black and red, do not touch, but they are joined by the two lower circles of yellow and green, which in turn do not touch each other. The blue circle represents Europe; the black, Africa; the red America; the yellow, Asia, and the green, Australasia.

Speaking of Tact

Our idea of a real politician is one who can make the fair voters believe she looks young enough to be a flapper, but old enough to have sense enough to know how to vote right.

Auto Overhauling

This is the best time of the year to have your car overhauled and put in shape for use next spring.

I have facilties for doing this work, and am making special prices for it during the winter months.

Grease-Oil-Gas-Storage

Store your car in my heated garage. A phone call will bring it, properly greased, filled with oil and gas, ready for use. Repairs of all kinds given prompt attention.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

Don't Pass Up These Bargains

Post Toasties, per pkg,	$.12
Campbells Tomato soup, can,	.10
Royal Lemon washing pdr	.20
Nash's coffee, per lb.	.55
Desart coffee, per lb.	.55
Old Hickory smoked salt	.79
Part linen towling, reg. .18 per yard at	.14
Elastic, quarter inch, per yd.	.03

Prices good until Mar. 6th

M. H. JACKSON
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ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

Try Our Lunches

This cafe is ready and willing to serve you with wholesome home cooked meals and lunches—the kind you like.

We also carry soft drinks, cigars and tobacco for convenience of our customers.

HEATED ROOMS IN CONNECTION

Blue Parrot Inn

Sometimes Truth Hurts

"Only an ungenerous mind," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "speaks without hesitation what it believes to be the truth."—Washington Star.

The Bearish Truth

It isn't faith in the country that upholds a bull market, but faith that some other sucker will pay more tomorrow—Washington Post.

Banish the Imp

If you are up against a hard job that seems impossible, kick out the "imp" and work heartily and cheerily.—Sir Robert Baden-Powell.

Palming Off Counterfeits

Science, says Professor Burtt of Chicago university is evolving the new type of human being. Isn't it a sweetly solemn thought that we shall no longer have to put up with the accidental type that nature has been palming off on us?

Uncle Eben

"You can't allus judge a man by de company he keeps," said Uncle Eben. "Many a purty low-down citizen manages to git hisself a fine dog."—Washington Star.

THE
CHURCHES

St. Hilaire
Methodist Community Church
Rev. Edith Grays, pastor.

No services until further notice.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in the local church at 10:30 A. M., and in Clara church at 3:00 P. M.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, March 3rd.
Sunday school in local church at 10:00 A. M.
Services in local church at 11:00 A. M. Norwegian.
Services in Clearwater at 2:00 P. M. Norwegian.
All welcome to these services.

SWEDISH MISSION
Rev. C. Dahlberg, Pastor

No Sunday school and services will be held next Sunday.

Mid-winter Rally of the Young Peoples Covenant of Swedish Mission churches will be held at Thief River Falls, Saturday evening and Sunday March 2 and 3.

Y. P. S. will be held at the house of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Swanson Saturday evening March 9th.

Prayer meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson Saturday evening March 16th.

Everybody welcome.

Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our most sincere thanks to all neighbors and friends who in any way assisted the late Mr. and Mrs. John P. Nelson during the past winter when they were residents of St. Hilaire.

The relatives.

LOCALS

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Emil Ensrud plans to leave this week for a visit with relatives in Dakota after which he will return to his home near Cadallac, Sask, Can.

Southern Minnesota, including the Twin Cities, had a six inch fall of snow Tuesday while this part of the state escaped entirely.

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Copied Into Constitution

During the reign in England of William and Mary, after the revolution, in 1689, an instrument was drawn up securing annual parliaments, trial by jury, free elections and the right of petition. Several of the first ten amendments to the Constitution of the United States, including the one forbidding "cruel and unusual punishments," were taken almost word for word from this document.

Supplants Steel Wool

Steel wool is said to have been sidetracked in many of its fields of usefulness by the invention of a somewhat similar nature in which copper is used instead of steel. The mass is said to be as soft as a sponge, and has a marvelous ability for cleansing pots and pans in the kitchen and other metal surfaces which have become rusted or otherwise incrusted. The copper is said to be absolutely scratchless.

A Trimming for Three

By PAULINE DELMAY

"SHE seems to be the unhappiest girl!" remarked Mrs. Deems, the minister's wife. "She would be very pretty, if she didn't frown so much and if she was a little plumper and knew how to dress herself. She lets the village dressmaker build all of her things! Why, as poor as we are, I do manage to have one smart dress a year, and I make the rest of my clothes to sort of harmonize with that dress from a smart shop in town! I am very fond of Nan Marsh, but sometimes she does get on my nerves!" She smiled ruefully as she let herself out of the parish house door. Miss Lethbridge followed her. They were both thinking about poor Nan Marsh—whose father was the richest man in the village—while Nan herself sat on a stool in the basement library of the parish house, working over the Sunday school books returned the day before, which she had not had time to record. She was sitting opposite the little dumbwaiter shaft which carried books up and down to and from the Sunday school room upstairs, and she had heard every word of Mrs Deems' discourse.

Now, Nan was crying as she finished up the books. She picked up her hat, jammed it down on her brown hair and in ten minutes she was home again.

Mrs. Deems had spoken as though all Nan Marsh had to do was to spend some money, exercise some taste, to be good looking. Nan ran upstairs and immediately gave her expensive felt sports hat to Susan, the second servant girl.

Finding that she still had an hour before dinner, Nan took a bath, put on a simple little white frock, brushed her bright brown hair until it gleamed and then twisted it around her small head. "A coronet braid," she murmured softly. Then she went down to dinner, where her mother sat at one end of the long table, Mr. Marsh sat at the other and Nan between them. They talked like people who led dull lives. It was Mrs. Marsh who threw the first bombshell.

"James," she said complainingly, "I have had so many of these terrible headaches that I believe that I should have my hair cut off."

"What did your mother and your grandmother do when they had headaches?" inquired Mr. Marsh.

"They suffered! But I am not going to, James Marsh. I shall have my hair trimmed."

"Then I had better have my beard shaved off," declared ultraconservative Mr. Marsh.

"I have often told you that you would be a very handsome man if you only would, James," said Mrs. Marsh. Then Nan spoke.

"I thought it would be nice, mother, if I could go to town with you. I want to buy something new—all my things look so dowdy and so much out-of-date."

"Perhaps Nan contemplates having her hair bobbed," remarked Mr. Marsh, regarding his daughter with softened eyes.

"Would you mind very much, father?" asked Nan, turning toward her father.

"Anything to make you happy, my dear. Of course, you couldn't be prettier in my eyes."

"You deserve a kiss for that, sir!" And Nan got up and kissed him on the cheek like a dutiful little daughter.

The next morning when Mr. Marsh signed a check for their day in town, he added fifty dollars to the sum that his wife had asked for. "That Marcie," he said with a twinkle in his eyes, "is for you to spend the night in town if you miss the train. Or, in case the servants do not recognize either of you, you can stop at the Wellmouth Inn right here in the village!"

That day in New York was the most glorious day Nan had ever spent in town. First they went to a famous hairdresser's and, when Mrs. Marsh came out looking like a full blown rose, with her gray hair cut short and with a permanent wave to beautify it, little Nan was shorn of her bright brown hair, and what was left curled delightfully about her small head. They were to send the lovely mass of her long hair home to her. Then they went to the shops and spent all their money, and madly planned to come again and buy more things. And then, while they lunched in a smart hotel, who should come up and speak to them but Ralph Weed, who spent his summers in the village. His fine gray eyes rested on Nan's charming face under its smart little hat, and they lingered there, and came back again and again, as if he found what he had been searching for in the cool quiet of his charming girl's contented face.

"I hope you will not object if I come soon—and often," he whispered in Nan's pink ear.

"I do feel so free," sighed Mrs Marsh as the train rumbled on its way.

What Nan thought no one knew but she was smiling happily all the way, and when they reached the home and discovered that Mr. Marsh had had his beard shaved off, they looked at each other amazedly.

"We are rather a good looking family after all," said Mr. Marsh cheerfully, but Nan, upon whom both parents gazed adoringly, was lost in dreams of Ralph!

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Foley—Fire which swept the Foley General store, caused damage amounting to $55,000.

Rochester—There are now four candidates in the race for mayor of Rochester, to compete in the primary election February 26.

Owatonna—Fred C. Johnson has been elected president of the Owatonna County Club to succeed Sidney W. Kinkton.

Sandstone—At the monthly meeting of the Sandstone school board, Superintendent S. G. Skealend was elected to his third term in office.

Minneapolis—Four more northwest banks with aggregate deposits of more than $12,000,000 have joined with the recently organized $75,000,000 Northwest Bank corporation.

Moorhead—After the largest vote in the history of Moorhead, candidates running on dry enforcement platform won seven of the ten offices, including that of mayor.

Alexandria—C. R. Fiskness has been elected president of the Douglas County Poultry Association for the 10th successive year. This year's show will be December 13-15.

Owatonna—Declaring that she "war good for several years yet," Mrs. Anuette Titus, 97 years old, entertained a number of friends and relatives at a birthday party.

Little Falls—A break in the water main here is causing a loss of half a million gallons of water daily. Owing to the cold weather it has been unsafe to shut it off.

Little Falls—Fifteen diplomas have been received by County Agent Henry Werner from the National Dairy association for dairymen in Morrison county.

Crookston—Twenty-four Red River Valley potato growers and shippers went on record at a meeting here as favoring passage of a bill dealing specifically with the grading of potatoes.

Marshall—J. L. Middleton has started his return trip to the Congo country in Africa where he is a gold and diamond prospector, employing 200 natives in the work.

Hastings—Miss Florence Monohan, superintendent of the state reformatory for women, at Shakopee, gave an interesting talk at the parent-teachers association meeting here.

St. Cloud—Fred Schilpin, editor of the Daily Times here, has been elected first vice-president of the Inland Press Association at a Chicago meeting.

St. Paul—Checks totaling $19,737.25 representing a dividend of 40 per cent, have been mailed by A. J. Veigel, state commissioner of banks, to depositors of the closed State Bank of Alpha.

Bayport—Voters here will ballot a second time on sale of the electrical distribution system to the Northern States Power Co., the local council has decided. The issue has been defeated once at a special election.

St. Paul—The Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission has ordered George Buss of Mankato to cease operating a freight truck line between Mankato and Wells on Highway No. 39.

Minneapolis—Gus Nichols was found guilty by a jury in the district court of Judge W. W. Bardwell of robbing E. H. Porter, a Chicago salesman, of diamonds valued at $85,000 in Minneapolis last October.

Minneota—In addition to joining in the celebration of the 19th anniversary of the Boy Scout movement the local troop marked its first anniversary with a demonstration. The 23 members have earned 49 merit badges.

Litchfield—Congregations of Trinity Episcopal and Emanuel churches have voted to merge and use the Episcopal church for services. Rev. V. E. Harman will be rector. Membership will be nearly 550.

Sauk Center—F. W. Sprague, son of the late C. M. Sprague, appeared at a meeting of the American Legion here to offer to the city the home of his parents for use as a memorial hospital.

Madison—Colonel Otto I. Ronningen, commanding officer of the 135th infantry, has announced that the senior Minnesota National Guard regiment will receive its annual federal inspection by Colonel Shaffer, U. S. Army, in April.

Rochester—E. H. Schlitgus, former secretary of the Olmsted County Business Men's Association, has been chosen chairman of the committee in charge of the 75th anniversary celebration to commemorate the founding of Rochester.

Northfield—The Rice county fair will be staged here August 29-31, a month earlier than previously the custom for years. The change was made to accommodate farmers who have found it difficult to participate when the fair has been in late September and October.

St. Paul—The sixty-third annual convention of the Minnesota Editorial association came to a close here with 500 delegates from the state, North Dakota and Wisconsin. Dr. William H. Mayo of Rochester, gave an address on the closing day.

St. Cloud—Earl D. Cross has been re-elected president of the St. Cloud Chamber of Commerce at the meeting of the new board of directors.

Duluth—Dr. Noble S. Elderkin, pastor of the Pilgrim Congregational church, announced his decision not to accept the secretaryship of the home department of the American Board of Congregational Foreign Missions.

Minneapolis—Louis N. Ritten, former first ward alderman who resigned from the city council and disappeared after giving testimony before the grand jury has returned to Minneapolis and is in hiding.

Creamery List

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V. G. Brink, $98.88, J. A, Anderson, 98.56, I. Iverson, 97.13, H. R. Allen, 95.35, E. Hetzer, 95.04, E. W.Swanson, 92.70, Emil Larson 92.38, Carl Zinter, 91.85, A. Swanson, 91.11, D. J. Johnson, 90.22, F. E. Rux, 86.74, R. J. McKercher, 86.60, Mortenson Bros, 84.91

C. A. Lindquist, 83.66, C. O. Swanson, 79.73, Art Swanson, 79.73, Swenson Bros., 78.81, Wm. Yonke, 78.71, J. J. Larson, 78.52, Ben Johnson, 77.17 Johnson Bros. 73.81, Gust Larson, 72.65, Otto Johnson, 72.10, C. Pearson, 70.76, Swanson Bros. 70.35. J. Sjoberg, 69.88, And Husby, 69.61, O. Haugen, 69.28, John Maakrud, 66.46, Lars Rosett, 65.95, C. E. Naplin, 65.54, Mrs. A. Aubol, 65.12, Wm. C. Bothman, 65.10, S. Skottem, 65.54, J. E. Johnson, 64.53, S. M. Sorvig, 64.19, Tom Mogen, 63.33, Gust Johnson, 62.15, Sig Vik, 59.56, Ole Hagglund, 58.60, H. Ortloff, 58.17, C. J. Swanson, 55.58, E. Swanson, 53.86, Phil. Anderson, 53.68, J. O. Peterson, 53.46, J. A. Almquist, 53.33, Erickson Bros. 52.66, Mrs. J. Konickson, 52.40, John Hedlund, 52.24, A. G. Hallstrom, 52.22, W. D. Ewing, 52.19, H. Hallstrom, 50.94, H. Holmes, 50.06.

FOR SALE, ect.

Wood For Sale- Quantity of block wood, cut last spring. Also have a lot of poplar pole wood cut this winter. Can deliver the latter sawed in stove lengths is desired. Call on or address.
F28tf R. J. McKercher, City.

Hay For Sale:-A quantity of upland hay and also some alfalfa hay in stack 3 miles south of Hazel. For price, call on or address
L. Dobson,
F28M7pd R1 Hazel, Minn.

Farm For Rent: 240 acre farm with about 140 acres under cultivation, good buildings, drilled well. Four miles from St. Hilaire along state road. Call on Leo Carpenter, city, or address,
Ira Carpenter,
F21tf Isle, Minn.

FOR RENT

For rent on shares, the S. E. quarter of Sec. 24, Twp. 153, Range 44. This land has been into sweet clover for several years and should be in first class condition for crop.
W. F. Urenn,
F21-28 Plymouth. Iowa.

Jennie G. Wilson Farm For Sale

I will receive sealed bids for the purchase of this farm, edging the city limits, and containing about 60 acres.

All taxes and mortages are paid in full. A certified check for ten per cent of the amount of your bid must accompany your bid. If necessary the bids can be made for one-third cash, balance to suit 6 per cent. Bids should range from $3600 up. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. The call for bids will be closed March 2, 1929 at 6 P. M.

L. E. Healy,
Special Deputy Examiner,
F-14-28 Far. St. Bk., St. Hilaire.

The Spectator ,$1.50 a year.

Hardly

Lives there a man with soul so something or other that he gets a kick out of newspaper photographs of officials being sworn in?—Boston Globe.

The Nasal Way

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Happy Book Lover

No matter what his rank or position may be, the lover of books is the richest and the happiest of the children of men.—Dr. John Langford.

Minn. Historical Society St. Paul, Minn.

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Mrs. E. Pearson Called

Mrs. Erick Pearson, age 80 years, died at 10:30 Tuesday morning at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Carpenter, with whom she made her home, as result of injuries received the previous night when she accidently walked into an open stairway and fell its full length to the ground floor of the residence. In habit of walking about the house when unable to sleep at night, she evidently became bewildered and walked into the stairway before realizing her danger.

Amanda Lovisa Pearson was born in Aaland, Finland on October 20th, 1848 and came to this country in 1888. She was married to Erick Pearson on Jan. 22, 1889. For many years they resided on their farm southeast of here which is now owned by H. Jepson. In 1915 they retired from farming and moved to town where Mr. Pearson died in 1918.

Mrs. Pearson was a kindly, Christian woman, well thought of by everyone who knew her, and her tragic ending is a source of deep regret to her many friends.

Mrs. Pearson is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Esther Carpenter and three grandchildren of this village, and a stepdaughter, Mrs. Annie Ness of Crookston.

Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. C. B. Dahlberg at the local Mission church Saturday afternoon.

Heartfelt sympathy of this community is extended to the bereaved relatives in their time of sorrow.

P-T Meeting Held

A fine meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held at the school building Friday evening. The first number, dramatization of the Tar Babies, by pupils of the first and second grades, was well done, and, a vocal solo by Clarence Pearson was greatly enjoyed. Supt. Morris Bye, of the public schools at Thief River, was speaker of the evening and gave a splendid address along educational lines. A surprise number, not on the program, were two selections by a ladies' trio of Thief River consisting of Mesdames Melby, Boreen and Reep, which was greatly appreciated by all present. Lunch was served at close of the program.

Want Ads Bring Results

The Village Statement

The annual financial statement of the village is published in this issue. At present the village has no bonds outstanding, and owes only $500 on an order due next year. The statement shows a cash balance of $763.52 at present which is sufficient to take up the outstanding order as well as to pay for gravel hauled this winter. Upon receipt of tax settlements this coming summer, the village will have a comfortable cash balance on hand, and no debts.

Evangelistic Meetings

A. B. Ost, Internationally known evangelist, one of the best known Swedish-American Gospel preachers, will conduct a series of meetings in the local Mission church starting March 19th. Meetings will be held every evening at 7:30 from the 19th to the 24th.

Dairy Meeting

The third meeting of the Dairy Feeding School was held at the Imperial hall yesterday afternoon. Due to the blizzard which prevailed yesterday, attendance was light at this meeting.

New Creamery At Fisher

The board of directors of the Fisher Cooperative Creamery association on Tuesday made final arrangements for the purchase of the creamery building at Fisher and have notified their patrons that cream will be accepted on Monday, March 4, and shortly after that regular cream days will be established. John Vigen, formerly operator of the Rothsay creamery, will be the manager and operator of the Fisher Cooperative Creamery association.

The board of directors during the organization period of this association affiliated with the Land O'Lakes Creameries, and it is their hope that the Fisher organization will soon reach the standard of producing Land O'Lakes butter.--Polk Co. Leader.

P. Lundberg was at Crookston on Tuesday to visit Mrs. Lundberg who is a patient at the hospital there.

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It Won't Be Long Now

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

The inauguration ceremony at Washington, D. C. last Monday was clearly heard over most local radio sets.

H. Kalland returned home Tuesday after an extended visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. Janda, at Mahnomen.

Axel Jacobson returned home last week from Grand Forks where he was operated upon for appendicitis at the Deaconess hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter and son, Billy, motored to Grand Forks, Tuesday, and returned the same day after a brief visit with friends.

R. Peterson, superintendent, of the Plummer school, was over last week for a visit with his many friends in this village.

Regular monthly meeting of the village council was held Monday evening. Aside from allowing the usual gist of bills no business of importance was transacted.

Major Frank Genge, divisional commander of the Salvation Army of Fargo, will conduct services at the Salvation Army Hall at Thief River Falls next Sunday evening at 8:00. A cordial invitation is extended to everybody to come and hear him.

As noted in display adv eleswhere in this issue, an auction sale of horses, cattle, sheep, poultry, complete set of farm machinery, and household goods will be held Thursday, March 14th, at the Lester Foster farm in Sec. 10 of Sanders, northwest of here. Anyone needing farm equipment, will do well to attend this sale.

Mrs. Earl D. Jensen and son came Saturday from Minneapolis to join Mr. Jenson to make their home on the Hartje farm adjoining town, which they have leased. Numerous friends join in welcoming the Jensen family back to this community where they resided for a number of years before going to Minneapolis last year.

This section had its first sample of spring weather for this year, Tuesday, when the mercury was well over 40 degrees and water coursed down the curb gutters. The wind changed that night, however, and a blizzard prevailed all day yesterday. Very little snow fell but it was decidedly unpleasant to be out.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe La Plant and son were here yesterday from Crookston for a visit at Hans Wilson's

A new sausage maker came down yesterday to take charge of the sausage making department at Durbin's market.

V. C. Noper, prominent dairyman at Thief River Falls was here Monday on a combined pleasure and business trip.

O. F. Post, who has been employed in a store at Washburn, N. D., returned here yesterday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Forseen.

Jas. A. Dahl, superintendent of the school at Lockhart, motored up Saturday to look after a few matters of business, and to greet his numerous friends.

HAY FOR SALE: Quantity of timothy and clover hay in stack, 2 miles east of St. Hilaire along state road. Call on Johnson Bros.
M7-14pd R1 Hazel, Minn.

Ralph Stephenson, former G. N. station agent here, and now relief agent for the same company, came up Thursday from Superior, Wisc., to look after matters in connection with his farm near town.

Simon Holmberg, who has had charge of the sausage manufacturing department at Durbins meat market, left Monday for Crookston where he will be employed at a similar position in the Erickson market. If surroundings prove satisfactory, he plans to move his family to Crookston this spring.

The Juniors are busy practicing their play "Making Betty Famous" a comedy in three acts, which will be presented March 22nd. The proceeds are to defray expenses for the Junior-Senior Banquet which will be held latter part of the school year. Watch for particulars next issue.

Due to big increase in number of patrons, and consequently increased time necessary to check books in and out, library hours will hereafter be from 2:00 to 5:00 p. m. on Fridays and Saturdays. Those who have books now overdue, are asked to bring them in, remembering there is a charge of 2 cents per day for rent of books kept more than 7 or 14 days depending on the kind of book taken.

Mrs. O. Gunstad, Librarian

Randorf--Hansen

Yesterday at Thief River Falls occured the marriage of Miss Mayme Randorf to Mr George Hansen, both well known young residents of Rockshury north of here. They left last evening on a trip to the Iron Range district and Duluth after which they will return to make their home on the Hansen farm north of this village.

Numerous friends join in extending congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Hansen, and in wishing them a long and happy married life.

Club Meeting Tomorrow

Don't forget the 4H Club meeting at the school building Friday at 8:00. An interesting program will be given. Rev. Edith Grays and Co. Agent R. Douglas of Thief River Falls, will speak. There will also be two one act plays "Interviewing Servant Girls" and "A Narrow Escape" as well as other numbers. Club members and parents are cordially invited to attend.

Auction Sale, March 13

E. C. Hetzer has bills out announcing an auction sale of personal property to be held at the former Jensen farm a mile north of here on Wednesday, March 13.

As Mr. Hetzer has farmed here only a short time, and all his equipment was bought after he arrived here, most of his machinery, and equipment is to all intents and purposes, as good as new. Among the property offered are four good horses, and a quantity of very good household furniture. Lunch will be served at noon. See the big bills for list of items offered at the sale.

V. C. Noper will be the auctioneer, and the Merchants State Bank of St. Hilaire will act as clerk.

Spring Millinery

Will have a line of ladies', misses and children's hats on display at my place in St. Hilaire on Mar. 22, and thereafter.
M7-21pd Mrs. L. Holmes

River Falls Voters Notice

Voting place at the annual township election in River Falls township will be at the Hazel Hall instead of at the school house as is stated in posted notices.

Mrs. Anna Swenson

Mrs. Anna Swenson, respected citizen of the Black River community, died at her home near the Black River church last Thursday after a short illness.

Mrs. Swenson was born in Sweden on Feb. 10, 1857, and was 72 years and 18 days of age. She and husband settled at the present home in 1892, Mr. Swenson preceding her in death on April 17th, 1917. Surving are two sons, Carl and Axel, who both reside at the home place.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. F. Nelson at the Black River Swedish Lutheran church Monday afternoon, and interment was made in the cemetery adjoining that church. Sympathy of a large number of friends is extended to the bereaved children in loss of their mother.

25 Years Ago

C. H. Remington and Geo. Casbon bought the former Opperud building and were equipping it as a bakery.

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O. F. Post returned home after spending a week looking after business matters at Minneapolis and St. Paul.

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T. F. Torkelson was elected president of the village council at a somewhat quiet village election held that week.

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Julius Pleth was arranging for publication of a new map of Red Lake County and the part of the Red Lake Indian Reservation which was to be opened for settlement that year.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Wilson returned that week after an extended winter trip to his old home in Denmark. They also visited other European countries while away.

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E. J. Holmes sold his stock of furniture and hardware to N. G. Otterness and Al. Edstrom, both of this village. The new owners contemplated a number of changes in the business that spring.

In monthly report of the creamery association published that week, it was noted that patrons received 21 cents a pound for butterfat. Gross receipts at the plant was $910.50. Business in 1929 shows an increase of about 1200 percent over 1904, and butterfat prices about 2 and one half times higher.

Safety---

Every action by the officers of this institution is determined by one major consideration--

The safety of our depositor's money.

In all of our investments, in all of our loans we are guided by this policy--in order that your surplus money may be here working for you day and night--and that it may always be available for your use at a moment's demand.

Our Savings Department Is At Your Service

Merchants State Bank

St. Hilaire - - Minnesota

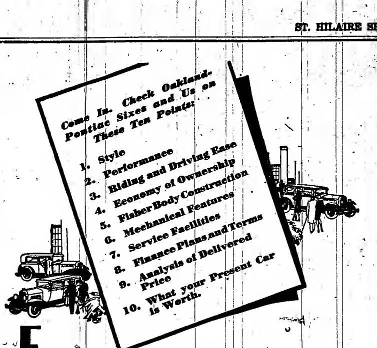
Buy A Share

Every patron of the creamery should own at least one share of its stock. This will give you a vote and a voice in its management.

Actual value of the plant is several times that of its stock, so you make a good investment by buying shares. Arrange to get your's now.

St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n

St. Hilaire, Minn.



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TAXERAAS MOTOR SALES

THIEF RIVER FALLs, MINNESOTA

AUCTION SALE

The following personal property will be sold at auction at my place in Sec. 10, Sanders twp , 2 1-2 miles south and 4 miles west of Thief River Falls, on

Thursday, March, 14th, 1929.

Sale Starts At 11:00 A. M.

6 head of good farm horses, 2 Holstein cows, 4 Red cows, 4 heifers, some calves, 13 ewes with lambs at side, 3 geese and 1 gander, Some Bronze turkeys, complete set of farm machinery, all in good order, several good sets of harnesses, some prairie hay, some potatoes, Ohios and Cobblers; block wood, tanks and tank heater, etc., and a set of household goods including cream separator and washing machine, also other articles too numerous to mention.

Free Lunch At Noon

All Sums of $25.00 and under cash. On larger amounts time will be given to Oct. 1st, 1929 at 8 per cent on secured or Bankable notes. Arrangements for time must be made with clerk before bidding. No property to be removed until settled for.

LESTER FOSTER Owner

Lee O. Writer, Auctioneer

First National Bank, of Thief River Falls, clerk

HAZEL NEWS

Mrs. O. C. Peterson visited at the Ole Odegaard home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Roese and children spent Friday evening at the W. Denhart home.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie LaCoursiere, Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and children called at the Henry Sandberg home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erling Prestby and children were dinner guests at the C. Prestby home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Denhart, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and children visited at the A. P. Sandberg home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard and Mrs. G. Bruce were St. Hilaire and Thief River callers on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. "Pete" Nelson left Tuesday for Rochester where the former will receive medical attention.

Mrs. Olaf Snetting visited at the Carl Alberg home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Odegaard were St. Hilaire callers Sunday evening.

Mr. E. N. Melvie, local butter-maker, attended the Land O'Lakes meeting at Thief River Falls on Wednesday.

Mrs. Anton Peterson who has been confined to the Physicians' Hospital for a long time returned to her home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Oscar Peterson of Argyle visited at the Ole Odegaard and Clarence Roese homes on Wednesday. She was accompanied to her home at Argyle by her sister, Mrs. G. Bruce, who will visit there for some time.

Paul Gilbertson, Norman Nelson, Melvin and Joseph Torsveit, visited at the Lars Lokken home Wednesday evening.

Mr. Carl Nelson of McIntosh came Tuesday to visit a couple of days at the home of his brother, Pete Nelson.

Mr. Henry Lappegaard and son came Thursday evening from Thief River to visit at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lokken.

Mrs. J. Magnuson, Misses Annie and Phoebe Anderson visited at the E. Knutson home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ary Roese of Minot, N. D. are visiting at the farmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Roese, who reside near Plummer.

Mrs. E. Knutson and daughter, Arlene, visited at the Arnt Wedul home on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Myrtle Dahl who has been employed at the E. Knutson home returned to her home at Thief River on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Thune and children visited at the Nels Nelson home on Sunday.

Miss Anna Wedul who teaches near Plummer spent the week-end at the Arnt Wedul home.

Supt. Geo. Gunderson visited at the Hazel school on Friday.

Roderick Johnson, Harvey Odegaard and Omar Seeland resumed their duties at school on Monday after being confined to their homes several weeks with the whooping cough.

Mrs. Carl Prestby and daughter, Lucille, and Mrs. Theo. Prestby visited at the C. Alberg home on Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Magnuson, Mayme and Arthur Anderson, and Dorothy Olsen visited at the Oscar Seeland home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Knutson and daughter, Arlene, who have been employed by Ole Mattson for the past seven years have moved to their farm south of Hazel this week

Congoleum Rugs

Gold Seal congoleum rugs, with border, at following low prices:

6 x 9, for	$4.45
7 1-2 x 9 for	$5.95
9 x 9 for	$7.95
9 x 10 1-2 for	8.95
9 x 12 for	10.00

Breakfast table and 4 chairs unfinished, for only, $10.00

Hicks' Furniture Co.

Thief River Falls

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NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 24th, 1924, executed by Carrie Brekke, a widow, as mortgagor, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 29th, 1924, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 221 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $51.99, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $109.38, due on April 24th, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $109.38 each, due on October 24th, 1927, April 24th, 1928, and October 24th, 1928, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises for the years 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928; and to pay the premium on insurance policy covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $3,324.85, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from October 24th, 1928, at the rate of five andone-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $380.13, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $51.99 thereof since November 16th, 1927, on $109.38 thereof since October 24, 1927, on $109.-38 thereof since April 24th, 1928, and on $109.38 thereof since October 24th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $313.10 for taxes including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at seven per cent. per annum since January 25th, 1929, and the sum of $18.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since August 3rd, 1928, in all the sum of $4,109.30, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates, as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Thirteen (13), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 180 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 22nd day of March, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes . and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated February 8th, 1929.

State of Minnesota, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.

Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
810 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (F7-M14.)

Mayfield and Vicinity

Dr. Twete of Thief River made a professional call at the J. Solberg home Monday.

Mrs. J. O. Carlson, Margaret, Roy and Hilda Carlson motored to Thief River and returned Tuesday.

Geo. Swanson, who has been employed at the I. Wilson farm, returned home Thursday.

Dorothy Haney, Alyce and Clarence Carlson, and Harry Burgoon of Minneapolis, motored to Thief River last Friday evening.

Mrs. Allen Rehm was a visitor at the J. O. Carlson home.

Vivian Jesperson spent the week-end visiting with her friend, Irene Swanson.

Lloyd Philips was severely injured Thursday while sawing wood at the Jesperson farm.

Stanley and Woodrow Wilson visited at the Sam Swanson home.

John Asp received the sad news that his brother, Andrew, had died at his home at Amery, Wis.

Myrtle Carlson visited Sunday at the Chas. Carlson home.

Want Ads Bring Results

WINTER FLOODS INVADE HOMES

A Dozen Towns and Highways Inundated in South Ohio.

Columbus, Ohio—Cold weather is expected to check the rampages of rain-swelled rivers and streams that has flooded several sections of the state, driving thousands from their homes, imperiling the lives of many and causing considerable damage everywhere. Scores of persons were rescued from precarious places where the flood had driven them. No loss of life was reported. Although the total damage was believed to be very great, no estimate was available. Highways are all under water and dangerous.

Springfield was hardest hit. The waters of Buck Creek and Mad river crippled almost all that city's industries, flooded the business section, paralyzed traction and railroad and light service. Hundreds of persons living in the Buck Creek valley were rescued by city rowboats.

Twelve persons who had gone to an island at the mouth of Rocky river, near Cleveland to gaze at an ice jam, were placed in grave danger when the jam suddenly broke as preparations were being made to dynamite it.

At Hamilton more than 100 persons were taken from their homes in the lowland district when the Miami river got out over its banks.

Foch Sinking; 2 Physicians Give Up.

Paris—Marshall Ferdinand Foch was said to be slowly sinking from an illness with lung, heart and kidney complications. The old warrior who, on a desperate day in 1914, declared "my right is crushed, my left is in retreat, I am attacking with my center," is at last apparently on the defense on all fronts with little hope of another victory. Two of his five physicians regard the case as virtually hopeless. The three others, remembering the marshall's favorite aphorism, "A battle lost is a battle which one believes to have lost, for battles are not lost materially," said the spirit of the game old fighter might carry the battle along for some time. Aside from his medical and nursing staff and his closest relatives, the marshall has had to fight his battles alone. Although friends, comrades-in-arms and statesman of several nations have signed the register at the Foch home, not even the most distinguished has been permitted to visit the sick room.

Devers Starts to Serve 25-Year Term.

Duluth, Minn.—Frank "Bubbling Over" Devers, sentenced to 25 years in federal prison when he pleaded guilty to a charge of robbing the mails at Hibbing, left for the Twin Cities. From there he will be taken to Leavenworth. Devers, who was sentenced to 25 years on each of three counts, was ordered to serve his sentences concurrently. Devers was indicted on charges involving the robbery of Truman King, a mail clerk of Hibbing, November 6, 1926.

Coolidge to Go Home When Term Ends.

Washington—President Coolidge is preparing to withdraw from the inauguration day celebration as quickly as possible after his successor has been inducted into office. With Mrs. Coolidge he plans to directly from the inauguration ceremonies at the capitol to the Union station and there to board a through train for Northampton, Mass., their old home.

St. Paul Man for Cabinet.

Washington—William D. Mitchell of St. Paul was generally accepted in Washington as Hoover's choice for attorney general. The significant thing about the selection is that Mr. Mitchell is generally regarded as a Democrat and is on record recently as having so designated himself in the hearing before the committee investigating the bureau of Indian affairs

Sun Life Proxies Go to Rockefeller.

Montreal, Quebec—The Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada announced that it was giving proxies on its holdings of Standard Oil of Indiana to John D. Rockefeller, Jr., who is fighting retention of Colonel Robert W. Stewart as chairman of the company's board. It is understood the company owns 44,000 shares of Standard of Indiana.

Alma Rubens Ordered Sent to Hospital

Los Angeles—From the glitter of Hollywood's film land where she once reigned as a star in the screen firmament, Alma Rubens will go soon to a state hospital, a victim of the narcotic habit, on complaints of her husband and mother.

Air Train Using Motorless Trailers.

Kassel, Germany—An "air train," consisting of one plane and two trailers, made a trial flight here. The trailers were uncoupled at a height of 1,200 feet, and glided to earth separately. It is next planned to try a long overland flight with an "air train" consisting of several units.

8 Seized in Plot on Cuba Chief.

Havana—Eight men, three of them prominent professional men of Havana have been arrested charged with plotting to assassinate President Gerardo Machado Y. Morales, and to bring about armed American intervention.

Firer of First Shot in Civil War Dies.

Austin, Texas — Colonel William Stewart Hopkins, said to have fired at Fort Sumter, S. C., the first shot in the Civil war, died here at the age of 86 years.

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A Russian, speaking of conditions in this country, says, "In America it is the ambition of every citizen to own an automobile, and most of them realize the ambition. In Russia it is the ambition of most citizens to own a shirt, and a large number have not realized on that."

School Proceedings

Regular meeting of directors of Ind. School Dist. 102 held January 23rd 1929.

All members present except Brink.

Minutes of last regular meeting approved as read.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed:

Red River Power Co. 2 bills	$ 16.32
American Book Co. books as bill 1-1-29	81.53
Colborn School Supply Co. bill 1-11-59	9.46
A. Satterberg 41900 lbs coal	193.80

No further business motion for adjournment carried.

E. O Burkee, Clerk.

School Proceedings

Regular meeting of directors of Ind. School Dist. 102 held February 26th 1929.

All members present.

Minutes of last meeting approved as read.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed:

Red River Power Co	$ 9.23
John Hanson, Frame for map	1.25
A. Satterberg, 62600 lbs. coal delivered	289.53
St. Hilaire Telephone Exphone rent	10.55
First National Bank, interest on bonds	700.00
Northern School Supply Co. Supplies	14.42
St. Paul Book and Stationery Co. Library books	72.70
American Book Co. Bill 1-26-29	2.72
Lyons & Carnahan, As per bills	13.05
Macmillan Co., Books as bill 2-P5-29	2.02

On motion duly made and carried E. N. Reiersgord be re-elected Superindendent for the coming year at a salary of 1900.00.

On motion duly made and carried Florence Haslam, Ruth Lee, Martha Launa, Bernice Braseth, Bertha Thompson and Judith Opgrand be re-elected for the coming year at the present salaries.

On motion duly made and carried M. Fricker be re-hired as janitor for the coming year at $80.00 per month.

On motion duly made and carried the budget for the year 1929-30 be approved and filed.

On motion duly made and carried the clerk was instructed to mail to the representatives of the Legislature resolutions favoring support of bill whereby school districts shall receive aid for the trans portation of pupils out-side of the district.

No further business motion for adjournment carried.

E. O. Burkee, Clerk.

The Spectator $1.50 a year.

Dairy Feeds

We have a large supply of International and Northup-King dairy feeds in the 16-20-24-32 per cent protien content.

We also have bran, shorts and egg mash.

Use Mascot flour--It's all the wheat that's fit to eat.

Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
N. Benoit Local Mgr.

Wanted

Orders for seed wheat, oats, barley, and flax.

See us for prices on the above, and on any other seed you may want this spring.

C. Roe Grain Company
ST. HILAIRE, MINN
Arthur Hanson *Local Manager*

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Minnesota, } SS
County of Roseau }
In District Court
Fourteenth Judicial District
First State Bank of Roosevelt
Plaintiff
vs
Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson
Defendants

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court, Fourteenth Judicial District, State of Minnesota, in and for the County of Roseau upon a Judgment rendered in said Court in favor of First State Bank of Roosevelt, Plaintiff, and against Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson Defendants, and a transcript of which said judgment was subsequently and prior hereto duly filed and docketed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Pennington County, Minnesota, I have levied upon the following described real estate of said defendants, to-wit;

The South half of the Northwest, quarter (S1-2NW1-4) and Lots three and four (3 and 4) of section four (4) township one hundred fifty-two (152) range Forty-four (44) West, in the County of Pennington, Minnesota.

And that I shall, on Friday the 15th day of March, 1929 at the hour of 10:00 o'clock A. M. of said day at the front door of the court house in the city of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the right, title and interest of the above named Adolph Avelson and Myrtle Avelson in and to the above described property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Four Hundred Fifty-three and 13-100 Dollars ($453.13), together with all accrueing costs of sale, and interest on the same from the 17th day of January, 1929, at the rate of six per cent per annum, at Public Auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 28th day of January, 1929.

O. L. Ihle,
Sheriff of Pennington
County, Minnesota.

M. J. Hegland,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Roseau, Minnesota.
J31-M-7

Their Works Shine

The righteous are as trees of life; the fruits of their piety and charity, their instructions, reproofs, examples, and prayers, their interest in heaven, and their influence on earth, are like the fruits of that tree, precious and useful, contributing to the support and nourishment of the spiritual life in many.—Matthew Henry.

Old Idea Wrong

The old tradition that the royal road to efficiency is for everyone to come in at the bottom is now a delusion. The brain which is capable of being trained for highly skilled work is not usefully employed in the hewing of wood and drawing of water.—London Daily Telegram.

Superstition Is Old

The superstition of lighting three cigarettes from one match arose from the custom of having three lamps on church altars in Russia; it was considered unlucky to light these three lamps from one taper, and the priests would not do so under any consideration.

Words Without Weight

An expert has figured it out that the electrical energy developed by 5,000,000 persons, all talking at once, would keep just one incandescent light going. That helps us to understand how little illumination comes from most conversations.—Manchester Union.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of that certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by the Citizens State Bank of Hazel, Minnesota, a corporation, as mortgagors, to The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Indiana, mortgagee, bearing date the 22nd day of January, 1926, with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of February, 1926, at four o'clock P. M. in Book 76 of Mortgages on Page 188.

That said default consists in the failure to pay principal note of One Hundred Dollars ($100) due January 10, 1929, and the failure to pay interest amounting to One Hundred Ninety-five Dollars ($195) due January 10, 1929, and,

Whereas, The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company has elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and,

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred Twelve and 31-100 Dollars, ($3212.31), and,

Whereas, said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, which said premises are situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota and are more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4) in Section Six (6) Township One Hundred Fifty Two (152) North of Range Forty-Two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 168.57 acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof,

together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State on the 6th day of April, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars ($75) attorney's fee, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one (1) year from the date of sale.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1929.

THE LINCOLN NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation, MORTGAGEE.

R. V. GLEASON,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
332 Builders Exchange,
Minneapolis, Minnesota.
F21-M28

Something Like That

"Next to roast beef, the currant bun is the most popular food in England," says a cookery expert. The currant bun, of course, gets its name from the currant in it.—London Opinion.

Use Underground River

An underground river on the island of Kauai, Hawaii, has proved a boon to the sugar industry of that section. It has been "tapped" for the purpose of irrigating the occasionally dry sugar lands.

SALES 100% AHEAD OF LAST YEAR!

NEW SUPERIOR **Whippet** FOURS SIXES

NEW "FINGER-TIP CONTROL"

One button on steering wheel controls starter, lights and horn. Simple design; easy operation. No wires in steering post.

January and February sales more than double those for same two months of 1928

The new Superior Whippet is off to a flying start! Its greater beauty and larger bodies are winning instant success and nation-wide popularity. Sales for January and February showed a gain of more than 100% over sales for the same two months of last year!

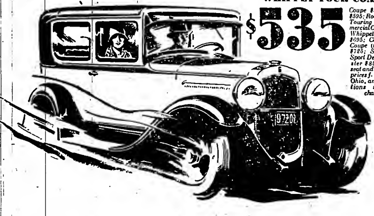
See the new Superior Whippet, and you readily understand its great success. Graceful lines, smart colors, longer bodies, higher radiator and hood, sweeping one-piece full-crown fenders, make it the style authority in its class.

Drive the Whippet, and note the faster speed and pick-up of its higher compression engine, with more than 20% added horsepower. And the new car is well qualified to carry on Whippet's reputation for dependability and minimum service costs.

WILLYS-OVERLAND, INC., Toledo, Ohio

WHIPPET FOUR COACH $535

Coupe $535; Sedan $595; Roadster $485; Touring $475; Commercial Chassis $365. Whippet Six Coach $695; Coupe $695; Coupe (rumble seat) $725; Sedan $760; Sport DeLuxe Roadster $850 (rumble seat and extras). All prices f. o. b. Toledo, Ohio, and specifications subject to change without notice.



SOLD BY
YOUNG & ERICKSON
ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

South River Falls

Victor Erickson, who has been employed at New Hampton, Iowa., returned home last week. While enroute, he visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. Oliver Norquist, at Willmar.

Mrs. Lee Beebe, Mrs. Aug. Erickson, Harry and Ernest Erickson and Thorstein Walseth were visitors at the G. B. Peterson home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnson and family visited at the B. Walseth home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Paul Thyren and children were vistors at the L. P. Thyren home Sunday.

Last Friday evening a large number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Johnson gathered at their home tendering them a farewell party. A social evening was spent which was followed by a lunch brot by the guests. Their many friends regret their departure from their immediate surroundings, but wish them success in their new home. They move Tuesday to the former Dr. Dann farm.

Battery Service

Batteries charged at 50 c Each

Guaranteed rebuilt batteries for only $3.50 and your old battery in exchange.

New batteries, 18 months guarantee, for $5.95 and your old battery

We repair any and all kinds of batteries, and guarantee a satisfactory job.

HICKS' SERVICE STATION
THIEF RIVER FALLS,
F14M7pd.

Evangelistic Meetings

Evangelist A. B. Ost

March 19th to 24th
Every Night
at
7:30 P. M.
Swedish Mission Church

Don,t fail to hear this Internationally known Evangelist. He is the boldest and most fearless Swedish-American Gospel preacher in America.

Auto Overhauling

This is the best time of the year to have your car overhauled and put in shape for use next spring.

I have facilties for doing this work, and am making special prices for it during the winter months.

Grease-Oil-Gas-Storage

Store your car in my heated garage. A phone call will bring it, properly greased, filled with oil and gas, ready for use. Repairs of all kinds given prompt attention.

ED ENGH
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Your Easter Suit

Have your Easter suit tailored to measure. The time to do it is now.

Come in and see what $25.00 will buy. A tailored suit, from pure virgin wool—50 different fabrics to select from, and guaranteed to fit perfectly.

Also a large selection of splendid patterns at $35.00 a suit.

Come in and look these over—they are real values.

M. H. JACKSON
General Merchandise
ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

Try Our Lunches

This cafe is ready and willing to serve you with wholesome home cooked meals and lunches—the kind you like.

We also carry soft drinks, cigars and tobacco for convenience of our customers.

HEATED ROOMS IN CONNECTION

Blue Parrot Inn

Keep Cellar Whitewashed

Cellar walls should be whitewashed once or twice a year. Whitewash is a disinfectent. If the cellar wells edmit moisture it is recommended to wash them with a diluts solution of hydrochloric acid (one part acid and five parts water), and then epply a plaster of oil-mixed mortar.

Effect of Water on Wood

The average life of wood in sea water is from ten to fifteen years. In tropical waters it may be only two years. Sound piles have, however, been removed from fresh water in which they have stood for more than 1,000 years.

Working Rings

A New York magistrate rules that en engagement ring beloogs to the donor until efter the wedding. This will be good news for economical swains who wish to make one ring serve for several engagements.—Boston Transcript.

Freemasonry

The term "Freemason" grew ont of the fact that only craftsmen not under control of the guilds were eligible. As the election was required to be unanimous, the members denoted themselves Free and Accepted Masons.

THE

CHURCHES

St. Hilaire Methodist-Community Church
Rev. Edith Grays, pastor.

No services until further notice.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Black River church at 10:30 A. M., and in local church at 3:00 P. M.

SWEDISH MISSION
Rev. C. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday School at 10:00.
Morning services at 11:00.
Afternoon services at 3:00 in the East Side school house.
No evening services.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday March 10th Services as follows:
St. Pauli, at 11:00 A. M.
Oak Ridge, at 2:00 P. M.

The Dorcas Society of the St. Hilaire church meet in the church parlor Saturday. March 9th, at 2:00 P. M. Mrs. Ed Auhol and Mrs. Gigstad entertain.

The Ladies Aid of Clearwater church meet on March 14th at the home of Oscar Wilson.

The Ladies Aid of the St Hilaire church will meet in the church parlor March 15 at 2:00 P. M. Mrs. L Rosett and Mrs. R. Landman entertain.

FOR SALE, etc.

For Sale:-Purehred turkey tom for sale at $8.00. Call on or address C. A. Halverson, City.

For Sale:-About a dozen purebred Plymouth and Barred Rock roosters at $1.00 each. Call on
M7-14pd H. F. Hanson, City.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Farm For Rent:- 320 acres, about 280 under cultivation. Buildings in good condition. Good water. Call on or address
S. L. Lind,
F28-M7pd R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

Hay For Sale:-A quantity of upland hay and also some alfalfa hay in stack 3 miles south of Hazel. For price, call on or address
L. Dobson,
F28M7pd R1 Hazel, Minn.

Wanted:-Work with team such as wood, ice, hay, coal hauling, etc. If you have have hauling of any kind, please phone No. 70.
J31tf E. Hilligoss, City.

LEONARD HOLMES
UNDERTAKER
Full Line Of Funeral Supplies On Hand
St. Hilaire, Minn. Nov 26th

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Tuberculin Testing
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Office By Hotel Ogahmah
Block North from G. N. Depot

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Spring Grove—A winter carnivel will be etagad here March 11 and 12 with exhibitions of county corn, grain and home work.

Brownsville—Fire destroyed tha St. Patrick's Catholic church here with a loss placed at between $35,000 and $50,000.

Red Wing—The huge beacon light at the Red Wing air field at Hager City will be removed in ths near future to a point near Diamond Bluff.

Alsxandria — The Douglas county chapter of the American Red Cross will hold their annual meeting here on March 15 with election of officers.

Cannon Falls—Ths women of this community have organized the Ladies Golf Club Auxiliary here with a charter membership of 22.

Co-op Will Pay 14 Cents Premium On Eggs

During Feb. the egg market took an unexpected and the advance prices of 20 cents per dozen with additional guaranteed premium of 4 cents on Standards and 8 cents on Extras is out of line with what producers should receive locally for eggs. Land O'Lakes Creameries, Inc. were able to sell all eggs delivered in Feb. at a very satisfactory price and final settlement to producers who delivered at the local creamery will be.

Land O'Lakes Extras	.34
Land O'Lakes Standards	.30
No. 2	.24

This is a premium of 14 cents on Extras, 10 cents on Standards and and 4 cents on No. 2. The advance made at time of delivery is merely an advance. If market prices warrant, the Farmers Co-Op Poultry Ass'n will pay additional price over and above the quotation which is issued from time to time. What the egg market will do this month is problematical; hut interest of the producer will be safeguarded.

Every producer should deliver eggs to the creamery whenever they deliver cream to insure best quality and highest prices.

Farmers Co-op Poultry Ass'n

State Foreclosed Farms

For sale 3 1-8 per cent down; 33 years to pay. Send for list of county you are interested in.
DEPARTMENT of RURAL CREDIT
610 Hamm Bldg., St. Paul, Minn.
M-7-28.

Dr. Spofford
Optometrist

will be at:
Hotel Lincoln, Red Lake Falls, Saturday, March 9.
Hotel Evelyn, Thief River Falls, Sunday, March 10.
Eyes Examined Glasses Fitted

Advertising Pays

R. L. Clifton, managing editor of the Mason (Ga.) News, says:

THAT the merchant who does not feed his business a hig dose of advertising regularly is going to soon have a business that may never he revived.

The live merchant, the man who is turning his stocks many times during the year, is the man who advertises. He does not go out and shout his business secrets to the wide world—he just goes right along and advertises, moves his stock and hrings in another and in this way he piles up his profits, pushes his husiness into front ranks and becomes among the leaders of his city. And the plain truth of the whole thing is that his success has been almost entirely due to advertising.

Show me a business that never advertises and if the record of that husiness is searched, you will find more or less stagnation in the methods of its operation.

Advertising is just as essential to the life of husiness today as it is for the hig department store to offer for sale nothing except the latest styles.

Hibbing—The new eki slide here has been dedicated, and forty-two riders from ths northwest perticipeted in the event.

Winona—Calvin Wolkel has enounced that ha plans to opan a hus line within the city limits for convenience of the rasidsnts.

Caledonia — Caledonia's community chest drive has beeo set for March 6, 6 and 7th with a four meo committee in charge.

St. James—Whather St. James shall issue bonds to the aomut of $80,000 for a new school building will be voted on at the epecial election March 18th.

Minneapolis—One workman was instantly killed and anothar seriously injured in e dust explosion at the plant of the Ralston Purina Co. hare.

Ely—About 300 Engineers and prominent mining men of the Iron Rangas and Northern Minnesota ettended the annual banquet of the Engineer's Clnb of Northern Minnesota.

Cannon Falls—The annnal banquet of the Cannon Falls Fire Department was held at the Falls Hotel and attended by every available fireman and their friends.

Village Treasurer's Annual Statement

Annual Statement of E. O. Burkee, Treasurer of the Village of St. Hilaira in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, of the moneys received by him as such Treasurer and the sources from which they were received, and the amounts paid out by him and the purpose for which they were paid.

RECEIPTS

Date	From Whom Received—On What Account	Amount
2-27-28	Balance Cash On Hand	322.85
4-11-28	John Gullingsrud Treasurer, Town Revenue	378.79
4-11-28	John Gullingsrud Treasurer, Road and Bridge	251.67
4-11-28	John Gullingsrud Treasurer, Money and Credits	10.45
7-10-28	John Gullingsrud Treasurer, Town Revenue	482.48
7-10-28	John Gullingsrud Treasurer, Road and Bridge	322.47
7-11-28	M. Fricker, Filing fees	3.00
7-11-28	M. Fricker, Acid sold	.50
7-23-28	State of Minnesota, 2% Tax Premiums	30.39
10-18-28	C. R. Huff, Pool table license	15.00
12--5-28	M. Fricker, Rent of grader	1.00
12-14-28	John Gullingsrud Treasurer, Town Revenue	478.35
12-14-28	John Gullingsrud Treasurer, Road and Bridge	320.42
2-13-29	State of Minnesota, 1928 Cigarette License	24.00
	TOTAL RECEIPTS	$2,640.58

DISBURSED

Order No.	Date	To Whom Paid—On What Account	Amount
79	11-19-27	Emil Just, Loan	$ 500.00
1	3--9-28	John Forseen, Salary	15.00
2	3--8-28	O. Gunstad, Proceedings	2.25
3	3--9-28	M. Highland, Labor	4.00
4	3--9-28	Red River Power Co., Lights	34.30
5	4--2-28	Nels Pearson, Labor	1.50
8	4--2-28	Ed. Peterson, Labor	1.50
7	4--2-28	O. Gunstad, Printing	31.00
8	4--2-28	M. H. Jackson, Salary & Judge of Election	10.50
9	4--2-28	H. F. Hanson, Salary & Judge of Election	8.70
10	4--2-28	Paul Roy, Clerk of Election	3.40
11	4--2-28	A. Satterberg, Salary and Labor	8.50
12	4--2-28	Ed. Peterson, Pump	8.90
13	4--2-28	M. Fricker, Salary	30.00
14	4--2-28	E. O. Burkee, Salary	20.00
16	4--2-28	John Forseen, Salary	15.00
18	4--2-28	Red River Power Company, Lights	34.30
17	4--2-28	John A. Hansen, Labor	3.00
18	5-10-28	O. Gunstad, 2 Proceedings	4.76
19	5-10-28	Bergh Hardware Co., As per bill	1.20
20	5-10-28	Joseph Paquin, Labor	7.00
21	5-10-28	Nels Pearson, Labor	3.50
22	5-10-28	Red River Power Co., Lights	34.30
23	6--5-28	Red River Power Co., Lights	34.30
24	8--5-28	Joseph Paquin, Grader	75.00
25	8--5-28	Central Lumber Co., Lumber	21.88
28	8--5-28	Peter Simonson, Labor	18.55
27	8--5-28	H. F. Hanson, Labor	6.30
28	8--5-28	Ben Brevik, Labor	35.00
29	8--5-28	Joe King, Labor	8.05
30	6--5-28	Joseph Paquin, Labor	33.60
31	8-29-28	Jas. A. Dahl, Assessing Village	124.00
32	7-10-28	Ole Nash, Labor	1.00
33	7-10-28	Wm. Olson, Repairs	5.85
34	7-10-28	A. Satterberg, Equalization and Labor	11.20
35	7-10-28	M. Fricker, Equalization and Ballots	8.70
38	7-10-28	Peter Simonson, Judge of Election	5.80
37	7-10-28	A. A. Odegaard, Judge of Election and Labor	6.90
38	7-10-28	H. F. Hanson, Judge of Election and Return ballots	8.50
38	7-10-28	O. Gunstad, 2 Proceedings and notice	24.36
40	7-10-28	Red River Power Co., Lights	34.30
41	8--8-28	A. Satterberg, Drayage	3.00
42	8--8-28	Peter Simonson, Labor	6.65
43	8--8-28	H. F. Hanson, Labor	6.85
44	8--8-28	O. Gunstad, Proceedings	2.25
45	8--8-28	Red River Power Co., Lights	34.30
46	8--7-28	W. S. Nott Co., Hose	28.00
47	8--7-28	M. Highland, Team and Express	17.50
48	9--7-28	O. Gunstad, 2 Proceedings	3.25
49	9--7-28	H. F. Hanson, Labor	1.55
50	9--7-28	Ole Branum, Labor	1.75
51	9--7-28	Dr. H. W. Froelich, Salary, Health officer	17.50
52	9--7-28	Red River Power Co., Lights	34.30
53	8--7-28	Joe King, Gravel	8.75
54	10--1-28	A. Satterberg, Salary	6.00
55	10--1-28	H. F. Hanson, Salary	6.00
58	10--1-28	Peter Simonson, Salary	5.00
67	10--1-28	A. A. Odegaard, Salary	5.00
58	10--1-28	M. Fricker, Salary	30.00
58	10--1-28	E. O. Burkee, Salary	20.00
80	10--1-28	O. Gunstad, Proceedings	2.25
81	10-11-28	Red River Power Co., Lights	34.30
62	11--8-28	Emil Just, Interest, order No. 78	30.00
63	11--8-28	Red River Power Co., Lights	34.30
64	11--8-28	O. Gunstad, Proceedings	2.25
65	11--8-28	M. Highland, Labor	4.16
88	11--8-28	Kolstad and Peterson, Labor	17.10
87	11--8-28	Central Lumber Co., Lime and cement	.95
88	11--8-28	M. H. Jackson, Flag	5.00
88	11--8-28	Miller-Davis Co., Blanks	8.60
70	11--8-28	Eimer Johnson, Labor	3.00
71	11--8-28	Peter Simonson, Labor	5.80
72	11--8-28	H. F. Hanson, Labor	3.50
73	11--8-28	John A. Hansen, Lahor	1.00
74	12--5-28	John Forseen, Salary	15.00
75	12--5-28	Red River Power Co., Lights	34.30
76	12--5-28	Larson Bros., Merchandise as bill	6.50
77	12--5-28	M. Fricker, Clerk of Election	7.90
78	12--5-28	Ole Nash, Sawing wood	7.80
78	12--5-28	C. A. Halvarson, Labor	3.50
80	12--5-28	O. Gunstad, Proceedings	2.25
81	12--5-28	Peter Simonson, Judge of Election and Labor	8.48
82	12--5-28	A. Satterberg, Clerk of Election and Coal	64.70
83	12--5-28	H. F. Hanson, Labor and Judge of Election	11.80
84	12--5-28	A. A. Odegaard, Labor and Judge of Election	8.90
85	1.12-28	John Forseen, Salary	15.00
86	1 12 29	O. Gunstad, Proceedings	2.25
87	1-12-29	Harry Ortloff, Labor	5.40
88	1-12-29	Red River Power Co., Lights	34.30
89	2--7-29	K. A. Kolstad, Labor	1.00
90	2--7-29	O. Gunstad, Proceedings	2.25
91	2--7-28	John Forseen, Salary	15.00
	2-23-23	Balance Cash On Hand	763.52
		TOTAL	$2,840.58

RECAPITULATION

RECEIPTS

Balance February 27, 1928	$ 322.85
General Fund	2,317.73
Total	$2,840.58

DISBURSEMENTS

General Fund	$ 1,877.06
Total Disbursements	1,877.06
Balance February 23, 1929—Total	$763.52

State of Minnesota
County of Pennington } ss.
Village of St. Hilaire

I, E. O. Burkee, Village Treasurer, hereby certify that the within is a true statement of all the moneys received by me into the Village Treasury of said Village and the source from which the same were received and their respective amounts, and also the amounts paid out hy me and the purposes for which paid during the year ending February 23rd 1928.

Given under my hand this 23rd day of February, 1929.

E. O. BURKEE, Treasurer.

What We're Waiting For

Eventoally, eeys the Hamilton Spectator, Zeppelios will be of eoch size they will be carrying ocean liners as lifeboats.—Bostoo Transcript.

Seems to Be Misnamed

Wby is a mao called oohle? His natural loclioation is to break tha laws of nature and nation, says the Atchison Globe.

Hereditary Bugbear

Doo't aacribe all yonr weaknesses to heredity. That's on easy way ont and leads too ofteo to e do-nothing policy. Be np and doing, and doo't let the bngbeor of beredity floor you.

To Get Rid of Mice

To hanish mice put esmphor into the places tbey freqnent. Holes shonld be stopped with pntty in which mustard has been mixed.

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ST. HILAIRE SPECTATOR.

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Junior Class Play

The Juniors will present their three act play, "Making Betty Famous" March 26th, instead of Mar. 22 as stated last week.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Peter Jay Klemens Gigstad
Patricia Jay Evelyn Peterson
Justice Jay Edgar Narlin
Elizabeth 'Brown' Blaine Iona Olsen
Timothy Tamalhy Olof Torstveit
Mrs. Squeems Marie Kolseth
Nathaniel Blaine George Biskey
Mr. Ives Clarence Pearson
Messenger Boy Lewis Norman

SYNOPSIS

Peter Jay, a young autbor, who is without money, decides to become a literary agent. When Betty Blaine submits a mysterious manuscript, he seizes theopportunity to win fame for her. A friend of Betty's who also knows Peter, tells her that Peter wouldn't know if a story was good or not. Betty's father is a publisher, and unknown to him, she borrows a manuscript from his safe, and takes it to Peter's office. Peter decides to buy the manuscript, and takes it to Blaine, the publisher. When Blaine discovers it is the manuscript that disappeared from his safe, he threatens to arrest Peter, but Betty comes to the rescue and explains to her father how the manuscript got into Peter's possession. Peter wins Betty, and her father offers him a position as manuscript reader.

To Do Custom Hatching

The St. Hilaire Hatchery, owned by Mrs. O. A. Holmes, which has supplied baby chicks to a wide territory the past few few years, will do custom batching only this season because of the fact that the owner has taken charge of the poultry raising at the bank farm which will occupy most of her time. Mrs. Holmes will be able to supply hatching eggs to a limited number of customers, and will do custom hatching for those who desire it.

A recent report that a gusher bad been struck in the oil drilling operations near Rainy River, Ont., appears to be without foundation. Drilling is still going on in that locality, but thus far no oil to any amount has been found.

Andrew Norman returned Thursday evening after spending a few days with friends at Leonard.

Want Ads Bring Resutls

Village Election

At the annual village election held Tuesday, Adolph Satterberg was re-elected president of the village council for the coming year. Tom Larson was elected councilman for three years, E. O. Burkee was re-elected treasurer for two years, Hans Folstad was elected assessor for two years, and John Forseen was named constable for a two year term. Tbere were a number of scattered votes for different citizens for justice of the peace. About half of the registered vote of the village was cast.

W. C. T. U. Meeting

The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Josephene Branum on Wednesday evening, March 20. All interested in the work are welcome.

Here From St. Peter

Emil R. Eichler motored up yesterday from St. Peter for a visit at Zinter home north of here, and to look after some property left here by his brother, Fred Eichler, who died at Thief River last winter. Mr. Eichler is proprietor of the St. Peter Tile Works at St. Peter.

Open Culverts

The village dads are to be commended for their foresight in open ing the drains and culverts first of the week. This will allow water to drain away as rapidly as the snow thaws, and will likely result in the streets being in better condition this spring than in some years past.

Ben Brevik, who has been ill most of the winter, was able to be over town a couple times last week, but has since suffered a recurrance of his trouble and is again confined to bed.

More automobiles from the surrounding territory were in town than at any time since the snow came in January. Except where drifts were exceptionally high, the roads are open now to auto traffic.

Starting Tuesday evening and continuing until Sunday evening March 24th, a series of evangelistic meetings will be conducted in the local Swedish Mission church. Evangelist A. B. Ost will conduct the meetings.

Want Ads Bring Results

The First Bit of Green

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mrs. N. E. Beebe received word last week that her mother was seriously ill at the home at Rapidan.

Clint Martz returned Friday after spending a few weeks at Thief River Falls.

Arthur, eldest son of Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle, was operated upon for sinus trouble at the hospital at Grand Forks Saturday.

Dr. L. R. Tweite, the veterinarian, was down Friday from Thief River attending to a number of calls from the territory east of here.

John D. Porter was over Friday and Saturday from Bemidji looking after business matters here and at Thief River.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gunderson, who reside on the Benson farm, is improving after a siege of typhoid.

A number of farmers in this locality are planning to put in small acreages of spuds the coming season.

L. E. Healy, examiner in charge of the Farmers State Bank is to be here March 22 to look after business affairs of the Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Geiseke are the proud parents of a baby boy born Sunday March 10. Mother and child are doing fine.

The creek in west part of town commenced opening yesterday which is the earliest the creek has opened for many years.

Cash Cartier, superintendent of the Red River Power Company plant at Red Lake Falls, was up Tuesday to read meters and to look after other business of the company.

Paul Ortloff plans to leave next week for Detroit Lakes where he will be foreman for a large construction company on a road building contract near that city.

Rev. C. B. Dahlberg and Peter Lundberg motored yesterday to Crookston to see Mrs. Lundberg who is a patient at the Bethesda hospital. She is showing some improvement which will be good news to her many friends.

Quite a number of local people were at Thief River last week to attend the basketball tournament. The Thief River high school won the championship for this district in the finals of the series.

A new hot water tank was recently installed at the creamery.

If present plans materialize, there will be changes in several business places in the village this spring.

Gravel hauling on the streets was finished last week-end. The gravel has been spread so it is possible to drive over it now.

The local elevators have a good supply of various kinds of seed on hand in anticipation of a brisk demand this spring.

Several parties have reported seeing crows the past week which is an indication that spring is not far distant.

Pete Bergh was over Friday and Saturday from Plummer attending to business at his local hardware store.

Young & Erickson, local agents for Whippet cars, expect to have the new models on display here next month.

An auction sale of stock, machinery and other farm equipment is being beld today at the Lester Foster farm in Sanders township.

The fire department was called out Monday night to a chimney fire at the Merchants State Bank. The fire did no damage to either chimney or building.

Mike Highland, who has been a patient at the hospital at Thief River for several weeks, has improved to such extent that be expects to return home tbis week.

Mr. Lehmke and family, who have resided on the former Halvor Johnson farm northeast of here, have leased the former Dr. Dann home farm and will occupy it this season.

George Biskey carrier on route one, was compelled to discontinue use of his snowmobile first of this week and resort to wheels. B. Theo. Johnson, carrier on the Hazel route was able to make his route by car too first of the week.

Isabella, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rosendahl, was operated upon for appendicitis, at the hospital at Thief River last week. Sbe is reported to be getting along fine.

Funeral Held Saturday

Funeral services for the late Mrs. Erick Pearson were held from the Carpenter home at 1:00 and from the Swedish Mission church at 2:00 last Saturday afternoon, Rev. C. B. Dahlberg officiating. Rev. A. F. Nelson of the Swedish Lutheran was present and gave a short funeral oration in the Swedish language, and Rev. Dahlberg spoke American.

Many beautiful flowers were in evidence, tributes of love and esteem to Mrs. Pearson, who was held in high esteem by all who knew her.

Interment was made in the family burial plot in the cemetery east of town where Mr. Pearson was buried some years ago.

Spring Is Here

With a warm south wind blowing allday, and the mercury above 40 degrees, spring was ushered in this section Sunday. Continued warm weather this week has made good inroads on snowdrifts, and all graveled roads are bare.

Crows, which are considered sure harbingers of spring, arrived in considerable numbers Monday.

High School Burned

The high school building at Litchfield burned to the ground first of this week. Plans are being made for rebuilding the coming summer.

A carload of butter tubs was shipped in and stored by the creamery last week.

Travellers coming thru from southern part of the state say spring conditions there are very much the same as here. There is a little more snow left here, otherwise weather conditions are similar.

Date for presentation of the Junior Class play has been changed from Mar. 22 to 26th.

Construction work has been started on the new bridge which will span the Red River between Grand Forks and East Grand Forks.

A very good meeting of the 4H Club was held at the school house last Friday evening. A splendid program was given which was greatly enjoyed by the big crowd present.

May Build Fire Hall

There has been considerable discussion lately among citizens of the village about the advisibility of erecting a new building to house the fire department equipment. There probably is enough material in the présent two story combined hall and fire house to build a substantial one story structure. By using the old material and finishing the building with a cement stucco exterior, the village can build a neat house that will be a credit to the town, without any large outlay of cash. It is probable too, that a more suitable location than the present one, can be found.

Successful Sale

A very successful auction sale is reported from the Hetzer farm north of town where a sale was held yesterday. Everything offered was sold at fair prices. Mr. and Mrs. Hetzer are planning to leave soon to look over prospective locations in Iowa and adjoining states. They have not decided yet where they will locate, and may see some of the western states, before arriving at a decision.

25 Years Ago

On Monday that week, George Casbon and C. H. Remington opened a bakery and restaurant in the Opperud building.

—XXV—

A fire at Red Lake Falls the previous morning, destroyed the Palace Hotel, Gonigrams real estate building and the Gaass land office.

—XXV—

Julius Pleth bought the former Guttormson eighty acre farm in River Falls.

—XXV—

Mrs. R. H. Aimer left to spend a week with relatives and friends at Keystone and Grand Forks.

—XXV—

Otterness & Edstrom took over the E. J. Holmes store and were making very attractive prices on most of their goods to move them before new stock begun to arrive.

Mrs. Chas. Fellman was out in the county taking care of her father, J. Julien, who was sericusly ill. Mr. Julien was 78 years of age, and his recovery was doubtful.

There was considerable agitation here in favor of starting a hospital.

Emil J. Holmes and family left that week for Cannon Falls to make their fnture home.

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Every action by the officers of this institution is determined by one one major consideration—

The safety of our depositor's money.

In all of our investments, in all of our loans we are guided by this policy—in order that your surplus money may be here working for you day and night—and that it may always be available for your use at a moment's demand.

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St. Hilaire Minnesota

Buy A Share

Every patron of the creamery should own at least one share of its stock. This will give you a vote and a voice in its management.

Actual value of the plant is several times that of its stock, so you make a good investment by buying shares. Arrange to get your's now.

St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Of interest to every car owner:

A statement of General Motors' Policy

by Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., President

THE public has been visiting the automobile shows in the larger cities of the country to see new models.

Suppose you could drop a curtain over the 1929 automobile shows and raise it immediately upon the shows of ten years ago. How vividly the changes would then appear!

Go back five years, or even three, and the contrasts are amazing. So fast have the improvements followed one another that every year has offered you *more* for your automobile dollar—in performance, in comfort, in safety, in beauty and in style. Never was this fact quite so impressive as in the cars now on display.

This is real progress, and inevitably General Motors has been a leader in it. You cannot have hundreds of engineers, in one organization, thinking and working day and night without knowing more about making automobiles than was known the year before. You cannot have great Research Laboratories, the Proving Ground and the unmatched resources and skill of Fisher body without developing constantly better processes and new ideas. The patronage of the public makes possible all this machinery of betterment; so the public is entitled to each improvement as promptly as it has been proved.

In this way came the self-starter, the closed body, durable Duco finish, four wheel brakes. By the same process one of the remarkable feats in industrial history has just been effected: Chevrolet has been transformed into a six-cylinder car within the price range of the four—almost overnight. Similarly, the new brakes and transmissions of Cadillac and LaSalle are a fundamental improvement; while the new models of Buick, Oldsmobile, Oakland and Pontiac all represent values that could not have been offered before.

Such progress, born of the inherent ambition of an organization of active minds to do better and to give more, is of benefit to all. It offers you more for your money with each succeeding year. It gives you more value for your present car when you trade it in.

This is our policy. This is real progress.

ALFRED P. SLOAN, Jr., President

Detroit, March 1, 1929

AN INVITATION

General Motors would like you to see the progress which it has made duriog the past year and which is represented by its new models. More than that, it invites you to peep behind the scenes at the methods employed to assure further progress. Simply check on the coupon below the products in which you are most interested. Full informatioo will be sent without obligation *plus* a valuable little book which tells the loside story of the General Motors institutioo. This book—"*The Open Mind*"—has real value to every one owniog or planning to buy a car.

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TUNE IN—General Motors Family Party, every Monday, 9:30 P. M. (Eastern Standard Time) WEAF and 38 associated radio stations

HAZEL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson, Misses Sophie Torkelson and Hulda Torsveit, Mrs. Arthur Torsveit and children visited at the Roy Lokken home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Theo. Johnson and children autoed to Grand Forks on Sunday where they visited with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Peterson and daughter, Selma, and sons, Carl and Hjalmer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandberg and little daughter were six o'clock dinner guests at the Clarence Roese home on Sunday.

Mr. Carl Alberg and daughters, Gladys, Helen, and Lillian were callers at the Eli Peterson home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Knutson and daughter, Arlene visited at the Arnt Wedul home on Sunday.

Miss Hermia Saastad of the Teachers Training Department of Thief River Falls came Monday for two weeks of practice teaching in the Hazel school.

Mr. John Johnson who has been visiting with his son, Anton, returned to his home at Thief River Falls on Thursday evening. He visited at the O. Odegaard home on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Hjalmer Finstad and sons, Kenneth and Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lokken and daughters, Beatrice and Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. Lappagaard were callers at the Carl Alberg home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs Oscar Seeland and son, Omar, visited with friends in St. Hilaire on Sunday.

Miss Gladys Vigness of Thief River is visiting this week at the Ole Odegaard home.

Mr. Albert Hestikind is being employed at the Pete Nelson home, during the time Mr. Nelson is receiving medical attention at Rochester.

Mrs. Pete Nelson returned home Saturday morning from Rochester where she has spent two weeks.

Mrs. John Magnuson and Mayme Anderson went to Plummer on Saturday where they visited at the Arthur Torstveit home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Peterson and children visited at the Carl Alberg home Monday evening.

Mrs. Ed Knutson visited at the Adrian Anderson home on Monday.

Miss Anna Alberg visited at the Ole Odegaard and Pete Nelson homes on Monday.

Mrs. Erling Prestby and children visited at the Ed Holten home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Melvie were Thief River call on Thursday.

Mrs. Adrian Anderson and Mrs. John Magnuson visited at the Ole Odegaard home on Tuesday.

French Workers Use Warm Dogs in Winter

Thiers, France.—Dogs furnish the heat in one of France's oldest cutleries. The workmen are required by the nature of their task to lie on their stomachs all day aud in winter each provides himself with a big warming dog.

This custom exists only in Thiers and dates back three and a half centuries. The griuders lie proue and hold the kuife blades against stoues turned by water power. Generations ago the men trained their dogs to keep them warm.

Youth's Golden Outlook

"The young people of India are not different from the young people of America. Their clothing, yes! Their speech, yes! Their custom, of course! But youth the world over has the same problems, the same ideals, the same dreams. Youth is the great unfolding. They all face toward the morning of the world.—Sarojini Naidu.

Washing Oranges

Oranges are plunged into a soapsuds bath with revolving brushes when they come from the orchard. They are then washed in a soda or borax solution to kill any mold germs on the skin, then under a shower bath of clear water, after which they are dried, sorted to size and wrapped in paper.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 24th, 1924, executed by Carrie Brekke, a widow, as mortgagor, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 29th, 1924, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 221 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $51.99, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $109.38, due on April 24th, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $109.38 each, due on October 24th, 1927, April 24th, 1928, and October 24th, 1928, respectively; and to pay ths taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises for the years 1925, 1926, 1927 and 1928; and to pay the premium on insurance policy covering the huildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $3,324.85, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from October 24th, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $380.13, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $51.99 thereof since November 16th, 1927, on $109.38 thereof since October 24, 1927, on $109.38 thereof since April 24th, 1928, and on $109.38 thereof since October 24th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $313.10 for taxes including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at seven per cent. per annum since January 25th, 1929, and the sum of $18.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since August 3rd, 1928, in all the sum of $4,109.30, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates, as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

Ths Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Thirteen (13), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Rangs Forty-two (42) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government Survey thereof,

with the hereditamsnts and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 22nd day of March, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated February 6th, 1929.

State of Minnesota, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.

Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (F7-M14.)

Library Notice

Due to big increase in number of patrons, and consequently increased time necessary to check books in and out, library hours will hereafter be from 2:00 to 5:00 p. m.. on Fridays and Saturdays. Those who have books now overdue, are asked to bring them in, remembering there is a charge of 2 cents per day for rent of books kept more than 7 or 14 days depending on the kind of book taken.

Mrs. O. Gunstad, Librarian

Indicate Presence of Oil

The Geological sorvey says that an anticlioe is an upfold in rocks, and such a fold in deposits, that ere huried beneath formations of more recent geological age that were not suhjected to the folding, cannot be detected at ths surface. Soch upfolds—called "anticlines"—are regarded as favorable to the accumulation of oil and it is for this reason that oil prospectors endeavor to locate such structures.

Term's Origin in Dispute

The term "barbecue" was originally applied in the Southern states to the practice of rossting a hog, ox or other large animal. The word was not in use in Virginia before 1700. The origin of the uame is disputed. Some think it comes from the Indians of Guiana, while others believe that it is derived from the Haitian, and others ascribe it to the French.

First Polyglot Bible

The first complete polyglot Bible was the Complutensian, printed at the expense of the Cardinal Ximenes, published between 1513 and 1517 at Complutum, near Madrid, Spain. It contained the Septuagint, the Vulgate, the Old Testament in Hebrew, the Greek New Testament and the Targum of Onkelos on the Pentateuch.

HOOVER MEETS CABINET

President Hoover Meets With Official Family for the First Time.

Washington—President Hoover met with his cabinet for the first time, outlining in a broad way the general policiss of his administretion and discnesing with his advisers a vairety ot suhjecta, including the Mexican revolution. All members were present except Henry L. Stimson, eecretary of state, who is sn route from Manila. His chair is occupied meanwhile hy Frank B. Kellogg, who has heen in frequent conference with the chief executive on the revolt in Mexico. Besides filling a dozen vacancies that are to occur in the assietant secretaryships of the varioos departments, Persident Hoover wlli hs ohliged to make a numher of recess appointmente, judicial end others, including two members of the radio commiseioo. Information ohtained was that the new chiet executive wonld taks indepeodent action in the caee ot all appointments and that consequently it did not follow that he would give recess commissions to all ot those elected hy President Coolidge, and whose nominations failed of sction hy the senate at the last session.

Two other appointmeots which must hs made sre directors ot the veterans' hureau and the hudget hureau. These do not require senate confirmation. Mr. Hoover has heen urged to retain both Frank T. Hines and Brigadier General Lord hut it was stated that hs hsd reached no final decision.

Fox Theater Buys Interest In Loews.

New York—William Fox, president of Fox Theaters corporation, hae announced purchase hy the corporation ot a "substantial hlock" ot the commoo stock of Loews Incorporated. The stock was acquired from the wldow and family of the late Mnrcus Loew and its acquisition was said to make the affiliated compaoies the largest operatives of motion picture theatsrs and companies in ths country.

Junket Inquiry Starts in Chicago.

Chicago—Frank J. Loesch, prosecutor in chsrge of the sanitary district investigation, states that the grand jury would he nsked to consider voucher payments which he said were made to cover sxpenses of district officials attending the Democratic convention at Houston. One voucher for $1,000 has heen discovered with the notation "convention expenses."

Ssnats Confirms Hoover Cabinet.

Washington—The eight new memhers selected hy President Hoover for his cabinet were coofirmed hy ths senate within a few minutes after the president hsd suhmitted their nominations. As hsd heen forecast, Presideot Hoover did not suhmit the names of Secretaries Andrew Mellon and James J. Davis, that procedure heing unnecessary under the law.

Hoover Oath Heard Plainly in London.

London—A gathering of newspaper men heard a few fragments of President Hoover's inaugural speech in the radio room ot the London Timse as distinctly as did his vast audience in Washington. Every word ot Chiet Jostice William Howard Taft administeriog the oath came across the Atlantic as clear as a hell, followed hy Hoover's "I do."

Coolidge to Write for 3 Magazines.

New York City—Calvin Coolidge hae chosen magazine writiog as his occupation for the immediate future. Three magazines—Cosmopolitan, Ladies Home Jouroal and the American—havs arranged with Mr. Coolidge for articles on the presidency. The first ot them will appear in the April issue ot the Cosmopolitan Magazine.

Montana City Faces New Flood Threat.

Miles City, Mont.—Danger of more critical flood conditions threatened this city wheo ice hroke in the Yellowstone river at Forsyth, upriver trom here, releasing a large quantity of water. A large inflow ot Tongue river water from the south makes the situation more menacing.

Iowa High Court Kills Road Bonds.

Des Moines, Ia.—The $10,000,000 stats bond sct designed to raise sufficient revenue to complete the state's primary road system io six years was held unconstitutional hy the Iowa Supreme Conrt. The decision was unanimons on the part of the full hench comprising seven memhers.

Evsrett Sanders Joins Law Firm.

Washington—Everett Sanders, for four years secretary to former President Coolidge, hae announced he hed hecoms a memher of the law firm of Good, Childs, Bohh, aod Wescott tc replacs James W. Good of Iowa, the new secretary of war.

Criminals Not "Different"

Teats by criminologists and physicians condocted at Sing Sing show conclusively that the criminal's features and physical makeop are no different from those of law-abiding citizens.

Vast Fresh-Water Lake

Lake Tanganyika, in east-central Africa, is estimated to he the loogest fresh water lake in the world, measuring over 400 miles. Its hreadth varies from 30 to 45 miles and the area is 12,700 square miles.

First to Protect Oysters

Rhode Island waa the first state to set aside water territory for the propagatiou of oysters. As early as June, 1799, this state set aside a small tract for the cultivatiou and propsgation of oysters by private parties.

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Council Proceedings

Special meeting of the village council of the Village of St. Hilaire held at the president's, office, February 14th, at 8:00 P. M. for the purpose of opening bids for gravel.

Meeting called to order by tbe president, all members being present.

Two bids were received, one from E. Hilligoss at $1.20 per cubic yard, and one from Martin Hallstrom also $1.20 per cubic yard. Mr. Hilligoss not being willing to guarantee delivery of amount of gravel called for by March 15th, the Council awarded the contract to Mr. Hallstrom.

On motion duly made and carried, meeting adjourned.

M. Fricker, Clerk. A. Satterberg, President.

Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council of the Village of St. Hilaire, Minnesota., held at the, president's office on March 4th, 1929 at 8:00 P. M. Meeting called to order by the president, all members being present.

Minutes of last regular and special meetings were read and approved.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed as read:

Red River Pwr Co., lights	$34.30
John Forseeen, salary	15.00
Nels Person, checking gravel,	7.00
Bergh Hdwe Co, as per bill	10.50

Motion made and carried that H. F. Hanson and A. Odegaard act as judges, and Peter Simonson as clerk, at the annual village election, March 12th.

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjourned.

M. Fricker, Clerk. A. Satterberg, President.

Thank You

We express our thanks and appreciation to all those listed below who have all advanced their subscriptions lately:-

Carl Zinter, Lars Rosette, Carl Person, Aug. Scholin, John Scholin, Roy Larson, Axel Jacobson, Mrs. Matt Anderson, R. L. Hauge, C. M. Bilden, Mrs. K. B. Johnson, W. Ewing, Wm. Novak, Ole Branum, C. O. Swanson, Carl Swanson, Peter Simonson, Mrs. Arthur Eid, Lulu Beebe, Mrs. C. F. Brantner, Arthur Johnson, Wm. Randorf, Alf. Lindquist, Oliver O. Johnson, N. E. Beebe, Wasbington Adams.

In the above are several new subscriptions which are greatly appreciated. We note also, among the renewals, the name of our oldest subscriber, Washington Adams, who has been a subscriber of the Spectator continuously since it was instituted in 1882.

Uncle Eben

"If you takes yohself too serious," said Uncle Eben, "you is g'ineter be as lonesome as de man dat turned his back oo de percession an' marched de other way."—Washington Star.

Wood Outlasts Steel

The average life of a wooden sailing vessel is about 30 years; that of a steel steam vessel, about 20 years.

Dairy Feeds

We have a large supply of International and Northup-King dairy feeds in the 16-20-24-32 per cent protien content.

We also have bran, shorts and egg mash.

Use Mascot flour--It's all the wheat that's fit to eat.

Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

N. Benoit Local Mgr.

Wanted

Orders for seed wheat, oats, barley, and flax.

See us for prices on the above, and on any other seed you may want this spring.

C. Roe Grain Company

ST. HILAIRE, MINN

Arthur Hanson *Local Manager*

THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH MISSION
Rev. C. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday, March 17th.
Sunday school at 10:00 A. M.
Morning service at 11:00.
Evening service at 7:45.
Service at Black River, 2:30 P. M.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday morning in Clara church at 10:30 and in local church afternoon at 3:00.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Marah 17 services as follows:-
St. Hilaire, 11:00 A. M. Norwegian
Sunday school at 10:00 A. M.
The Ladies Aid of St. Hilaire church meets in the church parlors on March 16th at 2:30, Mesdames L. Rosette and R. Landman entertaining.
Services at Ebenezer church in May field at 2:00 P. M.

State Foreclosed Farms

For sale 3 1-8 per cent down; 33 years to pay. Send for list of county you are interested in.
DEPARTMENT of RURAL CREDIT
610 Hamm Bldg., St. Paul, Minn.
M-7-28.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Card of Thanks

We wish hereby to express our heartfelt thanks to all friends and neighbors who assisted us during the illness and after the death of our beloved mother and grandmother, and also all who contributed the beautiful flowers at the funeral.. We also wish to thank Rev. A. F. Nelson and Rev. C. B. Dahlberg for their comforting sermons, also those who sang. All this will be held in grateful remembrance by us all.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Carpenter and family.
Mrs. Anna Ness and family.

Should Have Weight

Home truths may burt, but usually they are prompted by an affection that the more flattering outside world does not possess. The family is the closest organization on earth, and in estimating oneself it is not wise wholly to ignore the family verdict.—Exchange.

Old Fashion Magazine

From 1830 to 1839 Godey's was known as the Lady's Book; 1840-1843, Godey's Lady's Book; 1844-1848, Godey's Magazine and Lady's Book; 1848-1892. Godsy's Lady's Book, and from 1892 Godey's Magazine. It was purchased by F. A. Munsey and merged in the Puritan, October, 1893.

Varieties of Waterfowl

The term "waterfowl" includes ducks, geese, swans, gulls, pelicans. etc. There are 350 different kinds of birds found in Oregon and Washington, about half of which would be water birds. They are found along tha coasts and in the marshes of rivers and lakes.

Newspaper Like Theater

A newspaper, like a theater, must mainly owe its continuance in life to the fact that it pleases many persons; and in order to please many persons it will, unconsciously perhaps, respond to their several tastes, reflect their various equalities, and reproduce their views.—William Winter.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of that certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by the Citizens State Bank of Hazel, Minnesota, a corporation, as mortgagors, to The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Indiana, mortgagee, bearing date the 22nd day of January, 1926, with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of February, 1926, at four o'clock P. M. in Book 76 of Mortgages on Page 188.

That said default consists in the failure to pay principal note of One Hundred Dollars ($100) due January 10, 1929, and the failure to pay interest amounting to One Hundred Ninety-five Dollars ($195) due January 10, 1929, and,

Whereas, The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company has elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and,

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred Twelve and 31-100 Dollars, ($3212.31), and,

Whereas, said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof,

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, which said premises are situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota and are more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4) in Section Six (6) Township One Hundred Fifty Two (152) North of Range Forty-Two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 168.57 acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof,

together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State on the 6th day of April, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars ($75) attorney's fee, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one (1) year from the date of sale.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1929.

THE LINCOLN NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation, MORTGAGEE.

R. V. GLEASON,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
332 Builders Exchange,
Minneapolis, Minnesota.
F21-M28

Not Very Hungry

Tramp—Lady, could you give a poor fellow a bite to——

Furmer's Wife—Out there is the woodpile and the ax.

Tramp—Pardon me, lady, but I'm so subject to splitting beadaches.

Reason for Wealth

Mrs. Brown—Do you think they are rich?

Mrs. Jones—Of course they are rich; they're still using last year's car.

Sales doubled!

THROUGH GREATER BEAUTY, LARGER BODIES

WHIPPET SIX COACH—7-Bearing Crankshaft
$695
Coupe $695; Coupe (with rumble seat) $725; Sedan $760; Sport De Luxe Roadster $850 (including rumble seat and extras).

WHIPPET FOUR COACH
$535
Coupe $535; Sedan $595; Roadster $485; Touring $475; Commercial Chassis $365. All Willys-Overland prices f. o. b. Toledo, Ohio, and specifications subject to change without notice.

JANUARY AND FEBRUARY SALES 100% AHEAD OF LAST YEAR

STARTING with its first presentation, the new Superior Whippet has aroused an ever-growing tide of public enthusiasm. In January and February, sales showed a gain of more than 100% over sales for the corresponding months of 1928.

You will readily understand such remarkable success when you see and drive the car. An inspection reveals the new Superior Whippet's beauty of design and tasteful refinement of detail.

A demonstration reveals higher speed, faster pick-up and greater power, together with ease of control and comfortable riding qualities never before associated with such an inexpensive car.

NEW SUPERIOR **Whippet** FOURS SIXES

SOLD BY

YOUNG & ERICKSON

ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

South River Falls

Mrs. Aug. Erickson, Harvey and Victor Erickson visited from Friday until Sunday with Elmer Erickson at McIntosh.

Mrs. Geo. Hesse and children visited at the K. T. Dalager home on Sunday.

Fred Ellison visited at the Hans Hogquist home last week. He returned to Thief River Falls on Eriday.

In honor of her marriage a party was tendered Mrs. Lee Beebe last Thursday at the A. Aug. Erickson home. The hours were spent socially after which lunch was served. Mrs. Beebe was presented with a tea set by those present who were: Mesdames Oscar Haugen, Paul Thyren, John Gunstad, Frank Bothman, Bennie Johnson, Dan Johnson, Otto Johnson, David Johnson, Wiley Ewing, E. H. Stephens, W. P. Wilson, Geo. Hesse, G. B. Peterson, Miller Peterson, Wm. Rinkenberger Henry Burstad, Herman Burstad, Mr. K. T. Dalager, Mr. and Mrs. J. Larson, Misseses Minnie and Nancy Hedlund, Judith Erickson, Ida Fellman and Hazel Anderson.

Coal Tar Derivative

Bakelite is produced from coal tar by a process invented by Dr. L. H. Boekeland. It consists of the condensation products of phenols aud formaldehyde converted by beat and pressure into solid form.

Hazardous Jobs

The three most hazardous occupations in this country, rated according to the number of accidents, are the jobs of the steel worker, railroad yard worker and miner.

Happiness Recipe

Be what your friends think you are; avoid being what your enemies say you are; go right forward and be happy.—Marcus Mills Pomeroy.

Evangelistic Meetings

Evangelist A. B. Ost

March 19th to 24th

Every Night

at

7:30 P. M.

Swedish Mission Church

Don,t fail to hear this Internationally known Evangelist. He is the boldest and most fearless Swedish-American Gospel preacher in America.

Auto Overhauling

This is the best time of the year to have your car overhauled and put in shape for use next spring.

I have facilties for doing this work, and am making special prices for it during the winter months.

Grease-Oil-Gas-Storage

Store your car in my heated garage. A phone call will bring it, properly greased, filled with oil and gas, ready for use. Repairs of all kinds given prompt attention.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Your Easter Suit

Have your Easter suit tailored to measure. The time to do it is now.

Come in and see what $25.00 will buy. A tailcred suit, from pure virgin wool—50 different fabrics to select from, and guaranteed to fit perfectly.

Also a large selection of splendid patterns at $35.00 a suit.

Come in and look these over—they are real values.

M. H. JACKSON

General Merchandise

ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

Try Our Lunches

This cafe is ready and willing to serve you with wholesome home cooked meals and lunches -- the kind you like.

We also carry soft drinks, cigars and tobacco for convenience of our customers.

HEATED ROOMS IN CONNECTION

Blue Parrot Inn

And Not All Do That

Life is terribly short, considering it takes the aversge person fifty years to accnmnlate just a little bit of sense.—Atchison Globe.

Peopla and Worms

"When we feel that we are on an eqnolity with the worms," says the old philosopher in the American Magazine, "there is tronble ahead for us."

Three Cardinal Points

The three great essentials to achieve anything worth while are hard work, sticktoitiveness and common sense.—Edison.

Really Simple Problem

To work ont our life problems we need to add love, subtract hate, multiply good, and divide hetween truth and error.—Janet T. Coleman.

Gilt Frames

Gilt frames can be cleaned with onion water. Use a soft cloth dipped in water in which onions were boiled. Polish with white of egg.

No Need Than

It's only after the doors of success have been unlocked that a man receives the keys of a city.—Arkansas Gazette.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Hastings—Automobile dealers here plan a show March 15th and 16th with a musical program each day.

Dundas—The Dundas school board at a special meeting here, re-elected the present teachers for nsxt year.

Mankato—Ths annual Boy Scont financial campaign to raiss $2,500 has bean launched hers with 48 businsss men as solicitors

St. Cloud—The St. Cloud lodge of Elks has choeen Jossph B. Timsl as exalted ruler to succesd W. H. Freeman.

Albsrt Lsa—The County Red Cross has voted $1,000 toward an $8,000 relisf fund for the needy families and their livestock in Hollandals.

Red Wing—For the first time in many years there will be no new road projects undertaken in Goodhus county during the fortcoming summer months.

Madella—The Fairmont canning factory has mads arrangements to obtain peas from farmers in this vicinity and the quota of 240 acres is expected to be filled.

Hibbing—George Rohinson, one of the best known sportsmen on the range, is ths newly elected president of the Hibhing Isaak Walton League chapter bere.

West Concord—Band concerts sponsored by local citizens will continoe this year, it has been decided at the annual meeting of ths West Concord Business Men's cinb.

St. Peul—More thon $1,500,000 of the semi-annual current state aid school fund has been certified for payment by J. M. McCounell, state commissioner of education.

Rsd Wing—An extensive and varied program for the two-county Livestock Sanitation conference which will hring 1,500 farmere here Merch 20th is being arranged by a committee.

St. Paul—Grose earninge of railroads operating in Minnesota totaled $161,948,887 in 1928 the state tax commission announced here, with an increase of $5,063,159 over 1927.

Brainerd—Formation of a new committee of the Agricultural Credit Corporation to operats in the vicinity of Pequot and Jenkins has been announced by County Agent E. G. Roth.

Clarkfield—H. A. Hagg, who bas served as superintendent of the Clarkfield public schols for eight years, was re-elected for another year at ths board meeting.

New Ulm—The first aviation club in this vicinity has heen formed hers. A Minneapolis company will send a pilot to New Ulm to instruct in flying and a plane is to he purchased.

St. Paul—Livestock shipments to ths South St. Paul exchange hava increased 310 per cent during ths last six years the State Railroad and Warehouse commission has annonnced.

Winona—Winone played host to ons thousand Boy Sconts from tsn counties in Southern Minnesota at one of the largeet merit badge expositions ever conducted in the northwest, which lasted three days.

Rochsster—The automatic daily playing of the carillon in the Mayo tower, promised since the installation last fall, has heen started. Westminster chimes, followed hy striking of the bour are heard every noon.

Hutchinson—Five counties, Nicollet, Sibley, Rsnvilis, Yellow Medicine and McLeod sent delegates to Hutchbinson for the annoal meeting of the Land O'Lakes creamery association in this district

Buttsrfield—Consolidated school district No. 46 bae voted $45,000 bonds for an addition to the present school building, as the structure has been found to be inadeqnate to accommodate ths numher of pnpils enrolled.

St. Paul—The January gross incoms of the St. Paul city railway company was $29,012.51 lower this year than during the ssme period of 1928 according to ths financial report of the company.

St. Paul—Minnesota's long fight to collect $500,000 in back taxes from the Great Northern Railway ended when the railroad hy order of the U. S. snprems court paid ths sum to ths state treasurer.

Warroad—Seeking information to aid in determining damages caused by raised water levels, a reviewing commission appointed in Federal court left here on a tour of the Winnipeg river country north of here.

St. Petsr—The Nicollet county republican committee has elected C. A. Brandt as chairman to succeed Postmaster A. M. Anderson, who resigned after twenty years of leadership in ths party.

Winona—Improvements to cost $30,000 are to be made in the State Theater, which will transform the showbonss into an atmospheric type theater which will reopen on Easter Sunday.

Owatonna—Eight members of Owatonna high school vocational agriculture liveetock and dairy livestock jndging teams have received letters emblematic of participation in the annnal state vocational high school jndging contests last spring.

Slespy Eye—Paul Knnkel of Adams, Minnesota has been chosen county agent for Borwn county.

Blooming Prairie—Businses of $305,881 with 197 cars of livestock shipped was disclosed by reports at the annual meeting of ths Blooming Prairie Livestock Shipping Association. John Page has besn elected president

St. Paul—A second dividend of 10 per cent totaling $8,083 has been paid by A. J. Vsigsl to patrons of closed Farmsrs' & Merchants' bank of Odessa. The payment of this dividend makes a total of 25 per cent returned to the creditors of the bank.

Climate And Tuberculosis

A few decades ago, the cry, "Go west young man" swept the conntry; a similar cry for anyone afflicted with tubercuioeis also swept the country. Strange as it may seem, there are still many who believe that the only hope for a tuberculosis sufferer is the dry air of the great western Mountain Ranges,

Many people with tnbercnlosis, through financial or other reasons, found they could not leave their home states. County, state municipal and private institutions for the treatmeut of tuberculosis have been erected in practically every state in the Union. In these, people are afforded an opportunity for treatment nearer their own homes than those in the mountainous regions of the West. The resutls of all these institutious as well as the results obtained by physicians treatiug patients in their own homes have been stndied. Little variations has been found. In other words practically the same percentage of patients recover in the Eastern and Central States as in the Rocky Mountain States.

A giance at the mortality rate of the Rocky Mountain States shows that in proportion to populatiou they have higher death rates for tuberculosis than any other group of states in the Union. It is really no reflection on these states themselves, but it is a burden they will have to face. They have advertised themselves as the only hope for the consumptive, so yearly they attract large numbers of the hopeless patients who die there within a short time after their arrival.

Climate of itself is one of the smaller factors in the treatmeut of tuberculosis. Patients recovered in all climates. For certain forms of snrgical tuberculosis the Rocky Mountain States do have an advantage over the rest of the country. For uncomplicated lung tuberculosis it is not so much a question of "where" one takes the rest cure as it is a of "how" one takes the cure.

By B. C. Beruard, M. D
Superintendent and Medical Director, Oakland Park Sanitorium

Custom Hatching

Owing to lack of time because of having taken on other work, the St. Hilaire Hatchery will uot take orders for baby chicks this season, but will do custom hatching at 4 cents per egg.

Will have some White Leghorn and also some White Wyandotte eggs from prize winuing stock, for sale to those who wish to buy eggs

Mrs. O. A. HOLMES

2 miles northeast of ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

FOR SALE, etc.

For Sale:-About a dozen purebred Plymouth and Barred Rock roosters at $1.00 each. Call on
M7-14pd H. F. Hanson, City.

Wanted:-Work with team such as wood, ice, hay, coal hauling, etc. If you have have hauling of any kind, please phone No. 70.
J31tf E. Hilligoss, City.

HAY FOR SALE: Quantity of timothy and clover hay in stack, 2 miles east of St. Hilaire along state road. Call on Johnson Bros.
M7-14pd R1 Hazel, Minn.

Spring Millinery

Will have a line of ladies', misses and children's hats on display at my place in St. Hilaire on Mar, 22, and thereafter.
M7-21pd Mrs. L. Holmes

DR. L. R. TWETE

Licensed Veterinarian

Tuberculin Testing

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Office By Hotel Ogahmah

Block North from G. N. Depot

LEONARD HOLMES

UNDERTAKER

Full Line Of Funeral Supplies On Hand

St. Hilaire, Minn. Nov 26th

LOCALS

Chas. Kundert was up Saturday from Red Lake Falls looking after business matters in connection with his local telephone exchange. Mr. Knudert is arranging to issue a new directory of the local line this spring.

A bill has passed the legislature that provides for old age pensions to persons in Minnesota who are over 70 yrs of age, who have resided in the state at least 15 years, and who have no means of support. The law does not become effective in any county until it is approved by the voters.

Earliest Peace Pact

The first allionce or leegue of peoce aod friendship of which we bave ony record wos confirmed by mutual ooth hy Abraham and Abimelech (king of Geror) at o well dug by Abrahem—which hod beco seized hy Abimelech's herdsmen. Heoce the name of the well, Beereheba, "well of the oeth."

Integrity Always First

"Yoo will, if you are wise, embrace intellectool integrity as the very basis of your chorocter. It is not meterial whot coreer you cootemplate, for the poromonnt importance of honest thinking ie common to all."—Lord Birkenheod.

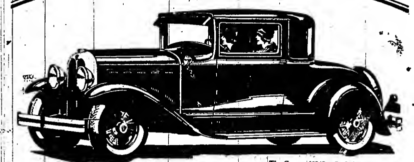
Overhend Throw Best

The reasone that soldiers were drilled to throw their band grenedes in o etiff overhond monner were that more dietonce could he gained in that woy, end the muscles of the npper arm receive lese strain than they wonld have otherwise.

THE NEW OAKLAND

ALL-AMERICAN SIX

PRODUCT OF GENERAL MOTORS



The Coupe, $1145 • Body by Fisher

Investigation proves that it has no equal at its price

More for your money. More beauty, luxury and style. More balanced power, speed and acceleration. That's what you get in the New All-American Six . . . A blanket statement . . . but just stop to analyze it. Investigate . . . learn what the New All-American provides . . . It is enjoying ever-increasing popularity. Simply because investigation proves that it has no equal in all that it offers at its price.

Prices $1145 to $1375, f. o. b. Pontiac, Mich., plus delivery charges. Spring covers and Lovejoy Hydraulic Shock Absorbers included in list prices. Bumpers and rear fender guards extra. Check Oakland delivered prices—they include lowest handling charges. General Motors Time Payment Plan available at minimum rate.

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St. Paul, Minn.

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Martin Simonson Called

The following obituary notice from Pelican Rapids chronicles the passing of a respected former citizen of this village:

Pelican Rapids, March 15.--Martin Simonson died Thursday at the home of his son in-law and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. M. S. Gjerde after a lingering illness due to old age.

Mr. Simonson was 84 years old, having been born in Drammen, Norway, in 1844. He sailed the ocean for 18 years, and was on the Great Lakes for 4 years. In 1877, he was married to Stine Helgeson, also of Drammen, Norway, and in 1882, they came to the United States and settled on a farm near Neilsville, Minn. They later lived for a short time at St. Hilaire, Minn. His wife died in 1918, and since then, he has made his home with Rev. and Mrs. Gjerde.

He was a devout Christian, and the influence of his unassuming nature and kindly disposition won the love and esteem of all who came in contact with him. He will be sadly missed in the home, where he has been a cherished member so many years. Besides Mrs. Gjerde, there are Olaf, of Anaheim, California; Martha, (Mrs. T. N. Veen) of Cathay, N. D.; and Carl, of Saco, Montana, to mourn a loving father.

Funeral services will be held at the Pelican Valley church Tuesday, March 19, at 1:30. The remains will be taken to St. Hilaire to be placed beside his wife.

The remains, accompanied by relatives, arrived here yesterday morning and funeral services were conducted by Rev. M. L. Dahle at the Norwegian Lutheran church yesterday afternoon. Interment was made in the cemetery north of town where Mrs. Simonson was buried in 1918. Out-of-town people here for the funeral were: Rev. and Mrs. M. Gjerde of Pelican Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Veen of Cathay N. D., Carl Simonson of Saco, Mont. Olof Simonson of Anaheim, Calif., Hans T. Olauson and daughter, Augusta and Mr. and Mrs. And. Moen of Neilsville. Sincere sympathy of numerous friends in St. Hilaire and vicinity is extended to the bereaved relatives.

Mrs. Thorvildson, who resides east and south of Hazel, is reported to be seriously ill

Want Ads Bring Resutls

Coat And Dress Showing

The local store of the Carlson Merc. Co., will have an elaborate display of Easter coats, dresses and hats on Saturday, March, 30th. A representative of one of the largest clothing manufacturers in the country will be present to show the goods and to explain the points of those in each price class.

Dan Shaw Is Dead

Dan Shaw, one of Thief River Falls best known and most influential citizens, died at his home Wednesday of last week at the age of 70 years. Mr. Shaw was postmaster at Thief River until a short time ago when he resigned because of ill health following a stroke about a year ago. He was in the insurance business for many years, and the agency which bears his name is still in business. Identified with organization of the electric line to Goodridge, as well as various other enterprises at Thief River, Mr. Shaw was held in high esteem in his home city as well as all over northwestern Minnesota.

Funeral services were held from the Shaw home last Friday afternoon.

Sanders Election

At the annual township election in Sanders township last week, the following were elected:
Supervisor, E. A. Yonke
Treasurer, Enoch Swanson
Assessor, Erick Anderson
Justice, Joe Mosback
Constable, Jess Thorstad.

Turkey Meeting, April 4

Dr. Billings, turkey specialist with the extension division of the state university, will address turkey raisers of this community at a meeting which will be held in the local hall on Thurday, April 4th. Time of the meeting has not been stated definitely as yet, but will likely be in the forenoon.

The steam culvert opening outfit belonging to the State Highway Department came up this way Saturday to open culverts and drains along the highway.

Don't forget the Junior Class play next Tuesday night.

Howdy and So Long

(Copyright, W. N. U.)

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Supt. R. Peterson of the school at Plummer, was over last week-end for a visit with numerous friends in this village.

County Auditor and Mrs. T. P. Anderson motored down Sunday from Thief River for a brief call on acquaintances.

Axel Stark, who has been quite ill during latter part of the winter has improved to such extent that he is able to make trips to town again.

Mrs. Jasper came up Saturday from Crookston and spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Person.

Elmer Landis, who has spent the winter here with his family, left Monday for California where he will be employed the coming summer.

The Annual Financial Statement of Pennington County is published in this issue. Preserve your copy for reference, and comparison with future statements.

A hearing was held yesterday at Crookston on application of two different concerns for permits to operate four motor freight lines out of Crookston. One line is to Warroad thru here, one is to Noyes by way of Warren, and others are to run east. Very little encouragement for the proposition was shown at the meeting.

Ed Durbin installed a new Kelvenator cooling apparatus last week at his place of business. The new outfit does away with puting up ice and results in a more uniform temperature in the refrigerator.

Mike Highland returned home Saturday after being a patient at the hospital at Thief River for several weeks suffering from complications arising after an attack of influenza last winter. He is much improved, and will be about again in a short time.

Autoists coming in from south last week reported having difficulty getting thru on the new grade north and south of the county ditch bridge. Tho a large amount of gravel was put in there last fall, the grade was built so late that it froze before settling. Work by the maintenance patrol has made the road fairly passable now.

Regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the creamery will be held Friday.

POTATOES FOR SALE Good quality Bliss Triumph potatoes. Address A. M. Sorvig, Wylie Minn. M21tf

The Dorcas Society will be entertained in the church parlors Saturday afternoon by the Espeland and Dahle families.

Mrs. Albert Seaverson and son, Harry, of Thief River Falls visited Sunday at the Ordean Olson home.

A thin coating of ice has covered the overflow water on the flat and in ditches since the sudden change in temperature Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hanson were over to Grand Forks first of the week to consult a specialist for the latter.

Paul Roy has secured the selling contract for Oakland-Pontiac cars for this vicinity, and expects to have some new cars on display before long.

Joe Hauge of Bemidji, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hauge of this place, left a short time ago on a trip thru Oregon, Washington and California with view of looking up a new location.

The first of the series of evangelistic meetings to be held at the Swed. Mission church was held Tuesday evening. The meetings will be held every evening until next Sunday night, March 24.

Pahl Ortloff and family moved Saturday from rooms over the Nelson building, which they have occupied for a number of years, to the residence on Water street owned by Mrs. Anna Peterson.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veterinarian, was down Sunday from Thief River in response to an urgent call from southwest of town. He reports roads thruout the country where he travelled lately, to be in generally bad condition.

County ditches, creeks and ravines all opened in this territory last week and water came up several feet in the river as a result. While ice in the main channel of the river is solid as yet, cracks are beginning to appear in it, and the ice will likely move out soon.

Poultry Unit Meets

The Hazel Unit of the Poultry Project held its fourth meeting at the J. E. Peterson farm, Wednesday Mar. 13th. The meeting was opened by song by the audience, and egg report for the preceeding months. As roads were not good many of the members were not present. Those attending were: Mesdames Bruggeman, H. Sandberg, C. Roese, W. Denhart, E. Peterson, J. Evenson. J. E. Peterson and the Misses Anna Peterson, Anna Dobson, and Nancy Hedlund.

The lesson on Chick Rearing was taught by the leaders, and a chick feeder was demonstrated. The next, and last, meeting was planned for June 13th at the P. W. Peterson home. Preceeding this meeting, members were asked to attend the Turkey meetings to be given by Dr. Billings at St. Hilaire.

At close of the meeting light lunch was served by a number of members.

Marshall Foch Is Dead

Marshall Ferdinand Foch, commander of the Allied armies during the World War, died yesterday noon at his home in France after a long illness.

Glee Club Entertained

Members of the Girls Glee Club were guests Tuesday evening at a party given by their director, Miss Florence Haslam, at the O. Gunstad home. The object of the meeting was installation of officers of the Club who had been elected at a previous meeting. After installation of officers, the evening was spent at games, contests, music, and a short playlet was also given. At close of the program a toothsome luncheon was served. Officers selected for the Club for the year 1929-1930 are: President, Alice Skottem, V. Pres. Iona Olson, Secretary, Eva Harder, Treasurer, Valarie Olsen, Librarian, Edna Almquist.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hauge and children, of Thief River, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hauske and son, Oscar, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Finstad of Rocksbury, S. T. Espeland and children, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson and Miss Cora Helgoe were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hauge in this village.

"The Famous Eighth" Will Meet Again

Pledge Signed Ten Years Ago Will Be Fulfilled This Summer

The Spectator has been informed that the eighth grade class of 1919 of the local school, more popularly known at that time as the "famous eighth" because of their leadership in school activities, will return to this village and the scenes of their former school days, sometime during the coming summer.

Prior to graduation ten years ago, the members of the class drew up a document wherein they pledged themselves to return to the home town for a class re-union in 1929. Due to the fact that many members of the class are now scattered far and wide, plans are being made early for the event in order to secure as near perfect attendance as possible. Those in charge of arrangements report that most of the members of that class have already signified their intention of fulfilling the pledge, and that everything points toward a notable success.

This event is unique in that the pledge is contained in a document now ten years old. At the time it was drawn up, it was placed in a steel strong box, and has been in the custody of Mike Fricker since that time. Miss Jessie Scott of Beltrami was the class teacher, and we are informed that she is to be the guest of honor on this occasion. Following are the names of the signers of the pledge, in the order in which they appear on the document:

Melvin Sherva, Pres.
Alice Fricker, Vice Pres.
Lulu Beebe, Treas.
Harvey Olsen, Sec'ty.
Francis Soderberg
Nels A. Nelson
Howard Bilden
Francis Hovet (Mrs. Oscar Gigstad)
Max Wilson
Vivienne Novak (Mrs. Harold Holmes)
Irene Peterson
Wildavene Denhart
Leona Allen (Mrs. Wendell Corbett)
Clara Fellman (married)
Hervey de Cathelineau (married)
Leo King
Edyth Malmquist
Hulda Torstveit
Harry Ogren
Harold Anderson
Clifford Anderson
Oliver Johnson
Stanley Wilson
Alvin Svenson

Safety---

Every action by the officers of this institution is determined by one one major consideration--

The safety of our depositor's money.

In all of our investments, in all of our loans we are guided by this policy--in order that your surplus money may be here working for you day and night--and that it may always be available for your use at a moment's demand.

Our Savings Department Is At Your Service

Merchants State Bank

St. Hilaire - - - - Minnesota

Pailing The Cow

It is no easy snap for anyone that has to do it every day of the year. Anyone in the dairying business is entitled to all there is in it. Iu order to get this, you must sell your product co-operatively. In, other words, the more you patronize your co-operative creamery, the more you make. If you do not own a share, arrange to get one or more.

St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n

St. Hilaire, Minn.

FORWARD-LOOKING PEOPLE WILL INVESTIGATE THIS CAR

Stepping Up Motor Car Quality without stepping out of the Low-Priced Field

The New Pontiac Big Six is a low-priced car. Its prices range as low as $745. But that is where its similarity to other low-priced cars ends. In performance, in beauty and style, in luxury, it offers all the advantages of a truly fine big car.

Pontiac is enabling thousands of progressive buyers to *step up* the quality of their automobiles without stepping out of the low-priced field. Come in to examine it and drive it. Learn by investigation what a decidedly advantageous "buy" it represents.

Thus it is that this new

Prices $745 to $895, f. o. b. Pontiac, Mich., plus delivery charges. Bumpers and rear fender guards regular equipment at slight extra cost. Check Oakland-Pontiac delivered prices—they include lowest handling charges. General Motors Time Payment Plan available at minimum rate.

TAXERAAS MOTOR SALES
THIEF RIVER FALLS, MINN.

THE NEW PONTIAC BIG 6 at $745
PRODUCT OF GENERAL MOTORS

A LADY COMPANION WANTED

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

BETH sighed as she opened the newspaper and cast her eye over the "Help Wanted" column. She had been in Honolulu two weeks and as yet not a sign of work. It was beginning to worry her, especially since there remained in her small account not sufficient money for passage back to San Francisco.

Certainly nothing for her unless she wanted to take a job as somebody's cook. Beth wasn't so sure that she knew enough about cooking anyway. From the "Help Wanted" her eyes strayed to the personal column. Now as a rule this column in Honolulu newspapers does not amount to much. But on this day was:

"Woman desires lady companion for trip to the coast. Fare and return for company. Apply in person at 2245 Makiki Heights."

One minute later Beth was getting ready for that interview. She was certain it was exactly the thing for her. But wasn't she in luck, though, to have seen that advertisement! She dressed herself in a little green and white sports suit that she had been inveigled into buying by an ingenious saleswoman. But she gave thanks to the woman at the moment. Green was certainly her color and quite lucky, too—some one had said. Bits of bronze hair peeped from beneath a small green hat, that hid almost all of one brown eye. Still Beth had another eye that was quite uncovered, and two cheeks of rose, and a nose and lips so fashioned that one would know at once that she was extremely pretty.

She took a taxi and was set down before the entrance of an imposing home. A soft-footed Japanese woman admitted her. As she entered, something told her that she was not the only girl in Honolulu who had read that notice.

There was a row of chairs about the room—every one tenanted by a woman desirous of exchanging company for passage.

Beth hesitated and then stopped where she was. There was no place to sit, certainly. No one offered her a chair. One woman of doubtful age, after an interval during which she had looked Beth over from her little green hat to her white toes, sniffed audibly.

Her attitude said plainly that it was a sin to have so much beauty wrapped up in one person, and she did hope this woman would want real companionship and not a picture to travel with her.

A step was heard. There was a general shifting of chairs and rearrangement of feet. An expectant hush greeted the appearance in the doorway of—a man. He looked about uncertainly for a moment, then his eyes fell upon Beth. It might have been that she was standing in his line of vision or that she seemed so cool in green, but he smiled and beckoned her to follow.

"This is for my aunt," he explained after he had offered her a chair. Then Beth saw that he was young, much younger than he had at first appeared.

"She has left it all to me," he smiled as his eye ran over her neat figure. "Let me see—she wants mostly some one that pleases the eye and speaks tolerable English. . . ." He walked to the window and threw open the shutters. Beth gasped as she took in the panorama of the city from the Diamond Head fortress to the Pearl Harbor locks. He watched her face keenly as she stood there drinking in the beauty of the tropic scene.

"Would you stay to luncheon and meet my aunt?"

They wanted her to remain the day with them so that her personality could really be probed, Mr. Cramer assured her. It frightened Beth at first, but the little gray-haired lady was so delightful that she forgot entirely she was on probation.

Beth and Mr. Cramer swam in the surf at the beach while aunty looked on wistfully from the pier, her white hands folded idly in her lap.

Mr. Cramer watched Beth as he floated lazily on the water—watched her struggles with the difficult crawl stroke. Then with a strong rippling movement he was beside her. "This is the way you must learn first," he demonstrated.

"Now let me support you for a moment while you get it," he offered. Little rivers of emotion quivered through Beth as she became conscious of muscles like twisted steel.

"Tomorrow is Sunday," he announced irrelevantly as he helped her. "You must dance with us tonight and stay tomorrow—you will be able to, I hope—" His blue eyes were bent on her eagerly.

"But your aunt—" she began.

"I am arranging this. You will, won't you?" he begged.

"Well," she hesitated. "I must—there's something I must do then."

They waited for her downstairs while she bought an evening gown. She must have it, even though it took most of her remaining cash. A wave of fear passed over her when she considered the possibility that she might not suit after all. . . . Surely after all this there would be no possibility of that. . . . But she couldn't think such gloomy thoughts long when before her in the mirror was that vision in metallic and gold cloth . . . besides the saleswoman was playing the part of the siren. . . .

"It was made for you, my dear," she wheedled. "It turns that bronze hair positively red!"

It was a perfect dream of a night. Such a night as would happen to a girl once in a thousand years. Beth was thinking this as she stood on the balcony with Mr. Cramer by her side. The sobbing of the native music in the ballroom and the movement of many feet came to her ears like an echo from the past. Already she was thinking of Mr. Cramer as Jimmy. (His aunt called him James.) Jimmy had been unutterably lovely to her . . . His little thoughtful attentions . . . his perfect manners. . . . She thought with a little twist of her heart that she would have to say good-by to him when she sailed. Of course they would accept her—after this. The ugly little doubt crept in to spoil the moonswept night.

It would be nothing less than black tragedy to her—if they didn't! With that expensive gown she had bought, . . . She began to feel a little sorry that she had bought it. She might have made her old one do.

But there was the wail of the guitar and the throb of musical voices back there, and here the splendor of the moon-washed island before her. She couldn't be sorry for long.

"You are a sweet child." Jimmy was behind her there and his arms creeping slowly about her. "I envy aunty her trip—in fact, I think I may go along. . . ." She felt more than saw two blue eyes, rather darker now, peeping into her face. There was a faintly sweet breath on her cheek, then it was pressed suddenly into a button of a man's coat.

She wasn't thinking of the pain the button made. She was exulting that the doubt of a moment before had vanished. They would take her now. Hadn't he said so? Something, though, caused her to ache dully in some spot or other. It was like no pain she had ever experienced.

They danced a while then. No need to talk. Perhaps it was the cadences of the music.

She was just slipping through the living room to the balcony—all alone this time—when she heard voices. She knew them both. One was his and the other was the soft, cultured voice of his aunt.

"I don't see how I can find another at this late date," she was saying. "James, you should have told me before!"

"Well, aunty, dear, I didn't know it before, either—" he laughed slightly. "But you wouldn't think of sending her with you—"

"No, but—tomorrow will do—" There was his laughter again.

The blood in Beth's body seemed frozen. The scoundrel! She could have scratched him. To keep her hopes high when he knew all the time she wouldn't be hired. Tears burned her eyes. She tried to keep them from falling on the new gown. Yes, and there was the gown—her money—

She turned and ran out then. They wouldn't need to tell her. She ran down the front steps and crossed the lawn, keeping within the shadows. Down the hill, her delicate tissue slippers crunching the gravel and the dust mounting over her bronze head. What would she do? The words sang themselves over and over in her brain.

Suddenly the lights of a car flashed upon her and it came to a stop with a screech of brakes.

"Beth!" bubbled the excited voice of Jimmy as he swept her, tears and all, into his arms and carried her to the car. "Why—what does—why did you do this?" he asked as he took out a handkerchief and wiped the tears away.

"I heard what you told your aunt . . ." she sobbed. "And I didn't want to wait—let me go—" she begged. "You don't need to try to make it easy—"

He drew her, resisting frantically, to his breast and held her there.

"It's true," he said after she was quiet. "I don't want you to go away with aunty—that is—unless I will be able to go along and I don't know just yet whether I shall be or not—

"I thought—" he hesitated, "I thought if I could get away we might both go and call it a—honeymoon!—would you, Beth?"

He didn't have to hold her then. In fact his arms had relaxed and still she lay there, hiding a happy smile in the sleeve of his coat.

"What does aunty say?" she asked finally.

"She is very much in favor of the honeymoon idea," he smiled. "You see she doesn't want anyone now but you either, and—" he turned her face to his, "I know I won't have anyone else."

Geronimo's Brain Not Equal to Webster's

The statement is often made that the brains of Geronimo and Webster were the same in weight. It is doubtful whether it is true. Dr. Ales Hrdlicka, curator of physical anthropology at the National museum, said on this subject: "I am unable to find any record as to the brain of Geronimo. But I knew him in life and he did not impress the observer by any unusual size of the head. As to the brain of Daniel Webster, the brain weight was 1,518 grains, but judging from the large cranial capacity as well as the large external measurement, Doctor Jeffries, who made the autopsy, was of the opinion that the brain in its normal (presenile) condition weighed probably as much at 1,880 grains," Dr. Walter Hough, head curator of anthropology at the museum, also stated that he knew Geronimo and was impressed with the fact that he had a rather small head.—Pathfinder Magazine.

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RICH GOLD MINE BARED BY CLERK

London Man Strikes Reef in New Guinea After Facing Cannibals.

London.—A 500 mile trek through unexplored country infested by fever and cannibals, was but one of the trials encountered by Ernest French of Nunhead, southeast London, before he discovered a rich gold mine.

French has just returned to London from New Guinea with samples of ore taken from the gold reef he discovered at Edie Creek, and has interested a London syndicate who are opening up the "Day Dawn Mine" on a large scale.

French's story reads more like a boy's adventure book.

Formerly a clerk in a London lawyer's office, he went while still in his 'teens to start afresh in Australia. Many uneventful years followed, including those of the World war, until rumors were heard of a rich discovery of gold at Edie Creek, New Guinea.

At once a headlong gold rush, comparable only to those of '49, started, in which French took part. Joining forces with an Australian, Captain Neal, and with 40 black boy carriers, he set off. They decided, in order to get to the goldfield ahead of the main rush, to attempt a 500-mile trek through hitherto unexplored jungle.

Struggles Through Jungle.

The little band struggled through the jungle, along the Ramu river, where they were troubled by the fever infested swamps, and through the Kunai country, where the grass is over six feet high, right into the heart of the cannibal country.

At every step they had their lives in their hands. Fierce cannibal bands were met daily armed to the teeth with stone headed spears and axes, and bows and arrows. They were far from friendly, but with a little judicious parleying the party was allowed to pass on.

On one occasion they ran into a party of 300 cannibals. The white men were at once surrounded, but, with their revolvers concealed, they again demonstrated their peaceful mission and were allowed to proceed without molestation.

Another time they found themselves in the middle of a native village where a cannibal feast was in progress. Fortunately, they made themselves scarce before the natives, engrossed in their gruesome work, noticed them.

Two Claims Staked.

Reaching Edie Creek after six weeks' hazardous traveling, French and Neal arrived with the leaders of the main rush. Two claims were staked and work begun.

One claim proved valueless and on the other they just managed to pay their way. Every day saw other prospectors return to the settlements, penniless.

The chance discovery by a native of a "floater," or piece of gold-bearing quartz, recently broken from a reef of gold, changed their luck.

With the help of four other miners, who were taken into the secret, leases to the extent of 210 acres were pegged out and digging started.

At the depth of 250 feet traces of gold were found, and eventually it was realized that they had struck a valuable reef. So valuable, that it is acknowledged as the greatest mining discovery in the southern hemisphere for many years. Its resources are claimed to be incalculable.

Israelites' Golden Calf

The "golden calf" made by the Israelites during Moses' absence in the Mount is believed by scholars to have been modeled after the bull-god Apis at Memphis, whose worship extended throughout Egypt.

Not Uncommon Error

"One of lofty mind," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "may fall into error by assuming that his ideals are shared by those who have not even tried to understand them."—Washington Star.

Farm Spark Plugs

Flocks can be culled at any time. The boarders must go if the chickens enterprise is to pay.

Frozen silage should not be fed to livestock. After it has been thawed out it can be used to advantage.

Andrew Boss of the Minnesota Experiment Station says Minsoy soybeans are the best for grain and the Chestnut variety the best for hay.

Rutabagas make excellent feed for cows. Twenty pounds can be fed daily to an animal.

Sudan hay is low protein, but has about the same feeding value as prairie hay.

Young pigs prefer their barley and oats ground. Usually there is nothing to gain by grinding corn.

Mayfield and Vicinity

Roy Carlson was a caller Wednesdao at the Jesperson home.

Agnes and Julius Peterson visited Wednesday at the A. Rehm home.

Lillian Carlson spent last week-end here with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Dreng Roisland was business callers Friday at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Wm. Jasperson was a visitor Tuesdao at the Sam Swanson home.

Gooage, Lloyd and Myles Swanson visited Sunday at the J. O. Carlson home.

Sam Swanson and son, George called at the John Jorgenson home Wednesday.

Misses Viola Wilson, Rose and Myrtle Jorgenson, Irene and Elvina Swanson were guests at the home of Mrs. J. O. Carlson last Sunday.

Dorothy Haney, teacher in Dist. 34, and Blanche Beconson of Dist. 60 spent the week-end at their respective homes at Thief River Falls

THE CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, March 24th:

St. Pauli, Communion at 11:00 A. M.

Clearwater, Communion at 2:00 P. M.

Hloy Thursday, March 28th Oakridge: Communion at 11:00 A. M.

St. Hilaire: Communion at 8:00 P. M., Nor. language.

Good Friday, March 29th. Ebenezer: Communion at 11:00 A. M.

St. Hilaire: Communion at 8:00 P. M. American language.

Clearwater Ladies Aid, Mar. 27 at J. Albin home.

Ebenezer Ladies Aid, Mar. 26 at Chas. Jensen home.

Dorcas of St. Hilaire, Saturday, March 23, Miss Helgoe and Mrs. Dahle entertain.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Black River church at 10:30 and in St. Hilaire church at 3:00.

Card Of Thanks

We wish hereby to express our most sincere thanks and appreciation to all our old friends and former neighbors who arranged for and assisted with the funeral for our beloved father. We also wish to thank the Ladies Aid for the beautiful flowers.

Rev. and Mrs. M. Gjerde
Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Veen
Olaf and Carl Simonson.

Durability of Wood

The time of cutting wood has very little effect upon its durability if the timber is properly cared for afterward. Late fall or winter cutting is simplest, as the wood seasons more slowly and with less checking, and by warm weather is seasoned enough to be less susceptible to borers and fungi. There is, however, practically no difference in moisture content of green wood in winter and summer.

Bids Wanted

The Farmers Co-operative Grain Co., will receive sealed bids up till 2 o'clock P. M. April 1st, 1929 at the Council rooms in the Plummer Hall for the purpose of disposing of the Hanson-Barzen Elevator structure. Bids as follows:

1st, Bid for the purchase of elevator as it now stands, or separately for a part, shed, office or main structure, with the understanding that it be removed from the Right-of-way during this summer, 1929. All machinery and scales excluded from the bid.

2nd, Bid for the wrecking of the main elevator structure, nails pulled and lumber piled on the right-of-way, provided the said elevator is not sold out for cash. A certified check for 10 per cent of amount of bid must accompany bid. Work to commence not later then April 10th 1929.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

M-21-28. H. H, Fredrickson, Secy.

Good Story Unverified

The British war office has been unable to find any evidence supporting the legend that the original Thomas Atkins was a private soldier whose name became familiar because he fell dead of wounds while in the act of delivering a message to the duke of Wellington during the Waterloo campaign.

Makes Him Howl

We are unreasonable animals, many of us. The person who sputters like a hot tea kettle because he is required to button his raiment every morning and unbutton it every night—day after day, month after month—a long and dreary round of monotony—wails like a fire siren when one little button comes off.—Portland Oregonian.

First Modeler in Clay

Butades of Sicyon was the first Greek to model in clay. The story runs that his daughter drew upon the wall the outline of her lover's shadow, upon which her father modeled the face of the young man. He then baked the model with the clay tiles that it was his trade to make. This was about 600 B. C.

Writes Sermons in Stable

Rev. T. H. Barber, vicar of London Colney, England, writes his sermons in a stable near the church. He says he finds the stable more conducive to spiritual inspiration than the vicarage.

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OFFICIAL PUBLICATION

Annual Financial Statement

OF

PENNINGTON COUNTY

State of Minnesota

Fiscal Year Beginning January 1st, 1928 and ending December 31st, 1928.

Prepared By

T. P. ANDERSON, COUNTY AUDITOR

OF

PENNINGTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA.

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR

To the Honorable County Board of Pennington County, Minnesota:

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit to you a statement of the financial condition of Pennington County, Minnesota, at the close of the past and the beginning of the present year, also a report showing in detail the transactions of this office for the year ending December 31st, 1928.

Respectfully submitted,

T. P. Anderson

County Auditor.

(Auditor's Seal.)

RECEIPTS OF PENNINOTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA DUBING THE FISCAL YEAB ENDINO DECEMBER 31ST, 1928

Balanee in County Treasury January 1st, 1028	$ 87,617.63
Current Tax Collections	300,755.18
Penalties, Interest and Costs	1,184.17
Delinquent Tax Collections	32,686.43
Private Redemption's on Tax Certificates	12,950.84
Principal and Interest on State Land Collectioas	1,708.62
Mortgage Registry Tax Collections	344.40
Teachers Insuranee and Retirement Collected	953.00
Filing fee's	111.51
Fines Collected "Municipal and District Court"	1,232.00
Drainage Ditch Tax Collections	2,908.84
Interest from Local Banks on County Deposits	738.35
State and Federal Aid for State and County Roads	24,024.25
Refundment on Warrants Issued on County Revenue Fund	50.00
Refundments on Warrants Issued on County Road and Bridge Fund	3.90
Big and Small Game, Trappers and Fishing Licenses	1,410.38
State Aid for Graded nad Common School Districts	54,630.37
School Apportionment	20,077.60
Refundment by Minnesota School for Deaf (for Roy Rodman.)	50.00
Wolf Bounties from the State	1,515.00
Cigarette License fees from the State	74.00
Inheritance Tax from the State	13.29
Refunded by Marshall County, Expense Insanity Case	50.80
Compensation Insurance for Paul Medderigh	88.22
Graders and Grader Blades Sold	146.00
Dynamite sold	18.13
Payments made by School Districts to apply on State Loans	13,145.00
Clerk of Court Fees' Collecting Personnl Property Taxes	28.00
Refundment of Fees by Clerk of Court Preparing Delinquent Tax List	83.70
Refundment on Freight paid	13.14
Culverts sold	70.00
Snow Fence Sold	16.00
Gasoline Refundment	63.78
Material Sold on Road Equipment	35.20
Outstanding Warrants December 31st, 1928	109,375.01
Total	$673,871.54

DISBUBSEMENTS OF PENNINOTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA, DUBINO THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DBCEMBEB 31ST, 1928

Warrants drawn on County revenue Fund	$ 47,304.21
Warrants drawn on Road and Bridge Fund	70,737.00
Warrants drawn on Private Redemption Fund	13,326.33
Warrants drawn on County Bond and Interest Fund	2,780.00
Warrants drawn on Incidental Fund	1,374.79
Warrants drawn on Town, City and Village Fund	78,287.89
Warrants drawn on School District Fund	189,843.10
Warrants drawn oa Geaeral Ditch Fund	84,762.00
Warrants drawn on State Revenue and School Fund	32,754.22
Warrants drawn on County Sinking Fund	276.09
Warrants drawn on County Attorney's Contingent Fund	15.12
Warrants drawn on County Sanitorium Fund	6,189.65
Warrants drawn on Teachers Insurance and Retirement Fund	950.50
Warrants drawn on State Land and Interest Fund	1,304.70
Outstanding Warrants January 1st, 1928	60,664.30
Balance in Treasury December 31st, 1928	83,850.89
Total	$673,871.54

TBIAL BALANCE COUNTY AUDITOR

From the General Ledger of the County Auditor of Pennington County, Minn., showiag the condition at the close of business on the 31st, day of December, 1928.

	Total for Fiscal Year Debit	Total for Fiscal Year Credit	Balances Debit	Balances Credit	Warrants Outstanding
County Treasurers	$ 564,495.93	$ 480,629.04	$ 83,866.89	$	$
Warrants Account	480,629.04	590,004.65		109,375.61	
Taxes and Penalties	376,756.40	302,561.39		18,804.99	
Mtg. Registry Tax		715.15		715.15	2.25
Road and Bridge Fund	102,053.06	55,319.41	46,733.65		57,908.01
Couaty Rev. Fund	48,694.12	48,748.34		54.22	1,459.79
Contingent Fund	15.21	15.12			15.12
Incidental Fund	1,374.79	1,374.79			102.60
County Bond and Interest Fund	2,780.00	8,631.73		5,851.73	
County Sinking Fund	6,270.09	12,067.51		5,797.42	.03
State Revenue and School	32,754.22	32,754.22			
Stats Land and Interest	1,304.70	1,719.09		414.39	
Teachers Insurance & Retirement Fuad	956.50	1,075.50		125.00	
School Districts	189,943.19	273,552.90		47,609.71	3,101.57
Town, City and Village	78,287.89	87,433.60		9,145.71	2,025.01
Private Redemption	13,326.33	13,898.78		572.45	9.28
Sanitorium Fund	8,177.46	6,823:37	1,354.09		3,858.14
Ditch Fund	118,751.96	52,250.21	55,511.75		40,892.91
	$2,023,574.80	$2,023,574.80	$198,466.38	$198,466.38	$109,375.61

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE COUNTY REVENUE FUND.

RECEIPTS

Credit Balance January 1st, 1928	$ 2,964.51
Received from Tax Distributions (Current and Delinquent.)	84,297.71
Received from Interest on Deposits on County Funds	738.35
Received from State for Wolf Bounties	1,515.00
Received from Clerk of Court Fee's for Collection of Per Property Tax	28.00
Received from Clerk of Court Refundment, preparing Delinquent Tax List	83.76
Received from State of Minnesota Cigarette License	74.00
Received from Big and Small Game, Trapper's and Fishing License	1,419.38
Received from Fiaes in Municipal and District Court Cases	1,232.60
Received from Filing Fee's (State and County.)	111.51
Received from Marsball County, (Insanity case Expense.)	50.80
Refund by Minnesota School for Deaf, Roy Rodman case	50.00
Compensation Insurance for Paul Midderigh (Janitor.)	88.22
Received from Dynamite sold	18.13
Refundment of Freight Paid	13.14
Received from Iaheritance Tax from State	13.29
Refundment on Warrants Issued County Revenue Fund	50.00
Transfered from Sinking Fund	6,000.00
Total	$ 48,748.34

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants Issued	$ 47,304.21
Transfered to Incidental Fund	1,374.79
Transfered to Contingent Fund	15.12
Credit Balance December 31st, 1928	54.22
Total	$ 48,748.34

County Revenue Fund

Books, Blanks and Courthouse Supplies

To Whom Issued	Amount
Hammond Stephens Co.	$ 272.65
Winton Nichols Lumber Co.	8.51
Miller Bryant Co.	63.75
Citizens Products Co.	4.50
Supt. of Documents	1.60
H. A. Rogers Co.	2.39
Cressent Printing Co.	21.20
Farnham Printing Co.	145.41
Bergh Hardware Co.	2.40
Oen Mercantile Co.	77.84
Ireland Lumber Yards	8.25
The Prichard Company	64.80
Missourie-Kansas Chemicle Co.	57.90
Miller-Davis Company	1,474.34
A. B. Dick & Co.	21.16
Japs-Olson Printing Co.	418.40
Poucher Printing Co.	120.04
Curtis 1000 Inc.	140.11
Fritz Cross Company	184.35
G. G. Williams	68.76
Free Press Printing Company	551.45
Natioaal Sales and Service Co.	113.65
Larson Furniture Company	45.35
Bredeson and Company	12.44
R. R. Yates	10.45
Geo. D. Barnard Company	22.73
Syndicate Priating Co.	1.35
Monroe Calculating Machiae Co.	400.00
C. L. Teerney	50.00
G. Halvorsoa	5.00
Normaa Supply Company	55.88
T. O. Stageberg	17.50
Geo. G. Hegstrom	9.00
Northern Woodwork Co.	25.39
Gamble Robinson Compaay	23.85
Security Blank Book Company	281.50
F. A. Owen Publishiag Co.	45.00
Scott Laird	30.75
St. Hilaire Spectator	15.50
Thom Quamme	27.00
West Disinfecting Company	14.25
Thief River Falls Times	291.50
M. M. Johnsoa & Son	3.50
Lowe & Cambell Compaay	12.25
Minnesota Law Book Company	72.00
J. C. Penney Company	5.50
The Fyr-Fyter Company	25.15
Northwestern Sanitary Supply Company	104.02
Walter S. Booth & Company	6.24
Ssnitary Service Co.	57.90
I. S. Jackson	24.50
Munson Supply Company	4.00
Robertson Lumber Company	14.90
Burroughs Adding Machine Co.	19.39
Jeffrey and McFarsoa Company	51.00
Lavelle Law Book Compaay	6.00
B. J. Smithman Company	20.79
Crookston Times Company	5.65
Total	$ 5,642.99

Salaries of County Officer's aad Assistants

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
T. P. Andersoa, County Auditor	$ 2,000.00
John Gulliagsrud, County Treasurer	2,000.00
Lars Backe, Judge of Probate	1,450.00
O. L. Ihle, Sheriff	1,320.00
H. O. Berve, County Attorney	1,500.00
Adolf Eklund, Clerk of District Court	800.00
Geo. M. Gundersoa, Supt. of Schools	1,620.00
Harley G. Swenson, Court Reporter	234.12
Chas. M. Lohn, Court Reporter	234.12
Axel Risberg, Deputy Auditor	1,500.00
C. T. Thompson, County Commissioner	225.00
Andrew N. Ness, County Commissioner	225.00
Emil Larsoa, County Commissioner	225.00
J. S. Roy, County Commissioaer	225.00
Isaac E. Wilsoa, County Commissioner	225.00
Axel Risberg, Clerk of Probate Court	300.00
Mae Roberts, Assisting County Treasurer	495.00
Axel Risberg, Deputy Clerk of District Court	79.00
O. L. Ihle, Jailor	240.00
Paul Midderigh, Janitor	900.00
Alda Gunderson, Assisting Supt. of Schools	204.90
Alpha Gausen, Assisting Supt. of Schools	174.30
Clayton Steenerson, Deputy Sheriff	7.20
Lloyd Alness, Assisting Janitor	40.00
Florence Knadle, Assisting Supt. of Schools	101.70
Total	$ 10,385.34

Legal Publicatioas

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Thief River Falls Times, P. P. Tax List and Tax Receipts	$ 682.75
Thief River Falls Times, Pub. Delinquent Tax List and Financial Statement	1,529.27
Thief River Falls' Times, Legal Publications	98.54
Thief River Falls Times, Legal Publications	302.33
Thief River Falls Times, Legal Publications	81.60
Thief River Falls Times, Legal Publications	784.15
Total	$ 3,478.64

District Court Expenses

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Henry Pope, Drawing Jury	$ 4.20
Emily Fossum, Deputy Clerk of Court	9.00
E. M. Schutt, Court Bailiff	6.00
Emily Fossum, Deputy Clerk of Court	6.00
E. M. Schutt, Court Bailiff	6.00
Harley G. Swenson, Court Reporters Expeases	22.72
W. H. Quist, Drawiag Jury	3.20
Axel Risberg, Deputy Clerk of Court	3.00
N. J. Anderson, Deputy Clerk of Court	24.00
E. M. Schutt, Court Bailiff	24.00
Floreace Aasland, Court Bailiff	18.00
Harley Swenson, Court Reporters Expense	31.35
Axel Risberg, Deputy Clerk of Court	3.00
Marjory H. Kiland, Taking Testimoay Court Cases	16.20
Total	$ 175.67

Petit Juror's and Mileage

To Whom Issued	Amount
Herman Kjos	$ 9.80
O. B. Gunderson	5.20
Andrew Husby	5.00
Ed. Houske	5.10
Gust A. Iverson	10.60
Ivor Solheim	7.00
Arnt Johasrud	6.00
Frank Race	9.20
Ellsing Halvorson	13.00
R. M. Johnson	7.20
T. G. Helie	9.20
C. Hugo Swanson	5.60
Lester Fostor	5.40
Walfred Carlson	5.80
Harry Luad	4.20
Soren Knutsoa	7.00
Krist P. Iverson	5.60
Lloyd T. Alnes	4.20
A. B. Newtoa	5.40
Gust Naplin	7.80
Martia Erickson	7.80
Olof Mosbeck	7.60
Elo Sanders	8.80
John Solberg	7.20
Peter Gustafson	9.60
E. P. Burstad	4.20
Mrs. M. T. McFarland	28.20
Mrs. Fraak Hoppa	28.20
Mrs. Felix Anderson	80.80
Peter Appel	30.00
F. J. Hardisty	30.20
Mrs. Ed. Korstad	33.00
Mrs. L. Cerney	28.00
Mrs. Math Barzen	28.20
Mrs. W. B. Futler	28.20
L. A. Rotzler	31.20
Mrs. Soren Knutsoa	30.80
Mrs. Amelia Dahl	29.60
Mrs. P. P. Swanson	30.60
Mrs. Ed. Houske	29.20
Mrs. Ole Odegaard	30.00
Mrs. Soran Soransoa	29.00
Mrs. G. W. Boreea	28.20
Mrs. C. W. McCracken	30.50
Annie Petersoa	26.80
Iver Austad	34.20
Mrs. Frank Lundeen	34.00
Mrs. Carl Christianson	31.76
Mrs. Adolph Bildon	29.60
Emil Zutz	32.20
George Vraa	32.00
Lewis Aaseby	29.80
Mrs. Emil Larsoa	31.40
Total	$ 1,002.70

Talesman Juror's

To Whom Issued	Amount
Mrs. B. Overum	3.00
Total	$ 3.00

Municipal Court Fees and Expense

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. H. Mongoven	4.90
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. Zipa	4.25
N. W. Tarraat, State vs. Ed. G. Petersoa	3.25
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. Myhrum	20.42
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. J. S. Holmberg	9.75
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. P. O. Myhrum	5.85
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. Fred Nelson	5.25
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. Ols Arneberg	4.95
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. Ols Arneberg	4.95
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. Morris Ralston	4.95
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. Lofthus	23.55
Total	$ 92.67

Sheriff's Expenses

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
O. L. Ihle, Serving Notice	$ 8.00
O. L. Ihle, State vs. Ed. Pearsou	42.00
O. L. Ihle, State vs. Elmer Zacher	42.16
O. L. Ihle, Boarding Prisoners	2.25
John Welaer, Livery for Sheriff	4.00
O. L. Ihle, Board for Prisoaers	12.75
O. L. Ihle, Board for Prisoners	13.50
John P. Bordwick, Board for Prisoners	9.00
Joe Du Champ, Watching Jail	3.00
Clayton Stecnerson, Livery for Sheriff	9.60
John P. Bordwick, Board for M. Zippa	30.00
O. L. Ihle, Exp. State vs. Mongoven et al	14.20
O. L. Ihls, Exp. State vs. Myhrum	12.26
O. L. Ihle, Exp. State vs. Zippa	0.60
O. L. Ihle, Board for Prisoner	28.50
John P. Bordwick, Board for Prisoner	31.00
O. L. Ihle, Taking Thews children to Owatonna School	56.84
John Bordwick, Board for Prisoner	31.00
O. L. Ihle, Expense Case of State vs. Elsie Matzke	23.68
Clayton Steeaersoa, Livery for Sheriff	24.00
John P. Bordwick, Board for Prisoners	31.00
John P. Bordwick, Board for Prisoners	36.00
O. L. Ihle, Exp. State vs. Elsie Matzke	3.60
O. L. Ihle, Cash Paid for Deputy	10.00
O. L. Ihle, Traveling Expenses Investigating	24.28
O. L. Ihle, Meals for Juror's	5.30
John P. Bordwick, Board for Prisoners	7.00
Total	$ 515.56

Refondments on Taxes Paid

To Whom Issued	Amount
Carl A. Swanson	$ 4.29
E. M. Bennes	693.25
Halvor Olson	20.00
Elief Halvorson et al	243.07
E. Sjulstad	5.00
C. E. McCracken	6.00
John O. Sordahl	57.13
Gus O. Gratt	103.34
L. Halvorson	25.00
John Norman	28.40
Christian Michelson	70.00
Igna Hamry	8.00
Lottie Olson	17.00
Hans Nelson	14.16
C. Gustafson & Son	282.10
Total	$ 1,576.74

Per diem and Mileage Couaty Board of Eqnalizatioa

To Whom Issued	Amount
Andrew N. Ness	$ 12.00
C. T. Thompson	18.80
Emil Larson	18.50
J. S. Roy	15.20
Issac E. Wilson	17.00
Total	$ 82.40

Traveling Expense, Supt. of Schools

To Whom Issued	Amount
Geo. M. Gunderson	21.90
Geo. M. Gunderson	18.00
Geo. M. Gunderson	32.60
Geo. M. Gunderson	31.80
Geo. M. Gunderson	38.50
Geo. M. Gunderson	37.10
Geo. M. Gunderson	32.20
Geo. M. Gunderson	40.00
Geo. M. Gunderson	34.16
Geo. M. Gunderson	40.50
Geo. M. Gunderson	48.90
Geo. M. Gunderson	29.40
Geo. M. Gunderson	25.40
Geo. M. Gunderson	33.76
Geo. M. Gunderson	41.30
Hans Tollefson	10.80
Geo. M. Gunderson	41.00
Geo. M. Gunderson	46.00
Geo. M. Gunderson	114.55
Geo. M. Gunderson	93.51
Total	$ 811.32

Expense, Account of Insanity Cases

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
J. T. Bowers, Exam. Case of Alma Engh	$ 5.30
J. Beidermann, Exam. Case of Alma Engh	5.30
O. L. Ihle, Conveying Alma Engh	37.20
P. L. Vistaunet, Exam Case of J. Stomberg	5.30
A. W. Swedenburg, Exam. Case of J. Stomberg	5.30
O. L. Ihle, Coaveying J. Stomberg	27.43
J. Beldermann, Exam. Case of M. Cbristenson	5.30
P. L. Vistauaet, Exam. case of M. Christenson	5.30
O. L. Ihle Coaveyiag M. Christenson	28.48
H. Frochlich, Exam. Case of Mrs. M. Welch	5.30
O. F. Mellhy, Exam. Case of Mrs. M. Welch	5.30
Mellhy & Froehlich, Exam of Lanska	16.50
H. W. Froehlich, Exam Anna Kisch	5.30
O. F. Mellby, Exam. Anna Kisch	5.30
H. W. Froehtich, Coaveying Anna Kisch	40.20
O. L. Ihle, Conveying Lanska	33.20
P. L. Vistauaet, Exam of A. Breiland	5.30
A. W. Swedenburg, Exam. A. Breiland	5.30
S. O. Breiland, Witness Case of Breiland	2.80
Strate Tvedten, Witness Case of Breiland	2.80
O. L. Ihle, Conveying A. Breiland	38.30
Dr. O. F. Mellby, Exam. of H. T. Hanson	5.30
Dr. H. W. Froehlich, Exam. H. T. Hanson	5.30
H. W. Froehlich, Exam. of Hank Draper	5.30
O. F. Mellby, Exam. of Hank Draper	5.30
H. W. Froehlich, Exp. Conveying Hank Draper	28.00
H. W. Froehlich, Exam. of And. N. Nelson	5.30
O. F. Mellhy, Exam. of And. N. Nelson	5.30
Total	$ 344.41

Expense as Member of Child Welfare Board

To Whom Issued	Amount
Mrs. L. G. Larsen	$ 13.85
O. L. Ihle	9.12
Peter C. Wold	42.30
Geo. M. Gundersoa	9.30
Peter C. Wold	17.00
Mrs. L. G. Larsen	2.10
Lars Backe	40.00
Mrs. L. G. Larsen	34.43
Total	$ 168.16

Assessers Per diam and Mileage attending Assessors meeting aad receiving Assessment Books

To Whom Issued	Amount
M. O'Leary	$ 5.25
J. M. Schis	5.50
G. K. Haavie	4.30
Gust Naplin	6.00
Aug. Swenson	5.00
Ed. Rustan	7.00
G. J. Nordhagen	4.80
Antoa Petersoa	5.50
Oleander Uglem	6.76
O. J. Peterson	5.40
Peter C. Wold	0.00
Jay Payne	6.00
F. T. Satre	4.40
E. J. Akerlund	5.70
E. A. Mostue	4.10
Albert Anderson	5.50
P. A. Petersoa	4.70
T. E. Thompson	7.75
Ole K. Lein	7.00
O. O. Hofdal	5.90
A. S. Olson	5.26
Theo. Nilson	0.30
James A. Dahl	4.80
Carl B. Anderson	5.40
Total	$ 135.20

Coroner's Fees and Expenses

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
H. W. Froehlich, Viewing hodies of Lund, Lorenson	$ 14.90
Carl B. Larsoa, Viewing Body of M. Peterson	7.75
H. W. Froehlich, Viewing body of Mrs. Jasperson	8.05
H. W. Froehlich, Viewing body of Strom et al	24.75
Carl B. Larson, Viewing body of Dalager children	15.00
H. W. Froehtich, Viewing body of A. Gulseth	5.45
Total	$ 77.40

Conaty Commissioaer's Mileage Attsading County Board Meetings

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Andrew Ness, Approving Bonds	$ 9.00
Andrew Ness, Committee work	12.00
C. T. Thompson, Mileage attending meeting	6.46
Emil Larson	6.80
Isaac E. Wilson	5.60
J. S. Roy	3.20
Andrew Ness	0.00
Total	$ 49.00

Board of Audit

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Andrew Ness, Cbairman County Board	$ 63.00
T. P. Anderson County Auditor	57.00
Adolf Eklund, Clerk of Court	63.00
Total	$ 183.00

Wolf Bounties

To Whom Issued	Amount
Frans Lund	$ 15.00
Floyd Sumpter	15.00
Lawrence Weels	30.00
Lloyd Tanaer	30.00
Daniel Danielsoa	30.00
Andrew Anenson	15.00
Arnold Johnson	15.00
Olaf Haugen	75.00
Carl Clemmenson	75.00
Selmer Wahlback	15.00
Peder Mossestad	15.00
George Norman	15.00
Jessie Tanner	15.00
Fred Rockstad	15.00
Geo. Hanson	30.00
Henry Ordal	15.00
Lloyd Tanner	15.00
Carl Thoreson	15.00
Peter Mossestad	15.00
Alfred Johnson	15.00
John Jaranson	15.00
Jessie Tanner	15.00
John Jaranson	15.00
Geo. Hanson	15.00
Leonard Du Champ	15.00
Bennie Johnson	15.00
T. Brakke	15.00
Andrew Amundson	30.00
Frank Lund	15.00
John Jaranson	15.00
O. Hagen	30.00
Elick Halvorson	15.00
Arthur Halvorson	15.00
Harry Myrom	15.00
Olaf Haugen	15.00
Olaf Loyland	15.00
Fred Rockstad	66.00
Oscar Gelve	30.00
Ole Rindahl	15.00
Carl Christiansoa	15.00
Harry Myrom	15.00
Total	$ 897.00

Gopher and Crow Bounties

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
P. Engelstad, Bounties paid during year 1927	$ 30.22
Total	$ 30.22

Aid to Mothers of Dependent Children

To Whom Issued	Amount
Thina Rustad	$ 90.00
Hilda Wilson	160.00
Alice Newell	180.00
Hannah Johnson	22.50
Gurina Folkedahl	165.00
Kristine Olson	55.00
Mrs. Chas. Vatova	240.00
Selma Rye	70.00
Frank Savage	180.00
Clara Quam	180.00
Anna Kvenlog	210.00
Bertha Gibsoa	110.00
Karen D. Klemmentson	82.50
Ragna Mikkelson	110.00
Olida Mosleth	220.00
Lina Dicken	165.00
Ida Urdahl	220.00
Tillie Bratland	180.00
Amanda Waag	230.00
Marit Torve	120.00
Theresa Berg	265.00
Emma Payette	140.00
Ida Anderson	180.00
Ametia Erickson	300.00
Alice Ericksoa	60.00
Lucy V. Mathewson	120.00
Synova Bakken	165.00
Louisa E. Anderson	165.00
Clara Haraldson	300.00
Mary Langevia	80.00
Mildred Newman	20.00
Beatrice Welch	25.00
Total	$ 4,810.00

County Caavasing Board

To Whom Issued	Amount
N. J. Anderson	$ 6.00
Harry Myrom	8.80
Andrew Ness	6.00
T. P. Anderson	6.00
Axel Risberg	0.00
W. H. Quist	9.40
T. P. Anderson	9.00
Axel Risberg	9.00
Andrew Ness	9.00
Tobias Stene	10.40
Total	$ 70.80

Salary aad Traveling Expense, County Agent

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Robert Douglass, Salary	$$ 418.63
Robert Douglass, Traveling and Misc. Expense	1,524.95
Total	$ 1,941.58

Procuring and Returning Election Ballots

To Whom Issued	Amount
F. Andersoa	$ 1.20
Total	$ 1.20

Reading Examination Papers, Supt. of Schools

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Frances Cook	$ 13.35
Alpha K. Gausen	12.00
Verna Becker	4.35
Alda Gunderson	7.35
Geo. M. Gunderson, Stenographic work Teacher's Institute	35.30
Total	$ 72.35

Fees of Township Clerks, City and Villags Officers Esporting Births aad Deaths

To Whom Issued	Amount
Dr. J. T. Bowers	$ 47.50
H. I. Finstad	2.75
Henry Brugemann	.50
H. A. Dahlen	3.50
J. M. Theige	3.75
Victor J. Swanson	3.00
O. O. Maland	4.00
M. Fricker	3.50
P. Engelstad	6.00
C. A. Swanson	3.00
Felix Anderson	2.00
Harry Hawkinson	2.75
E. H. Pommerenke	2.25
O. T. Lundin	4.50
John L. Radnicke	.25
M. J. Stephensoa	1.25
Nicoly Urdahl	2.00
Bj. Bjornaraa	2.00
Herman Kjos	4.50
Joe Klien	3.50
M. O'Leary	3.50
John Tommerdahl	3.75
M. H. Ballingsrud	0.75
J. O. Rouning	3.00
C. E. Naplin	2.75
Gilbert Vraa	4.25
Total	$ 120.50

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To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
E. M. Bennes, Correction of War. No. 39328	$ 12.45
Aslak Jaranson, Painting Basement floor	4.50
R. G. Manns, Cleaniag and repair Book Machine	35.00
R. G. Manns, Cleaniag and Repair Typewriters	32.75
O'Hara Fuel Co., Coal for Court House use	19.80
Fred D. Lorentson, List of Transfers of Titles	50.25
Seth Gustafson, One Car Load of wood	120.75
First National Bank, Premium on Comp. Insurance	491.81
Union Plumbing Co., Repairs and plumbing	10.04
Gamo and Fish Commission, Hunters Licenses	7.20
Alpha Gausen, Stenographic work Supt. Schools	12.00
Red Lake Ice Co., Ice	20.00
Red River Valley Development Ass'n, Appropriation	125.00
And. Ness, Expense Case of Wm. Storm	50.00
First National Bank, Premium on Co. Officer Bonds	215.96
H. W. Froehlich, Examination Henry Seeland	5.00
City of Thief River Falls, Support of E. Dryer	20.00
Thief River Motor Co., coal	4.00
T. P. Anderson, Approving Bonds	0.00
J. J. Lunke, wood	21.00
Union Plumbing and Heating Co., Repairs and Plumbing	4.21
L. R. Twete, Live Stock Inspection	30.00
Bert F. Umland, Cash paid for Repairs	24.75
Mrs. Ole Hendrum, Support of Ensrud	30.00
William Wood, 5 cars Tamarack wood	42.50
F. J. Dudley, 3 tons of coal	15.00
Royal F. Netzer, Conducting County Spelling Contest	12.00
William Wood, Tamarack wood	14.13
Gilbert Bakke, cord wood	87.00
T. K. Ryncstad, Appropriation Town of North	80.00
Severt Forthun, one cord of wood	7.00
F. J. Dudley, coal for Court House	40.90
Willinm Wood, 3 cords of wood	17.00
State Game and Fish Commission, Trappers Licenses	112.50
C. T. Thompson, Co. Com. Expense trip to St. Paul	47.43
Andrew Ness, Expense Attending State Highway Meeting	46.68
Andrew Ness, Expense Case of Ottison boy	38.18
Fred D. Lorentson, Transcribing records	372.00
Bert F. Umland, Expense attending Engineers Conference	47.40
Lloyd T. Alnes, Janitor work	10.00
John E. Johnson, cord of wood	9.00
John E. Johnson, cord of wood	9.00
Wm. Wood, cord of wood	10.00
J. M. Schie, Expense Case of Zacher	2.68
Ed. Lee, Plumbing and Repairs	3.76
L. H. Irgens, Premium on Bonds	2.50
Dr. A. W. Swedenburg, Medical Aid for Storm	5.00
Isaac E. Wilson, Expense trip to St. Paul	47.43
Wm. Wood, tamarack wood	281.15
Lloyd T. Alnes, Assisting Janitor	30.00
Mrs. Ole Hendrum, Support of Ensrud	30.00
T. P. Anderson, Expense trip to St. Paul	53.33
Lloyd T. Alnes, Assisting Janitor	43.00
T. P. Anderson, Extra work Tax Sale	65.00
R. L. Twete, Live Stock Inspection	30.00
Andrew Ness, Expense Case of Ottison	35.03
Andrew Ness, Expense Case of Seeland	35.03
Andrew Ness, Expense Case of Storm	39.43
Ed. Lee, Plumbing and Repair work	2.55
Lloyd T. Alnes, Unloading grader	3.00
T. Loyland, Rent of house for poor	31:00
Herman Kjos, Co. Share of Poor, Town of Highlanding	180.34
S. K. Dahle, Support of Wm. Storm	0.60
Fred D. Lorentson, Repair for Book Machine	7.00
Harry Roberts, Roofing	45.00
Oscar Williams, Cash Advanced for R. R. Tran. to State Hospital	13.00
L. R. Twete, Live Stock Inspection	30.00
Wm. Dahlquist, Exp. trip to Crookstoa Org. Tax Com.	13.00
Bert Norby, Part payment Repair work on Court House	100.00
State Game & Fish Commission Hunters and Trappers Licenses	90.00
Andrew Ness, Cash advanced taking Memrack to State Hospital	48.88
State Game & Fish Commission, Fishing Licenses	146.00
Aslak Jaransoa, Repairs and painting Jury Rooms	21.80
University Hospital, R. R. Fars Oscar Williams	13.00
Wm. Wood, cord wood	18.12
Mrs. Ole Hendrum, support of C. Ensrud	30.00
T. O. Loyland, Rent of house	15.00
Wm. Midderigh, Repairiag Jail roof	13.00
Adolf Eklund, Preparing Delinquent Tax List	150.00
John Zavoral, cord wood	12.00
Lambert Drug Etore, Medicine for Storm	4.50
P. O. Myhrom, Cash paid for bond	25.00
F. T. Anderson, work oa graders	6.00
Bert Norby, Repairs oa Court Room	153.00
S. M. Poston, gravel	1.75

Thief River Greenhouse, Flowers for Legion	17.85
L. R. Twete, Live Stock Inspection	0.00
Fred D. Lorentson, Recording Bonds	0.00
O. J. Peterson, wood for Court House	3[illegible]8.00
Carl Hillard, [illegible] for Storm	6.00
Leaf Sevig, Repairing roof	12.00
Minn. School for Feeble Minded, Care of Hanson, Thomas and Torkelson	120.00
Minn. School for Deaf, Care of Gunderson, Horjsh and Rodman	169.30
John A. Dahl, Repairing Court House roof	32.00
L. R. Twete, Live Stock Inspection	30.00
L. R. Irgens, Premium on Insurance	60.24
Andrew Ness, Expense Momrack Case	56.52
The Robertson Lumber Co., roofing for Jail	27.20
Roy Lambert, Medicine for Storm	2.70
T. P. Anderson, Expense with H. Seland	20.69
Pennington Co. Agr. Ass'n., Appropriation	500.00
John Horsjsh, Hauling Rubbish	2.50
Mrs. Ole Hendrum, Support of Ensrud	30.00
John Jaranson, painting Jail	49.00
State Game & Fish Commission, Fishing Licenses	89.55
Minn. School for Feeble Minded, Care of Orvan Morstad	50.22
Erickson & Lund, Funeral Expense of Torgerson	65.00
Erickson & Lund, Funeral Expense Hans Rustad	65.00
First National Bank, Premium on Insurance	10.90
Minn. Highway Dept., Testing Cement	2.45
Minn. Colony for Epileptics, Care of Olaf Roisland	40.00
Paul Midderigh, Cleaning Court Room	5.00
Andrew Ness, Cash Advanced	43.05
L. R. Twete, Live Stock Inspection	30.00
Leo. L. Erickson, Repairing Boiler	01.00
Dr. P. L. Vistaunet, Medical care of Fred Larson	50.00
Dr. J. T. Bowers, Medical Exam. J. Tostenson	7.50
L. R. Twete, Live Stock Inspection	30.00
Mrs. Ole Hendrum, Support of C. Ensrud	30.00
M. Bothun, Flowers for schools	5.00
Fred Lorentson, Transcribing Records	382.50
Fred Lorentson, Recording	9.00
Fred Holzknecht, Janitor during Teachers Examination	5.00
First National Bank, Premium on Bonds	7.50
Nichols, Dean & Gregg, Flues for Boiler	0.80
Town of Sanders, Investigation	5.00
O. O. Overwold, Cash advanced	14.18
W. E. Dahlquist, Cash advanced	5.00
Game & Fish Commission, Big and Small Game Licenses	72.50
Game & Fish Commission, Fines Collected for Big Game Law Violation	[illegible]0.00
E. M. Jaranson, Repairing flag pole	6.00
Wm. Wood, cord wood	30.00
John E. Dahl, Repairs on Court House	13.62
Ed. O'Hara, Coal	[illegible]0.72
Jacob Biedermann, Exam. J. Helligoss Delinquency Case	5.30
Haaken Johnson, Repairing Boiler	22.56
Dr. J. T. Bowers, Exam. J. Helligoss Delinquency Case	5.30
Dr. P. L. Vistaunet, Care of Fred Larson	50.00
Mrs. Ole Hendrum, Support of Ensrud	30.00
Wm. Wood, 2 cords of wood	16.00
L. R. Twete, Live Stock Inspection	0.00
John T. Hanson, cord wood	30.00
Minn. School for Deaf, R. R. Fare	26.19
Dr. J. T. Bowers, Expense J. Helligoss Case	41.42
Pennington County Poultry Ass'n., Appropriation	50.00
Anton Myhrom, wood for Court House	7.50
Shaw Insurance Co., Premium on Bonds	12.50
Total	$ 8,015.02

Private Redemption Fund

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF PRIVATE REDEMPTION FUND

RECEIPTS

Credit Balance January 1st 1928	$ 947.04
Received from Private Redemptions	12,950.84
Total	$ 13,898.78

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants Issued	$ 13,320.33
Credit Balance December 31st 1928	572.45
Total	$ 13,898.78

Redemption of Tax Certificates Issued

To Whom Issued	Amount
First National Bank	$ 484.85
Hicks & Co.	144.36
Perl W. Mabey	262.00
Gus O. Kratt	192.74
Citizens State Bank	433.09
First National Bank	202.56
Mabey & Chommie	171.60
E. M. Bennes	123.40
M. V. Evenson	200.93
Gus O. Kratt	270.59
Hicks & Co.	247.53
E. M. Bennes	243.07
E. M. Bennes	781.82
E. M. Bennes	433.61
John Schalin	00.10
Albin Arveson	341.35
Hicks & Co.	1,038.05
N. W. Building & Loan Ass'n.	254.67
First National Bank	164.72
Gus O. Kratt	122.19
Gus O. Kratt	55.05
First National Bank	491.57
Hicks & Co.	03.48
Hicks & Co.	1,073.87
First National Bank	452.89
Gus O. Kratt	083.42
M. V. Evenson	200.00
Ueland Mtge. Co.	101.06
Gus O. Kratt	230.47
Rudolph Hanson	240.05
Hicka & Company	993.84
Gus O. Kratt	[illegible]0.00
Hicks & Co.	116.75
J. T. Elsenpeter	80.05
First National Bank	114.36
Hicks & Co.	508.74
Hicks & Co.	547.27
Hicks & Co.	94.96
Bert Norby	472.32
Total	$ 13,326.33

Incidental Fund

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE INCIDENTAL FUND

RECEIPTS

Transfered from the County Revenua Fund	$ 1,374.79
Total	$ 1,374.79

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants Issued	$ 1,374.79
Total	$ 1,374.79

Cash advanced for Postage, Express, Registration and other Miscellaneous Expense

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Fred D. Lorentson	$ 12.59
Adolf Eklund	8.05
P. G. Peterson, Light	27.53
T. P. Anderson	12.46
Martin Carlson, Freight and Drayage	2.97
Geo. M. Gunderson	5.00
N. W. Bell Telephone Co.	41.85
O. L. Ihia	28.70
P. G. Pederson	15.64
Bert F. Umland	14.62
Lars Backe	4.75
City Drsy & Transfer	3.07
Geo. M. Gunderson	2.71
N. W. Bell Telephone Co.	39.75
Fred D. Lorentson	15.00
T. P. Anderson	29.87
Martin Carlson	8.04
John Gullingsrud	32.59
P. G. Pederson	18.22
Geo. M. Gunderson	10.23
Martin Carlson	11.91
Geo. M. Gunderson	10.00
N. W. Bell Telephone Co.	48.07
City Dray & Transfer Co.	8.00
P. G. Pederson	43.64
Lars Backe	2.75
Geo. M. Gunderson	8.07
G. M. Gunderson	11.38
N. W. Bell Telephons Co.	39.49
T. P. Anderson	14.38
P. G. Pederson	10.34
Adolf Eklund	7.38
Geo. M. Gunderson	13.06
N. W. Bell Telephone Co.	37.75
T. P. Anderson	11.95
P. G. Pederson	4.38
Geo. M. Gunderson	8.58
Fred D. Lorentson	15.02
N. W. Bell Telepbone Co.	89.11
Lars Backe	2.75
Geo. M. Gunderson	6.15
John Gullingsrud	10.16
P. G. Pederson	14.68
Geo. M. Gunderson	5.49
N. W. Bell Telephone Co.	41.30
City Dray Line	2.75
P. G. Pederson	6.58
N. W. Bell Telephone Co.	30.63
T. P. Anderson	23.15
Geo. M. Gunderson	7.68
City Dray & Transfer Co.	10.95
O. L. Ihle	15.00
T. P. Anderson	33.24
Great Northern Ry. Co.	13.14
N. W. Bell Telephone Co.	39.40
P. G. Pederson	8.01
City Dray Line	17.50
Geo. M. Gunderson	30.56
Lars Backe	3.75
Geo. M. Gunderson	11.21
P. G. Pederson	28.23
Fred D. Lorentson	18.35
American Express Co.	2.11
Adolph Eklund	7.64
T. P. Anderson	31.19
City Dray Line	6.71
N. W. Bell Telephone Co.	49.85
Geo. M. Gunderson	6.63
P. G. Pederson	11.63
Bert F. Umland	15.37
Martin Carlson	0.30
T. P. Anderson	17.71
City Dray Line, Freight and Drayage	4.50
N. W. Bell Telephone Co., Phone Rent	44.13
P. G. Pederson, Light	13.84
N. W. Bell Telephone Co., Rent and Tolls	40.43
Fred D. Lorentson, Postage	17.53
Lars Backe, Postage	3.00
Red Lake Ice Co., Ica	20.00
Total	$ 1,374.79

Road and Bridge Fund

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE FUND

RECEIPTS

From Current and Delinquent Tax Distributions	$ 30,971.68
From State and Federal Aid for State and County Roads	24,024.25
From Refundments on Warrants Issued	3.90
From Sale of Culverts	70.00
From Sale of Old Graders and Grader Blades	140.60
From Refundment on Gasoline	63.78
From Sale of Material	35.20
From Sale of Snow Fence	10.00
Debit Balance December 31st, 1028	46,733.05
Total	$102,053.00

DISBURSEMENTS

Debit Balance January 1st, 1028	$ 31,310.00
Warrants Issued	70,737.00
Total	$102,053.00

State Road No. 1

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Isaac E. Wilson, Committee work	$ 10.00
James Evenson, Road Patrolman	4.00
Roy Carlson, Road Patrolman	8.95
James Evenson, Snow control	0.00
Roy Carlson, Snow control	3.00
Edwin Evenson, Dragging	4.80
James Evenson, Dragging	23.00
Roy Carlson, Dragging	15.61
Oscar Hauge, Dragging	42.00
James Evenson, Dragging	67.40
Engvald Geving, Dragging	26.20
Roy Carlson, Dragging	47.00
H. P. Lund, Interest on Warrant No. 38054	4.15
A. K. Tveldt, Interest on Warrant	24.05
Oscar Hauge, Dragging	54.00
Roy Carlson, Dragging	70.80
James Evenson, Dragging	08.00
Geo. Curran, Interest on Warrant No. 30620	95.00
Oscar Hauge, Road Patrolman	50.00
Central Lumber Co., Lumber for bridge	9.75
Andy Craik, Repair for Grader	7.05
W. H. Wilde, Mowing weeds	18.90
James Evenson, Burning Weeds	15.00
Nels Epson, Hauling gravel	63.50
Louis Stenseth, Interest on Warrants	10.79
D. O. Rolsland, Mowing weeds	10.00
Olaf Lange, Cutting brush	05.00
Louis Evenson, Brushing	40.00
Bjorne Olson, Brushing	60.00
A. K. Sanden, Interest on Warrants	9.00
Total	$ 944.75

County Road No. 2

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Ivor Solheim, Road Patrolman	$ 17.70
Adolphson and Huseth, Digging offtake ditch	1,325.00
P. N. Pederson, Interest on Warrants	35.70
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	12.00
And. Ness, Committee work	13.60
John Hegreness, Road Patrolman	22.69
John Hegreness, Snow Control	31.60
Ivor Solheim, Snow Control	12.10
J. A. Sundquist, Supplies	2.30
Ivor Solheim, Int. Warrant No. 37527	5.63
Edwin Hanson, Road Dragging	37.20
John Hegrenesa, Road Dragging	50.40
Ivor Solheim, Road Dragging	42.40
Ivor Solheim, Road Dragging	95.00
Edwin Hanson, Road Dragging	37.60
John Hegreness, Road Dragging	53.20
Andrew Ness, Inspecting Road	13.40
A. K. Tveldt, Interest on Warrants	24.00
Geo. Curran, Intereat on Warrants	62.50
Ivor Solheim, Road Patrolman	113.40
T. A. Momrack, Cuttag Brush	72.90
John Miller, Cutting Weeds	13.00
L. T. Alnes, work on road	27.50
T. A. Momrack, Cutting brush	47.40
John M. Johnson, Repairing Washout	22.50
Andrew Ness, Committee work	8.00
Ivor Solheim, Road Patrolman	25.00
Ivor Solheim, Interest on Warrant	6.88
T. A. Momrack, Cutting brush	55.40
M. C. Burns, Interest on Warrant No. 35704	16.50
T. A. Momrack, brushing	12.00
Louis Stenseth, Interest on Warrants	14.00
John Hegrenesa, work on culvert	10.00
John Miller, work on culvert	25.00
Morgan Vaughan, Repairing Washout	12.00
John Wiener, hauling culvert	5.00
A. K. Sandum, Interest on Warrants	56.84
A. K. Sandum, Interest on Warrants	9.41
Morria Miller, cutting brush	66.50
Total	$ 2,515.45

State Road No. 3

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Olaf Mosbeck, Road Patrolman	$ 5.00
Olaf Mosbeck, Snow Control	10.00
Olaf Mosbeck, Road Patrolman	25.00
Olaf Mosbeck, Road Patrolman	40.00
Soren Knutson, Road Patrolman	11.20
Olaf Mosbeck, Road Patrolman	40.00
Soren Knutson, Road Patrolman	19.55
Richard Mosbeck, cutting brush	22.50
Richard Mosbeck, cutting brush	4.00
Total	$ 177.25

State Road No. 4

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Oscar Hauge, Hauling gravel	$ 76.90
Christ Kruss, Jr., hauling gravel	105.00
J. V. Patton, Gravel furnished	43.30
Oscar Hauge, hauling gravel	100.50
Christ Kruse, Jr., hauling gravel	92.50
Oscar Hauge, Road Dragging	00.50
Christ Kruse, Jr., Road Dragging	92.00
Christ Kruse, Jr., Road Dragging	70.00
Oscar Hauge, Jr., Road Dragging	63.00
Oscar Hauge, Jr., Road Dragging	67.00
Christ Kruse, Jr., Road Dragging	69.90
Geo. Curran, Interest on Warrants	15.00
J. V. Patton, Gravel furnished	35.00
Total	$ 890.60

State Road No. 5

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Halvor Olson, Gravel furnished	$ 60.00
John T. Hanson, hauling gravel	97.20
John Myhrer, pit work	21.30
Tom Borgen, hauling gravel	93.20
Halvor Olson, gravel furnished	60.00
Tom Borgen, pit work	3.50
Ivor Solheim, Interest on Warrants	3.85
S. O. Finhart, hauling gravel and pit work	187.22
John T. Hanson, Road Patrolman	81.35
John T. Hanson, Road Patrolman	80.00
John T. Hanson, Road Patrolman	37.50
John T. Hanson, Road Patrolman	30.00
Andrew Ness, Committee work	9.40
H. B. Newell, Interest on Warrants No. 31030-33740	8.91
John T. Hanson, Road Patrolman	93.00
John T. Hanson, cutting weeds	34.00
John T. Hanson, burning weeds	17.50
E. Lytle, placing culvert	5.10
Andrew Ness, Committee work	10.00
Harry A. Severson, work on Survey	8.10
Total	$ 941.13

State Road No. 6

To Whom Issued and For What Purposa	Amount
Roy Carlson, Road Dragging	$ 12.90
Roy Carlson, Road Dragging	29.20
O. F. Melby, Interest on Warrant No. 38074	4.10
Clifford Froehlich, Interest on Warrant	10.16
Total	$ 62.30

State Road No. 7

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Engvald Geving, Road Patrolman	$ 15.50
Art Johnson, hauling gravel	8.26
Goodridge Merc. Co., explosives	15.70
Engvald Geving, snow control	14.00
Engvald Geving, Road Patrolman	57.40
Ivor Solheim, Road Patrolman	12.00
Engvald Geving, Road Patrolman	80.00
Oscar Hauge, Road Patrolman	51.20
Leo Ellingson, hauling gravel	56.40
John M. Johnson, graveling	22.50
Einar C. Olson, cutting brush	115.00
Isaac E. Wilson, Committee work	10.20
Total	$ 404.15

State Road No. 8

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
A. Moreseth, blasting caps	$ 4.00
Isaac E. Wilson, Committee work	14.00
Emil Larson, Committee work	12.80
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	12.40
Andrew Ness, Committee work	12.10
Louis Evenson, snow control	11.00
Jamea Evenson, Road Dragging	24.50
James Evenson, Road Dragging	52.00
James Evenson, Road Dragging	50.00
May Ekstrom Kruse, Interest on Warrants	18.05
Andrew Ness, Inspecting road	6.40
Bessie Avelson, Interest on Warrant No. 38847	29.78
Total	$ 253.03

State Road No. 9

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Lyle Culvert Co., culverts	$ 45.70
Lyle Culvert Co., culverts	191.42
J. S. Roy, Committee work	9.20
Emil Larson, Committee work	4.60
Chriat Kruse, Jr., Road Patrolman	33.00
Harry A. Seaverson, work on Survey	21.00
Wm. Froehlich, work on Survey	13.50
Christ Kruse, Jr., Road Patrolman	40.00
Emil Zutz, filling around culvert	12.00
Barney E. Peterson, Patrolman	48.60
H. P. Lund & Sons, Part Estimate grading	1,484.51
Arthur Sorum, Part Estimate	280.50
Arthur Sorum, Part Estimate	398.05
Bert W. Umland, work on Survey	14.00
Walter H. Quist, Work on Culvert	49.60
Harry Seaverson, work on culvert	30.00
Harold Johnson, work on culvert	10.50
H. P. Lund & Sons, Partial Estimate grading	1,115.93
Andrew Ness, Committee work	10.20
James Dreelan, placing culvert	10.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Part Estimate grading	1,228.29
Harry Seaverson, work on Survey	53.40
Arthur Sorum, balance on contract	70.25
Adolphson & Huseth, cleaning ditch	100.00
Harry A. Seaverson, work on Survey	33.00
Alfred Stokke, work on Survey	27.50
John Kruse, clearing brush	65.00
Andrew Ness, Committee work	7.40
Gordon Johnston, work on Survey	16.50
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	10.80
Emil Larson, Committee work	10.80
J. S. Roy, Committee work	9.00
Isaac E. Wilson, Committee work	10.20
H. P. Lund & Sons, Part Estimate grading	669.20
H. P. Lund & Sons, Digging Offtake ditch	112.00
Andrew Ness, Inspecting road	7.40
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	9.40
Emil Larson, Committee work	4.80
J. S. Roy, Committee work	5.60
Total	$ 6,271.14

State Road No. 11

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
V. Rogers, hauling gravel	$ 26.00
Oscar Peterson, hauling gravel	94.00
Pete Brezney, hauling gravel	9.74
Walter Olson, hauling gravel	95.40
Melvin Hamry, hauling gravel	43.87
Henry Hamry, hauling gravel	14.58
Clarence Dicken, hauling gravel	53.06
Wm. Herron, hauling gravel	37.45
Clarence Herron, hauling gravel	60.47
Arthur St. John, hauling gravel	58.27
Joe Seaverson, hauling gravel	18.75
Norval Nelson, hauling gravel	23.24
Alfred Dicken, hauling gravel	23.78
W. O. Long, hauling gravel	13.50
G. H. Stephens, hauling gravel	25.20
R. H. Stephens, hauling gravel	66.72
Martin Haufet, hauling gravel	36.75
Harry Johnson, pit work	117.20
Albert Aase, hauling gravel	6.38
Gust Peterson, hauling gravel	99.95
Arthur Peterson, hauling gravel	52.07
Peter Stromberg, hauling gravel	296.11
Fred Johnson, hauling gravel	177.00
Lem Dobson, hauling gravel	38.70
Oscar Hauge, Pit Forman	143.00
Peoples Oil Co., Gasoline	211.83
Axel Engelstad, Road Patrolman	20.00
Christ Kruse, Jr., Road Patrolman	117.00
E. C. Ulrich, gravel furnished	128.67
Gust Holmen, hauling gravel	18.15
John T. Hanson, hauling gravel	40.00
Christian Engelstad, hauling gravel	93.37
A. P. Engelstad, hauling gravel	139.34
Phillip Lundberg, Pit work	16.80
Sig Myrom, Explosives	45.95
A. P. Engelstad, Pit work	31.70
Harry Lund, Livery for Engineer	4.05
A. P. Engelstad, hauling gravel	183.75
Christian Engelstad, hauling gravel	104.17
Axel Engelstad, work in gravel pit	27.50
Halvor Olson, gravel furnished	52.07
Sig Myrom, Explosives	10.00
A. P. Engelstad, Road Patrol	118.47
A. P. Engelstad, Road Patrol	129.10
A. P. Engelstad, Road Patrol	110.05
Andrew Ness, Inspecting road	4.00
Axel Engelstad, cutting weeds	29.50
Bessie Avelson, Interest on Ditch Bonds	50.18
Axel Engelstad, cleaning ditch	5.00
M. C. Burns, Interest on Warrant	32.98
M. C. Burns, Interest on Warrant No. 35239	30.00
Axel Engelstad, cutting weeds	10.00
Emma Roth, Interest on Warrants	90.00
H. P. Lund, Installing culvert	30.00
A. E. Engelstad, cutting weeds	7.50
Axel Engelstad, cutting weeds	5.39
Total	$ 3,544.52

State Road No. 13

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
E. H. Pomerenke, Road Patrolman	$ 4.80
E. H. Pomerenke, Road Patrolman	4.00
E. H. Pomerenke, Road Patrolman	7.39
Ivor Solheim, Road Patrolman	10.50
E. H. Pomerenke, Road Patrolman	10.35
John Jacobson, Road Patrolman	48.00
D. G. Brownlie, hauling rock	50.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Part Estimate grading	780.00
John Phillips, moving Telephone poles	5.00
D. G. Brownlie, hauling rocks	100.00
Andrew Ness, Inspecting road	0.80
Andrew Ness, Committee work	5.00
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	15.00
Joe Oske, hauling rocks	10.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Partial Estimate grading	4,300.27
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	17.50
Isaac E. Wilson, Committee work	13.50
Emil Sanders, work on bridge	17.75
Emil Sanders, hauling rocks	108.00
E. H. Pomerenke, Road work	12.40
Total	$ 5,623.02

State Road No. 14

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Adolphson & Huseth, Offtake Ditch	$ 400.00
Andrew Ness, Committee work	22.00
Adolphson & Huseth, work on Offtake Ditch	500.00
Adolphson & Huseth, work on Offtake Ditch	500.00
Adolphson & Huseth, work on Offtake Ditch	640.00
Adolphson & Huseth, Leveling road	585.00
Wm. Froehlich, work on Survey	1.50
Andrew Ness, Committee work	4.00
Bert W. Umland, Assisting Engineer	42.00
Chas. M. Evenson, moving stone	50.00
Oscar H. Evenson et al, digging offtake Ditch	100.00
Bert W. Umland, work on Survey	14.00
Gust Berggren, cutting weeds and brush	25.00
Alfred Stokke, work on Survey	21.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Partial Estimate grading	1,600.33
Gust Berggren, cleaning culvert	3.00
Harry Seaverson, assisting Engineer	12.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Part Estimate grading	2,250.20
Andrew Ness, Committee work	7.80
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	14.70
Emil Larson, Committee work	9.50
J. S. Roy, Committee work	11.10
Total	$ 8,933.13

Appropriation to Townships

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Town of North	$ 100.00
Town of Hickory	1,000.00
Town of North	50.00
Total	$ 1,150.00

Highway Engineers' Salary and Expensa

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Bert F. Umland, Salary	$ 2,100.00
Bert F. Umland, Mileage	822.42
Total	$ 2,922.42

Tractor Patrolmen and Expense

To Whom Issued	Amount
Ivor Solheim	$ 127.20
Christ Kruse, Jr.	117.35
Oscar Hauge	109.45
Ivor Solheim	108.20
Oscar Hauge	100.30
Ivor Solheim	114.30
Christ Kruse, Jr.	99.60
Oscar Hauge	121.10
Christ Kruse, Jr.	85.20
Ivor Solheim	84.80
Ivor Solheim	100.50
Oscar Hauge	125.50
Christ Kruse, Jr.	78.20
Ivor Solheim	113.25
Oscar Hauge	91.40
Christ Kruse, Jr.	81.30
Total	$ 1,657.65

Expense, Operating Tractors

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Gustafson & Son, repairs	$ 37.57
Manhattan Oil Co., gasoline and oil	107.68
John M. Gran, repairs	10.25
Manhattan Oil Co., Gasoline	75.22
Standard Oil Co., Gasoline and oil	60.70
Lyle Culvert Co., grader blades	43.50
Standard Oil Co., Gasoline and oil	92.50
Peoples Oil Co., Gasoline and oil	123.45
A. M. Mandt, Gasoline and oil	124.17
Reliabla Motor Co., repairs	17.55
Peoples Oil Co., Gasoline and oil	100.25
White Eagle Oil Co., Gasoline and oil	166.12
Manhattan Oil Co., gasoline and oil	99.90
Peoples Oil Co., Gasoline and oil	91.75
Total	$ 1,240.61

Miscellaneous

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First & Peoples State Bank, Interest on Road Bonds	$ 2,375.00
Wm. L. Zegler & Co., Snow Fence	414.68
Lyle Culvert Co., culverts	70.00
Peoples Gas & Elec. Co., one bbl. tar	0.00
First National Bank, Principal and Interest on Road Bonds	3,375.00
First & Peoples State Bank, Principal and Interest on Road Bonds	4,000.00
Sig Myrom, Explosives	01.00
First National Bank, Mpls., Interest on Trunk Highway Bonds	426.74
Lyle Culvert Co., Snow Fence	294.26
Lyle Culvert Co., culverts	150.00
First National Bank, Compensation Insurance Premium	285.22
C. Gustafson & Son, Snow Fence	35.28
Beltrami County, Engineers' Expense Survey Red Lake Road	478.58
T. P. Anderson, Expense to Bemidji	7.40
John T. Hanson, hauling gravel	169.70
First & Peoples State Bank, Semi-Annual Interest T. H. Bond	565.44
First National Bank, Interest on Road Bonds	125.00
O. Ordahl, Interest on Warrant	20.75
Lyle Culvert Co., Grader	189.00
Lyle Culvert Co., Cutting Edges	168.00
Lyle Culvert Co., Culverts	725.73
Ben Rendahl, cutting ice around Bridge piling	20.00
Lloyd T. Alnes, work on Road Equipment	1.50
C. T. Thompson, Attending Road Lettings	17.50
Gotfred Curlson, Dragging Road	5.40
Andrew Ness, Committee work	0.00
Lyle Culvert Co., Culverts	2,050.48
H. B. Newell, Interest on Warrants	13.53
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	32.30
Emil Larson, Committee work	33.10
Isaac E. Wilson, Committee work	30.70
J. S. Roy, Committee work	20.40
Sig Myrom, Explosives	10.00
Northern Woodwork Co., Supplies for Engineers	30.71
Lyle Culvert Co., culverts	840.83
Lyle Culvert Co., Cutting Edges	213.30
Lyle Culvert Co., grader	300.00
Thief River Falls Fire Department, Interest on Road Bonds	1,850.00
J. P. Hanson, Interest on Warrants	14.40
O. Ordahl, Interest on Warrants	25.87
First National Bank, Principal and Interest Funding Bonds	1,071.25
First National Bank, Principal and Interest Funding Bonds	3,069.78
First & Peoples State Bank, Principal and Interest Funding Bonds	3,000.70
Christ Kruse, Jr., Road Patrol	100.30
Oscar Hauge, Road Patrol	46.45
Engvald Geving, cutting weeds	45.80
Lyle Culvert Co., Payment on graders	000.00
Lanfelett & Bugge, Repairs on grader	4.50
Andrew Ness, Inspecting roads	8.20
Andrew Ness, Committee work	13.50
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	0.40
Thief River Falls Relief Ass'n., Interest on Bonds	428.00
James Evenson, cutting weeds	31.70
John Kruse, cutting weeds	13.50
Lyle Culvert Co., culverts	47.17
J. S. Roy, Committee work	4.60
Emil Larson, Committee work	6.40
Isaac E. Wilson, Committee work	10.30
Gerhard Hanson, cleaning Road Ditches	25.00
Engvald Geving, Cash advanced for repairs	7.69
H. B. Newell, Interest on Warrants	33.32
Thief River Falls Relief Ass'n. Interest on Bonds	565.44
Lyle Culvert Co., grader blades	072.00
Anton Johnson, work on road	2.50
Lyle Culvert Co., Culvert and fence posts	1,010.52
Harry Sigrud, Placing culvert	18.50
The Prichard Co., Lath for Engineers	8.73
Albert Holland, road drag	25.00
Pennington Co. Agr. Society, culvert	31.43
H. P. Lund & Sons, hauling gravel	132.50
Central Lumber Co., lumber	2.32
C. O. Granum, Interest on Warrants	27.41
Mae Eekstrom, Interest on Warrants	38.70
Lyle Culvert Co., graders	1,886.32
E. N. Rude, Zero Foe	60.00
John T. Hanson, Truck work	75.82
A. T. Alnes, Interest on Warrants	39.24
Perl W. Mabey, Interest on Warrants	52.01
Louis Stenseth, Interest on Warrants	19.25
H. O. Chommie, Interest on Warrants	22.08
Joseph Joringdal, cutting brush	8.00
Town of Rainer, Road Construction	311.00
Perl W. Mabey, Interest on Warrants	118.13
Total	$ 35,174.95

General Ditch Fund

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE GENERAL DITCH FUND

RECEIPTS

Received from current and delinquent Tax Distribution	$ 49,341.37
Miscellaneous Drainage Ditch Tax Collections	2,908.84
Debit Balance December 31st, 1928	66,511.75
Total	$118,701.06

DISBURSEMENTS

Debit Balance January 1st, 1928	$ 34,059.30
Warrants Issued	84,702.00
Total	$118,701.96

Judicial Ditch No. 1

To Whom Issued and For What Purposa	Amount
Bertram Lumber Co., Lumber for Bridge	$ 38.40
First National Bank, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	2,392.98
Mary L. Curran, Interest on Ditch Bonds	330.00
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	18.18
A. K. Sanden, Interest on Warrants	11.73
Total	$ 2,791.29

Judicial Ditch No. 2

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Chas. Fischer, Interest on Ditch Bonds	$ 180.45
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	7.20
Total	$ 187.65

Judicial Ditch No. 13

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
John A. Johnson, Interest on Warrant No. 33432	$ .65
First National Bank, Interest on Bonds	827.07
Chas Fischer, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	1,249.12
H. A. Pratt, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	565.81
Andrew Ness, Committee work	22.20
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	24.40
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	29.50
Emil Larson, Committee work	15.50
J. S. Roy, Committee work	18.70
Isaac E. Wilson, Committee work	19.90
Lyle Culvert Co., culverts	67.97
A. J. Funnesdahl, Principal on Ditch Bonds	3,000.00
Priscilla Biedermann, Interest on Ditch Bonds	832.10
First National Bank, Interest on Ditch Bonds	500.00
Andrew Ness, Inspecting Ditch	12.20
Total	$ 7,185.12

Judicial Ditch No. 14

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First National Bank, Interest on Ditch Bond	$ 185.46
First & Peoples State Bank Principal and Interest Ditch Bond	1,223.99
Thief River Falls Fire Dept., Semi-Annual Interest Ditch Bond	132.50
A. J. Funnesdahl, Principal Ditch Bonds	1,000.00
Thief River Falls Relief Ass'n., Interest on Ditch Bonds	192.50
Total	$ 2,734.45

Judicial Ditch No. 18

To Whom Issued and For What Purposa	Amount
First National Bank, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	$ 3,851.90
Chas. Fischer, Principal and Interest on Ditch Bonds	1,221.55
H. A. Pratt, Interest on Ditch Bonds	289.48
Emil C. Johnson, Interest on Ditch Bonds	825.00
J. Hanson, Interest on Warrant No. 31263	10.30
Alfred Stokke, work on Survey	28.50
Roy Morgan, work on Survey	25.50
Total	$ 0,252.29

Judicial Ditch No. 25

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First National Bank, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	$ 3,644.47
Thief River Falls Relief Ass'n., Interest Ditch Bonds	550.00
Total	$ 4,194.47

Judicial Ditch No. 30

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Bessie Avelson, Interest on Ditch Warrants	$ 41.07
First National Bank T. R. F. Interest Ditch Bonds	2,148.02
First & Peoples State Bank T. R. F., Princ. and Interest Ditch Bonds	2,148.02
First National Bank, St. Paul, Service charge Principal on Ditch Bonds	3.45
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	12.00
Geo. Curran, Interest on Warrant No. 28488	00.00
Emil C. Johnson, Interest on Ditch Bonds	1,210.00
Jacob Biedermann, Interest on Warrant No. 31601	50.40
Anton Efteland, work on culvert	22.20
Frank Carpenter, work on culvert	19.80
Theo. Steigan, cutting weeds	5.00
Andrew Ness, Inspecting Ditch	10.00
J. S. Roy, Inspecting Ditch	7.60
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	5.00
Total	$ 5,787.50

Judicial Ditch No. 40

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First National Bank, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	$ 1,359.37
Thief River Fire Relief Ass'n., Interest on Bonds	1,152.50
Total	$ 2,511.87

Judicial Ditch No. 44

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First & Peoples State Bank, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	$ 1,420.45
Mary L. Curran, Interest on Ditch Bonds	390.00
Total	$ 1,810.45

Repair Ditch No. 16

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Andrew Ness, Committee work	$ 5.00
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	5.00
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	8.40
Emil Larson, Committee work	8.40
J. S. Roy, Committee work	6.60
Isaac E. Wilson, Committee work	7.80
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's feea	27.75
Bert F. Umland, Engineer's Expense	23.04
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	5.00
First National Bank, Interest Ditch Bonds	570.28
Andrew Ness, Inspecting Ditch	18.00
C. T. Thompson, Inspecting ditch	24.40
Isaac E. Wilson, Inspecting ditch	23.80
Floyd Sumpter, brushing	30.00
Emil Larson, Inspecting Ditch	25.00
J. S. Roy, Inspecting ditch	21.40
Phillip Johnson, brushing	50.00
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	15.00
Leonard Johnson, cutting brush	35.00
Bert F. Umland, Engineers' Expense	89.40
Total	$ 1,005.27

County Repair Ditch No. 21

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
O. J. Snetting, placing culvert	$ 15.00
Adolf Eklund, Interest Ditch Bonds	135.00
O. T. Anfmoen, hauling and placing culvert	15.00
Lyle Culvert Co., culverts	224.06
John A. Johnson, Interest on Warrant	1.15
J. W. Anderson, placing culvert	13.50
First National Bank, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	635.96
Total	$ 1,039.67

County Ditch No. 62

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First National Bank, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	$ 1,364.24
Total	$ 1,364.24

County Ditch No. 33

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Andrew Ness, Committee work	$ 5.80
Andrew Ness, Inspecting Ditch	11.60
Adolphson & Huseth, Part Payment Ditch work	100.00
Andrew Ness, Committee work	12.00
Andrew Ness, Committee work	12.00
Andrew Ness, Committee work	12.00
Andrew Ness, Committee work	10.60
J. S. Roy, Committee work	7.60
Total	$ 171.60

Repair Ditch No. 35

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Berdie C. Newell, Interest Ditch Bonds	$ 270.00
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	8.40
Isaac E. Wilson, Committee work	6.80
Andrew Ness, Committee work	6.60
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	5.00
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	16.80
Emil Larson, Committee work	8.40
J. S. Roy, Committee work	6.60
Isaac E. Wilson, Committee work	15.00
J. S. Roy, Committee work	6.60
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	29.25
Bert F. Umland, Engineers' Expense	53.90
Andrew Ness, Inspecting ditch	10.00
C. T. Thompson, Inspecting ditch	8.40
Isaac E. Wilson, Inspecting ditch	7.80
Emil Larson, Inspecting ditch	8.40
First National Bank, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	1,271.92
Total	$ 1,712.47

County Ditch No. 36

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	$ 10.00
Andrew Ness, Committee work	16.00
Bert F. Umland, Engineers' Services	27.12
Lyle Culvert Co., culverts	16.56
Adolphson & Huseth, cleaning ditch	645.00
Total	$ 714.68

County Ditch No. 60

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Andrew Ness, Committee work	$ 6.80
Lyle Culvert Co., culverts	229.71
J. S. Roy, Committee work	6.60
Emil Larson, Committee work	8.40
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	8.20
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	5.00
C. T. Thompson, Inspecting ditch	8.40
Stanley Efteland, cutting brush	35.00
J. S. Roy, Committee work	6.30
Emil Larson, Inspecting ditch	10.10
Isaac E. Wilson, Inspecting ditch	9.50
Andrew Ness, Inspecting ditch	5.00
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	6.00
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	8.40
Emil Larson, Committee work	8.40
J. S. Roy, Committee work	0.00
Isaac E. Wilson, Committee work	14.00
Casper Weiner, Jr., cutting brush	75.00
John T. Hanson, cutting brush	50.00
Obert Roisland, cutting brush	30.00
John T. Hanson, cutting brush	25.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, leveling grade	100.00
Bert F. Umland, Engineers' Expense	82.50
Casper Weiner, Jr., cutting brush	29.00
A. J. Sanden, Interest on Warrants	31.10
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	24.50
Total	$ 821.11

County Ditch No. 38

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First National Bank, Interest on Bonds	$ 302.80
Andrew Ness, Committee work	10.60
J. T. Eisenpeter, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	2,302.50
Arthur Thoreson, cutting brush	150.00
Total	$ 2,765.80

County Ditch No. 39

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Mary Funnesdahl, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	$ 2,000.00
Total	$ 2,000.00

County Ditch No. 41

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First & Peoples State Bank, Interest on Ditch Bonds	$ 882.74
Arnt Geving, cutting brush	12.00
Arnt Geving, cutting brush	3.00
Arthur Thoreson, cutting brush	87.50
Total	$ 985.24

County Ditch No. 43

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First & Peoples State Bank, Interest on Ditch Bonds	$ 842.62
T. P. Anderson, Interest on on Warrants	1.20
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	10.00
Andrew Ness, Committee work	5.00
C. T. Thompson, Committee work	8.20
Emil Larson, Committee work	8.40
Isaac E. Wilson, Committee work	7.80
Isaac E. Wilson, Committee work	8.00
J. S. Roy, Committee work	6.60
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	5.00
Andrew Ness, Letting contract	5.00
C. T. Thompson, Letting contract	8.40
J. S. Roy, Letting contract	6.60
Emil Larson, Letting contract	8.40
Isaac E. Wilson, Letting contract	7.80
Adolphson & Huseth, Partial Estimate Excavation	1,075.49
Andrew Ness, Committee work	17.20
Adolphson & Huseth, Part Estimate Excavation	1,122.08
Knut Roisland, grubbing	11.80
Ludvig Johnson, grubbing	4.50
Harry Sigerud, placing culvert	12.50
John Hermanson, placing culvert	6.00
Ludvig Johnson, work with Dredge	24.90
H. A. Dahlen, work with Dredge	33.00
Gust A. Iverson, work with Dredge	6.60
First National Bank, Interest on Ditch Bonds	253.25
Adolphson & Huseth, Final Estimate	590.19
Andrew Ness, Inspection of Ditch	25.80
C. T. Thompson, Inspection of Ditch	17.00
Isaac E. Wilson Inspection of Ditch	15.40
Emil Larson, Inspection of Ditch	17.00
J. S. Roy, Inspection of Ditch	15.20
H. P. Lund & Son's leveling grade	544.00
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	30.00
Adolphson & Huseth, Excavation	634.81
Total	$ 5,896.24

County Ditch No. 44

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First & Peoples State Bank, Interest on Ditch Bonds	$ 1,043.24
Anna Olsen, Gravel for Bridge	15.00
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	5.00
Adolphson & Huseth, leveling ditch grade	150.00
Total	$ 1,213.24

County Ditch No. 44

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Casper Weiner, Jr., Painting Bridge	$ 8.00
Total	$ 8.00

County Ditch No. 46

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First & Peoples State Bank Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	$ 160.50
Total	$ 160.50

County Ditch No. 46

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Andrew Ness, Inspecting Ditch	$ 17.40
Andrew Ness, Committee work	11.60
Martha Eggrud, Interest Warrant No. 38849	31.50
Total	$ 60.60

County Ditch No. 47

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First & Peoples State Bank Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	$ 1,168.99
Thief River Falls Relief Ass'n., Interest on Ditch Bonds	137.50
Total	$ 1,306.49

County Ditch No. 49

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First & Peoples State Bank Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	$ 882.74
Total	$ 882.74

County Ditch No. 51

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First & Peoples State Bank, Interest on Ditch Bonds	$ 150.00
Thief River Relief Ass'n., Interest on Ditch Bonds	150.00
Total	$ 300.00

County Ditch No. 53

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First & Peoples State Bank, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	$ 1,033.99
Total	$ 1,033.99

County Ditch No. 55

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First & Peoples State Bank, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	$ 1,183.09
Alfred E. Olson, Interest on Ditch Bonds	310.87
Andrew Ness, Committee work	21.00
Andrew Ness, Committee work	12.30
Isaac E. Wilson, Committee work	17.70
Thief River Falls Relief Ass'n., Interest on bonds	150.00
First National Bank, Interest Ditch Bonds	480.72
Total	$ 2,183.58

County Ditch No. 57

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First National Bank, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	$ 1,241.60
Bessie Avelson, Interest on Bonds	210.00
Total	$ 1,451.00

County Ditch No. 58

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Chas Fischer, Interest on Ditch Bonds	$ 180.45
Bessie Avelson, Interest on Ditch Bonds	180.45
Total	$ 360.99

County Ditch No. 59

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Chas. Fischer, Interest on Ditch Bonds	$ 150.38
Total	$ 150.38

County Ditch No. 60

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First National Bank, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	$ 1,221.55
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	6.00
Andrew Ness, Inspecting Ditch	9.30
Total	$ 1,235.85

County Ditch No. 61

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
John Arntson, Placing Culvert	$ 25.00
Total	$ 25.00

County Ditch No. 62

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Andrew Ness, Committee work	$ 15.20
Total	$ 15.20

County Ditch No. 63

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
C. N. Urdahl, cleaning ditch	$ 6.00
Oscar Monson, Interest Ditch Bonds	579.62
Total	$ 586.02

County Ditch No. 64

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First National Bank, Thief River Falls, Interest Ditch Bonds	$ 157.00
Berdie C. Newell, Interest on Ditch Bond	52.50
Oscar L. Monson, Interest on Ditch Bond	579.63
Total	$ 789.13

County Ditch No. 68

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Lyle Culvert Co., culverts	$ 134.16
First & Peoples State Bank, Principal and Interest on Ditch Bond	7,411.00
H. B. Newell, Interest on Warrants	19.95
H. B. Newell, Interest on Warrants	4.23
Mrs. H. B. Newell, Interest on Warrants	93.90
O. K. Leral, placing culvert	12.00
T. P. Anderson Auditor's fees	5.00
Bessie Avelson, Interest on Warrants	21.27
Bessie Avelson, Interest on Bonds	393.38
Bessie Avelson, Interest on Bonds	1,150.00
L. A. Johnson Estate, Interest on Bonds	1,100.00
Total	$ 10,344.89

County Ditch No. 70

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First National Bank, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	$ 1,661.65
Total	$ 1,661.65

Miscellaneous

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
First National Bank, Mpls., Service Charge Funding Bond Coupons	$ 5.94
First & Peoples State Bank, Interest on Funding Bonds	1,253.12
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	9.00
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's fees	13.70
Andrew Ness, Committee work	0.30
Andrew Ness, Committee work	6.00
Bert F. Umland, Engineers work	61.00
Adolphson & Huseth, cleaning ditch	150.00
J. P. Hanson, Interest on Warrants	12.21
O. Ordahl, Interest on Warrants	20.74
B. C. Barnard, Interest on Funding Bonds	1,250.00
Bert F. Umland, Engineer's Mileage	117.30
Ed. Timm, Leveling grade	25.00
First National Bank, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	4,132.50
First & Peoples State Bank, Principal and Interest Ditch Bonds	2,353.16
Lars Backe, Premium on Engineer's Bond	60.00
Total	$ 9,400.87

Tri-County Sanatorium Fund

RECEIPTS

Debit Balance December 31st, 1928	$ 1,354.00
Received from Current and Delinquent Tax Distributions	6,823.37
Total	$ 8,177.40

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants Issued	$ 5,189.65
Debit Balance January 1st, 1628	1,987.81
Total	$ 8,177.46

Tri-County Sanatorium Fund

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Oakland Park Sanatorium, Maintenance	$ 438.00
Oakland Park Sanatorium, Maintenance	529.25
Oakland Park Sanatorium, Maintenance	763.68
Oakland Park Sanatorium, Maintenance	307.59
First & Peoples State Bank, Interest on Warrant No. 37742	14.68
Perl W. Mabey, Interest on Warrants	148.10
Oakland Park Sanatorium, Maintenance	508.80
Oakland Park Sanatorium, Maintenance	350.08
Oakland Park Sanatorium, Maintenance	397.21
Oakland Park Sanatorium, Maintenance	195.40
Oakland Park Sanatorium, Maintenance	441.61
Oakland Park Sanatorium, Maintenance	222.29
Oakland Park Sanatorium, Maintenance	251.76
Oakland Park Sanatorium, Maintenance	569.46
Oakland Park Sanatorium, Maintenance	357.60
Perl W. Mabey, Interest on Warrants	64.97
Oakland Park Sanatorium, Maintenance	674.83
Perl W. Mabey, Interest on Warrants	01.12
Total	$ 0,189.65

State Revenue and School Fund

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF STATE REVENUE AND SCHOOL FUND

RECEIPTS

Received from Current and Delinquent Tax Distribution	$ 32,754.22
Total	$ 32,754.22

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants Issued	$ 32,754.22
Total	$ 32,754.22

State Revenue and School Fund

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Ray P. Chase, State Auditor, State Share March Tax Settlement	$ 5,307.06
Ray P. Chase, State Auditor, State Share of Absolute Property Tax Sale	1,366.62
Ray P. Chase, State Auditor, State Share June Tax Settlement	14,811.43
Ray P. Chase, State Auditor, State Share Nov. Tax Settlement	10,269.11
Total	$ 32,754.22

State Land and Interest Fund

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE STATE LAND AND INTEREST FUND

RECEIPTS

Credit Balance January 1st, 1928	$ 10.47
Principal and Interest collected on state lands	1,708.62
Total	$ 1,719.09

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants Issued	$ 1,304.70
Credit Balance December 31st, 1928	414.39
Total	$ 1,719.09

State Land and Interest Fund

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Ray P. Chase, Payment to State	$ 8.15
Ray P. Chase, Payment to State	1,247.18
Ray P. Chase, Payment to State	49.36
Total	$ 1,304.70

County Bond and Interest Fund

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE COUNTY BOND AND INTEREST FUND

RECEIPTS

Credit Balance January 1st, 1928	$ 3,649.33
Received from Current and Delinquent Tax Distributions	4,982.40
Total	$ 8,631.73

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants Issued	$ 2,780.00
Credit Balance December 31st, 1928	5,851.73
Total	$ 8,631.73

County Bond and Interest Fund

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Ray P. Chase, Principal and Interest State Loan	$ 2,780.00
Total	$ 2,780.00

Teacher's Insurance and Retirement Fund

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF TEACHERS INSURANCE AND RETIREMENT FUND

RECEIPTS

Credit Balance January 1st, 1928	$ 122.50
From Collections of Teachers Insurance and Retirement	953.00
Total	$ 1,075.50

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants Issued	$ 950.50
Credit Balance December 31st, 1928	125.00
Total	$ 1,075.50

Teachers Insurance and Retirement Fund

To Whom Issued	Amount
Julius Schmall, State Treasurer	$ 562.60
Julius Schmall State Treasurer	388.00
Total	$ 950.50

County Sinking Fund

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE COUNTY SINKING FUND

RECEIPTS

Credit Balance January 1st, 1928	$ 6,433.20
Received from Current and Delinquent Tax Distributions	5,634.31
Total	$ 12,067.51

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants Issued	$ 270.09
Transfered to County Revenue Fund	6,000.00
Credit Balance December 31st, 1928	5,797.42
Total	$ 12,067.51

County Sinking Fund

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
City of Thief River Falls, Payments on Paving Assessment	$ 270.09
Total	$ 270.00

County Attorney's Contingent Fund

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF COUNTY ATTORNEY'S CONTINGENT FUND

RECEIPTS

Transfered from County Revenua Fund	$ 15.12
Total	$ 15.12

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants Issued	$ 15.12
Total	$ 15.12

Contingent Fund

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
H. O. Berve, County Attorney's Expense	$ 15.12
Total	$ 15.12

Mortgage Registry Tax Fund

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE MORTGAGE REGISTRY TAX FUND

RECEIPTS

Credit Balance January 1st, 1928	$ 370.75
Received from Collections of Mortgage Registry Tax	344.40
Total	$ 715.15

DISBURSEMENTS

Credit Balance December 31st, 1928	$ 715.15
Total	$ 715.15

Tax Collection Fund

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF TAX COLLECTION FUND

RECEIPTS

Credit Balance January 1st, 1928	$ 61,935.61
Collection of Current Taxes	306,755.18
Collection of Delinquent Taxes	32,680.43
Collection of Penalties, Interest and Costs	1,184.17
Total	$392,661.39

DISBURSEMENTS

Current and Delinquent Tax Distributions	$373,756.40
Credit Balance December 31st, 1928	18,804.99
Total	$392,561.36

Receipts and Disbursements of City, Town and Village Funds

City, Town and Village	Balance Jan. 1st, 1928 Dr.	Balance Jan. 1st, 1928 Cr.	Receipts from all tax Collections and Licenses	TOTAL	Payments to Treasurers	Refunded	Balance Jan. 1st, 1929 Dr.	Balance Jan. 1st, 1929 Cr.
Bray	$	$	$ 1,151.10	$ 1,151.10	$ 1,147.65	$	$	$ 3.45
Black River			1,244.68	1,244.68	1,160.47			84.21
Clover Leaf			989.23	989.23	703.64			285.59
Deer Park			675.01	675.01	401.48			213.53
Goodridge			630.56	630.50	215.01			415.55
Highlanding			804.44	804.44	419.33			385.11
Hickory			1,634.47	1,634.47	1,447.63			166.84
Kratka			753.47	753.47	485.74			267.73
Mayfield			964.78	964.78	569.10			395.68
North			1,729.07	1,729.07	670.26			758.81
Norden			1,196.75	1,196.75	752.96			443.79
Numedal			839.90	839.90	702.23			137.07
Polk Centre			651.35	651.35	504.34			147.01
Rocksbury			1,614.17	1,814.17	1,630.60			177.57
River Falls			1,742.15	1,742.15	1,333.77			408.38
Reiner			373.29	373.29	74.60			208.66
Sanders			2,605.71	2,605.71	1,922.74			682.67
Smiley			2,138.03	2,138.03	1,883.68			254.35
Silverton		83.51	1,863.27	1,946.76	1,501.88			384.90
Star			1,275.66	1,275.00	1,118.70			156.87
Wyndotte			1,431.17	1,431.17	1,274.02			156.25
St. Hilaire			2,247.13	2,247.13	2,243.64			3.29
Goodridge			2,590.51	2,500.61	2,588.16			2.43
Thief River Falls		3,214.65	52,342.44	55,557.00	53,106.05			2,446.04

Receipts and Disbursements of School District Funds

Number of District	Balance Jan. 1st, 1928 Dr.	Balance Jan. 1st, 1928 Cr.	Receipts from State Apportionment and Tax Collections	TOTAL	Payments to Treasurer	Payments-to-State Treasurer on Acct. of State School Fund	Refund	Balance Jan. 1st, 1629 Dr.	Balance Jan. 1st, 1629 Cr.
1	$	$	$ 416.17	$ 410.17	$ 410.17	$	$	$	$
2			025.41	625.41	025.41				
3	145.19		1,505.51	1,650.70	1,521.56			129.12	
4		396.32	927.35	1,323.67	1,323.07				
5		50.46	1,241.20	1,291.75	557.34	128.00			606.41
0			483.44	483.44	483.44				
7		133.29	639.72	773.01	422.53				350.46
6		8,209.72	15,438.53	23,646.25	20,341.82	2,606.00			598.43
9		65.00	669.78	734.78	244.48	120.00			370.30
10		311.33	715.60	1,026.93	688.13	128.00			210.80
11		120.59	1,159.66	1,280.25	504.67	288.00			487.58
12		42.64	1,874.66	1,917.30	579.68	620.00			717.62
13			423.18	423.16	101.03				321.55
14			1,475.61	1,475.61	1,475.61				
15			1,119.26	1,119.26	1,119.26				
10	88.15		389.41	477.56	338.01	58.55			477.56
17			263.60	263.80	263.00				
16		10,475.26	123,624.83	134,099.59	87,149.35	6,120.00			40,830.24
19		217.94	178.96	896.90	117.85				279.05
25		86.48	972.14	1,058.62	644.40				414.46
26			613.79	613.70	613.79				
28			621.53	621.63	021.53				
29		693.43	1,099.29	1,792.63	1,235.66				557.27
30		6.97	610.12	617.09	486.71	116.00			14.38
31		92.20	645.48	637.77	545.46				92.29
33		186.16	145.77	331.93	831.93				314.86
34		360.70	831.31	1,191.83	877.47				
35		382.67	610.30	992.97	992.97				
37		718.72	1,099.52	1,818.24	1,818.24				
38		870.48	857.55	1,228.03	1,228.03				
39		147.20	264.41	411.61	163.05				218.56
41		362.21	624.69	986.90	667.55				319.35
42		271.14	488.09	759.23	759.23				
43		45.20	121.29	166.49	134.52				31.97
44		70.49	780.21	850.70	780.21				70.49
46		148.75	203.95	352.70	198.02				352.70
47		300.77	401.86	702.63	460.65				25.98
48		11.86	757.22	769.68	769.68				
50		73.50	987.07	1,060.57	511.25	120.00			429.32
61			547.65	547.65	319.80				227.85
62			790.01	790.01	790.01				
53		478.30	937.51	1,415.81	1,254.44	132.00			29.37
54	399.99		1,548.97	1,948.96	878.96	1,070.00			
55		609.76	761.06	1,370.64	941.01				429.83
56		109.20	833.25	942.25	809.61	132.00			.64
57		6.58	962.95	968.53	289.24	540.00			139.29
58			194.66	194.66	115.93				78.73
59		384.79	839.94	1,224.73	1,085.91	128.00			10.82
60		85.00	347.28	432.28	347.28	15.00			70.00
64			652.42	652.42	652.42				
65		237.13	1,139.69	1,375.82	657.01	276.00			443.81
66		515.83	543.45	1,060.28	736.48				323.82
67		596.30	1,512.31	2,108.61	1,114.79	280.00			713.82
68			565.06	565.06	565.06				
69			647.09	647.09	645.39				1.70
70	233.00		196.67	429.87	240.43	72.00			117.24
73		462.95	961.04	1,423.99	1,168.22	264.00			51.77
94			1,013.03	1,013.03	1,013.03				
99		22.35	1,155.88	1,178.23	596.22	104.00			478.01
102		112.92	19,122.09	19,235.01	18,527.72	528.00			179.29
106			654.07	654.67	654.67				
108		23.62	162.48	186.10	186.10				
124		71.46	79.85	141.31	151.31				
125			766.32	766.32	766.62				
127			839.32	839.32	839.32				
133			395.71	395.71	395.71				
135			508.19	508.19	508.19				
147			722.77	722.77	397.68				325.09
148		314.17	248.20	562.46	199.88				362.58
149			1,294.92	1,294.92	1,294.92				
154		604.25	460.23	1,164.48	1,164.48				291.60
165		465.66	826.62	1,292.28	1,292.28				
166			647.19	647.19	647.19				
178			869.70	869.76	869.76				
180		160.39	655.98	816.37	816.37				
194		546.32	620.33	1,166.65	1,166.65				
219		37.64	272.66	810.30	810.30				
221		21.24	1,026.71	1,047.95	1,026.71				21.24
227		165.44	859.58	525.02	295.71				229.31
228	222.37		635.63	858.00	468.80	245.00		144.20	

Assets and Liabilities of Pennington County, Minnesota

ASSETS

Taxes for the year 1927 and prior years	$165,242.12
Balance in the Treasury to the Credit of the following funds:	
County Revenue Fund	1,514.01
County Road and Bridge Fund	11,175.26
County Bond and Interest Fund	5,851.73
County Sinking Fund	5,797.45
Total	$189,580.57

INVENTORY OF COUNTY PROPERTY:

West 50 feet Lots 15 & 16 Block 63, Original Townsite of Thief River Falls	$ 1,200.00
Lots 1, 2 & 3 Block 53, Original Townsite of Thief River Falls	20,000.00
Personal Property	12,000.00
Road Machinery and Road Equipment	12,900.00
Gravel Pits	1,000.00
Highlanding Bridge (Across Red Lake River.)	15,000.00
Kratka Bridge (Across Red Lake River.)	10,000.00
County Roads and bridges including Highways	543,686.00
Total	$615,786.00

LIABILITIES

Drainage Ditch Bonds Issued by Pennington County:

Date of Bond	Due Date of Bond	Amount of Bond	Amt. paid on Bond	Balance Unpaid
Oct. 2nd, 1921	Oct. 31st, 1931	$ 85,000.00	$ 60,000.00	$ 25,000.00
Feb. 2nd, 1912	Feb. 1st, 1932	112,500.00	82,500.00	30,000.00
July, 2nd, 1913	July 1st, 1932	33,000.00	24,000.00	9,000.00
March 1st, 1913	March 1st, 1933	32,000.00	22,000.00	10,000.00
March 1st, 1913	March 1st, 1933	17,000.00	10,000.00	7,000.00
March 1st, 1913	March 1st, 1933	50,000.00	30,000.00	20,000.00
March 1st, 1913	March 1st, 1933	13,000.00	8,000.00	5,000.00
March 1st, 1913	March 1st, 1933	5,000.00		5,000.00
March 1st, 1913	March 1st, 1928	9,000.00	9,000.00	
March 1st, 1913	March 1st, 1933	11,000.00	6,000.00	5,000.00
Nov. 1st, 1913	Nov. 1st, 1933	12,500.00	7,500.00	5,000.00
Nov. 1st, 1913	Nov. 1st, 1933	8,500.00	3,500.00	5,000.00
Nov. 1st, 1913	Nov. 1st, 1933	7,500.00	2,500.00	5,000.00
Nov. 1st, 1913	Nov. 1st, 1933	5,000.00		5,000.00
May 1st, 1914	May 1st, 1934	16,000.00	9,000.00	7,000.00
May 1st, 1914	May 1st, 1934	17,000.00	9,000.00	8,000.00
Apr. 1st, 1914	April 1st, 1935	12,000.00	5,000.00	7,000.00
Apr. 1st, 1915	April 1st, 1935	20,000.00	10,000.00	10,000.00
Apr. 1st, 1915	April 1st, 1935	11,000.00	4,000.00	7,000.00
July 1st, 1916	July 1st, 1936	8,500.00	3,500.00	5,000.00
July 1st, 1916	July 1st, 1936	3,500.00	1,500.00	2,000.00
July 1st, 1916	June 1st, 1936	8,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00
Nov. 1st, 1916	Nov. 1st, 1936	13,500.00	3,500.00	10,000.00
Dec. 1st, 1917	Dec. 1st, 1937	6,900.00	2,900.00	4,000.00
Nov. 1st, 1919	Nov. 1st, 1939	24,500.00	4,000.00	20,500.00
Nov. 1st, 1919	Nov. 1st, 1939	12,500.00	2,000.00	10,500.00
Dec. 5th, 1920	Dec. 15th, 1940	9,500.00	1,500.00	8,000.00
March 1st, 1921	March 1st, 1941	16,000.00	3,000.00	13,000.00
April, 1st, 1921	April 1st, 1941	24,000.00	3,000.00	21,000.00
April, 1st, 1921	April 1st, 1941	89,000.00	14,000.00	75,000.00
Feb. 1st, 1921	Feb. 1st, 1942	50,000.00	6,000.00	44,000.00
March 1st, 1924	March 1st, 1938	50,000.00		50,000.00
Total Drainage Ditch Bonds		$792,900.00	$350,900.00	$442,000.00
Trunk Highway Bonds:				
Sept 1st, 1921	Sept 1st, 1936	$ 18,848.00	$	$ 18,848.00
Road and Bridge Funding Bonds:				
Jan. 15th, 1923	Jan. 15th, 1937	70,000.00	16,000.00	54,000.00
Trunk Highway Bonds:				
Feb. 1st, 1925	Feb. 1st, 1945	18,968.19		18,968.18
Road and Bridge Funding Bonds:				
July 1st, 1927	July 1st, 1942	100,000.00	8,000.00	94,000.00
Total		$207,814.18	$ 22,000.00	$ 185,814.18
Four per cent County Bonds (St. Loan)		$ 35,900.00	$ 28,800.00	$ 7,100.00
Red Lake County Bond, Pennington Co. Share Balance unpaid				6,073.40
Total Bonded Indebtedness				$640,987.53

Abstract of Tax List of Pennington County, Minnesota

Assessed Valuation of Real Estate (Unplatted)	$ 3,057,960.00
Assessed Valuation of Real Estate (Platted)	1,263,623.00
Assessed Valuation of Personal Property	465,449.00
Assessed Valuation of Moneys and Credits	404,155.00
Total	$ 5,191,187.00
Assessed Valuation of Exempt Real Estate	$ 360,740.00
Total	$ 5,551,927.00

TAX LEVY

For State Purposes	$ 25,790.84
For County Purposes	96,708.65
For Public Drainage Ditch Purposes	57,618.43
For Township Purposes	30,247.80
For City and Village Purposes	62,898.33
For School District Purposes	136,733.18
Total Taxes Levied	$ 409,997.23

The foregoing Statement, prepared by the County Auditor in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, is hereby approved and respectfully submitted to the taxpayers of said County of Pennington, State of Minnesota.

C. T. THOMPSON,
Chairman.
EMIL LARSON,
ANDREW NESS,
J. S. ROY,
ISAAC E. WILSON,
Board of County Commissioners.
Pennington County, Minnesota.

Attest:
T. P. ANDERSON,
County Auditor.
(AUDITOR'S SEAL)

WORK OF VOLUNTEERS RED CROSS BACKBONE

Men and Women Who Give Services Aid Greatly — Surgical Dressings, Knitting, Sewing Still Carried On.

Thousands of women, who were first enrolled as Red Cross workers during the period of the World War, have never ceased in their labors for that organization, but still carry on knitting garments for disabled soldiers, making dresses and layettes for children and infants, and giving hours of their time in the various volunteer activities of Red Cross work. Volunteer work by men also plays a large part in the organization of Red Cross.

This volunteer work is the backbone of Red Cross. Fully eighty-five per cent of the service this humanitarian organization is able to render the public, through public health, American Junior Red Cross, service to disabled veterans of the World War, and the service men of the regular establishment, and its many other activities, must fall upon the shoulder of the volunteer worker. Not only is this true of the national headquarters where such distinguished volunteers are enrolled as Judge John Barton Payne, chairman, and Miss Mabel Boardman, secretary of the Red Cross, and Col. E. P. Bicknall, vice chairman in charge of foreign operation, but also in every community where Chapter chairmen and other men and women devote hours of their time to fostering and planning the valuable and humane work of Red Cross, so that it may be ever ready to serve in time of distress, catastrophe or great national emergency.

In the year just ended, 253,000 garments were provided by Red Cross Chapters, including 1,899 layettes with nineteen articles each, for use in disaster areas.

Women who rolled surgical dressings ten years ago, with the help of new volunteers, still carry on this work for hospitals in their communities, and for the Chapter's stock, where a supply must be maintained to answer emergency calls. In the year just ended, the women made 2,276,000 dressings.

No type of volunteer work is more interesting or meets greater appreciation from its beneficiaries than the distribution each December of Christmas bags—one of which goes to every service man in the Army and Navy stationed on a distant post. Each year the request comes for more bags, until for Christmas, 1928, Red Cross volunteers have been asked to provide 42,000. The bags, containing small necessities dear to a service man's heart, go to the Philippines, China, Guam, Nicaragua and all the distant ports where Uncle Sam's men are stationed.

Another service these volunteers perform, which has generally gripped the imagination of all who have come in touch with it, is the transcription into Braille for the blind of hundreds of books. Need of certain types of books for the blind first came to the attention of Red Cross through the blinded veterans of the World War. From work begun for the war blind with a few devoted workers, this transcription of books now is being carried on by 1,029 Braille transcribers, who during this year have hand copied 150,705 pages, and 348 titles have been completed.

Inventions by Women

One woman had the idea to make silver forks and spoons with a curving handle, which prevented their slipping into the plate, such a good idea that it is strange no one ever thought of it before. The traveler who finds his portable desk a joy has a woman to thank for the invention. A lock faucet for metal containers is an invention in practical demand for hotel storerooms and an important safety device. The same woman invented also a handy needle threader to use on sewing machines.

Gardener Lucky When Father Toad "Locates"

If a family of toads take up their residence in the garden it is time to feel that good luck has smilingly descended upon the place.

The toad is an asset. As a worker he does not believe in short hours, but is constantly on hand throughout the 24-hour day. He asks for nothing, only that he be left alone. And his presence means better vegetables and lovlier flowers and richer grass.

One joy in life is his—that of eating. He is at it so continuously it might be regarded as almost a religion. The biggest eater among the field hands is a novice compared to him. In 25 hours the toad will consume insect food of a volume fourfold the capacity of his stomach.

Variety is his long suit, and the majority of the things the toad loves are in their state pests of every man who puts seed into the ground. With few exceptions, everything in the shape of an insect goes where all insects should go—to a stomach oblivion. With the toad if it can go into the mouth it is edible.

Life on Earth Before the Cambrian Period

A picture of life as it existed on the earth 600,000,000 years ago has been drawn by Prof. Sir Edgeworth David, Australian scientist.

He has found fossils of animal life in Australia dating back to before the Cambrian period in geology.

Sir Edgeworth, almost by accident discovered in the rocks of Mount Lofty and in the Flinders ranges of South Australia beautifully colored fossils which, from the strata in which they were found, show that a marine fauna in the early days of the earth's formation had covered a million square miles of what is now Australia.

The fossil life thus represented must have crossed the Pacific ocean. Some of it consists of sandworms and of forms related to crayfish and shrimps. Their limbs and shells were formed of a horny substance, and the colors were those of the rainbow.

"I could kick myself that I should have overlooked this obvious discovery for so long," said the professor in announcing it.—London Tit-Bits.

Bolshevik Cruelty

The animals in the Russian zoo were singled out by youthful and mischievous bolsheviki for practical bolshevist jokes. They buried razor blades in loaves of bread and pitched them into the cage of a $15,000 elephant. The poor creature died in agony the same day. An ostrich dying mysteriously was found to have swallowed a leather glove. Some one reported having seen a youth throw a rubber fish to a sea lion. The animal died and the rubber fish was found in its stomach. Such diabolical tricks stirred up a hot public resentment and the guards around the zoo were doubled.

Whale Was Monster

The enormous skeleton of a 5,000-year-old Greenland whale has been found at Kistinge, near Halmstad, Sweden, by workmen digging a ditch near the seashore. A monstrous jawbone, measuring about thirteen feet in length, has already been unearthed. On account of its size it was first taken by the workmen to be a part of the hull of an ancient vessel.

The bone has been examined by archeologists, who estimate the whale to have lived at the end of the Ice age, about 5,000 years ago.—Kansas City Star.

East Indian View

The stricter code of morality applied to women is really a compliment to them, for it accepts the natural superiority of women. But the modern women, if I may say so, is losing her self-respect. She does not respect her own individuality and uniqueness, but is paying an unconscious tribute to man in trying to imitate him. She is fast becoming masculine and mechanical. Adventurous pursuits are leading her into conflict with her own inner nature.—S. Radhakrishnan in "The Hindu View of Life."

Bread From Peanuts

"If the general public were educated to the great value of peanuts as a food for human beings, the farmer in the South could grow more with profit," an expert of the Department of Agriculture declares. "A bread made of a mixture of 25 parts peanut flour and 75 parts wheat flour is a very nutritious and palatable food. In experimental feeding of rats, the bureau found that the rate of growth of animals fed on peanut bread was much greater than that of animals on a diet of whole wheat bread."

Business Men in Pulpit

A practical way of solving the problem of a shortage of clergy in London is believed to have been found by recruiting from business and professional men. The authorities of Spitalfields parish church started classes last year for business and professional men who wished to become clergymen. Three hundred candidates applied for the course. Sixty were enrolled and will shortly be ordained by the bishop of London.

Sympathy Invaluable

Sympathy speaks not only consoling words but takes the trembling hand and sends to the heart of the sorrowing the electric spark of courage to fight life's battles alone.—Grit.

Be a Milk Tippler, Says Dr. Schireson

Peaches and cream complexions of American women have their foundation in a milk diet, according to Dr. Henry J. Schireson, famous Chicago dermatologist and facial plastic surgeon.

Dr. Schireson.

Doctor Schireson has won fame by beautifying motion picture, musical comedy and vaudeville stars and many society women of America. He transformed Fanny Brice's nose, rejuvenated Eve Tanguay's face, removed sixty-four pounds of adipose tissue from Truly Shattuck in one operation, straightened the cross eyes of the leading lady of Singer's midgets, and has performed other corrections for making people young and beautiful.

Doctor Schireson has one infallible prescription for the attainment of beauty. It is: "One quart of milk a day, one hour of sunshine, and repeat ad libitum."

"Beauty specialists and cosmetic makers," says Doctor Schireson, "would be driven out of business in a few weeks if all the women of America would drink their quart of milk a day.

"Babies and children have complexions of angels for the reason that they are fed largely on milk. Milk used externally or internally is a beautifier. Anna Held, I believe, was the first actress who adopted the milk bath. While this was a novelty at the time, and her press agent undoubtedly made the most of it, the principle in itself was sound. But a beauty secret of even more value is the daily quart of milk taken as a part of the diet.

"The milk-fed girl is easily distinguished by the velvety texture and the healthy color of her skin. Milk is a wonderful body builder, because it contains every structural element. It is, in a way, an elixir of life.

"Authorities agree that milk is the most nearly perfect food but it is an extremely delicate one as well. Heat sufficient to kill all bacteria is the essential of absolutely pure and sterile milk. One of the advantages of evaporated milk, which is simply fresh cow's milk with sixty per cent of the water removed, is that it is entirely sterile and is more easily assimilated than ordinary market milk.

"Milk is mentioned forty-seven times in the Bible. The Promised Land of the Israelites was said to flow 'with milk and honey' and Ovid graded milk as second only to nectar, the drink of the gods."

RED CROSS NURSES AID IN HURRICANE DISASTER

In addition to their year around work in the Public Health field, the Public Health nurses of the American Red Cross have answered a number of calls to combat epidemics, and in disaster work during the year just ending, the Red Cross states.

Their greatest task was in the relief following the West Indies hurricane when 20 nurses were despatched to Florida and 32 to Porto Rico, to assume charge of the health work there. Epidemic conditions were especially grave in both places, and inoculation of several hundred thousand persons had to be arranged in order to prevent spread of contagions. Nursing the injured, the sick, aged and young and caring for the newborn were heavy tasks in both areas.

The Red Cross nurses also were called upon for work in epidemics in communities, including the serious septic sore throat epidemic in New England and a typhoid epidemic in New York state.

More than 580 Red Cross Chapters throughout the nation operate nursing services which they support altogether or in part.

BILL BOOSTER SAYS

Caloric Requirements of the Child

DIETITIANS declare that the average boy or girl of four years should receive about forty calories a pound of body weight per day. The average weight of a child of four years is forty pounds. Therefore the total caloric requirement would be approximately 1,600 calories. Calory is merely the name for a certain measure of heat derived from the burning of food.

Necessarily, the caloric requirement of the child is dependent on his temperament, since a child who plays hard and long requires more nourishment than one who leads a quieter life. Rate of growth also has a bearing on caloric requirements. The child who is growing rapidly should be given more food to meet his caloric needs than the boy or girl whose growth is normal.

Mothers know the daily diet should consist of the essential foodstuffs, protein, carbohyrates, fats, minerals and water. The important thing for her is to learn the foods that contain these essentials in a balanced diet. Below is a well-balanced menu for any child six years old compiled by an authority on home economics.

ONE DAY'S MENU FOR SIX-YEAR-OLD CHILD.

Breakfast.

6 stewed prunes	120 calories
½ cupful cream of wheat	85 calories
Served with half cream (6 tbsp.) and half evaporated milk	140 calories
1 slice buttered toast	150 calories
1 cup cocoa made with evaporated milk	150 calories
	645 calories

Luncheon at School.

Baked potato and butter	200 calories
½ cupful spinach	25 calories
1 baked apple (1 tbsp. sugar, ½ tbsp. butter)	200 calories
1 glass milk	160 calories
1 slice bread buttered with ½ tbsp. butter	100 calories
	685 calories

Afternoon Luncheon at School.

1 orange	100 calories

Dinner.

1 small piece broiled steak (2¼ x 2½ x ½)	75 calories
½ cupful mashed potato	100 calories
2-3 cupful lima bean soup made with evaporated milk	75 calories
1 glass milk, orange drink	160 calories
	510 calories
Total	1,840 calories

Children often become wearied of drinking plain milk. Mixing their milk with fruit juices is a welcome change. Following is the recipe for a refreshing milk drink: Mix ⅞ cupful orange juice, ¼ cupful evaporated milk, three teaspoonfuls of sugar, ⅛ teaspoonful of lemon juice and a few grains of salt. Shake well in a fruit jar before serving.

The Hotel Stenographer

By Roe Fulkerson

"KELLY, did you ever read the census?" asked the Hotel Stenographer.

"All right," laughed the House Detective. "Why should I read the census?"

"This is not a sell, except as it refers to women," said the girl seriously. "When they took the census of this land of the life insurance agent and the bootlegger, they found out that seven-eighths of the money left by married men in this country comes from life insurance and that only 7 per cent of the real value of human life is covered by insurance.

"Ninety per cent of men fail to reach old age with enough dough to live on and 19 out of every 20 die without providing for their families.

"So 8,000,000 women have to hustle for a living, 35 per cent of the widows in the world are in want and 90 per cent of 'em lack common every-day comforts. Eighty-two per cent of the children have to quit school before they get to the eighth grade.

"These facts and figures, Kelly, gathered by this great and good government, should be taught in every girl's school in the land until the time comes when guys who go courting with a corner of a handkerchief stuck out of their upper coat pocket, substitute a life insurance policy for it. The guy who leads me to the altar with my pretty blue eyes looking confidently up into his will have to show me a $10,000 policy before I move a step. He's got to give me his solemn vow without hesitation or mental reserve that he will get another every time the stork lights on the roof. Love is a fine thing, Kelly, but a life insurance policy is the gnat's whiskers when a man makes love to me."

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An oil suitable for lubricating airplane motors can be obtained from grape seed.

PITHY NOTES

Prudence is a feather plucked from some past folly.

Easiest and cheapest way to put on style is with clothes.

Great leaders are scarce because so few wish to be led.

Mobs are usually a criticism of the way the law has been enforced.

The sun shines for all, but the porter does it for a quarter.

All hardwood tables should have gloss edges for cigarettes.

Matrimony—one of the United States that isn't on the map.

The smaller the fish the more it strains the veracity of the fisherman.

When you lose money and gain wisdom by it your loss is your gain.

Happiness is in one's disposition; and that is not of one's own making.

Lots of men whom you can't run over won't stare you in the eye, either.

Time may mean much to us; but in our relation to eternity, why should it?

Universal brotherhood begins with some men by borrowing money of their friends.

Don't take a bull by the horns. Take him by the tail. Then you can let go without help.

If you must be either, be a turtle instead of a clam. Then you will have a little snap about you.

Lots of men would never be recognized as fools if they didn't fall in love and give themselves away.

Go back to the home town and reminisce with the old cronies—but they can't laugh like they used to.

If boys admire their teacher or grown-up leader, no other incentive is needed to make them imitate him.

Aviation Loses Place as Matter of Wonder

Aviation has reached the point where nobody is surprised at anything that takes place and the public seems rather to expect the unexpected to happen in the realm of aeronautics.

Wilkens and Eielson, roaring across the icebound Arctic from Alaska to Spitzbergen in 20 hours, and Kingsford-Smith, spanning the Pacific, from California to Australia in three space-annihilating leaps, have been able to hold their place upon the front pages for a fleeting moment.

In the early summer of 1927 the world went mad at the achievement of an unknown youth in spanning the Atlantic. Three months later the public had become so accustomed to transoceanic air conquests that the only way to create excitement was to fall in the ocean—not fly across it.—William M. Henry in Liberty Magazine.

New Zealand Fruit

New Zealand recently celebrated the shipping of its millionth case of fruit, the dominion's oversees fruit trade having grown from 1,236 cases in 1908 to 1,018,027 cases for the 1928 season. With the exception of shipments of apples or pears to Montevideo, Rio de Janiero and Montreal, all the fruit has been sent to cities of the United Kingdom.

Making Angling Easier

A recently invented fishing-reel automatically retrieves the line after a cast by means of a spring wound as the plug on the line travels through the air. The tension produced is sufficient to wind the reel again even after casts of fifty to sixty feet. A lever control releases the spring and stops it to prevent backlash.

Sailing Vessels Passing

Full-rigged sailing vessels, once the pride of Sweden's ocean commerce, are being driven from the trade lanes by steam and motorships. Only six of the old wind-jammers are in service and not one of the brigs is carrying cargoes where in 1905 there were 230 full-rigged ships and 69 brigs flying the Swedish colors.

Some New Ones

The vaudeville performer was cheerful about it.

"A touch of asthma is no fun," he stated, "but I'm getting off some notable wheezes."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Unfortunately Not

You can't choose your friends for their taste in interior decorating or refuse to go to Aunt Lydia's because her living room makes you feel insignificant.—Woman's Home Companion.

Couldn't Try It

"Did you try that recipe for wilted lettuce?"

"I asked for wilted lettuce at the market and the man got mad."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Entirely by Motor

"Did you complete your trip by motor?"

"Yes," said Mr. Chuggins; "part way in my own car and part way in an ambulance."

Dairy Feeds

We have a large supply of International and Northup-King dairy feeds in the 16-20-24-32 per cent protien content.

We also have bran, shorts and egg mash.

Use Mascot flour--It's all the wheat that's fit to eat.

Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

N. Benoit Local Mgr.

Wanted

Orders for seed wheat, oats, barley, and flax.

See us for prices on the above, and on any other seed you may want this spring.

C. Roe Grain Company

ST. HILAIRE, MINN

Arthur Hanson *Local Manager*

25 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sorsoliel came over from Bemidji for a visit with relatives.

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Mrs. J. L. Johnson and Mrs. Blaine re-opened the Home restaurant that week.

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Mrs. A. E. Anderson of River Falls, had four ribs fractured when crushed against wall of the barn by a cow.

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Gust Nelson started an order restaurant in rear of the corner building then occupied by J. J. Soll.

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D. Patterson was named school director to succeed E. J. Holmes who moved to Cannon Falls.

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Charley Julin came Monday from Tower where he had been working during the winter. Called home by illness of his father, he arrived too late to see him alive.

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John Julin died the previous Friday at his home in River Falls township. He had been a resident of this section since e885.

60-Year-Old Needle Cut From Man's Body

Clarksburg, W. Va.—A needle which was believed to have traveled through a man's body for sixty years was removed by physicians here recently. The patient is Porter L. Smith, sixty-three, Baltimore and Ohio railroad track foreman of Roanoke, Va. The needle, which his mother had told him he swallowed when he was three years old, wee removed from his right shoulder.

Library Notice

Due to big increase in number of patrons, and consequently increased time necessary to check books in and out, library hours will hereafter be from 2:00 to 5:00 p. m. on Fridays and Saturdays. Those who have books now overdue, are asked to bring them in, remembering there is a charge of 2 cents per day for rent of books kept more than 7 or 14 days depending on the kind of book taken.

Mrs. O. Gunstad, Librarian

State Foreclosed Farms

For sale 3 1-8 per cent down; 33 years to pay. Send for list of county you are interested in. DEPARTMENT of RURAL CREDIT 610 Hamm Bldg., St. Paul, Minn. M-7-28.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Mental Exercise

Brains were mode to think with. Exercise them and nat altogether the arms and legs, merely. Is there no mental term to correspond with "athletics"?—Exchange.

Time's Changes

Before long the familiar names for the parts of a horse's harness will he as little nnderstood ae the greevee, hewherks and kneecaps of medievel armor.—Boston Herald.

She Knows Girls

A thoughtful mother is one who teeches her boy how to use a can opener, so he will never have to go hungry after he gets married.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of that certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by the Citizens State Bank of Hazel, Minnesota, a corporation, as mortgagors, to The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Indiana, mortgagee, bearing date the 22nd day of January, 1926, with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of February, 1926, at four o'clock P. M. in Book 76 of Mortgages on Page 188.

That said default consists in the failure to pay principal note of One Hundred Dollars ($100) due January 10, 1929, and the failure to pay interest amounting to One Hundred Ninety-five Dollars ($195) due January 10, 1929, and,

Whereas, The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company has elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and,

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred Twelve and 31-100 Dollars, ($3212.31), and,

Whereas, said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, which said premises are situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota and are more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4) in Section Six (6) Township One Hundred Fifty Two (152) North of Range Forty-Two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 168.57 acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof,

together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State on the 6th day of April, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars ($75) attorney's fee, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one (1) year from the date of sale. Dated this 11th day of February, 1929.

THE LINCOLN NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation, MORTGAGEE.

R. V. GLEASON,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
332 Builders Exchange,
Minneapolis, Minnesota.
F21-M28

White House Bachelors

Two Presidents of the United States were bachelors when elected—James Buchanan and Grover Cleveiond. During his first term, however, the latter wos morried to Frances Folsom, danghter of his former law partner at Buffalo. Therefore Buchanan, the only President who was never married, is known as the Bachelor President. He was the fifteenth President and was Lincoln's predecessor in the White House.—Pathfinder Magazine.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Mora—The Mora Business Men's Association has heen formed here with J. B. Vandermyde as president.

Silver Lake—Contracts have been let for the improvements to the Presbyterian church to cost $12,000.

Alexandria — Alexandria's sewage disposal plant has been completed. It was installed at a cost of $150,000.

Hastings—The Knights of Columbus here have decided to purchase the old Frank Yanz home here for council qnarters.

Wabasso—The Redwood County Tax Reductian League was farmed here with D. L. Crimmins of Redwood Falls as president.

Madelia—Motion picture performances on Sunday will he prohibited in Madelia, citizens decided at the annual election.

New Ulm—This community's annual automobile show was a success, being sponsored by local dealere and having a lerge attendance each dey.

Rochester—Georgs B. Hoffman, past master of the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., in Minnesota, died unexpectedly at his home here at the ege of 54.

Waseca—The campaign to raise the necessery fund of $150,000 to build a canning factory here, hes heen completed in less then a week's time.

Brainerd—Defeating a male opponent, Mrs. Klas Schon hes heen elected constable of Oek Lawn township in Crow Wing county at the annual poll.

Waseca—Arthur Alland is commander of a post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars formed here with 46 charter members. It is called Sweet Summers post, No. 1642.

Renville—Business men of Renville will meet at the Commercial hotel here for a dinner, the purpose of the gathering being to organize a civic club and elect officere.

Duluth—A $100,000 fire destroyed a Duluth herdware etore and the hotel next door. A transient fonnd his grip in the ruins with $500 which he had thought lost, intact.

Breezy Point—Claire Windsor, noted screen etar, will spend a part of the summer es the guest of Captain aod Mrs. W. H. Fawcett at Breezy Paint lodge on Pelican lake near here.

Fairmont—Hamlin Hunt, organist of the Plymonth Congregational church in Minneapalis, gave the recital at the dedicatian of the pipe organ in the new $85,000 Congregational church here.

Rockford—On the day his successor in office was being elected, Adolph Hohl, 69 years old, mayor of Rockford, died. He has heen mayar two years and was not a candidate for re-election.

Duluth—L. W. Emery, secretary of the Hibbing Chamber of Commerce, heen elected president of the Minnesota Association of Commercial Secretaries at a epecial meeting of directors here.

Winnebago—Zimmerman & Dahl, mercantile firm whose store and stock was destroyed in a fire two months ago, purchased the stock and fixtures of the Bah Wallece Mercantile company here.

Minneapolis—Value of Minnesota's merchandise exports fell aff $6,400,000 during the first half af 1928 as compared with the seme period in 1927, according to the figuree of the state commerce commission.

Graceville—R. C. O'Neill has heen appointed postmaster here. Serving as a temporary postmaster for a few months after the resignation of H. L. Day, he received word of permanent eppointment this week.

New Ulm—Dr. James Davis of the German depertment of the University of Minnesota has heen invited to give the commencement address at the New Ulm high school gradnation exercises in Turner hall May 31.

Brainerd—James Carroll, 96 years old, who traded with the Indians in the far west years ago, caverlog territory from Washington to southern California, is dead here. The hody will he taken to Bell Plaine for burial.

Austin—The Austin National Bank is making a survey here which may result in erection of a new four-story building to house the bank and the Austin National Campany, hecause of crowded conditions in the present building.

Minneapolis—Granted his first leave of absence in 10 years of service as pastor of Simpson Methodist Episcopal church, Dr. Roy L. Smith will make a three manths tour of Europe and Asia Minar starting June 10, it has heen disclosed.

St. Cloud—Joseph H. Coates, 81 years old, early resident of Sauk Rapids and at various times e member of the state legislature, Bentan county judge of probata and justice of the peace, died at a local hospital following an extended illness.

Jordan—Jordan is hoping to he chosen for the annual picnic of the Scott county farm hureau on Auguet 15 and the Jarden Commercial Club has named a committee of five business men to confer with the farm bureau on the propositian.

Faribault—Heralding the opening of a campaign for the development of the alfalfa acreege in Rice county, an Alfalfa day program will he given here March 22 under the direction of the Rice County Farm Bureau and the Faribault Chamber of Commerce.

Albert Lea—A trust fund of $25,000 to he used for a Young Women's Christian Association building, has been created by Mr. H. W. Jensen of this city. Under the terms of the gift, it is to be used for erecting and equipping a building when $50,000 more has been raised.

HAZEL NEWS

Martin Lokken Dies

Friends were grieved to hear of the death of Mr. Martin Lokken who died early Monday morning at the Physicians Hospital at Thief River Falls following an operation.

Mr. Lokken is one of the early settlers and the entire community is saddened by his death. He was a member of the St. Pauli church of which he was always an active worker.

He is survived by his wife and four daughters. Mrs. Henry Lappagaard of Thief River Falls, and Ida, Beatrice, and Margaret who are at home.

Funeral services will be held this week at the St. Pauli church.

Axel Rassmsson was a St. Hilaire caller on Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Olsen visited at the Ed Holten home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Alberg were St. Hilaire shoppers on Saturday.

Miss Hermia Saastad spent the week-end at her parental home at Holt.

Misses Hannah and Esther Schoberg visited at the Ole Odegaard home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Finstad visited at the Carl Alberg home on Thursday.

Miss Ida Lokken who has been employed in Rochester returned to her home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Denhart visited at the C. Prestby home on Monday evening.

Hjlmer Bergh came Tuesday from his farm east of Hazel to be employed by Ole Mattson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard and Gladys Vigness were St. Hilaire callers on Tuesday.

Misses Hermia Saastad and Dorothy Olsen visited at the Oscar Seeland home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Alberg visited at the Eli Peterson home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Peterson and children visited at the Oscar Seeland home Saturday evening.

Mesdame A. Anderson, O. Seeland, and E. Holten called at the Ole Odegaard home on Friday.

Helen, Lillian, and Gladys Alberg visited at the B. T. Johnson home on Saturday afternoon.

J. Erlandson of Hallock visitd at the Adrian Anderson home on Thursday.

Mrs. Ed Knutson assisted Ole Mattson in the store on Saturday during the absence of Mr. Wedul.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Melvie and children visited with relatives at New Folden on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Seeland, and son Omar, and Ethel May Carlsness visited at the Sherva home in St. Hilaire on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lappagaard of Thief River Falls came Friday morning to visit at the M. Lokken home.

E. N. Melvie, local buttermaker and Anton Peterson attended the Land O'Lakes Creamery meeting at Minneapolis on Tuesday.

Pete Nelson who has received medical attention at Rochester for the past two weeks returned to his home on Thursday.

Miss Anna Alberg returned Friday from Thief River where she has spent a few days visiting with friends.

Hjlmer Bergh, Ole Mattson, and Mr. and Mrs. Arnt Wedul visited at the Ed Knutson home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnt Wedul and little son visited at the former's parents home near Plummer on Saturday.

Carl, Hjalmer, and Selma Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Roese and children visited at the Henry Sandberg home on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Prestby and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard and children, and Mr. W. Denhart visited at the Carl Presthy home on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Alice Stapleton, instructor of the Teachers' Training Department at Thief River, and Supt. Geo. Gunderson visited at the Hazel school Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lappagaard and son, Ida Lokken, Mrs. Ed Holten and daughter, Inez, and Mrs. Ole Thune visited at the Adrian Anderson home on Friday.

Mr. Carl Alberg, Margaret Lokken and Mr. and Mrs. H. Lappagaard autoed to Thief River Falls early Monday morning, being called due the condition of Martin Lokken, who underwent an operation at the Peysician's Hospital on Friday. Shortly after their arrival Mr. Lokken passed away.

NAVAL OFFICERS ARE KEPT BUSY BY FREAK QUESTIONS

Inquiries Put Light and Laughter Into Mail of Intelligence Office.

Washington.—"Will yoo please tell me the secret war plans of the United States navy? If you will, I promise not to tell onybody else."

This question, which reached the information section of the office of navol intelligence the other doy, is typicol, so the officers of that division soy, of inquiries which put light and laughter into their dolly moll.

To the office of novol intelligence, known familiorly omong novol men as the O. N. I., falls the job of replying to civilians who write Secretary Wilhur to osk a thousond and one questions about the ships, plans, personnel, ond history of the United Stotes oavy.

The O. N. I. is frequently colled on to settle hets an naval questians.

"Two of us, A ond B," some one wrote recently, "have up a bet on cruiser speed. A soys a cruiser con make 45 miles per hour. B soys 40. Will you tell ns who is right?" So ron a letter which come to the O. N. I. recently.

Still anather correspondent sought to make Secretary Wilhur a party to a joke.

"A friend of mine and I," he wrate, "have heen kidding a third persou hy telling him a scont cruiser can make 50 miles per haur. Will you send us a letter saying we are right?"

The O. N. I. replied that only correct information conld he given ont. The maximum speed of Americon scout cruisers is arauod 34 knots, or 39.1 etatute miles.

Bnt all letters, serious or ludicrous, which come to the O. N. I. are answered. When possihle end permissible the desired information is given, or the inquirer is referred to some other sonrce.

Farm Woman Wins Seat in State Senate

Hartford, Conn.—Miss Mary B. Weaver, who mauagee her own extensive farm, Candlewoad, in New Milford, is the one woman senator in the Connecticut generol assemhly.

Miss Weaver is not, however, new to political office. She has served three times in the state hoose of representatives, is well trained in legislative procednre and committee work, can dehote on the floor and run a committee at pnhlic hearings.

She summarizes her view of women in politics thus:

"Women are still pioneers in the political field. Nevertheless, they are slowly hnt surely taking their place in the political world. Already they have aided constructive legislation."

Decides on Raise

New York.—John Buggy was in court because he had given his wife only 5 cents a day since New Year's. After remarks hy the court and reflection, he paid her $100 and agreed to raise the 35 cents a week to $16.

Auto Overhauling

This is the best time of the year to have your car overhauled and put in shape for use next spring.

I have facilities for doing this work, and am making special prices for it during the winter months.

Grease-Oil-Gas-Storage

Store your car in my heated garage. A phone call will bring it, properly greased, filled with oil and gas, ready for use. Repairs of all kinds given prompt attention.

ED ENGH
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Your Easter Suit

Have your Easter suit tailored to measure. The time to do it is now.

Come in and see what $25.00 will buy. A tailored suit, from pure virgin wool—50 different fabrics to select from, and guaranteed to fit perfectly.

Also a large selection of splendid patterns at $35.00 a suit.

Come in and look these over—they are real values.

M. H. JACKSON
General Merchandise
ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

Try Our Lunches

This cafe is ready and willing to serve you with wholesome home cooked meals and lunches—the kind you like.

We also carry soft drinks, cigars and tobacco for convenience of our customers.

HEATED ROOMS IN CONNECTION

Blue Parrot Inn

Sounds Practical

"Child Injured by Washing Machine."—News headline. We did not know that device was designed to wash kids, but the idea sounds attractive, especially if there's an attachment to it to isunder ears.—New Orleans Times-Picayune.

Protested Stamp Act

The stamp act was passed by the British parliament on January 10, 1765. Under this law, the Colonists were compelled to place stamps on all commercial and legal documents. It was repealed in 1766, however, when the Colonists protested.

Lofty Cliff

The Island of Foula (from the Norse, meaning "bird island"), the most westerly of the Shetland isles, is said to have the highest cliff in Britain—a sheer drop of 1,220 feet to the sea. There is only one landing place on the island, and that is in the village of Ham.

Bears and Horses

Bears weigh about as much as light horses. Light or race horses vary in weight from 850 to 1,300 pounds, and heavy or draft horses average from 1,700 to 2,000 pounds. Bears vary from less than 700 to more than 1,000 pounds.

FLOOD WATERS MAROON 15,000

150 Are Reported Drowned, Reports State With 500 Rescued.

Atlanta—Swollen far beyond their banks by torrential rains, a dozen rivers and many creeks have spread over scores of square miles in three southern states. The waters have inundated half a dozen or more towns, isolated a score of others, marooned at least 15,000 persons and paralyzed rail and highway traffic. In Alabama at least 1,500 persons were marooned at Elba; unconfirmed reports said 150 had drowned; four were known dead and many others were reported missing. Hundreds of square miles were under water with a half dozen towns inundated. In Georgia, several towns in the southwestern part of the state were inundated, but no loss of life was reported. In Pennsylvania, rivers in the central and western parts of the state were rising rapidly, endangering several towns. In Wisconsin, many rivers were out of their banks, but the situation was slightly improved. In Tennessee, observers reported that the situation on the Mississippi was "not encouraging." In Illinois, the Ohio river at Cairo inundated lowlands, causing many to flee. In Northwest Florida, that strip of the state along the Gulf of Mexico below Alabama, also was in the grip of the spreading waters. At Carryville, a mill town of 1,500 population, on the Choctawhatchee river, the inhabitants were evacuating to Bonifay before a predicted crest of more than the 22.9 feet record established last year. Flood stage at Bonifay is 12 feet. The river is rising rapidly and was expected to leave its banks in a short time. The Red Cross has rushed aid as additional disaster is found.

Newton Is President's Aid.

Washington—Representative Walter N. Newton, member of congress from Minneapolis, made the great decision of his career. He accepted an invitation from President Hoover, personally extended, to become secretary, the third one in the White House administrative organization. Mr. Newton will resign his place as member of congress from the Minneapolis district, and embark upon an entirely new career shortly. Instead of one secretary to the President, as has been the practice, President Hoover will have three secretaries, and equal in power and standing. George E. Akerson of Minneapolis, already has been chosen for one of these places, Lawrence Richey holding the other place and Mr. Newton being the third to accept such an appointment.

Police Seize Rum for Siam Legation.

Washington—A truck load of liquor for the Siamese legation was seized by Washington police and the truck driver, who was not a member of the legation, was arrested. The consignment of 60 cases later was delivered to the legation by police under supervision of a revenue officer. Luang Chara indicated the legation would report the matter to the department.

Dry Law Attack in Rhode Island.

Providence—Renewal of Rhode Island's struggle against the eighteenth amendment, on different grounds from a similar fight in 1921, is forecast in the introduction in the general assembly of a resolution directing the state attorney general to seek a ruling from the supreme bench on whether the amendment ever had been validly enacted.

Foch Doctors Reveal Alarm.

Paris—For the first time in more than a fortnight the physicians attending Marshal Ferdinand Foch were so concerned over his condition that they decided to give newspaper men official information. When the physicians visited the former generalissimo they found him "very tired in heart, and body and mind."

President to Make First Speech in N.Y.

Washington — President Hoover's first address since his inauguration will be delivered at the annual Associated Press luncheon to be held in New York city on April 22. This was made known after Frank B. Noyes, president of the Associated Press had called on the President at the White House.

Officer, "Mistaken for Husband," Shot.

Chicago — Mrs. Victoria Tultrio didn't mean to shoot at truant officer Thomas McCarthy. "I thought it was my husband," she told the judge in explaining her reception of the official who had come to learn why her daughter hadn't been attending school. She was freed.

Tax Collections Exceed $1,624,174,126.

Washington—Last minute collections were expected by treasury department officials to boost the fiscal year income tax receipts, as of March 31, above the $1,624,174,196, which had been paid in over the same period a year ago.

1,200 Buildings Burned in Japan.

Tokio—Twelve hundred buildings at Isioka, have been completely burned to the ground and troops aided the firemen in battling the blazes. The postoffice was one of the buildings burned.

21 Seek to End Lives in Vienna.

Vienna—Twenty-one persons have attempted suicide in this city because of poverty, unemployment or blighted love. Nine of them succeeded and the others are in critical condition.

Improving Stanley

By JANE OSBORN

MOLLIE TRAYNOR never left the office in company with Stanley Hicks nor did she consent to talk to him on any matters that were not of a strictly business nature within office hours. The young men who were seen to have their minds on personal and social matters during business hours didn't stand a good chance of advancement in the firm of Brooks & Smith. But the noon hour was their own and two or three times a week Mollie consented to meet Stanley on the corner and go with him to luncheon. Mollie never permitted herself to discuss with Stanley matters of a more or less confidential nature with which she was acquainted as private secretary for Mr. Brooks. That is, she had never done so until a certain day in late summer when Mr. Brooks was away on his vacation.

That day she appeared at luncheon with a large envelope in her hand, and before she showed Stanley the clippings it contained she told him that she had reason to suspect that he was in a line for a big chance in the autumn.

"If that's the case, then, Mollie, my dear, Mr. Brooks will have to be looking for another secretary. It's all we're waiting for now."

Mollie's smile assured Stanley that she had had no change of heart—still there were other matters to discuss at present. "Mind you," she said, "I didn't say positively that you were going to get this promotion—only I know that Mr. Brooks is thinking of taking you with him on his western trip. If you go you'll have to meet the members of the western firm. Mr. Brooks will probably have you put up at the same hotel and there will be important business lunches and dinners—and you'll be asked to the country club and things like that, don't you know?"

"I'll bear that in mind," said Stanley. "But why all the clippings, Mollie, my dear?"

"I've been saving them for you," she said. "I am so anxious to have you succeed and—just see what this one says." Mollie opened one of the clippings. "This young man had never been to college or anything and some one told him about this set of books that contains all the world's best literature. He read it nights and learned a lot of appropriate questions and—then when he was asked to dinner at the home of his rich employer he simply amazed everyone with the way he could talk. Now he is a member of the firm. And this young man, that it tells about in another clipping, joined a club that sent him all the most-talked-about new books. He read them and then when he went out socially he always made a hit with his chatter."

Stanley, seeing that Molly wanted him to take her seriously, asked: "Which proposition do you think I ought to begin on?"

"Well, perhaps you'd better begin on the set of books and read what you can and learn the quotations so if you go in the autumn with Mr. Brooks you'll feel in a way prepared. The other night when you were with Uncle Jed he was delighted with the way you could talk about potato crops and fertilizers and the cider mill and all—only you've got to remember that while you were just struggling along helping your father on the farm these other men you'll be likely to meet were getting wonderful college educations."

Two months later Stanley Hicks went West with Mr. Brooks, and one Monday morning six weeks later Mr. Brooks stepped briskly into his office.

"We've had a great trip," he told Mollie as he took his seat before his desk. "That young fellow Hicks—well, you were right. I never would have thought he had so much to him. He always seemed unsocial and too taken up with his own particular job here in the office. But, boy! Out there he certainly made a hit. We had a big dinner one night out at the country club. Invited a couple of men we were trying to put a big contract through with—and he had 'em fairly hypnotized. They told me later that the reason they signed up was on account of Hicks—"

"And what did Mr. Hicks talk about?" asked Mollie.

"Well, somehow we got to talking about applejack and he got telling about the rubes he knew when he was a boy—and how they used to drink applejack, and it was better than a three-ring circus. Then after dinner we egged him on and he gave us the funniest talk you ever heard about an old-fashioned pig sticking and how they made sausages. He could take off those old country characters until you felt they were right there. Well, there was a couple of young college graduates there who'd been trying to get next to these big men on account of belonging to the same fraternity. Well, they had to sit back and take notice. Later one of the men told him that he ought to go on the stage—doing impersonating—but Hicks told them that if he had a chance to make good with Brooks & Smith there wasn't any contract in the world that would tempt him to do anything else. So I signed up with Hicks the very next day. Three times what he was getting with a profit-sharing clause besides. He seemed tickled to death, because he's got a girl he's planning to take for his wife as soon as he gets back."

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Custom Hatching

Owing to lack of time because of having taken on other work, the St. Hilaire Hatchery will not take orders for baby chicks this season, but will do custom hatching at 4 cents per egg.

Will have some White Leghorn and also some White Wyandotte eggs from prize winning stock, for sale to those who wish to buy eggs

Mrs. O. A. HOLMES
2 miles northeast of ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

LOCALS

Third Annual Auto Show

Norwestern Minnesota's Third Annual Auto Show opens at Thief River today and continues until Saturday night. A style show, band concerts, dancing, vaudeville as well as numerous other forms of entertainment has been provided for the occasion. All new models of the different cars sold in in this territory will be on display at the Show.

Felix Grandbois and G. Bergland, president and manager, respectively, of the creamery, returned Saturday after attending a meeting of the Land O'Lakes Creameries, Inc., at Minneapolis. The local creamery which has had the record for efficiency several times in the 17th district, just missed getting that honor again this time. Both gentlemen report a very interesting and instructive meeting at Minneapolis.

Tires Cost 1-17th of Cent Per Mile

Washington, D. C.—The average automobile owner pays one-seventeenth of a cent for every tire-mile.

This per mile cost of tires, based on information collected each year by the research department of the American Automobile association, compares favorably with a cost of 1 cent a mile in 1913 to indicate the advances made in the development of the tire industry.

Three developments the last year are held responsible for part of the reduction—the British government lifted its six-year restriction on the exportation of crude rubber from the Far East rubber plantations under British rule; the American manufacturers succeeded in developing a line of "super" tires, and the rubber manufacturers formed the Rubber Institute, Inc., under Gen. Lincoln C. Andrews.

The end of the curb placed on British crude rubber that could be exported from plantations to world consumers meant that crude rubber prices no longer will be held to high levels artificially. The restriction policy resulted in keeping rubber prices from 26 cents to $1.21 a pound in the intervening period.

Girl Hostess Greets Travelers at Airport

Kansas City, Mo.—Ruth Haviland, twenty-year-old aviatrix, is hostess at Fairfax airport.

It is her duty to welcome all persons who arrive at the landing field and she receives $100 a week.

Miss Haviland has a large motor car for conveying airplane passengers to their destination in the city. An airplane also is provided for her to fly.

"She won this unique job," explains Guy E. Stanley, president of the airport company, "because of her charming personality and courteous reception of transient and commercial plane passengers."

Miss Haviland is a licensed airplane pilot. She started at the bottom in aviation after a futile attempt to start at the top in a transatlantic flight. She was the persistent young woman who kept the wires hot with telegrams to Commander Richard E. Byrd when he was preparing for his flight to France. Her perseverance won for her the assurance from Byrd that if he took any woman aboard the America it would be Miss Haviland.

Such Is Human Nature

You can find ten men fighting for their politics to where you can find one who will go out in the rain for his religion.—Capper's Weekly.

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GRETNA GREEN RETAINS CHARM FOR RUNAWAYS

No More Quick Marriages for Elopers, but Averages Four Weddings a Week.

London.—Gretna Green, whither runaway couples used to fly from the wrath of parents or guardians, still has its attraction for romantic lovers. In fact, the smithy at Gretna Green has just completed a record year. During 1928 marriages were celebrated over the historic anvil at the rate of four a week, which is about the same average as in the days of yore. Five of the bridegrooms were Americans. The number of American brides is not on record.

But the days are gone since eloping swains and sweethearts fled northward, pursued on horseback, perhaps, by angry fathers and brothers armed with hunting whips, to get married quickly before vengeance could overtake them. Gretna Green no longer gives the protection to lovers that it did. No longer can a couple rush into the smithy or tollhouse, fling down a guinea and demand to be married there and then without any questions being asked. That was all altered over seventy years ago, when Lord Brougham's act put obstacles in the way of the matrimonial escapades of couples who sought sanctuary in this little town just inside the Scottish border.

That act provides among other things that a wedding there must be regarded as irregular and invalid unless one of the parties to it has been resident in Scotland for at least 21 days before the ceremony. The usual procedure nowadays is for the officiating blacksmith to ask the couple if one of them has complied with this stipulation and whether, if they are under age, they have the consent of their parents or guardians to get married. If everything is satisfactory, bride and bridegroom join hands over the anvil, on which a Bible is placed, and the blacksmith declares them to be lawfully married. It may be mentioned, however, that quite a number of romantic couples who go through this form of matrimonial contract prefer to confirm the legality of their marriage state by having another and more formal ceremony performed elsewhere.

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Dr. S. S. Houlton Dies Following Heart Attack

Dr. Samuel S. Houlton who came here last fall from Baltimore, Md., to practice his profession of physician and surgeon, died Sunday afternoon at the hospital at Thief River Falls where he was taken following an attack of heart trouble.

He had been unwell for about two weeks previously, and was aware that his condition was serious. He suffered a severe attack around midnight Saturday. When found in his rooms by friends Sunday he was in such condition that removal to a hospital was deemed necessary.

He withstood the trip well, and apparently was resting easily, but suffered another attack after reaching the hospital and died within a few minutes.

Altho Dr. Houlton had been a resident of this place for about seven months, not a great deal is known of his family history aside from that he was a widower, and had one son residing in Florida. He was a graduate of the University of Maryland, and belonged to a number medical societies back east. He was a highly educated man, well read, and had travelled considerably. His was a pleasant personality, and he had the faculty of making friends easily. He practiced at one time at Staples, Minn., but came here direct from his former home at Baltimore.

As Dr. Houlton's relatives are few, and reside in widely separated parts of the country, his last resting place will be here.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 this afternoon at the Evangelical Mission church, Rev. C. B. Dahlberg officiating. Interment will be in the cemetery east of the village.

Auction April 3rd

Henry Jacobson, who resides south of the McKercher farm southwest of here, is having hills made for an auction sale of livestock, farm machinery, household goods, chickens and other effects which sale will be at his farm on Wednesday, April 3rd. R. J. McKercher will cry the sale, and the Merchants State Bank will officiate as clerk.

Arvid Carlson of Middle River, and Tony Carlson of Holt, were down last week looking after business matters at their local branch of the Carlson Merc. Co.

Play A Success

The Junior Class play "Making Betty Famous" was presented before a crowded house at the Imperial Hall, Tuesday evening. The matinee performance during the afternoon was also well attend d. The young folks all took their parts well, and each act was roundly applauded hy the enthusiastic audience. A musical skit entitled "Hats of other days" given hy memhers of the Senior class as a between-acts numher, was also very good.

The Juniors realized a nice sum for their efforts, and proceeds will go a long way toward meeting expenses of the class at close of the school year.

Alstar Club Meets

The Alstar Cluh held a meeting Thursday to discuss projects and to make plans for the meeting which will be held Apr. 19th. Some of the memhers have already started their projects, and others are urged to begin now. If ninety percent of the members finish their projects hefore July 20th, a Girl's Camp and also a Boy's Camp will be held. A local achievement day is also heing planned.

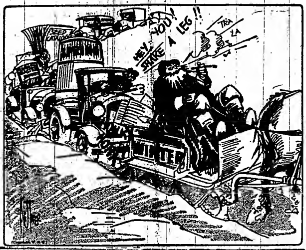
School Starts Vacation

The local school closed yesterday for the annual Easter vacation. Owing to making up time because of the school being closed a week during the winter, the Easter vacation is shorter than usual. School will re-open Tuesday morning.

A good deal of interest is being shown by local folks in the proposed reunion of the eight grade class of 1919 of the local school which is to be held here the coming summer. It is interesting to note that out of the class of 24 members which graduated in 1919, every member is alive. During a span of ten years, it seldom fails that one or more out of such a large number, would be called by death. As all members of the class are alive, and all plan to return to ther former field of study this year, the reunion willl be of more than ordinary interest to the alumni as well as to people of the village.

Work on the new feldspar mill a Warroad, which was shut down several weeks ago, was resumed last week and the mill will now be rushed to completion.

Holding Up the Parade



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

A meeting of the P-T Association will be held at the school building Friday evening, April 5th.

FOUND: A rear humper for large car. Owner may have it by calling on Tim Ensrud, St. Hilaire, Minn.

Buildings and roofs at the Central Lumber Company were repaired last week and put in order for opening of spring business.

Miss Huldah Gigstad, principal of one the city schools at Moorhead, is spending her Easter vacation at her home here.

S. Bergland was down Saturday from Thief River for a visit at the homes of his daughter, Mrs. M. Volden, and with his son, G. Bergland.

Henry Olsen is driving one of the new 1929 models of Essex cars. The car is finished in dark red, and presents a very fine appearance.

Funeral services for the late Martin Lokken of Hazel, were conducted hy Rev. M. Dahle from St. Pauli church last Monday afternoon, and interment was made in the cemetery west of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carpenter, who reside at Isle Minn. are expected up in the near future to spend a week or two looking after matters connected with their farm southeast of town, and also to visit at home of their son, Leo.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson, who have resided with relatives at Rainy River and Kenora, Ont., the past few years since retiring from farming here, expect to return here this spring to make their home. If a suitable place can be found they will reside in this village.

The Farmers State Bank of St. Hilaire has been listed by the state banking department to pay another dividend of 10 per cent to depositors this spring. Owing to mass of work piled up in the department it will prohably take up a little time before this matter gets attention, hut it is ordered and will come this spring.

By constant work by the maintenance workers on Trunk Road No. 32, the stretch south of town that has given so much trouble to autoists this spring, has been put in shape so it can now be travelled over without danger of getting stalled.

It will be noted hy their adv elsewhere in this issue, the Carlson Merc. Co., will have a showing of Easter coats and dresses at their local store Saturday.

Word has heen received by relatives here that a 7 pound daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Sig Engh of Minneapolis on Tuesday, March 19th. Mother and child are both doing well.

Mr. Gunderson and family who moved onto the Sven Benson farm last fall, have rented the Ira Carpenter place further south along the river, and are busy moving this week.

Oscar Kolstad returned home Saturday after spending a month in vicinity of Duluth. He states work is very scarce down there at present and prospects will not material ly improve until navigation opens.

A party from Rugby, N. D., has leased the Bjerk huilding and shipped in a big lot of fixtures for the place last week for the purpose of operating a lunch room and confectionery.

Last Friday was another exceptionally heavy day in matter of receipts of cream at the creamery. All available vat room was filled by noon, and station cans were hrot into use to handle receipts after that to closing time.

A program will be given by the Luther League and Sunday School Easter Sunday, Mar, 31st., at 8:00 p. m., at the Norwegian Lutheran church. There will be several selections hy the choir and also other numbers. Everybody welcome.

Charley Samuelson, well known farmer residing near Plummer, was in this village trading and looking after other matters last Monday. During earlier days when St. Hilaire was his trading point, Charley made frequent visits here, and is well known to all who resided here at that time.

L. E. Healy, special deputy examiner in charge of the Farmers State Bank, was here all day Friday looking after husiness interests. He will be here again on April 12 and 26. In May and June he will be here the second and fourth Friday also, but later in the summer he expects to make weekly trips.

Anderson -- Peterson

Yesterday afternoon at the local Swedish Lutheran parsonage, occured the marriage of Miss Esther Anderson to Mr. Arthur Peterson, the ceremoney being performed hy Rev. A. F. Nelson. The couple were attended hy Agnes and Edwin Anderson, sister and brother of the hride. The bride, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anton E. Anderson of River Falls, is a graduate of the local high school. The groom has farmed with his brothers in Sanders township for several years. Both are well known members of the younger set, and both have a host of friends who join in extending congratulations and hest wishes. Mr. and Mrs. Peterson will make their home the coming summer on a farm near Grafton, N. D., where the groom has accepted a position.

Return From Minneapolis

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson returned Tuesday from Minneapolis after escorting their daughter, Irene, to the new Ashbury Hospital in that city where she enrolled as a student nurse. Mr. and Mrs Larson made the return trip in less than nine hours.

Propose Testing Association

County Agent Roht. Douglas was down Friday from Thief River to meet with the creamery board in regard to a proposed cow testing association which he hopes to organize in this territory the coming spring and summer. Value of such an association is unquestioned, and the creamery board expressed itself as being in favor of the project if dairymen in this locality saw fit to enroll for it.

Pete Johnson, representing the Crookston Granite Company was here several days last week soliciting order for monuments for his firm. In anticipation that both the cemetery east and north of town will be cleaned up and put in order the coming spring along same lines as formerly, the Crookston Granite Company offers to spend up a crew on the days such work is being done, to straighten and reset such monuments as may need it. This work will be done free of charge and special attention will be given to those lots owned by people long since removed from here which lots are now neglected.

The Creamery List

Forty patrons of the local creamery drew checks for more than $100 each last week for cream hauled during February.

As will be noted hy the list, production is gaining now and will continue to do so until the peak months of June and July. Below is the list of all who recieved checks of $50 and more this payday:

Novak & Son	$288.02
Mrs. J. Thorstveit	236.53
C. H. Swanson	229.41
Anton Bros.	218.11
F. Ulrich	204.91
C. Anton	204.91
N. E. Beebe	195.93
Geo. Haupt	190.65
I. A. Rotzler	188.20
E. H. Stephens	184.71
C. Kruse	169.12
Mortenson Bros.	167.86
H. Jepson	160.98
Wm. Palmquist	152.81
R. Melin	151.03
Wm. Rinkenberger	145.61
F. Schmidt	138.40
Wahlbeck Bros.	133.02
J. Norman	129.60
K. T. Dalager	125.19
And. Ortloff	124.71
H. Johnson	124.35
R. J. McKercher	124.29
A. Husby	123.82
C. A. Lindquist	121.77
O. Larson	117.59
B. Johnson	117.53
E. Pearson	116.01
A. Johnson	114.30
C. J. Swanson	113.12
Fr. Bothman	112.56
Swanson Bros.	111.77
F. Anderson	110.77
Mrs. A. P. Anderson	109.10
I. Iverson	107.12
A. Swanson	105.42
J. Gothiea	105.14
J. Gunstad	103.46
F. Rux	102.99
B. Walseth	101.47

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Final meeting of the Dairy Feeding School series of meetings held here this winter will be held Wednesday, April 3rd at 1:30 at the Imperial Hall. With much improvement in weather and road conditions, it is expected attendance will be good at this meeting.

This office has several shares of St. Hilaire creamery stock that can he sold to creamery patrons at less than par value. This special price will be made only to patrons of this creamery, and preferably to those who have no stock now.

Safety---

Every action by the officers of this institution is determined by one one major consideration--

The safety of our depositor's money.

In all of our investments, in all of our loans we are guided by this policy--in order that your surplus money may be here working for you day and night--and that it may always he available for your use at a moment's demand.

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Pailing The Cow

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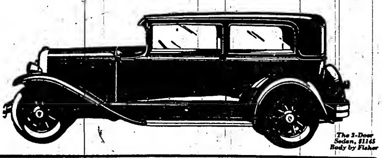

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MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Delano—A Lion's Club has been organized in this community with Bert Gilmer as president.

St. James—The Watonwan County Plaindealer, weekly newspaper here, plans to print an edition on cornstalk paper.

Rochester—The left eye of General Joaquin Amora, secretary of war in Mexico, was removed at the Mayo clinic here.

St. James—The St. James voters have adopted a proposal to issue $80,000 in bonds to build a new public school here.

Hastings—The railroad bridge across the Mississippi here was opened for the first time since last fall to let a dredge boat pass.

Rothsay—For the first time in history, the class which will be graduated from the eighth grade here this spring is without a girl member.

Mankato—The annual summer encampment of the 205th Infantry, Minnesota National Guard will be conducted June 15 to 20 at Lake City.

Chisholm—The body of Gust Rautia, who was caught in a cave-in at the Bruce mine here last week has been recovered by rescue workers.

Redwood Falls—Plans for the annual state Christian Endeavor Society convention here June 19 to 23 are taking form. Dr. J. P. Linn is chairman.

Red Wing—Utilization of power from the new Hastings dam for this community is favored by the Red Wing Trades and Labor council here.

Sauk Center—Tobacco growers and farmers interested in this industry will meet here for a conference called to organize a tobacco growers association.

Owatonna—Two Owatonna youths have started out on horseback to make a 1,100-mile trip through Minnesota, the Dakotas, Montana and Wyoming.

Faribault—The opening of the new Harvey hotel here has been set for April 4th, with the community invited to participate in the dedication dinner and program.

Winona—Construction of thirty-two blocks of paving here, to cost $120,000 is on the 1929 program. The city will also spend $100,000 in construction of storm sewers.

Little Falls—A tractor and mower have been added to the equipment of the Little Falls Town and Country club and will aid greatly in keeping the course in good condition.

Genola—A 30 percent dividend of approximately $17,360.98 has been declared by A. J. Veigel, state banking commissioner for depositors of the closed Genola State Bank.

Stillwater—The second automobile exposition of the St. Croix valley was formally opened by the Mayor. The show was participated by dealers of Stillwater, Bayport and Lake Elmo.

New Ulm—Paul Kunkel of Adams, Minnesota has taken over the duties of county agricultural agent for Brown county with headquarters here. He succeeds E. C. Lenzmeier, who resigned.

Minneapolis—A survey conducted by joint welfare organizations, under the direction of Dr. Greta Seham, has revealed that there are 904 crippled persons under the age of 21, in Hennepin county.

Kettle River—Bids have been opened here for the erection of a new school building for District No. 16. It is hoped that the new structure will be ready for use at the beginning of the fall term, September 1st.

Blooming Prairie—A registered Holstein in the R. W. Palmer herd of the Blooming Prairie Cow Testing Association led that group during February with production of 67.3 pounds of butterfat and 1,820 pounds of fat.

St. Paul—George McCullough, state game and fish commissioner, has stated that the muskrat season of ten days was a poor one, due to the heavy snow. However there were about 100,000 rats taken, equivalent to about $225,000.

Shakopee—A $70,000 school bond issue which was brought before the voters of this community, carried by more than a 22 to 1 vote. The bonds will be used for construction of a high school addition and also a gymnasium.

Grand Marais—Fire of undetermined origin, threatened to destroy the entire business section of Grand Marais. Within a short time, the post-office building and four others were burned to the ground. Loss has been estimated at over $100,000.

Albert Lea—The Business Men's League of Albert Lea made their annual dinner here a boost for home industries. It was attended by 358 members and guests and the dinner menu was made up entirely of products of Albert Lea and vicinity.

A move to speed up routine in the house was started by Representatives O. W. Kolshorn and Andrew Finstuen, in proposing special calendars of local bills on which there is no controversy. Each member will be entitled to place one bill on the list, to be passed at evening sessions.

Breckenridge—Colonel Edwin Matteson, 89-year-old postmaster, here, said to be the oldest postmaster in the United States, is dead following a brief illness. He was the last Civil war veteran in this community and had long been active in civic and political affairs.

Duluth—Thomas H. Hoban, former federal agent at Duluth, who was arrested in Minneapolis on a grand jury indictment, charging him with accepting compensation illegally while in the employ of the government, Saturday was released on a surety bond of $7,500. He will be tried here.

Dad Was a Good Adviser

By JOAN LATIMER

OF ALL the sweet and pretty girls in the little town of Brampton, Madge Hoffman was the sweetest and prettiest. And because she was all this and also had been to college and was the only child of a rich, retired farmer, she had more beaux than all the other girls in the entire city put together.

But in spite of the way that life seemed to smile at her, Madge wasn't happy. The trouble was this: The one man Madge wanted to see among her beaux wasn't there. That man was Harry Jennings. They had met and fallen in love while attending the same coeducational college. During their last year together they had made wonderful plans for their future. Then, quite suddenly, their dream had gone to smash.

One day Harry had come to Madge with an unusual and despairing look on his face.

"Madge," he said, "they tell me your father is wealthy and you're an only child and—and—"

The look of despair on Harry's face had deepened greatly.

"Don't you see what this means?" Harry had asked. "I'm working my way through college. I simply won't marry a girl for her money. And you can see what that means. It means I'll have to work awfully hard to get as much money as you've got. But I—I'll come to you just as soon as I've made enough!"

Of course there had been tears and pleading on Madge's part, but Harry had been obstinate. He had left college at once. Since that time Madge hadn't seen him and his letters had been infrequent.

This was the situation just a year after Harry's departure. And it was when Madge was feeling particularly blue about the matter that the following letter had been received from Harry:

"Dear Madge: It is evidently going to be a long and hard struggle for me to get together as much money as I should have. So I am going to pass out of your life. You shouldn't be asked to wait for me, and, of course, I couldn't stand it to have you support me. I've got a job in South America. I'm going down there. I'll be gone a long time. While I'm gone I hope for your own sake that you will be happily married. But before going I simply must see you again."

After the first ecstacy of their greeting some days later at Madge's home during the afternoon when her family were all away Madge began pleading with Harry to make a change in his plans.

"Harry, you've got the wrong slant on all this," declared Madge, with determination. "Since getting your letter I've thought it all over and talked it over with an old relative of mine who is pretty wise. And he says that the thing you should do would be to come here and go to work for my father."

"No! No!" cried Harry.

"Oh," cried Madge, despairingly. "I can't explain it to you as this relative of mine can. You come with me and talk to him. Please."

For a moment Harry hesitated.

"All right," he said sulkily at last, "but don't let your father know anything about me. I've never seen your dad, but I know just how he'd act and I couldn't blame him."

The office to which Madge directed Harry was old, but clean. It was comfortably filled with bookcases and filing cases and chairs and a roll-top desk. At the latter sat a stalwart, keen-looking, pleasant-faced old man with snow-white hair, but sharp gray eyes.

"Madge has told me all about you," said the old man. "I know just how you feel. I felt much the same way years ago when I married my wife. I didn't have much of a start in those days, and her folks were wealthy. When I married her I went to work for her dad, and believe me, I worked. I probably worked a lot harder because I had married a rich man's daughter than I would have worked otherwise. And I made good a lot sooner on that account than I would have done otherwise. Have you thought about the pain and sorrow you'd cause Madge by going away—by letting your pride get the better of you?"

A look of surprise and anxiety came into Harry's face.

"Would it really hurt you more to have me go away than to stay and seem to marry you for your money?" demanded Harry, gazing at Madge.

"Yes," said Madge softly.

"Then if you're the sort of man you look to be," said the old man, "you'll stuff your false pride in your pocket, marry Madge, go to work for her dad and prove that you are of the right stuff."

Madge, with her heart in her eyes, gazed at Harry.

"This—this relative of mine is old and wise, Harry," she pleaded. "Don't—don't spoil both our lives."

For an instant Harry returned her gaze, a great light in his eyes. Then he folded her in his arms.

"This is all very fine," said Harry suddenly, "but what will Madge's father say? I wouldn't blame him for throwing me out."

At this the old man rose and patted Harry on the shoulder.

"That's all right, son," said the old man with real affection in his voice, "I'm Madge's dad!"

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In contrast to conditions existing in nearby towns this village has but few unoccupied houses at present.

A few years ago no one would have thought such a thing would come to pass, but St. Hilaire is now in need of a graveyard for old cars. A number of descript old models now parked on vacant lots about town, should be taken out during annual spring clean-up and put somewhere where they would not be an eyesore on the landscape.

The proposal to establish motor freight lines thru this section in competition with the railroads, is one that merits serious consideration by all residents along the lines of railroad serving Northwestern Minnesota.

It is a matter of common knowledge that the railroads have had a difficult time the past few years to make both ends meet because of losing a big percentage of their short-haul business to private trucks. If truck lines are established to take part of the long haul away from the railroads, the result will be poorer, and possibly less frequent service by the railroads. Trucks can never displace the rail lines for heavy hauling, nor can they maintain the same schedules in all weathers and seasons. The railroads can maintain a complete freight service at all times of the year, whereas with truck lines the service may or may not be regular depending on road conditions. This section should consider the matter seriously before giving its freight business to truck lines.

HOOVER INVOKES THE ORIGINS ACT

The German, Irish and Scandinavian Allotments Cut by New Order.

Washington—President Hoover, acting on a ruling of Attorney General Mitchell, but much against his own will, issued a proclamation bringing into force on July 1 the much-controverted national origin quotas of the restrictive immigration act.

Only congress can prevent radical changes in the sizes of the quotas from most of the principal European countries, but there is evidence that the effort will be made at the special session beginning on April 15 and that the full influence of the administration will be put behind it.

Scarcely had the President's announcement of the proclamation been made, before Representative Tilson of Connecticut, the Republican leader in the house, issued a formal statement expressing confidence that if the senate adopted a resolution repealing or further postponing the effective date of the national origins provision it would "receive favorable attention" by the house before July 1.

Under the national origins quotas the total of new immigration would be 153,647, but the real controversy has waged not around the reduction, but the changes made in the quotas of Germany, Norway and Sweden, the Irish Free State, and England, Scotland, Wales and northern Ireland.

The total for England, Scotland, Wales and northern Ireland would be increased from 34,007 to 65,721, while the quotas for the Irish Free State would be reduced from the present 28,567 to 17,853.

Immigration from Germany would be cut from 51,227 to 25,957; that from Sweden would be reduced from 9,561 to 3,314, and that from Norway from 6,453 to 2,377.

HAZEL NEWS

Mr. Carl Alberg was a St. Hilaire caller on Tuesday.

Axel Rassmussen called at the E. Knutson home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Johnson and children visitrd at the Rupert Nelson home on Sunday.

Vernon, Ed and Lloyd Finstad visited at the Carl Alberg home on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. G. Bruce came Thursday from Argyle to visit at the O. Odegaard home.

Mr. W. Denhart and daughter, Mildred, spent the Sunday at the C. Roese home.

Andrew Nyquist, Ford dealer at Fosston, visited at the O. Odegaard home on Saturday.

Miss Myrtle Dahl spent Monday and Tuesday visiting at the J. Hogquist home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Theo Johnson and children called at the Jens Almquist home Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Prestby called at the W. Denhart home Wednesday evening.

Arthur Carlson of Oklee came Friday night to visit at the J. Gilbertson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnt Wedul and son visited at the latter's parents home on Sunday.

Paul Gilbertson and George Johnson called at the E. Knutson home on Saturday.

Misses Annie, Phoebe, and Mayme Anderson visited at the Ed Knutson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Prestby and children, Mr. and Mrs. T. Prestby and children of Kratka visited at the Carl Prestby home Sunday.

Hjlmer Finstad, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Peterson, and Miss Christine Hegrenes visited at the Carl Alberg home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Lokken and daughter, Myrtle came Wedneday, from Bemidji to present at the funeral of the late Martin Lokken.

Miss Hermia Saastad returned to Thief River Falls Friday after her two weeks of practice teaching in the Hazel School.

Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. O. Seeland, Mrs. O. Odegaard, and Mrs. Torstveit called at the M. Lokken home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Odegaard, Mr. G. Bruce, Misses Anna Alberg and Dorothy Olsen attended the Easter Cantanta at the Trinity Lutheran church at Thief River on Sunday evening.

Bids Wanted

The Farmers Co-operative Grain Co., will receive sealed bids up till 2 o'clock P. M. April 1st, 1929 at the Council rooms in the Plummer Hall for the purpose of disposing of the Hanson-Barzen Elevator structure. Bids as follows:

1st, Bid for the purchase of elevator as it now stands, or separately for a part, shed, office or main structure, with the understanding that it be removed from the Right-of-way during this summer, 1929. All machinery and scales excluded from the bid.

2nd, Bid for the wrecking of the main elevator structure, nails pulled and lumber piled on the right-of-way, provided the said elevator is not sold out for cash. A certified check for 10 per cent of amount of bid must accompany bid. Work to commence not later then April 10th 1929.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

M-21-28. H. H. Fredrickson, Secy.

Want Ads Bring Results

LEONARD HOLMES
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Full Line Of Funeral Supplies On Hand
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For sale 3 1-8 per cent down; 33 years to pay. Send for list of county you are interested in.
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610 Hamm Bldg., St. Paul, Minn.
M-7-28.

WANTED.—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

FOR SALE, etc.

For Sale:- One single gear and one double gear pump jack, both in good order. Call on
Ole Hagglund,
M 21tf R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

Three Oklahoma Judges Accused.

Oklahoma City, Okla.—Thirty-two articles of impeachment drawn against three state supreme court justices were submitted to the Oklahoma house by its general investigating committee. The justices are Charles W. Mason, J. W. Clark and Fletcher Riley. Mason, as chief justice, presided over the trial of Gov. Henry S. Johnston, recently ousted on incompetency charges. The articles drawn charge the justices with bribery, coercion, use of influence and oppression in rendering opinions of the court.

Stewart Will Head New Oil Company.

New York—The Herald-Tribune says that Colonel Robert W. Stewart, who was ousted as chairman of the Standard Oil Co. of Indiana early this month by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., was reported to have tentatively accepted the leadership of a new oil company which is being formed by a group consisting of a Wall Street banking house and western oil interests and that it will operate partly in territory served by the Standard Oil Co. of Indiana.

Dairy Feeds

We have a large supply of International and Northup-King dairy feeds in the 16-20-24-32 per cent protien content.

We also have bran, shorts and egg mash.

Use Mascot flour--It's all the wheat that's fit to eat.

Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

N. Benoit Local Mgr.

Wanted

Orders for seed wheat, oats, barley, and flax.

See us for prices on the above, and on any other seed you may want this spring.

C. Roe Grain Company

ST. HILAIRE, MINN

Arthur Hanson *Local Manager*

Custom Hatching

Owing to lack of time because of having taken on other work, the St. Hilaire Hatchery will not take orders for baby chicks this season, but will do custom hatching at 4 cents per egg.

Will have some White Leghorn and also some White Wyandotte eggs from prize winning stock, for sale to those who wish to buy eggs

Mrs. O. A. HOLMES

2 miles northeast of ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

THE

CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nslson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in local church at 10:30. Sunday school wlll be held immediately after services.

Service in Clara church at 3:00 P. M.

Services in Black River church on Good Friday at 10:30 A. M.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Friday evening at 7:30 P. M. we will have a Good Friday service We shall then celebrate the Lord's Supper, which is a love feast for all true Christians and you are invited to be present.

SUNDAY

Sunday School at 10.00

Morning worship at 11:00.

Evangelistic meeting at 7:30.

Y. P. meeting at the home of Martin Petersons Fri. April 5th. at 8:00 p. m.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor

St. Hilaire Lutheran

Thursday evening at 8:00, Communion service in Norwegian language.

Good Friday at 8:00 P. M., Communion service in American language.

Easter Sunday, Services at 10:30 American language, Norwegian sermonette.

Sunday evening at 8:00, Joint program of Sunday school and Luther League.

St. Pauli, Services Easter day afternoon at 2:15.

Ebenezer: Communion services Good Friday at 11:00 A. M.

The Spectator 1.50 a year

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default baving been made in the terms and conditions of that certain mortgage made, executed and delivered by the Citizens State Bank of Hazel, Minnesota, a corporation, as mortgagors, to The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company, a corporation under the laws of the State of Indiana, mortgagee, bearing date the 22nd day of January, 1926, with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of February, 1926, at four o'clock P. M. in Book 76 of Mortgages on Page 188.

That said default consists in the failure to pay principal note of One Hundred Dollars ($100) due January 10, 1929, and the failure to pay interest amounting to One Hundred Ninety-five Dollars ($195) due January 10, 1929, and,

Whereas, The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company has elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained, and,

Whereas, there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable at the date of this notice the sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred Twelve and 31-100 Dollars, ($3212.31), and,

Whereas, said power of sale has become operative and no action or proceeding has been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said mortgage, which said premises are situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota and are more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots Two (2), Three (3) and Four (4) in Section Six (6) Township One Hundred Fifty Two (152) North of Range Forty-Two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 168.57 acres, more or less, according to the United States Government survey thereof,

together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State on the 6th day of April, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt and interest and taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars ($75) attorney's fee, as stipulated in and by said mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one (1) year from the date of sale.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1929.

THE LINCOLN NATIONAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, a corporation, MORTGAGEE.

R. V. GLEASON,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
332 Builders Exchange,
Minneapolis, Minnesota.
F21-M28

Poisonous Lizards

The Gila monster and a similar Mexican species are the only poisonous lizards known.

Sympathy

A practical thought: Sympathy has saved as many lives as medicine has. —Atchison Globe.

Makes the Desert

All sunshine makes the desert.—Arab Saying.

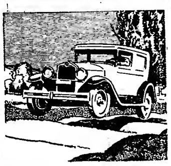
Mental pictures every car buyer should have

SOME DAY you will consider buying a new car.

Keep in mind these pictures made from photographs of scenes at General Motors' 1268-acre Proving Ground. A car wallowing in a sunken road with water over the hubs . . . a car bucking a long stretch of cruel bumps and potholes . . . a car straining to reach the top of a heart-breaking hill . . . a car doing twists and turns and other acrobatics that few cars are ever called upon to do.

Such are the tests given *advance models* of a General Motors car at the Proving Ground. The tests involve speed, power, endurance, braking, riding comfort, handling ease; fuel, oil and tire economy, body strength — every phase of car construction and performance. When every test has been met, the factory goes ahead and builds *your car* like these proved models.

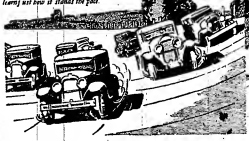
Keep these pictures in your mind. They will come in handy next time you are buying a car.

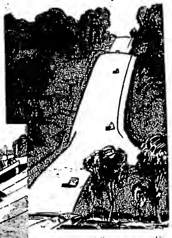


Rough going on a Proving Ground road, made bad to test various parts of General Motors cars under hardest possible conditions.

A scientific "bath tub"—not to wash cars, but to show the Proving Ground engineers exactly what happens when a car is driven through water.

On this four-mile test track the engineers can run a car night and day, at any speed, to learn just how it stands the pace.





Very seldom are hills as steep as this. The average grade of highway hills is seven per cent. This hill is 25 per cent and a car must be good to make it.

CHEVROLET. 7 models. $525—$725. A six in the price raoge of the four. Smooth, powerful 6-cylioder valve-in-bead engine. Beautiful oew Fisher Bodies. *Also* Light delivery cbassis. Sedan delivery model. 1½ ton cbassis and 1½ ton chassis with cab, both with four speeds forward.

PONTIAC. 7 models. $745—$895. Now offers "big six" motoring luxury at low cost. Larger L-head engine; larger Bodies by Fisber. New attractive colors and stylish line.

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OAKLAND. 8 models. $1145—$1375. New Oakland All American Six. Distioctively origioal appearance. Splendid performance. Luxurious appoiotments. Attractive colors. Bodies by Fisher.

BUICK. 19 models. $1195—$2145. The Silver Anniversary Buick. Three wheel-bases from 115 to 128 inches. Masterpiece bodies by Fisher. More powerful, vibrationless motor. Comfort aod luxury io every mile.

LASALLE 14 models. $2295—$2875. Companioo car to Cadillac. Continental lioes. Distinctive appearance. 90-degree V-type 8-cylioder engioe. Striking color combinations in beautiful bodies by Fisber.

CADILLAC. 25 models. $3295—$7000. The Standard of the world. Famous efficient 8-cylinder 90-degree V-type engine. Luxurious bodies by Fisher aod Fleetwood. Extensive raoge of color and upbolstery combinations.

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South River Falls

Ivanette and Evelyn Thyren visited at Herman Burstad home on Sunday.

Paul Thyren and family visited at the L. P. Thyren home Sunday evening.

Miller Peterson returned from Minneapolis where he has been the past two months, on Friday.

Esther Thyren and Nancy Hedlund have visited at the John Norman since last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hesse and family visited at the Herman Burstad home on Saturday evening.

Miss Martha Anderson, who teaches school at Moorhead, came to spend her Easter vacation with her sister, Mrs. Carl Swanson.

Victor Erickson and Andrew Nyquist motored up from McIntosh Saturday where Victor has been visiting with his brother, Elmer. Mr. Nyquist rerurned Sunday.

Winifred, Leoda, Donald, and Clayborn Thompson, Paul Gieseke Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ulrich and family, and Raymond Hesse visited at the George Hesse home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roy and children, Mr. S. T. Espeland and family, and Miss Cora Helgoe were guests last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson.

The Market

(Corrected on Wednesday)

Northern Wheat	$ .99
Duram Wheat	.86
Rye	.84
Barley	.47
Oats	.34
Flax	2.14
Eggs, cash	.20
Creamery butter	.50

Auto Overhauling

This is the best time of the year to have your car overhauled and put in shape for use next spring.

I have facilties for doing this work, and am making special prices for it during the winter months.

Grease-Oil-Gas-Storage

Store your car in my heated garage. A phone call will bring it, properly greased, filled with oil and gas, ready for use. Repairs of all kinds given prompt attention.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

Money Saving Prices

Jello, 3 pkgs	$.24
Hershey's Cocoa, large can,	.16
Frenches mustard	.12
Del Monte raspberries	.32
Corn starch	.07
Calumet Baking powder	.26
Oatmeal, Scotch Brand	.19
Wonder Poultry tonic, reg. .65	.50

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ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

Try Our Lunches

This cafe is ready and willing to serve you with wholesome home cooked meals and lunches -- the kind you like.

We also carry soft drinks, cigars and tobacco for convenience of our customers.

HEATED ROOMS IN CONNECTION

Blue Parrot Inn

LOCALS

Mrs. Arthur Hanson, who was operated upon for a sinus affliction last week at a Grand Forks hospital is much improved which will be pleasing news to her many friends.

Hilding Bergh motored over Saturday from Plummer to look after business at the local store of the Bergh Hardware Company.

Farmers in parts of South Dakota commenced work in their fields first of the week. With a few more warm days, plowing and seeding will be under way here also.

25 Years Ago

Algy Stranahan came up from Fargo for a visit at home.

—XXV—

Miss Carrie Dahl opened a millinery store in the building adjoining the Merchants State Bank.

—XXV—

O. H. Peters, manager of the Red Lake Falls Milling Company elevator at Crookston, spent Sunday here with his family.

—XXV—

The Red Lake Falls orchestra was engaged to furnish music for a dance to be given April 6th.

—XXV—

Julius Pleth, the land man, had several carloads of wagons, buggies and road wagons here which he had received in trade in a land deal.

—XXV—

Miss Selina Hoff returned home after spending a few days visiting with friends at Crookston.

—XXV—

Wm. Husman came came up from Iowa for a visit with friends. He was planning to move his bowling alley outfit which be had in storage here.

Want Ads Bring Resutls

2 Firemen Die in Peoria Fire.

Peoria, Ill.—Fire destroyed the Peoria merket, a four-etory hrick building in the heart of the husiness district here. Damage was estimatsd at $1,000,000. Firemen Tom O'Connor and Richard Teufel were caught when the roof end floors collapsed. Their bodiee were recovered. The night watchman, John Strayer, coald not be foand, and it was feared he had been hurned to death.

Guard Sinks British Ship; 1 Dies.

New Orleans—The British auxiliary schooner Imalone of Belize, suspected of heing a contraband carrier, was sunk off the Louisiana coast in a battle with a coastguard craft, and one member of its crew, a Negro seaman, was sither killed or drowned.

Bells Not Always Cast

The eerliesl hells were probably not cast, bnt made of pietes riveted together. An example is St. Patrick's bell preserved at Belfast, Ireland, which is 6 inches high and adorned with gold and silver filigree work. It is believed that it is this bell which is allnded to in the Ulster annals of .552.

Notes of Bell

A good bell, fairly etruck, ebonld give ont three distinct notes—a "fundemenlel" note, the octave above, or "nominal," and the octave below, or "hnm-note." Very few bells heve any two of these notes (and hardly any all three) in unison; the "hum-notes" being generally a little sharper and the "fundementels" a little flatter than their respective "nominals."

Scary Devil

The Africans of the Guinea coast helieve in a particularly hideous devil and that if the devil sees himself in a mirror he immediately runs away in terror of his own ugliness.

Power's Perquisite

"Power," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "loves flattery. The more undeserved a compliment, the greater its significance as a tribute of submission."—Washington Star.

Land of Stunted Trees

Trees more than 20 feet high are rare in Iceland, and the birch, mountain ash and willow found there are all of stunted growth.

Three-Latter Drama

The shortest drama that has ever been written is contained in one little group of three letters—"S. O. S."—American Magazine.

All's Not Gold That Glits

"Many a show-off," says Tom Turner, the town sage, in Farm and Fireside, "mistakes his brass for a sign of polish."

Marshal Foch Is Dead.

Paris—Ferdinand Foch, generalissimo of the Allied armies in the world war, died peacefully here. The man who led to victory the greatest aggregation of armies ever assembled, passed away quietly with his family about him and, devout Catholic that he was, with his mind and soul at peace after his last confession to his parish priest. He was in his 78th year. He lay at rest in the field uniform of a commanding general. The great marshal was given a national funeral, an honor which has been accorded to only five Frenchmen previously.

Dead in Mine Blast Now 46; 9 Missing

Parnassus, Pa.—Fifty-five men dead and missing with 42 bodies brought to the surface, four loacted in the workings and nine unaccounted for, was given as the toll of the diaster at Kinloch mine where an explosion spread destruction. Some 200 miners escaped several hours after the blast, gaining the open air through the Valley Camp entry, five miles from the main slope and one more man, Lawrence Althouse, was found alive in the mine. Althouse had been entombed 27 hours in a section of the workings which the fatal after-damp did not reach.

-: Big Showing :-

Easter Dresses and Coats

A factory representative with a full line of ladies' and girls' ready to-wear

COATS - DRESSES

will be at our different stores on the following dates:-

Greenbush,	March 25
Middle River,	March 26-27
Holt,	March 28-29
St. Hilaire	March 30

Come early and get first choice of this season's latest creations

Chic styles - Beautiful fabrics - and prices within reach. Be sure to see this display.

Carlson Mercantile Co, Inc

-: Five Stores :-

The Creamery List

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J. A. Anderson, 96.83, C. Zinter, 89.63, H. Holmes, 89.61, Sig. Vik, 87.94, And. Mortenson, 85.80, E. W. Swanson, 85.03, V. G. Brink, 84.38, E. Swanson, 82.94, O. Johnson, 81.73, C. Pearson, 81.20, Wm. Bothman, 79.57, C. O. Swanson, 77-36, D. J. Johnson, 76.60, E. Larson, 75.64, J. Sjoberg, 74.66, Johnson Bros., 74.08, Art Swanson, 71.92, Wm. Yonke, 71.63, H. Ortloff, 71.15 Erickson Bros, 70.82, Swenson Bros 70.62, G. Peterson, 66.71, L. Erickson, 66.67, H. Allen, 66.04, J. Almquist, 65.55, S. M. Sorvig, 64.24, J. Maakrud, 64.07, J. O. Peterson, 63.-27, And. Erickson, 61.02, O. Haugen, 61.58, Geo. Hanson, 60.60, A. G. Hallstrom, 60.01. Lars Rosette, 59 27, J. J, Larson, 58.22 , S. Skottem, 58.17, Phil Anderson, 57.52, Mrs. A. Aubol, 56.89, John Hedlund, 56.43, Joe King, 55.38, T. Sherry. 53.04, C. E. Naplin, 51.61, T. Mogen, 51.61, H. Starken, 51.26, Gust Larson 50.87, Ole Hagglund, 50.53. E. Hallemeck, 50.49.

Hay for Sale: Quantity of timothy and alfalfa mixed hay in stack 2 miles east of St. Hilaire. Call on Dan Johnson, St. Hilaire, Minn. M28-A4pd

Ed Durbin now has in operation at his place of business, one of the newest types of refrigerating machines. With greatly increased volume of business in both retail and wholesale departments, Mr. Durbin found it necessary to put in a machine to keep his products in prime condition. The Kelvinator installed seems to be doing all that was expected of it and is a very fine addition to the shop.

POTATOES FOR SALE Good quality Bliss Triumph potatoes Address A. M. Sorvig, Wylie Minn. M21tf

Religious Groups Unite

The evangelistic meetings held in the Evangelical Mission church under able leadership of Evangelist A. B. Ost of Minneapolis. have been an unusual success. The church was filled to capacity every night to hear this heaven-sent messenger. In this beautiful community the professing Christians have long struggled in small groups to bring the Gospel to their fellowmen. But Monday the Evangelical Germans, the English Methodists and Swedish Missions met in joint meeting. The meeting began with a season of prayer, and Evangelist A B. Ost was chosen chairman. All problems were discussed in a sweet, Christian-like spirit, and result was agreement to work together. The unanamously called Rev. C. B. Dahlberg to become their pastor. No action of any Christien group could have been more honorable in sight of their fellow citizens and more pleasing to a God who loves all people, than this action. It is their one and only aim to bring the true and living Gospel to citizens of town and community, and under the capable, consecrated leadersip of Rev. C. B. Dahlberg there is no reason why the project should not prove a success, and a great benefit to the community.

C. Edwin Anderson.

One Worry Eliminated

The heppiest people ere those who know least abont calories, says the San Francisco Chronicle.

For Your Scrap Book

It has been said that "common souls pay with what they do; nobler souls with that which they are."—Emerson.

Golf Ball's Depravity

How does a golf ball know where to land so a falling leaf will envelop it?—Detroit News.

Welcome Caller

One knocker that everybody likes is opportunity.—Indianapolis News.

Dairy Feeding School

Last meeting of the Dairy Feeding School will be held on April 3rd in the hall at St. Hilaire at 1:30 p. m. A great deal of interest has been shown in this Feeding School and there has been good attendance at these meetings. February 6th of last month was an exceptionally bad day and not as many were present as would have been if the day would have better.

At the meeting on April 3rd, Mr. Searles will take up breeding, reading of pedigrees and the different blood lines in the different breeds that are most popular today. He will review briefly the last lesson because many were not present at that time. In addition we will take up the matter of keeping records and Cow Testing Association as a means of improving production and feed methods. The average production of the cows in Minnesota is between 140 to 180 pounds of butter fat. The 36,000 cows in Minnesota in the Minnesota Herd Improvement Association (Cow Testing Association) averaged 280 pounds of butterfat last year. This is a good illustration of what is being done by weeding out the poor cows and breeding - selecting from the high producers. This can only be done accurately by keeping records on the cows.

The object in dairying is not to keep a lot of cows of low production but to keep a few of larger production. This means a better income per cow and a higher labor income for the time spent in this work. We expect a big gathering on April 3rd and everyone interested should come out and hear Mr. Searles.

Quite a number of people from this village and vicinity were at Thief River last Thursday, Friday and Saturday to attend the Auto Show and style exhibit. The show was exceptionally good this year, and the entertainment given in connection with it was very good.

Minn. Historical Society St. Paul, Minn.

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W. A. Arthur Is Dead

A telegraph message received here Saturday from the I. O. F. lodge at Monroe, Wash., to the local lodge, stated that Walter A. Arthur had died that day at Monroe. No particulars or other information has since been received either from the lodge, or family of Mr. Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur and family were residents of this village for many years during and before saw-mill days at which time they operated restaurants, and were proprietors of the Hotel Markham. After leaving here they operated hotels at Prince Albert, Can., Rose Lake, Idaho., Seattle, Wash., and last year moved to Snohomish, Wash. which has since heen their home.

Mr and Mrs. Arthur were well known in this village and vicinity when they resided here, and they still have a circle of old friends here who will be grieved to learn of the death of Mr. Arthur. Deceased was a member of the local I. O. O. F. lodge for over thirty years.

It is prohahle that word will be received from the family within the next few days in which case a more extended obituary will be published next week. Heartfelt sympathy of all old St. Hilaire friends is extended to Mrs. Arthur and family in their loss of hushand and father.

Leo King, son of Mrs. John King of this village, was made general manager last week of the M. A. Murphy Motor Company of Virginia, distrihutors of Oakland-Pontiac cars on the iron range. Leo was connected with the Reliance Motor Company, of the same place, for four years before his promotion. Numerous local friends rejoice with him in his good fortune.

Services will he conducted at the M. E. Community church next Sunday morning at 11:00. Rev. Edith Grays will preach; and, she wishes to announce she will have her Sunday School orchestra from Thief River Falls with her. Everybody welcome.

The local school board held a meeting at the Merchants State Bank building Tuesday evening.

FOUND:- Horsehide coat is left at this office. Owner may have it by proving property and paying cost of advertising.

The Ladies Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church served lunch at the Larson Bros. store yesterday afternoon.

Funeral Held Thursday

Funeral services for the late, Dr. Samuel Searles Houlton, who died Sunday, March 24th, were conducted Thursday afternoon from the Evangelical Mission church, Rev. C. B. Dahlberg officiating. Personal friends of Dr. Houlton acted as pallbearers, they being G. Bergland, J. A. Hansen, M. H. Jackson, Paul Roy, Ed Roy and Sever Skottem. Beautiful flowers, tributes of esteem from Dr. Houlton's numerous friends, covered the casket. Rev. Dahlberg gave a fine funeral oration suitable and appropriate for occasion.

Interment was made in the cemetery east of the village.

Here From Grand Forks

Mr. and Mrs. W. Jackson and son motored over Sunday from their home at Grand Forks and spent until Monday afternoon here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson, and other relatives. A. W. Jackson better known to his old friends here as "Alt", holds a responsible position with the Great Northern Railway Co., at Grand Forks.

The Walter Hilligoss family, who have resided in the village the past year, are moving to Thief River Falls this week.

A meeting of the village council was held Tuesday evening. At this meeting Tom Larson took up his duties as councilman to succeed A. Odegaard.

Library Note

The local branch library will be discontinued this week for the coming summer months. All patrons having books helonging to the lihrary are asked to return them at earliest possible date so shipment can he made. No books will he issued to users after date of this notice.

NOTICE:- Such persons as know themselves to be indebted for professional services to the late Dr. S. S. Houlton, are requested to call at the Spectator office and make settlement at earliest possihle date. Dr. Houlton mailed statements shortly before his death so his patients are aware of amounts owing. No further statements will he mailed.

One Ticket to Washington, Please

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Sam Person motored yesterday to Roseau to look after some business matters connected with probating of an estate.

Paul Roy, agent for General Motors products, reports the sales of three cars, two new and one used thus far this week.

Miss Gahrielle de Cathelineau, who teaches near Argyle, was home last week to spend her Easter vacation. She returned Monday to her school.

Miss Gunhild Nelson, who teaches at Wolverton, Minn., came home last week-end to spend Easter vacation with her parents, Rey. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson.

Theo. Ducharme and son, Louis, motored up Monday morning from Barnesville and spent the day here visiting with friends and former neighbors. They returned home that evening.

Potatoes For Sale:-Have a fine lot of Early Ohio potatoes for sale at 30 cents per bushel. Call on
Chr. Kruse,
R1 Wylie, Minn.

Farmers west of town commenced working in their fields yesterday. The ground is drying fast, and spring work will be general in this territory next week if good weather continues.

Miss Grace Dahle, who spent Easter here with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. Dahle, returned Monday to her studies at Concordia College at Moorhead.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jackson and son, Mr. and Mrs. L. Giese and children of Grand Forks, and, Mr. and Mrs. Myles Jackson were Sunday dinner guests at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson, last Sunday.

Mr. and Joe LaPlante and son, and Mrs. Tom LaPlante, motored up Friday from Crookston and spent the day here with Mrs. Joe LaPlante's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Wilson.

Paul Roy, local agent for General Motors, reports making sale of a new Pontiac last week near Plummer. As the deal had no tradein connected with it, and was for a cash consideration, Paul is still wondering if he will awaken to find it a or not dream.

Creamery Notice: After April 15, cream will he received at the local creamery up to 2:00 P. M., only.

A good old time program has been arranged for P. T. A. at the High School auditorium on Friday evening, April 5.

Regular monthly meeting of the village council was held at the president's office Monday evening.

Among numerous farmers from east of here who attended the Dairy Feeding School session yesterday, were John P. Johnson and John L. Larson of Mayfield township.

The Carlson Merc. Co., reports having a very successful day last Saturday with their Easter showing of women's and children's ready-to-wear.

Mr. and Mrs. J. LaPlante and son, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Wilson, Mrs. Tom LaPlante motored Friday afternoon to Thief River for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Giese and children of East Grand Forks, were guests from Sunday to Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Giese's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson of this village.

Geo. Biskey, Sr., and Fred Biskey are both owners of new Ford cars purchased recently from H. A. Olsen, local agent. The former has a coach and the latter a roadster.

Ice in the river channel between here and Thief River Falls commenced moving out last Thursday afternoon, one of the earliest breakups for many years. Ice below the old dams had gone out a few days before.

A successful auction sale is reported from the Henry Jacohson farm southwest of here where a sale was held yesterday. Mr. Jacobson is plannning to return to his former home in South Dakota where he still has real estate interests.

Miss Laura Simonson, who is employed at Minneapolis, came up Friday for a brief visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Simonson. She returned to her work Sunday.

She was accompanied here hy her little niece, Glady Stearns, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Stearns of Minneapolis.

Dairy Feeding School

The fourth and last meeting of the Dairy Feeding School which has been held here this year, was conducted at the Imperial Hall yesterday hy Mr. Searles of the extension division of the state university.

Due to roads being in good shape, and it being still too early for most farmers to start field work, attendance at the meeting yesterday was the best of any of the series. A brief review of the lessons given at previous meetings was given yesterday for benefit of those who had missed one or more of the meetings. The subject yesterday was cow testing for the purpose of improving production and feeding methods. Mr. Searles advocated weeding out low producing cows and keeping only those with proven records. Fewer cows of larger production would produce same results in income as twice their number of low producers, he said, and with less lahor.

County Agent Douglas has sounded out possihilities of organizing a cow testing association in this community, this year, and it is likely something will be accomplished along that line this spring.

New Directories

Manager Charles Kundert of the local telephone exchange, has distributed this week new directories for the local lines, containing the names of all telephone suhscribers on village and rural lines. As it expediates service considerably to have patrons call hy number instead of by name, Mr. Kundert has taken particular pains to have the new directory as nearly correct as possible. The new book is an improvement over any previously used, and is in line with Mr. Kundert's ideas of keeping the exchange up to date in every respect.

W. C. T. U. April 10th

A meeting of the local W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Harry Winter, April 10th, at 8:00 P. M. All interested are welcome.

Members please study Lesson No. 10 in the government bulletin.

Don't miss the good time at P. T. A. on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Everyone interested is cordially invited.

Several new advs appear in these columns this week. Look them over, they are all interesting.

Farmers State Bank Pays Third Dividend

Depositors of the Farmers State Bank of St. Hilaire received dividend checks for ten percent of their deposits, Monday. The bank, which is now in charge of L. E. Healy of Red Lake Falls as Special Deputy Examiner, has previously returned forty percent to depositors, one dividend of thirty percent and one for ten percent. When the hank closed in the fall of 1927 it had deposits of about $70,000.00.

In round figures, one half of that sum, or $35,000.00 has been returned to depositors, and the bank still owns considerable good paper and property. While nothing definate can he stated, it is believed depositors of the local bank will have received about 70 percent or better of their money when final settlement is made. The examiner in charge states there would be no loss to anyone if those who borrowed money would he as concientious ahout repaying as they were when borrowing. For the short space of time it has been closed, the Farmers State Bank has done as well as any, and hetter than a large percentage, of the closed banks in this state.

25 Years Ago

—XXV—

Fred Stapelton, foreman at the mill here, secured a similar position at Rainy River, He and family left for there that week.

—XXV—

Stockholders of the Merchants State Bank decided to huild a new bank building that spring. A one story hrick structure was contemplated.

—XXV—

L. T. Bergh, formerly engaged in the land business here, re-opened his office that week. He handled collections and insurance in addition to real estate.

—XXV—

Julius Pleth, the land man, was appointed by the Soo Line to handle their townsite at the new town to be restablished at Plummer's dam.

—XXV—

The sawmill at Thief River Falls commenced sawing the previous Saturday. A big supply of logs was on hand.

—XXV—

The little creek which runs thru town, was on a rampage that week. A couple houses near the creek were flooded.

Safety---

Every action by the officers of this institution is determined hy one one major consideration-

The safety of our depositor's money.

In all of our investments, in all of our loans we are guided hy this policy--in order that your surplus money may be here working for you day and night--and that it may always be available for your use at a moment's demand.

Our Savings Department Is At Your Service

Merchants State Bank

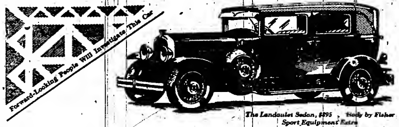
St. Hilaire - - - - Minnesota

Pailing The Cow

It is no easy snap for anyone that has to do it every day of the year. Anyone in the dairying husiness is entitled to all there is in it. In order to get this, you must sell your product co-operatively. In, other words, the more you patronize your co-operative creamery, the more you make. If you do not own a share, arrange to get one or more.

St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n

St. Hilaire, Minn.



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MINNESOTA BRIEFS

St. Peter.—The annual spring vacation of the Gustavus Adolphus College will continue until April 4th.

Redwood Falls—The petunia has been chosen as Redwood Falls' official flower by The Better Flower and Garden Club.

Hibbing—Stripping operations in the Mahoning mine here have been started. This is the earliest start in several years.

Renville—Stockholders of the Renville Creamery have voted to build a new creamery to cost approximately $25,000.

Minneapolis.—The body of Fred Schultz, missing since last November, was found floating in the Mississippi river here.

Hibbing.—A delegation of 300 range residents attended a senate hearing in the State Capitol in St. Paul to protest the per capita bill.

Clear Lake.—Farmers of this vicinity were feted at an institute and community day program, the sixth of a series in Sherburne county.

Blooming Prairie—This community had a rousing annual market day with an entertainment and a community auction sale as principal events.

Renville.—Albert H. Olesburg, disabled world war veteran, has been chosen scoutmaster of the Boy Scout troop formed in this community.

Brainerd.—About 250 Oklahoma Indians will have vacation in this Whitefish lake territory this summer, for which plans are being made.

Brainerd—Construction work on the Brainerd-Pine Beach hotel on Lower Gull lake will begin June 1. The hotel and grounds will cost $135,000.

Thief River Falls.—Fire of undetermined origin has destroyed the flour Company. The loss, partially covered by insurance, has been estimated at $15,000.

Mankato.—Funeral services were conducted here for Douglas A. Little, pioneer resident and for many years inspector for the state dairy and food commission.

Rochester—H. H. Saohit, dental technician of the Mayo Clinic and former member of the police department, has been chosen to be chief of police of Rochester.

Duluth—1,800 reindeer will be delivered to Northern Minnesota points by the Hudson Bay Co. for the establishment of a reindeer ranch in the Arrowhead country.

Brainerd—Two new school buildings, one with two rooms, will be constructed this summer in Crow Wing county by the West Oak Down town board and District No. 87.

Albert Lea—Approximately $5,000 will be needed for the necessities of life among destitute families of the Hollandale district before the 1929 harvest, it has been estimated.

Moorhead—This community gave a rousing welcome to the returning high school basketball team here. This team won the state championship in a close fought tournament over the state.

Fort Snelling—Fort Snelling paid the biggest possible honor to Marshall Ferdinand Foch when they fired 21 guns in honor of the dead marshal of France, by orders of the war department.

Minneapolis—C. J. Swendsen, of this city, chairman of the state board of control, has been re-appointed for his fourth term by Governor Christianson. Mr. Swendsen already has served 18 years on the board.

Winona.—The Winona factory of the O'Donnell Shoe Company of St. Paul has been closed for an indefinite period. Unfavorable volume of business was given by the president, as the reason for the shut down.

Blooming Prairie—A registered Holstein in the R. W. Palmer herd of the Blooming Prairie Cow Testing Association led that group during February with production of 67.3 pounds of butterfat and 1,820 pounds of fat.

Little Falls—Fines collected in Morrison County for game and fish law violations amounted to approximately $2,300. Under a new law, half this amount goes to the county, while the state game and fish commissioner obtains the other half.

Minneapolis.—The giant tri-motored monoplane, Patrician, one of the largest made in the United States stopped over-night here on its way to Chicago. This is the same plane in which Lindberg flew a party of 36 in Los Angeles last month.

Minneapolis—The 1929 Minneapolis opera season came to a triumphant close at the municipal auditorium Monday night when a crowd of 7,700 persons vigorously applauded the group of artists presenting "Lohengrin," the last of the four operas given here by the Chicago Civic Opera company.

Minneapolis—The First National Bank here and the First National Bank in St. Paul have joined in the organization of a financial institution to be known as the First Bank Stock Investment Company, which will purchase and operate banks throughout the northwest, which will be backed by their combined resources, totaling about $275,000,000.

Rochester—Dr. Russell M. Wilder, of the Mayo clinic here has been named chairman of the department of medicine at the University of Chicago.

Park Rapids—Automobile dealers here have formed the Automotive and Service association to supervise credit and give better service to customers.

Kenyon—Farmers of the Kenyon vicinity were guests at a smoker and program given in their honor by the Kenyon Commercial Club.

Fairmont—This community is first to report any 1929 seeding. Henry Hettemeir, farmer near here has seeded a field of wheat.

CALL FINANCIERS FOR FARM AID

Agriculture Groups Approve Proposal for A Higher Tariff.

Washington—Some of the country's best known financiers, business men and manufacturers, all millionaires many times over, were invited by the senate agricultural committee to give advice and assistance in solving the farm problem.

Telegrams were dispatched to a group, including Henry Ford, J. P. Morgan, Charles M. Schwab, Owen D. Young and Paul M. Warburg, asking them to appear to give the committee their views on the agricultural situation before the actual writing of a new farm relief bill.

The committee also invited Secretary Mellon, Governor Young of the federal reserve board, Chairman Lewis of the Interstate commerce commission and President of the American Federation of Labor.

The meeting, attended by representatives of the American farm bureau federation, the Farmers Union and the National Grange along with those of the other co-operative organizations, agreed to a program which contemplates four provisions of the present farm loan machinery.

The farm organizations also approved the principles of an adequate tariff on all agricultural commodities which would be benefitted by higher duties. A tariff on oils and fats from the Philippines was specifically recommended.

Bandits Rob Minneapolis Hotel.

Minneapolis—Three young bandits, carrying out a skillfully devised plan without a hitch, robbed the Nicollet hotel of $5,000, locked three employes in a vault and made a leisurely escape, using the same elevator car which took them to their loot on the third floor. They took the money from the auditing department, which is in the southwest corner of the third floor. Only for the fact that a cigar stand proprietor, going to the auditing rooms to check up his receipts, entered the place immediately after the robbery, the three victims might have remained locked in the vault over night, or at least for several hours.

Fliers Span Sea to Brazil.

Rio de Janeiro—Two young Spanish aviators have achieved the seventh successful crossing of the South Atlantic ocean by air. Captains Francisco Jimenez and Ignacio Iglesias failed to break the long distance record held by the Italians falling short of it by 800 miles, but they did bring to the glory of Spain one of the greatest of long distance flights. It was 4,900 miles from Seville, where they started, to the airport here.

Murder Plot Charged Against Governor

Baton Rouge, La.—Nineteen charges ranging from a plot to murder a state representative to malfeasance in office were filed against Governor Huey P. Long, 36-year-old executive of Louisiana, in an impeachment resolution in the state legislature. The resolution was presented after efforts had been made by the governor's friends to forestall it with a motion to adjourn sine die.

Snowslide Buries Bunkhouse; 4 Die.

Gunnison, Colo.—Buried under a mountainous snow slide, four miners were killed as they slept in a bunkhouse in the stormbound Henson creek area. It was feared others may have lost their lives in snow avalanches in the district. Two miners were rescued from a tremendous drift.

Tornado Kills Two, Rips Buildings.

Merrillton, Ala.—Two were killed and a dozen seriously injured when a tornado struck here, leveling more than 30 buildings over a five mile area. Two were killed when a church being used for a school, was blown down, one was blown a half mile and is not expected to recover.

All-Day Hunt for Missing Plane Fails.

Curtiss Field—An all day search along the Atlantic coast from Norfolk, Va., to Curtiss Field by private planes, army and navy craft and a naval blimp failed to bring any trace of the missing amphibian which has been unreported since it left Norfolk for New York.

Prince Carol Attends Queen Marie.

Dinard, France—With former Crown Prince Carol dancing dutiful attendance, Dowager Queen Maria of Rumania, her daughter, Princess Ileana and former Grand Duke and Grand Duchess Cyril of Russia spent time in sightseeing here and in St. Malo.

Hughes to Hear Lake Evidence.

Chicago—Testimony of Chicago sanitary district engineers will be presented before Master of Chancery Charles Evans Hughes in the district's fight with six lakeside states over the diversion of Lake Michigan water into the Chicago river for sewage disposal.

Four Dead; Murder Plot Hinted.

Toledo, Ohio—Mrs. Gaylord Stegar, 25 years old, and her three small children were found dead at their home five miles northeast of Maumee, a suburb, and authorities were working on the theory that they had been slain and their house set afire.

Bomb Blamed for Mine Blast.

Parnasus, Pa.—The disastrous explosion at the Kinloch mine of the Valley Camp Coal Co., which killed 46 miners, was caused by a bomb placed in the colliery, James A. Paisley, president of the company said.

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NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated November 7th, 1923, executed by Anton Peterson and Emma Peterson, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on November 8th, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 59 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $121.29, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $218.75 due on May 7th, 1928, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $218.75 due on November 7th, 1928; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $6,605.63, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from November 7th, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $340.04, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $121.29 thereof since July 9th, 1928, and on $218.75 thereof since November 7th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $118.31 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since February 19th, 1929, in all the sum of $7,218.07, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) and the North Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½ of NW¼), and the North Half of the South Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½ of S½ of NW¼), all in section Thirty-five (35), Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), Range Forty-two (42) containing in all 280 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof, with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 17th day of May, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 3rd, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't. Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
810 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. A4M9

Sometimes

An English visitor complains about our tightly closed railway windows. Still, as the old poker player said, they can be opened with jacks or better.

A Way of Saying It

An ex-police official declares that many men become criminals unwillingly. They help themselves merely because they can't help themselves.

Standing Still Best Bet

Man fails in attempt to commit suicide by jumping in front of an auto. He would have been successful if he had stood still.

The Architect

Many a man who regards himself as the victim of circumstances is the architect who designed them.—Boston Transcript.

Pedestrian Protection

One way the law can protect the pedestrian is to make it a misdemeanor to use the crossing.—Lynchburg News.

South River Falls

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Beebe visited at the Erickson home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Laeffler and family have moved on the farm recenty vacated by Lawrence Pederson.

Miss Nannie Erickson, who teaches at Wannaska spent Sunday with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Alec Erickson of Gully spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Erickson.

George Hestikind, who stays at Wm. Rinkenberger, visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Pederson last Sunday.

A parcel shower was tendered Mrs. Gieseke at the Fred Ulrich home Tuesday afternoon. The self-invited guests served a dainty lunch and Mrs. Gieseke was the recepient of many useful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Peterson of Wannaska, Albin Oslund of Wannaska, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Erickson of McIntosh, Frank Peterson and Lilly Gunstad spent Saturday evening at the A. Aug. Erickson home.

Heraldry

The science of heraldry is of ancient origin. Some trace the antiquity of the use of crests to heathen divinities. Herodotus attributes it to the Carians. At first heraldry was designed from personal characteristics of the bearer. At length it became a science perfected by the crusades and tournaments. In the Middle ages it formed the pomp and splendor of glorious chivalry.

Tyndale's Great Work

The printing of Tyndale's translation of the New Testament was completed at Worms (Germany) in 1526.

Gum by the Mile

It is reported that over 100,000 miles of sticks of chewing gum are sold every year.

Better Farmer Than King

The sobriquet "Farmer George" was given to George III, in allusion to his bucolic tastes.

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of Ownership, Management, Circulation Etc. Required by the Act of August 24, 1912

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Before me, a Notary Public, in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared O. Gunstad, who have been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher-owner of St. Hilaire Spectator and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, mangement, circulation, etc, of the aforesaid publication, required by the Act of August 24th 1912, to. wit,

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O. GUNSTAD

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of March 1929.

(Seal) FRED BISKEY
Notary Public, Pennington, Co., Minn.

My Commission Expires Jan. 29 1935.

"Greybeard" Recovered

Great interest has been taken in Scotland in the finding of a "graybeard," or ancient drinking vessel, which was brought up in a net by a fishing crew in the North sea, 50 miles from Aberdeen. It stands nine inches high, is of brick-colored ware, and bears the representation of an old man with flowing beard. A family crest is also shown. The vessel is believed to be 300 years old.

No Time to Squabble

In the old days, thinks a philosopher in the American Magazine, families took up so much time making both ends meet that they didn't have time to squabble about anything.

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FOR SALE, etc.

For Sale:- One single gear and one double gear pump jack, both in good order. Call on
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M 21tf R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

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Dan Johnson,
M28-A4pd St. Hilaire, Minn.

POTATOES FOR SALE Good quality Bliss Triumph potatoes. Address A. M. Sorvig, Wylie Minn. M21tf

Sheepish Admissions

Many a big financier who would think nothing of turning a half-million dollar business deal, will sheepishly admit to cherishing high spots of the most astonishing character—a last-minute touchdown during college days; the farewell kiss of an old sweetheart, or even an exceptionally low golf score.—Farm and Fireside.

Water-Lily Seed as Food

Water lily seeds were an important food in Egypt 4,000 years ago, and even today they are eaten by natives on the west coast of Africa.

Conversational Bankrupts

"A woman's expenditure of speech is astounding," says a writer. And it so often exceeds her income of ideas. —London Star.

Pedagogical Term

The method of teaching reading whereby the child is taught his letters first and then words alphabetically and phonetically is called the "alphabetic method."

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Arthur Hanson *Local Manager*

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Owing to lack of time because of having taken on other work, the St. Hilaire Hatchery will not take orders for baby chicks this season, but will do custom hatching at 4 cents per egg.

Will have some White Leghorn and also some White Wyandotte eggs from prize winning stock, for sale to those who wish to buy eggs

Mrs. O. A. HOLMES
2 miles northeast of ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

YOUTH

YOUTH . . . the most cherished thing in the world . . . and doubly precious to a woman. But "Age is of the spirit," and a youthful spirit depends upon vitality. Today, woman has a new task . . . that of keeping youthful; conserving her vitality and strength. For this task she uses *electricity* which makes such light work of household drudgery. She puts *electricity* to work, and uses the time saved for rest to keep herself young. What would you give to prolong *your* youth a few years? Almost anything, would you not? Then do not throw your youth away on household tasks that *electricity* will do for a few cents a day.

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NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday, April 7th.
Sunday school at 10:00 A. M.
Morning service at 11:00
Evening service at 8:00

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Communion services in Black River church next Sunday morning at 10:00. Sunday school after services.

Sunday school in local church at 10:00.

Silence and Sound

A producer tells us that the movie of the future will be a combination of silence and sound. We know what that is—a men carrying on an argument with his wife.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express to all friends of the late, Dr, S. S. Houlton, our sincere thanks and appreciation for any and all services and other acts of kindness given so freely and willingly by them in connection with making of funeral arrangements. Especial thanks is extended to Rev. Dahlberg, those who acted as pallbearers, and those who contributed the beautiful flowers.

Wm. Tegeler and family.

Chinese Used Natural Gas

Natural gas was known and utilized by the Chinese before 1000 A. D. Reed pipes, it appears, were used to transport tt.

Lafeyette's Idea

Marquis de Lafayette brought about the adoption of the tricolor as the flag of France, in 1789.

Grow Among Other Trees

Mahogany trees are generally scattered among other trees, not growing in a forest of their own kind.

HAZEL NEWS

Rev. and Mrs. Dahle called at the C. Alberg home Wednesday.

Miss Hilda Carlson came Friday to spend a few days at the O. Odegaard home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Melvie visited with friends at Newfolden on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Prestby and children visited at the Ole Odegaard home on Monday.

Mrs. G. Bruce and Miss Anna Alberg visited at the Willie Peterson home Tuesday.

Mrs. John Asp and children, and Mrs. John Carlson visited at the Ole Odegaard home on Friday.

Mrs. G. Bruce, Mrs. C. Roese, and Mrs. H. Sandberg visited Monday at Anton Petersons.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Denhart and daughter, Mildred, Mrs. C. Prestby and children, and Mr. T. Prestby and children, and Mr. T. Prestby visited at the C. Roese home on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Peterson visited at the C. Alberg home on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Knutson and daughter, Arlene, and Mr. and Mrs Arnt Wedul were Sunday dinner guests at the O. Wedul home.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie LaCoussiere and son, Joyce, and Stanley Roese, visited at the Henry Sandberg home Monday night.

Mrs. Anton Lokken and daughter, Myrtle returned to their home at Bemidji on Saturday after visiting at the M. Lokken home.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Torstveit of Plummer visited Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Martha Torstveit.

Helmar Finstad, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Peterson and children visited at the Carl Alberg home Monday evening.

Mrs. P. Nelson and Albert Hestikind were at Warren on Tuesday where the latter received medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Roese and children of Plummer called at the Clarence Roese home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Odegaard, Mrs. G. Bruce, Misses Annie Anderson. and Anna Alberg were Thief River callers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erling Prestby, T. Prestby, and Mrs. Carl Prestby were Thief River callers on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Wedul and sons, Martin and Melvin of Plummer visited Friday at the Arnt Wedul home.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Johnson and children were Thief River callers on Friday. They also visited at the Jens Almquist home in St. Hilaire.

Mr. Nels Nelson and children Norman, Raymond, Evelyn, and Myrtle Joy and Louise Lokken called at the A. Widme home on Saturday evening.

Mr. Oscar Odegaard, a student at Concordia college, returned to Moorhead on Monday after spending Easter vacation at his parental home.

Miss Mildred Denhart who attends school at Thief River Falls is spending her Easter vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Denhart.

Mrs. Anton Peterson and daughter Selma, and sons, Carl and Hjlmer, and Kenneth Krats visited at the C. Roese home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Martin Lokken is receiving medical attention at the Physicians Hospital at Thief River this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Theo. Johnson and children attended the Luther League program at St. Hilaire on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Alberg and children, Mr. Oien and daughters, Marie and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Thune and children visited at the Carl Finstad home on Sunday.

Mitered Headgear

Tha original shape of the miter was that of a cone. It has undergona an evolution until in modern times it is a tall ornamental cap terminating in two peaks.

Their Consolation

Few men are so vain as to think they are better than other men, but men are always consoling themselves with the thonght that they are no worse than other men.

Use for Old Auto Tires

Pieces of old automobile tires are fastened to the feet of the camels that travel over the Gobi desert in Mongolia to protect them from the burning sand and sharp rocks.

Auto Overhauling

This is the best time of the year to have your car overhauled and put in shape for use next spring.

I have facilties for doing this work, and am making special prices for it during the winter months.

Grease-Oil-Gas-Storage

Store your car in my heated garage. A phone call will bring it, properly greased, filled with oil and gas, ready for use. Repairs of all kinds given prompt attention.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

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Del Monte R. A. cherries, large can	.35
Del Monte blue plums, large can	.25
Jello powder, 3 pkgs.	.24
Mother's Oatmeal with chinaware	.35
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Try Our Lunches

This cafe is ready and willing to serve you with wholesome home cooked meals and lunches—the kind you like.

We also carry soft drinks, cigars and tobacco for convenience of our customers.

HEATED ROOMS IN CONNECTION

Blue Parrot Inn

SHE WAS UNCLE ED'S WIDOW

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HALLY had inherited her from her mother, who had first possessed Aunt Lulu. Poor, fretted little Mrs. Marsh had loved to talk about her Uncle Ed's widow, how rich she was and how possible it was that a part at least of those riches would come to Hally ultimately. Uncle Ed had made his money in some sort of a mine—silver or copper; Mrs. Marsh had never been sure which. She strove to keep up friendly relations with Uncle Ed's widow, writing her and sending her little gifts. Once a year or so, Aunt Lulu wrote the briefest letter. Otherwise she remained impenetrable.

When her mother died, Hally took up the correspondence with Aunt Lulu. It was likely to prove a burden, for Hally was beset with anxiety. Her mother's prolonged sickness had taken the last of their money besides leaving a few debts which Hally must pay. The girl was obliged to leave school and take a position in a store, giving up her dreams of success for hard reality. She did not ask Aunt Lulu for help; she told her nothing save that her mother had died. It was four months before Aunt Lulu answered and then her letter was little more than a note of correspondence.

By that time Dick had appeared in Hally's life. Dick worked in the same store and studied evenings. He was bound to be a draftsman and when Hally looked into his clear gray eyes she knew that he had will enough and courage enough and brains enough to attain his goal. It seemed impossible that anybody so fine as Dick could come to her. But he did. And she adored him. Why, the first moment she saw him she knew that a great window had opened to her vision which was never to close. Dick's personality produced just that effect of emerging vista, freedom and generous light in her gray existence.

One summer afternoon she and Dick walked out to the lake's edge and sat on a bench gazing upon that misty blue. The breeze stirred her uncovered fair hair and whipped the color into her cheeks. She was too happy, just sitting there beside Dick.

A moment later this happiness blew away as before a mighty wind upon which, as upon wings, rushed a new joy so marvelous that she wept lest it find her unworthy. Dick had asked her to be his wife.

It was not until some three months later that Hally remembered Aunt Lulu. She and Dick were married, living in a tiny apartment. Evenings he worked at his lessons while she sat embroidering beside him. They were so happy in their love and companionship that Hally came near forgetting all else. When at last she thought of Aunt Lulu compunction stabbed her. Straightway she wrote the nicest letter of which she was capable, sending snapshots of "the family" as she called herself and Dick.

A few weeks following Hally received a special delivery letter from Aunt Lulu! She was coming East, coming to visit her young folks, coming at once.

A cloud passed over the sun for Hally. She did not know anything about Aunt Lulu save what her mother had been able to gather from those brief infrequent letters; she had a vague idea without knowing how she had come by it, that Aunt Lulu was big and coarse. Where would she put a big woman in an apartment which was barely large enough for the two of them as it was?

Dick laughed when Hally told him what they must expect.

"Well," he said, "we'll just have to make the best of it, dear. Give her our room. Make her comfortable."

"I will, but, Dick isn't it odd, her coming to us? She never saw me, she never saw mother even. In a way she hasn't the slightest claim on us. Uncle Ed was dad's uncle, you know, not his brother."

"I see. Yes, it is odd, but old people do queer things sometimes. There was my grandfather. He had money and my brother was named after him. We used to think Joey pretty lucky, but poor Joe never saw a penny of grandfather's money." He chuckled. "Grandfather got married again when he was past eighty and willed everything to his bride of fifty-one."

Hally drew a deep breath.

"Do you know what I think, Dick? I think Aunt Lulu hasn't any money at all. I think she's poor and—and wants somebody to look after her in her old age."

"That's what I think," Dick acknowledged. "Well—let's forget her until she actually arrives. Time to worry then."

Hally made all the preparations possible for the approaching guest. At least it was cold weather and one could bear a bit of crowding better now than when it was torrid. The only trouble was Aunt Lulu did not announce the time of her arrival.

One afternoon the doorbell rang, and when Hally opened the door she found herself looking into the fresh, round face of a plump little woman stylishly clad from top to toe in dusky brown.

"You are Hally, I suppose?" the woman said. Her pretty eyes laughed. "How do you do? I am your Aunt Lulu."

It couldn't be possible. Somehow Hally managed to keep sufficient composure to dispense the customary hospitality. She led Aunt Lulu within, pulled forward the winged chair and asked her to take off her things. But Aunt Lulu shook her head.

"Not this time. I can stay only a short time. I'm really very tired after my journey—the longest I have ever taken. I got in at three last night—"

"But why didn't you wire us?" Hally asked. "We would have met you."

"Not at the unearthly hour. I've too much respect for people's slumber to haul them out of bed in the middle of the night. Besides, I am going to the hotel anyway. It's the Kingston, a very nice place. I have the nicest suite. But you will see it tomorrow. You and your husband must come to take Sunday luncheon with me."

Hally, fluttered, tried incoherently to say that they had expected her to stay with them. Aunt Lulu laughed.

"You must have misunderstood my meaning, dear, but no wonder, I'm a very poor letter writer. How cozy it looks here. And how pretty you are!"

It was all very bewildering. Hally could scarcely make Dick believe it when she told him. Aunt Lulu was not old; she was only middle-aged. Uncle Ed had been her guardian and had married her when she was sixteen as the easiest way of looking after her.

Next day Hally and Dick found that instead of entertaining Aunt Lulu, she was determined that she should entertain them. There was no doubt she had money, plenty of it. And she knew how to spend it.

Within a week she and Hally were fast friends. Hally found great enjoyment in Aunt Lulu's society. Sometimes she seemed almost as young as Hally was, and they laughed together like two school girls, especially when Hally presented the portrait of the Aunt Lulu she had expected.

"I haven't any real folks of my own since Ed died," Aunt Lulu said. "That was why I was suddenly taken with a desire to see you. Ed always planned to bring me back home, as he called it, but after he got so old and tired he felt that he could be more comfortable where he was. Then, too, his copper mine turned out to be a dead failure. I sometimes think it hastened his death. But I had a little money of my own. It was a good thing that I had, and that I kept it."

Gradually Hally pieced out the story of Aunt Lulu's lonely life. Bereft, she had married too young an old man who had been kind to her, the only friend she had. She had been denied everything—romance, love, happiness. In her middle age she was settling down into a dull existence.

Hally could not have it so. One night she gave a dinner party for four and invited Mr. Hallman—Mr. Hallman of the silk department. He was about Aunt Lulu's age, a fine, genial gentleman and a widower, who sadly needed a wife. Hally, you see, was trying her hand at match-making.

And she succeeded. With fluttering heart she saw happiness dawn for those dear people. Aunt Lulu was to stay until spring, but Hally was not surprised when a little later she announced her intention of staying altogether as Mr. Hallman's wife.

When Dick finally went to Tech Hally went to stay with the Hallmans. She stayed there until Dick returned a full-fledged draftsman. No one except her mother had ever been so good to Hally and so when the baby came Hally named her after Aunt Lulu. Not "Lulu" as it happened, but Louise Marie, which was the real name of the woman who had been Uncle Ed's widow.

Parveyors of Water Carry Heavy Loads

Around a fountain in one of the principal squares of Quito assemble every morning the city's aguadores. These water porters differ from the less energetic ones of some South American cities in carrying their jars upon their backs instead of on the backs of mules. Their earthen jars are deep, have a wide mouth and hold about 40 liters.

The porter carries the jar on his shoulder, fastened with leather straps. He never detaches himself from his jar either to fill it or to transfer its contents to that of his customer. He turns his back to the fountain so that the jar comes under one of the jets of water, listens to the sound of the water in the jar, and his ear is so well trained that he always walks away at the exact moment when it is filled to the brim.

Arriving at the house of a customer he goes to the household jar, makes a deep bow and disappears behind a torrent of water. Foreigners can never receive without laughing the visit of their aguador, the respectful little man who bows to one behind a cataract of water.—Washington Star.

Infinite Nature

System of nature! To the wisest man, wide as is his vision, nature remains of quite infinite depth, of quite infinite expansion; and all experience thereof limits itself to some few computed centuries and measured square miles. The course of nature's phases, on this our little fraction of a planet, is partially known to us, but who knows what deeper courses these depend on; what infinitely larger cycle (of causes) our little epicycle revolves on?—Carlyle.

Should but Isn't

Most of the expensive workmanship is in the motor and chassis; it should be possible for a car owner to discard his worn, tarnished and somewhat demodeled automobile body for a new one which would fit on the old chassis. —Emporia Gazette.

Peculiarities of Ice

Ice can exist at any temperature lower than its freezing point. It also has the property of assuming the temperature of its surroundings in time; therefore, if the temperature is 32 degrees below zero, the temperature of the ice will eventually be the same.

Cast Prejudice Aside

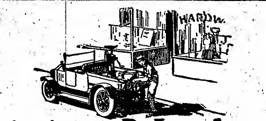
Beware of prejudice; light is good in whatsoever lamp it is burning. A rose is beautiful in whatsoever garden it may bloom. A star has the same radiance whether it shines from the east or from the west.—Abdul Baha.

Mankind's Opportunity

"When men give to the search for spiritual things the same energy and persistence which they bring to the quest for material wealth, the world will be on the way to the greatest discovery of all."—Dr. Sidney M. Berry.

Cause of Anemia

Anemia means a deficiency of hemoglobin. This is the red coloring matter to be found in the red corpuscles of the blood. People frequently diagnose cases of anemia without having anything more to base it on than that "tired" feeling.



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Bring in your complete machine. To save you unnecessary expense we suggest that you clean out the oil chamber and gears with kerosene or boiling water, which you can do at home just as well as we can.

Even if there is nothing wrong with your separator, if you have used it for sometime it is a good plan to have it inspected and overhauled. You know "a stitch in time saves nine."

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O. C. Johnson, Mgr.

St. Hilaire, Minn.

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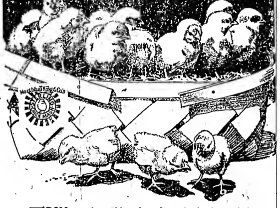

FROM two days old to 6 or 8 weeks is the period when Sterling Chick Mash can be fed economically and with assurance that it gives your chicks just the right proteins, cod liver oil, etc, to grow them fast. It is not an "All Mash." Chick grain feed must be fed in the litter to compel exercise and supply carbohydrates. You will be surprised at the efficiency of this combination.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

Work of Ancient Priests

Winwood Reade says: "The Rosetta stone, that remarkable monument which, with its inscriptions in Greek, in the Egyptian vernacular and in the sacred hieroglyphics, has afforded the means of deciphering the mysterious language of the Nile, was a memorial of gratitude from the Egyptian priests to a Greek king, to whom in return for favors conferred they erected an image and a golden shrine."

Arctic Temperatures

Instances of temperature above 32 degrees Fahrenheit have been recorded in Arctic regions. In Spitzbergen the average temperature of July is 40 degrees Fahrenheit, at Lady Franklin Bay, 37 degrees. The distribution of the average temperature for July shows a circumpolar area of 35 degrees Fahrenheit, which lies mostly north of latitude 80 degrees between North America and Europe.

Victory for Washington

After the greatest debate ever held over the Constitution, its supporters in the Virginia Constitutional convention won by a majority of only ten. The confidence of Virginians in George Washington probably won the battle, for many of those voting for it were swayed by their trust in the wisdom of George Washington rather than their belief in the Constitution as offered for ratification.

South Polar Ice

The thickness of ice near the South pole is estimated by Croll upon theoretical grounds to be from 12 to 14 miles, but off the coast of Victoria Land the ice wall is only from 10 to 20 feet high.

France's Famous Academy

The original pursuits of the French academy, created by Louis XIV in 1635, were eloquence and poetry. Later its scope was extended to include the fine arts, and then to the arts and sciences.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Johnson motored last week-end to Manville, N. D., where they visited with relatives of Mrs. Johnson.

Taken Up: Small, shorthaired dog, came to my place a few days ago. Owner may have it by proving property and paying for this notice.

Ed Aubol,
R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

Dr. Spofford

Optometrist

Will Be At

Brooks, Thursday, April, 11th.
Plummer, Friday, April, 12th,

Eyes Examined, Glasses Fitted

Earliest Christian Church

The church of the Nativity is the oldest Christian church in existence. It was built by Empress Helena, A. D. 330, over the grotto where Christ is supposed to have been born.

Wise Professor

It was an English college professor who said the right use of our leisure hours is a more difficult problem than the right use of our waking hours.—Atchison Globe.

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To Make Unsalted Butter

Because of exceptionally low yeast and mold content in its product, and because of high operating efficiency of the local plant, the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery has been selected from among the creameries in this district to manufacture unsalted butter this season for Land O'Lakes Creameries, Inc.

Demand for unsalted butter is mostly from eastern states where it is used in manufacture of ice cream, and also to supply demand of the Jewish trade which calls for unsalted butter. For this class of butter, a premium of one and three-quarters cents as paid above the current price for Land O'Lakes butter. To be selected from among the many plants in this section to manufacture this special product, is quite a distinction for this creamery, and a deserved honor for its operating force.

During first three months of 1929, the local creamery gained more than 2000 lbs in output over last year, and unless all indications fail, 1929 will prove to be one of the best, if not the best, year in history of the creamery.

Big Reduction Sale

The Carlson Mercantile Company are planning a big stock reduction sale at their five stores, including St. Hilaire, Holt, Middle River, Greenbush and Gatzke, which will start Friday, April 19 and continue for ten days. The company desires to reduce stocks to extent of $20,000 and are cutting prices "to the bone" to accomplish it. Big bills containing a partial list of the bargains to be offered during the sale, will be out in a few days. Stocks in all the stores are being looked over this week, and it is expected many additional big values will be thrown on the bargain counters when the sale opens.

Gubbefest April 21st

The annual "gubbefest" at the Norwegian Lutheran church will be held Sunday evening, April 21 at 7:30. A good program has been arranged, and the "fest" this year promises to be exceptionally good.

WANTED: Girl for housework on farm near Grand Forks. Three to cook for. Easy place. Write

Mrs. Henry Berthauson,
A11-18pd Grand Forks, N. D.

Postal Savings Depository

The local postoffice has been designated as a Postal Savings Depository starting this month. Any person of ten years or more, may start an account with as little as $1.00. The limit which any one person may deposit is fixed at $2,500.00. Deposits may be exchanged at any time for U. S. Bonds which also bear interest same as the deposits. For convenience of children, postal saving stamps may be bought at 10 cents, each which can be later placed in regular account when the amount is $1.00 or more.

Fellman—Robillard

On last Monday, April 1st, at 9 o'clock A. M., at the Catholic parsonage in Red Lake Falls, occured the marriage of Miss Alpha Fellman and Mr. Homer J. Robillard, Rev. Cardin officiating. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fellman of Plummer and one of the popular young people of this village and the groom is one of the young business men of Red Lake Falls.—Plummer Pioneer.

A heavy rain, which is reported to have been general all over the Northwest, fell here Friday afternoon. Ditches and drains were worked to capacity for several hours to carry away the surplus water. Mud roads thruout the rural districts became impassable in many places as frost started going out after the rain.

Make your "dollar have more cents" by attending the big sale at Carlson's, April 19 to 29th.

If weather continues favorable Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beebe and a party of friends will leave latter part of the week for Minneapolis and Mankato to spend a few days with relatives.

It is again approaching time for the annual spring cleaning-up in the village. A number of lots fronting on the main street have large piles of rubbish accumulated on them, and some of the alleys are in similar shape.

If every lot owner would co-operate with his neighbor in the annual cleanup this spring, our little village would present a much neater appearance.

Our Little Friends Are Returning

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

An interesting meeting of the W. C. T. U, was held last evening at the home of Mrs. Harry Winter.

All roads will lead to St. Hilaire from April 19 to 29, the duration of the Carlson Merc. Co.. big stock reduction sale.

Lawrence Wilson has secured a position in a meat market at Warren, and will enter upon his duties next week.

Mrs. B. E. Burkee, who has spent the winter at Litchfield, is expected home soon to spend the summer.

Miss Gunhild Nelson returned Tuesday to her school teaching work at Wolverton after having spent her Easter vacation here with her parents.

Mrs. H. Winter and Miss Anna Rosette will entertain the Dorcas Society at the church parlors Saturday this week, at 2:00 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carpenter came yesterday from their home at Isle, Minn., to look after some matters in connection with their farm southeast of town.

The Central Lumber Co., has added a line of fencing to stock carried at their local yard. The company has fencing for all purposes in their Pioneer brand line.

John D. Porter, accompanied by a friend, motored over Friday from Bemidji to look after business matters. Mr. Porter said auto sales had been very good at Bemidji thus far this spring.

L. E. Healy, examiner in charge of affairs of the Farmers State Bank, will be here tomorrow to look after business matter of the bank. His next trip will be April 26th.

G. Bergland, manager of the creamery, went this week to Grand Forks to receive surgical treatment for a sinus trouble with which he has been afflicted the past six months.

Mike Highland, who has been ill since first of the year, has so improved that he is able to be out and around again. Tho still weak from his illness, he is gaining strength gradually, and hopes to be able to attend to his work in another few weeks.

The new cafe in the Bjerk building opened for business this week. The place is well outfitted, and presents a very neat appearance.

J. D. Porter was here for a short time Tuesday while enroute to his home at Bemidji from points over in Dakota.

Arne Vik, prominent local dairyman, contracted for a new DeLaval milking machine yesterday which is to be installed by O. C. Johnson of the Carlson Merc. Co., agents for DeLaval products.

Rev. C. B. Dahlberg, pastor of the Evang. Mission church, left Sunday evening by auto to spend a week with his parents at his home at New London.

The Lutheran Ladies Aid, entertained by Mesdames R. L. Hauge and Otto Johnson at the church parlors last Friday, was very well attended despite the heavy rain storm which prevailed that day.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veterinarian, was here Tuesday in response to three calls near town. Bad condition of side roads at that time, prevented him by attending to several other calls.

Miss Hattie Johnson came Friday from Thermopolis, Wyoming for a short visit with her relatives here. She went Monday to Bemidji to visit relatives there after which she will return here.

The C. Roe Grain Company has recently unloaded a carload of various kinds of seed. A brisk demand for good seed is anticipated for this spring, and the company is preparing to have it in hand to meet demands.

Meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held at the school building Friday evening. Among the features provided for entertainment were an oldtime spelling bee, group singing, etc., which was all greatly enjoyed. Lunch was served as usual at close of the program.

John Gonnering, who has charge of the sausage manufacturing department at Durbin's, has leased the residence vacated last week by the Hilligoss family and will move his family down this week from Thief River Falls. Mr. and Mrs. Gonnering have three children, two being of school age.

Lands Creamery Position

Norman E. Olson, assistant buttermaker at the local creamery, has secured a position as manager of the co-operative creamery at Leonard, Minn., near Bemidji and expects to leave for that place about April 15th. Norman has learned his trade at the local plant, and done exceptionally well here.

The new position comes as a well deserved promotion for Norman, and his many friends here rejoice with him in his advancement.

New North Bridge?

Preliminary surveys were made by the county engineer last week for a new bridge to replace the old wooden structure which has spanned the river at north end of the village for the past thirty years or more. Need of a new bridge at that point has been apparent for several years past; the old one becoming more and more unstable each season.

While nothing definite has been decided as yet, it is to be hoped the county board will hasten action so the bridge will be ready for heavy loads next fall.

According to present plans for location, the new bridge will be a short distance south of the old one By making a new grade from Highway No. 32 slightly south of the present grade, angling across extreme north end of the school ground, and the Bergland property east of it, that part of the road will be straight. Instead of the present road on east side, with several curves in it, the engineer proposes to make a straight road south of the present one to connect with the present grade by the Hauge place. This plan could hardly be improved upon as it will serve all residents on the east side as well as before, and will provide a most satisfactory road to all who come in from east. As cost of the contemplated improvement must also be considered, the proposed route and bridge site has many advantages over any other.

"Life for Pint" Law Revoked.

Lansing, Mich.—Michigan has revoked its famous "life for a pint" law. Governor Fred W. Green has signed the Watson house bill, eliminating 120 "minor" felonies from the list of crimes which draw the life penalty for fourth offense. The amendment became effective immediately. Governor Green said he would commute the life sentences of Mrs. Ella A. Miller, Channie Tripp, Tony Papich and others who are serving life sentences for liquor felonies.

Tornado At Minneapolis

Twenty five persons are dead, several hundreds injured, over a hundred farm homes demolished and hundreds of farm animals were killed in a tornado which started northwest of Minneapolis, skirted the north limits of that city and crossed the state line into Wisconsin last Friday afternoon.

Red Cross workers have taken charge of the rehabilitation work in the stricken area, and supplies are now being rushed in for those who lost their homes. Governor Christianson yesterday issued a proclamation asking people in the more fortunate sections of Minnesota to help raise a fund of $100,000.00 for aid of storm victims. Theodore Wold of the Northwestern National Bank in St. Paul will accept contributions from this section. It is estimated that property damage will amount to $4,000,000.00, so it's needless to say that there is urgent need for all that can be raised.

Following is an interesting item received from the Children's home.

"The Wild Rice Children's Home, Twin Valley, Minnesota, received many valuable presents in March from friends in Minnesota, North Dakota and Montana. From Master Billy Winter, St. Hilaire, Minn. the Home received stockings, shoes overshoes, kimona, coats, sweater, a suit, Easter egg and Easter rabbit filled with candy, and a box of toys.

These gifts are highly appreciated and show real interest in Child Welfare Work on the part of the donors."

25 Years Ago

M. J. Lindahl moved his jewelry stock into the Forseen building.

Geo. Eastman sold his residence to Mrs. J. Jorgenson.

The sawmill was being overhauled and put in readiness for opening.

Over a foot of snow fell that week after two weeks of previously warm weather.

Mrs. Emma Wik, a resident of this place, was adjudged insane, and was committed to the state hospital at Fergus Falls.

Opening of the Red Lake Indian Reservation was to take place that year. July first was expected would be the date of opening.

Mike Madden contracted to locate settlers for Julius Pleth upon opening of the reservation.

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Every action by the officers of this institution is determined by one one major consideration—

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St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n

St. Hilaire, Minn.

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TUNE IN—General Motors Family Party, every Monday, 9:30 P. M. (Eastern Standard Time) WEAF and 37 associated radio stations

HAZEL NEWS

A group of relatives and friends gathered at the Helmer Finstad home Wednesday evening to help Mrs. Finstad celebrate her birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in a social manner after wbich a delicious lunch was served. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. O. Seeland, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Houske and son Oscar, Mr. and Mrs. M. Finstad, Mr. and Mrs. Huseby, Mr. and Mrs. Joe King, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Finstad, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Alberg, and Misses Ethel Huseby and Anna Alberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Thune and children and Mabel Peterson visited at Carl Albergs on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg and cbildren visited at the Carl Finstad home Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Holten, Mrs. E. Prestby and Mrs. Ole Odegaard visited at the Adrian Anderson home on Monday.

Phyllis, Edna and Floyd Prestby were dinner guests at the T. Johnson home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. Seeland and son, Omar visited at the L. Peterson bome Saturday evening.

Mr. ann Mr. Erling Prestby and children visited at the C. Prestby home on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandberg and baby visited at the Clarence Roese home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. E. Holten and son returned Saturday after visiting a few days with relatives at Mavie and Tbief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Theo. Johnson and son, Rhoderick, Mr. and Mrs. E. Houlton and family were Sunday dinner guests at the Anton Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Roese of Minot N. D., and Loyd Hanson of Plummer visited at the C. Roese home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Melvie were Thief River Falls callers Monday evening.

Mr. E. Holten has been employed this week at the John Peterson home where water works have been installed in the house.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Widme and son, Louie and Roy Lokken, Helga and Alfred Frederickson were Sunday dinner guests at the Nels Nelson bome.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Peterson visited at the C. Alberg home on Saturday evening.

Misses Naomi and Mary Jane Johnson and Arthur and Erling Anderson called at the Nels Nelson home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandberg, Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and children visited at the Anton Peterson home Sunday evening.

Mrs. G. Bruce visited at the C. Roese home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson and Louie Lokken were Thief River Falls callers Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Denhart and daughter Mildred, visited at the C. Prestby's Wednesday evening.

A large crowd attended the Ladies Aid which was held at the Torstveit home Thursday.

Mis Mildred Denbart visited at the Adrian Anderson home on Monday evening.

South River Falls

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thyren and family visited at the Henry Burstad home on Thursday evening.

Fredolf Swanson visited at the Palmquist home Sunday.

Wait for Carlsons money saving sale, April 19 to 29.

The Miller Peterson family visited at the Michelson home near Plummer Thursday evening.

Victor Erickson returned from Gully Saturday evening after spending a week with his brother, Alec.

Clarence Burnquist visited at the Paul Thyren bome Sunday.

George Hestikind left last Friday for Newfolden to stay with his sister, Mrs. Tbeo. Thompson during the summer months.

Mrs. Wm. Hesse was called to Minneapolis Saturday by death of her father.

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Fine Residential Street

The relative standing of tha various large streets of the American cities is, of conrse, largely a matter of opinion, hut according to Edward Hnngerford in his book, "Rochester," East avenue, Rochester, is perhaps the finest residential street in America. He says that this is dne not only tn the beauty of the bomes, hut also to the careful restriction of the style of architecture and the encroachment nf business.

Rat's Migrations

The march of the rat across the American continent was almost in lock-step, as it were, with the march nf the frontiersman. In 1830 it reached the Mississippi and hy 1857 was numerous in California. An English zoologist remarks that the hrown rat is "tha only wild animal which is known to have invaded Europe since the Pleistocene age, with the exception, perhaps, of the true elk."

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated November 26th, 1923, executed by William Erler and Cora E. Erler, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on December 1st, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 96 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $107.57, halance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $140.63 due on May 26th, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $140.63 each, due on November 26th, 1927, May 26th, 1928, and November 26th, 1928, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,246.42, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from November 26th, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $529.46, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $107.57 thereof since May 26th, 1927, on $140.63 thereof since November 26th, 1927, on $140.63 thereof since May 26th, 1928, and on $140.63 thereof since November 26th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $241.25 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon nt the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1929, in all the sum of $5,141.24, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Lots Two (2), Four (4) and Five (5), except 6½ acres of said Lot Five (5) all in Section Fourteen (14), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-two (42), containing 163½ acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 24th day of May, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and dishursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 10th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. Flowers, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
810 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. A-11—M-16

Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire Minn. beld at the president's office April 2th at 8 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present.

Motion duly made and carried that the president appoint all special and standing community

The president appointed: on road and bridge, P. Simonson and H. F. Hanson, poor, Hanson and Larson, finance, Fricker and Hanson, Board of health, Hanson, 1 year, Larson, years.

The president was duly authorized to appoint to appoint a special police when necessary.

Motion duly made and carried that the salary of village officers remain the same as last year.

Motion duly made and carried that the viliage pay 35 c per hour for day labor both for man and team.

Motion duly made and carried that the treasurer's bond be $2000.00 and for the constable, $500.

Motion duly made and carried that the license for pcol tables be $5.00 per table and for tent shows $15.00 per day or night.

The Spectator was declared the official paper of the village.

Motion duly made and carried that the council meet at the village ball until furtber notice.

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjourned.

A. Satterberg
President

M. Fricker
Clerk.

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Notice is hereby given that default has heen madc in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated Novemher 7th, 1923, executed by Anton Peterson and Emma Peterson, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on November 8th, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 59 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $121.29, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $218.75 due on May 7th, 1928, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $218.75 due on November 7th, 1928; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $6,605.83, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from November 7th, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $340.04, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $121.29 thereof since July 9th, 1928, and on $218.75 thereof since November 7th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $118.31 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since February 19th, 1929, in all the sum of $7,218.07, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the deht secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will he foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and heing in Pennington County, Minnesota to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) and the North Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½ of NW¼), and the North Half of the South Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½ of S½ of NW¼), all in section Thirty-five (35), Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), Range Forty-two (42) containing in all 280 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 17th day of May, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at puhlic vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 3rd, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't. Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. A4M9

Mistletoe's Growth

The life history of the mistletoe is jnst like thot of any flowering woody plant. It beors flowers; in due time the herries follow, each with its inclosed seed; the berries are deposited hy birds or heaten down hy rains upon the hrsnches, where the seeds germinute, and if tba seeding becomes estahlished upou tha hranch it grows agaiu to the age of producing flowers and seeds, and so on from generation to generation.

Altogether Too Often

There is this thing that can be said in fnvor of the hornet. He alwuys has an aim and generully he hits the mark.—Capper's Weekly.

Touches Three Countries

The Iron gate is the name of a defile on the River Dannhe at tbe horder of Hnngary, Serhia aud Rumania.

Bad Luck Expected

The more you depend on inck, the less of it yon bave.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Re-roofing Time Is Here

Now is the time to mend or replace that leaky roof. Our special brand of prepared roofing is a dandy value.

Light wht, 35 lbs, price	$1.15
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Asphalt roof paint, one gallon, 5 gallons and in barrel lots.

Before buying any kind of roofing anywhere at any price, see us.

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St. Hilaire, Minnesota,

Wanted

Orders for seed wheat, oats, barley, and flax.

See us for prices on the above, and on any other seed you may want this spring.

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Arthur Hanson *Local Manager*

Custom Hatching

Owing to lack of time because of having taken on other work, the St. Hilaire Hatchery will not take orders for baby chicks this season, but will do custom hatching at 4 cents per egg.

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NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday April 14.
Services as follows:

St. Pauli 11:00 A. M. American lang.

Oak Ridge 1:15 P. M. American lang.

St. Hilaire Luth 8:00 P. M. American lang.

Sunday school 10 A. M.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nalson, Pastor

Communion services in Clara church next Sunday morning at 10:30.

Sunday school in local church at 2:00, and services at 3:00 P. M.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday, April 14th

Sunday school at 10:00

Morning service 11:00 by Rev. C. Edw. Anderson of Fertile.

Special Young People's service at 8:00 P. M.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening April 17th, at 8:00 P. M., at home of Chr. Kruse, Jr.

Baby Picks Name Out of Dad's Hat

Pittsburgh, Pa.—Gene Tunney Odato, only several days old, has named himself. When Mr and Mrs. Patsy Odato of Brentwood, a suburb, sought a name for their off-spring, they ran in to so many suggestions that they decided to put it up to the baby himself.

Selecting a score of names of present-day celebrities, they wrote the names on paper slips and put them in a hat. The baby's chubby fist went into the skypiece and reappeared with his name—Gene Tunney.

School Proceedings

Postponed meeting of directors of Ind. School Dist. 102 held April 2, 1929.

All members present.

Minutes of last meeting approved as read.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed:

W. M. Welch Mfg. Company Diplomas	$41.48
W. M. Welch Mfg. Company Bill Feb. 28th 1929	$2.05
Northwestern Trust Co. interest on bonds	$1500.00
Spectator, bill as 4-2-29.	$29.39
M. Highland freight and drayage	7.10

On motion duly made and caried Elizabeth Bell was elected English teacher and librarian for the coming year at a salary of $125.00 per month for a period of nine months.

No further business motion for adjournment carried.

E. O. BURKEE
Clerk

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Want Ads Bring Results

The Market

(Corrected on Wednesday)

Northern Wheat	$ .99
Duram Wheat	.87
Rye	.79
Barley	.47
Oats	.38
Flax	2.19
Eggs, cash	.20
Ceamery butter	.48

Extremes Meet

The sublime and the ridiculous are often so nearly releted thet it is dificult to class them seperetely. One step above the sublime makes the ridiculous, and one step ebove the ridiculons makes the sublime again.—Paine.

Origin of Knitting

Who was the first one to knit is unknown. That it is an ancient art is proved hy a pair of socks, loosely knitted in fine goats' wool, heing found on an Egyptian mummy of the date 7000 B. C.

In Man's Garden

In the garden with plants and earth and rain, with the sun and the winds and the stars and the moon, a man must be honest with himself.—Woman's Home Companion.

Daughter's Indignation

Nothing makes daughter more indignant than father's not being able to make money enough so mother can dress as she does.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Complicated Process

Rayon is a lustrous, continuous thread, formed by dissolving cellulose, either ee cotton linters or wood pulp, in a suitable solvent, passing this fluid through a spinning machine, solidifying the product in a fixing bath, combining and twisting the resulting filements into e thread, purifying and bleeching this thread, and finelly transferring it into tha type of peckage in which it is to be sold or used.

Pioneer Auto Builders

Elwood Haynes is considered to be the first Americen automobile maker, his first machine dating from 1893, but be was followed soon efter by Henry Ford, Charles E. Duryea and others. There was precticaliy no commercial manufecture before 1900. Inventors in other countries had constructed successful automobiles before this, Carl Bens and Gottlieb Daimier in Germany as eerly as 1885.

Strong Stimulant

Tha coca plant of South America is a shrub with small, light green leaves which have a somewhat bitter taste. The natives powder these leaves and mix them with lime to form what they call "ypedu." The stuff is chewed and is an amazing stimulant. With a supply of this in a pouch, tha South American Indian will walk for two or even three deys on end without food.—Boston Transcript.

Ventriloquism

The essential mechanism of ventriloquism consists in taking a full breath, then keeping the muscles of the chest and neck fixed, and speaking with the mouth almost closed and the lips and lower jaw as motionless as possible while air is very slowly expired through a narrow glottis. No air must escape through the nose.

'29 TARIFF WAITS FARM ACTION

Longworth Announces That Act Will Be Very Little Changed.

Washington, D. C.—Practical completion of the writing of the 1929 tariff bill by the Republican members of the weys and means committee has been announced by Speaker Nicholas Longworth. Mr. Longworth seid the bill was completed in almost every detail with the exception of the farm schedules which ere being delayed, pending ection of the agricultural committees, the tariff heing pert of eny ferm relief bill that may be written.

The question of valuation wes the last stand of the advocates of higher retes on manufectures as represented by tha Grundy group. The decision egainst either "American" or "domestic" valuation known under various terms means a victory for the Longworth group in the house and is understood to be in line with whet the administration has desired.

Farm leaders, struggling with the complex intricacies of farm relief and tariff, admit there is little likelyhood of obtaining a tariff duty egainst vegetable oils end jute, admission to this effect being made by Representative Purnell, Jr., Indiana, in the hearings of the house committee on agriculture. These two items end the duty on sugar, heve furnished the chief difficulties in writing the farm schedules.

The speaker believes the farm bill can be sent over to the senate within a week or 10 days after convening, and that the tariff bill will ba ready for submission and action by that time.

Auto Overhauling

This is the best time of the year to have your car overhauled and put in shape for use next spring.

I have facilties for doing this work, and am making special prices for it during the winter months.

Grease-Oil-Gas-Storage

Store your car in my heated garage. A phone call will bring it, properlly greased, filled with oil and gas, ready for use. Repairs of all kinds given prompt attention.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Mozart Cycle "Barred"

An organizer of radio concerts in Paris submitted his program to the authorities, in conformity with the regulotions. Among the items enumerated was "First Concert of the Mozart Cycle." The program was returned with this item ruled out. There was an explanetory note in the mergin: "No free advertising for bicycles."

Fred A. Ossanna May Evade Trial.

Minneapolis—Fred A. Ossanna, Minneapolis ettorney and former candidate for mayor, will not hava to stand trial on a forgery charge growing out of the condition of the Aurora, Minn. State hank. According to a statement made by Philip M. Stone, assistant prosecutor of St. Louis county, in which the Anrora bank is located.

Stroke Kills Lieutenant Governor.

Quebec—Sir Lomer Gouin, lieutenent governor of tha province of Quebec, died here. He suffared a stroke as he was ebout to close a session of the legislature. His death leaves a unique situation. Ha died without sanctioning any of the bills passed or proroguing tha legislature.

U. S. Suits Ready for Filing.

Kansas City—Awaiting formal orders from Washington, suits seeking aggregate penalties of $1,286,200 from 118 Kansas City livestock commission men for alleged failure to comply with packers and stockyard ects, are ready for filing in Federal Court.

Sonora Rebels Shoot U. S. Engineer.

Nogales, Ariz.—Harry Meadows, an American mining engineer, was shot by Mexican bandits who surprised him at his mining camp located 48 miles from Gagdalena, Sonora. He made his wey here. The bandits had left him for dead.

Evanston Mayor to Wed His Secretary.

Evanston, Ill.—The angagement of Mayor Charles H. Bartlett of Evanston to his secretary, Miss Gwendolyn Williams, was announced here. Mayor Bartlett is 52 and has been a widower for 15 years. Miss Williams is 30 and has been employed in the mayor's office for one year.

Hoover Gets Pass to Ball Games.

Washington—John A. Heydler, president of the National League, has presented President Hoover with a pase for all games in the league.

Give Her A Chance To Grow Up

A chick is the quickest maturing live farm machine and one of the best earners. She isn't really profitable until she begins to lay. But from the time she is two days old until she is coming into pullethood she must have the food elements that make her a good layer or she will never be profitable except as dressed poultry. Sterling Chick Mash and Chick Feed make it easy for anyone to properly feed chicks.

Northrup, King & Co's

Sterling

Chick Mash with Buttermilk and Cod Liver Oil

contains the best quality of Cod Liver Oil, Dried Buttermilk, Meat Scraps and Bone Meal with several vegetable proteins and grains. The granulation is not so fine as in many mashes and the birds like it better. There is nothing better for chicks, or more economical. It is **Guaranteed To Satisfy**

SOLD BY

Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Largest Irish Industry

Deep-sea fishing is the most important industry in Iceland, the yearly catch being valued et approximetely $7,000,000.

Good Bedfellow

If you would sleep soundly take a clear conscience to bed with you.—Benjamin Franklin.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Madelia—An organization of Girl Scouts has been effected here with Mrs. Carroll Bisbee as director.

Pine Island—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parkin observed their sixty-fifth wedding anniversary here.

Bloomington—At the annual town meeting $14,000 was voted for road and bridge work and $3,000 for remodeling the town hall.

Kenyon—Farmers of the Kenyon vicinity were guests et a smoker and program given in their honor by the Kenyon Commercial Club.

Park Rapids—Automobile dealers here have formed the Automotive and Service association to supervise credit and give better service to customers.

Rochester—Dr. Russell M. Wilder, of the Mayo clinic here has been named chairman of the department of medicine at the University of Chicago.

Faribault—Richard Schall, son of United States Senator Schall, Minneapolis, won first honors in the annual oratorical contest of Shattuck school here.

Minneapolis—Walter A. Ryberg, clerk of Hennepin county district court for three successive terms, died suddenly in St. Barnabas hospital here.

Alma City—Charging her crippled husband with cruelty, Mrs. Joseph Lust, 21, confessed to H. H. Sturner, Waseca county ettorney, that she killed him.

Aonka—John Palmer, mayor of Anoka, has been re-elected in a heated campaign in which he defeated Robert Ehlen, 23-year-old business man, by 749 to 379.

Little Falls—A crate of 54 Hungarian partridges were received by J. M. Totten, district game warden, and have heen released on the Little Falls game refuge.

Rochester—Miss Josephine Seymour of Eyota has begun the work of organizing girls clubs throughout Olmsted county under direction of the farm bureau.

Ironton—A demand will be made on H. W. Bolder, former village clerk, for $528.57, the amount of the shortage said to have been found in Ironton village records.

Minneapolis—Minneapolis averaged a fire every 21½ minutes during the 24-hour period ended et midnight Friday. 66 alarms were responded to during the 24-hours.

Wayzata—A grade Jersey cow, belonging to George Hill, accomplished a production of 1,861 pounds of milk containing 83 pounds of butterfat for the month of March.

Hayfield—June 14 to 16th have been selected as dates for the annual reunion of the Vossalaget organization of natives of the locality of Voss, Norway, and their descendents.

Fergus Falls—A hearing on weter easement claims for the Baudette district will be conducted at Fergus Falls May 28. Later in the year a hearing will be conducted at Bandette.

Minneapolis—The upper Mississippi's third barge navigation season has opened when the C. C. Webber, left the municipal terminal here for New Orleans with a cargo of barley.

Red Wing—Anton Johnsou, 51 years old, porter at the St. James hotel here, died two hours after he fell three stories down an elevator shaft and then was struck by the elevator.

Stillwater—Northern States Power transmission lines carrying 110,000 volts of electricity were put out of commission when a tower was crushed by ice in the St. Croix river here.

Austin—David Martin, Jr., Austin's Boy Scout who made the trip with Martin Johnson into the wilds of Africa last summer, has returned from a tour in which he spoke in four cities in Illinois.

St. Cloud—Miss Pauline Mace, who until last October was assistant postmastr et Sauk Rapids, will have a hearing before United States Commissioner J. I. Donohue on a charge of embezzlement.

Faribault—More than 600 guests, including many from other cities, attended a dinner and program marking the public opening of a new $250,000 Harvey hotel here, Faribault's largest building.

Ironton—Shortages totalling $3,296 in the funds of the village of Ironton from 1925 to 1928, are indicated in a report made by the state public examiner following a special audit of the village accounts.

Minneapolis—A new state trunk highway designated as No. 72 and to connect Bemidji and Baudette in northern Minnesota, will be marked this month and maintained in future by the Minnesota highway department.

Moorhead—Word has been received here that the Moorhead basket ball team, Minnesota state champions, have been eliminated in the National meet et Chicago by the College Grove, Tenn., team by a score of 30 to 29.

Glencoe—Appointment of Chester L. Kraft of Minneapolis, formerly of Glencoe as an assistant United States district ettorney is announced by L. L. Drill, United States district attorney. Confirmation of the appointment has been received.

Roseau—Belief that oil exists in this vicinity has resulted in contracts for oil rights on large acreages. Two thousand acres have heen leased in Malung township, nine miles south of here, while 3,000 acres more have been taken over near here.

Caledonia—A countywide homecoming celebration, to be conducted in concelebration, to be conducted in conjunction with the seventy-fifth anniversary of the founding of Caledonia as a village will be observed this summer. Dates will be selected later by the Caledonia Commercial Club.

Ready-to-Wear Wash Dresses

A big shipment of fine, color fast wash dresses for women and girls, has been received and is now on display, See these dresses. They are well made, nicely trimed, and present a fine appearance.

Three big lots, one at **$1.39**, another at **$1.49**, and a better quality at **$1.98**.

Why spend your time sewing when you can buy this class and quality of dresses at such low prices?

Come In While The Size Range Is Good

Carlson Merc. Co. Inc.

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the Village Council of the Village of St. Hilaire, Minn., held at the president's office April 1st at 8 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed as read.

Martin Halstrom, 151 yds. of gravel	$181.20
M. Fricker, six months salary as clerk	30.00
E. O. Burkee, six months salary as treasurer	20.00
A. Satterburg, six months salary as president	5.00
H. F. Hanson, six months salary as conciliman, on day judge of election and two trips two trips to Thief River Falls	11.00
P. Simonson, six months salary as councilman on day clerk of election	8.50
A. A. Odegaard, six months salary as councilman	5.00
Ed Roy, one day judge of election	3.50
John Forseen, salary for March	15.00
Red River Power Co., for lights	34.30
Walter S. Booth & Son, village blanks	1.79
O. Gunstad, 3 proceedings, treasureres statements, gravel bids and ballots	33.75
Ole Brenum, one day labor	3.50
Ed Peterson and Albert Nelson, watching chimney fire	1.50
M. A. Highland, hauling two loads to dump ground	1.50

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjourned.

M. Fricker, Clerk. A. Satterberg, President.

Southern Cross Starts New Hop.

Sydney, Australia — The airplane Southern Cross, veteran of the trans Pacific flight from the United States to Hawaii and Australia, is on a trip to England. It is hoped to complete the trip in quicker time than the English aviator, Bert Hinkler, used on the reverse route.

U. S. Cancels 349 Oil Permits.

Washington—Secretary Ray L. Wilbur has announced 349 permits for oil prospecting on government land have been cancelled, 941 applications for oil and gas permits refused and 326 holders of oil and gas permits had been called on to show cause why their permits should not be revoked.

R. R. Workers Seek 6-Hour Day.

Boston—A nation-wide campaign for a six-hour day to combat unemployment, has been launched here by the Brotherhood of Railroad trainmen and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen. Simultaneous meetings of New England members of both brotherhoods were held here.

Dry Congressman Indicted.

Chicago—Congressman M. A. Michaelson of the Seventh Illinois district, is under indictment on charges of smuggling liquor in from Cuba. Michaelson has been supported in his rampaign by the Anti-Saloon league. He also voted for the Jones bill.

FOR SALE, etc.

FOR SALE:- Several Holstein-Fresian bull calves, 6 months old. Dams of these have production records of 400 lbs or more per year. Calves are from accredited herd. All individuals well marked. $60.00 each takes them. Address

Fred Cuno,
A11-M2pd Grygla, Minn.

Potatoes For Sale: Irish Cobbler spuds at 25 cents per bushel at the farm. Call on
A11-1gpd Jens Almquist, City.

POTATOES FOR SALE- Good quality Bliss Triumph potatoes. Address A. M. Sorvig, Wylie Minn. M21tf

For Sale:- One single gear and one double gear pump jack, both in good order. Call on
Ole Hagglund,
M 21tf R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

FOUND:- Horsehide coat is left at this office. Owner may have it by proving property and paying cost of advertising.

Potatoes For Sale:-Have a fine lot of Early Ohio potatoes for sale at 30 cents per bushel. Call on
Chr. Kruse,
R1 Wylie, Minn.

LOCALS

Taken Up: Small, shorthaired dog, came to my place a few days ago. Owner may have it by proving property and paying for this notice.

Ed Aubol,
R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

Dr. Spofford

Optometrist

Will Be At

Brooks, Thursday, April, 11th.

Plummer, Friday, April, 12th,

Eyes Examined, Glasses Fitted

Each of Us a Sculptor

We are all sculptors and painters and our material is in our own flesh, blood and bones.—Exchange.

Goats of Catalina

Between 20,000 and 30,000 wild goats inhabit Santa Catalina island, off the coast of California.

The Safe Holdup

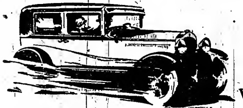
There is an embonpoint in middle age from which suspenders point the way of salvation.

Fastest Swimmer

The dolphin (coryphene hippurus) is supposed to be the fastest fish in the ocean.

33% Ahead of Record Year!

WHIPPET SALES FOR FIRST 3 MONTHS OF 1929 FAR SURPASS SALES FOR SAME PERIOD OF 1928



WHIPPET SIX SEDAN *with 7-Bearing Crankshaft*

$760

Coach $695; Coupe $695; Coupe (with rumble seat) $725; De Luxe Sedan $850; Sport De Luxe Roadster $850 (including rumble seat and extras).

WHIPPET FOUR COACH

$550

Coupe $550; 4-pass. Coupe $580; Sedan $615; De Luxe Sedan $695; Roadster $500; 4-pass. Roadster $510; Collegiate Roadster $595; Touring $495; Commercial Chassis $380. All Willys-Overland prices f. o. b. Toledo, Ohio, and specifications subject to change without notice.

THIS dramatic increase in sales of the new Superior Whippet, Fours and Sixes, is easy to understand. The new Superior Whippet Six is the world's lowest-priced Six with the important advantages of seven-bearing crankshaft, full force-feed lubrication, "Finger-Tip Control," silent timing chain, extra long wheelbase, oversize balloon tires and invar-strut pistons.

The new Superior Whippet Four is the only Four with full force-feed lubrication, "Finger-Tip Control," silent timing chain, invar-strut pistons and oversize balloon tires.

WILLYS-OVERLAND, INC., TOLEDO, O.

NEW SUPERIOR *Whippet* FOURS SIXES

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W. A. Arthur

Following is a newspaper clipping received last week-end from family of the late, Walter Arthur, at Snohomish, Wash:

"Walter Alexander Arthur, proprietor of the restaurant at the Robinson lettuce farm, Snohomish, route No. 2, died at Gale hospital at Monroe Friday morning, following a short illness of pneumonia. He was 60 years old and was born in Picton, Ontario, Canada. He is survived by a widow and three children, Mary of Snohomish, route No. 2, Earl of Selic, and Ernest of Spokane. Two brothers, John and Gilbert, reside at Picton, Ontario. Mr. Arthur was a member of the Masonic, Odd Fellows and Modern Woodman fraternities. Funeral services were held at the Monroe chapel of E. E. Purday & Sons, Inc., Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the Rev. P. A. Kleiwer of the Mennonite church of Monroe officiating. Interment was in the I. O. O. F. cemetery at Monre with the Monroe lodge No. 156 of Odd Fellows in charge. The Arthurs have resided on Snohomish route No. 2 for one and one-half years."

The Arthur family were residents of St. Hilaire for many years before moving west after close of the sawmill activities in this community. To all older residents of the village, and to all who were residents of the village, during mill days, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur and family were well known. Mr. Arthur was a members of the St. Hilaire Lodge I. O. O. F for over thirty years.

Altho they resided at various places since leaving this place, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur always considered St. Hilaire as "home". A son, Harold, who died at Prince Albert, Can., in 1915 is buried here, as also are parents of Mrs. Arthur.

Mr. Arthur homesteaded a quarter section in Mayfield when he resided here, and he still retains ownership of that as well as an adjoining quarter.

Sincere sympathy of all old friends and acquaintances in this community is extended to the family in their time of trial and sorrow.

The Red Lake Falls Milling Company loaded out two carloads of grain from the local elevator this week.

WANTED: Girl for housework on farm near Grand Forks. Three to cook for. Easy place. Write
Mrs. Henry Bertbauson,
A11-18pd Grand Forks, N. D.

E. C. Middleton Dies

Attorney E. C. Middleton of Baudette, county attorney of Lake of the Woods County, died Sunday at a Winnipeg hospital, typhoid pnuemonia being the cause of death.

Mr. Middleton was at one time connected with the mill company here during sawmill days, and will be recalled by those who were here at that time.

Birthday Party

A party was given Friday evening last at the H. R. Allen home in honor of Mrs. Allen, the occasion being her 50th birthday anniversary. The diversion of the evening was whist which greatly enjoyed.

The guests present included Mr. and Mrs. Carl Person, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bakko, Mr. and Mrs. J. Almquist, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Corbet and son, Mrs. Martin Bjerk, Laurine Bjerk, Clarice Syverson, Tom Larson and M. Fricker.

At midnight a dainty luncheon was served. Mrs. Allen was presented by the guests with a suitable gift as a reminder of the happy occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Sandberg returned home last week-end after spending the winter with their sons at Los Angeles, Calif.

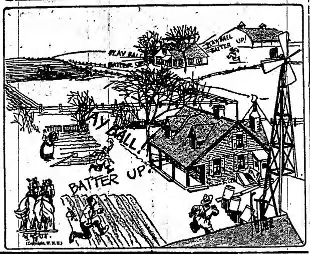
The former Hansen-Barzen elevator at Plummer is being dismantled by the rival elevator company which bought the house some time ago.

The highway in south part of town has warning flags posted on it where two heavily loaded trucks broke thru the gravel coating Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Finstad and Ed Hauske motored last Sunday to Bemidji for a visit with relatives, and returned Monday evening.

L. E. Healy, examiner in charge of the Farmers State Bank, was up Friday from Red Lake Falls looking after business matters for the bank. Mr. Healy is well pleased with results being obtained in connection with liquidation of affairs of the local bank. He states a good start has already been made toward another dividend which he hopes to be able to pay out the coming fall.

Spring Work Gets Its First Setback



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

"Early Easter, early spring does not seem to hold out this year."

Ole C. Johnson, manager of the Carlson store, bought a new Pontiac car this week from the Roy Motor Company, local agents for General Motors.

The Swedish Lutheran Ladies Aid will serve lunch at the Carlson Merc. Company store tomorrow, (Friday) on opening day of the big stock reduction sale.

Highwayman Albert Seaverson has been busy the past few days hauling gravel and repairing spots that needed it on trunk highway No. 32.

Mesdames Arne Vik and A. Bilden will entertain the Norwegian Lutheran Ladies Aid at the church parlors on April 26th at the usual hour.

Roads thruout this district are again in passable condition after the snow and heavy rain a week ago.

Supt. R. Peterson of the school at Plummer, motored over Saturday and spent the week-end here with friends.

A snowfall varying from six to eight inches fell in southern Minnesota and South Dakota last weekend. While cool weather prevailed here no snow fell in this part of the state.

John Gonnering, sausage maker at Durbin's, moved his family down Sunday from Thief River Falls and they are now getting settled in the Westerlund residence on Water street.

Norman E. Olsen, assistant buttermaker here, leaves Monday to take over managership of the creamery at Leonard. Lester Olsen, who has been employed here at times during the past year, was named by the creamery board to succeed Norman as assistant.

Lloyd Johnson, who was awarded the free scholarship at the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston offered by the Merchants State Bank last Christmas, returned home last week after completing his course. In addition to the regular studies, he also took the special course in cow testing which was given at the school fore part of this month.

Make your "dollar have more cents" by attending the big sale at Carlson's, April 19 to 29th.

Wm. Yonke contemplates having a basement built under his farm residence, and also plans to otherwise improve his buildings this spring.

The Roy Motor Company sold a used Essex car yesterday to Otto Eckstein at Wylie.

There will be no meeting of the 4H Club on Friday April 19th, altho previous announcement was made that meeting was to be held.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veterinarian, was here Friday, Saturday and Sunday last attending to a number of calls in this vicinity.

Remember, the big reduction sale starts Friday at the Carlson Mercantile Company store here. The stock is being ransacked for bargains, and hundreds of them will be on display every day of the sale.

County Agent Robert Douglas was down Monday from Thief River interviewing local dairymen in regard to possibilities of starting a cow testing association here this spring.

The Carlson Mercantile Company is putting on a big reduction sale at its five stores, including the local store, starting Friday this week. Big bills advertising the event are distributed thruout this territory.

Ordinary sizes of Mazda lamps, from 10 up to and including 60 watt size, are now retailing for 20 cents at the Spectator office. A drop in price became effective as of April 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McAllister and daughter, Muriel, of Grand Forks, Mr. and Mrs. Joe LaPlante and son of Crookston, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanson of Thief River Falls were all here Sunday for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Wilson.

A number of farmers residing west of town commenced work in their fields last week, and quite a number have seeded some grain. With favorable weather continuing it is expected a large acreage will be seeded this week. On the lower lands east of town it is still too wet to do any field work, but most farmers in that vicinity are expecting to get into their fields next week.

Planning Re-union

Tentative plans are being worked out for the coming re-union of the eighth grade class of 1919 to be held here in June this year. Responses received from members of the 1919 class up to this time, indicate that practically all of the members expect to be here. There were several more members in the class of 1919 than were named in the printed list some time ago, but only those who pledged themselves to attend a reunion, were named. It is entirely probable that ALL members of the class will make a special effort to be here this year now that it is assured a re-union will be held.

Gubbefest Sunday

Annual Gubbefest at the Norwegian Lutheran church will be held Sunday evening next at 8:00. A very good program has been arranged for the occasion and a fine time is anticipated. All welcome.

Mrs. Bergh Entertains

Mrs. P. E. Bergh entertained eight of her lady friends at her home last Saturday afternoon. The guest list Mesdames Gunderson, A. Priebe, Aug. Roese, Lonergan, Emard, Davies Vatthauer and Paulson. The afternoon was spent in a social way and at five o'clock the hostess served a delicious luncheon. — Plummer Pioneer.

A law was enacted a few days ago which provides for closing the polls in this state at 8:00 instead of 9.00 P. M., as has been the custom before.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Brewe and children, accompanied by Mrs. S. J. Hauge and Andrew Hauge, came Saturday from Halstad for a visit at the R. L. Hauge and Otto Johnson homes. They returned home Sunday.

Finishing of the improvements started last fall at the Black farm northeast of town, was commenced this week. Some repairs will be made on the residence and the entire set of buildings will be painted.

An inquiry has been received from a young physician who is looking for a location, and its likely St. Hilaire may have a resident physician again in a short time.

Gets Auto Agency

As will be noted by their adv elsewhere in this issue, the General Motors corporation announce the appointment of the Roy Motor Co. as local agents for the Oakland-Pontiac and other makes of General Motors cars. Paul Roy was engaged in the automobile business last year with J. D. Porter. and since removal of the latter to Bemidji, has decided to engage in that line for himself. He has sample cars of both Pontiac and the new Chevrolet on display at his show room now. He has made a severel sales already this spring, and anticipates a good season in matter of auto sales.

Congress In Session

A special session of Congress, called by President Hoover to enact legislation for benefit of agriculture opened Monday at Washington, D. C. Altho' other major issues are to come up during this session, it is expected the agricultral relief problem will have first consideration.

25 Years Ago

A. O. Letvig bought Tollef Thompson residence in south part of town.

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Wm. Husman went to Rainy River to look up prospects for putting in a bowling alley.

—xxv—

Owing to scarcity of logs the lumber company announced the local mill would not be operated that season.

—xxv—

A fire broke out at Wm. Olson's residence. Quick work by the fire department saved the building after about $200 of damage was done.

—xxv—

Ice in the river at this point was solid and firm, and prospects were that it would not move for another week.

—xxv—

Plans were received for the new Merchants State Bank which was to be built that summer.

—xxv—

Tom Deach went down to Crookston to work at the sawmill which opened that week.

The postal department has called a civil service examination to fill the vacancy in the postoffice at Thief River Falls caused by resignation of the late, Dan Shaw, last winter.

The Old Reliable

"Time tried and panic tested", this bank has done business in St. Hilaire for over a quarter of a century. Having such a record means the bank has enjoyed confidence of the people during that time.

When seeking banking connections, remember the "Old Reliable" is here to serve.

Open an account with us today — your business will be appreciated.

Merchants State Bank

St. Hilaire - - - - Minnesota

The Right Spirit

Your creamery is a citizen-owed plant, built by the people for the people. Aside from actual operating expense and a small amount laid aside to pay interest on borrowed money, its entire receipts are paid out to its patrons.

If you are not already a shareholder in this worthy enterprise, arrange to become a stockholder.

The creamery has been a big factor in upbuilding of this community. We want to make it still better, and we want you, as a shareholder, to join with your neighbors in realizing that ambition. Get your share today.

St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n
St. Hilaire, Minn.

OAKLAND

Announces the Appointment of

ROY MOTOR COMPANY
ST. HILAIRE, MINNESOTA

As Associate Dealer of

Grand Forks, N. D.

We are pleased to announce the appointment of a new local dealer whose standing and experience fully qualify him to meet the exacting standards required of those who sell and service Oakland and Pontiac Sixes.

We hope you will meet this new dealer. Visit him at your first opportunity. Permit him to show you the New All-American Six whose superb power, stirring performance and vivid style have established an entirely new conception of the modern motor car.

Let him point out the many features of advanced design embodied in the New Pontiac Big Six—the big car luxury, beauty and comfort of its bodies by Fisher—the big car power of its new, larger L-head engine—its big car speed, big car safety, and smooth, alert performance.

In addition to new cars of matchless value, this dealer also is authorized to sell Good Will Used Cars—reliable, inexpensive transportation backed by a fixed policy of honest value for the customer's dollar.

Our new dealer will welcome you whenever you find time to stop in. Call on him soon!

OAKLAND MOTOR CAR COMPANY, PONTIAC, MICHIGAN

The New OAKLAND All-American Six $1145 to $1375

The New PONTIAC Big Six $745 to $895

All prices f. o. b. factory

OAKLAND-PONTIAC
PRODUCTS OF **SIXES** GENERAL MOTORS

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated November 7th 1923, executed by Anton Peterson and Emma Peterson, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on November 8th, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 59 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $121.29, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $218.75 due on May 7th, 1928, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $218.75 due on November 7th, 1928; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $6,605.63, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from November 7th, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $340.04 amortized principal and interest, with interest on $121.29 thereof since July 9th, 1928, and on $218.75 thereof since November 7th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $118.31 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since February 19th 1929, in all the sum of $7,218.07, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) and the North Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½ of NW¼), and the North Half of the South Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½ of S½ of NW¼), all in section Thirty-five (35), Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), Range Forty-two (42) containing in all 280 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 17th day of May, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 3rd, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee
By Department of Rural Credit
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman

Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't. Attorney General
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. A4M9

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated November 26th, 1923, executed by William Erler and Cora E. Erier, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in ond for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on December 1st, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 96 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $107.57, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $140.63 due on May 26th, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $140.63 each, due on November 26th, 1927, May 26th, 1928, and November 26th, 1928, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,246.42, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from November 26th, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $529.46, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $107.57 thereof since May 26th, 1927, on $140.63 thereof since November 26th, 1927, on $140.63 thereof since May 26th, 1928, and on $140.63 thereof since November 26th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $241.25 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thercon at the rate of seven per cent. per onnum since March 13th, 1929, in all the sum of $5,141.24, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Lots Two (2), Four (4) and Five (5), except 6½ acres of said Lot Five (5) all in Section Fourteen (14), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-two (42), containing 163½ acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 24th day of May, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 10th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.

Attest: H. H. Flowers, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
510 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. A-11—M-16

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HAZEL NEWS

Mrs. J. Asp and son visited at the O. Odegaard home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Denhart visited at C. Prestby home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Peterson of Argyle visited at the O. Odegaard home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and children were Thief River Falls callers Saturday evening.

On Wednesday evening a Reading Circle Meeting was held at the Ole Odegaard home. The following teachers were present: Mrs. Lee Beebe, Misses Lillian Norman, Mae Kenney, and Dorothy Olsen.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Peterson and children visited with Mrs. Petersons parents at Newfolden on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wedul and baby, and Mrs. E. Knutson were Thief River callers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erling Prestby and children were Sunday dinner guests at the Carl Prestby home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Prestby were Saturday dinner guests at the Denhart home.

Mrs. J. Magnusson of Plummer visited at the Adrian Anderson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Peterson and Mrs. G. Bruce visited at the Wm. Peterson and Martin Peterson homes Sunday.

Miss Inez Holten went Thursday to Thief River Falls where she visited until Saturday with relatives.

Pete Nelson spent the week end in McIntosh where he visited with his mother.

Miss Ruth Seeland completed a term of school at the Washington school on Friday.

Mrs. G. Bruce, Anna Alberg and Ole Peterson were Thief River callers on Saturday.

Mrs. C. Alberg and children and Miss Anna Alberg visited at Ole Odegaards on Thursday.

H. Bergh and E. Knutson attended a sale west of Thief River Falls on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg visited at the Eli Peterson home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson visited at the C. Alberg and Eli Peterson homes on Monday evening.

Miss Hilda Alberg come Monday evening from Chicago, being called home by the illness of her mother, Mrs. S. Alberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Skaug of NewFolden visited at the home of their daughter, Mrs. E. N. Melvie on Sunday.

Dr. Frohleich of Thief River Falls was called to the C. Alberg home on Sunday due to the illness of Mrs. S. Alberg.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Torsveit and children of Plummer visited with the formers mother, Mrs. Martin Torsveit on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Sandberg who has spent the winter in Los Angeles, Cal., returned home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and children and Mrs. J. W. Denhart visited at the H, Erickson home at Thief River Falls Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Johnson and children visited with relatives in Grand Forks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lappegaard, Miss Ida Lokken, Bert Roese, Ole Peterson, Mrs. O. Odegaard, and Mrs. G. Bruce visited at the Carl Alberg home, Friday.

Mr. Kvale, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Thune, Misses Gladys and Clara Vigness and Godfrey Larson visited at the Ole Odegaard home on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Prebe, Mrs. A. Roese of Plummer, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Denhart and daughter, Mildred were Sunday dinner guests at the C. Roese home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. O. Odegaard, Mrs. P. Nelson and daughter, Gladys, Mrs. O. Seeland. and Hjlmer Finstad visited at the C. Alberg home on Sunday.

Mrs. O. Seeland entertained a group of friends at her home on Tuesday evening honoring Miss Ida Lokken who is now home from Rochester. After a pleasant evening a delicions lunch was served. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg and children, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Nelson and daughter, Gladys Ida and Margaret Lokken, Annie and Phoebe Anderson, Anna Alberg and Dorothy Olsen.

Mr. A. Widme left Monday for Grafton where he will be employed.

Oscar Borgie of Grand Forks was a Hazel caller Sunday.

Paul Figured on Happiness

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS

CONNIE'S cheeks were flushed a deep red and her wide eyes flomed with indignation at the words she bad just heard from Paul's lips.

The man—Paul—looked back calmly at the angry face of the girl he had loved. And no one to look at him would have suspected for one moment that he would have the conrage to speak as he hnd jnst spoken to the mnch-songht-after Cnnnie McBride.

"You're selfish and very thonghtless, "Connie," Panl bad sald quietly, "ond I have loved you very dearly for two years but—unless you can turn the candlelight into your own snul. and find for yourself those spots of tarnish ond—clean them out—as it were—I am golng to ask yon to release me from my promise to marry you."

"Paul. Yon unmitigated cod!" Connie wns beside herself with anger and she dragged the small diamond from her finger with a jerk. She would have thrown it at Paul, but that something in his groy eyes made her suddenly aware that she would be made to pick it up and hand it to him if she did so.

"No, I om not on unmitigated cad," said Paul calmly. "I merely see yon ns any responsible man should see the woman whom he had hoped to marry. You must remember, Connie, that I should never want to bring up a family of selfish children. And n mother who is blind to her own faults could hordly be expected to see them in her children."

"You needn't say anything further," stormed Connie. "I wouldn't marry you if you were the last man nn earth." She would have left his side save thot an iron grip on her wrist prevented it.

"But I do intend to say a little more," said Paul. "In the first ploce, yon are getting n salary of twenty dollars a week, nil of which yon spend on yonrself—not one penny goes to the father who has worked for twenty-one years to keep you clothed and fed nor to the mother who daily works far horder than you do. Is thut what yon consider being fair? Also, why should your mother wash out your silk stockings because yon say you are at business all day. Yonr business hours are from nine-thirty until five and your mother's are all day and nll night if her family require it of her, and yon know it." Paul paused a moment, for Connie's expression hod changed.

"You never get to your meals on time ond seem to think it doesn't matter if your mother must keep food warm and wash dishes at any time of the evening. Do yon think for one moment that I wonld permit my dear mother to cook a meal twice for me—jnst because I happen to be late? You never think it's up to yon to stay nt bome and core for the younger members of the family."

"I can't breok donce and party engagements jnst to stay home and mind the children," muttered Cnnnie.

"Yonr porents bave done it for nearly twenty-five years and i have not been blind to the fact thot on more than one occasion yon hove deliberotely gone out when you knew your sister hac an engagement and some one had to stoy home. Connie, dear—just whn nre you and what have yon done in this good old world to make yourself believe you have any right to go rough sbod over other people?"

Connie's face was now qnite white ond her lips were pressed in a close line. Unconsciously, because of the depths within her that hod been disturbed, Connie had slowly pushed the small ring bock on its nccustomed finger.

Way back in the wide places of Paul's heart a tiny flame leaped forth.

"Connie," he sald softly and even ventured to lay his hand over the nervous one fumbling with the ring, "I've been having a rotten time—telling you this but—I'm fighting for my future happiness — and there wouldn't be nny happiness without you—it would all be just bleak and—without love because I could never love anyone as I do yon—it's that that gave me the courage to—hurt my—greatest treasure." Paul's voice had broken n bit, hut he rose and moved toward the door. "Just try to keep thut in your mind nnd perhaps you will find you coc forgive me for hurting yon." Paul went out and closed the door quietly behind him.

It wosn't until Connie heard the garden gate clicking behind him that she burst into a passion of weeping.

And when her mother come in she flew into those comforting arms and poured out her troubles in feverish haste so that her mother soothed her much as she used to when Connie was but five or six yenrs old.

"I'm-m n hateful. selfish little wretch," she cried penitently, "and Paul—told me—so—so—"

"Poul—how dare he hurt my pet like this. You cannot possibly marry him, dear—break it off—" But there wos a smile of something like triumph in the motherly eyes.

"No—no," cried Connie. "I love him—I should simply die without him—I know I should, mother."

And somehow her mother understood and knew that she was giving her eldest born to one who might reasonably be called a man.

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The Big Difference

You moy not do what the other fellow wants, but yon can often do what yon want, bis way.—The American Magazine.

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Sunday school in local church at 2:00 and services at 3:00 P. M.

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C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday, April 21
Sunday school at 10:00
Service at 11:00
Evening service 8:00

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle. Pastor.

Sunday, April 21st

Norwegian services at Ebenezer Luth. in Mayfield at 11:00 A. M.

American service in Clearwater Luth at 2:15 P. M.

Argentinian Territory

Patagonia is a name formerly applied to the whole sonth portion of South America, extending from the Strait of Magellan indefinitely northward to abont the thirty-eighth parallel of sonth latitude. In its present use Patagonia has no political significance. It is generally restricted to tha region lying east of the Andes and sonth of Rio Negro. This country remained uoclaimed until 1881, when it was incorporated with Argentina.

Can't Reech Market

The Pan-American Union says that though Paraguay is noted for its wonderful orange crops, the oranges are allowed to go to waste hy the thousands because of lack of transportation. In the repnhlic there are only 274 miles of railroad and practically no highways which penetrate the regions where oranges grow. Oranges raised near the railroad and near the Paraguay river are shipped in larger quantities to Bnenos Aires.

Long Lecture Career

Ralph Waldo Emerson, ths celebrated American essayist, hegan his long career as a lecturer in 1833-34. For over thirty years ha lectured on such subjects as "Human Culture," "Human Life" and "The Present Age."

South River Falls

Mrs. Paul Thyren and daughters, Evelyn and Ivanette called at the Leaffler home Saturday evening.

Miss Ivanette and Evelyn Thyren Donald and Marvin Thyren, Helga and Harold Larson, Buelah and Harvey Rinkenberger visited at the George Hesse home Sunday afternoon the occasion being Sarah Hesse's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Erickson of McIntosh spent the week-end at the Aug. Erickson home. They returned home Sunday evening.

Henry Burstads are moving this weee from the old Satterberg home to their farm across the road from Stephens.

Mrs. Aug. Erickson and son, Ernest, visited at the F. Dobson home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thyren and sons, Clifford and Raynold, visited at the L. P. Thyren home Sunday,

Early Flying Enthnsiest

The first comprehensive explanation of the laws governing heavier-than-air flying, especially with gliders, woa made hy Sir George Cayley, an Eoglish acientist, in a series of magazine articles written and pnhlished in 1809 nnd 1810. Althongh he prodnced several crude airplane and hellcopter models to illustrate his theories, there is no record that he ever nchieved any measure of snccess with them.

Liberel Dozen

A "pnhlisher's dozen" is 13 coples, from the old haker's custom of allowing 13 rolls for each dozen aoid.

Foods for Strong Teeth

Milk, butter, eggs, fish, whola cereals, fresh fruits and vegetahles ald in making good dental atrnctnres.

Michigan's Many Lakes

In addition to Lake Michigan, there are said to be more than 6,000 lakes in the state of Michigan.

The Professor Again

Every time the hell on his typewriter tinkles the ahsent-minded professor writes "Come In!"

1ST DRY CHARGE MADE

St. Paul Federal Grand Jury Names Forty in Indictments.

St. Panl—The first Minnesota indictmenta noder the new Jones law, increasing sharply the psnalties for prohihitioo law violatioo, were returned here hy the federal grand jnry forty parsons heing namad in twenty-nins true hills under the new law, ont of s total of sixty-eight indictments returned. The other thirty-nine indictmeots were for thirty-nine persons arrested hefore the Jones law hecame operstive. The indictments were incinded in the jury's final report mede to District Jndge John B. Sanhorn.

Of the twenty-nine Jones law indictments, fifteen named tweoty-one St. Paul persons, 10 named fiftean Minneapolis persons and four named four Duluth defendents. Most of the trus hills were secret hecanse most of the persons nemed either are not in cnstody or have not yet heen arraigned hefore a United States commissioner.

Several other persons, nooe liehls to prosecntioo under the Jooes law, entered plees of guilty to liquor law violations and were sentenced hy Jndge Sanborn.

Valley Well Nemed

Death vulley received its name from tha fact that in 1850 a party of goldseekers with their families made a one-dey camp in the valley and less than half of them survived, ths remainder being overcome hy heat and thirst. A few escaped over the Panamints to the boantiful Californlan plains; the others returned to the East.

The Market

(Corrected on Wednesday)

Northern Wheat	$ 1.00
Doram Wheat	.85
Rys	.78
Barley	.47
Oats	.37
Flax	2.18
Eggs, cash	.20
Csamery butter	.48

Mexican Planes Risk Attacks.

El Paso, Texas.—Orders to attack any Mexican airplane flying over Unites States territory were issued to commanders of 18 American army planes which later left here to petrol ths international horder in the vicinity of Nsco, Ariz. Mexican federals at Naco, Sonora, were edvised of the instructions and were told thet the inahility of American airmen to distinguish hetween faderals and rehels in ths air, resulted in the ultimatnm. General Lncas Gonzalss, in command of federals at Naco, Sonora, was advised to keep his ships on the gronnd lest thay ho canght accidentally on this side of the horder and shot down.

Congressionel Peges

The pages lo coogress are not appointed hy any committee. Appointments in the senate are n part of senatorial patronage. Appointmenta in the house of representatives are made hy the doorkeeper npon the recommendations of members of the honse. There are 19 pages in the senate and 41 in the house. The age limits are fonrteen to sixteen years.

State Police Rescue 6 Dry Agents.

Bethiehem, Pa.—State police rescued six Philadelphia prohihition agents from a rock-throwiog crowd of 500. The trouble followed e raid on a hotel. Tires on the egents' cars were siashed end the windows broken. One of the agents, Austin McGarvey was arrested hy Leooard Martocci, a Roseto special policemao, on n charge of operatiog an an eutomohile while intoxicated, hut subsequently was released efter exeminetion hy a doctor who deciared him soher. Mortocci himself then was arrested for interference with a federal officer.

House Votes to Impeach Gov. Long.

Baton Rouge, La.—Huey P. Loog, youthfnl governor, was impeached hy the Lonsisne house of representatives amid scenes of disorder. The senata was notified formally and the upper hody resolved itself into a court of impeachment to hring the goveroor to trial. The governor was indicted hy house oo one of the cherges of the 19 io a new impeachment resolution aod ths housa plenned its coosideration of the other charges.

Great Lakes at High Level.

Chicago—The hasin of the Great Lakes, iergest inland hody of water in the world, is hrim full and splashing over. Wave-hattered cities in Canada as well as on this side of the iakes report thousands of dollars' damages as tha water stood in hordering streeta, alapped away at retaining walls and over docks, pouing into basements and hindered navigation.

Nevada Towns Ask Weter Burro.

Reno, Nevada—Rain falls so rarely in the arid Wassnk monntains of western Nevada that the residents want a hurro water carrying system established as a puhlio ntility.

Fred A. Ossanna May Evade Trial.

Minneapolis—Fred A. Ossanns, Mioneapolis attorney and former candidate for mayor, will not heve to stsod trial on n forgery charge growing out of the condition of the Aurora, Minn. State hank. According to e statement made hy Philip M. Stone, essistant prosecutor of St. Louis county, in which the Aurore hank is located.

Schall Urges Tom Mooney's Release.

Washington—Release of Thomes Mooney end Warren K. Billings from the San Quentio, Calif., prison where they have heen confined for 13 years on a cherge of dynamiting a prepereduess day parade in San Francisco in 1916, is demanded hy Senator Schell, Repuhlican of Minoesota. He contends the two were "framed."

Stimson Washes Hands of Social Row.

Washingtoo—Secretary Stimson of the state department has washed his haods of Weshiogton's social row, placiog upon the diplomatic corps tho full respoosihility for the saating of Mrs. Edward Everett Gann, sister and designated hostess of Vice President Curtis, at diplomatic dinoers.

Plane Falls In Airmen Search.

Sydney, N. S. W.—The airplane chertered by the Sydney "Sun" to seerch a 30-mile wide coastal area north of Wyndham, western Australia, aod investigate smoka signals hes returned to Wyndhem without haviog found a trace of the lost airmeo of the South-

Pope to Get Plane For Courier Servics

Rome—A papal airplane, for use chiefly in conrier aervice, will ha presented to tha popé shortly. The plane will he the gift of a group of industrialists at Milan, where Catholics already hava informed tha pope of their intention.

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Wood Turns to Agate

Next time you come across a petrified tree it may interest you to know that in a few centuries more it will become agate from which the jewelry and marbles of another age may be made. Up to a few centuries ago, says the Farm Journal, this wood-stone was highly prized as a magic charm, and was believed to be able to do everything from stopping the flow of blood to calming a hurricane.

Jefferson's Slavery Ideas

In Randall's "Life of Jefferson" appears the following: "He believed no reparation would render it expedient to admit them (slaves) to the rights of citizenship by making them a part of the electoral body; and on the other hand, he considered their retention in the state as a permanently distinct and inferior free caste as fraught with insuperable evils and dangers."

Not Always Twins

Little twin sisters were invited in to see a newly arrived baby brother and stood looking at him very much interested, when one asked: "Where's the other one, mother?"

Deadly Gas

The most dangerous property of carbon monoxide gas, apart from its poisonous qualities, is the fact that it is colorless, odorless and tasteless. Consequently, it is difficult to detect and when inhaled a very small percentage of this gas in the air is sufficient to cause death within a few minutes. This gas combines with the hemoglobin of the blood, producing headache and giddiness, then asphyxiation.

Jury of Grecian Origin?

Trial by jury is generally conceded to have originated with the Greeks. In Athens a certain number of freemen, selected by lot, heard and decided under the direction of a judge every case to be tried at law, a different group of men hearing each case. A similar system was adopted in Rome. The Normans made use of a primitive form of jury when they conquered England in 1066, calling them "inquests."

Goodly Outside

How many people as they pass
Will smile as they deceive!
The most agreeable, alas,
Are those you can't believe!

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Agassiz' Great Work

The Museum of Natural History at Cambridge, Mass., was built up by Jean Louis Rodolphe Agassiz. He also established in the island of Penikese, Buzzard's bay, a practical school of natural science, especially devoted to the study of modern zoology.

Winning Success

Success is never born of a day. It is the result of a process so gradual that it comes as a matter of surprise to those who achieve it. Those who reach the goal get there because their immediate concern is the task at hand.—Grit.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Raymond—George H. Kreindring has been re-elected superintendent of the Raymond schools.

New Prague—New Prague voters have rejected the proposed band tax levy by a majority of nearly 2 to 1.

Chatfield—E. F. Harnish has been elected again to the post of mayor. This is his seventh term in that office.

Little Falls—Letter men of the Little Falls high school are planning a banquet for the athletes of the school on April 18th.

Fergus Falls—A hearing on water easement claims for the Baudette regions will be conducted in this community May 28th.

Long Prairie—Rev. Roy Austin, pastor of the Long Prairie Presbyterian church, has resigned. He will spend the summer in Canada.

Minneapolis — The American Red Cross here has set $100,000 as its goal to help the victims of the recent tornado which swept the state.

Northfield—Nineteen Carleton College seniors have been formally initiated into Phi Beta Kappa, national honorary scholastic fraternity.

Mankato—The Mankato street railway may discontinue operations unless patronage increases or fares are raised, according to the president.

Minneapolis—The people of Minneapolis are getting air-minded. Twelve thousand of them visited the Wold-Chamberlain flying field in one week.

Kerkhoven—A business men's club has been organized here with W. B. Ammundson, president; P. A. Miller, vicepresident; F. O. J. Peterson, treasurer.

Duluth—S. W. Gilpin, who lately resigned as judge of St. Louis county, has been named vice-president and trust officer of the City National Bank.

Minneapolis—Alderman Ed. J. Sweeney of this city was found guilty of bribery after 17 hours deliberation by a jury. He will appeal or ask for a new trial.

Bemidji—Raymond H. Schumaker, grand senior warden of the Grand Commandery, Knights of Templar of Minnesota, died here after a five month illness.

Owatonna — The Owatonna Izaak Walton league chapter is engaging itself in rebuilding a pond adjoining and connected with Straight river here for use as a bass pond.

St. Paul—The Northwest prohibition district force has been swelled to 80 agents when a formal announcement from Washington added 10 to the St. Paul office staff under S. B. Qvale.

Welch—A. H. Bjorlie, of Welch has been named as a member of a state banking committee who will co-operate in promoting agricultural interests and developments in the state during 1929.

Paynesville—J. W. Wright of Winnebago has been elected superintendent of the Paynesville schools for the coming school year, it is announced by officers of the independent school district.

Minneapolis—Charles H. (Speed) Holman, holder of the world's record of 1,433 consecutive loops, now claims the distinction of having made the first "outside loop" ever negotiated in a commercial plane.

Chaska—Dr. N. H. Marshall dropped dead on the street here. Burial was in Lakewood cemetery, Minneapolis. Dr. Marshall has lived in Chaska for 40 years, and at the time of his death was city health officer.

Owatonna—Young people, their teachers and leaders, pastors and others interested in Sunday school work, were here for the opening session of the Second Annual Young People's Inter-Sunday School Conference.

Albert Lea—The condition of some of the roads in southern Minnesota caused many automobiles to be stuck in the mud and mire and the passengers to sleep in their cars overnight waiting for tractors to pull them out.

Winona—Chosen as "the most representative student" among coeds and men, Miss Viola Zeller, West Concord, and Everett Johnson, Spring Valley, have enviable records for the year 1928-29 at Winona State Teachers college.

South St. Paul—Olson brothers of Ormsby sold two carloads of Hereford steers at the market here for $14 a hundredweight, a new top for this market for the current year, and 50 cents over the year's previous top figure.

St. Peter—Five orators, representing colleges of Minnesota, Nebraska, Iowa, North and South Dakota, competed here in the western division contest of the Interstate Oratorical Association. This contest was held in the Gustavus Adolphus College.

Minneapolis—Plans are being made here to banquet Bishop Hjalmar Danell of Sweden, who is coming from his native country to attend the Minnesota conference of the Augustana Synod of the Swedish Lutheran church May 7 to 14, at Center City, Minn.

Sauk Rapids—The Union Bank here, one of a chain of 35, is scheduled to open May 20th, by which time the purchase of the former Citizens State Bank and former Sauk Rapids State Bank building will have been completed.

Northfield—New officers have been elected by the Rotary Club of Northfield as follows. W. S. Hughes, president; Endre B. Anderson, vice president; Dr. R. D. Kelsey, secretary; R. W. Schmidt, treasurer; A. W. Bierman, C. S. Finkelson and Norman W. Mackay, directors.

Ready-to-Wear Wash Dresses

A big shipment of fine, color-fast wash dresses for women and girls, has been received and is now on display, See these dresses. They are well made, nicely trimmed, and present a fine appearance.

Three big lots, one at **$1.39**, another at **$1.49**, and a better quality at **$1.98**.

Why spend your time sewing when you can buy this class and quality of dresses at such low prices?

Come In While The Size Range Is Good

Carlson Merc. Co. Inc.
St. Hilaire, Minn.

LOCALS

Rev. C. B. Dahlberg will return this week after spending several days at his parental home at New London, Minn.

Ed Engh, proprietor of the garage recently purchased a Big Six Studebaker coach for use both as a towing car and for passenger use.

Rev. C. E. Anderson of Fertile conducted services at the Evang-Mission church last Sunday morning during absence of Rev. Dahlberg

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Holmberg were here last Sunday for a brief stay. Mr. Holmberg plans to remove his household goods and family soon to Crookston where he has employment.

Improvement of the Warroad river to prevent flooding of parts of that village during high water, which work is being undertaken by the national government, is to start in the near future.

Resolution of Condolence

Whereas, It has pleased the Almighty to call to his higher Reward our esteemed brother, Walter A. Arthur.

Be It Resolved: That his departure leaves a vacancy and sorrow that will be keenly felt by all good Odd Fellows, and will be a serious loss to our beloved Order, as well as to the community wherein he and family resided.

Be It Resolved: That with deep sympathy for the bereaved family, we express a hope so great a loss will be over-ruled for good by Him who doeth all things well.

Be It Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records of St. Hilaire Lodge I. O. O. F. No. 147; that a copy be sent to the family of our beloved Brother, and a copy be published in the St. Hilaire Spectator.

Ed Roy
Wm. Kruse
M. Fricker
Committee

Important Discovery

Iron ore in the Marquette range was first found by a white man, William A. Burt, deputy surveyor for the government, on September 16, 1884, at the extreme end of Teal lake.

Holly Superstition

According to old tradition, when you take down your holly and find it still fresh, you can rejoice—for all your undertakings in the following year will prosper.

Source of Vanilla

It is from the dried pods of a species of orchid, a climbing vine, native of Mexico, that we get vanilla, so much used for flavoring.

America's First Organ

The first organ built in this country was constructed by John Clemm of New York for Trinity church of that city, in 1737.

FOR SALE, etc.

FOR SALE:- Several Holstein-Fresian bull calves, 6 months old. Dams of these have production records of 400 lbs or more per year. Calves are from accredited herd. All individuals well marked. $60.00 each takes them. Address
Fred Cuno,
A11-M2pd Grygla, Minn.

For Sale: A John Deere sulky plow, 16 in, with both stubble and breaker bottom; a P & O 14 inch gang plow, and a John Deere-Moline 16 inch sulky plow. Will sell cheap if taken at once.
Wm. Olsen, City.

Potatoes For Sale: Irish Cobbler spuds at 25 cents per bushel at the farm. Call on
A11-1gpd Jens Almquist, City.

POTATOES FOR SALE- Good quality Bliss Triumph potatoes. Address A. M. Sorvig, Wylie Minn. M21tf

Potatoes For Sale:-Have a fine lot of Early Ohio potatoes for sale at 30 cents per bushel. Call on
Chr. Kruse,
R1 Wylie, Minn.

Term for High Water

The Naval observatory says high water occurs 50 minutes later each day on an average. High water follows the transit of the moon across the meridian of any place by a certain interval, which is known as the "establishment of the port." This interval is approximately the same throughout the year for any one place, but differs widely for different places.

Islands Are Portuguese

The Madeira Islands consist of five separate islands, Madeira, Porto Santo, Chao, Deserta Grande, and Bogio. The last three are uninhabited. A Portuguese named Zargo discovered Porto Santo in 1419 and he and his crew lived there about a year before they visited Madeira. By this discovery Portugal came into possession of these islands and she still governs them.

Sharp Practice

A seedy negro was borrowing $10 for one week, and on counting it discovered only $9, to which he called the loan man's attention. It was explained that $1 had been deducted as interest, and as customary was collected in advance. Blinking his eyes in amazement, he scratched his head and mumbled: "I'se sho' glad Ah didn't need dis money fo' ten weeks."
—Forbes Magazine.

Own Giving

There is a reciprocal relationship between our giving and the blessings which will come to us.—Rev. Samuel D. Price.

Exact Date Unknown

The celebrated treaty with the Indians was probably signed by William Penn in the summer or fall of 1683.

Cameo Carving

Cameos are carved on precious stone, shell or other material. Onyx and sardonyx are very often used.

Gave Name to Magnolia

The magnolia tree was named for Pierre Magnol, a French botanist of the early Seventeenth century.

Stock Reduction Sale

In Order To Reduce Stock

At our five stores to extent of $20,000 we are offering big reductions in all lines.

Sale Starts Friday, April 19th And Closes 10 Days Later

See the big bills for some of the bargains offered. There will also be hundreds of others every day of the sale. Anticipate your needs for spring, and buy now at the special low prices

The Swedish Lutheran Ladies Aid will serve lunch at the store all day Friday this week.

Carlson Merc. Co., Inc.
O. C. Johnson, Manager

Minn. Historical Society St. Paul, Minn.

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Ferd Gother Called

Ferd Gother, pioneer resident of Wylie community, died Wednesday last week at a Crookston hospital after an illness of two months.

Mr. Gother, who was 67 years of age at time of death, had resided on his farm near Wylie since 1886, and was held in high esteem in that community in whose uphuilding he had taken a prominent part.

To mourn his death he leaves his widow and children, the latter being Mrs. T. P. Smidesang of Eldred, Richard Gother at Wylie, Emil Gother at Grand Forks, and Mrs. F. Harbott at Wylie, besides several brothers, sisters and grandchildren. Funeral services were held last Sunday from the Immanuel Lutheran church near Wylie. The funeral was one of the largest held in that section, old friends from near and far being present to pay their last respects to one who was well esteemed by all who knew him.

Party For Pastor

Members of the Evangelical Mission congregation, as well as a large number of friends from nearby towns and this village, gathered at the church last Friday evening and tendered the pastor, Rev. C. B. Dahlberg, a surprise party.

Rev. Dahlberg was in northern part of the state and was not aware that anything of the kind was contemplated until he arrived late that evening and found the church filled to overflowing with people who had come to do him honor. A very pleasant evening was spent and Rev. Dahlberg was presented with an appropriate reminder of the happy oc-casion.

Play Day Saturday

Eleven rural schools districts will be represented by teams at the Regional Play Day which is to be held here Saturday of this week. The various contests will be under supervision of Supt. E. N. Reiersgord of the local school, assisted by two men from Thief River Falls.

These play day exercises are becoming quite an interesting feature in the rural schools, and are eagerly looked forward to each year. The regional meeting here will be held at the local school ground, and a good attendance is expected if the weather is favorable.

Annual Short Course

Club members from every county in Northwestern Minnesota are expected to attend the eighteenth annual Boys' and Girls' Short Course to be held at the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston June 10-13 inclusive. Members of the Northwest School faculty, together with several outside speakers and demonstrators will be in charge of a well planned program of le tures and demonstrations, including work with livestock, crops, cooking, sewing, and canning. According to H. A. Pflughoeft, district club leader the educational features will be interspersed with a variety of contests, stunts, movies and outdoor games.

This short course offers an unusual opportunity for boy and girl club members to secure information that will help them in their work during the summer.

All boys and girls will room on the campus in the school dormitories and be given the same supervision as students attending the regular six months courses. The total cost of board, room, and entertainment will be $3.00. Write the Northwest School, Crookston, for reservations.

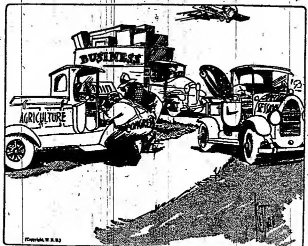
Luther League, Sunday

A Luther league meeting will be held at the Norwegian Lutheran church next Sunday evening starting at 8:00. A very good program has been arranged for, and lunch will be served in the church basement after the program.

The annual Gubbefest held at the Norwegian Lutheran church last Sunday evening, was the best attended affair of that kind since the annual fest was inaugurated some years ago. A fine program of vocal and instrumental music, and speeches was given in the church starting at 8:00. At close of the program all adjourned to the basement where a toothsome lunch was served by the men of the congregation. So many attended that it took well over an hour before all could be served.

Riley Rasmussen, cashier of the First National Bank at Roseau, was here yesterday on a brief business mission while his family was visiting friends at Thief River Falls.

Assistance



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Lester Olsen was hired as assistant buttermaker at the creamery at the board meeting held last Friday.

The Spectator office has a nice assortment of Mother's Day cards. Select yours now and have it ready for mailing. Adv.

Anton Peterson, well known Hazel farmer, was in the village Saturday looking after business matters and also calling on old friends.

Chas. Naplin is wrecking the old Sargent building on site of the former Nelson machinery hall buildings which he bought last fall.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Sundholm and family motored Thursday to Fargo where they spent the day with relatives of Mrs. Sundholm.

Christ Bjerk came up first of the week from Bemidji for a visit at the home of his brother, Martin Bjerk.

Regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the creamery was held Friday, and checks for the past month's deliveries were issued Monday.

Nearly $400 worth of eggs were marketed in St. Hilaire last Friday. At the rate the poultry business is is progressing in this territory, it will not be long before poultry and eggs will bring in more each year than the dairy products do at present.

Erick Anderson, aged resident of Rocksbury two miles east of here, had the misfortune to fracture a leg last week when he fell from a chair at his home. He was taken to the hospital at Thief River where he is reported to be resting comfortably.

Ira Carpenter is busy painting and repairing the residence and other buildings on his farm southeast of here which place is now occupied by the Gunderson family. Mr. Carpenter intends to put the place in first class shape before he returns to his home at Isle, Minn.

Since frost commenced going out of the ground, a number of soft spots have developed on the highway as well as in a number of places on the village streets. While these are inconvenient for motorists, there is apparently no remedy but to wait until the ground settles.

Mike Highland and Ben Brevik, who have both had a prolonged enforced vacation due to illness, are able to be about again as usual.

John Gonnering and Lawrence Wilson motored Saturday to Warren where the latter had secured a position as manager of a meat market.

Otto Johnson is the owner of a new Chevrolet Six purchased this week from the Roy Motor Company local agents for General Motor cars.

Rev. C. B. Dahlberg returned Friday night by way of Northcote, Minn., after having spent a week or more at home of his parents at New London, Minn.

Residents across the river are planning to erect the walk bridge again this spring. Owing to high water, the bridge has not been set up the past couple years.

Oscar Kolstad, who has spent most of the winter at home, left Saturday for Duluth where he expects to have employment on the docks during the coming season.

A new four unit milking machine of the DeLavel make, is being installed at the Arne Vik farm this week. The new outfit is the very latest in milking machines, and has proven very satisfactory wherever installed.

Will Rinkenberger was at Thief River last Saturday to get two cows which he had purchased there. Will is getting a good start in dairying, and at rate he is going, will soon be among the heaviest producers of cream in this territory.

The Carlson Merc. Co., had a very successful day Friday at opening of their big stock reduction sale. The Swedish Lutheran Ladies' Aid served lunch at the store during the day, and they also had a very successful day.

Miss Hattie Johnson returned last week after a visit with her relatives at Bemidji. She will spend another week or two with relatives here before she returns to Thermopolis Wyoming where she has employment.

Simon Holmberg, former sausage maker at Durbin's, came up Sunday with a truck from Crookston and moved his household goods to that city. Mr. Holmberg is now employed at the Erickson meat market at Crookston.

To Improve Highway

The Minnesota Highway department is calling for bids on a number of grading and paving projects, to be opened May 14th, among which two on Trunk Highway No. 32. One of these comprises 17.5 miles of grading between Holt and the north county line, and, the other is 10.9 miles of grading between Greenbush and the south line of Roseau county. This will all be new grade to replace the present road between Holt and Greenbush which has so many sharp turns, and is generally in bad condition every spring. Three new bridges will be constructed on the new route, bids for them being called at the same time. The new road will eliminate the grade crossings and sharp turns between Holt and Greenbush which have been the source of many complaints from motorists since T. H. No. 32 was first established.

Commencment May 31

Commencement at the local high school will be held Friday evening May 31st this year. J. W. Black, of Minneapolis, connected with the local bank as well as with others in this section, has been secured to deliver the Commencement address. Rev. C. B. Dahlberg, pastor of the Evang. Mission church will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon this year.

The New Speed Limit

Change by the legislature, of the law permitting autos a speed limit of 45 miles an hour instead of 35 as before, has been mistakenly regarded by many motorists. The law does NOT state that a car may be driven 45 miles an hour under ALL circumstances. The limit is 15 miles an hour thru school zones when children are out at recess or during noon hour. Travel thru the congested parts of a village or city must be at reasonable rate, bearing in mind at all times the safety of others. A car driven at even ten miles per hour thru a crowded street may be stopped if driven without regard for safety for others The speed law does not specify any given rate at which cars may be driven under all circumstances, but states plainly that safety of pedestrians and other autoists must be considered, and in case of accident, the burden of proof is with the driver.

Olaf Mosbeck Summoned

Olaf Mosbeck, another of the highly respected old pioneers of Black River district west of here, died Wednesday evening of last week after a prolonged illness, of cancer.

Mr. Mosbeck was an honorable, upright man, well thought of by everyone with whom he came in contact, and his death is a source of deep regret to his many friends in this community, as well as those in Black River district where he and family have resided so long.

Deceased was born in Fernabo congregation, Vermland, Sweden on August 21st, 1861 and was 67 years and 8 months of age. He came to this country in 1879 settling at Red Wing in this state. In 1889 he was united in marriage to Clara Lindquist and to this union five sons were born. Two of these, as well as their mother, died many years ago.

In 1900, Mr. Mosbeck was married to Louisa Erchingar, and she, together with eight daughters and seven sons of that union, survive the husband and father. With exception of two children, who reside in Canada, all members of the family were here for the funeral.

The funeral, which was conducted by Rev. A. F. Nelson at the Swedish Lutheran church in Black River on Monday, was the largest gathering held at that church for many years, which showed the esteem in which the deceased was held. Six sons of Mr. Mosbeck acted as pallbearers for their father.

Interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the church.

Sincere sympathy of numerous friends in this community is extended to the bereaved family in their sad loss of husband and father.

Father Dies

Ferdie and Effie Fredrickson was called last week to Starbuck, Minn. by illness, and later death, of their father, Albert Fredrickson, which occured Saturday in a hospital there following an operation. Besides the two children here, the deceased is survived by another daughter in California. Funeral services were held yesterday at Starbuck. Sympathy of many friends here is extended to the bereaved family.

Mrs. Amanda Person was engaged by the creamery last week to handle eggs at the local plant.

The Old Reliable

"Time tried and panic tested", this bank has done business in St. Hilaire for over a quarter of a century. Having such a record means the bank has enjoyed confidence of the people during that time.

When seeking banking connections, remember the "Old Reliable" is here to serve.

Open an account with us today — your business will be appreciated.

Merchants State Bank

St. Hilaire Minnesota

The Right Spirit

Your creamery is a citizen-owed plant, built by the people for the people. Aside from actual operating expense and a small amount laid aside to pay interest on borrowed money, its entire receipts are paid out to its patrons.

If you are not already a shareholder in this worthy enterprise, arrange to become a stockholder.

The creamery has been a big factor in upbuilding of this community. We want to make it still better, and we want you, as a shareholder, to join with your neighbors in realizing that ambition. Get your share today.

St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n

St. Hilaire, Minn.

HAZEL NEWS

Mrs. Denhart, and Mrs. C. Prestby visited school on Wednesday.

Miss Ruth Seeland visited school in St. Hilaire on Tuesday.

Mrs. Anton Peterson visited at C. Albergs on Friday.

Mrs. Nels Nelson and son Norman and daughter, Pearl visit the Martin Lokken home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg and baby visited at the Emil Thune home on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. C. Roese visited at the A. Peterson home on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Stephens and three children called at the Theo. Johnson home on Sunday.

Louis Lokken and Raynard Nelson visited at the A. Torkelson home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Denhart and daughter, Mildred called at the C. Prestby home on Friday evening.

Miss Hilda Alberg returned to Lake Forest on Sunday evening after a brief visit with her mother who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and children visited with relatives in Plummer on Sunday.

Annie, Arthur and Phoebe Anderson visited at the M. Lokken home on Sunday.

Miss Martha Albin returned from Minneapolis Tuesday evening where she has spent the past two weeks.

Minton Hoard of Thief River Falls and William Wild visited at the Ed Knutson home on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Roese and children visited at the W. Denhart home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Prestby and children, came Saturday from Kratka to visit at the C. Prestby home.

Mr. and Mrs. Erling Prestby and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Prestby and children visited at the Carl Prestby home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnt Wedul visited Ole Weduls of Plummer on Sunday.

Mrs. Oscar Seeland, Mrs. O. Odegaard and Ole Peterson visited with Mrs. Sherva in St. Hilaire on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Larson of Thief River visited at the home of their daughter, Mrs. E. Peterson Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lappagaard, Margaret Lokken, Mr. Alberg and son, where Thief River callers on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Anderson "Grand ma" Anderson, J. Johnson, Mrs. P. Nelson, Mrs. Eli Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Finstad visited at Carl Albergs on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Johnson autoed to Thief River on Wednesday where Mr. Johnson received medical attention. During his illness Gerald Stephens has been substituting on the route.

Mr. and Mrs. "Pete" Nelson, and daughter Gladys, Mr. and Mrs. C. Finstad, Mr. and Mrs. M. Finstad, Mrs. K. Finstad, Mr. G. Larson, Mr Erickson, Mr. and Mrs. Fellman spent Snnday afternoon at Carl Albergs.

Mrs. Dahl and daughter, Myrtle and son Harry, Mrs. Langer and two children of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. "Pete" Nelson and daughter Gladys, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Thune and children visited at the Ed Knutson home on Sunday.

On Friday, April 19th, districts 133J, 19J, 178, and 12 held their Sectional Play Day at the August Erickson School. The winners in the various schools will represent River Falls township in the Regional Play Day to be held in St Hilaire next Saturday.

South River Falls

Walter Swanson was a business caller at Gonvick, Saturday.

John Sjoberg received his new Ford last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Bothman and children spent Sunday at the N. E. Beebe home.

Mrs. August Erickson and son, Victor, visited at Wannaska Saturdao and Sunday.

John Högquist who has been employed at the G. Marquette sawmill, had the misfortune to sprain his wrist.

Play Day was well attended at District 133J. The schools taking parts and points each won using the ratio 5-3-2-1 are as follows: District 133J, 23 points, District, 178, 38 points, District, 12, 18 point, and District 236, 50 points.

A farewell party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burstad, Saturday evening by a group of neighbors. The Burstads are moving to their new home across the road from the E. H. Stephens farm. The evening was spent socially and on departing the guests presented Mr. and Mrs. Burstad a purse of money Their many friends regret their departure from their immediate surroundings.

THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Communion services in local church Sunday morning at 10:30, with Sunday school following.

Sunday school "fest" in Black River church at 2:00 P. M. Lunch will be served.

The Ladies' Aid meets at home of Mrs. Alfred Hallstrom in Black River at usual hour today.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00.
Services at 11:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M.
Y. P. S. will be held at the Black River Chapel on Saturday evening May 4.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday April 28th
Services as follows:
Oak Ridge 11:00 A. M. Sermonettes. Norw. and American. Business meeting following the services.
St. Pauli services at 2:30 P. M.
Sunday school at 1:30.
St. Hilaire Luth.
Luther League at 8 P. M. A good program will be rendered. All welcome.

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NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated November 7th, 1923, executed by Anton Peterson and Emma Peterson, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on November 8th, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 59 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $121.29, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $218.75 due on May 7th, 1928, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $218.75 due on November 7th, 1928; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $6,605.63, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from November 7th, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $340.04, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $121.29 thereof since July 9th, 1928, and on $218.75 thereof since November 7th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $118.31 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since February 19th, 1929, in all the sum of $7,218.07, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) and the North Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½ of NW¼), and the North Half of the South Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½ of S½ of NW¼), all in section Thirty-five (35), Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), Range Forty-two (42) containing in all 280 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 17th day of May, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 3rd, 1929.
STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't. Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. A4M9

In Memoriam

In loving remembrance of Mrs Peter Burstad who died one year ago, April 30th, 1928.

Gone, but not forgotten.
"A precious one from us has gone,
A voice we loved is stilled
A place is vacant in our home,
Which never can be filled.
God in his wisdom, has recalled
The boon his love had given,
And though the body slumbers here
The soul is safe in Heaven."
Sadly missed by us all.
Peter Burstad and family.

DR. L. R. TWETE
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Spring Showing of General Motors Cars.

This week, throughout America, the public is viewing the newest models of General Motors products. Check and mail the coupon below. It will bring this Spring Showing into your own home.

CHEVROLET—Last year the public bought more than 1,000,000 Chevrolets. This enabled Chevrolet and General Motors to effect one of the most remarkable feats in iodustrial history: almost overnight, Chevrolet was changed from a 4-cylinder car to a Six *in the price range of the four*. The oew Chevrolet Six is *new* in every respect: smoother, more powerful, and luxurious bodies by Fisher.
7 models—$525 to $725

PONTIAC—Since General Motors introduced the Pootiac Six three years ago, its sales have practically *doubled* each year. Now General Motors offers, in the *new* Pontiac, a "*Big six*," at the same base price. It has big-car power, big-car performance and big-car luxury in the Bodies by Fisher. It is appealing particularly to families which are "stepping up" in car ownership. 7 models—$745 to $895

OLDSMOBILE—General Motors took this long-established car and remade it to provide a fine car at low price. Last year the value of Oldsmobile was so marked that the public bought over 50 per cent more than the year before. The *new* Oldsmobile models, with Bodies by Fisher, offer still further improvements — and the prices have been reduced! Oldsmobile also has new Special and De Luxe models, with extra features, at slightly higher prices.
7 models—$875 to $1035

OAKLAND—General Motors' policy of continuous improvement is oowhere more noticeable than in the *new* models of the Oakland All-American Six. The distinctive style and advanced engineering principles which Oakland represents have made it a center of unusual public interest at automobile shows. All-American in name, the oew Oakland is All-American in its qualities of speed, snap, power and stamina. Fisher makes the bodies.
8 models—$1145 to $1375

VIKING—There was demand for an 8-cylinder car of General Motors quality in the medium price field. General Motors chose Oldsmobile to design and build the new car, and three years were spent in its development and test. The result was revealed last month in the Viking, the latest member of the General Motors family. Viking has the world-famous 90-degree V-type engine and Fisher's oewest creations in bodies. 3 models—$1595

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GENERAL MOTORS (Dept. A), Detroit, Michigan

Please send me, without obligation, your illustrated Spring Showing on the new models of the products I have checked, together with your new booklet of interest to car buyers—"The Open Mind."

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☐ VIKING ☐ BUICK ☐ LaSALLE ☐ CADILLAC
☐ *Frigidaire Automatic Refrigerator*
☐ *Delco-Light Electric Power and Light Plants* ☐ *Water Systems*

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Address......................................

BUICK—This famous member of the General Motors family, year after year, has giveo iocreasing value. Over 2,000,000 Buicks have been built and sold and of this total 1,500,000 are still serving their owoers. The *new* Silver Anniversary Buick, with masterpiece Bodies by Fisher, comes io three wheel-base lengths. All are powered by the Buick Valve-in-Head engine, which is vibrationless beyond belief.
19 models—$1195 to $2145

LaSALLE—When General Motors introduced LaSalle, two years ago, it set a style which was widely copied both in America and Europe. The *new* models are as distinguished as the first. Built by Cadillac, LaSalle enjoys the same mechanical excelleoce: 90-degree V-type engine of 8 cylioders; transmissioo that permits gear shifting withont noise or clashing at any speed. The bodies, by Fisher and Fleetwood, offer a choice of colors to express individuality.
14 models—$2295 to $4900

CADILLAC—What more cao be said of Cadillac? For twenty-five years the world's standard of comparison in the fine car field. The choice of kings, presidents and leaders of business and society in every country. To the unparalleled performance of Cadillac's 90-degree V-type 8-cylinder engine has been added the silent transmission and many oew advances in design. Your choice of colors in bodies by Fisher and Fleetwood.
25 models—$3295 to $7000

Visit our Special Spring Showing now being held

As new and different now as it was when introduced

Recall the scene. A New Oakland All-American Six. Making its bow to the public. And now you see it here . . . there . . . everywhere you go. Other cars have appeared in bewildering succession. But the distinction of the All-American continues . . . unaffected. It's as new and refreshingly different today as it was when introduced. Like a good friend . . . it grows on you . . . impressing you more favorably with every passing week. The better you know it the more you will respect the New Oakland All-American Six.

Prices $1145 to $1375, f. o. b. Pontiac, Michigan, plus delivery charges. Spring covers and Lovejoy Hydraulic Shock Absorbers included in list prices. Bumpers and rear fender guards extra. General Motors Time Payment Plan available at minimum rate.

Consider the delivered price as well as the list price when comparing automobile values.

Oakland-Pontiac delivered prices include only reasonable charges for delivery and financing.

ROY MOTOR COMPANY
ST. HILAIRE MINN.

The New OAKLAND
ALL-AMERICAN SIX
PRODUCT OF GENERAL MOTORS

Wanted

Orders for seed wheat, oats, barley, and flax.

See us for prices on the above, and on any other seed you may want this spring.

C. Roe Grain Company
ST. HILAIRE, MINN

Arthur Hanson *Local Manager*

Custom Hatching

Owing to lack of time because of having taken on other work, the St. Hilaire Hatchery will not take orders for baby chicks this season, but will do custom hatching at 4 cents per egg.

Will have some White Leghorn and also some White Wyandotte eggs from prize winning stock, for sale to those who wish to buy eggs

Mrs. O. A. HOLMES
2 miles northeast of ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

PLEASURE

TODAY—Every modern woman can have plenty of time for PLEASURE . . . because her cooking, cleaning, dishwashing, and laundering can all be done by electricity. Make electrical helpers do the greatest share of your housework. They will give you added hours for pleasure each day ¶ Every electrical outlet in your home is your opportunity to shift some household drudgery to your most willing helper . . . electricity . . . and at a cost of only a few cents! ¶ What's your pleasure worth?

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THE LOW 3RD. STEP RATE makes every electrical service so cheap that any woman who does any task electricity can do, is working for a few cents a day. Is that a fair price for your pleasure?

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Rushmore—Business men of Rushmore, at a meeting in the First State Bank rooms, organized a Commercial Club here.

Alexandria—As a result of election by directors of Alexandria Advertising club, C. A. Foslien will head the club as president.

Brainerd—As part of the plan to beautify Brainerd, the park board plans to plant flowers on Center boulevards of city streets.

Red Wng—William Ahlberg, street commissioner, recently purchased a $3,125 road grader to be used on roads around Red Wing.

Little Falls—Federal census headquarters for the Ninth Minnesota division will be in Little Falls according to advices from Washington.

Jasper—The Jasper Journal, owned and published by D. J. and Alex Sinclair since 1914, has been sold to Marion D. Mitchell of Grinnell.

Brainerd—An appeal contesting election of W. F. Wiener as supervisor of Fairfield township, filed by Louis L. Moritz, will be heard in the May term of conrt.

Duluth—The 1929 Inter-Lake navigation season at the head of the lakes, officially opened here when the steamer L. E. Block arrived at the local harbor Monday the 15th.

New Prague—Thirty pupils of the New Prague high school will receive diplomas at the annual commencement exercisee May 29. Dr. B. Sblmek of the University of Iowa will deliver the address.

Minnespolis—A coroner's verdict of homicide and euicide was returned after the bodiee of Mrs. Sophie Starclongh, 54 years old, and her daughter, Beulah, 24 years old, had been found in a gas-filled apartment.

Faribault—A committee of stockholders of the closed Farmers and Merchants State Bank has been appointed to interview men who might be availahle as officers of the bank in the event that the bank is reorganized and reopened.

Chatfield—The will of Herhert Teitchell, filed for prohate in Hamilton, Ohio, directs that $200 be given to the library and $100 to the Presbyterian church at Chatfield, Minn., in recognition of the fact that he was tha first white child born in that village.

St. Cloud—The Veterans Bureau at Washington opened bids on the infirmary building and improvements on its hospital here. Proposals for tha work which, it is estimated will cost approximately $200,000 were taken under advisement.

Chatfield—Rev. Norman E. Nygaard of Albert Lea, formerly of Minneapolis, was elected moderator for the Winona Free Presbytery of the Presbyterian church at the spring conference He succeeds Rev. A. Ralph Lynn of Rochester.

Wabasha—Wabasha now hears the time chimed from an American Legion Auxiliary memorial clock. The time piece, costing $950 is in front of the city hall building. Money was raised by the American Legion and popular subscription

Minneapolis—Dr. C. H. Ecklee, chief of the university dairy division at University farm, and former Professor T. L. Haecker, who preceded Dr. Eckles, have been named among a group of 10 men selected from the world at large as "master minds" of the dairy industry.

The Market

(Corrected on Wednesday)

Northern Wheat	$.96
Duram Wheat	.85
Rye	.80
Barley	.46
Oats	.35
Flax	2.16
Eggs, cash	.20
Ceamery butter	.48

Mexican Revolt Chiefs Defiant.

Juarez, Mexico—Further dissension and dissatisfection among Mexican rebel generals is reported around Agua Prieta, Sonora, where concentretion of insurgent forces continued. Three generals were said to have heen dismissed by the generalissimo, J. G. Escobar, for insubordination. Two trains of Mexican federal soldiers from Chihuahua City arrived u Juarez. The first loaded with infantrymen, and the second, a cavalry train. General Juan Andrew Almazan, division commander of the Mexican federal army in the state of Chihnshua, arrived on a third troop shortly after.

HOOVER FACES TESTS

Possible Raise in Oil Prices Brings Threat of Criticism.

Washington—Following the action of the Preeident in ennouncing it as the policy of his odministration that no more permits would be granted to drill for oil on the public domain, end that there would be a survey of existing permits to see if some of them should be withdrawn, a new fector has entered into the eituetion. The American Petroleum institute, apparently not eetisfied with the curtailment in production envisaged by the Hoover policy, recently decided to limit this year'e output. They propose to cut it down to the 1928 level. Its membere aseume that thie would be in line with the Hoover conservation police.

To the epparent amazement of the officere of the Petroleum institute, Attorney General Mitchell is credited with holding the proposed curtailment of production will be contrary to the Shermen anti-trust ect and to the Cleyton act. The law provides, "Every contract combination in form of trust or otherwise, or conspiracy, in restraint of trade or commerce, is hereby illegel."

The petroleum people, despite this diecouragement, are planning to go ahead with their curtailment and test the case out in the supreme court. One of the dengers in the Hoover program was the poeeibility of increased prices for petroleum products, although it has been understood that important new "cracking processes" by which gasoline is abeolved, would prevent hooets in the price of that article.

Shipstead Unable to Take Duties.

Weshington—Senator Henrik Shipstead will not attend the opening eeseion of congrese. He may not he able to participate in its earlier work at all. The Minnesota senator is under the doctor'e ordere and those orders are thet he must rest. He has been confined to hie bed for two weeke. The phyeicians say there is notbing serlously the matter with him, hut have warned him that unless he obeys their injuncition to remein quiet, he may euffer serioue coneequences.

Islands Fear Tariff Raise on Products.

Washington—A new and still more insistent demend for Philippine independence is developing out of the pending tariff eituation, in the opinion of Pedro Guevara, Filipino commisslener in congrees. The opinion is predicted on the aseumption that the Western farm demand for an embargo tariff on vegetable oils will be written into the bill and a higher tariff on sugar from the islands.

Britain, Canada Agree on "I'm Alone"

London—Sir Austen Chamberlain, British foreign minister, disclosed in the house of commons the home government shared the view of the Canadian government in the "I'm Alone" case and desired the action taken by it. Chamberlain, in answer to a question by Harry Day, laborite, read a long etatement as representing the Britieh ambassador'e report on the einking of the vessel.

Soviet Gives Divorce for 15 Cents Tax.

Moscow—The divorce mill has begun to grind for foreigners. Russians have enjoyed the "privilege" of express action when a divorce was sought and this without any cost other than a 15-cent stamp tax. Now the Moscow prese announced the extension of tha "civilized soviet principles" to a foreign visitor.

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

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St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

LOCALS

Veterinarians from all over northern parts of the state gathered at Crookston last Sunday to receive assignments for the area test to be made in Polk County. It is expected all cattle in that county will be tested within ten days from start of work which will be done by sixty veterinarians.

The Land O'Lakes Creameries, Inc, has taken over the business formerly conducted by the Farmers Co-op Poultry Association in this territory. Eggs will be handled at the member creameries as in the past, but the method of grading eggs as well as time for making payments will be more satisfactory than before.

LOCALS

Some of the farmers east of the river bave commenced plowing and other field work this week. If drying weather continues, it is expected plowing and seeding will be general thruout this section next week.

Several thousands of acres of land in Roseau County bave been leased to an eastern concern for the purpose of prospecting for oil. Those in charge of listing the land claim that there are indications of oil under the surface of a large stretch of land near the Canadian side. A prospect well is now being sunk near Rainy River on the Canadian side. It will be recalled that large deposits of coal were discovered in that same section some years ago, but the fields were never developed

Plenty of room

in the NEW SUPERIOR **Whippet**

THE larger bodies of the new Superior Whippet Four and Six afford more spacious interiors, with extra head room, leg room and elbow room.

The beautiful and ultra-modern design of the new Superior Whippet makes it the style authority in both the Four and light Six classes. Many tasteful refinements include longer lines, higher radiator and hood, chromium-plate, and sweeping one-piece full-crown fenders.

The faster speed and pick-up of the new Superior Whippet result from a higher compression engine, giving more than 20% added horsepower. Low consumption of gasoline and oil, and dependable performance insure exceptional operating economy and minimum service costs.

WILLYS-OVERLAND, INC., TOLEDO, OHIO

WHIPPET SIX COACH
WITH 7-BEARING CRANKSHAFT

$695

Coupe $695; Coupe (with rumble seat) $725; Sedan $760; De Luxe Sedan $850; Sport De Luxe Roadster $850 (including rumble seat and extras)

WHIPPET FOUR COACH

$550

Coupe $550; 4-passenger Coupe $580; Sedan $615; De Luxe Sedan $695; Roadster $500; 4-passenger Roadster $530; Collegiate Roadster $595; Touring $495; Commercial Chassis $380. All Willys-Overland prices f. o. b. Toledo, Ohio, and specifications subject to change without notice.

- SOLD BY -

Young & Erickson

St. Hilaire, Minn.

25 Years Ago

Miss May Sorsoliel left for Langdon, N. D. where she had contracted to teach a term of school.

—XXV—

Ice went out of the river here April 23rd, the latest with one exception, for more than 20 years previous to that time.

—XXV—

R. H. Aimer returned from a month's trip to Pacific Coast points. He liked the country and planned to locate there at some future time.

—XXV—

K. O. Gigstad sold his farm across the river to Julius Pleth and took Mr. Pleth's residence in the village in part payment. Both were to retain possession until fall.

—XXV—

The Fricker feed mill, owned by M. Fricker, and operated by M. Hammar, was burned to the ground that week. The loss was total, no insurance being carried.

—XXV—

Nels O. Otterness bougbt the Julius Pleth office building and real estate business. Mr. Pleth was moving that summer to Plummer to devote his time to handling of the townsite there for the Soo line.

—XXV—

Word was received here that Fred H. Miller, former superintendent of the Crookston Lumber Company at the plant here, had died in Florida where he located the previous year for benefit of his health.

LOCALS

With this weeks issue, the present publisher of the Spectator rounds out sixteen years of service as publisber in this community, having taken over the paper the first of May in 1913.

The state banking department is asking for bids for sale of the former bank building and also the community hall at Hazel.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated November 26th, 1923, executed by William Erler and Cora E. Erler, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on December 1st, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 96 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $107.57, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $140.63 due on May 26th, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $140.63 each, due on November 26th, 1927, May 26th, 1928, and November 26th, 1928, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,246.42, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from November 26th, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $529.46, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $107.57 thereof since May 26th, 1927, on $140.63 thereof since November 26th, 1927, on $140.63 thereof since May 26th, 1928, and on $140.63 thereof since November 26th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $241.25 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1929, in all the sum of $5,141.24, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Lots Two (2), Four (4) and Five (5), except 6½ acres of said Lot Five (5) all in Section Fourteen (14), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-two (42), containing 163½ acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 24th day of May, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 10th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. Flowers, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. A-11—M-16

Navigation opened on the Great Lakes last week-end with arrival of boats at Duluth. It is expected shipping on the lakes will be heavier this year than for some years past.

FOR SALE, etc.

FOR SALE:- Several Holstein-Fresian bull calves, 6 months old. Dams of these have production records of 400 lbs or more per year. Calves are from accredited herd. All individuals well marked. $60.00 each takes them. Address
Fred Cuno,
A11-M2pd Grygla, Minn.

For Sale: A John Deere sulky plow, 16 in, with both stubble and breaker bottom; a P & O 14 inch gang plow, and a John Deere-Moline 16 inch sulky plow. Will sell cheap if taken at once.
Wm. Olsen, City.

Potatoes For Sale: Irish Cobbler spuds at 25 cents per bushel at the farm. Call on
A11-1gpd Jens Almquist, City.

POTATOES FOR SALE Good quality Bliss Triumph potatoes Address A. M. Sorvig, Wylie Minn. M21tf

Potatoes For Sale: Have a fine lot of Early Ohio potatoes for sale at 30 cents per bushel. Call on
Chr. Kruse,
R1 Wylie, Minn.

Baby Chicks For Sale:- S. C. White Legborn baby chicks at $11.00 per hundred. Place orders now.
A25M30pv A. Nyhagen, City.

Public Sale

LOUISVILLE TWP., RED LAKE CO., 14 MILES N. E. CITY OF CROOKSTON, OR 1-2 MILE NORTH OF HUOT P. O.

MON. APRIL, 29th

MACHINERY

Deering corn binder
Bell City silo filler
P. &O. corn binder
J. D, manure spreader
4 ft. McCormick mower
5 ft Deering mower
10 ft. Deering hay rake
7 ft McCormick binder
14 in gang plow
John Deere sulky plow
Steel Drag
3 wide tire wagons
150 bushel grain tank
Ford truck
F. & M. 2 1-2 H. P. gas engine
I. H. C. 1 1-2 H. P. gas engine
Concrete mixer, hay stacker
No. 15 DeLaval cream separator
Bucking pole, Ice box
3 sets of farm harness
Wheel barrow. Saddle
Grind stone,
Brush breaker
Potato planter
Potato sprayer
Potato Digger
14 in Rock Island plow
350 gal. oil tank
Int. 22-38 grain separator
2 sets of bob sleighs
10 bus. sweet clover seed. unscarified.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

4 HORSES

Bay mare 1600 lbs.
Bay mare, 1500 lbs.
Black Gelding, 1400 lbs,
Buckshin gelding, 1000 lbs.

47 Head Purebred, High Grade Red Poll Cattle

25 cows, 3 to 8 years old; some fresh; others to freshen soon.
Registered Red Poll Bull, 6 yrs. old.
4 pure bred bulls, 1 yr. old
17 Red Poll calves from 2 weeks to 5 months old

9 HOGS

2 Red Duroc Brood sows, to farrow soon
6 pigs, five months old

67 SHEEP

2 registered Shropshire rams 4 yrs. old
2 registered Shropshire rams 5 yrs. old
3 registered Shropshire rams, 1 yr. old.
60 Western and Shropshire Ewes, also spring lambs.

POULTRY

25 chickens, 1 gobbler,
2 turkey hens

FREE LUNCH AT NOON
SALE AT 10:00 A. M.

TERMS: Cash. Property not to be removed until settled for

Louisville Stock Farm

Col. J. M. Biever, Auct. C. M. Tvedten. Receiver

LOCALS

Arvid Carlson, president of the Carlson Merc. Co., was down Tuesday from Middle River looking after business matters at the local store.

Mrs. Wm. Olsen entertained a number of friends at her home Saturday afternoon complimentary to Mrs. Norman Olsen who leaves this week to make her home at Leonard. The afternoon was spent in a social way, and later a dainty luncheon was served by the hostess.

Norman Olsen came over Friday from Leonard to make arrangements for removal of his household goods to that village this week. Norman assumes charge of the creamery at Leonard this week.

Annual cleanup time is bere again. It would materially improve appearance of the village if all householders would co-operate this spring and put thier premises in good order. While this cleaning is being done, it would be a good idea to burn off the dead grass at the cemetery so the latter would be in presentable condition for Memorial Day.

LOCALS

Probably the most welcome form of farm relief that could come at present--warm, dry weather--is here, and farmers in this community are taking advantage of it.

Ole Hagglund, who purchased the former Hooper farm last fall, is making extensive improvements on his buildings, and has also built several small buildings to house his poultry.

The creamery board contemplate building a concrete platform and drain at the buttermilk outlet at the creamery to do away with the stench arising from buttermilk being spilled. They also plan to improve the ditch across the flat from end of tbe sewer to the river.

That the air-mail service is practical and very convenient was proven to the publisher last week when we received air mail that was posted at Baltimore, Md., on Monday evening and arrived here Wednesday morning. As the closest airmail port in this section is at Fargo, it took somewbat longer for the mail to be delivered here than it would have had the entire trip been by air.

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Creamery List

The list of patrons who received checks from the creamery for $50 and up for deliveries during March is printed herewith. On the list will be noted names of 45 patrons who received from $100 up to nearly $300 each. This is mighty fine for March which is not considered one of the heaviest months. Not only was there a big increase in cream receipts, but the creamery beat its last year's record for butter output by 4000 lbs during the same month. Here is the list of checks:

Novak & Son	$298.27
Mrs. J. Thorstveit	235.66
E. H. Stephens	218.80
Anton Bros.	215.06
I. A. Rotzler	204.75
C. Anton	204.45
C. H. Swanson	200.16
N. E. Beebe	196.94
Geo. Haupt	193.31
Mortenson Bros.	178.38
A. Johnson	175.86
F. Ulrich	164.94
Wm. Palmquist	164.04
C. A. Lindquist	162.31
C. Kruse	152.76
F. Schmidt	149.24
R. Melin	143.40
O. Larson	142.13
Wm. Rinkenberger	140.71
F. Anderson	139.01
J. Norman	134.00
A. Husby	130.78
K. T. Dalager	129.28
Swanson Bros.	129.17
J. Gothia	127.73
Wahlbeck Bros.	125.10
Erickson Bros.	124.92
F. Bothman	119.51
E. Pearson	119.12
H. Jepson	118.79
B. Johnson	112.41
I. Iverson	111.98
J. Sjoberg	107.74
C. Pearson	107.40
B. Walseth	106.43
A. Swanson	106.39
A. Ortloff	105.27
C. Swanson	105.27
C. O. Swanson	103.86
R. J. McKercher	103.83
And. Mortenson	102.80
Mrs. A. P. Anderson	101.58
H. Johnson	101.39
O. L. Larson	101.32
J. Gunstad	100.33

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George Wilson and Ole Nasb are leaving this week for Stephen where they expect to spend the summer with a bridge building crew

Warmer weather is promised for tbe coming week-end

Matthies - Just

Miss Esther Matthies, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Matthies who reside south of here, and Harry Just, son of Emil Just of this village, were married at Red Lake Falls on Wednesday of last week. At the same time, Miss Louise Matthies was married to Frank Ristau of Marshall county, the double ceremony being performed by Judge Joseph Perrault of Red Lake Falls. Numerous friends in St. Hilaire and vicinity join in extend ing congratulations and best wishes to the newlyweds.

Junior-Senior Banquet Saturday, May 4th

The annual Junior-Senior Banquet at the local school, which is a forerunner of Commencement activities, will take place next Saturday evening, May 4th. The banquet this year will be served by the Ladies' Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran cburch, and the festivities will be beld in the parlors of that church which are being tastefully decorated in green and white, the class colors of the Senior Class of 1929.

Luther League, May 5th

A meeting of the Luther League of the Black River Swedish Lutheran church will be held at that church Sunday, May 5th. Rev. A. Bloom of Thief River Falls, and Rev. A. F. Nelson of this village, will speak. Lunch will be served at conclusion of the program.

P. T. A. Meeting Friday

Last meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association for this term will be held at the school building Friday evening this week at whicb time officers will be elected for the coming year, and the following program rendered.

Song, America	Audience
Instrumental duet,	T. Skatrud and E. N. Reiersgord
Reading	Miss B. M. Tbompson
Vocal duet	Margaret Dahle and Vivian Landis
One act play	"Sauce for the Goslings"
Song	Audience

Lunch after program.

Miss May Arrives

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Considerable seding has been done in this vicinity the past few days.

A nice assortment of Mother's Day cards on display at the Spectator office. adv.

The village school at Hazel, taught this term by Miss Dorothy Olsen of this place, closes Friday for the annual summer vacation

Workman were here yesterday repairing Durbin's refrigerating plant which has given him some trouble lately.

Pbil Lee had the misfortune to lose one of bis team of horses last Friday, the animal became ill and died while on the road in to town.

Give your garden an early start by setting out frost proof cabbage plants, white and yellow Bermuda onion sets from Durbin's.

Ed and William Engh motored Sunday to Edinburgb, N. D., for a visit at the home of their brother, Sigward Engh, and returned.

Earl Jensen returned last week-end from Minneapolis where he he went to bring bome his car whicb was stored there since last fall.

For Sale:-Two purebred Holstein bull calves, one three weeks, and the other younger. Call on
Ole Larson,
M2-16pd St. Hilaire, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Olsen moved their household goods and left this week for Leonard where he has accepted a position a manager of the creamery.

Lawrence Wilson, who is employed in a meat market at Warren, was home Sunday for a visit with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carpenter have returned to their home at Isle, Minn after being bere to look after their farm interests, and to visit at heme of their son, Leo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Stearns and children, Donna and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Stearns and Wm. Carson came over last week from Langdon, N. D. for a visit at the Peter Simonson home. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Stearns left Thursday over the Soo for Minneapolis, and the others returned Friday to Langdon by way of Grand Forks.

Ed Roy has commenced painting the buildings on the Otto Johnson farm southeast of town

Joe Hauge and family were over last week-end from Bemidji for a visit with tbeir relatives.

Charley Erickson of Rocksbury, purchased a Whippet coach car last week from Young and Erickson.

Very good attendance is reported at tbe Sunday school program beld last Sunday at the Black River church.

Frost proof cabbage plants and also white and yellow Bermuda onion sets for sale at Durbin's adv

E. O. Burkee returned last week-end from a business trip to Fergus Falls. He visited the Ducharme family at Barnesyille wbile enroute home.

Mrs. M. L. Dahle has contracted to teacb a term of parochial school in Mayfield township and started ber work this week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McAllister and daughter, Muriel, motored over Sunday from Grand Forks and spent the day with Mrs McAllister's parents, Mr, and Mrs, Hans Wilson

The W. C. T. U. will meet at tne home of Mrs. A. Mortenson Wednesday evening May 8th. A Mothers Day Program will be given.

Remember your mother on Mothers Day by sending her one of those fine cards now on display at the Spectator office. adv

Ladies Aid of the Evang. Mission cburch will be held at the church Friday afternoon at 2:00. Business meeting in connection. All welcome.

After visiting a few weeks here with relatives, Miss Hattie Johnson leaves this week for Thermoplis, Wyo., to spend the summer months

A carload of lumber was unloaded bere this week for the Central Lumber Co

Henry Hanson and Mrs. Edna Miller, who operated the cafe here last fall, motored up Saturday from Alexandria to pack some of the household goods and other articles they stored here last fall. They shipped the effects, and left Tuesday morning for Alexandria.

Surprise Party

Mrs. Eileen Pautz was pleasantly surprised Sunday evening at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Gauthier, the occasion being her birthday anniversary.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. Ewing and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmidt and family, Mrs. Henry Starken and children, Willie and Mary and Frances, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sherry and family, Mrs. Geo. Haupt and cbildren, Martin and Elizabeth, Mrs. Fred Ulrich, Fred and Minnie Ulrich, Mr. and Mrs. Royal Gauthier and daughter, Harriet, Mrs. Felix Grandbois and sons Paul and Ralph, Mr. Peter Starken, Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Starken and son, Lloyd.

The guests presented Mrs. Pautz with many beautiful gifts, after which a dainty lunch was served by them at a late hour. The evening was spent to enjoyment of all.

Successful Play Day Held Saturday

Regional Play Day for rural schools in eleven townships in this part of the county, which was held at the local school grounds last Saturday was favored with exceptionally fine weather for such a gathering. Several hundred children from the rural districts, accompanied by their parents and teachers, were bere for the occasion which was the first regional meeting held here.

Following is a list of the contests held, and the winners at eacb division:

KITTENBALL
1st, Dist. 29 of North twp.
2nd, Dist, 133 of River Falls
3rd, Dist. 180 of Bray

Relay Race, Group A.
1st. Dist. 29 of North Twp.
2nd. District 133 of River Falls.
3rd. Dist. 180 of Bray twp.

Relay Race, Group, B.
1st. Dist. 165 Rocksbury
2nd. Dist. 133 of River Falls
3rd. Dist. 106 of Sanders.

Pole Vaulting, Group A.
1st. Ame Lindquist, 180
2nd Clarence Jensen, Perry Borgie and Lowell Haakenson. 165,

Chinning
Morris Ballingsrud 29
Hans Kaushagen, 29
Oscar Mossestad 127,

100 Yard Dasb
Hans Kausbagen, 29
Ame Lindquist 180
Raymond Ortloff, 106

Class Play, May 10 And 11

Tbe Senior Class play, "Cyclone Sally", an uproarious comedy in three acts, will be presented in the Imperial Hall, Friday and Saturday evenings. May 10 and 11th.

The story of the play is centered around Jack Webster the wealthy owner of the Webster estate, who returns home with the purpose of marrying Sue Bascom. On his arrival he discovers that a "female hussy" bas marred the beauty of his estate by planting an ugly cabbage patch next to his front lawn. Hostilities open at once, and the battles rage fast and furious. He finds that she is quite a charming girl. Thrill piles upon thrill, laugh upon laugh, until finally when the climax arrives. Jack finds that instead of courting Sue Bascom he has been courting his enemy, Cyclone Sally. The cast of characters are-

Jack, owner of Webster estate — Clarence Hallstrom
Reggie Manners, a young Englishman — Peter de Cathelineau
Jim Jerkens, Courted for twenty years but not yet discouraged — Miles Olson
Willie Clump, Sue Bascom's beau, and the world's eighth wonder — Harwood Olson
Sally Graham, "Cyclone Sally"
Jenny Thatcher, the object of Jim's persistance — Stella Bengston
Ruth Thatcher, Reggie's peach — Myrtle Palmquist
Effie Varden, A cute little neighbor — Agnes Anderson
Vivian Vernon, the belle of Cedar Point — Evelyn Maakrud

Test Association Assured

Nearly enongh dairymen have signed up, and sufficient others have signified their intention of signing so that a cow testing association is practically assured in this locality.

Purpose of the association is to eliminate the low producing cow in favor of that with high butterfat production. By doing away with the "boarder" cows, it is believed butterfat production in the territory can be doubled without increasing the number of cows. Present plans call for a test at each farm once every sixty days.

Wm. Engh is wrecking a bunch of old cars that were parked on the old ball ground, and is getting the scrapiron derived therefrom ready for sbipment

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The creamery has been a big factor in upbuilding of this community. We want to make it still better, and we want you, as a shareholder, to join with your neighbors in realizing that ambition. Get your share today.

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HAZEL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. C. Erickson spent Sunday at the C. Alberg home.

Mrs. A. Anderson and daughters Annie and Phoehe were Theif River callers on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Melvie and children were Thief River Falls callers on Thursday.

Miss Mae Kenney spent Thursday evening at the Ole Odegaard home.

Miss Laura Batman of Grand Forks came Monday to visit at the Oscar Seeland home.

Mrs. G. Bruce visited at the H. Sandberg and C. Roese homes on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Anderson and family visited at the E. Knutson home on Sunday.

Mr. W. Denhart and daughter, Mildred visited Sunday at the C. Roese home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnt Wedul and bahy visited at the Ole Wedul home at Plummer on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Melvie and children visited with relatives at Holt on Sunday.

Mrs. C. Roese and Mrs. H. Sandberg visited at the Anton Peterson home on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Gladys Vigness of Thief River visited at the Ole Odegaard home over the week-end.

Miss Dorothy Olsen was a dinner guest at the B. Theo. Johnson home on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnson and children were callers at the Jens Almquist home in St. Hilaire on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg were callers Saturday at the M. Lokken home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Peterson and son, visited at the T. Johnson home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg and children, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Peterson visited at the Eli Peterson home at Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Johnson and daughter, Oscar Johnson, and Mrs. Bowen of Grand Forks visited Sun. at the B. Theo. Johnson home.

Mrs. Carl Carlsness and three sons left Saturday for Duluth after spending the winter at the home of her mother, Mrs. Mary Sherva.

Mrs. E. Knutson and daughters, Arlene, Mrs. A. Anderson. Mrs. Gilhetrson and son, Paul were Thief River Falls callers on Wednes day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Sandherg and daughter, Clara, Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and children, Carl and Hjalmer, and Selmer Peterson, were Sunday dinner guests at the Henry Sandberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lappagaard and son, Mrs. Martha Lokken and daughter, Roy, Hans, and Louie Lokken, Helga, Alfred, Sophie and Thorval Torkelson, Arthur and Erling Anderson were Sunday guests at the Nels Nelson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard and son, and Mrs. G. Bruce autoed to Argyle Sunday where they visited at the Oscar Peterson home. Mrs. Bruce remained to speud some time visiting with her sister, Mrs. Peterson.

On Wednesday evening a group of friends gathered at the O. Seeland home to help Mrs. Seeland celebrate her birthday. After a pleasant evening a delicious lunch was served. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Thune and sons, Mr. and Mrs. L. Peterson and children, Mrs. Ole Odegaard, Mrs. G. Bruce, Mrs. Pete Nelson, Anna Alberg and Dorothy Olsen.

Appropriate Nickname

Ground squirrels hava received the nicknams "flickertails" because of their habit of flicking their short tails up and down when uttering their call uotes.

Aluminum Plentiful

Alumiuum, which is found more abundantly throughout the world than any other metal, forms approximstely 8 per cent of the earth's crust.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having occured in the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage dated the 20th day of October 1925, made, executed and delivered hy Elias L. Rolland, and Esther O. Rolland, his wife, Mortgagors, to S. K. Dahle, Mortgagee, which said Mortgage together with a Power of Sale therein contained is duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 6th day of November 1925, at 10 o'clock A. M., in Book 69 of Mortgages, on page 222 thereof,

Which said Default consists in this that the Mortgagors have failed and neglected to pay the taxes assessed against the Mortgaged premises for the Years 1925, 1926, 1927, and 1928, amounting to the Total Sum of $252.05, inclusive of interest and penalties, as said taxes became due, and prior to the day appointed hy law for the sale of said Lands for such taxes, as stipulated in said Mortgage, which said Taxes this Mortgagee has paid, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Mortgage, the Mortgagee has elected to declare, and does hereby declare the whole Sum secured hy said Mortgage, inclusive of principal and interest, and said taxes paid by this Mortgagee to be due and payable at ouce, and whereas there is now claimed to be due and payable, and is now due and payable pursuaut to the terms and conditions of said Mortgage, hy reason of the said Default and the Mortgagee's said Election, the Total Sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-one and 05-100 ($1771.05) Dollars, inclusive of principal, interest and taxes paid by the Mortgagee, and no Action or Proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured hy said Mortgage, or any part thereof, and the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage having become operative,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed hy said Mortgage, viz:

Lots numbered Two (2), Three (3), and Four (4) in Block Five (5) of Zeh's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 15th day of June 1929, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at public vendue to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said Debt of $1771.05, and interest and taxes if any, and Seventy-five Dollars attorneys fees as stipulated in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of Sale as provided by law.

Dated this 25th day of April 1929.

S. K. Dahle,
Mortgagee

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
Attorney for Mortgagee.
M-2, J-6.

My Favorite Stories
by Irvin S. Cobb

Leaving While the Leaving Was Good

BERT SWOR, the minstrel man, nses real life incidents for tha material of his monologua acts. Ha gathars them np in the South during his vacations and repeats them on the staga in the theatrical season.

Here is one which he tells iu blackfaca with great effect. Ha swears it really happened in a small Texas town:

It seems n colored girl was entertaining a gentleman friend when nnother snitor for ber favor appeared at the locked front door and demanded admittance. There was jealoosy in his manuer and anger in his voice. Also, there was a justifiahle suspicion ou the part of the occupants of the housa tbat he might be toting a razor. Anyhow, the newcomer had a reputation for hehaving violently at times. His rival within doors was of a more pacific turn of mind.

"Gal," he said to his hostess, "I ain't aimin' to hava uo rookus wid dat tougb nigger ontside yonder."

"You aiu't skeered of him, is you?" demanded the lady.

"I ain't skeered—I'sa jest careful, that's all. I reckin de best thing fur me to do is jest to climb ont of ooe of dese here beck windows and go 'on 'bout my bizness."

"Yon better not do dat," said the girl. "Dey's a dwag in de hack yard."

"Honey," quoth the departing ons as he skinned over the window sill, "de way things is out in front it don't make uo diff'unce to me ef de bock yard is upholstered in dawgs."

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Early Toast

Wassail, a liquor cousisting of ele with roasted eppies, sugar, nutmeg and toast, received its nama from tba Anglo-Saxou phrsse meauiug "May you be in health," which wes used in drinking a toest in the liquor.

Speech and Performance

"I have said many wise things," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "for it is the custom of leisurely inclination to mska speech take the place of performance."—Washington Star.

WHEN ROBERT WAS TWENTY-ONE

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

WHEN the wealthy building contractor, Alexander Wara, was killed in an automobile accident, and then, when his widow, ooe short mouth after the fuueral, married Silas Bartlatt, the residents of Shipleyvilla wera astounded. A report gained currency that Silas had been her first love, that she had jilted him in a moment of piqua and married Ware, and had always regretted it. This explained bnt did not excuse her shameful precipitancy. Her ueighbors couceded, however, that Ware's sixteen-year-old sou had acquired e kind and gentla stepfather. But if the son, Robert, had beeu less of a stoic ha might have disilinsioned them. Bartlett, the stepfather, soft spoken and suave in pnhlic, hecame to Robert in the homa a monster of unceasing petty tyrsnny; snd, curiously, the wife made uo effort to protect her soa from Bartlett's calcnlated persecutions. Ons summer afternoon Bartlett called Robert into the library.

"I've heard you talking about going to college," Bartlett hegan, with brutal abruptness. "Well, put it ont of your head. You can't afford it. I've tried you in my office—and you're no earthly good. Your father was a carpeuter; maybe yon'li taka to tonls. I've got yon a job in Allen Hinchay's garage. And get to bed early, for yon start in tha morning. Your work will keep yon ont of mischief and away from that panper next door."

"What did tittle Irena ever do to yon?" cried tha crushed boy, goaded at lsst to angry speecb by the unmerited slur.

"No temper, yonog man," warned Bartlett. "Now I'll tell you this, and you can inform your friend and her mother. I'm going to give them notice to move; and I'm going to tear down their shack and put np a hnngalow. That's all."

Robert turned away, hitter bnt bopeless. The Widow Sandersou, a weak and delicate womon, who worked in Mrs. Vogelsang's bakery, and her uiue-year-old daughter, Irene. occupied e small rented cottage on the gronnds. Irena Sanderson, a heautiful elfike little creature, was the only friend Rohert had left; and now she was to he seut away from him.

Two olghts after Rohert's one-sided interviaw with his stepfather, Ireue Sandersou saw her mother ascending tha front stairs with especial difficulty and ran to help her. When the mother began to talk of colored lights and golden angels, and then, when sha tried to cough, and flecks of blood appeared on her lips, Irene hecama terrified. Sha dashed ont of tha house and across the street, to summou old Doctor Godfree.

"Dying on her feet," tha kiod old dnctor later told some neighbors who bad gathered. "Last stages of pneumonia. She'll hardly last the night." And the doctor was right; in ths morning Mrs. Sanderson was deod.

Fate uow grudgiogly heatowed one kindness on tbs two tronhled yonngsters, Robert and Irene. Irene was taken into the home of kind-hearted Mrs. Vogelsang, and the Vogelsang home and bakery was located on Main atreet exactly opposite Hinchey's garage, where Robert was employed. Robert and Ireue wera enabled to meet and couverse daily.

One day when hnainess was slack, Robert had spent an hour in the stora with Irene. Ha cama hack weariog a lnng face, and his employer, Allen Hinchey, joked him about his lovemaking. Good-natured Rohert, for once, did not respond to Hinchey's bomor; instead, he suddenly hecame desperately frank and nnhurdened his mind of the whole story of his persecution.

"So ho!" exclaimed tha amazed Hinchey, at the end. "I always thought that angel of a Silas Bartlett was tno good to be true. And he was in here last night asking me to raise your pay—and every cent of it goes into his pocket, eh?" He pansed, thoughtfolly. "You're eighteen now, Robert, and I'm paying you fifteen a week. Candidly. you're worth thirty, and you'll sonn be worth fifty. Bnt, aeelog how the laud lies, I'll uot raise your pay. Instead, I'll make a bargain."

He pointed throngh the great open rear door of the garage, to a cottage facing on the next street.

"I took that property for a deht." ha explaioed. "It's falling apart from neglect. If you spend a few minutes a day on it, painting and patching, you can turn it into a palace in three years. You'll be twenty-one then, and I'll make you e gift of tha house. And I'm getting along in years, Rohert. When you're twenty-one I'll oeed a partner." He held ont his hand. "Is it a go?"

Robert was too overcome for speech. Tears welled in his eyes. He could only reach for the hand and grasp it warmly.

"Aud now," said Hinchey, "don't tell e soul except the little girl. And warn her to keep it under her curly yellow wig."

Life took on a different coloring at once for Robert and Irene. At length came the day when Robert was twenty-oue.

And Silas Bartlett and his wife remembered this fateful date. To show their parental iuterest in the boy secretly they planned a "coming of age" celebration—a surprise party.

Robert weut to work as usual that morning, but at 6:30 in the evening he had uot returned. At seven Silas telephooed the garaga and wos informed that Robert und Hinchey were out ou a repair joh. At eight guests were arrivlog; nioe o'clock came, then ten, and tha hero of tha affoir was still ehseot. Then young Ben Lothian, excited aod hreathless, hurst in upon the merrymakers.

"A surprise party—I'll say there is." he exploded. "Bob's married. To that littla jana iu tha bokery. Judge Billow tied tha koot. They'ra having supper now, in tha uew home—and they wouldn't iovita me in."

The party was at on eod. A roging mother and stepfather hurried to their automobile. With Ben Lothino to direct them and followed hy all their late guests in crowded cars they raced toward the little lova nest.

Robert Ware, very handsome, ond his extremely pretty hride, along with Judge Billow and Allen Hinchey, were jost finishing the meal thot Mrs. Vogelsang had aerved. The door wns flung wide and a furious womon with her hoshand behind her, pushed into the room aod faced her son.

"You ingrate!" ahe shrieked, in hysterical madness. "I hod my house filled with guests in your honor, hut yon've made a mockery of my kindness! You'll never darken my door agaio. And you'll never get n penny of my money. Your colculotlog pnnper wife will have to be satisfied with a panper husband."

Silas Bartlett stepped forwnrd, to add his denunciation, hut Judge Billow waved a large slieoelog hond, and then rose to his feet slowly and impressively.

"You need not speak now, Silas," he said. "And when I finish, ynu won't want to. Ten yeara ngo, Alexnnder Ware came to me ood I drew his will. Tha information has only eome to me tonight that that will has never been probated. Bot, no motter. A signed copy is in my office safe. That will leaves tha hulk of his estnte to his son. And I hove learned thnt this boy, heir to $100,000, wns put to menial work and denied the college education ha craved."

"Mother—mother," asked the horrified son, in unhelief, "can this he trne?"

But the chogrioed, ashen-fnced woman could not speak, nnd Silas Bartlett, expdsed in his perfidy, did not dare.

"Robert, I have not finished," reproved Judge Billow mildly. "Ware's first wife had died ahortly ofter the hirth of her son. That may nccount for mnny thiogs, Robert," the judge concluded, gravely nodding his hend. "Mrs. Bartlett la not your mother."

A teose silence prevniled as Judge Billow resumed his seot. Robert was speechless and saddened. With the thought of consoling him Irene had come to his side. But her own face clouded.

"Oh, Robert," ahe nsked him in n tronhled little voice, "do you think it will moke any difference? You are so rich."

Ha pnt his arm lovingly nhaut the dainty girlish form of his hride, ond hendiog down, kissed her, for oll to see.

"You het I'm rich," he told her. "I was rich before I heard of the money Becausa I hod you, denr."

Bodies of Prehistoric Race Long Preserved

Mnmmies of America's oldest inhabitants have heen dissected hy Gale E. Wilson, anatomist of the Hnrvnrd Medical school.

The mummiea belong to the basket-maker Indians, who lived in the Snuthwest before the time of Christ, 3,000 B. C., or posslhly much enrlier, Mr Wilson states, in reporting his investigationa to the Americon Nnturalist The hndies, which were found in Arizona, ara at lenst as old as most of the early Egyptian mummies, the anatomist statea.

Repeated tests have fnlled tn reveol traces of hlood in Egyption mummies, hut in the American specimens were fonnd red hlood cells, shrunken and dried, hnt perfectly preserved.

Au immense qnantity of fine sonl and sand waa found throughout the lung material of the Indinns. This is attrihuted to their hreathing the dry and dosty atmosphere of the region where they lived. It indicates thnt these prehistoric people suffered from tha sama lnng diseases, silicosis, thnt affects miners today.

Unlike tha Egyptian mummies, whicb were prepared hy elaborote processes, thesa hodies were not emhalmed at all. They were aimply hurled aud their preservation is dne to the unnsnal drying qualities of hot sand and warm, dry climate.

First to Weigh Earth

Nevil Maskelyne, on Englishman who died in 1811, discovered how to weight tha earth, which he achieved hy watching, throogh a telescnpe, a plnmbline hnng down the side of n precipitous Scottish moootain

And ths weight is, to within a pound or two, 6,000,000,000,000,000,000,000 tons.

It waa ha who first set on foot the Nautical Almanack, one of the greatest aids to mariners since the Chinese emperor Hwang-ti, in 2634 B. C., invented the compass.

Other End Bites

A neighbor's cat came into the house and mother told Gloria to catch it and put it ont. After a chase around the house the five-year-old danghter was carrying the cat to the door by the tail.

"I would not carry the kitty thnt way," edmouished the kind-hearted mother.

"But mother, the other end hites," replied Gloria.

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NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is herehy given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated Novemher 7th, 1923, executed by Anton Peterson and Emma Peterson, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on Novemher 8th, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 59 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $121.29, halance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $218.75 due on May 7th, 1928, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $218.75 due on November 7th, 1928; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; thot under the terms thereof there is octually due and claimed to he due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $6,605.63, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from Novemher 7th, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $340.04, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $121.29 thereof since July 9th, 1928, nnd on $218.75 thereof since November 7th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $118.31 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since February 19th, 1929, in all the sum of $7,218.07, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at tha respective rates ns aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured hy said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will he foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) and the North Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½ of NW¼), and the North Half of the South Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½ of S½ of NW¼), all in section Thirty-five (35), Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), Range Forty-two (42) containing in all 280 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 17th day of May, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed hy law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided hy law.

Dated April 3rd, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,

Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
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H. M. Feroe, Ass't. Attorney General.
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Thief River Falls, Minn.
Office By Hotel Ogahmah
Block North from G. N. Depot

First Artificial Ice

The Italians in the Sixteenth century, wera the first to manufacture artificial ice for mercantile purposes.

Gigantic Warehouse

The largest warehouse in the world is in Liverpool, England. It could hold the total population of the city.

Where Canada Leads

According to statistics, Canada is the largest producer of nickel, asbestos, and cobalt.

Yearly Baby-Chick Hatch

Six hundred million baby chicks are hatched in commercial hatcheries in this country every year.

Wanted

Orders for seed wheat, oats, barley, and flax.

See us for prices on the above, and on any other seed you may want this spring.

C. Roe Grain Company

ST. HILAIRE, MINN

Arthur Hanson *Local Manager*

Custom Hatching

Owing to lack of time because of having taken on other work, the St. Hilaire Hatchery will not take orders for baby chicks this season, but will do custom hatching at 4 cents per egg.

Will have some White Leghorn and also some White Wyandotte eggs from prize winning stock, for sale to those who wish to buy eggs

Mrs. O. A. HOLMES

2 miles northeast of ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

LEISURE

LEISURE... spare time, minutes, hours... to really enjoy life. All this, electricity can give you if you will just let it shoulder the hard, time-consuming tasks in your household. More and more, women are sensibly shifting drudgery to the broad shoulders of electricity. They know that cooking, dishwashing, laundering, etc., can all be done better electrically. The time they save is their own. And they save it at a cost of only a few cents. What is *your leisure* worth?

THE LOW 3RD. STEP RATE

makes every electrical service so cheap that any woman who does any task electricity can do is working for a few cents a day. Is that a fair price for *your* leisure?

NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 2nd, 1924, executed by Mary Thoma Moonen, formerly Mary Thoma, and Henry Moonen, her husband, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 8th, 1924, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 204 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $108.23, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $187.50 due on October 2nd, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $187.50 each, due on April 2nd, 1928, October 2nd, 1928, and April 2nd, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $5,681.94, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from April 2nd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $670.73, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $108.23 thereof since December 4th, 1928, on $187.50 thereof since April 2nd, 1928, on $187.50 thereof since October 2nd, 1928, and on $187.50 thereof since April 2nd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $560.15 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1929, and the sum of $19.20, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since April 12th, 1927, in all the sum of $6,969.91, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to tha power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The West Half (W½) of Section Twenty-one (21), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 320 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 14th day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 1st, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
810 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
M-2, J-6.

South River Falls

Mrs. Lee Beebe visited at the Dalager home Thursday evening.

Misses Theo. Burstad and Esther Thyren called at the Landis home Sunday.

Esther Thyren, Thea Burstad and Nancy Hedlund shopped in in Thief River Falls Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Walseth motored to Warren Saturday where the latter received medical aid.

Gust and Henry Konickson, Joyce Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. P. Thyren and family visited at the B. Walseth home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Aug. Erickson, Harry and Victor Erickson visited at the A. P. Anderson home Thursday evening.

School will close at District 133J May 3rd, for a four months vacation. The weather permitting they will enjoy a picnic on their closing day.

Mrs. August Erickson and sons, Hrrry, Leonard and Victor left Sunday morning for Willmar. The latter went to resume his work with a travelling orchestra while the rest of the party will visit with Mrs. G. Norquist, returning home Wednesday.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10;00 A. M.

Services at 11:00 A. M. and at 8:00 P. M.

Prayer meeting will be held at the Gust Peterson home on Wednesday evening, May, 8th.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Sunday school in local church at 10:00.

Services next Sunday morning in Black River church at 10:00 with Sunday school following.

Services in Clara church afternoon at 3:00.

Ladies' Aid at Mrs. Emil Larson on Thursday, May 9th.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

SUNDAY, MAY 5

Services in St. Hilaire Lutheran at 11:00 A. M. in American language. Sunday school at 10:00.

St. Pauli: Sunday school at 1:15.

Ebenezer: Services at 2:30 P. M.

Confirmation class at church Saturday, May, 4th at 1:45.

St. Pauli and Clearwater classes meet at Hazel, May 4th at 10:15 A. M.

St. Pauli Ladies Aid at the Vinge home May 8th,

The Thief River Falls Circuit W. M. F. meets at Greenbush, Minn., on May 9th., at 11:00 A. M. Delegates and visitors are welcome.

Voice of Hope

Althongh reforme eeem rather late,
We hope, from day to dey.
There always is a candidate
To cheer us on the way.

The Kind He is

Blinks—What kind of a fellow is this Perkins?

Jinks—Well, be is the kind who would let bis wife take in horders to keep the wolf from the door while be devoted his time to proving the fellow who said you can't nnscramble an egg was e liar.

A Girl of the Period

Tossing aside e vapld novel, she reached for and opened another hook. It proved to be e treatise on geometry.

"Ah, the eternal triangle," she sighed, tossing thot out of the window.

Who Could Ask More?

From a cremation society's prospectus:

"Dividends will be limited to 7 per cent but in addition it is proposed that original subscribers of a minimum of twenty-five £1 shares will be entitled to one free cremation."

DRAWING FROM NATURE

The class hod heeo told to hring things to school for drawing lesson, ond just aa the lessoo was oboot to begio, a small hoy was foond atanding tearfully at his teacher's desk.

"I've swallowed my object," he explained.

"What was it?" asked the teacher anxiously.

"A banano," replied the would-be artist.—Pearson'a Weekly.

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

A ONE-HORSE TOWN

"There's the only man in this place who has a horse. If it weren't for that this hurg would have a hetter reputation."

"How can that affect its reputation?"

"It makes it a one-horse town."

In My Lady's Household

"Don't dally and shirk,
Don't loiter and shrink,
But think ont your work,
And then work out yonr think."

Clothes and the Man

He—The Biynks must be awfully rich, judging by the clothes they weor.

She—Not necessarily. Some of the most gorgeous flowers baven't got a scent, you know.

First Come, First Served!

Wife—I'll meet you et the theater at 8:15.

Hubby—All right, the midnight show suits me, too.

It Should

He—You know, dear, we have had our new home just 12 months.

She—Gracious! And it seems like a year.

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

Tuberculosis picks its victims not from perfectly healthy men and women but from those who are "run down" or below par, over-work worry, dissipation, improper food, and those who live in unsanitary conditions, etc. The germ of tuberculosis may be compared to a tiny seed and the human body to the soil (for the seed). With this in mind; I quote from Sir William Osler in his illustration using the Parable of the Sower. "Some seed fell by the the wayside and the fowl of the air came and devoured them up." These are the bacilli (germs of tuberculosis) scattered broadcast outside the body, an immense majority of which die. "Some fell upon atony placea." These are the the bacilli that find lodgement in many of ns, perhaps with the production of a mall focus (of disease), but nothing comes of it; they wither away because they have no root.' "Some fell among the thorns sprang up and choked them." This represents the cases of tuberculosis, latent and active, in which the seed finds the soil suitable and grows hnt the conditions are not favorable, as the thorns, representing the protecting force in the body, get the better in the struggle. "Bnt others fell on good gronnd and sprang up and hare fruit an hundred fold.' Of this fourth group were the 54,435 who died of the disease in 1909 in England the soil suitable, the protecting forces feeble "

"The adult human individual in normal health seems to practically immnne to natnral infection," in tuberculosis.

By B. C. Bernnrd, M D.
Superintendent and Medical Director
Oakland Park Sanitorinm.

St. Paul—For the 61st annual meeting of the Minnesota State Medical Association, physicians from all parts of the state will gather in St. Paul, May 13, 14 and 15. Speakers include Dr. Elliot Proctor Joslin, Boston, professor of medicine, Harvard University; Dr. George P. Muller, Philadelphia, professor of clinical surgery, university of Pennsylvania; Dr. William Engelbach, endocrinologist, formerly with Washington university, St. Louis, now on leave of absence to write a book; Dr. Arthur E. Chute, associate professor, Genito-Urinary diseases, Tufts College, Boston; Michael M. Davis, of the Julius Rosenwald fund, Chicago; Dr. Morris Fisbein, editor, of the Journal of the American Medical Association, and Dr. Kellogg Speed, Chicago, associate professor, clinical surgery, Rush Medical college. An extended scientific program, clinics and exhibits, a medical economics meeting, an open forum luncheon, and the annual banquet are features of the meeting.

Albert Lea—The Freeborn County State Bank of Albert Lea, one of the leading financial institutions in Freeborn county has been sold to a group of business men here.

St. Paul—Night football will make its debut in the Minnesota college confeernece at St. Paul and St. Peter next fall, according to plans made by officials of several schools.

St. Paul—The Northern States Power Company made rate reductions in the past year bringing savings of approximately $1,000,000 annually to its customers in the northwest.

TORNADS DEATHS MOUNT TO 72

Three Storms Strike at Night in Widely Scattered Sections—500 Hurt.

Atlanta, Ga.—Southern Georgia and a small area just over the line in South Carolina connts a death toll of 72, an injured list approsching 500 and property damage high in the thousands from a series of tornadoes that struck the state.

Georgia, with a death toll of 67, bore the brunt of destruction, which extended roughly in a wide sweep from Cochran, in the south central part of the state, northeastward into South Carolina. Virtually all of the injured and most of the property loss were in that area, which is largely rural.

Residents reported as many as three tornadic disturbances swooping down upon widely scattered places, wrecking homes, uprooting trees, killing livestock and accompanied by hail which flattened crops and denuded budding trees. The greatest havoc appeared to have been wrought in the night, when most of the fatalities occurred.

A 30-mile sector between the Georgia towns of Statesboro and Metter seemed to have been in the center of the storm's paths. More than a score of persons were killed in the vicinity of each place and more than 100 injured. In many cases whole families were wipe out.

Canadian Paper Backs Border Park.

Toronto, Can.—One of the strongest newspapers in Canada, the Toronto Daily Star, has swung its active support to the Quetico Superior Council proposal for establishment of a large international forest and lakeland in northern Minnesota and southern Ontario. A "great mistake" would be made if private interests were allowed to treat the watershed "simply as a storage basin for power purposes," the editorial declared.

Flier Leaves Nome on Siberia Flight.

Nome, Alaska—After trying for hours to take off from deep snow which was softened by rain, Parker Cramer, Chicago flier, left Nome for Cape Wales to attempt to fly across Bering strait to Siberia. Heavy fogs balked Cramer in his attempt to fly across the ice-locked strait to East Cape. Scarcely 60 miles separate Asia from North America where Cramer hoped to cross.

U. S. Yields on Reserve Armies.

Geneva—Hugh S. Gibson, American disarmament spokesman, announced at the meeting of the preparatory commission that the United States would withdraw its reservation to the exclusion of trained reserves from any limitation of armies. The announcement came as a sensation to the conference which had not listened to one sensational proposal from the Spanish delegation.

Waves Batter Chicago Sea Wall.

Chicago—Gigantic waves smashed to bits and washed away parts of the north side seawall recently repaired after the terrific lake storms of two weeks ago. Members of the Evanston coast guard station, which was threatened in recent storms, planned to bolster the seawall protecting their headquarters. Captain O. W. Fricke, commander of the station, predicted this would be the worst storm of the year.

Co-ops. Launch Fight on Farm Bill.

Washington—The National Milk Producers' federation has issued its analysis of the house farm relief bill and criticized both house and senate bills. Its own foreword says special emphasis is laid "upon the undesirability of co-operatives participating in the proposed stabilization corporations in the proposed industry clearing houses.

Creamery List

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H. Holmes, $97.65, Sig Vik, 95.75, C. Zinter, 93.89, E. Swanson, 90.62, F. Rux, 90.53, O. Loberg, 88.73, J. A. Anderson, 87.02, J. Lundberg, 85.70, And. Erickson, 85.44, Wm. Bothman, 85.19, E. W. Swanson, 84.97, O. Johnson, 84 79, J. J. Larson, 84.62, J. Almquist, 84.02, A. G. Hallstrom, 81.95, J. O. Peterson, 75.67, H. Ortloff, 75.47, A. O. Swanson, 74. 42, V. G. Brink, 72.63, J. Scholin, 71.84, G. Peterson, 71.71, H. Hallstrom, 70.70, L. Erickson, 69.67, D. J. Johnson, 67.74, Johnson Bros., 67.39, J. King, 67.14, H. Allen, 67.12, Wm. Yonke, 65.35, W. Ewing, 64.92, E. Larson, 64.52, Swensen Bros. 63.54, Art Gunstad, 62.57, T. A. Sherry, 61.60, J. Maakrud, 60.83, S. Skottem, 60.77, O. Haugen, 60.34, O. Hagglund, 59.99, Wm. Randorf, 59.76, E. Hallemack, 58.79, Farmers State Bank, 58.61, N. Shalz, 56.92, A. V. Jacobson, 56.25, Mrs. J. Konickson, 56.10, Geo. Hanson, 55.95, L. Rosett, 55.16, J. O. Swanson, 53.20, G. Larson, 51.76, G. Johnson, 51.59, A. P. Gorden, 51.14, P. Simonson, 51.04.

Successful Play Day Held Saturday

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HIGH JUMP
Ame Lindquist 180
Hans Kaushagen 29
Raymond Ortloff 106 and Melvin Joppru 94, tied.

RUNNING BROAD JUMP, Class A
Ame Lindquist 180
Raymond Ortloff, 106
Hans Kaushagen, 29

STANDING BROAD JUMP
Hans Kaushagen, 29
Raymond Ortloff, 106
Clarence Brating, 147-64

50 YARD DASH, Group B
Margaret Joppru 94
Clara Geske 73
Hattie Timm, 73

RUNNING BROAD JUMP, Group B
Leonard Yonke, 133
Rose Naplin, 99
Alfred Trolland, 180

HIGH JUMP, Group B
Rose Naplin, 99
Orphie Bjerke, 29
Leonard Yonke 133

The following teams took part in the Play Day contests and games:

1. Black River
2. Bray
3. North
4. Numedal
5. Norden
6. Polk Center
7. River Falls
8. Rocksbury
9. Sanders
10. Smiley
11. Wyandotte

Supt. E. N. Reiersgord acted a manager in staging the various contests, and was assisted by Messrs Boe and Laemle.

Senate Clear Aimee's Judge of Charges

Sacramento, Calif.—Superior Judge Carlos Hardy of Los Angeles was acquitted by the senate on all charges of misdemeanors in office as set forth in the assembly's four articles of impeachment among which were included his activities on behalf of Aimee Semple McPherson. The jurist was given a majority vote on all the four impeachment articles.

Farmers Get $100 For Saving Train.

Alliance, Neb.—For saving a Chicago & North Western passenger train from destruction recently, John Davidson and Aldin Grimes, farmers living near here, have been rewarded by company officials with $50 each.

Chinese Fire on Jap Ship, Kill 1.

Shanghai—Japanese reports here that a Japanese officer had been killed and 67 passengers and crew of the Japanese river steamer Bairo Maru wounded when Chinese bombarded the vessel.

South Dakota Grain Is Up.

Mitchell, S. D.—Small grain in Davison county and territory near Mitchell is up and farmers are beginning to plow preparatory to planting corn. Planting, it is expected, will start in about two weeks.

Plan to Raise Age Limit.

London—Committee of the house of lords has recommended that 16 be the minimum age for boys and girls to marry. The existing minimum is 12 for girls and 14 for boys.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated November 26th, 1923, executed by William Erler and Cora E. Erler, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on December 1st, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 96 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $107.57, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $140.63 due on May 26th, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $140.63 each, due on November 26th, 1927, May 26th, 1928, and November 26th, 1928, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,246.42, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from November 26th, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $529.46, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $107.57 thereof since May 26th, 1927, on $140.63 thereof since November 26th, 1927, on $140.63 thereof since May 26th, 1928, and on $140.63 thereof since November 26th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $241.25 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1929, in all the sum of $5,141.24, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Lots Two (2), Four, (4) and Five (5), except 6½ acres of said Lot Five (5) all in Section Fourteen (14), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-two (42), containing 163½ acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 24th day of May, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 10th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. Flowers, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. A-11—M-16

The Spectator office has a nice assortment of Mother's Day cards. Select yours now and have it ready for mailing. Adv.

FOR SALE, etc.

FOR SALE:- Several Holstein-Fresian hull calves, 6 months old. Dams of these have production records of 400 lbs or more per year. Calves are from accredited herd. All individuals well marked. $60.00 each takes them. Address
Fred Cuno,
A11-M2pd Grygla, Minn.

For Sale: A John Deere sulky plow, 16 in, with both stubble and breaker bottom; a P & O 14 inch gang plow, and a John Deere-Moline 16 inch sulky plow. Will sell cheap if taken at once.
Wm. Olsen, City.

Potatoes For Sale: Irish Cobbler spuds at 25 cents per hushel at the farm. Call on
A11-1gpd - Jens Almquist, City.

POTATOES FOR SALE Good quality Bliss Triumph potatoes Address A. M. Sorvig, Wylie Minn. M21tf

Potatoes For Sale-Have a fine lot of Early Ohio potatoes for sale at 30 cents per bushel. Call on
Chr. Kruse,
R1 Wylie, Minn.

Baby Chicks For Sale:- S. C. White Leghorn baby chicks at $11.00 per hundred. Place orders now.
A25M30pv. A. Nyhagen, City.

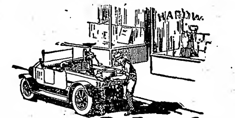
Let These Bargains Save You Money

All wool shirts, reg. 1.10	.89
Wash cloths	.07
Bias tape	.07
Rockford socks, 3 pairs	.25
Chick feeders, each	.07
Dromedary dates, pkg.	.21
Fancy rice, 5 lbs.	.32
Butter Krust toast, 5 lb. box	.95
Old Hickory smoked salt	.79
Grape juice, pints	.31

M. H. JACKSON

General Merchandise

St. Hilaire, Minn.



Bring in your DeLaval any time and have it overhauled—

WE are prepared to render service and put your De Laval Cream Separator in such condition that it will give you the perfect service which every De Laval Separator is capable of giving.

Bring in your complete machine. To save you unnecessary expense we suggest that you clean out the oil chamber and gears with kerosene or boiling water, which you can do at home just as well as we can.

Even if there is nothing wrong with your separator, if you have used it for sometime it is a good plan to have it inspected and overhauled. You know "a stitch in time saves nine."

CARLSON MERCANTILE CO. INC.

O. C. Johnson, Mgr.

ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Hastings—C. J. Moos, postmaster of St. Paul addressed the Lions Club here at the Gardner House.

St. Charles—A new Methodist church will be constructed here nt a cost of $12,000. The contract has been awarded.

Red Wing—By a vote of 1,200 to 270, Red Wing citizens re-elected Mayor C. C. Bracher over C. Arthur Johnson, "sticker" candidate.

Minneapolis—Hennepin county's contribution to the Red Cross relief fund for Minnesota and Wisconsin tornado victims now totals more than $13,700.

St. Paul—H. H. Bachke, Washington, Norwegion minister to the United States, will speak in Minnenpolis on Norway's Independence day, May 17th.

Brainerd—Miss Edna Lunde of Sartel was named president of the central district of the Christian Endeavor societies at the close of a two-day convention here.

Duluth—A Christian prayer congress, the first of its kind will he conducted here May 7th, with delegates from all churches invited for the organization meeting.

Duluth—Plans for the opening celebration of the Naniboujon Club on Highway No. 1, 125 miles from Duluth, next June are heing made by Otto Swanstrom, president.

Duluth—Lutheran pastors of range towns and Canada were gathered here for the recently conference of the Duluth district of the Minnesota conference of Swedish Lutheran churchee.

Winona—William T. Cox, superintendent of the Upper Mississippi Wild Life and Fish Refoge with headquarters here, has heen chosen to head the forestry service of the Brazilian government.

Stillwater—Representative August H. Andresen, Washington, has introduced a bill providing for a survey of the St. Croix river from its mouth to Stillwater with a view to increasing its depth from six to nine feet.

Glencoe—For the second time the commercial department of the Glencoe schools won the district championship in the twelfth district commercial contest conducted at Montgomery. New Prague took second place.

25 Years Ago

C. H. Martz ex-chairman of the Board of Public Works at Duluth, was here looking over the territory with a view of locating.

—XXV—

The sawmill at Crookston commenced sawing that week. Many mill hands from here were employed at Crookston.

—XXV—

Wm. Eikhoff left with a big outfit of men and teams to commence work on a large ditching contract near Neilsville.

—XXV—

Gunder Torgerson returned from North Dakota where he filed on a homestead.

—XXV—

The Spectator secured exclusive sale in Red Lake County for Julius Pleth's new maps of the Red Lake Indian Reservation.

—XXV—

A. J. Eggen left for Crookston to spend the summer working in the sawmill.

—XXV—

Mrs. J. Colisear and family left for Rainy River where Mr. Colisear was employed, and, where they were to make their future home.

Gas Tax Increased

Commencing yesterday, motorists in Minnesota will pay a tax of 3 cents per gallon for the gasoline they use instead of 2 cents as heretofore. There is one bright side to this extra tax, however, in that the extra cent per gallon goes for improvement of country roads that had no state aid before.

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August Svenson Called

August Svenson, age 76, one of the best known pioneer citizens of this community, died Friday at his home in River Falls 2 miles southeast of here, after an illness of 16 months during which time he suffered several paralytic strokes. He had been in poor health the past few months, so death was not unexpected.

August Svenson was born in Westergottland, Sweden, on Feb. 25th, 1853. His parents died when he was a small child leaving his upbringing to others. He grew to manhood in the old country, and came to America in 1880. In 1881 he came to this community and homesteaded the farm which has since been his home. During the first few years be followed his trade as carpenter, being employed in vicinity of New London. In 1890 be was married to Christina Peterson at New London, and they came here to make their home.

Mr. Svenson was always active in public affairs here, and is credited with no small part in upbuilding of this community. He was a charter member of the Swedish Lutheran chuch; a member of the school board in his district, and also held different public offices at various times.

He was an honorable man, highly regarded as a friend and neighbor, and well thought of by everyone in the community.

To mourn his departure he leaves his widow, four sons and three daughters. The latter are Mrs. Alex Sand of Annandale, Minn., Mrs. Bennie Johnson and Martha Svenson of this place. The sons are Elmo, Ferdie and Alvin, who reside at home, and, Clarence, of Flint, Michigan.

He is also survived by six grandchildren, one sister, Mrs. S. Swenson of this place, and a brother in Sweden.

Funeral services were held yesterday at the Swedish Lutheran church, Rev. A. F. Nelson officiating, assisted by Rev. A. Sand of Annandale, son-in-law of the deceased. The church was filled to capacity by friends from town and countryside who came to pay their last respects to Mr. Svenson, who was highly esteemed by everybody. Interment was in the cemetery east of town which is located on part of the Svenson farm.

Heartfelt sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Svenson and family in their loss of husband and father.

To Build New Walk

At meeting of the village council Monday night, it was decided to build a four foot concrete walk from the railroad right of way to connect with the walk at corner of the old school ground on Minnesota avenue. This connecting link will add to appearance of that part of town, and will be a convenience to residents on the west side.

Store And Home Burns

Fire thought to have originated from a cigarette thrown upon the floor during the evening completely destroyed the general store at Dugdale on Saturday evening, which was conducted by Richard Ohms. The flames spread rapidly and with in an hour after their discovery had destroyed the John Forsythe home nearby also.

The stock of merchandise was covered by insurance and the building was partially insured. The little village was without fire fighting apparatus and assistence was summoned from Mentor.

This is the second fire at Dugdale within recent years, the buildings destroyed there some two years ago were not rebuilt and it is not likely that those destroyed in Saturday evening's fire will be rebuilt.—RedLake Falls Gazette

P. T. A. Meeting Held

Last meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association for the present school year, was held last Friday evening.

Among the many good numbers of the program were a reading by Miss Bertha Thompson; Vocal duet by Margaret Dahle and Vivian Landis; a playlet by Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jackson, Virginia Westphal, Bernice Braseth, Ortis Holmes and Robert Collins which was entitled "Sauce for the Goslings" which was good and was very well given.

Officers elected for the coming year were:

Pres, Mrs. O. Gunstad
V. Pres, Mrs. Geo. Wilson
Sect. Myles Jackson
Treas, Mrs. Chas Huff

The past year was a very succesful one, and hopes are entertained that more people will become interested, resulting in larger membership, for next year, The next meeting will be after opening of school in September.

Want Ads Bring Resutls

Mother

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Regular monthly meeting of the village council was held at the village hall Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Olsen and Lester Olson motored Sunday to Leonard for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Olsen.

Miss Ruth Roy, who is assistant cashier in a bank at Hague, N. D., came Friday to spend a short vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Roy.

County Attorney H. O. Berve was down Saturday from Thief River attending to business matters in connection with his official position.

A nice assortment of Mother's Day cards on display at the Spectator office. adv.

Remember the Senior play Friday and Saturday evenings this week. A children's matinee performance will be given tomorrow afternoon.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veterinarian who has been engaged in area testing work in Polk County the past ten days, made his regular weekly trip here again last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Holmes and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Holmes of Fargo, were visitors Sunday at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Holmes west of here.

One man was killed and another seriously injured last week at Roosevelt when the car in which they were riding was struck by the C. N. R. passenger train.

A. W. Jackson and family of Grand Forks, Sam Hauge and family, of Bagley, were here last Sunday for a visit at the H. O. Jackson home and with other relatives.

Weather conditions have not been of the best in this section lately, but they are good in comparison with those in other sections. Several inches of snow fell in parts of Kansas last week; snow fell in parts of Canada, and eleven different tornados did much damage in southern states.

A big improvement in condition of the village streets has been noted this week since the "frost boils" have begun to settle upon frost going. Dragging and smoothing has helped considerable also, and the streets are now getting back into usual good condition.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Mogen of Sanders, are the happy parents of a son born last Thursday, May 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hansen and Miss Ruth Roy motored Tuesday to Grand Forks and returned that evening.

Don't miss the Senior class play Friday or Saturday evenings. Its full of thrills, and well worth coming miles to see.

Remember your mother on Mothers Day by sending her one of those fine cards now on display at the Spectator office. adv

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peterson and daughters, Edla and Ella, were down yesterday from Warren to be present at the funeral for Mr. Peterson's brother-in-law, the late Aug. Svenson.

Miss Hattie Johnson left Friday for Thermopolis, Wyo., to spend the summer after having spent several weeks with relatives here and at Bemidji, Minn.

Mrs. P. A. Olson of Nezperce, Idaho., was a visitor recently at the home of her uncle, Leonard Holmes, west of here

Mr. and Mrs. H. Benson and little son, returned Monday to their home at Grand Forks after spending the past week at the J. Almquist home here, and the Theo. Johnson home at Hazel.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson, who have resided in Canada the past few years, returned here Tuesday and have leased the Peters residence in south part of town, and will reside there the coming summer.

Raymond Young returned Sunday from Duluth where be went Saturday to bring home a new Whippet car. On the way down, he and others from Thief River Falls, who comprised the party, had an accident near Bemidji. All were more or less bruised, but none were seriously injured.

Jake Bohlen's Ford touring car and a Ford roadster driven by Olaf Torstveit, collided Saturday at the street intersection between the Carlsonand Jackson stores. The latter car was overturned and had its shield and top broken, while the other car sustained minor damages. Fortunately, none of the occupants were injured.

Here From Kansas

Mr. and Mrs. William Novak of Kansas, were guests a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Holmes. Mr. and Mrs. Novak were married a short time ago and were enjoying a wedding trip to the Canadian border at Warroad and back. Mr. Novak is a nephew of Wm. Novak of this place.

Teachers Will Return

With two exceptions, all members of the teaching staff of the local school will return next fall. Miss Haslam will be located elsewhere, and her position in the high school will be filled by Miss Elizabeth Bell. Miss Ruth Frazier of Verndale, has accepted the position in the grades which was vacated by Miss Bertha Thompson, who is going to teach at Fergus Falls next year.

Law Supplement

A supplement containing text of laws passed by the 1929 session of the Minnesota legislature is included with the Spectator to its subscribers in this state, this week.

The supplement contains a number of important laws, and all who receive it should preserve their copy for future reference.

Bank Charters Granted

The state banking department recently granted charters for two new banks in this part of the state. A new state bank will open next month at Middle River to succeed the two state banks which closed there some time ago. At Erskine a new state bank will open soon to succeed the national and state banks which closed less than a year ago. In both towns it is expected the new financial institutions will occupy quarters formerly used by the closed banks.

C. H. Swanson, who resides northwest of here, purchased a Chevrolet Six sedan this week from the Roy Motor Company of this place.

The village of Warroad is preparing for a busy summer this year Government work on the river, the new feldspar mill and other activities will furnish employment for 200 or more men during the season.

Highway Improvements

On the list of proposed highway improvements on which bids for the construction are being asked for by the Minnesota Highway Department, is 14 miles of new grade on T. H. No. 8 between Erskine and junction of No. 8 with No. 32 north of Dugdale. Instead of turning south at the juction, No. 8 will go southeast to Mentor and then along the G. N. tracks to Erskine. This will eliminate a number of grade crossings, and will also do away with many turns thru the timber between Mentor and Erskine. The latter stretch of road has caused much trouble the past few years because of the large amount of snow lodging on it, and, because of difficulty of using snow moving equipment in the sharp curves.

Careful Driving

In a certain town not a thousand miles from St. Hilaire, the town authorities recently put up new signs cautioning auto drivers to drive carefully in its school zones and in other places where there was danger of accidents. To find how the public reacted to these warnings, the town newspaper placed men where they might observe all cars. Without exception, those from out of town used caution and drove carefully. Not so with the home folks. They disregarded the signs, which had been placed with view of eliminating accidents and probable loss of life, and drove like they had been called out to a fire. Whether or not this applies to our town will be left to each individual driver. If a stranger goes thru town at fifty miles an hour, don't blame him if you are setting the example.

The Central Lumber Co., has built and has on display at its local yard, an ideal brooder house that will be interesting to turkey and chicken raisers. The little building is round which does away with cold corners wherein chicks may congregate. It is double floored for warmth and is well lighted by triple windows. Those who raise chicks and turkeys by the brooder method will find many good points in this type of building to commend it.

Rev. and Mrs. A. Sand motored up Monday from their home at Annandale, Minn., to be present at funeral services for Mrs. Sand's father, the late Aug. Svenson.

The Old Reliable

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St. Hilaire - - - - Minnesota

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St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n

St. Hilaire, Minn.

"Bring me the winner!"

THE story is told of a man dining in a restaurant, who was served a lobster with only one claw. Upon complaining he was told by the waiter that this happened occasionally because the live lobsters fought among themselves in the kitchen. "Bring me the winner!" said the diner.

At the General Motors Proving Ground, a fleet of specimen cars, built long in advance of factory production, fight a battle of hills, bumps, and every other sort of torture. These cars are torn down and rebuilt until they are able to beat every test. The tests involve speed, power, endurance, braking, riding comfort, handling ease; fuel, oil, and tire economy; body strength—every phase of car construction and performance.

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NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated November 26th, 1923, executed by William Erler and Cora E. Erler, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on December 1st, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 96 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $107.57, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $140.63 due on May 26th, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $140.63 each, due on November 26th, 1927, May 26th, 1928, and November 26th, 1928, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,246.42, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from November 26th, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $529.46, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $107.57 thereof since May 26th, 1927, on $140.63 thereof since November 26th, 1927, on $140.63 thereof since May 26th, 1928, and on $140.63 thereof since November 26th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $241.25 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1929, in all the sum of $5,141.24, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Lots Two (2), Four (4) and Five (5), except 6½ acres of said Lot Five (5) all in Section Fourteen (14), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-two (42), containing 163½ acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 24th day of May, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 10th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,

By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. Flowers, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. A-11—M-16

25 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. Joe DeMars were rejoicing over arrival that week, of a new baby boy.

—XXV—

Conductor Will Remshardt was back on his run here after being laid up several weeks as result of an injury sustained at Thief River Falls.

—XXV—

Anton Anderson, Charley Krohn and Knute Kolstad went to Fosston to begin work on a ditch contract Mr. Anderson had there.

—XXV—

Monday June 13th was fixed as the opening day for sales of land on the Red Lake Indian Reservation. 255,000 acres were to be thrown open for settlement.

—XXV—

Plans for the new Merchants State Bank building received and approved. Construction word was to start in ten days.

—XXV—

J. J. Soll, M. E. Hoff and B. B. Penner drove up to eastern Marshall county to look over some lands that were open to homestead entry.

—XXV—

Gross receipts at the creamery for that week was $1469.00. Quite a difference between then and 1929.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having occured in the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage dated the 20th day of October 1925, made, executed and delivered by Elias L. Rolland, and Esther O. Rolland, his wife, Mortgagors, to S. K. Dahle, Mortgagee, which said Mortgage together with a Power of Sale therein contained is duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 6th day of November 1925, at 10 o'clock A. M., in Book 89 of Mortgages, on page 222 thereof,

Which said Default consists in this that the Mortgagors have failed and neglected to pay the taxea assessed against the Mortgaged premises for the Years 1925, 1926, 1927, and 1928, amounting to the Total Sum of $252.05, inclusive of interest and penalties, as said taxes became due, and prior to the day appointed by law for the sale of said Lands for such taxes, as stipulated in said Mortgage, which said Taxes this Mortgagee has paid, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to tha terms and conditions of said Mortgage, the Mortgagee has elected to declare, and does hereby declare the whole Sum secured by said Mortgage, inclusive of principal and interest, and said taxes paid by this Mortgagee to be due and payable at once, and whereas there is now claimed to be due and payable, and is now due and payable pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Mortgage, by reason of the said Default and the Mortgagee's said Election, the Total Sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-one and 05-100 ($1771.05) Dollars, inclusive of principal, interest and taxes paid by the Mortgagee, and no Action or Proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, and the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage having become operative,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots numbered Two (2), Three (3), and Four (4) in Block Five (5) of Zeh's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to tha Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 15th day of June 1929, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at public vendue to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said Debt of $1771.05, and interest and taxes if any, and Seventy-five Dollars attorneys fees as stipulated in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of Sale as provided by law.

Dated this 25th day of April 1929.

S. K. Dahle,
Mortgagee

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
Attorney for Mortgagee.
M-2, J-6.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Six Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Nine and 34-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Elias L. Rolland and Esther O. Rolland, his wife, Mortgagors to the First National Bank of Thief River Falls, Mortgagee, bearing date tbe 19th day of April, 1921, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of April, 1921, at one o'clock P. M. in Book 51 of Mortgages, on page 49, and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lot Seven (7) in Block Thirty-six (36) and the West Seventy-eight (78) feet of Lots Twenty (20), Twenty-one (21), Twenty-two (22), Twenty-three (23), and Twenty-four (24), in Block Thirty-nine (39) of the Original Townsite of the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota.

With the bereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on 22nd day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M, of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said dabt of Six Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Nine and 34-100 Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated 8th day of May, A. D. 1929.

The First National Bank
of Thief River Falls,
Mortgagee

J. M. Bishop
Attorney for Mortagee
Office and Postoffice address
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
M. 9-J 13

CLEANUP NOTICE--All property owners and householders in St. Hilaire are hereby notifieb to have all rubbish, manure, ashes, etc., that may have accumulated during the winter, removed from their premises before May 25th. Annual sanitary inspection will be May 25th.

By Order of the
Board of Health

THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services Sunday in Clara church at 10:30 A. M.

Ladies Aid meets at the John Sjoberg home, May 17th.

Services in local church next Sunday at 3:00, and Sunday school at 2:00.

Ladies Aid meets at home of Rev and Mrs. A. F. Nelson on afternoon of May 16th.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00
Services at 11:00 and 8:00
Prof. Theodore W. Anderson of Minnehaha Academy will be with us at the morning service.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, May 12. Services as follows:
Oak Ridge, 11 A. M. American.
Clearwater, 2:15 P. M. Norw.
St. Hilaire, 8 P. M. American.
Mothers day, Mighty Mothers.

In Memoriam

In loving remembrance of our daughters and sisters, Katherine and Adelaide, who died one short year ago, May 10th, 1928.

"Safe in the arms of Jesus,
Safe on His gentle breast-
Safe from the world's temptations.
Sweetly thy souls shall rest"
"Here let us wait with patience,
Wait 'till the night is o'er:
Wait 'till we see the morning
Break on the Golden Shore."

Sadly missed by us all.
Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Dalager
and family.

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Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated November 7th, 1923, executed by Anton Peterson and Emma Peterson, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on November 8th, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 59 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $121.29, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $218.75 due on May 7th, 1928, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $218.75 due on November 7th, 1928; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $6,605.83, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from November 7th, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $340.04, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $121.20 thereof since July 9th, 1928, and on $218.75 thereof since November 7th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $118.31 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since February 19th, 1929, in all the sum of $7,218.07, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) and the North Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½ of NW¼), and the North Half of the South Half of the Northwest Quarter (N½ of S½ of NW¼), all in section Thirty-five (35), Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153), Range Forty-two (42) containing in all 280 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 17th day of May, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 3rd, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest:
H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't. Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. A4M9

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all friends and neighbors who assisted us, and comforted us during the last illness and after death of our beloved husband and father. We also wish to thank all who contributed the beautiful flowers at the funeral.

Mrs. Aug. Svenson and family
Rev. and Mrs. A. Sand.
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson.

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Tha portrait of Dante by Giotto is the earliest likeness of tha Renaissance period.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 2nd, 1924, executed by Mary Thoma Moonen, formerly Mary Thoma, and Henry Moonen, her husband, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 8th, 1924, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 204 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $108.23, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $187.50 due on October 2nd, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $187.50 each, due on April 2nd, 1928, October 2nd, 1928, and April 2nd, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $5,661.94, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from April 2nd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $670.73, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $108.23 thereof since December 4th, 1928, on $187.50 thereof since April 2nd, 1928, on $187.50 thereof since October 2nd, 1928, and on $187.50 thereof since April 2nd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $560.16 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1929, and the sum of $19.20, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since April 12th, 1927, in all the sum of $8,969.91, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The West Half (W½) of Section Twenty-one (21), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 320 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 14th day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 1st, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
M-2, J-6.

Bids Wanted

Sealed bids will be received by the village council of St. Hilaire up to time of its next meeting, June 3, 1929, for construction of 300 lineal feet, more or less, of concrete walk and two crosswalks, 4 feet wide, according to specifications on file at the clerk's office. Walk will be laid from the G. N. right-of-way on Second street to Minnesota avenue. The village will furnish gravel and cement required. The Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Order of Village Council
M9-23 M. Fricker, Clerk.

These Are Blessed By Editors

"Blessed are the merchants who advertise because they believe in it and in their business; for their prosperity shall increase many fold," sagely remarks an exchange, and adds:

"Blessed is the woman who sends in a written account of a party or wedding; for she shall see the details the function and the names ofher guests correcty reported.

"Blessed are all those who do not expect the editor to know everything, but who call up and tell him whenever an interesting event occurs for them; for they shall have a newspaper in their town.

"Blessed are those who get their copy in early; for they shall occupy a warm place in the editor's heart.

"Blessed are those who cooperate with the editor in his efforts in behalf of the community; for their town shall be known far and wide as a good place in which to live."

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Licensed Veterinarian

Tuberculin Testing

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Office By Hotel Ogahmah

Block North from G. N. Depot

CHARM

It's hard for any woman to be charming each evening when friend husband comes home unless she has electrical helpers to aid her in her household work.

WITHOUT them, it's wearing, tiring. WITH them, her work is so lightened that when evening comes she has enough vitality left to feel peppy and look charming ¶ The tired business man is no longer tired. And neither is the modern housewife, for with her washing, ironing, cleaning, and cooking all done by electricity, she becomes a charming evening companion ¶ Electricity will do any household task for a few cents. What is your charm worth?

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THE LOW 3RD. STEP RATE makes every electrical service so cheap that any woman who does any task electricity can do is working for a few cents a day. Is that a fair price for *your* charm?

Frankness

"What do you suggest for a campaign issue?"

"Relativity," answered Senator Sorghum.

"But so very few people understand it."

"True. But they are willing to admit the fact and go on about their business."—Washington Star.

HIRED CLERKS FOR THAT

"Doesn't your devotion to sports cause you to neglect your business?"

"No—I hire clerks to do that."

Investigate

If you should smell smoke in the house, don't just wonder where it is; go investigate immediately. It may be only a neighbor building a fire—but then it may not.

Properly Designated

Colorado is called the "Centennial state" because it was admitted to the Union in 1876, the centennial anniversary of the Declaration of Independence.

FOR SALE, etc.

The Spectator office has a nice assortment of Mother's Day cards. Select yours now and have it ready tor mailing. Adv.

FOR SALE:- Several Holstein-Fresian bull calves, 6 months old. Dams of these have production records of 400 lbs or more per year. Calves are from accredited herd. All individuals well marked. $60.00 each takes them. Address
Fred Cuno,
A11-M2pd Grygla, Minn.

For Sale: A John Deere sulky plow, 16 in, with both stubble and breaker bottom; a P & O 14 inch gang plow, and a John Deere-Moline 16 inch sulky plow. Will sell cheap if taken at once.
Wm. Olsen, City.

Potatoes For Sale:-Have a fine lot of Early Ohio potatoes for sale at 30 cents per bushel. Call on
Chr. Kruse,
R1 Wylie, Minn.

Baby Chicks For Sale:- S. C. White Leghorn baby chicks at $11.00 per hundred. Place orders now.
A25M30pv A. Nyhagen, City.

For Sale:-Two purebred Holstein bull calves, one three weeks, and the other younger. Call on
Ole Larson,
M2-16pd St. Hilaire, Minn.

For Sale:-300 bushels of Victory oats, elevator test 41 lbs. Cash price, 50 cents per bushel. Phone 9313
Aug. N. K. Anderson,
M9-16pd R 1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS: Progressive Everbearing plants at $1.50 per hundred. Call on or address.
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St. Hilaire, Minn. Nov 26th

His Songs

In these days it is customary for the composer to outlive his songs.—Newman Flower.

Remember This

Stretch the truth and it is apt to fly back and sting you.—Los Angeles Times.

Australia's Monopoly

Australia is the only country in which black opals are found.

Why Bread Is Improved by Use of Milk Solids

Milk breads have "come in" strongly in recent years. It might not be amiss, therefore, to review briefly the reason for their success.

Ordinary white bread is not a complete food. However, that is no reason for condemning it since, on that same basis, we would have to condemn most of our ordinary wholesome foods. Rather, our attitude in this matter should be that of Doctors McCollum and Simmonds, nutrition experts of Johns Hopkins university, who say that the keynote to successful nutrition is the selection of foods so that what is lacking in one will be supplied by another.

The "milk revolution" in bread baking came only after many years of striving on the part of diet and health authorities to find a means of improving bread. Doctor McCollum reported that "the simplest, safest and most effective way to improve the quality of bread is to introduce milk solids into its composition." Doctor Sherman discovered that the "proteins of milk are relatively rich in these amino-acid radicals in which grain is poor," and Doctor Holm found that "the addition of dry skim milk to bread dough supplements the protein of flour with one of greater nutritive value."

In other words, the ideal method of making up the normal deficiencies of bread and turning it into a product that will meet the nutritional requirements of the human body—a real health bread—is by combining milk solids with the flour. The proteins of the milk help to build strong muscles, the milk sugar supplies energy and favors the growth of helpful bacteria in the intestinal tract, and the milk minerals furnish the materials for strong bones and teeth and aid in all bodily processes.

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

Beware. The Peddler

The summer season, now near at hand, will bring with it an economic ill that annually takes a toll of thousands of ill gained dollars. It is the itinerant peddler, the house to house door bell ringer and those of his kind who travel from place to place plying their trade and imposing on the credulity of the unthinking, offering bargains in this and that which most always turn out to be inferior merchandise sold at higher prices or in short measure. It is well to beware of these fellows and the plausible stories that they tell to engage the interest and confidence of their prospects.

They are of many varieties and with as many kinds of merchandise to sell.

Inferior articles of many kinds are peddled about hither and yon during the summer months. The automobile has been a great aid to this kind of chicanery for after he has landed a few gullible prospects a day's journey will take him far away and beyond the reach of the buyer who discovers that he has been victimized.

What better insurance can there be than buying from the home town merchant? If for any reason the article proves unsatisfactory he is ready and willing to correct the trouble and satisfy his customer. Not so with the peddler--he is gone tomorrow or yet today if the chase gets too hot. He is not seeking to satisfy his customers--he is after the money alone. The home town merchant stakes his reputation and his success on his record for fair and honest dealing. He may be found at his place of business day in and day out, year in and year ont. There is nothing elusive about him.

When folks want support and contributions for this and that they know where to find him and he gives willingly and generously. Did anyone ever hear of the itinerant merchant contributing a single cent for the advancement of a local cause? There is one real way of insuring good goods at reasonahle prices, one way of getting good value for the dollar expended and that is to huy of the reputable home town merchant.-Gonvick Banner.

Annual spring clean-up time is here again. Wonderful results in appearance of the village could be made this year if all back alleys and vacant lots were cleaned up even if some had to be done at village expense. Sites of a couple burned buildings should be cleaned up, ash piles and rubbish removed from other places, and, a general cleanup made of old cars and scrap iron which has cluttered up some lots for the past two or three years. A town is judged by the appearance it presents, and St. Hilaire is no exception.

Neglected an unoccupied lots should be given some attention as it does not improve appearance very much to have cleaning done only in spots. It might also be a good idea to trim low hanging branches on the trees which border the walks about town.

A copy of the Turlock, California daily gives the information that a new cafe is being opened in that city and that Mrs. Tillie Blide, formerly of Roseau, will have charge of the kitchen department.--Roseau Times Region.

Mrs. Blide conducted a cafe in this village some years ago, before going to California.

Rodent Ravages Costly

The United States biological survey estimates the crop production loss in this country due to rodents alone at approximately $500,000,000 a year.

Awakening the Deaf

An electric clock for the deaf has been patented by a Bavarian. At the hour fixed the clock bounces a rubber hall on the head of the sleeper.

Man Worth While

The man whom I call deserving the name is one whose thoughts and exertions are for others rather than himself.--Scott.

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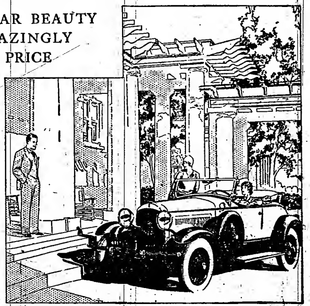

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WHIPPET 4 COACH

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Coupe $550; 4-pass. Coupe $580; Sedan $615; De Luxe Sedan $695; Roadster $500; 4-pass. Roadster $530; Collegiate Roadster $555; Touring $495; Commercial Chassis $380.

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From Grand Forks

Mrs. T. T. Sollom came over last week from Grand Forks for a visit at home of her daughter, Mrs. Ole C. Johnson. On Sunday her son, Elmer, and daughters, June, Olive and Myrtle motored over for the day and Mrs. Sollom returned home with them.

Grandson Dies

Mr. and Mrs. A. Odegaard were called Friday to Rock Lake, N. D., hy critical illness of her grandson, Earl H. Iverson, and got there before the boy died the following morning. The boy was a son of the late Albert Iverson, and was 13 years and four months of age. Funeral services were held at Rock Lake on Monday, and interment was made at Egeland, N. D. Mr. and Mrs. Odegaard returned home Tuesday.

Poultry Unit To Meet

The St. Hilaire Unit of the Poultry Project will meet next Wednesday, May 15th, at the home of Mrs. N. E. Beebe east of town. All members are urged to make special effort to be present at this meeting.

A Two Ton Litter

Fred E. Rux tells about a very unusual occurance which recently happened at his place. A sow gave birth to a litter of 12 healthy pigs. Two weeks later the same sow had another lot of 9 pigs, making 21 in all. If all pigs should grow to maturity and make an average of 200 lbs each, the litter would be a two ton one which is double the amount considered high by hog raisers--a one ton litter.

Land of Cloves

From the island of Zanzibar comes the bulk of the world's supply of cloves, there being almost 5,000,000 trees in use in the industry there.

Open Office Buying

The officers of the corporation of London in early times purchased their appointments by auction, the office going to the highest bidder.

And She Comes

The true go-getter was the old-fashioned lad. The modern just sits out in front and honks fer 'er.

LOCALS

Mothers Day is next Sunday. Don't forget to send a remembrance to your mother. An assortment of neat cards are on display at the Spectator office.

Mr. and Mrs. Knute Lind of Donaldson, visited first of the week with their former neighbors, Rev. and Mrs. M. Dahle. On Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Lind, accompanied by Rev. Dahle motored to Kelliher, returning here yesterday, and the former continued on to their home.

LOCALS

Dorcas meets next Saturday Mrs. Brink and Mrs. Jacobson entertains

Highwayman Albert Seaverson has been here first of the week hauling gravel and making repairs on T. H. No. 32 in north part of town where it was badly cut up this spring.

Mrs. Elmer Landis and children are planning to leave soon to make their home at Williston, N. D., where Mr. Landis is employed.

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In its distinctive appearance . . . in its attractive simplicity . . . in its wide range of smart, new colors the New Oakland All-American offers true style . . . style that reflects the mode, yet dares to be different . . . We are now making a special demonstration to prove the extraordinary value provided by the New Oakland All-American Six. We want you to enjoy this demonstration if only to learn what Oakland offers for its moderate price.

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Birthday Party

All members of the family of R. L. Hauge, as well as a number of other relatives and friends, gathered at his home across the river last Sunday to assist him in fittingly observing his 84th., birthday anniversary.

Despite his advanced age, Mr. Hauge has been hale and well until the past winter. He takes an active interest in what is going on about him, and the family re-union last Sunday was the realization of a hope oft expressed, that he might have all members of the family home for his 84th anniversary. A most enjoyable day was spent, and the old gentleman received a number of appropriate reminders of the happy occasion. Those present were: Oscar Hauge and family, of Thief River Falls, Joe Hauge of Bemidji, Selmer Hauge and family, of Bagley, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hauske, Oscar Hauske, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Finstad, S. T. Espeland and children, and Miss Cora Helgoe, all of this place.

Play A Success

The Senior Class play "Cyclone Sally" given at the Imperial Hall last Friday and Saturday evenings, will go down in school history as one of the best class plays given here. Each and every member of the cast took her or his part exceptionally well, and the characters were true to life. From rise of the curtain until finish of the play, there was action every minute. The young folks, including their coach, Miss Florence Haslam, are to be congratulated on the splendid presentation of the play which was greatly enjoyed by large audiences both nights. The Senior class realized some over ninty dollars from the play, and are naturally elated over their, success, which elation is also shared by their many friends.

Joe Hauge returned yesterday to his home at Bemidji after spending several days here with his parent's Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hauge.

Those from here who attended the Woman's Federation meeting at Greenbush last Thursday were Rev. Dahle, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Haugen, Mesdames E. Jensen, T. Skatrud, L. Gullicksen, A. Mortenson, A. V. Jacobson, E. O. Burkee and P. Simonson.

Testing Association

Thirty three dairymen in this vicinity have signed up for the cow testing project now being organized, and another eight or ten have signified their intention of so doing.

As soon as the required number is secured, an organization meeting will be held. Such associations have proven both beneficial and successful elsewhere, and will no doubt prove the same here.

4H Club Meet Saturday

A meeting of the 4H club will be held at the school building Saturday evening at 8:00. There will be a business meeting in connection.

Miss Natalie Wilson of Thief River Falls, will speak on her six years of club work experience; and County Agent Robert Douglas will address the gathering.

Dance, May 17th

A dance will be given at the Legion Pavillion at Red Lake Falls, May 17th. Snappy music by Morris Olson's Collegians of Fargo. adv.

A line crew of the Red River Power Comyany is expected here in a short time to make extensive alterations and repairs on the high line as well as the lines in town.

The newly created trunk highway police force of 35 men, Minnesota's latest contribution toward making its trunk road system one of the best in the country, will soon take up their duties. The men will have police power, but will confine their activities to making traffic safer on the trunk roads only.

A. F. Ittner, former publisher of the Times at Cass Lake, and now employed in the postoffice in that city, was here Monday between trains for a brief visit at the home of Mrs. Ittner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Simonson.

Erick Anderson, aged Rocksbury resident, who suffered a fractured limb recently as result of a fall from a chair, is not progressing as well as was expected. The broken bones do not knit, and it expected an operation will have to be performed.

Want Ads Bring Resutls

Blossom Time

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Attorney Perl W. Mabey of Thief River Falls, transacted business in this place Saturday forenoon.

Boys about town are enjoying some good bullhead and rock bass fishing down at the old dam.

Miss Gabrielle de Cathelineau, who has taught near Argyle the past year, returned home a short time ago after finishing her term.

Lawrence Wilson, who is employed at Warren, motored down Sunday for a visit with his family.

Lost:- A dark checkered mackinaw coat, on the state road east or south of town. Finder kindly return it to this office.

Supt. Cash Cartier of the Red River Power Company at Red Lake Falls, was up Saturday to read meters and to look after other business matters for the company.

Miss Lilly Gunstad, who teaches in the village school at Rosewood, came down Saturday and spent Sunday at her home east of town.

Henry Melin purchased a Chevrolet coach this week from the Roy Motor Company, agents for General Motors products.

Owing to illness of some members, the meeting of the Poultry Project which was to be held at the Beebe home yesterday, was postponed.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson, who came down recently from Kenora, Ont, Can., have moved into the Peters house to reside during the summer months.

Francis Soderberg, who has taught school near Bemidji the past school year, came up Friday to spend part of his summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Soderberg.

Monday was Senior Day at the local school, and members of the graduating class took advantage of the opportunity to stage a comical parade down town. They also visited nearby towns during the day.

Investigation was made Saturday of the tile drain at the bank corner which has been blocked the past few weeks, and it was found to be frozen. It will be impossible to open it unless some steam outfit can be found for that purpose.

Tim Ensrud is improving the appearance of his residence by a coat of paint.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beebe, accompanied by Mrs. Lee Beebe and Mrs. O. Gunstad, motored to Grand Forks and returned last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Finstad of Rocksbury, were visitors in the village yesterday afternoon.

Mother's Day, last Sunday, was fittingly observed in many homes in this community by family gatherings.

Village authorities had the road grader out this week and the streets are in much better condition, as a result.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mosbeck, accompanied by Richard Mosbeck and Mrs. P. A. Hallstrom motored Sunday to Winger and spent the day with relatives.

A light flurry of snow fell here yesterday. This is the latest snow that has fallen for a number of years.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brink of Miles City, Mont., are the happy parents of a daughter born April 17th, according to word received here by relatives.

Hon. Lars Backe, judge of probate court, motored down Saturday from Thief River for a brief visit with friends in the village.

The annual sale of tax delinquent real estate in this county was held at the court house at Thief River at Thief River Falls on Monday this week.

A steady downpour of rain almost all day Friday softened country roads so they were impassable in some places and also served to delay seeding and other field work for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hanson motored up Sunday from Crookston for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson, who recently moved here from Canada.

Clarence Swenson left Monday for Flint, Mich., after being home for the funeral of his father, the late Aug. Swenson.

Clarence has a fine position as foreman with the Fisher Body works at Flint, and is doing very well.

Real Surprise Party

Last Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wilson were taken by surprise when about thirty friends gathered at their home in honor of Mr. Wilson's 49th birthday.

A very enjoyable evening was spent and after partaking of a bounteous luncheon, served by the self-invited guests, including the birthday cake with 50 candles, the guests departed leaving a beautiful token of remembrance of the occasion.

Welfare Worker Killed

Miss F. Lucille Joslyn, welfare worker with the State Child Welfare Bureau, whose territory includes this county, was accidently killed Tuesday evening, according to an announcement make over the radio yesterday. The manner in which she met death, was not stated.

Miss Joslyn has visited here in connection with her work, a number of times and is well known by local people who will be grieved to learn of her death.

A couple of men, apparently under influence of liquor, ditched their car a short distance north of town Saturday afternoon. Aside from having to be hauled out, the experience did not seem to effect them in the least.

Anton Peterson of Wyandotte, was in the village Saturday attending to business matters. Anton stated that considerable rain fell out his way, and that seeding would be delayed somewhat as a result.

Hans Folstad, who was elected assessor of the village last March has begun his work. Only personal property will be assessed this year, the real estate valuations being computed in even numbered years.

The most commonly used electric light bulbs, 10 up to and including 60 watts, are now again reduced in price. The National Mazda lamps in sizes mentioned, now retail for 20 cents each at the Spectator office.

Oscar Borgie and family motored over Sunday from Grand Forks for a visit at the Ed Peterson home.

LOST:-White and black rat terrier dog. Last seen was on the street Sunday evening. Finder kindly notify M. Finstad, or leave with S. T. Espeland.

Father Dies

N. Benoit of this village, is mourning the death of his father which occured here Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Benoit, Sr. who was well over eighty years of age, was one of the pioneers in Red Lake Falls community. He made his home there until a few years ago when, because of failing health, came here to reside with his son. Practically bedridden and unable to care for himself since coming here, his last years were made pleasant by unfailing devotion of Mr. and Mrs. N. Benoit who did everything in their power to ease his sufferings. The remains were taken yesterday to the old home at Red Lake Falls and funeral services will be held Friday from the Catholic church there.

Helena Erdman has been named valedictorian, and Woodrow Wilson, salutatorian of the 1929 class of the local high school at commencement exercises to be held May 31st.

Miss Erdman, who finishes at head of her class, is completing the regular four year course in three years as also does her sister, Maria Erdman.

Rev. A. F. Nelson returned Tuesday after spending a few days at Alexandria. While there, Rev. Nelson had the pleasure of meeting Bishop Hjalmar Danell of Skara, Sweden who was in that part of the state attending the Minnesota conference of the Augustana Synod of North America. Rev. Nelson had previously met Bishop Danell while on a trip to Sweden about seventeen years ago.

In accordance with a custom established a few years ago, the bank will close at noon on Saturdays during the months of May, June, July and August.

Plans are being made now by local people for some of the festivities to be given in connection with the re-union of the eighth grade class of 1919 of the local school which is to be held here next month.

A ball team from River Falls town and a pickup team from among the young men in the village, played a game of ball on the school diamond last Sunday. The village lads managed to get long end of the score, otherwise the teams were evenly matched.

The Old Reliable

"Time tried and panic tested", this bank has done business in St. Hilaire for over a quarter of a century. Having such a record means the bank has enjoyed confidence of the people during that time.

When seeking banking connections, remember the "Old Reliable" is here to serve.

Open an account with us today -- your business will be appreciated.

Merchants State Bank

St. Hilaire - - - - Minnesota

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Your creamery is a citizen-owed plant, built by the people for the people. Aside from actual opperating expense and a small amount laid aside to pay interest on borrowed money, its entire receipts are paid out to its atrons.

If you are not already a shareholder in this worthy enterprise, arrange to become a stockholder.

The creamery has been a big factor in upbuilding of this community. We want to make it still better, and we want you, as a shareholder, to join with your neighbors in realizing that ambition. Get your share today.

St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n

St. Hilaire, Minn.

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It has Alemite fittings, roller bearings, and baloon tires. The sturdy construction of this spreader means it will give you more years of wear, thereby making it cheaper in the long run.

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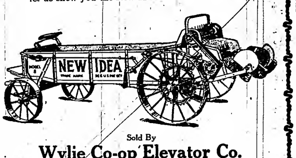

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WYLIE, MINNESOTA

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated November 26th, 1923, executed by William Erler and Cora E. Erler, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on December 1st, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 96 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $107.57, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $140.63 due on May 26th, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $140.63 each, due on November 26th, 1927, May 26th, 1928, and November 26th, 1928, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,246.42, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from November 26th, 1928, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $529.46, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $107.57 thereof since May 26th, 1927, on $140.63 thereof since November 26th, 1927, on $140.63 thereof since May 26th, 1926, and on $140.63 thereof since November 26th, 1928, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $241.25 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1929, in all the sum of $5,141.24, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NE¼ of NE¼) and Lots Two (2), Four (4) and Five (5), except 6½ acres of said Lot Five (5) all in Section Fourteen (14), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-two (42), containing 163½ acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 24th day of May, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated April 10th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. Flowers, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
K. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. A-11—M-16

Friendship's Qualities

Friendship has certain essential characteristics without which it is unworthy of the name. The basis of true friendship is self-sacrifice, disinterestedness, truth, virtue and constancy.—Cardinal Gibbons.

Great American Port

Approximately $50,000,000 worth of business is done daily in the port of New York. It has been estimated that an ocean vessel and 200 freight cars arrive or depart every ten minutes during the day.

Passing Observation

Monday morning mails would be even heavier if all those who listened-in on the sermons broadcast on Sunday—or say they do—sent contributions for the collection.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

THE CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, May 19th. Services as follows:

Clearwater, Pentecost day at 9 A. M.

St. Hilaire, Pentecost day at 11 A. M.

St. Pauli, Pentecost day at 1:30 P. M.

Oak Ridge, Pentecost day at 7:45 P. M.

Sunday school at the usual hour at St. Hilaire and St. Pauli.

All welcome.

All the above services will consist of sermonettes in both American and Norwegian.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Black River church at 10:00 with Sunday school following.

Services in local church at 3:00, Sunday school at 2:00.

Ladies' Aid of Black River meets at home of Mrs. Swan Johnson, Friday, May 24th., at 3:30.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00.

Services at 11:00 and 8:00

The Ladies Aid will be held at the John Norman home, Friday afternoon.

Bible class, Friday evening.

Strong Statements

Onions are said to throw off violet rays. We suspect that the scientist who asserted that had not smelled many violets.—Florence Herald.

Mining and Mintage

In the coinage of the United States there is represented the metals gold, silver, nickel and copper, with tin and zinc as alloys.

Mormon Leader's Progeny

Brigham Young was reported to have left $1,000,000 and 19 wives. He was the father of 57 children.

Beyond the Law

Cop on Shore—I'm going to arrest you when you come out of there.

Man in Water—Ha-ha! That's a joke on you. I'm not coming out. I'm committing suicide.—The Farm Journal.

LEAD UNNECESSARY

Wife—George, there's a burglar in the pantry eating my pies, I do believe.

Hubby—Do you think so? Then it won't be necessary for me to give him a dose of lead.

COMPROMISE ON TARIFF SOUGHT

Eleven Agricultural Groups Protest the Schedules on Products.

Washington—Developments in the tariff situation indicates that slight concessions are being made to the farm group by the Republican house leaders in connection with the tariff bill, but more dramatic developments were occurring on the senate side.

Over in the senate, where the debenture plan for making the tariff apply in part to the surplus crops, has been attached to the farm bill, it developed the group of progressive senators, insurgents otherwise named "psuedo-Republicans" by Senator Fess of Ohio, a plan is on foot to insure the adoption of the debenture plan as part of the tariff of the house tariff bill is planned by scaling down rates in manufactured items and to raise farm rates, the alternative being the tariff bill in this session and possibly no farm bill.

The group of Republican senators who voted for debentures are included in the program to attack the tariff bill. With the senate committed to the program of lowering already existing rates, to raise farm rates and to insist upon debenture, and the house determined to yield only as little as is necessary on the farm rates and to oust debenture, the markings of a deadlock between senate and house are evident.

These developments became known while the Republicans of the house were in conference. The conference was for the purpose of feeling out the sentiment among the Republican membership and pave the way for an understanding which will have the backing of the Republican majority and the solidarity of the Republican membership.

Before going into conference, the members were in receipt of copies of statements issued by various farm organizations, 11 in number, signed by their representatives, expressing subdued but positive dissatisfaction with the tariff as it deals with agriculture.

$36,000 Road Oil Losses Admitted.

Chicago—Henry Blim, former secretary-treasurer of the American-Mexican Petroleum Co., admitted here that his company substituted 1,500,000 gallons of domestic road oil for the Mexican higher-priced products specified to fill the 1926 contract for the city of Minneapolis. The city paid for the Mexican product to the full extent of the contract, and the loss to Minneapolis is estimated at $36,000. Mr. Blim made his statement to Floyd B. Olson of Minneapolis, Hennepin county attorney, who was here to check up the city's 1926 road oil purchases with the firms which supplied the oil.

Rail Lines in West Slash Rates.

St. Paul, Minn.—Sweeping reductions in freight rates on export wheat and flour throughout the middle west, to become effective about May 15 and to continue to September 30, 1929, were announced by western railroads as their contribution to the federal government's program for aiding agriculture by reducing transportation costs on shipments consigned to foreign markets. The temporary rate reductions were decided upon by executives of the western lines at a meeting of the Western Trunk Line association in Chicago.

Fear Long Overdue Ship Lost.

San Francisco—Fears for the fate of the five masted square rigged sailing ship, Kobenhavn, nearly 100 days overdue at Melbourne, Australia, were expressed here by Christian Jensen, president of the East Asiatic Co. The vessel sailed from Buenos Aires for Melbourne last December 14 in ballast. She carried a crew of 50 men and 60 cadets from among well known families in Danmark. The fact that, despite her radio, no message has been picked up, was seen by Jensen as an indication of another sea tragedy.

Dying Pastor Accuses Flock.

Portland, Ore.—The Rev. Andrew LaJunen, Finnish minister of the Gospel, died in a Portland hospital here as a result of a beating he received recently at Mullan, Idaho. The pastor told authorities the beating was administered by four members of his flock who objected to something he said in a sermon.

Slayer of Family Denied Plea.

Lincoln, Neb.—Henry Sherman, 21-year-old farm hand, lost his last chance to escape the electric chair when the Nebraska police board denied commutation of the death sentence imposed on him for murder of the Roger Pochon family at Rushville last year.

Airship Projected for Hawaiian Run.

New York—California, if plans which have already reached the stage of presentation for consideration to President Hoover, materialize, is to have a great air base from which mighty dirigible liners will fly to Hawaii, the Philippines and the orient.

Four Die in Powder Blast.

Hanover, Mass.—Four workmen were fatally injured, one was missing and 10 others hurt here in a series of explosions which wrecked five buildings of the National Fireworks Co.

25 Years Ago

Miss Anna Hall accepted a position in a dressmaking establishment at Fergus Falls, and was to spend the summer there.

—XXV—

Ed Bridge and family left that week for his homestead at Birch Hills near Prince Albert, Canada.

—XXV—

O. J. Larson and Miss Mary Quande, well known locally were married at Thief River Falls that week.

—XXV—

M. J. Lindahl left for the Hood River district in Oregon to look over the country with a view of locating.

—XXV—

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Duntley left for a visit with relatives at Red Lake Falls and Crookston.

—XXV—

Miss Gina Kordahl left for Minot, N. D., where she intended to take a homestead.

—XXV—

Jacob Westby, employee of the Crookston Lumber Company, was drowned here while engaged in sluicing logs through the dam. He lost his balance while crossing the boom was carried thru the ice-way with the logs. The young man was married, and had come down from Thief River Falls the day before to take up work here.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having occured in the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage dated the 20th day of October 1925, made, executed and delivered by Elias L. Rolland, and Esther O. Rolland, his wife, Mortgagors, to S. K. Dahle, Mortgagee, which said Mortgage together with a Power of Sale therein contained is duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 6th day of November 1925, at 10 o'clock A. M., in Book 69 of Mortgages, on page 222 thereof,

Which said Default consists in this that the Mortgagors have failed and neglected to pay the taxes assessed against the Mortgaged premises for the Years 1925, 1926, 1927, and 1928, amounting to the Total Sum of $252.05, inclusive of interest and penalties, as said taxes became due, and prior to the day appointed by law for the sale of said Lands for such taxes, as stipulated in said Mortgage, which said Taxes this Mortgagee has paid, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Mortgage, the Mortgagee has elected to declare, and does hereby declare the whole Sum secured by said Mortgage, inclusive of principal and interest, and said taxes paid by this Mortgagee to be due and payable at once, and whereas there is now claimed to be due and payable, and is now due and payable pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Mortgage, by reason of the said Default and the Mortgagee's said Election, the Total Sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-one and 05-100 ($1771.05) Dollars, inclusive of principal, interest and taxes paid by the Mortgagee, and no Action or Proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, and the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage having become operative,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots numbered Two (2), Three (3), and Four (4) in Block Five (5) of Zeh's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 15th day of June 1929, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at public vendue to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said Debt of $1771.05, and interest and taxes if any, and Seventy-five Dollars attorneys fees as stipulated in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of Sale as provided by law.

Dated this 25th day of April 1929.

S. K. Dahle,
Mortgagee

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
Attorney for Mortgagee.
M-2, J-6.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Tuberculin Testing
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Office By Hotel Ogahmah
Block North from G. N. Depot

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Six Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Nine and 34-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Elias L. Rolland and Esther O. Rolland, his wife, Mortgagors to the First National Bank of Thief River Falls, Mortgagee, bearing date the 19th day of April, 1921, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of April, 1921, at one o'clock P. M. in Book 51 of Mortgages, on page 49, and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lot Seven (7) in Block Thirty-six (36) and the West Seventy-eight (78) feet of Lots Twenty (20), Twenty-one (21), Twenty-two (22), Twenty-three (23), and Twenty-four (24), in Block Thirty-nine (39) of the Original Townsite of the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota.

With the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on 22nd day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Six Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Nine and 34-100 Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated 8th day of May, A. D. 1929.

The First National Bank
of Thief River Falls,
Mortgagee

J. M. Bishop
Attorney for Mortgagee
Office and Postoffice address
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
M. 9-J 13

CLEANUP NOTICE--All property owners and householders in St. Hilaire are hereby notified to have all rubbish, manure, ashes, etc., that may have accumulated during the winter, removed from their premises before May 25th. Annual sanitary inspection will be May 25th.

By Order of the
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Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire, Minn., held at the village hall May 6th at 8 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed as read.

Dr. S. S. Holton, balance due on salary	$11.50
Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
O. Gunstad, 2 proceedings	4.50
H. R. Allen, man and team	13.30

The bonds of E. O. Burkee and John Forseen were duly accepted

On motion duly made and carried Dr. Frolich of Thief River Falls was appointed health officer of this village for the next six months at a salary of $12.50.

Motion duly made and carried that the village build a four foot cement sidewalk and two cross walks on second street between the Great Northern right of way and Minnesota Ave. to replace the wooden side walk taken up last fall and that the clerk be instructed to advertise for bids, for the construction of same, bids to be opened June 3.

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjourned.

M. Fricker, Clerk. A. Satterberg, President.

Statement of the condition of

Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire, Minn.

at close of business on May 1st, 1929.

Bank No. 447

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	$80,402.63
Overdrafts	None
Securities, Bonds, etc.	74,503.82
Banking House Furniture and fixtures	7,800.00
Other Real Estate owned	7,775.00
Cash on band and due from Banks	17,541.03
Cash Items and checks	106.56
TOTAL	$188,129.04
LIABILITIES	
Capital	10,000.00
Surplus	3,000.00
Undivided Profits (net)	652.41
Savings Deposits	13,334.48
Time Certificates	103,705.58
Cashiers checks	None
Deposits subject to check	57,436.57
TOTAL	$188,129.04

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. ss

We, J. W. Black, President and Fred Biskey, Ass't Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to our knowledge and belief.

J. W. Black, President
Fred Biskey, Ass't Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of May. 1929.

Verner Nelson
(Seal) Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission expires Nov. 30th 1929.

Correct Attest (Two) Directors: E. O. Burkee, Theo. M. Thronson

State of Minnesota } ss.
County of Hennepin }

On this 9th day of May A. D. 1929, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County, personally appeared J. W. Black to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

E. G. Austin
(Seal) Notary Public, Hennepin Co, Minn.
My commission expires Dec. 3, 1932

Wanted

Orders for seed wheat, oats, barley, and flax.

See us for prices on the above, and on any other seed you may want this spring.

C. Roe Grain Company

ST. HILAIRE, MINN

Arthur Hanson *Local Manager*

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 2nd, 1924, executed by Mary Thoma Moonen, formerly Mary Thoma, and Henry Moonen, her husband, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 8th, 1924, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 204 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $108.23, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $187.50 due on October 2nd, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $187.50 each, due on April 2nd, 1928, October 2nd, 1928, and April 2nd, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $5,661.94, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from April 2nd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, tha sum of $670.73, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $108 23 thereof since December 4th, 1928, on $187.50 thereof since April 2nd, 1928, on $187.50 thereof since October 2nd, 1928. and on $187.50 thereof since April 2nd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $560.15 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1929, and the sum of $19.20, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since April 12th, 1927, in all the sum of $6,969.91, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The West Half (W½) of Section Twenty-one (21), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 320 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 14th day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 1st, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
M-2, J-6.

Bids Wanted

Sealed bids will he received hy the village council of St. Hilaire up to time of its next meeting, June 3, 1929, for construction of 300 lineal feet, more or less, of concrete walk and two crosswalks, 4 feet wide, according to specifications on file at the clerk's office. Walk will be laid from the G. N. right-of-way on Second street to Minnesota avenue. The village will furnish gravel and cement required. The Council reserves the right to reject any or all hids.

Order of Village Council
M9-23 M. Fricker, Clerk.

South River Falls

Mr. Harry Erickson visited at the Miller Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Peterson and son Dale visited Wednesday evening at B. Walseth home.

Mr. Edgar Peterson is busy building a brooder-house for K. T. Dalager.

Mrs. Miller Peterson and children visited last Sunday at G. B. Peterson home.

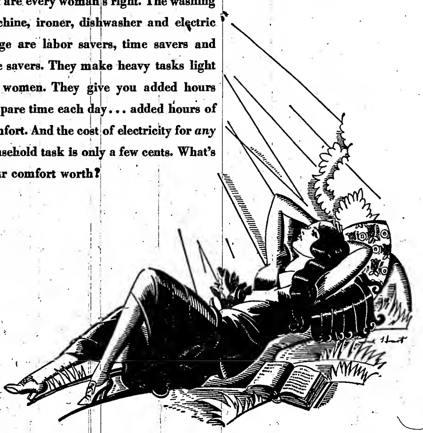
Evelyn Peterson, Annie Walseth and Horace Dalager spent the week end at their respective homes.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Peterson and son Dale visited Sunday at John Gunstad home.

Mr. O. B. Peterson visited Wednesday evening at Aug. A. Erickson home.

COMFORT

WOMEN *love* comfort; and the modern woman is enjoying a lot of it. She lets electricity hurry up her housework; and every afternoon there's a wonderful hour or two of sheer luxurious rest and comfort. Electric appliances are household helpers that are every woman's right. The washing machine, ironer, dishwasher and electric range are labor savers, time savers and wife savers. They make heavy tasks light for women. They give you added hours of spare time each day . . . added hours of comfort. And the cost of electricity for *any* household task is only a few cents. What's your comfort worth?



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HIS LAST QUESTION

The tonrist guida was getting tired. He bad to answer too many dumb qnestions.

"And jnst where did yon say this bonlder came from?" inquired one nnmbskull.

The guida politely replied that a glacier brought it down.

Then up spoke tha inquisitivs one again: "And where did the glacier go?"

"Aw," said the guide, "it went back after another boulder."

Aha! a Clew!

The great detective glanced around tha room with a practiced eye. The pictures were torn into shreds, the chairs were broken, the table lying on tha top of the piano. A great splasb of blood was on ths carpet.

"Some one has been here," be said.

WORST THING ABOUT HER

"Wbat is the worst thing about her?"

"That insignificant little Percy Snipp who is always at her side."

Happy Histrion

A statesman has to take a chance
In speaking for a cause.
The kid who does a song and dance
Is sure of his applause.

Easily Identified

The New Stenog—I forgot to initial them letters. Sball I do it now?

Tha Correspondent—Don't bother abont it. I'll know they're your work by your fingerprints which show quite plainly.

Fashion Notes

Mrs. Instile—Tha indications are that the narrow skirt will continne to be worn a great deal this season.

Her Husband—I'll bet they won't ba as much worn as tha men's old spring suits.

To Finish the Job

Pamear—Pretty good, don't yon think? I made it for a cover design."

Kritix—Now if you could only design a cover for the picture—

High Spirits

Tbe Redskin—How mnch for firewater?

Increase Grabbe—Well, rum bas gone np so I'll bave to charge yon ten acres a drink for it.

Pitiable

Jones—What'd that snappy salesman sell you this morning?

Smith—A book on how to cultivate sales resistance.

Somebody's Wrong

"I don't think this orchestra is mnch good, do yon?"

"Well, it bas bad soms difficulty in keeping time with you."

FOR SALE, etc.

For Sale: Two purehred Holstein hull calves, one three weeks, and the other younger. Call on
Ole Larson,
M2-16pd St. Hilaire, Minn.

For Sale: 300 bushels of Victory oats, elevator test 41 lhs. Cash price, 50 cents per bushel. Phone 9313
Aug. N. K. Anderson,
M9-16pd R 1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS: Progressive Everhearing plants at $1.50 per hundred. Call on or address.
I. A. H. Johnson,
M9-16pd R1 Wylie, Minn.

Baby Chicks For Sale: S. C. White Leghorn hahy chicks at $11.00 per hundred. Place orders now.
A25M30pv A. Nyhagen, City.

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St. Hilaire, Minn. Nov 26th

The Spectator, $1.50 a year.

School Proceedings

Regular meeting of directors of Ind: School Dist 102 held April 23rd 1929.

All memhers present.

Minutes of last meeting approved as read.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed:

Ed Lee, plumbing and supplies	$20.12
American Book Co., Books bill 3-6-29	5.76
W. M. Welch Mfg. Co. Supplies bill 4-2-29	3.15
Colhorn School Supply Co. Paper 4-18-29	2.96

On motion duly made and carried John Costain be elected grade teacher at a salary of $100.00 per month.

No further husiness motion for adjournment carried.

E. O. Burkee,
Clerk.

Music Without Notes

In playing music by ear the player is guided by sound alone. Hs keeps tbe melody of tune in mind and his fingers are guided np or down the scale by a sort of instinctive knowledge which enabies him to obtain the tones desired. In such playing no attention is paid to written music and often no thonght is given to names of notes struck.—Exchange.

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LOCALS

NOTICE:-I will be in St. Hilaire on Wednesday, May 22nd. This will be the only day I will be here the entire day during this month, and those wishing to see me are urged to keep the date in mind.

L. E. Healy,
Special Deputy Examiner
Farmers State Bnk. St. Hilaire.

FOR SALE:-Four high grade Red Poll bull calves, coming one year next fall. Call on

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Notice To Patrons

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Kindly list stock for shipment as far in advance as possible.

Wylie Co-op Shipping Ass'n
Wylie, Minn.
M16-23

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Brainerd—Escalon commandery No. 16, Knights Templar, have elected Ralph C. Falconer, eminent commander.

Renville—A Girl Scont patrol has been organized here. Missea Georgie Parker and Marion Vaaler, high achool teachers, are leaders.

Minneapolis—Two leading northwest farm publications, Farm, Stock and Home and The Farmer, have consoliadted into one pnblication, it is announced.

Mnra—By the slim majority nf 19 vntes, residents decided that Sunday movies may be permitted. A totsl nf 379 votes were cast, 199 voting for Sunday movies.

Lake City—Funeral services were conducted here fnr W. A. Hubbard, president nf the Lake City State Bank, wbn was found dead in his office, apparently nf heart disease.

Dawson—Alfred Froiland of Dawson, Minn., a junior at St. Olaf College, has receivsd an appointment with the Smithsonian Institution to go to e British Southwest Africa observatory.

Minneapolis—The new Cedar avenne bridge will be completed July 1. It is estimated that the total cost will run to $970,000. The allowance for the bridge has been over-expended hy $10,000.

Minnsapnlis—Fifty-two new 23-foot ornamental light standards will be installed along Nicollet avenne from Washington avenne to Tenth street, as a result of actinn taken by the city council.

Jackson—Lyle Churchill, county agent of Houston county, was eppointed county agent nf Jacksnn county at a meeting of the farm hurean here. He will take his new post in abont three weeks.

Menkato—Mrs. Bird Hitchcock Fraser, dean nf women at the Teachers College here five years, has resigned, effective this summer. Mr. and Mrs. Fraser plan to spend next year in atudy and travel.

Winona—Mrs. J. E. Benedict of Stewartville has been elected president of the First District Federation nf Women's clubs in convention here. Mrs. P. H. Lavelle of Chatfield was elected secretary.

Minneapolis—A statewide music contest is announced by the American Legion, to follow the Minnesota Legion snng text contest, which was concinded April 15 and resulted in the selection nf four texts.

Ortonville—Choirs with a total nf more than 300 voices sang each day at a three day annual meeting of the Young People's Luthar League of the Mnntevideo circuit which takes in this eection of Minnesota.

Winona—Hundreds nf Catholic women from all sections of the state assembled here fnr the annual spring conference nf the Minnesota Council nf Catholic Women being condncted at the College nf St. Teresa.

St. Clnud—John Schenk, 99, pinneer farmer, who died here, is survived by 250 descendants. His widow, 97 years, and seven children, 60 grandchildren, 160 great-grandchildren and 23 great-great grandchildren survive.

Great Continents' Names

According to certain anthorities, the name Enrope is derived from the Assyrian "Irih" or "Ereb," which means the setting sun nr the West, while the name Asia is derived from the Assyrian "Assu," meaning the rising sun nr the East.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated September 20th, 1926, executed by William H. Sherwood and Anna Sherwood, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State nf Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed fnr record in the office nf the Register of Deeds in and fnr Pennington County, State of Minnesota, nn September 22nd, 1926, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" nf Mnrtgages, on page 336 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $60.63, balance of the semi-annual installment nf amortized principal and interest of $140.63 due on March 20th, 1928, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $140.63 each, due on September 20th, 1928, and March 20th, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum nf $4,381.42, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from March 20th, 1929, at the rate of five and nne-fnurth per cent. per annum, the sum nf $341.89, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $60.63 thereof since March 21st, 1928, on $140.63 thereof since September 20th, 1928, and on $140.63 thereof since March 20th, 1929, each at the rate nf seven per cent. per annum; the sum nf $262.15 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1929, and the sum of $41.46, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum nf $5,078.03, including interest nn said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that nn action or proceeding at law or ntherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured hy said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power nf sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-five (35), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, nf Range Forty-two (42) West; Lot Three (3), in Section Three (3), also Lots Three (3) and Four (4) of Section Two (2), in Tnwnship One Hundred Fifty-twn (152) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, conveying hereby 323 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances will be sold by the Sheriff nf said Pennington County, at the front door nf the Court Hnuse in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 28th day of June, 1929, at ten n'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due nn said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premiums paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed hy law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 15th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Ynungquist, Attorney General,
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. M16-J20.

Motor Cars Oddly Named

Some fancifnl names were given many of the early makes of motor cars. A few of them, long nnt of the picture, were Antodynamic, in 1901; Bnckmobile, in 1903; Brownicker, in 1908; Ben Hnr, in 1917; Comet, in 1908; Dixie Flyer, in 1917; Everybody's, in 1908; Gasmobile, in 1901; Great Smith, in 1911; Gearless, in 1920; Mercnry, in 1904; Motorette, in 1911; Mighty Michigan, in 1913; U. S. Long Distance, in 1903, and Vogue, in 1921.

Odd Golfing Courses

Honnlnln possesses one nf the world's qneerest sports grounds in the Hole-in-One Golf clnb, with its nineteenth hole tee on the edge nf a live volcano; while an equally strange golf conrse is that at Jinja, nn Lake Victoria. The hippopotamus is such a freqnent visitor that balls may be removed from its tracks without penalty.

In Praise of Work

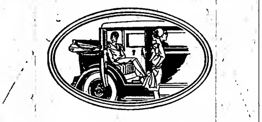
Accustom a man to 16 honrs of work a day, and he will regard 10 hours' work as a soft snap. Bnt accustom him to working 7 nr 8 honrs, and he will look upon 10 bours nf work as an unbearable hardship. Young men of today too nften are under the disadvantage of having been trained in the 8-hour idea.—American Magazine.

Meany!

A fairly good way to tease an estimable neighbor woman, we discovered yesterday, is to remark in an offhand manner, as she settles down to tell about her hospital experience, that in a number of cases lately surgical operations have been successfully resorted to to cure criminal tendencies. —Ohio State Journal.

First White House Tenant

President John Adams was the first President to live there. Washington lived in two bouses in New Yyrk city and one in Philadelphia during his terms and Adams lived in the house vacated by Washington in Philadelphia until the removal to the city of Washington in 1800.



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MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Little Falls—4-H club enrollments in Morrison county, have reachad tha 300 mark.

Northfield—Malcolm Rosholt of Rosholt, Wis., a sophomora at St. Olaf College, has accepted an offer to accompany the Upton Close student tour to the nrient this summer as photographer. He also will have cbarga of commissary on board sbip whila an routa on the Pacific. Mr. Rosholt was a member nf the student tour in 1928.

Center City—Bishop and Mrs. Hjalmar Danell of Skara, Swedan, arrivad here for the calebration of a Lntheran anniversary for which they traveiad from Swedan. Thay era guests of honor at the seventy-first annual convention nf tha Minnasota conferenca of the Augustana synod haid at Cbisagn Lake church.

Hibbing—A celebration was held here for the 44 pionear husbands and wives who have come through an eggregate nf 2,000 years nf marriad life. These 22 conples, marriad 45 or more years, were feted hy the municipality and nearly 400 settlers who had lived here at least 50 years. Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Frank, married 53 years, were the guests of honor.

Duluth—Awards totaling $329,000 in the first 258 condemnation actions to obtain easamants for parmanent flooding of Lake of the Woods shore lands were granted in a raport of a special appraisal commission. Of that amount, if the court approvas the report, the United States government must pay half, the Canadian government paying the balance nf easement claims.

Long Lake—Fira wiped out two houses in Long Lake, causing damaga estimated at $10,000. Contents of hoth bnuses were destroyed.

Sauk Rapids—Hanry Rines, state comptroller has rule that tha $90 yearly increase vnted thamselves by trustees of the village of Sauk Rapids, in Benton county, is just $90 more than they are entitled to receiva.

Minneapolis—Parking in the loop between the hours nf 7:30 a. m. and 9:15 a. m. is prohibited. An nrdinance passed hy the city council banning cars during the morning hours was signed by Mayor George E. Leach.

Pocket Perils

Men's pockets are happy hnnting grounds for inflnenza and other germs, according to a doctor, who says the pockets should be turned inside ont, brushed, and disinfected regularly.

Healthy Reindeer

The government has maintained experiment stations in Alaska and keeps in tonch with the main herds of reindeer. Nn contagious disease has ever been encountered.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seventy-three and 70-100 ($73.70) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Louis Feragen, a single man, Mortgagor, to First and Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1924, and with a power of sale thercin contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of December, 1924, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "68" of Mortgages, on page 48.

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured therehy, was duly assigned by said First and Peoples Stata Bank, Mortgagee, to B. C. Bernard by written assignment dated the 14th day of October, 1925, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 14th day of October, 1925, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "63" of Mortgages, on page 592.

And Whereas, The said B. C. Bernard, the Assignee and Holder of said Mortgage has duly elected and does herehy elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable upon said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Two and 10-100 ($1302.10) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, except that an action at law has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgaga and that an execution upon the judgment rendered therein has been returned wholly unsatisfied.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The South Half (S½) of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-four (24), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian and containing eighty (80) acres according to the Government Survey thereof, be it the same more or less, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 29th day of June 1929, at ten n'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest biddar for cash, to pay said debt of $1302.10 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as prnvided by law.

Dated May 14th, A. D. 1929.

B. C. BERNARD,
Assignee of Mortgagee.
Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Chommie,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. M-16-J-20

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Twenty To Graduate Here Friday, May 31st

Twenty pupils of the local high school, the largest graduating class in history of the school, will recieve their diplomas at the Commencement exercises to be held at the school auditorium Friday evening, May 31st.

Out of the twenty to graduate, Helena Erdmann, Woodrow Wilson, Evelyn Maakrud, Harwood Olson, Myrtle Palmquist and Maria Erdmann are listed as honor students.

Woodrow Wilson will give the salutatory address, and Helena Erdmann the Valedictory.

Mr. J. W. Black of Minneapolis, will give the Commencement address.

Following is a list of the graduates:

Agnes Anderson, Annie Anderson, Stella Bengtson, Laurine Bjerk, Peter de Cathelineau, Manford Dahle, Helena Erdmann, Maria Erdmann Alice Gigstad, Clarence Hallstrom, Loretta Kruse, Evelyn Maakrud, Thule Norman, Morris Odegaard, Harwood Olson, Miles Olson, Myrtle Palmquist, Agnes Peterson, Sylvia Wahlbeck and Woodrow Wilson.

Funeral Held Thursday

Funeral services for the late Charles Benoit, age 89 years, who died here at the home of his son, N. Benoit. last week, were held from the St. Joseph's Catholic church at Red Lake Falls last Thursday morning. Interment was made at the cemetery east of Red Lake Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Martz and son, Burke, accompanied by Mrs. B. E. Burkee, motored up Saturday from Litchfield for a visit at the E. O. Burkee home. Mrs. B. E. Burkee who has spent the winter months at Litchfield, will remain here for the summer. The others returned home Sunday.

Herman Ortloff, well known Sanders farmer, recently bought the T. M. Brevig and Elmer Landis properties across the south bridge. Mr. Ortloff intends to retire from farming the coming fall and will take possession of his town property this fall. By combining the two places, he will have an ideal small truck farm.

Gerald Stephens left last week for Crookston and other points to seek employment for the summer.

To Deepen Ditch

The ditch along north side of the state road from the Swan Johnson farm east for a distance of about a mile or more, is to be widened and deepened in the near future, according to statements of members of the county board. This particular piece of ditch, which was not made according to original specifications, has caused considerable trouble because of its tendency to overflow every spring, and also after heavy rains. Farmers in this locality have lost at least two crops which can be traced directly to the ditch not functioning as it was intended it should.

Nels Nelson Promoted

Nels Nelson, son of Mrs. N. A. Nelson of this place, who has been manager of a National Tea Company store at Superior for the past two years, has lately been transferred to Minneapolis where he will have charge of a larger place for the same company. Nels' numerous friends here rejoice with him in his good fortune.

Testing Association

Organization meeting of the cow testing association now being formed, has been called to take place at Thief River today, according to County Agent Robt. Douglas. Necessary number of signers has been secured, and it is hoped to have the organization functioning in a short time.

Victor Lorentson of Lakeville Minn., accompanied by his brother, Gust of Errin, Tenn., motored up Tuesday for a visit with friends here, and with their brothers, Fred at Thief River Falls, and Sam at Holt. This is Gust Lorentson's first visit back to the old home since he left here twenty five years ago.

Rupert Nelson became seriously ill last Sunday while attending services at the Evang. Mission church and was taken home in unconcious condition. A physician was called and he diagnosed the case as a nervous breakdown.

He is still confined to bed, and is under care of Miss Clara Norman, R. N. Rupert's many friends sincerely hope for his speedy recovery.

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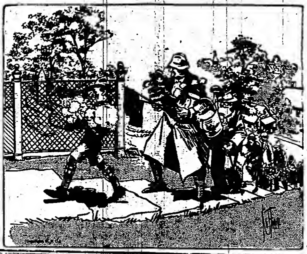
St. Hilaire — Minnesota

Memorial Day



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

The Carlson Merc. Co. is putting on another sale. Shipments of goods bought specially for the event, have been received and put on display.

Dr. Lars Twete, the veterinarian, was here both Friday and Saturday of last week attending to a number of calls from this locality.

Some of the early seeded grain is up, trees are leaving out, and lawns are coming along so it looks like there may be summer after all.

Mr. and Mrs. Sever Skottem and family motored Sunday to Warren and spent the day visiting with friends.

Several members of the local W. C. T. U. motored yesterday to Ada to attend a district convention of that organization.

Several parties report seeing deer in this vicinity lately. Several have been seen east of town, and at least two west of the village.

John Forseen has grubbed out some of the large boxelder trees in front of his place so that part of the street now presents a much better appearance.

Jas. A. Dahl, superintendent of the village schools at Lockhart, motored up Saturday for a visit with friends, and also attended to some business matters.

Mesdames P. Simonson and John Folstad will entertain the Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church at that church, Friday afternoon, May 24th.

The Ernest Patenode family are now making their home at the Mrs. C. Hellend residence vacated by the A. B. Taylor family recently.-Gonvick Banner.

People about town commenced putting in their gardens last week. This is about two weeks later than usual, but results will undoubtedly be better than if they had been put in earlier during the cold weather which prevailed first of this month.

A very interesting meeting of the 4H Club was held at the school building last Saturday evening. Some of the boy members of the Club have undertaken to raise certified potatoes this summer, and a few others will experiment with onions.

County Attorney H. O. Berve motored down yesterday afternoon to look after business matters in connection with his office.

Mrs. Ferdie Brown of Grygla, motored down last week-end for a short visit at the Branum and Carter homes.

L. E. Healy, special deputy examiner in charge of the Farmers State Bank, was here all day yesterday attending to business affairs of the bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Ludvig Gullickson and children motored Sunday to Thief River Falls to visit with his mother who is a patient at the hospital there following an operation.

Regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the creamery was held Monday afternoon, and checks were issued then and yesterday.

Gust, Victor and Fred Lorentson motored down yesterday from Thief River and went out to Black River for a short visit with friends and former neighbors.

While here from Lockhart during last week-end, Jas. A. Dahl bought a new Chevrolet Six from the Roy Motor Company, local agents for General Motors products.

The Spectator would like to get correspondents from west of town. Anyone in that territory who is willing, , and can write an interesting news letter, kindly call at this office, or write us.

Many local residents are obtaining their fishing licences for this season. Open season for taking certain kinds of game fish commenced May 15th, and season for taking black bass opens June 21th.

Ed Durhin, proprietor of the meat market, is enjoying a brisk trade in the various kinds of prepared meats manufactured at his place. Mr. Gonnering, who is in charge of the sausage manufacturing department, is kept busy every day making up supplies to meet constantly increasing demand.

Construction work is to start soon on the new highway from junction of No's 32 and 8 south of Red Lake Falls to Erskine. The new road will cut the distance between the junction and Erskine by many miles, and will do away with many curves.

Forest Fires Raging

A dense pall of smoke hung over this part of Minnesota yesterday and to some extent today. Forest fires which started about ten days ago and were thought to be subdued at that time, have broken out anew and large areas of valuable timber near The Pas, northwest of Winnipeg, are being destroyed. The smoke was so heavy in this section yesterday that it appeared as tho clouds were gathering for a heavy rain. Thousands of fire fighters have been called out to attempt to check the fires.

To Make Border Drier

Stopping up liquor leaks on the horder is part of the program of S. B. Quale, federal prohibition administrator for the fourteenth district. Additional forces will be added to the present personnel on the horder to stop liquor smuggling. Mr. Qvale says that "altho border rum running is not troubling us to any great extent, we are going ahead and stop all loopholes." He did not divulge the entire plan of campaign.-Roseau Times-Region.

Cantata, Sunday

A Cantata, entitled "Dawn Immortal" will be given at the local NNorwegian Lutheran church next Sunday evening starting at 8:00. Lunch will be served at the church parlors after the program.

Killed By Truck

Miss F. Lucille Joscelyn, field representative of the Children's bureau; mention of whose death was made briefly in last issue, was killed by a truck as she stepped from a street car at St. Paul. The remains were taken to Elizabeth, Ill., where her father resides, and funeral services were held there last week.

Road Contract Let

The contract for the construction of 30 miles of new grade on Highway No. 32, between Holt and Greenbush was let to Chas. Weaver of Anoka Tuesday.

Tom Stevenson of Robinsdale will start next week at Greenbush with two drag-line dredges.

The work on the entire system will all be rushed to completion as quickly as possible.-Middle River Reeord.

Baccalaureate Sermon Next Sunday, May 26

The annual Baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the local high school, will be given at the Norwegian Lutheran church next Sunday, May 26th., at 3:00 P. M. Rev. C. B. Dahlberg, pastor of the Evangelical Mission church will be the speaker.

Guernsey Sale June 6th

Paul Engelstad, secretary-treasurer and sales manager of the Red River Valley Guernsey Breeders Association, has completed listing of stock for the tenth annual consignment sale which will be held at the Pennington County fair grounds at Thief River on June 6th.

One hundred twelve head have been listed, and the sale bids fair to be the largest sale ever held in this part of the state. 22 purebred bulls ranging in age from 6 months to 3 years, 37 purebred heifers and cows ranging from 6 months to 3 year and 53 high grade Guernsey cows and heifers are on the list.

The animals are backed by some of the most desirable breeding of Guernsey cattle, and themselves by butterfat production records up to seven hundred pounds.

There are some splendid heifers individuals in the lot which have been selected to supply the need of calves for club work.

H. O. Tellier of Farmington, Minn., will be auctioneer and Theo. Thronson of the First National Bank at Thief River will act as clerk.

Check Forgers Busy

During the past two weeks check forgers have been busy in Northwestern Minnesota, and local merchants are warned to beware of the stranger, who has a check to offer. During the past two weeks merchants at Bagley, Crookston, International Falls, Grand Forks, Little Falls, Brainerd, St. Cloud and Wadena have been the victims of these artists.

The checks are usully drawn for a small amount and are in payment of an even smaller purchase. At several places a man and a woman worked together and both were present when the transaction was completed.-Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Do not miss the Cantata at the Nor. Lutheran church next Sunday evening at 8,00

The Right Spirit

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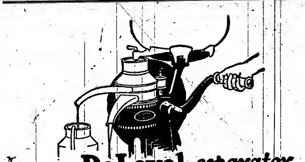
The creamery has been a big factor in upbuilding of this community. We want to make it still better, and we want you, as a shareholder, to join with your neighbors in realizing that ambition. Get your share today.

St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Ass'n

St. Hilaire, Minn.



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St. Hilaire, Minnesota

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the Sum of Eleven Hundred Twenty and No|100 ($1120.00) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest to date of this Notice, and default having also been made in the payment of the Taxes on the herein described mortgaged Premises for the Years 1924, 1925, 1926, and 1927, amounting to the Total Sum of Three Thousand Six Hundred Seventeen and 21|100 ($3,617.21) Dollars, which said Taxes this Mortgagee has necessarily paid, making a Total Sum of Four Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty-Seven and 21|100 ($4737.21) Dollars, all of which is now claimed to be due, and is due and in default at the date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage dated November 10, 1922, mede executed and delivered by C. M. Evenson and Ellen Evenson, his wife, Mortgagors to A. C. Baker, Mortgsgee, which said Mortgage together with a Power of Sale therein contained is duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesote, on the 10th day of November 1922, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in Book "51" of Mortgages on page 199 thereof,

And No Action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by the sald Mortgege, or any part thereof, and the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgege having become operative,

NOW, THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will he foreclosed hy a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

West Eighty-three (83) feet of Lots Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14) end Fifteen (15) of Block Thirty-six (36) of the Original Townsite of the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging; which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesote, on the 6th day of July, 1929, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said debt of $4737.21, and interest and taxes if any, and $50.00 attorneys fees as stipulated in said Mortgege in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of Sale as provided by law.

Dated this 23rd day of May 1929.

A. C. BAKER,
Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
Attorney for Mortgagee. M23-J27

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Nashua—A village and township hall will he erscted at Nashna this summer to replace ona destroyed by fire last winter.

Littla Falls—Approximately 200 sales, rsprssenting $12,000, were executed at the annnal land sala for delinquent taxes of last year.

Reehsster—Mrs. Jennia Ingalis, former mayor of Dodge Center, and said to be the first woman mayor in Minnesota, died here at ths ags of 56.

Redwood Falls—Nate Bovee of Big Sandy, Mont., has hsen named agricultural agent of Redwood county, succeeding Lynn Sheldon, who resigned.

Madison—Officers of the 135th Infantry, Minnesota's senior National Guard unit, will condnct a conference at the Armory in Minneapolis May 24 and 25.

Albert Lea—Registration and a theater party and dance opened the twenty-aixth annnal convention of ths first district group, Minnesota Bankers Association.

Appleton—Women of Applaton Civie League havs selected the Zenia as Appleton's official flower. Many growers of this community will plant thssa flowers this year.

Hastings—Fire of undaterminad origin caused $5,000 damage to St. Theresa's convent here. Tha fire started in tha attic while the sistsrs were attending church.

Janesville—The Janesvills municipal band has accepted an invitation of the Minnesota Band Masters Association to participate in the stete musie festival in St. Panl, Juns 21-23.

St. Paul—Tax asssssors, 2,700 strong are ahroad in tha state on ths annnal task of placing a valnation on all personal property in Minnesota. Thay havs until Jnly 1st to finish the job.

St. Paul—Dnlnth has been chosen as the 1930 site for the convention of the Minnssota Stata Madical Association at tha closing sessions of the association at the Masonic Tample here.

Hastings — Tha Mississippi river bridga here canght fira, supposedly from a carsless motorist tossing a cigar ovsr ths sida of his car, hnt was checked bafore doing and great damage.

Alsxandria—Sevaral lakes in this region already hava baen stocked with pika fry and the Douglas County Gams and Fish Leagus which is carrying on the work, plans to plant fry in additional lakss.

Minneapolis—A white haired man leaped to his death from the Franklin avenns hridga into the Mississippi river. He was identified as Robert C. Kalkhoff, one of the first officers of the Minneapolis Clnh.

Duluth—Dorothy, 8-year-old daughter of S. H. Hansan, Dulnth fire chiaf, was killed and two playmates seriously hurt here when a car driven by A. E. Beunett boundad off the straet and onto the sidewalk.

Stillwatsr—Pleading guilty to second degrse forgery, H. A. Swanson, cashier of the closed Citizans State Bank of Afton, has hean ssntenced to not more thon six years in tha state prison in District Conrt here.

Moose Lake—Rev. James Lofte, pastor of tha Zion Lntheran church of Moosa Laka for eix yaars, will preach his farawell ssrmon hers May 19. Hs has accspted a call as pastor of a chnrch at Chippewa Falls, Wis.

Bricelyn—The villsga council of Bricelyn has appropriated $200 towards arection of a handstand and improvement of ths villags park. Ths Commercial Club will contribnte tha rsmaindsr of the amount needed.

Albert Lea—W. L. Brooks, presidant of tha Northarn National Bank at Bemidji, gavs the principsl address hefors the twenty-sixth annual convention of the First District group of the Minnesota Bankers Association hers.

Robbinsdale—Mrs. Amy Robbins Wars, who gelned national prominence in har work on international relations and who sarved in France as a volunteer Red Cross nurse and instructor for the A. E. F. university, died in Ahhott hospital, Minneapolis.

St. Cloud—Thonsands of visitors from all over the northwest will he in St. Clond May 23, 24 and 25 to aid in the celebration arranged at the nsw local airport. Between 75 and 100 pilots will compete in tha many avsnts for which snhstantial prizes hava baan posted.

Duluth—A raduction of 2½ cents a hundrsdweight on wheat and flour carriad from the Twin Cities to Dulnth for export will he granted hy all railroads in this tarritory, regardless of whether Great Lakes hoat lines agreed to maka a cut in thair rates, it has baen announced.

St. Paul—First forest fires of tha season hava brokan ont in northarn Minnesota, Grover Conzet, state forester, reportsd on his rsturn from a five day tour of inspection in tha north woods. Mr. Gonzet said saveral hlazes had broken ont in small wooded sactions in the sonthern part of the forest area, hnt had haen hronght undar control. The foraster said tha eonthern part of the area is very dry.

Wells—Mrs. Gilhart Johnson has been elected president of tha Amarican Legion Auxiliary hara.

St. Cloud—Tha body of Michael Merten, 13-year-old St. Clond boy, for whom a search had been condncted tha last three weeks, was found in the Mississippi river near here.

Minneapolis—The Federal Reserve bank of Minneapolis has increased its re-discount rate one-half of 1 per cent, from 4½ to 5 per cent, at a meeting of the board of diractors. The action was announced by executives of the bank and approved hy the federal reserve board at Washington.

Its style is the first indication of its big car qualities

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My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

Appertaining to Finance

MOST of us ere femilier with the story of the improvident persou who, on heing warned by the bead of his hank that ha must make extensive deposits immediately in order that his drawing account might balance, made answer as follows:

"Say, look here! I'm getting good and tired of having you fellows botheriag me about thesa petty financial detelis. If you begin pestering me agein I'll be derned if I don't take my overdraft out of your hank and transfer it to the Second National, across the etreet."

There's a companion story for this, not quite so old:

A gentleman in a southern town, well known as brilliant bnt careless, was persistent in his applications for loans and extremely tardy about repaying them. Ha bad induced a local bank to let him bava forty dollars, aad gave his note therefor.

At the end of each 30-day period he inveriably appeared and asked that the note he renewed; and as there was notbing else to do, the bank always renewed it.

One day ha appeared and said to the cashier:

"I'd like to renew that paper of mine yon have bere."

"Certainly," replied the cashier; "I'll fix it np for you."

The ceshler made the proper preparations for the renewal, and then he said:

"Say, the directors ware talking about this paper of yonrs tha other day. They decided that they wouldn't charge you interest on it any longer."

"That's very considerste of them," wes the reply. "I'm migbty glad to hear it. I certainly am under obligations to them."

"Yes," continned tha cashier, "we're not going to charge yon interest, wa're going to charge you storage!"

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Flood of Blood

The black natives of the Naga hills of Assam live under the tyranny of a system of demons called Nats, who are thonght to be present everywbare and wbo control or influence every act of thosa miserabla people. These gods are all-powerful. In order to propitiate them thera must he a constant flowing of blood. When it is not possible to sacrifice tha lives of those neighboring tribes upon whom they make war, they find a flood of blood by taking the lives of their own people and the women of the tribes mnst supply the blood with their lives. Great Britain exercises some sopervision over this country and is at this time hattling with the problem of preventing this terrible orgie. It has already been successful in discouraging similar practice in some other localities.

Ant Traps Its Victims

Tha ant-lion digs pitfalls to capture its prey. It is not apparent why the insect should be called a lion, because the king of tha forest nses no such device.

Tha pit, says the Kansas City Star, is made in sand or loose earth. It is cone-shaped, and in the bottom of this the "lion" reclines to catch its unwary victims. While the mother looks very barmless, yet ber children are such nnruly rascals that naturalists say were they to be left alone at birth the first to hatch would eat his brothers, so the mother is obliged to segregate the eggs.

25 Years Ago

A. G. Ness left for Silverton, Oregon to visit his daughters, and possibly to look up a location.

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Albert Fellman and Charley Carlson returned from Bemidji where they were employed in the mill. Closing of the plant left them without work.

—xxv—

Extension of the Great Northern from Thief River Falls to Greenbush was to be completed that year.

—xxv—

Mrs. Mary Jorgenson, youngest daughter of A. O. Kolstad of this village, died the previous Sunday at her home at Superior, Wis.

—xxv—

There was a rumor afloat that the local mill would be operated that summer. The mill had been closed thus far that spring.

—xxv—

Miss Josie Gigstad went to Superior to attend the funeral of Mrs. Jorgenson.

—xxv—

The village of Shevlin in Clearwater County, was almost entirely destroyed by fire that week.

BROTHER BILL SAYS—

When a guy is "rolling the benes" and it comes your turn to shake 'em up—be sure to snap your fingers twice as you roll 'em out—and lady luck will come your way with a "Seven" or "Eleven."

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Health Secrets

More and more we are learning to rely upon nature, rather than upon medicines, for health. If we all followed nature's laws, most of our serious diseases would disappear. Certainly the so-called "diseases of civilization"—affections of the beart and nervous system—would be abolished. Sunlight, fresh air, exercise, right food, avoidance of worry, and tha prompt repair of any injury or defect—these are practically all anyone needs to maintain perfect health.—Dr. Fred H. Albee in the American Magazine.

Pink Canterbury Bells on Creamy White Cotton

Evsn a baby psrks up and pays attention to pink canterbury bells on a creamy white cotton. A dress that is colorful and modish helps to kesp up ths merale at ths early hour of nine in ths morning. Tha linss are right: a etraight uppsr part, a skirt that flares smartly, an overlap. Ths skirt rune up at the right side, laps the upper section and ths trimming band comes ever them for goed measure. The pique trimming bande is a pleasing long line to be had for less than tsn minutes' stitching. Ready-folded binding makes the sewing go svsn faster. It is the quick way to finish the upper edge of the skirt before it is joined to the blouse section.—Woman's Heme Companion.

Wait and See

"I hear yon are not going to marry Mr. Newcomer after all. Why is that?"

"Oh, father thinks his position isn't good enough and mother thinks he is too old for me. My aunts think he is too good-looking to make a satisfactory husband, and my Uncle Jim says he has beard rumors about him. My cousins tell me he is a flirt, and I—"

"Yes, and you—wbat do you think about it all?"

"Oh, I think I ought to wait until he asks me."

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United States Motto

"E pluribus unum," the Latin phrase that has become our netional motto, originally occnrred in a poem entitled "Moretnm," supposed by soma to have been written by Virgil. It literally means, "one from many," or "from many one." According to the Pathfinder Megezine, the Continental congress on July 4, 1778, eppointed Franklin, John Adems and Jefferson a committee to chose a device for the seal of the United States of America, end this committee consulted Eugene Pierre Du Simitere, a West Indian Frenchman living in Philadelphia, who had some reputation as an artist end he submitted a device containing the above phrase. Usually, however, the motto is attributed to Jefferson.

Building America

America would have been discovered had there been no Columbus; but there could have been no United States had it not been for the tens of thousands of peasants, artisans, merchants, sailors and adventurers—common men and women—who braved the danger of long ocean voyages, cut down the forests, cleared the land, built the towns, drove back the Indians, and pushed the line of peaceful homesteads across the Americen continent until it touched the Pacific ocean.—Charles A. Beard.

Australian Emblems

Tha Australian flag is a bine ensign, tha description of which is as follows: The Union Jack in tha top left-hand corner; in the center of the lower canton next the staff and pointing direct to the center of the St. George's cross in the Union Jack, a white seven-pointed star (representing the six states and the territories of the commonwealth); in the fly, five smaller white stars, representing the Southern cross. A red flag, carrying the same markings, is nsed by the Australian merchant shipping.

Sweden in History

Tha place names of Sweden, many dating as far back as tha Bronze age, and from viking times, are now being specially studied and it is expected that much light will be thrown upon many linguistic and historical problems in other parts of Europe, as the population of Sweden has remained practically homogeneous for thousands of years. The language spoken has always been Swedish, although Swedish literature cannot be said to hava existed earlier than the Thirteenth century.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seventy-three and 70-100 ($73.70) Dollers, which is cleimed to be due end is due at the date of this notice, upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Loule Feregen, e single man, Mortgagor, to First end Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesote), Mortgegee, beering date the 23rd dey of December, 1924, end with a power of sale therein conteined, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in end for the County of Pennington end Stete of Minnesote, on the 23rd dey of December, 1924, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "68" of Mortgeges, on pege 48,

Which seid Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said First end Peoples Stete Bank, Mortgegee, to B. C. Bernard by written assignment deted the 14th day of October, 1925, end recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 14th dey of October, 1925, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "63" of Mortgages, on pege 592,

And Whereas, The seid B. C. Bernard, the Assignee end Holder of seid Mortgege has duly elected end does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgege and the power of sele therein conteined; end wherees there is actuelly due and cleimed to be due and peyeble upon said mortgege et the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Two and 10-100 ($1302.10) Dollers, and whereas the said power of sale hes become operetive, end no action or proceedings heving been instituted, at lew or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or eny pert thereof, except that an action at lew has been instituted to recover the debt secured by seid mortgege and thet en execution upon the judgment rendered therein has been returned wholly unsetisfied.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgege, and pursuant to the statute in such case mede and provided, the said Mortgege will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in end conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The South Half (S½) of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-four (24), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian and conteining eighty (80) acres according to the Government Survey thereof, be it the same more or less, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 29th day of June 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1302.10 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 14th, A. D. 1929.

B. C. BERNARD,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Chommie,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. M-16-J-20

THE LESSON HE LEARNED

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

FOR three days Wally had not seen Bill. Had he got another job, Wally wondered? Almost on the thought Bill's younger brother, Roy, hurried past the corner, going somewhere in a rush.

Wally hailed him peremptorily and Roy stopped with a jerk, looking vaguely about for the voice. What was the matter with Roy, anyhow? Wally rolled his chair and the attached stand a little nearer to the corner and called again. Roy came over—a sallow boy of sixteen with dim blue eyes. He was a sharp contrast to the rolling, jovial, brown-eyed Bill.

"What you want, Wally?" asked Roy. "I gotta hurry."

"First time I ever saw you in a hurry. Where's Bill these days?"

"Bill? Oh, yes—Bill," and Roy fumbled with the battered arm-rest of Wally's chair.

Wally opened his mouth for some derisive comment on this foolish reply—and closed it again. Roy's groping hand was shaking. Wally clutched his arm.

"Kid, has anything happened to Bill?"

"Yeh—kind of."

"Whaddo you mean—kind of?"

"Why, he's sick. Honest, I gotta go, Wally. He'll maybe be wantin' something."

"Sick, what with? You gotta tell me, kid!"

"I don't know what it is! It's an awful pain in the middle of him. Doctor says he should be operated quick."

"Well, ain't he—?"

"We ain't got enough money!" wailed Roy, and one or two passing heads turned around at the sound. "The boys at the warehouse scraped up every dollar they could and Bill's boss give twenty-five—borried it at the bank—his wife's in the hospital but he said Bill was like a son—and old Mrs. Haley give ten.' But it ain't enough!" His voice broke. "I gotta go, Wally!"

On the word he dashed across the street under the noses of two startled horses and a furious motorman.

Wally glanced along the four traffic lanes and spied a blue uniform half a block away. "Here, kid," he hailed a newsboy, "this dime is yours if you tell that cop he's needed at this corner in a hurry."

In a few minutes the policeman came with long strides. "What's up, Wally?"

"Taner, you know Bill Folsom, what drives that van for the warehouse?"

"Big Bill? Sure."

"Well, Taner, he's down sick in bed, real bad, and I gotta see to something for him right away. Will you keep an eye on my stand?"

"You bet Wally. Just unhook. I'll shove her back."

Wally detached his wheel-chair from his stand, a sort of little store from which he sold chewing gums, tobacco and sealed candies. The policeman pushed it against the wall of the building as Wally trundled himself quickly around the corner.

He was just in time to get into the bank. Half a dozen friendly greetings met him as he rolled down to the W window. The men wondered at his unusual haste.

"Mr. Bekins," he spoke to the teller. "I want to draw out my hundred and seventy dollars, in cash."

Bekins peered down through the brass bars, clearly perplexed. He knew what Wally had been saving money for. They had joked together every time in the last three years that he had come in to make a deposit, and Bekins had rejoiced nearly as much as Wally as the sum had approached the peak. In just one month more there would be enough to buy the new stand and the comfortable chair, all rubber-tired and fitted with roller-bearings. Wally had confessed that sometimes the old chair was "powerful tiresome."

Wally met Bekins' look squarely. "I gotta friend in trouble, Mr. Bekins."

"But, Great Scott, Wally—" Bekins could not keep back the protest.

"If you had a friend," said Wally, "would you think twice?"

Bekins turned promptly. "Paper or gold, Wally?"

All the next day Wally felt warm and happy. His content must have communicated itself to the passersby, for he sold himself out of goods three times. Bill was to be operated on at two o'clock and Wally had not the slightest doubt of a successful issue. Of course, he would come out all right. Bill always did, even that time he turned over in the arroyo with a grand piano, the time the bridge gave way. Nothing could go very wrong with Bill.

Wally could not have formulated what it was about Bill that made people love him. Maybe it was because he was just so spilling over with health and energy and good will. Morning after morning, for two years now, Wally had listened for his voice, had watched for his great, swaying van, as it swung around Wally's corner. Why, he seemed to hear Bill's voice this afternoon, as the rush hour began and the five o'clock crowds commenced pouring down the avenue.

"Moving out the boulevard today, Wally?" That was Bill's best joke. He always maintained that Wally should ply his trade along the bridlepaths and sell all-day suckers to the flappers. And at night, a tired but grinning Bill, he would stop and buy gum or candy for the "kids"—the younger brother and sister that he supported.

That was all Wally had ever seen of Bill, that morning and evening contact on a crowded corner. To Wally it was more precious that fine gold. The big truck driver never treated Wally one bit differently from anyone else, never tainted their relationship with any condescension or pity, never appeared the least aware of the twisted shrunken body. He seemed, somehow, to make a complete man of Wally, to stand him upon his spiritual feet, let him walk upright.

Wally whistled merrily as he pushed his stand toward a basement entrance, to the jingle of a full cash drawer.

Then somebody came and said it. Bill had died on the operating-table at 2:30.

All night long Wally lay wide awake, staring out at the stars that wheeled slowly past his alley window. All night long a phrase beat in his head, dully, like a slack drum. "Bill won't never come again—never again—never again—never again."

Wally thought he couldn't go to his corner in the morning. He thought he would cry like a baby if the big van should come around the corner with a new driver at the wheel.

But he went, and somehow got through the blank day. Late in the afternoon he noticed Taner standing not far from him. Had Taner heard about Bill, Wally wondered. He suddenly wanted somebody to talk to, somebody to mourn with him. Taner knew Bill, knew how great he was.

As if pulled by that intense desire of Wally's the policeman walked over to the stand and stood looking down at him. But the query died on Wally's lips. There was something in Taner's face—was he thinking of Bill?

Taner, meeting the questioning sympathy in Wally's glance, spoke, though he had not meant to. "My little girl's sick, Wally. She's awful sick."

"That cute little yellow-haired one, Taner?"

Taner nodded, and for an instant his mouth trembled.

"What's the matter with her? asked Wally. "And when did she take down?"

Taner told it all, pouring out his troubled heart, struggling grimly to keep a hand on himself. The long day away from home, without a word, the terror of loss had nearly unmanned him.

"I'll bet she'll be all right, Taner," Wally tried to cheer him. "Why, of course she will! You just been thinkin' and lettin' it get your goat, man. You'll go home in half an hour, now, and I'll lay you a dime she's better!"

Taner managed a grin. "I won't take you up. But it was good to spill it to some one, Wally." He was gone to untangle a traffic snarl.

Wally watched him for a few minutes, then turned to his own trouble, to receive a surprised jolt.

"Why—by crickey, I feel better! Why—why that's the way I can make it up to Bill, for all he done for me! Why—!" As the possibilities of the idea opened, vista-like, before him, he gasped. "I can joke and laugh, like him, and—and make people smile and—I ain't no good to look at, of course, like him, but—but Taner did feel better—By crickey!"

Racial Pride Carried Situation for Adams

When John Adams went to Versailles as ambassador he had supper with the king and queen and was a little nervous because he could neither speak nor understand the French language in a manner to support a conversation. "But I soon had the satisfaction to find it was a silent meeting and that nobody spoke a word but the royal family to each other, and they said very little. The eyes of all the assembly were turned upon me, and I felt sufficiently humble and mortified, for I was not a proper object for the criticisms of such a company. I found myself gazed at, as we in America used to gaze at the sachems who come to make speeches to us in congress; but I thought it very hard if I could not command as much power of face as one of the chiefs of the Six Nations, and therefore determined that I should assume a cheerful countenance, enjoy the scene around me, and observe it as coolly as an astronomer contemplates the stars."—Detroit News.

Bridge Needs Much Paint

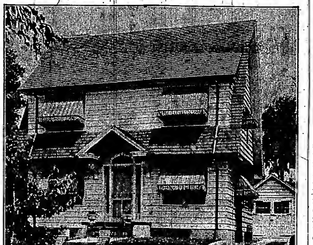
A fierce fight has been needed to keep the mighty Forth bridge from rusting away, and 30 painters are continuously coating it with preservatives. Fifty tons of paint are used in covering the mile and a half long bridge. Three years are taken to finish this huge task, which must then be started over again

But this ceaseless work has been rewarded by the perfect condition of the bridge today, for after 46 years of continuous exposure to the elements it is still the only bridge in the world over which expresses can thunder at 60 miles an hour.—London Tit-Bits.

Must Not Open Letters

Neither the postmaster nor anyone else except the person to whom the letter is addressed has the right to open a sealed letter. The division of dead letters is authorized to open letters which cannot be delivered for lack of proper address. These letters when opened and the address of the sender is obtained are returned to the sender. If the address of the sender is on the envelope the letter is returned to the sender and is not sent to the dead letter office.

Large Windows Make All Rooms in This Home Bright and Pleasant

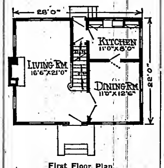


Sunshine to the physical body is joy to the heart. It sweetens the hardest labor. In this beautiful home special care was taken that all rooms have large windows so as to make all rooms bright and pleasant.

By W. A. RADFORD

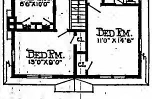
Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all subjects pertaining to practical home building, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as editor, author and manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1827 Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only inclose two-cent stamp for reply.

Home building sites which are high and are terraced up from the street require a certain type of home in order to make a harmonious combination. The home shown in the accompanying illustration is of the type that looks well on a terraced lot. The broken roof lines and the overhang at the first floor sill of the roof proper take away from this house the appearance of height which is a good feature when the building is set high above the street level.



First Floor Plan.

This, as will be seen, is a frame house set on a concrete foundation. It is 28 feet wide and 22 feet deep. It contains six rooms, all of good size. The floor plans also shown give the details of these rooms. It will be noted that the front entrance leads directly into the living room



Second Floor Plan.

which extends the depth of the house. This room is 16 feet 0 inches by 21 feet, considerably larger than is usually found in the house of this size. The dining room is a front corner room at the right of the entrance while the kitchen is 11 feet by 8 feet.

An open stairway leads from the side of the living room to the second floor. Opening off the hall is the bathroom, adjacent to the head of the stairs, and three bedrooms, all corner rooms and all of good size.

The outside walls of this house are covered with clapboard siding and with the colonial entrance door and brick platform give a touch of New England to the house.

Modern Farm Houses Have All Conveniences

Development of home equipment has made it possible to place every modern convenience of the city residence in the farmhouse.

Heating is naturally considered first. Stoves and fireplaces are disappearing. Basement heating plants are in common use, one of the most popular types being the pipeless furnace. This is because of the fact that little heat is thrown out except through the top, which allows the basement to continue to be used for storing foods. All types of warm air, steam and hot water heating plants are installed on farms nowadays, however.

Running water is just as essential on the modern farm as in the city, as plumbing systems, sewerage disposal and efficient laundries depend upon a constant water supply. Aside from the house supply, water should be available for the dairy barn, feeding yards, garage, lawn and garden and for fire protection.

It is to be noted that the small water tank in the attic and the larger water tower outside the house are being supplanted by steel tank pressure systems located in the basement or buried under ground.

In Heating, Secure Cold Air From Several Pipes

The principle of warm-air heating is that of convection and a combination of methods involved in all heating processes. Air is drawn in and is heated by coming in contact with hot-metal surfaces. In the best apparatus the cold air is taken in, not through one pipe and heated en masse, but passes through a number of pipes surrounding the heat chamber of the furnace, in which it is thoroughly heated, resulting in small streams of air which are passed up through separate heat ducts to the various rooms, where the heat emerges warm and moistened from the register in the wall or floor.

Black for Sun Parlor Gives Pleasing Contrast

Black is often used in decorating sun parlors, either as a background for the bright splashes of other color, or as a contrast here and there. Because the sun porch is so sunny and so colorful, it can stand some black, which would, perhaps, not be possible in an indoor room. Think of such a sun porch on a summer afternoon—a big wicker armchair or porch swing with bright cushions, and a near-by table holding magazines and lemonade glasses! On a wi[illegible] afternoon it is just as enticing

Mirrors Regain Their Popularity for Walls

Mirrors and pictures are vying for places on the walls of our homes today. Everywhere possible mirrors are being placed. One of the most interesting situations is between the second and third and the third and fourth of the series of three windows that most apartment living rooms possess. The very narrow space between these windows accommodates a venetian panel mirror very well. Because it is frameless this mirror will seem to have more life and gleam to it than the mirror incased in a frame. Perhaps directly above or below this decoration something will seem to be needed—perhaps a candle in a single brass sconce will do nicely.

Damp Cloth Best to Clean Varnished Floor

To clean a properly varnished floor wipe it with a cloth dampened in lukewarm water. It is unnecessary to scrub, scald, oil or soap a varnished floor to keep it clean. Its hard surface will not permit dirt to reach and impregnate the wood.

When a varnished floor begins to show the effects of hard wear—once a year or oftener, if necessary—sandpaper it lightly and put on a new coat. The habit of doing this every spring in city and country houses and in office buildings preserves the fresh, elegant appearance of good floors.

Put Furring on Inside to Keep Cellar Dry

To appreciate the difficulties of making any kind of a masonry wall dampproof, it is necessary to understand that actual dampness does not penetrate these walls so much as the cold.

When the walls are cold condensation gathers on them and we then have what appears to be dampness coming through them. To avoid this we make the walls coldproof.

This is done by applying furring on the inside walls as a base for the lath and plaster. This is a sound type of construction.

Stencil Designs Make Child's Room Charming

Owing to the great variety of stencil designs which are now on the market, the problem of decorating the nursery wall in a manner to please the childish fancy is practically solved. These stencils include animals, flowers and fascinating characters of old nursery rhymes. Apart from the charming effect they lend, their educational value is notable.

FARM STOCK

INFANT MORTALITY AMONG BABY PIGS

Guard Rails on Pen Walls Will Save Many Porkers.

So high is the "infant mortality" among baby pigs that one out of every three farrowed dies, while on some farms as many as half the pigs are lost, according to Dr. W. E. Carroll of the University of Illinois. If the 140 pounds of feed required to farrow a pig were visualized as each dead one is disposed of during the farrowing season, the thought of such waste would be so startling to farmers that prompt measures would be taken to reduce it.

"More pigs are mashed by the sow than die from any other single cause. Guard rails on the pen walls will, of course, save many from this fate, but the sows themselves are frequently at fault. A sow may be deaf or blind or excessively heavy and lazy or even downright careless. Those with any of these defects should be replaced in the interest of saving pigs.

"Damp, drafty pens likewise take a heavy toll of pigs during a cold farrowing season.

"For warding off necrotic enteritis, bull nose and other filth-borne infections and preventing the rather large losses due to round worms there is nothing superior to the swine sanitation system which the college and country farm advisers have advocated throughout the state for a number of years.

"Another important factor in the well being of sucking pigs is the ration of the sow. A few days before each sow is expected to farrow she should be put in her pen in order that she may get acquainted with it before the pigs are born. At this time her ration should be reduced and made more laxative to correspond with her lessened activity. This can be done by substituting wheat bran for about one-third to one-half, by measure, of her customary ration. For 12 hours before and 12 hours after farrowing the sow needs no feed. Water should be allowed freely and in cold weather it should be warmed to remove the chill. If the sow gets restless and seems hungry she may be fed a double handful of bran in a thin, warm slop."

Set Federal Indemnity Limit for "TB" Cattle

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Increases in the maximum indemnity that may be paid by the federal government for grade and pure-bred cattle condemned because of tuberculosis are announced by the bureau of animal industry, United States Department of Agriculture. The maximum federal share in indemnity payments for grade cattle is increased from $25 to $35, and the amount for purebred cattle has been raised from $50 to $75. The new scale became effective February 19, 1929, through the passage by congress of the agricultural appropriation bill for the fiscal year 1930.

The other provisions in connection with the payment of federal indemnity for tuberculous cattle are the same as heretofore, namely, that it shall not be more than one-third of the difference between the appraised value of the animal and the salvage value, and that the federal payment shall not exceed the amount to be paid by the co-operating state, county, or municipality.

Live Stock Hints

A good lamb should weigh about 80 pounds at the market.

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Sheep furnish two salable crops annually—lambs and wool.

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Give ewes plenty of legume hay and a small amount of grain.

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Large gains per lamb are needed for most efficient production.

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Poultry raised on clean ground can be kept free from tuberculosis infection.

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Frequent changes in grazing ground will help combat stomach worm infection in sheep.

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When it is known that hogs have tuberculosis steps should be taken to clean up the poultry flock.

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Healthy lambs make rapid gains on good pasture. Parasites, if not under control, will prevent such gains.

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Desirable market lambs can be produced on abundant palatable pasture without grain feeding. If pasture gets short, grain feeding is profitable.

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Legume hay is a cheap and most desirable feed for breeding ewes, and should constitute at least 50 per cent of the roughage fed.

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When care has been used, cooked and thoroughly mashed potatoes have been fed successfully to calves when potatoes in this form were mixed with the skim milk

THE KITCHEN CABINET

(©, 1929, Western Newspaper Union.)

When it looks like all is up,
Keep a-goin'!
Drain the sweetness from the cup
Keep a-goin'!
See the wild birds on the wing,
Hear the bells that sweetly ring,
When you feel like singin' sing—
Keep a-goin'!
—Frank L. Stanton.

THIS AND THAT

According to an account in a recent confectioner's trade journal, molasses candy was first given away, not sold. A thrifty New York baker, nearly a century ago, disliking to throw away the good but sticky sweetness collected in the bottom of his brown sugar barrels, boiled it down and pulled it until it became taffy.

He did not think it possible to sell such a humble concoction, so he gave a stick of it away with each loaf of bread. To his surprise the demand for the candy outgrew the demand for bread, and he decided to charge for it. And so molasses candy came on the market.

"It is still a prime favorite with many and is especially good for children," says Doctor Bundesen of Chicago. "Tell every mother that the best way to develop a fine set of teeth is to let the child chew something rough and coarse. Molasses candy in small quantities after a meal will exercise and massage the teeth and gums as will other of the hard, old-fashioned candies."

Scrambled Eggs With Green Peppers.—Simmer two tablespoonfuls of chopped green pepper in a tablespoonful of butter for five minutes, then add four slightly beaten eggs, season to taste and cook until dry. Heat one-half cupful of tomato soup and pour over the eggs just before serving.

Baked Ham With Pineapple Rings.—Bake a thick slice of the center cut of ham in any desired manner. Brown a half dozen slices of pineapple in a few tablespoonfuls of the ham liquor and serve as a garnish around the ham.

Tomato Rarebit.—Melt two tablespoonfuls of butter, add two tablespoonfuls of flour, and when brown add two cupfuls of strained tomato or tomato soup. Stir until boiling, add paprika, one cupful of sauerkraut and one cupful of cheese. Beat in the cheese and let stand until the cheese is well melted. Pour over triangles of toast.

Egyptian Salad.—Flake one can of salmon and mix with one cupful of diced celery. Mix with boiled salad dressing. Place lettuce on salad plates, heap on some of the salmon, press lightly into the sides of the pyramid of salmon a dozen stuffed olives. Garnish with two or three ripe tomatoes, slice and serve with a ball of cottage cheese on each.

Good Things.

Here is a nice dish to serve for those who enjoy a meal of liver:

Spaghetti With Liver. — Brown one cupful of cubed calf's liver in two tablespoonfuls of sweet fat, season well with salt, pepper a little chopped onion and cook for ten minutes; add one-half cupful of tomato pulp, three cupfuls of boiling water and one teaspoonful of minced parsley and cook for twenty minutes. Cook one-half cupful of spaghetti in salted water until tender. Drain, and place on a platter. Pour over it the liver mixture, sprinkle with cheese and serve.

Sauted Tomatoes.—Tomatoes that are not fully ripe but well developed make a fine vegetable to serve with meats. Cut into thick slices and fry in sweet fat, sprinkle with a bit of flour to brown. Serve around the platter of meat.

Pineapple Skillet Cake.—Melt four tablespoonfuls of butter in a frying pan, add one cupful of brown sugar; when the sugar is melted add a can of sliced pineapple; arrange the drained pineapple over the caramel. Cover with the following: Beat four eggs, add two tablespoonfuls of water and one cupful of sugar, one cupful of flour sifted with one teaspoonful of baking powder and one-half teaspoonful of salt. Place in the oven to bake. When brown turn upside down and serve with whipped cream.

Hashed Brown Potatoes.—Chop six boiled potatoes fine, season with salt and pepper. Wash and chop three green peppers. Mix with the potatoes, add an eighth of an inch of melted fat to the frying pan and turn in the vegetables. Cook slowly, stirring occasionally. When partly brown fold into an omelet shape and fry a rich brown. Turn out on a platter, keeping the shape and garnish with parsley.

Ham Fillets.—Cut a thick slice of ham into strips one inch wide; let stand in cold milk two or three hours. Drain, dip into egg and fine crumbs and cook in ham fat until well brown on all sides.

Add a little chopped onion to scrambled eggs by cooking it first in the butter, then adding eggs and milk. Serve as a sandwich filling when one wishes a hot sandwich. Season well with salt and pepper. It makes a most appetizing sandwich.

Nellie Maxwell

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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Six Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Nine and 34-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Elias L. Rolland and Esther O. Rolland, his wife, Mortgagors to the First National Bank of Thief River Falls, Mortgagee, bearing date the 19th day of April, 1921, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of April, 1921, at one o'clock P. M. in Book 51 of Mortgages, on page 49, and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lot Seven (7) in Block Thirty-six (36) and the West Seventy-eight (78) feet of Lots Twenty (20), Twenty-one (21), Twenty-two (22), Twenty-three (23), and Twenty-four (24), in Block Thirty-nine (39) of the Original Townsite of the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota.

With the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on 22nd day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Six Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Nine and 34-100 Dollars, and interest and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorneys fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated 8th day of May, A. D. 1929.

The First National Bank of Thief River Falls,
Mortgagee

J. M. Bishop
Attorney for Mortagee
Office and Postoffice address
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having occured in the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage dated the 20th day of October 1925, made, executed and delivered by Elias L. Rolland, and Esther O. Rolland, his wife, Mortgagors, to S. K. Dahle, Mortgagee, which said Mortgage together with a Power of Sale therein contained is duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 6th day of November 1925, at 10 o'clock A. M., in Book 69 of Mortgages, on page 222 thereof,

Which said Default consists in this that the Mortgagors have failed and neglected to pay the taxes assessed against the Mortgaged premises for the Years 1925, 1926, 1927, and 1926, amounting to the Total Sum of $252.05, inclusive of interest and penalties, as said taxes became due, and prior to the day appointed by law for the sale of said Lands for such taxes, as stipulated in said Mortgage, which said Taxes this Mortgagee has paid, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Mortgage, the Mortgagee has elected to declare, and does hereby declare the whole Sum secured by said Mortgage, inclusive of principal and interest, and said taxes paid by this Mortgagee to be due and payable at once, and whereas there is now claimed to be due and payable, and is now due and payable pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Mortgage, by reason of the said Default and the Mortgagee's said Election, the Total Sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-one and 05-100 ($1771.05) Dollars, inclusive of principal, interest and taxes paid by the Mortgagee, and no Action or Proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, and the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage having become operative,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots numbered Two (2), Three (3), and Four (4) in Block Five (5) of Zeh's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 15th day of June 1929, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at public vendue to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said Debt of $1771.05, and interest and taxes if any, and Seventy-five Dollars attorneys fees as stipulated in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of Sale as provided by law.

Dated this 25th day of April 1929.

S. K. Dahle,
Mortgagee

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
Attorney for Mortgagee.
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SWEDISH LUTHERAN

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Services in the local church next Sunday morning at 10:30 with Sunday school following.

Services in Clara church at 3:00 P. M.

Ladies Aid of Clara will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Anton Peterson on Wednesday, May 29th.

On afternoon of the 28th, all are requested to gather at the cemetery east of town for the purpose of cleaning and putting it in order. Kindly bring lunch and cups, coffee will be served free on the grounds.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor

Sunday, May 26, services as follows:
Ebenezer, Mayfield, 11 A. M.
Clearwater Luth. 2 P. M.

Rev. B. I. Land will preach in Clearwater.

Song service in St. Hilaire Luth. at 8:00 P. M. A Cantata entitled "Dawn Immortal" will be given by the church choir under direction of Miss Florence Haslam, with Miss Ruth Lee at the piano.

The Aid of St. Hilaire church meets in the church parlors, Friday May 24th, Mesdames J. Folstad and P. Simonson entertaining. At this meeting we have to decide or reject the offer made by the St. Paul Ceiling Company to improve the church auditorium.

Sunday school at usual hour.

Fatigue May Well Be Called Danger Signal

Industrial research has shown that the fatigued worker's output falls off, quality suffers, and carelessness develops. Accidents are most numerous shortly before quitting time, says Walter Freeman, professor of neurology at George Washington university.

Fatigue is a normal protective mechanism preventing overloading of the human organisms, just as a fuse prevents overloading of an electrical circuit. The utterly fatigued person can not continue and must, therefore, stop in spite of himself.

The point of complete exhaustion is seldom reached. At a certain stage the "second wind" develops, and our minds, shutting out disturbing impressions, continue to function at a high level of efficiency and very economically, so that we can go along more or less automatically, depleting our energy reserves slowly.

Nature Will Out

The gods were once disputing whether it was possible for a living being to change its nature. Jupiter said "Yes," but Venus said "No." So, to try the question, Jupiter turned a cat into a maiden, and gave her to a young man for a wife. The wedding was duly performed, and the young couple sat down to the wedding feast. "See," said Jupiter to Venus, "how becomingly she behaves. Who could tell that yesterday she was but a cat? Surely her nature is changed." "Wait a minute," replied Venus, and let loose a mouse into the room. No sooner did the bride see this than she jumped up from her seat and tried to pounce upon the mouse. "Ah, you see," said Venus, "nature will out."—Aesop.

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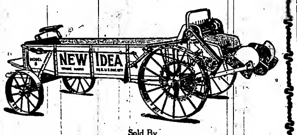

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Wyandotte Items

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Peterson of Wannaska visited at the W. Peterson home the past week.

P. Kolseth attended to business matters Thursday at Plummer.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Peterson and Annie Peterson were visitors at the John Albin home Wednesday.

Martha Albin left Thursday morning for Bemidji where she will be employed.

C. E. Wilson and family visited Saturday evening at the Alfred Helgerson home.

John Albin visited Sunday at the home of John E. Peterson.

Pupils of Dist. 125 are preparing for the state board examinations which begin Friday.

Henry Monnen was a caller Thursday at the P. Kolseth home.

Mrs. David Haugen entertained the ladies aid at her home yesterday

Dr. J. Bowers was down Friday from Thief River looking after matters at his farm southast of Hazel.

South River Falls

A. Aug Erickson and son, Leonard, visited Sunday aftetnoon at the Hans Hogquist home.

Gerald Stephens was a caller Sunday at the Bernt Walseth home.

Marie Kolseth of Wyandotte, spent last Sunday at the Miller Peterson home.

Ed and Thea Burstad visited Sunday afternoon at home of their brother, Henry Burstad.

Several pupils from Eastside school will take state board examinations at the west side school the latter part of this week and first of next.

Erick Klemsrud of Crookston, Mr. and Mrs. Eiland and son of Grand Forks, and Mr. and Mrs. Ness and sons of Erskine, were guests at the Bernt Walseth home last Sunday.

A group of ball players from this vicinity were at Hazel last Sunday to play the Hazel bunch. At kittenball, the Hazel players took the long end, but at baseball, the River Falls lads were victorious.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Speaking of Signs—

The telephone ringing in the middle of the night usually means the exchange girl is trying to give somebody the wrong number.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Time's Golden Glow

The times and customs we beef about today we'll be calling "the good old days" tomorrow.—Fort Wayne News-Sentinel.

Provides Splendid View

The tenth funicular railway of Austria, recently opened, leads from Innsbruck, Dolomites, the fine mountain range behind the Tyrolese capital. The passenger is taken some 5,500 feet above sea level within an hour. Thence he can walk on to a plateau, which is about 7,000 feet high. The view from there is one of the most beautiful in the Austrian Alps.

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Arthur Hanson *Local Manager*

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 2nd, 1924, executed by Mary Thoma Moonen, formerly Mary Thome, and Henry Moonen, her husband, as mortgegors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesote, on April 8th, 1924, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on pege 204 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $108.23, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $187.50 due on October 2nd, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $187.50 each, due on April 2nd, 1928, October 2nd, 1928, and April 2nd, 1929, respectively; end to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $5,581.94, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from April 2nd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $670.73, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $108.23 thereof since December 4th, 1928, on $187.50 thereof since April 2nd, 1928, on $187.50 thereof since October 2nd, 1928, end on $187.50 thereof since April 2nd, 1929, each at the rete of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $560.15 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per ennum since March 13th, 1929, and the sum of $19.20, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since April 12th, 1927, in all the sum of $6,969.91, including interest on seid respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The West Half (W½) of Section Twenty-one (21), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 320 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 14th day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 1st, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
M-2, J-6.

CLEANUP NOTICE--All property owners and householders in St. Hilaire are hereby notifieb to have all rubbish, manure, asbes, etc., that may have accumulated during the winter, removed from their premises before May 25th. Annual sanitary inspection will be May 25th.

By Order of the
Board of Health

The Spectatcr 1.50 a year

Bids Wanted

Sealed bids will be received by the village council of St. Hilaire up to time of its next meeting, June 3, 1929, for construction of 300 lineal feet, more or less, of concrete walk and two crosswalks, 4 feet wide, according to specifications on file at the clerk's office. Walk will be laid from the G. N. right of-way on Second street to Minnesota avenue. The village will furnish gravel and cement required. The Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Order of Village Council
M9-23 M. Fricker, Clerk.

Linemen of the Red River Power Company were here several days last week running down a "short" in the transmission lines in the village.

Scot First Brought Navel Orange North

The United States owes the successful introduction of the naval orange to the late Williem Saunders, horticulturist. It is not certain, however, that the trees which were introduced by Mr. Saunders were the first which had been brought to the United States, though they were the first to come into successful bearing. The late Thomas Hogg of New York, in an account published in 1888, stated that about 1838 a wealthy Scotch planter in Brazil determined to manumit his slaves and remove with them to the United States. He settled on an island in middle or southern Florida and then returned to Brazil and secured a collection of plants for introduction, which he consigned to Mr. Hogg, who at that time conducted a nursery at the corner of Broadway and Twenty-third street, New York city. Among these plants were several naval orange trees. After the plants had been held in a greenhouse for a year, in order to allow them to recover from the effects of the long sea voyage which they had undergone, they were forwarded to the owner in Florida. During the Seminole war the owner was charged with giving aid and comfort to the enemy, and the entire collection of plants was destroyed by the United States troops. The owner then moved to Haiti.

Altaring a Sundial

I was in the Old world garden of a friend near a sleepy Huntingdonshire town when I made the discovery, says a writer in the London Chronicle. Seeing an old sundial, I went across, as all humans would, and compared the time shown with my watch. I was startled to find that the sundial registered the correct time! My friend, full of wisdom, explained that as a sundial could, anyway, only be read in the summer time, he decided to have his corrected for British summer time. The idea was bright enough, no doubt, but to me the action had rather the air of meddling with eternal things.

The Lily

Since the Twelfth century the lily has had precedence over every other growing thing in Christian art, and has symbolized purity. The lily of sacred art is sometimes called the Madonna lily. It is said to be a native of the Levant, but was spread with the spread of Roman civilization throughout Europe.

It is easy to understand why the lily stands for purity, with its straight and upright stalk, its plain, narrow, almost severe leaves, its simple and noble form, and the remarkably pure and luminous whiteness of its firm petals.

DEBENTURE VOTED BY THE SENATE

A 54-33 Ballot Puts the Disputed Measure Up To House.

Washington—A farm relief bill objectionable to President Hoover because it contains the export debenture plan was passed by the senate, 54 to 33, after a full month's labor.

Both branches of congress now have acted upon agricultural relief legislation, but the greatest uncertainty surrounds its final enactment because of the sharp difference between the senate and the house on the debenture action.

The senate measure was messaged to the house where administration leaders are inclined to refuse the bill. They base this on contention that the senate had no right to initiate the debenture proposal on the theory that it is revenue legislation and therefore constitutionally must originate in the house, and administration leaders have been working to prevent a deadlock.

The farm bill was passed in the senate largely by the same combination of Democrats and Republican independents who voted for the debenture plan. Thirty-one administration Republicans, including Senator Watson of Indiana, the party leader, voted against the bill as a protest of the debenture section.

Nine senators who voted against debentures, however, voted for the measure, but even if they had cast their ballots with the administration group, the bill would have passed.

Immediately after the measure had been passed, Senator McNary, as chairman of the agriculture committee, obtained consent to have a conference committee appointed for the purpose of meeting with a similar committee from the house, should one be authorized, to agree on disputed sections.

Hoover Orders Tariff Increases.

Washington—President Hoover announces he would promulgate tariff increases in linseed, milk, creams and window glass as recommended by the tariff commission. The rates on linseed will be increased 40 cents a bushel to 56 cents; on milk from 2½ cents to 3¾ cents a gallon; on cream from 20 cents to 30 cents a gallon, and on window glass a varying increase from the present five-eighths of a cent a pound to 1⅛ cents a pound.

Kunze and Leach Are Opponents.

Minneapolis—Complete unofficial returns from the city primary election show William F. Kunze leading Mayor George E. Leach by more than 5,000 votes. Both are nominated, and Mr. Kunze will be the mayor's only opponent in the final election June 10. This is the first time that Mayor Leach has failed to lead the field in his battles for re-election since he first was nominated and elected in 1921.

Death in Making Film Revealed.

Los Angeles—Evidence gathered by the United States attorney's office allegedly revealing the death of one man and the injury of three others in the filming of the famous historical picture "Old Ironsides," has been turned over to the Los Angeles county district attorney's office for investigation and possible criminal prosecution.

McLean Libel Suit Asks $1,000,000.

Washington—A libel suit asking $1,000,000 damages has been filed here by Edward B. McLean, publisher of the Washington Post, against the Philadelphia Record, which recently published an article purporting to describe the circumstances of a social breach between McLean and the Prince De Ligne, the Belgian ambassador.

Hoover May Tour South.

Washington — President Herbert Hoover contemplates a tour of the south in the fall and is hopeful that the administration and legislative situation will be cleared up sufficiently so that he can absent himself from the capital for an appreciable length of time.

Bandits Slay Policeman in Raid.

Proctor, Minn.—Without warning 2 bandits stepped from behind parked automobiles, shot and instantly killed a railroad policeman guarding two bank employes, and escaped with $4,800 in currency being taken to the First National bank.

Three of Family Die in Crash.

Canton, Ohio—Three members of a family were killed and three others seriously injured as the result of a collision between their automobile and a Pennsylvania passenger train here. The driver is probably fatally injured.

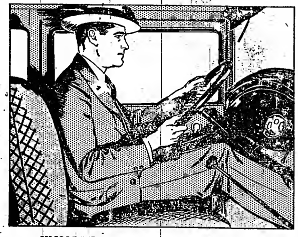
Employes Get $280,000 Stock.

Minneapolis—Standard Oil company of Indiana common stock worth $280,000 was received by 450 Minneapolis employes as their share in a distribution of $14,400,000 worth of securities to northwest employes who purchased it on the installment plan over a three-year period.

Davis Accepts Philippine Post.

Washington—Dwight F. Davis, former secretary of war, has accepted the governor generalship of the Philippine Islands it has been learned here.

"Plenty *of* room *for my long legs* -AND I'M SIX-FOOT-THREE"



Never before has there been offered such big-car comfort at such a low price. Longer wheelbase and larger bodies give the new Superior Whippet — Fours and Sixes—the roominess of costlier cars. The form-fitting seats are broader and heavily upholstered, enabling passengers to enjoy restful, relaxed positions at all times. Exceptionally wide doors afford easy entrance and exit.

No other low-priced car has *all* these vital advantages: Full force-feed lubrication, silent timing chain, "Finger-Tip Control," oversize balloon tires, invar-strut pistons, extra big four-wheel brakes, higher compression engine giving more speed, pick-up and power—and, in the Six, a heavy seven-bearing crankshaft.

WHIPPET 6 SEDAN
Down payment only
$310.00

Balance in 12 easy monthly payments. Line includes Coupe, Coach, De Luxe Sedan, Roadster.

WHIPPET 4 COACH
Down payment only
$230.00

Balance in 12 easy monthly payments. Line includes Coupe, Sedan, De Luxe Sedan, Roadster, Touring, Commercial Chassis. All Willys-Overland prices f. o. b. Toledo, Ohio, and specifications subject to change without notice.

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NEW SUPERIOR
Whippet
FOURS SIXES

SOLD BY
Young & Erickson
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Her Sailor Boy Lover

By AD SCHUSTER

MARILYN MORTIMER sat in her room looking out over moonlit meadows.

"I wonder," she said and quite in the manner of heroines of fiction, "I wonder what Roger is doing tonight."

Roger was a sailor on a battleship. He had enlisted for the training and his period of service was almost up. Marilyn waited for his return and as she waited she wondered.

Except for the dim blue battle lights which gave a weird glow between decks the fleet of superdreadnaughts was in darkness. It was not the black silence and inaction, for every ship quivered with suppressed excitement. Bare feet thudded and whispered on the deck, depending on whether their owners carried heavy loads or skipped to carry a message.

The men and the ships were stripped for action. The officers, in their shirt sleeves, pored over charts, murmured into telephone receivers, nodded at one another and even argued. The enemy fleet was somewhere to the west and hidden in the same pall of night. And the enemy fleet, according to the charts and the conviction that was being carried into the minds of the shirt-sleeved officers, had all the best of the position.

Roger was one of those who toiled below. He could not know what was going on, but he knew it was hot and that he was working as he had never worked before. They would start firing soon. Some one said the great torpedoes were ready to launch. It was going to be a great battle, a supreme test. Roger glistened like a seal fresh from the water. He knew the ammunition was moving and then he heard the guns.

They all seemed to speak at once. Under his feet the great mass of steel vibrated.

"Good luck," said Roger. "that ought to fix 'em." The thunder of guns roared on.

The order came with appalling suddenness. No one expected it for this noise must mean the shells were dropping near the enemy and yet the word which sent the spirits of every man down into his boots put them to work the harder.

It was: "Everyone at his post now to save the ship from sinking!" A torpedo had smashed the seams, the water must be checked. The big ship backed, turned, and twisted and still, from the distance came the "wham-wham" and "boom" of guns.

And all the while the fleet, except for the sudden bursts of flame when the guns spoke out, was in darkness. The thousands of men below decks, working as Roger worked, to save what was left, were—the life, invisible and desperate, the soul, heart and sinew of the battle craft.

Then they left the depths, left the work and the sweat and breathed the cool air. Steam arose from their bodies. They jumped into a new task. It was overboard with the small boats, barges and rafts, every man to the open sea.

"Abandon ship!" the last word in the "tough luck" catalogue. And over they went into the quiet night and the same moon that shone in the garden of Marilyn Mortimer found its reflection on the glistening body of her sailor lover.

There was another signal and a cheer arose. That would be all for the night. The fleet rode easily off of the Farallones and practice, until the morrow, was over. It was, as the officers said, a highly successful maneuver.

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"Magic Carpet" for Garden

After three years' experiments, "a magic carpet" spread over the soil is said to have increased the yield of gardeners' crops more than 500 per cent.

The carpet is of heavy waterproof paper, and covers all the ground not occupied by the plant stems themselves. It increases the soil temperature, prevents loss of moisture, distributes water among the plants, and smothers weeds.

The increase in yield varies from 11 per cent for peas to 518 per cent for spinach. Lettuce crop is doubled, green corn trebled, and potatoes almost quadrupled.—London Tit-Bits.

Oh, Well, What's the Use?

"Can you tell me what time it is?" asked the woman commuter of the conductor.

"Here's all the time there is, lady," said he as he pulled his watch out for inspection. It had three hands. One, a red hand, pointed to central standard time, while the other two designated daylight-saving time.

"Well, I can't make anything out of that," the woman said after a few minutes of perplexity.

"Naw," replied the conductor, "I don't pay much attention to it either."—Indianapolis News.

Flower Calendar

Baltimoreans can tell the day of the month by looking at flowers. In Preston gardens is a bed of varicolored flowers spelling the month and the current date. Each morning at five o'clock, gardeners change the plants, which are in individual pots, to form the date of that day. There is no planting or replanting. The thick foliage of the plants hides the pots from view.

French City Supplies Perfumes of Quality

The little town of Grasse of 10,000 inhabitants, picturesquely situated on the French Riviera, is the greatest center in the world for the making of scents and perfumes.

During the past year the quantity of flowers used for the making of perfumes reached the total of 13,000,000 pounds. Included were orange blossoms, violets, jasmine, roses, tuberoses, carnations, cassie, mimose, mignonette and wallflowers. Thirty thousand pounds of roses are required for a single quart of essence of rose.

Called the "City of Scents," Grasse began its perfume making away back in the Sixteenth century, when Queen Catherine de Medicis sent an expert to Grasse with the purpose of "founding a laboratory." The city's busiest period is from May to July. Then visitors are shown great shallow vats of liquid lard or some other equally basic preparation, upon which large quantities of flowers are laid, so that the greasy substance underneath may absorb any essence coming from these floral heaps.

When this process takes place the mass of fat is boiled down and other liquids are mixed with it, liquids having special properties for strengthening and retaining the particular perfume desired. Then comes the time to bottle, pack and transport the fragrant scents. No less than 400 factories are engaged in scent making in Grasse, which gives employment to 80 per cent of the population.

Movements of Waves

Roughness of waters depends to a large extent upon prevailing weather conditions as well as configuration of the coastline and of the ocean bed. The ocean as a whole is not necessarily rougher than a small body of water forming a sea. Many inland lakes may become extremely rough during a prevailing storm. For instance, the English channel, a narrow and partially inclosed body of water, is known to be one of the roughest in the world. Undoubtedly waves attain a greater height in the open ocean during a storm.

At Sunday School

The five-year-old son of a South side resident had just returned from the ever eventful first Sunday school class and was being questioned as to what he had learned during the course of the morning.

His mother asked: "What did the teacher say to you this morning, Charles?"

The youngster pondered a moment before answering. Then he looked up finally and said: "The teacher said to keep still."—Indianapolis News.

FINNEY OF THE FORCE

By F. O. Alexander
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Finney's Good Deed

MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL

By Charles Sughroe
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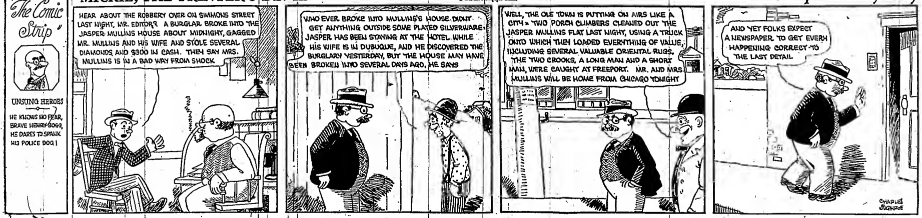
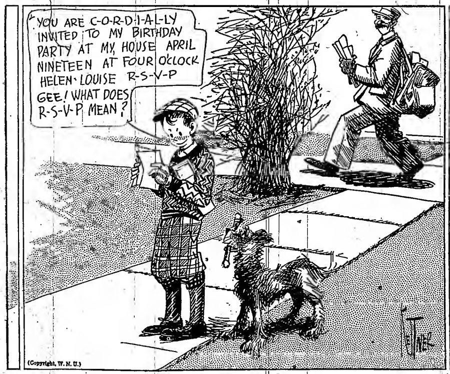
Reports Always Vary



Events in the Lives of Little Men



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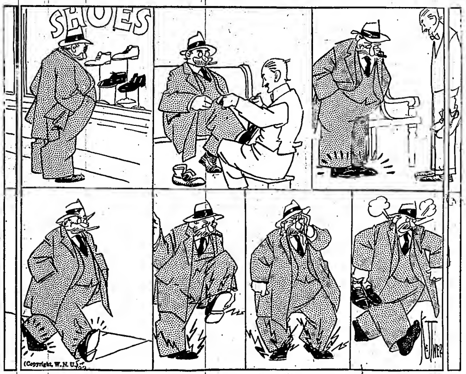

THE FEATHERHEADS

By Osborne
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Around to the Back

Wanted

Orders for seed wheat, oats, barley, and flax.

See us for prices on the above, and on any other seed you may want this spring.

C. Roe Grain Company

ST. HILAIRE, MINN

Arthur Hanson *Local Manager*

DR. SPOFFORD
Optometrist

Will Be At
Hotel Lincoln, Red Lake Falls May 24th, A. M.
Hotel Evelyn, Thief River Falls, May, 24th. P. M.

Eyes Examined,
Glasses Fitted

The boys from River Falls, who played ball here a week ago Sunday were "forbaskat" when they read about result of their game as it was told us last week. As a matter of fact, the River Falls lads trimmed up the locals by a big score so naturally, they should have credit for it.

FOR SALE - Quantity of buckwheat suitable for seed. Call at the Felix Anderson farm, north of Wylie or on Fred Lorentson, Register of Deeds, Thief River Falls, Minnesota. M23tf

Baby Chicks For Sale:- S. C White Leghorn baby chicks a $11.00 per hundred. Place orders now.
A25M30pv A. Nyhagen, City

Graduation cards neatly engraved, with individual lined envelopes, are on sale at the Spectator office.

"They separata tha sheep from the goats in Heaven," said Flippant Flo, "but they both look alike in Wall street."

Japanese Art

One of the most famous pictures of Japan, now in the royal palace at Tokyo, is made up of four panels, three of which are blank. The fourth depicts a crow in flight just disappearing over the horizon. The painting was made at the command of a former emperor, and is considered a masterpiece, following the imaginativa Japanese school of art in composition and movement. The single crow represents the last of a flock flying in a direction away from tha center of tha picture.

Astronomical Term

A "light year" is tha term employed in astronomy to indicate the distance a ray of light traveling 186,000 miles a second can traversa in a year. Thus one can easily compute the distance of tha present outermost visibla limits of space which are estimated to lia 100,000,000 light years away from the earth.—Exchange.

LOCALS

Equipment for the Spectator office was augmented last week by addition of another job press which is capable of handling larger work than the one previously used.

Mrs. S. M. Hoff left Friday evening for Minneapolis in response to a message stating Mr. Hoff was critically ill. The latter went to the Cities for treatment some time ago.

Mss. Lee Beebe left Friday evening over the Soo for Madison, Wis to spend a couple weeks visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Dann.

Formal Opening of the New Gamble Stores Saturday, May 25th at 202 Main Ave., Thief River Falls, Minn. You are invited-A gift for each customer.

The graduate will appreciate receiving one of these boxes of fine stationery the Spectator has on display, for a graduation gift.

Bat Tribe Members of Animal Kingdom

Bats are animals, not birds. They suckle their young at the breast and are classed by zoologists as flying mammals. There are more than 250 species and subspecies of bats in North America alone. Some of the tropical species are blood-sucking vampires, and others are fruit eaters, although nearly all the bats of the United States and farther north are insectivorous. Usually tha female gives birth to one young, but cases of twins are not uncommon. One authority says on this subject: "They never make any nests or even attempt to fix over the crannies where they hide and where the little bats are born. These helpless little things are not left at home at the mercy of foraging rats and mice. When the old bat flies off into the twilight the youngsters often go with her, clinging about her neck. At times she deposits them on the branch of a tree, where they hang, sheltered by the leaves."

Novel Coined Phrase

The Jewish people are not often referred to as children of the ghetto, although the expression is the title of a very well-known novel by Israel Zangwill. Zangwill, a successful English novelist, wrote "Children of the Ghetto," a study of modern Jewish life, in 1892. He died in 1926.

Ghetto means tha Jewish quarter in a European city. Ghettos have not existed, except in Russia and Poland, for about fifty years. Jewish people now living may have had grandfathers who were children of the ghetto but are not in any sense children of the ghetto themselves.

Know the Least

They know the least who know not how little they know.—Los Angeles Times.

In Hebrew Alphabet

He is the fifth letter of the Hebrew alphabet, and Jim the fifth in the Arabic.

Double-Barreled Story

"Fifteen minutes after putting on a pair of your socks I made a hole in one," wrote an enthusiastic golfer to the sock manufacturer, as the Detroit News tells it.

BEAUTY

What!... Beauty from an electrical outlet? Yes, because an electric ironing machine does all the hard work of ironing while you are comfortably seated, and in less time; *because* an electric range automatically cooks your meals while you are absent ... *because* the electric washer, ironer, vacuum cleaner, and dishwasher all make such quick easy work of what was formerly hard disagreeable drudgery, that no woman need throw away her youth on household toil. Electricity not only saves you work, but adds hours of leisure time to each day... and at a cost of only a FEW cents. Use that time to conserve your YOUTH and BEAUTY.

NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

BYLLESBY PIONEERS IN PUBLIC SERVICE

THE LOW 3RD. STEP RATE makes every electrical service so cheap that any woman who does any task electricity can do, is working for a few cents a day. Is that a fair price for your beauty?

LOCALS

A Mr. and Mrs. Wilson of Red Lake Falls, were seriously injured last week at Middle River, when their car collided with the Great Northern train.

Lamps of all sizes from 10 to 60 watt can also be had at 20 cents each at the Spectator office

Heavy rains in Texas and other southern states have caused flood conditions in many places. Cotton and other crops were damaged in a large area.

Porpoise Superior to Man in Size of Brain

The porpoise, usually considered a stupid creature, is now said to have a much larger brain than a man. This is a severe blow to man's pride in his well-developed cerebral hemisphere.

From the evolutionary point of view the porpoise is more highly developed than man, for after reaching the cat or dog stage of development it took up an aquatic habitation and underwent further evolutionary changes to suit its new surroundings. The foreleg changed to a fin, and tha hind leg disappeared entirely. The skull broadened at the sides and shortened in front, so that the nose was forced up above the eyes, where it became a blow-hole.

The changes in the brain are being studied to determine how much they are due to aquatic environment.

LOCALS

FREE-Tiger tube repair kit to each customer on our Formal Opening day Sat. May 25th. Gamble Stores, 202 Main Ave Thief River Falls.

Paul Ortloff, who is employed as foreman for a large road construction company operating near Detroit Lakes, was home during the past week-end for a visit with his family.

Phil Anderson takes the palm as the best gardener in this community. While others are just getting their gardens in, Phil has full grown cabbages--left over from last year.

His Demise

"Old man Dodder died a lingering death, didn't he?" asked a salesman from the city. "Yes," replied the proprietor of the Right Place emporium in Petunia. "He was petrified while settin' on a box playin' checkers, right here in this store."—Kansas City Times.

Old Belief Wrong

The idea that a man falling through the air from a great height loses consciousness before he lands has been proved to be a fallacy. It has been found that persons falling maintain full control of their faculties until they come into contact with some solid object.

To Clean Cemetery

All who have lots at the cemetery east of town, or are otherwise interested, are asked to join in a cleaning bee at the grounds next Tuesday afternoon. It would be well to bring extra tools so those who have none may help with the cleaning. Bring your lunch and cups, coffee will be served free to all.

Farmers in this locality are making the best of the fine weather prevailing, and are putting in all the crop they can.

First Alarm Clock

The first alarm clock appeared in 1420. Its owner was a councillor of Milan. His clock sounded a bell at a stated hour, and at the same time a wax candle was lighted automatically.

Expert or Nothing

A sketch in a theatrical weekly calls the subject an "expert lion tamer." We don't suppose there is anything in which mediocrity shows up quicker than in lion taming.

Sealed Envelope

If you've forgotten to inclose that check in your letter, you can re-open the sealed envelope by laying a wet cloth over the flap and pressing with a warm iron.

Vain Frivolities

The age of discretion has been reached when a man no longer wonders or cares how he would look in a silk hat.—St. Paul Dispatch.

Chauffeurs Examination

Any person employed regularly at driving a motor vehicle for another, and every person, including the owner, who drives a motor vehicle while it is in use as a carrier of persons or property for hire, must have a license, according to a new law passed in Minnesota this spring. Examinations for chauffeuers licenses will be held at Red Lake Falls at 12:30 P. M. and at Thief River Falls at 7:30 P. M. on June 22nd.

The Spectator office has tablets, ruled books, music books and all kinds of writing paper in bulk, for sale.

On the Ark

Noah (in cabin)—"Water, water, not a thing in sight but water. I think I'm going mad." Mrs. Noah (entering from aviary)—"Oh, there you are, dear. The dove just brought in a postcard for you." Noah—"Great. We're in touch with the outside world at last. What does it say?" Mrs. Noah—"It's from your Cousin Fanny and she just writes: 'To Blue Boy Noah—Oceans of love.'" (They had dove for dinner).—Kansas City Times.

Something to See

Oliver—I see that this new prize fighter has a reach of 7 feet 3 inches.

Ira—That's nothing! You ought to see the new guy at our boarding house.

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

FOR SALE, etc.

FOR SALE:-Four highgrade Red Poll bull calves, coming one year next fall. Call on

T. O. Mogen,
M16-22 St. Hilaire, Minn.

Notice To Patrons

Patrons having a dividend due them for less than 25 cents will be paid in cash.

Please call at the elevator at Wylie for your dividend.

Kindly list stock for shipment as far in advance as possible.

Wylie Co-op Shipping Ass'n
Wylie, Minn.
M16-23

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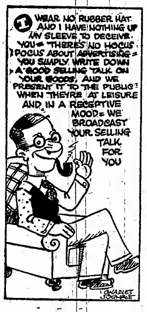

Queer Golf Course

A nine-hole putting course in a New York recreation ground, with bunkers and hazards consisting of broken drain pipes, old gas fittings, and so on, takes some beating for queerness.

WHEN YOU'RE AWAY

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

THEY'VE written books
With less to say
Than how life looks
When you're away.
I wish my pen
Could tell you how
I need you then,
I miss you now.

No song's a song,
No flow'r a flow'r,
The world's all wrong
Each day, each hour.
Each day, each night,
I look about,
But nothing's bright
With you left out.

So here's a blot,
A tear or two,
To tell you what
You ought to do:
The world's all gray,
The sky's all black,
When you're away—
So come right back!

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SAWS

By Viola Brothers Shore

FOR THE GOOSE—

WHO would you rather foller through the woods—a guide that had been through before, or one with a handsome uniform? Why not listen to your mother once in a while.

A man that a woman has just refused to kiss would always rather think she was an iceberg than a volcano.

A man that'll learn to notice what his girl wears, don't need to ever be afraid of runnin' outa interestin' conversation.

Jealousy will often let a cat outa the bag that it took a thousand tricks to tie in.

FOR THE GANDER—

You can be born with talent but character has got to be made.

Livin' is like any other trade. You gotta serve an apprenticeship before you're really ready to begin.

An ignorant man with table manners has got a better chance with women than a college professor with a dirty collar.

Nothin' gets on your nerves so much as a person that don't know when to laugh. Except one that don't know when to stop.

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NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated September 20th, 1926, executed by William H. Sherwood and Anna Sherwood, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on September 22nd, 1926, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 336 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $60.63, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $140.63 due on March 20th, 1928, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $140.63 each, due on September 20th, 1928, and March 20th, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,381.42, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from March 20th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $341.89, amortized principal and interest; with interest on $60.63 thereof since March 21st, 1928, on $140.63 thereof since September 20th, 1928, and on $140.63 thereof since March 20th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $262.15 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1929, and the sum of $41.46, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $5,078.03, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-five (35), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West; Lot Three (3), in Section Three (3), also Lots Three (3) and Four (4) of Section Two (2), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, conveying hereby 323 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 28th day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premiums paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 15th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General,
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. M16-J20.

Commerce Boomed by Methods of Counting

For ages even the most intelligent men could count only to ten or twenty, the number of their fingers and toes. Then sticks and stone counters were laid in rows to indicate and compute numbers involved in barter and trade. In the earliest civilizations symbols were employed to some extent, then in Egypt they had the happy thought of drawing a picture to represent each quantity. Thus, a frog equaled 100,000 and a man with arms outstretched in admiration signified 10,000,000. The Greek and Roman systems of letters for numerals were considered a great advance, but only the most learned could do any adding or subtracting with them. The decimal system was brought by an ambassador from India into Arabia in 773 A. D., and European countries got their numerals from Arabia in the Twelfth century. It proved popular right away and teachers of the new system were in great demand. Trade and industry, so long dammed up by a lack of any simple method of keeping accounts or doing business with persons at a distance, sprang into life—and the Commercial era was born.—Detroit News.

Famous "Black Shirts"

The black shirt was originally worn by the Italian shock troops during the World war. Later it became part of the uniform of the legionnaires of D'Annunzio at Fiume. The Fascisti adopted it as a symbol of the new patriotism. The Fascisti organization was founded by Mussolini in March, 1919, at Milan.

No Warships Purchased

No European country has ever built or sold a war vessel to the United States government. The only case where the United States has had vessels built in a foreign country was that of the Chinese river gunboats, which were built in China, under contract to the United States.

LOCALS

Miss Hazel Fricker, who has finished teaching a term of school in southern part of the state, returned home last week-end to spend summer vacation here with her father Mike Fricker.

Oats For Sale:-Quantity of side oats suitable for seed. Fifty cents a bushel.

Henry Ortloff,
M16-T. F. R1 St. Hilaire, Minn

One of those electric curling irons with nifty silk cord, and anti-kink spring, now on display at the Spectator office, would make a very acceptable graduation gift.

30x3 1-2 Inner tube guaranteed two years 59c. Formal Opening week only-beginning Saturday May 25th, 29x4.40 79c. Gamble Stores, 202 Main Ave., Thief River Falls.

Boxed papetries in various colors and shapes, suitable for commencement gifts, are on display at the Spectator office.

Mauritz Brink was down Tuesday from Thief River Falls for a visit at the home of his brother, Victor.

Mrs. Marcus Cutter, widow of the late publisher of the News-Press at Thief River Falls, died a few days ago and was buried at the old family home at Anoka, Minn.

Why We Do What We Do

by M. K. THOMSON, Ph. D.

WHY WE WINDOW SHOP

THE obvious reasons for window shopping are the attractiveness of the display, getting a line on the things we are thinking of buying, and the quest for bargains. The shopkeepers make it worth our while to look around.

Other reasons why we window shop are not so apparent. Contrary to the purpose of the display, we get our satisfaction in seeing the things in the window and hence do not need to purchase them. Our imagination helps us to appropriate everything we look at. We are truly monarch of all that we survey. What necessity is there of owning the thing if we can see it in the window? What more could we do with it at home? This is true of works of art.

Another way in which the window display prevents our buying is that we see so many good things that we cannot make up our minds which one to buy. Every good salesman knows that the more specimens he shows the more difficult it is to make a sale. The prospective buyer is bewildered and hesitates. It is so much easier to choose between two than between a hundred. An experienced clerk will size up his customer and bring him exactly what he wants. He resorts to showing other things only when the customer appears to contemplate leaving the store. The moment we make a purchase we then own only one. Ever afterwards we lose our claim to the rest. When we look in the window we feel that we must be loyal to the one we have purchased, and this gives us a feeling of detachment.

We window shop because it is a cheap and pleasant pastime. We are attracted by the beauty and cleverness of the display, we gather new ideas of values, we come to know the latest fads and fashions, and above all, to appropriate all of them without money and without price.

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Short Time to Repent

A Rumanian woman was seriously considering matrimony at the age of one hundred and eighteen. She could marry hastily, but couldn't anticipate much leisure for repentance.—South Bend Tribune.

Stone Mountain

The estimated volume of Stone mountain is 7,500,000,000 cubic feet. Since granite weighs from 160 to 170 pounds per cubic foot, this would be approximately equivalent to 600,000,000 short tons.

Rewards Well Earned

Soft jobs come to those who have first done hard jobs well; and easy money is postponed dividends that come to the man who has in the past earned hard money.—Royal Arcanum Bulletin.

Precept From Buddha

The man who foolishly does me wrong I will return to him the protection of most ungrudging love; and the more evil comes from him, the more good shall go from me.—Buddha.

Mary Pickford

A late photograph of the ever popular Mary Pickford, as she appears in the screen version of "Coquette." Mary Pickford, who recently bobbed her hair and announced her intention to play "grown-up" roles on the screen, is seen as "Norma Besant," in the all-talking production.

THE WHY of SUPERSTITIONS

By H. IRVING KING

LUCKY AND UNLUCKY DAYS

NO SUPERSTITION is more widespread than the belief in lucky and unlucky days. It dates back to the Romans, and while the empire of the Caesars has vanished the superstition survives. Most men, perhaps, have what they consider their lucky and unlucky days—days on which they would hesitate to embark on a new enterprise or days which they would choose for so doing. This arises from the fact that man is essentially egocentric, and in his experiences thinks he notices that a certain day seems propitious to his affairs, while a certain other day is unpropitious. "What's your lucky day?" is not unusual as a casual inquiry among Wall street men.

The almost universal idea that Friday is an unlucky day undoubtedly originated in the fact the Crucifixion took place on that day. This superstition regarding Friday was formerly very strong among sailors; and is today among those manning sailing vessels or rattle-trap tramp steamers who have to wrestle with the great forces of nature for their lives. Masters of such vessels would not willingly choose Friday as a sailing day; or if they did, might have trouble with their crews. But it has been observed that sailors on the great ocean liners, whose vast powers seem superior to winds and waves, show little or no disinclination to sail on a Friday.

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How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

THE "CALENDAR"

"CALENDAR," the word which designates the chart by which we reckon and arrange the divisions of the year into months, weeks and days, has a story in its name.

It comes to us from the Latin "kalenderium," an account book, which goes back to "calends" or "kalends"—and there we have the story.

The Romans made a threefold division of the month into Kalends, Nones and Ides. The "Ides of March" is familiar to every reader of Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar." In certain months the Nones fell on the 7th, the Ides on the 15th; in other months the Nones came on the 5th, the Ides on the 13th. But the Kalends came always on the 1st of the month.

Since the first and most important division of the year is its sorting into months, each of which began with the Kalends, the evolution of the word "calendar" is easily comprehensible.

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Mrs. Peter Starken Summoned

Mrs. Peter Starken died Sunday morning at 12:30 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Cuno, of complications brought on by old age. She had been in poor health for some time past.

Her maiden name was Mary Junchman and she was born in Indiana, July 12, 1851. She came to this state with her mother when she was a young girl and they settled in Carver county, where in 1870 she married Peter Starken.

Mr. Starken died Jan. 20, 1924.

Twelve children were born to their union nine of whom are living: Cornelius, of Wabasso; Philip, of Watertown, S. D.; Henry, of Gervais; Frank, of Wabasso; Christian, of Red Lake Falls; Mrs. Henry Gorres, of Wanda; Joseph of Lamberton; Peter and Mrs. William Cuno, both of this city.

Thirty-eight grandchildren and two great grandchildren survive.

Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock from St. Mary's Catholic church with Rev. Henry Pelger officiating. The pall-bearers were the six sons of the deceased.--Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Rebuilding Lines

The Northwestern Telephone Company has a crew at work south of town replacing poles, changing circuits and doing other work on its lines. Carloads of new poles were unloaded here some time ago, and this week a big shipment of new crossarms arrived to be used on the job. Some of the old circuits are to be replaced by copper lines which will greatly improve service. The crew will be located here this week.

Extensive improvements have been made this spring at the Black farm northeast of the village. All buildings have been put in good order, and everything, including the new buildings put up last fall, have been painted.

It is probable a machine shed and granary will be built this season, which will give the farm one of the best, and most up-to-date set of farm buildings of any farm in this county. With all buildings painted, the farm now presents a very attractive appearance.

For Sale-Registered red Shorthorn bull calf, age 7 months. Call on or address
Walter Aubol,
M30J6pd St. Hilaire, Minn.

Will Oil Trunk Road

Trunk Highway No. 32 from south part of this village to Thief River Falls, and also a mile stretch thru the city at Red Lake Falls, are listed in the latest highway bulletin for "semi-hard surfacing" this summer. Two different forms of surfacing are used, one being oil and the other tar. Roads treated for the first time require from 10,000 to 12,000 gallons per mile. They must be retreated every two years after which it may be possible to skip one, depending on traffic. A cover coat of gravel must be spread after the oil or tar is put on. This treatment eliminates or reduces the dust nuisance during dry periods, and it greatly reduces the probability of the road going to pieces during spring breakup or other long period of wet weather. A number of other roads in this part of the state are also slated to receive the same treatment this summer.

Commencement Tomorrow

Commencement exercises for the graduating class of the local high school take place at the school auditorium tomorrow evening (Friday) starting at 8:00. The exercises are public, and everyone in the community is cordially invited to attend.

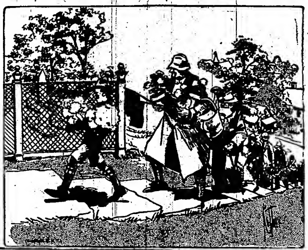
Test Association Formed

At a meeting held at Thief River last week-end, officers were elected for the cow testing association for which members have been signed up the past two weeks. Between thirty and forty dairymen have joined thus far, and it is hoped others will do so after the association begins to operate June 1st. Lloyd Johnson of this place, who took a special course in testing work at the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston this spring was hired as tester for the coming year. His work will be so arranged that he will be employed at testing every day of the week excepting Sundays.

A new shingle roof is being laid on the building occupied by the Blue Parror Inn.

Supt. R. Peterson of the school at Plummer, came over Saturday for a visit with friends, and to take part in the Cantata given Sunday evening.

Memorial Day



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

The ditch across the flat, which handles the sewage from the creamery, was cleaned out last week.

Graduation cards, neatly engraved, in individual envelopes to match, at the Spectator office.

The Spectator is printed a day earlier than usual this week in order that the working force may enjoy a holiday on Memorial Day.

We want men to save on shaves-Genuine Gillette Blades-Package of five 36c. Gamble Stores, 202 Main Ave. Thief River Falls.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veterinarian, was down Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week, from Thief River, attending to a number of cases of bloat, and also other calls.

Inquiries have been received from physicians who are looking for a location, and its probable St. Hilaire will have a resident physician again in a month or six weeks.

The annual Baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the local high school was delivered by Rev. C. B. Dahlberg at the Norwegian church Sunday afternoon.

The Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained at the church parlors on June 7 th., by Mesdames H Haugen and Oscar Haugen. All are welcome.

No great change is reported in condition of S. M. Hoff, who is seriously ill at Minneapolis. Members of the family were called to his bedside last week.

Geo. W. Hooper, who has spent the winter with his children at Chicago, Ill., Madison, Wis., and Minneapolis, and also some time with relatives in Iowa., came up Friday to look after his property interests here.

The Junior and Senior classes of the high school at Thief River Falls, accompanied by their teachers, motored down Friday afternoon and enjoyed picnic supper at the Benson grounds across the south bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. McKercher and son, Russel, motored Sunday to Grand Forks to see their daughter and sister, Arlene, who is ill with a mastoid affliction. It is possible she may have to undergo an operation to secure relief.

Regular monthly meeting of the village council will be held Monday evening, June 3rd.

For Sale: Pigs, eight weeks old. Address or call on E. H. Stephens, R1, Hazel, Minn. M30

George Fricker motored down Tuesday evening from Holt for a short visit with his father and sister.

Mrs. A. L. Patterson came up yesterday from Minneapolis to spend the summer months at her cottage at Maple Lake.

Two dragline outfits are at work on the new grade on Highway No. 32 north of Holt to Greenbush, and construction work is being rushed.

Saturday June 1st ends Gamble's Formal Opening week. The last day to secure a 30x3 1-2 Inner tube at 59c. Gamble Stores, 202 Main Ave., Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Carl Johnson and daughters, Eva and Lilly, who have spent the past school year at Austin, Minn., are expected back soon to spend the summer.

J. D. Porter motored over Friday evening from Bemidji and spent until the following day looking after business matters here and at points up the line.

Mrs. N. A. Nelson, who has spent the winter months at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. Sherva at Baker, Mont., retnrned home Monday to assist at home of her son, Rupert, who is ill.

H. O. Jackson is visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Sam Hauge, at Bagley. Mr. Jackson has been feeling unwell lately and thought a change from his duties at the store might be of benefit to him.

A fine shower of rain fell over this section Friday night and again Monday. While the rain will delay those who have seeding still to be done, it was a wonderful help for the grain already in and for pastures and gardens.

Carl A. Nelson, field manager for the National Tea Company chain of stores in this state, motored up Saturday from his home at Minneapolis for a visit with his brother, Rupert, who is ill. After spending a short time with relatives at Hazel, he departed Sunday for home.

Will Improve Church

At a business meeting held in connection with the Ladies's Aid at the Norwegian Lutheran church last Friday, it was decided to have interior of the church edifice steel sheeted. Material has been ordered and work will be started next month. Two propsitions were considered, one for replastering, and the other steel sheeting. It was thought the latter would be the most permanent as well as best appearing so decision was reached to use that method. Other improvements also are contemplated either later this year or in 1930.

Decoration Day

While no special service or exercises have been arranged for, near ly all business places in town will be closed Thursday in observance of Decoration Day. Members of the American Legion will decorate the grsves of their departed comrades, and also those of veterans of other wars, in different cemeteries thruout the county as has been the custom for some years.

Lot owners and others interested, have worked at both the east and north cemetery first of this week putting their plots in order.

Cantata Pleases

The Norwegian Lutheran church was filled to capacity last Sunday evening for the song service when the sacred Cantata "Dawn Immortal" was given by the church choir. Under able direction of Miss Florence Haslam, assisted by Miss Ruth Lee at the piano, a very fine production was given. The chorus, quartette, trio, duet and solo numbers were uniformly well rendered.

This Cantata is the first of its kind to be given here, and that it was well received, was attested by the numerous laudatory comments heard at its close. It is to be hoped that a Cantata will become a yearly event hereafter.

After spending several weeks here with her parents and other relatives, Miss Ruth Roy left Monday for Hague, N. D., where she has a position as assistant cashier in a bank.

"Acknowledgement for graduation gift" cards may be obtained at the Spectator office.

The Spectator, $1.50 a year.

Canadian Auto Tours

A group of Canadian auto tourists, representing the Kiwanis Clubs at Winnipeg and other points in Manitoba, passed thru here Sunday afternoon enroute home after an auto trip to Duluth. They went by the new Piney route east to International Falls, and returned by way of Grand Rapids and Bemidji. The party was entertained at luncheon at Red Lake Falls where a band concert was given in their honor at the tourist park.

Next Sunday another tour, sponsered by the Winnipeg Board of Trade, will pass thru here enroute to the Twin Cities. First night control will be at Thief River Falls where a dance and other entertainment will be provided. The party will pass thru here during early morning.

Short Course, June 10-13

Club leaders thruout this part of the state report unusual interest in the Boy's and Girl's Short Course to be held at the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston, June 10-13. It will be a convenient time as rush of spring work is over, and schools are closed.

Work will be offered in dairy calf, beef calf, sheep, pig, poultry, gardening, judging, cooking, canning, sewing, leadership and other boys' and girls, activities.

The total cost of board, room and entertainment will be $3.00. All young people between ages of 12 and 20 are eligible to attend. For reservation and information write the Northwest School, Crookston.

Commercial fishing was started on Lake of the Woods last Thursday, and most of the fishermen on this side report a good catch; of course, there are some of them that would not be satisfied no matter how big a catch they got. The prices are particularly high for this season of the year.--Warroad Pioneer.

Slight improvement has been noted in condition of Rupert Nelson who was taken ill two weeks ago.

Thresa and Beda Peterson were at Thief River, Tuesday attending to business matters.

Want Ads Bring Resutls

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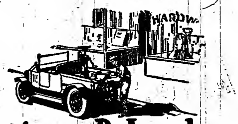

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For Meditation

By LEONARD A. BARRETT

SERVICE IN BUSINESS

SERVICE in business means more than merely satisfying a pnblic need. In his interesting lecture, "Acres of Diamonds," Dr. Russell Conwell reletes an experience which occurred when be was a young man clsrking in a store. A customer desired to purchase a jeck knife, bnt there were no jeck knives in the store for sale. Another customer who desired the sama article left the store dissatisfied. By tha time tha third customer esked for the same article plenty of jeck knives were on the counter for sale.

While the pnblic creetes the demand which business must satisfy, Service implies more than jnst satisfying this demand. Service in business should create a spirit of good will, of personal interest, mutual trust and comradesbip. Service demands not only that the customer be furnisbed with a jack knife when be asks for it, bnt also, that when be desires another one be will return to the sama counter for it. Tba most important thing is not that a transaction was meda thet may have brongbt a profit to the dealer, bnt that throngb that setisfaction which the customer bed in the transaction other people will be influenced to trada at the sama place.

Service in business bas a sort of pins velne. It is a sort of spirit which satisfies e public in such a way tbet it creates good will. Tba old policy of "an aye for an eya and a tooth for a tooth" can no longer ba the creed of a successful business career. Self-preservation is not the first iew of lifa in tha reaim of bumau values, and bnsiness is more concerned with bnman than material valnes.

The most serious loss to any business concern is not money bnt setisfied patronage. In the competition of the modern bnsiness world where one concern endeavors to secure edvantage et the expense of its competitor, the element which nitimately wins is something more than the qnality of the erticle prodnced; it is that, bnt also SERVICE on the bigber levels, which creates confidence, mntual understanding, permanent satisfaction and good will.

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Tha first public street lamps were oil lamps, London being lighted in this manner in 1681.

English Castle Once Had Merman Prisoner

A curious lsgend is associated with historic Oxford castle, on the Suffolk coast (England), which recently came under the anctioneer's hammer.

Fishermen are said to have captured a marman not far from the castle, and the interesting monster, so runs the legend, was imprisened in the castle keep, end an attempt was made to tame and bumanize him.

The merman, however, was a "difficult" subject, and one dark night, when tbe efforts to tame him seemed about to be crowned with success, he escaped by some mysterious means from his prison, and was no more seen of man.

The castle is stated to have been built about the Twelfth century, and the imposing Norman keep with its three square embattled towers, the Norman pillars, capitals, and altar ruins of the old chapel remain, an ancient staircase still leading to the dungeons.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having occured in the terms and conditious of that certain Mortgage dated the 20th day of October 1925, made, executed and delivered by Elias L. Rolland, and Esther O. Rolland, his wife, Mortgagors, to S. K. Dahle, Mortgagee, which said Mortgage together with a Power of Sale therein contained is duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 6th day of November 1925, at 10 o'clock A. M., in Book 69 of Mortgages, on page 222 thereof,

Which said Default consists in this that the Mortgagors have failed and neglected to pay the taxes assessed against the Mortgaged premises for the Years 1925, 1926, 1927, and 1928, amounting to the Total Sum of $252.05, inclusive of interest and penalties, as said taxes became due, and prior to the day appointed by law for the sale of said Lands for such taxes, as stipulated in said Mortgage, which said Taxes this Mortgagee has paid, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Mortgage, the Mortgagee has elected to declare, and does hereby declere the whole Sum secured by said Mortgage, inclusive of principal and interest, and said taxes paid by this Mortgagee to be due and payable at once, and whereas there is now claimed to be due and payable, and is now due and payable pursuant to the terms and conditions nf said Mortgage, by reason of the said Default and the Mortgagee's said Election, the Total Sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-ona and 05-100 ($1771.05) Dollars, inclusive of principal, interest and taxes paid by the Mortgagee, and no Action or Proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, and the Power nf Sale contained in said Mortgage having become operative,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots numbered Two (2), Three (3), and Four (4) in Block Five (5) of Zeh's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City nf Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 15th day of June 1929, at 10 'o'clock in the forenoon of that day at public vendue to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said Debt of $1771.05, and interest and taxes if any, and Seventy-five Dollars attorneys fees as stipulated in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of Sale as provided by law.

Dated this 25th day of April 1929.

S. K. Dahle,
Mortgagee

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
Attorney for Mortgagee.
M-2, J-6.

Hikers, Grease Your Sox

Hikers who are tronbled with tender feet are advised by the American Magazine to follow the example of soldiers during the war and greese their socks on their feet, before a long hike, with vaseline or candle grease.

Uncle Eben

"You got to admire a great statesman," said Uncle Eben. "He gits mo' bonor and applause dan any musician in de band an' don' have to learn to play no instrument whatever."—Washington Star.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment nf the Sum nf Eleven Hundred Twenty and No|100 ($1120.00) Dollars, inclusive nf Principal and Interest to date of this Notice, and default having also been made in the payment of the Taxes on the herein described mortgaged Premises for the Years 1924, 1925, 1926, and 1927, amounting to the Total Sum of Three Thousand Six Hundred Seventeen and 21|100 ($3,617.21) Dollars, which said Taxes this Mortgagee has necessarily paid, making a Tatal Sum nf Four Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty-Seven and 21|100 ($4737.21) Dollars, all of which is now claimed to be due, and is due and in default at the date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage dated November 10, 1922, made executed and delivered by C. M. Evenson and Ellen Evenson, his wife, Mortgagors to A. C. Baker, Mortgagee, which said Mortgage together with a Power of Sale therein contained is duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 10th day of November 1922, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in Book "51" of Mortgages on page 199 thereof,

And No Action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by the said Mortgage, or any part thereof, and the Power of Sale contained in seid Mortgage having become operative,

NOW, THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

West Eighty-three (83) feet of Lots Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14) and Fifteen (15) of Block Thirty-six (36) of the Original Townsite of the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Piat thereof nn file and nf record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 6th day of July, 1929, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said debt of $4737.21, and interest and taxes if any, and $50.00 attorneys fees as stipulated in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of Sale as provided by law.

Dated this 23rd day of May 1929.

A. C. BAKER,
Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
Attorney for Mortgagee. M23-J27

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

The Book That Grandpa Took

SINCE Rex Bench bimself laughed at this story when I brought it to him, there is no reason why the general public sbould ba denied tha opportunity to laugh at it, too. I bad it at first hand from a young lady who figured in it.

This yonng lady is now engaged in newspaper work. Bnt before sbe took np jonrnalism sbe was an assistant et a public library in Pittsbnrgh.

One dny es she sat at ber desk e sixteen-year-old girl approeched ber and told ber tbnt sha had coma to pny for a book which bed been lost.

"Whnt was the book?" asked the librarian.

"It was Mr. Rex Beach's 'Going Some.' I took it ont four weeks ago to read it but wa had some tronble in onr family and the book was lost nnd I'm afraid I can't return it; so, nnder the rnles, I suppose I'll hava to pay for it."

Judging by tbe girl's nppearance, the librarian figured that she did not belong to a family in particularly affinent circnmstances, so sympathy moved her to make further inquiry.

"I would suggest," sba said, "that yon make another search for the missing volume. Surely it must be somewbera around your bome. Perbeps if yon bunt again thoroughly you may find where it is."

"Ob, we know where it is," said the girl. "That's just tbe trouble!"

"Where is it?"

"Well, yon see, grandpa died."

"Wbat bes your grandfether's deetb to do with Mr. Rex Beach's 'Going Some'?"

"Well, me'am, after be was laid ont in his coffin tha nnderteker used it to prop up grandpa's cbin with. And everybody forgot abont it nntil after the funeral was over. And so tha book is out at the cemetery with grandpa."

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Don't Worry

Fear and worry are as nnnecessary as tbey are debilitsting. They are onr race's heritege from the dim dewn of time, and only clear-thinking, andations sonls have risen ebova them, says American Magazine.

Odd Things About Bed

Bed is a bundle of paredoxes; we go to it with relnctance, yet we quit it with regret; we make np our minds every nigbt to leave it early, but we meke np our bodies every morning to keep it late.—Colton.

Blouse and Skirt Should Not Match

Garment Usually Takes an Unexpected Note in Spring Mode.

One of the most striking characteristics of tha season is the unexpectedness nf the blouse with which the tailleur or ensembla is completed, edvises a fashion writer in tha Kansas City Star. That tha blouse should not metch the skirt—or coat, is an accepted idea. That it shonld strika an unexpected note, is to be desired. To this end wa hava navy suits with chartreuse blouses, black ones with turqnoise blue, or any high colors, or white.

The practice of intrnducing tha suit color on tha blouse, by way of binding, let us say, is now more general than employing another color and iguoring the suit. Blonses whether of the tuck-in or over blouse persuasion bava gone feminine. Tha tailored tonch is avoided, and soft bows or some such arrangement are introdnced et the neckline. Jabots, and all manner of self-trimming details are used. Vionnet is responsibla possibly for the use of diagunal and other tuck and plait arrangements, this form of decoration being mnch in vogue.

Tha use of printed crepe, and the use of organdie and bandkerchief linen must be mentioned among tha most desirable blonse materials. Tha sleeveless blouse merits serious consideration. It is a most nseful member of society, completing tha suit or ensemble satisfactorily and contribnting a very dressy effect on tha removal of the jacket. Althongb this is true, tha sleeveless blouse is not taboo in sports circles, where tha sleeveless dress is beartily walcomed because of its practicebility and also because of its belp in enebling tbe wenrer to acquira tha coveted coat or tan.

Chanel Features Scarf With Beige Jersey Suit With Blue Blouse.

There is always a soft spot in tba bearts of smart women for knitted suits. It is true they approva them only for travel and for so-called sports wear, bnt this field is ona in which women of leisura spend many bappy honrs, and are determined to ba dressed as attractively as possibie.

Tricot fabrics hava hecoma the backbone of sports wear, and the cardigan costuma as well as the sweater are accepted everywbera women are assembled for ontdoor pleasurea.

Tha three-quarter coat is a sports entry, elthongb it is the cardigan and sbort jacket suit which is most representativa of the season. Sports costumes are, however, so freqnently in three or even four sections that one may incinda e topcoat even in an ensembla already completed by a coat or cardigan.

Restaurant Dresses Also Serve as Dancing Frocks

Thongb a great deal of importance and fullness mnst be given to tbe skirt portion of tha dinner dress, ona must not iose sight of the fact tbet most of the tima restaurant dresses must also serve as dancing frocks. If the iower part of the skirt can be mada of circular frills, detsched wings and panels, ona must avoid trains that wonid not look well if held up on the arm. Circular, flared black or bright-colored taffetas, faille or moire gowns for young women, and frilled pastel nets or chiffons for debntantes, are always very effective. Chiffon dresses, beaded all over a jnmper top and placed on a beck drooping flared skirt of plain chiffon, are among the smartest dinner dresses of the new season.

Coats Have Circular Collar of Rich Fur

One of the smartest suits prepared for spring is a chic little tailor-made of the softest bleck broad tail. The cut is slim and straight end the sbort jacket bas a long rever which comes to the natural waist line. It is fastened by a belt of petent leather. Some of the spring coets have buge circular collars of kolinsky or fox.

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Wyandotte Items

Mr. and Mrs. David Haugen, Harold Haugen and Mrs, Omodt left Sunday for Canada where they will visit with relatives.

Siguard Sagemoen was a visiter st the P. Kolseth home Wednesday.

Marie Kolseth, who attends high school at St. Hilaire spent last week-end at home.

Mrs. Sophria Peterson returned Saturday from McIntosh after a visit with relatives there.

Odd Duties Assigned to Royal Attendants

"Beefeaters" bava been a fixed institution nt St. James' palace sinca the reign of Henry VII. According to king's rsgulatious tbey must bave beards on stata occnsions. At certain intervals they have to report to the palace adjntant for beard inspection.

In tha Middle ages Beefeaters used to protect and attend the sovereign. end it wes their dnty to taste and cook all food served to bim. Tbey also bnd to make the king's bed. The "Yoemen Bedhangers" stnffed the mattress and arranged the cnrtains, while the "Yoemen Bedgoers" rolled on the bed to sea that it was well made. Tbe letters Y. B. H. and Y. B. G. are still affixed to certain names on the roll. Since their institution tbe costume of tbe Beefeaters has varied very little, and the large ruff ronnd the neck still forms e very important part of it.—Montreal Family Herald.

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seventy-three and 70-100 ($73.70) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, upon n certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Louis Feragen, a single man, Mortgagor, to First and Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1924, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of December, 1924, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "68" of Mortgages, on page 48,

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, wns duly assigned by said First and Peoples State Bank, Mortgagee, to B. C. Bernard by written assignment dated the 14th day of October, 1925, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 14th day of October, 1925, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "83" of Mortgages, on page 592,

And Whereas, The said B. C. Bernard, the Assignee and Holder of said Mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable upon said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Two and 10-100 ($1302.10) Dollars, and wheress the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, except that an action at law has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage and that an execution upon the judgment rendered therein has been returned wholly unsatisfied.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The South Half (S½) of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-four (24), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian and containing eighty (80) acres according to the Government Survey thereof, be it the same more or less, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 29th day of June 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1302.10 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 14th, A. D. 1929.

B. C. BERNARD,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Chommie,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. M-16-J-20

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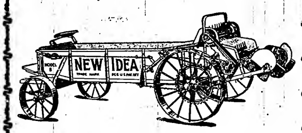

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South River Falls

Mr. Harry Frickson called at the B. Walseth home Thursday.

B. Walseth recently purchased an Essex car.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo Haupt and family called at the Paul Thyren home Friday evening.

Mr. Joseph and Arthur Peterson called Saturday evening at William Rinkenberger home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Erickson and family of McIntosh visited at the Aug. Erickson home Sunday.

Mrs. S. Mickelson and daughter, Agnes, and sons, Nels and Anton visited at the Miller Peterson home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Nannie Erickson left last week over the Soo for Minneapolis and Willmar where she will visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. O. Hogquist of Thief River Falls spent Monday evening at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Hans Hoquist.

Misses Gladys and Evelyn, Peterson, Annie Walseth and Horace Dalager spent the week-end at their parental homes.

Mr. Joe Hogquist of Mahnomen visited Monday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs Hans Hogquist.

Lamps of all sizes from 10 to 60 watt can also he had at 20 cents each at the Spectator office

THE CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, June 2, services as follows:

St. Pauli at 11:00 a. m. Norw.

Ebenezer, Luther League at J. P. Johnson home in Mayfield at 2:00.

St. Hilaire, services at 8:00 P. M. Amer.

Methodist-Presbyterian

Thief River Falls

Sunday, 8 P. M.

Dr. Grays will give a Book Review

"The Seventh Heaven"

Idea of Human Flight Long in Minds of Men

The desira to conquer tha air and emulate the birds is no modern fancy, bot has agitated the minds of men mechanically inclined for ages. Records of a meeting of tha Royal society, beid in London in 1679, give the information that "Mr. Hooke read a paper cootaining a description of the wny of flying, invented and practiced by ona Mons. Besnier, a smith, the contrivance of which consisted in ordering four wings folding and shutting to ba moved by his hands before and bis legs behiod, by which ha was, it was said, able to fly from a high place across a river to a pretty distance." One of the members of the Royal society apparently cast some donbt upon the practicability of tha invention: "Mr. Henshawa conceived that by reason of tha weakness of a man's arms for such kind of motioos, it would be much more probabla to maka a chariot or such lika machina with springs and wbeels, that should serve to carry ona or more men in it to act and guide it."

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 2nd, 1924, executed by Mary Thoma Moonen, formerly Mary Thoma, and Henry Moonen, her husband, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 8th, 1924, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 204 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $108.23, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $187.50 due on October 2nd, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $187.50 each, due on April 2nd, 1928, October 2nd, 1928, and April 2nd, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $5,661.94, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from April 2nd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $870.73, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $108.23 thereof since December 4th, 1928, on $187.50 thereof since April 2nd, 1928, on $187.50 thereof since October 2nd, 1928, and on $187.50 thereof since April 2nd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $560.15 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1929, and ths sum of $19.20, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since April 12th, 1927, in all the sum of $6,969.91, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The West Half (W½) of Section Twenty-one (21), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 320 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 14th day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 1st, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
M-2, J-6.

In Appreciation

In behalf of the Nor. Luth. church of St. Hilaire, we, the pastor and board, express our sincere appreciation of the splendid co-operation and loyal support that the teachers of the St. Hilaire Public and High school have given the church in the various working organizations.

M. L. Dahle,
Pastor

Ed Aubol
O. Haugen
A. Vik
Board

Earth's Interior

It is not generally believed that the interior of tbe earth will ever become entirely cool. Geologicnl facts point to the coociusion that the earth's interior is not molten. Tbe interior is solid hnt so bot that it would ba melted under normai conditions. It is, however, kept from melting by the enormous lood of tha crust. Tha condition in whicb the heated rock exists in the interior is ooe of the fundamental prohlems of geology still awaiting solution.

Birds on the Wing

Here in America man appears to hove reverted to the ancient nomadic strain. We flit from one apartment to another on moving day. Wa move from city to city as our business beckoos. We perigrinate between town, seashore and lakeside. Our savage forhears chased the herds; we chasa the sunshine. In us, as in them, is a restless longing for change of scene.—Woman's Home Companion.

One Way to Stop War

There will one day spring from tha brain of science a machine or force so terrible in its potentialities, so absointely terrifying, that even man, the fighter, who will dare torture and death in order to inflict it, will be appalled, and so, will abandon war forever.—Thomas A. Edison.

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Tramp Unable to See Idea of Wasting Pie

A tramp called at a motion pictura studio, begging for something to eat.

"Just tha man we need!" cried the director. "Yoo require no make-up. Our tramp fniled to show up. Do wbat you're told, and I'll see that you eat.

"Now, wben I give the signal, you steal this custard pie from tha window-sill, and run around the hoose. A policeman will chase you, and when ha is about to catch you, you throw the pie at him.

"Take careful aim, and, if possible, hit him in the fnce."

At the given sigual, the tramp appropriated the pia and disappeared behind the bouse. In a little while a policeman gava chase, and cornered him.

The director shooted:

"Throw the pie, throw the pie!" No pie was forthcoming!

The irate director bad the camera stopped and then he roared: "Why didn't you throw tha pie? Where is it?"

The tramp, wiping his mouth with his coat sleeve, answered: "When I gets my hands on a pie, I eats it."

"You're fired!" thundered the director.

"Wrong again, pard," said the tramp, "when I eats, I quits!"

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Robby to the Rescue

Robby's mother had mode a present of a toy shovel and sent him out in the sand lot to pIny witb his baby brother. "Take care of baby, now," said bis mother, "and doo't let anything hurt him."

Presently screoms of anguisb from boby sent the distracted parent flying to the sand lot.

"What has happened to the baby?" she cried, trying to quiet the wailing infant.

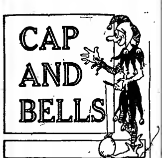
"There was a fly biting bim on the top of his head and I killed it witb the shovel," was the proud reply.

Hawk Defended Nest

A California hawk in defense of its oest viciously attacked a man who attempted to touch it. The man, a Los Angeles gas aod electric company lineman, was working in a tower oo power lines near Saogus when he noticed the hawk's nest and shoved it over with his band the better to do the work ba was on. Tha bird attacked so viciously that the man lost bold and fell from the tower. Ha broke one leg, fractured two ribs and sustaioed numerous minor cuts and bruises.

One Always Successful

There are times when the motorist who attempts to beat the train at the crossing fails but the fellow who strikes a match to discover the gas leak usually succeeds.



HELP!

"John, denr," phoned the flapper bride, "I wisb yon would bring boma some calendars with you tonight."

"What tha heck do you waot with calendars?" be demanded.

"Ob," sha replied, "I've just heard of a date pndding thnt is awfully good and I want to try maklog one for dinner."

Too Rough

Liner Passenger—What's the matter?

Steward—The captain is seasick.

Passenger—Nonsense!

Steward—Yes, one of the flapper passengers has been teaching him the Charlestoo.

A Helpful Clew

Mr. Faraway—I was going to call you up last evening, but I forgot yoor telephone number.

Professor Letterkink—It is 742. You can remember it easily by associating it with the year of Charlemagne's birth.

Not a Timorous Girl

Lady (engaging maid)—Regarding yoor evening oot, I'm quite prepared to meet you half way.

Maid—That'll be all right ma'am; I ain't a bit worried o' coming homa in the dark.

Gathering His Own

Constable—How did yoo come by that pot of honey?

Tramp—Well, I admit I don't keep bees, bot wot's to stop a bloke squeezin' it out of the flowers hisself?

A Sure Sign

"Bill must be planning to buy a new car."

"Why?"

"I sea be's letting his wife drive."—Everybody's Weekly.

Beat It

Harassed Carpet Salesman (appealing to husband)—You won't beat this, sir.

Wife—You'll pardon me; he will if I want him to!

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

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FOR SALE:-Four highgrade Red Poll bull calves, coming one year next fall. Call on

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Oats For Sale:-Quantity of side oats suitable for seed. Fifty cents a bushel.

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Tuberculin Testing
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Block North from G. N. Depot

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Spectator, $1.50 per year.

Candy Industry Goes Back to Hippocrates

Physicians among the ancient Greeks and Romans utilized the bee's honey in preparing their medicines. In fact, the manufacture of candy traces its origin back to the days of Hippocrates, father of medicine, who lived in the Fifth century B. C. In those days doctors' remedies for human ills consisted of doses of bitter herbs. In order to tickle the palate of his rich patients, Hippocrates smeared a little honey on the edge of the cup containing the potion, and later on coated his pills with similar substances, thus comforting his patients and, no doubt, also increasing his fees.

Little did Hippocrates think that he was destined to go down to fame, not only as the father of medicine but as one of the originators of the art of candy-making.

From this quaint origin the candy industry has progressed to such an extent that it is now one of the world's leading industries. Its production involves labor in all parts of the world and employs every means of transportation known to man.—Exchange.

Cathedral Dimensions.

The length of the cathedral of St. John the Divine (Episcopal), New York—601 feet—is greater than that of Amiens, which is 521 feet long; Cologne, which is 511 feet; Chartres, which is 507 feet, and Milan, which is 500 feet.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Six Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Nine and 34-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Elias L. Rolland and Esther O. Rolland, his wife, Mortgagors to the First National Bank of Thief River Falls, Mortgagee, bearing date the 19th day of April, 1921, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of April, 1921, at one o'clock P. M. in Book 51 of Mortgages, on page 49, and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lot Seven (7) in Block Thirty-six (36) and the West Seventy-eight (78) feet of Lots Twenty (20), Twenty-one (21), Twenty-two (22), Twenty-three (23), and Twenty-four (24), in Block Thirty-nine (39) of the Original Townsite of the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota.

With the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on 22nd day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Six Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Nine and 34-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated 8th day of May, A. D. 1929.

The First National Bank
of Thief River Falls
Mortgagee

J. M. Bishop
Attorney for Mortgagee
Office and Postoffice address
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
M. 9-J 13

Appropriate Name

Theodore Roosevelt gave the name "Switzerland of the Tropics" to Porto Rico because of its high mountainous interior and beautiful scenery.

Balloons' Travels

Toy balloons recently released in the Isle of Wight have been found in France and Germany.—Washington Star.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated September 20th, 1926, executed by William H. Sherwood and Anna Sherwood, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on September 22nd, 1926, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 336 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $60.63, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $140.63 due on March 20th, 1928, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $140.63 each, due on September 20th, 1928, and March 20th, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,381.42, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from March 20th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $341.89, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $60.63 thereof since March 21st, 1928, on $140.63 thereof since September 20th, 1928, and on $140.63 thereof since March 20th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $262.15 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1929, and the sum of $41.46, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $5,078.03, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-five (35), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42). West; Lot Three (3), in Section Three (3), also Lots Three (3) and Four (4) of Section Two (2), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, conveying hereby 323 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 28th day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premiums paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 15th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General,
H. M. Feroe, Ass't. Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. M16-J20.

ALL RUN FOR OFFICE

Mrs. Gasaway—The judge's wife is the most fortunate woman in the world.

Mrs. Lissen—What's the reason for all the envy?

Mrs. Gasaway—Her husband sentences all the tramps that come under his notice to beat her carpets and help with the spring cleaning.

Methuselah's Sister

Jenkins—Miss Beggs is much older than I thought.

Tompkins—How's that?

Jenkins—I asked her if she had read Aesop's Fables, and she told me she'd read them when they first came out.

Choice Limited

Very Friendly Visitor—Did you have any difficulty in choosing a name for baby?

Fond Mother—Not the slightest. You see, dear, we've only one rich relative.

A MYSTERY

Bird—I wonder what kind of a bird laid those funny eggs!

Dangerous Power

An orator will heave in sight
And sing his little song,
And make you think that he is right,
No matter if he's wrong.

TENTH ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT
ST. HILAIRE HIGH SCHOOL
May, 31, 1929

Processional	Ruth O. Lee
Invocation	Rev. M. L. Dahle
Salutatory	Woodrow Wilson
Class History	Harwood Olson
Class Prophecy	Evely Maakrud
Song	Glee Club
Valedictory	Helena Erdmann
Commencement Address	J. W. Black
Song	Glee Club
Presentation of Diplomas	Mrs John Hanson
Song, America	Audience
Benediction	Rev. M. L. Dahle
Recessional	Ruth O. Lee

HONOR STUDENTS

Helena Erdmann	Harwood Olson
Woodrow Wilson	Myrtle Palmquist
Evelyn Maakrud	Maria Erdmann

CLASS ROLL

Anderson, Agnes	Kruse, Loretta
Anderson, Annie	Maakrud, Evelyn
Bengston, Stella	Norman, Thule
Bjerk, Lauriae	Odegaard Morris
de Cathelineau, Peter	Olson, Harwood
Dahle, Manford	Olson, Miles
Erdmann, Helena	Palmquist, Myrtle
Erdmann, Maria	Peterson, Agnes
Gigstad, Alice	Wahlbeck, Sylvia
Hallstrom, Clarence	Wilson, Woodrow

25 Years Ago

Arnt Peterson formerly foreman at the planing mill here, was holding a similar position ar Crookston.

—XXV—

Herm Adams and Herman Peterson, left with an outfit of men and teams to start work on a contract they had with the Soo.

—XXV—

Herman Kriel was drowned at Red Lake Falls that week when he was carried thru the sluice after falling in the river above the dam.

—XXV—

Erskine was working hard to get the division point on the Soo which was building thru that summer.

—XXV—

A gun club was organized here that week with H. E. Ives as president, and O. F. Post secretary.

—XXV—

Jens Nelson left on a business trip to southern Minnesota and South Dakota points.

—XXV—

Thief River Falls was to build a new brick power house for its electric light plant, that year.

Doing Well

A householder had trouble with the shower in his bathroom, and plumbers were called in.

After an hour or more, hearing no sounds of activity from the bathroom, the householder proceeded to the scene of operations. Opening the door, he found the plumber and his mate seated on the bath, engrossed in a copy of the evening paper.

"Well," he said suspiciously, "how are you fellows getting on?"

"Fine," said the plumber, removing his pipe. "We've got a couple of winners this afternoon."—London Tit-Bits.

Small Things Count

The lives of truest heroism are those in which there are no great deeds to look back upon. It is the little things well done that go to make up a successful and truly good life.—Roosevelt.

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

Maple Lake Fishing Closed Until June 22nd

Dr. William N. Nebelung, president of the Maple Lake Improvement Association' has reported that there will be no fishing in Maple Lake until June 22 All fishing at the lake was closed for two years from June 21, 1927 to June 21 1929.

Dr. Nebelung states, "in view of the fact that the size limit has been taken off pike and as there will be a planting of adult gill and crapies within the next few days, we are asking that all fishermen remove undersized pike and sunfish from the hook and return to the lake to attain full size, In that way we can insure better fishing in the future." He also urges the use of gorgers and barbless hooks as an aid to the restoration of truly fine fishing in northwestern Minnesota lakes.

Signs have been posted around the lake by Martin Nelson, game warden at Fertile, stating that it is unlawful to take fish from that place until June 22.

Annual sanitary inspections to he made soon by the village council. Nearly all places have been cleaned up and rubbish hauled out, but there still remains a few places that could stand cleaning up without damaging them or adjoining property. The cost of cleaning some vacant lots would not be excessive, and could be borne by the village which would be repaid for its efforts by making the whole town more presentable.

Chrysanthemum

The name is from the Greek chrysos, meaning gold, and anthemom, meaning flower. In Christian tradition, this flower is supposed to have been born on the first Christmas, being the token to the three wise men that they had reached the spot whither the star had bidden them.

It is in reality, however, of Chinese origin, and was made the official flower of Japan as early as the Fourteenth century. It symbolized perfection. It is now grown in more than 5,000 varieties, and it is so popular in this country that men have paid $10,000 for a fresh form of the Japanese flower.

"Woodchuck" From Indian

"Woodchuck" as applied to the groundhog, is not a compound of "wood" and "chuck," as commonly supposed. It is a corruption of the Indian word "wejack," "woodshew," or "woodschoock," a name applied to this animal by hunters, trappers and traders in the Hudson bay region. Supposedly the word is derived from the Cree "otchek" or the Chippewa "otchig," which was applied to the fisher by the Indians, but which was transferred to the groundhog by the whites. According to the bureau of American ethnology, in the fur nomenclature of the Hudson's Bay company, the skins of groundhogs have long been known as "woodchucks."

Just another good thing added to the other good things of life

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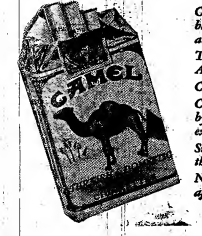
CIGARETTES



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The Creamery List

Forty seven patrons of the creamery received checks recently in amounts of $100 and up- for cream delivered during April. With pasturage coming in good shape, it is expected the lists for May and June will eclipse those of any previous years in history of the creamery. Here is the list of checks issued last payday.:

Novak & Son	$310.21
Chr. Anton	228.73
C. H. Swanson	219.84
Mrs. J. Thorstveit	218.27
E. H. Stephens	217.50
C. A. Lindquist	213.05
Anton Bros.	181.63
Geo. Haupt	180.47
N.E. Beebe	176.41
Fred Ulrich	174.36
J. A. Rotzlar	171.52
Anton Johnson	158.47
Wm. Palmquist	158.12
Mortenson Bros.	157.99
R. Melin	156.77
Emil Pearson	154.93
Erickson Bros.	149 08
Christ Kruse	145.69
Swanson Bros.	143 97
Wm. Rinkenberger	142.62
Mc Kercher & Son	137.2o
Iverson	134.41
O. L. Larson	133.89
Fr. Schmidt	132.91
F. Anderson	132.87
K. T. Dalager	132.66
Christ. Pearson	126.64
H. Jepson	126.20
J. Sjoberg	123.06
C. O. Swanson	124.19
And. Husby	123.16
J. J. Larson	122.95
Ole Larson	122.39
Gust Larson	121.21
Mrs. A. P. Anderson	119.87
J. Norman	118.10
John Gothia	117.22
C. J. Swanson	117.05
H. Johnson	117.00
Fr. Bothman	112.99
B. Walseth	112.91
Wahlbeck Bros.	111.02
John Lundberg	110 33
Carl Zinter	105.62
T. Mogen	102.32
J. A. Anderson	100.67
And. Mortenson	100.03

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At close of school Friday, the local teachers left last week-end for their respective homes, Miss Lee to southern Wisconsin. Miss B. Braseth to Ulen. Miss Launa to Middle River, Miss Upgrand to Halstad, Miss Thompson to Leonard, N. D. Supt. E. Reiersgord left Tuesday for his home at Ulen.

Rekedal--Dahl

Local friends of the groom received announcements this week of the marriage of Miss Petra Rekedal of Moorhead to James Andy Dahl of Lockhart, which occured Saturday, June 1st, at Moorhead. While the bride is not known here, Mr. Dahl has resided in St. Hilaire for many years. and has a host of friends in this county who join in wishing himself and bride all happiness.

Twenty Graduate

Twenty graduates of the local high school received their diplomas at the Commencement exercises held at the high school auditorium last Friday evening.

The exercisises were opened with Invocation by Rev. M. Dahle. Splendid talks were given by Woodrow Wilson, Salutatorian, and Helena Erdmann, Valedictorian.

The class history was read by Harwood Olson, and the class prophesy by Evelyn Maakrud.

Following this portion of the program, Supt. E. N. Reiersgord introduced J. W. Black of Minneapolis, who gave a very interesting address. Following Mr. Black's address to the class, Mrs. J. A. Hanson gave a fine talk, and presented the diplomas. The audience then joined in singing "America" which concluded the exercises.

Here From Kansas

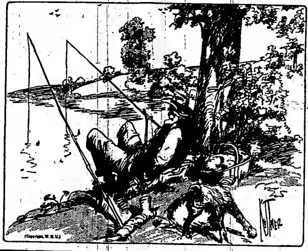
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nelson and three children arrived here Saturday by car from their home at Clay Center, Kansas., for a visit with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson. They will spend untll latter part of this week here. They will visit at the home of Mr. Nelson's sister, Mrs. Walter Holmstrom at Cambridge, Minn., and with relatives of Mrs. Nelson in Wisconsin while enroute on the home trip. Mr. Nelson holds a very fine position as manager of a milling concern at Clay Center.

Swedish Picnic, June 30th

The annual midsummer picnic of the American Sons and Daughters of Sweden will be held at Thief River Falls on Sunday, June 30th, this year. A fine program is being prepared for the occasion.

Try Our Want Ads

What June Days Are For



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know. . . . .

Geo. Gunderson was a visitor Monday evening at the Wm. Yonke farm southeast of town.

Miss Gunhild Nelson, who has taught at Wolverton the past school year, returned home Saturday to spend her summer vacation

The Y. P. S. of the Swedish Luth church will meet at the church Sunday evening at 8:00. Lunch will be served after the program.

Stanley Olson, who was principal of schools at Ft. Rice, N. D., the past school year, motored over with his family Friday, and will spend part of the summer vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs H. A. Olsen.

Local members of the American Legion decorated the graves of their departed comrades as well as those of veterans of the Civil and Indian Wars, at the east and north cemeteries on Memorial Day.

Miss Grace Dahle, who has attended Concordia College at Moorhead the past school year, returned home Friday to spend her summer vacation with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Burkee have leased the G. W. Hooper residence and will occupy it next week. They have leased their own residence property to Raymond Young who will move in as soon as the Burkee family vacates.

Mrs. C. F. Brantner and children, accompanied by Miss Mabel Patterson, motored up Sunday from their homes at Minneapolis for an extended visit with their mother, Mrs. A. L. Patterson who is spending the summer at her cottage at Maple Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pierson and daughter, Birdie, motored up Sunday from Minneapolis to spend a week at the O. K. Olson home, and other friends. They will also look after matters in connection with their farm property northwest of town while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hahner and son, Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Krouse of Thief River Falls, Fred Lubitz of Wylie, Jack Shipper and son, Billy, Dave Zeitser and family of Crookston, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ortloff, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ortloff of Sanders were Sunday dinner guests at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm Yonke, southeast of here, last Sunday.

W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. A. F. Nelson on Wednesday evening June 12. Everybody welcome.

J. Edward Johnson is hauling out building material to be used in erection of a fine, modern dairy barn on his farm west of town.

NOTICE: Owing to repairs being made, the elevator of the Wylie Co-op elevator Co. will be closed until further notice.

Peter Scherrick, Sec'ty

LOST an 8 weeks old white pig, contained in burlap sack. Fell out of my rig somewhere between St. Hilaire and Aug. Svenson school. Finder please notify Charles Walton St. Hilaire, Minn.

Ole Larson has commenced erection of a commodious new residence at his farm west of town. Mr. Larson already has a fine barn, and now with erection of the new house, his place will be one of the best equipped in his community.

A nice addition was made last week to fixtures of the Blue Parrot Inn by installation of a soda fountain. The fountain was purchased from John Hansen, it being part of the drug store fixtures owned by him.

Miss Florence Haslam, teacher in the local high school, left Saturday for a visit with friends in southern part of the state. She will return here in a couple weeks, and will leave from here for her home at Devils Lake, N. Dak.

O. C. Peterson, representing the Diversey Manufacturing Company of Chicago., a creamery specialty concern, was here Saturday calling at the creamery in interest of the company he represents. Mr. Peterson was formerly manager of the creamery at Hazel, and later helped organize a co-operative plant at Argyle.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. McKercher motored Thursday to Grand Forks to be with their daughter, Arlene, who submitted to an operation that day for relief of mastoid trouble. She withstood the operation well, and is improving as well as could be expected. Mrs. McKercher stayed over for a few days while Mr. McKercher came home Thursday night.

Woman's Camp, June 17-20

A Women's Camp week will be held at the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston, June 17 to 20.

Among the new features at this year's camp will be a series of basket weaving demonstrations, lectures on "Planning Community Meetings" "Feeding for egg production", "Finishing and enameling used furniture", "Purchasing supplies for the home" demonstrations of use of different sewing machine attachments, selections of fabrics, and various other topics of special interest to women.

This camp is open to all women in Northwestern Minnesota at a total of $3.75 for board, room, and entertainment. Last year 112 women from ten different counties and three states, attended. Additional information may be had by writing the school at Crookston.

Hans Wilson Sells Out

Hans Wilson, who has operated a confectionery store here since 1913, sold his building and business yesterday to Tim Ensrud, who has taken charge. After being in the harness continuously for sixteen years, Mr. Wilson felt his health demanded a change, so will devote his time to his gardens and poultry raising. Tho' he has lately often expressed a wish that he might retire from the daily grind, Hans's numerous friends will miss his cheery greetings at the old stand. The new proprietor has been a resident here for many years and is well and favorably known.

The Aid of the Evang. Mission church will entertained on June 12th, by Mesdames Chr. Kruse, Jr., and Gust Peterson at home of the latter.

John W. Black, president of the Merchants State Bank of this place, the First National at Thief River, and the Marshall County State Bank at Holt, who spoke at the Commencement exercises Friday evening, spent the week-end here looking after matters at his farm northeast of town where extensive improvements are being made this summer.

Joe Hauge and family motored up last evening from Bemidji for a visit with relatives in this community.

The Spectator, $1.50 a year.

District Court, June 17th

According to a new law passed by the 1929 session of the legislature, district court convenes in this county the third Monday in June this year, the 17th. Petit jurors for this term are summoned to appear the following day, or June 18th. There were no grand jurrors drawn for this term which is expected, will be a short one.

Herewith is a list of petit jurors It will be noted qnite a number are from this part of the county.

Paul Anderson	River Falls
August Bergland	St. Hilaire
Mrs. August Johnson	Norden
Mrs. Martin Finstad	Rocksbury
Mrs. Hilda Wilson	Kratka
Carl Froseth	Thies River Falls
Mrs. Herman Jepson	River Falls
Mrs. G. B. Tveit	Mayfield
Mrs. J. A. Hanson	St. Hilaire
Alfred Johnson	Thief River Falls
Mrs. H. O. Kellogg	Goodridge
Palmer N. Pederson	Sanders
Oluf Tessum	Thief River Falls
Mrs. Joseph Joringdal	Numedal
Mrs. A. P. Hegstrom	Bray
C. M. Lee	Rocksbury
Renold Johnson	North
Mrs. John Mostrom	Hickory
Andrew Feragen	Norden
Miss Laura Larson	Thief River Falls
Arne Josephson	Hickory
Fritz Christenson	Thief River Falls
T. J. Skaar	Clover Leaf
Theo. Nilson	Goodridge
Theo. Berg	Reiner
Harold Holmes	Black River
A. K. Lockrem	Sanders
Mrs. Olof Sorenson	Thief River Falls
Mrs. Harry Myrom	Norden
Mrs. Gilbert Haavi	North

Critically Ill

Mrs. Harry Winter received a message yesterday from Minneapolis stating her father, Sever Hoff, was critically ill. Mr. Hoff went to Minneapolis several weeks ago for treatment. He is gradually growing weaker, and no hope is held out for recovery.

N. E. Beebe recently purchased from R. J. McKercher, a fine purebred roan Shorthorn sire of the Clay-Buttercup strain. The particular s rain is highly prized among Shorthorn breeders, and is considered one of the best in the country. Mr. Beebe has a splendid herd at present, and addition of the new sire means more improvement for the future.

Want Ads Bring Resutls

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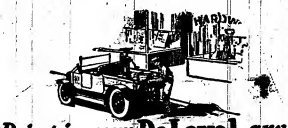

Bring in your DeLaval any time and have it overhauled —

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O. C. Johnson, Mgr

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Holmes Pine Protected

The purchase of an estate with a proviso that a certain pine tree upon it must not be cut down or removed has been recorded at Pittsfield.

The estate, once famous as the summer home of Oliver Wendell Holmes, is known as Holmesdale. One of the restrictions in the deed is the following pertaining to an historic old pine in Canoe Meadows:

Subject to the restriction which the grantee agrees for himself, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns to observe to wit:

"That the tree known as the Holmes pine, standing by itself in the meadows to the south of the homestead, should be allowed to stand as long as the course of nature permits, and that it shall never be cut down or moved while it remains in a live and healthy condition."—Boston Post.

Sounded Inhospitable

In 1860, William H. Seward visited Minnesota in company with Charles Francis Adams and Senator James W. Nye. The citizens of St. Anthony, wishing to receive the distinguished statesman in a becoming manner, appointed a committee to meet the guests and escort them into town. After waiting some time, the committee learned that the party had reached town by another route, and returning to the hotel, were introduced to Mr. Seward. The spokesman, a lawyer of the place, after a few brief remarks, said: "Mr. Seward, we are very sorry, indeed, that we did not have the opportunity of escorting you into town, but we beg to assure you that we shall take great pleasure in escorting you out of it."—Detroit News.

All in Italy

Here is history in stone and canvas, here are meccas of the soul like Rome or Assisi, which Dante called "the garden of the Peninsula," and Renan "the Galilee of Italy." Here for the literary saunterer is the road to Arque, with its vineclad hillsides, that Petrarch, lover of Laura, so enjoyed; here you may ride with Byron along the banks of the Brenta or on the hillsides of Este and enjoy with "Childe Harold" the "fairest garden of the world." Here is Michaelangelo and Raphael, and Collini and the birthstones of the great Renaissance. If you want all of Europe in one country, take "an Italian journey."—Exchange.

Easily Settled

The senior partner arrived to see the outer office occupied by seven men, each of whom wished him a very good morning.

"What's all that crowd doing out there?" he asked his junior in the private office a few seconds later.

"Well, you know we wanted an efficient and capable clerk? I advertised, and there they are."

"H'm," murmured the other. "How do you intend to pick your man out, my boy?"

"Oh, easy. I imagine the brightest of that gang'll find some way of getting rid of the other six."

Wild Silkworms

Wild silkworms, when hatched, climb upward in search of leafy food, according to Science, but domestic silkworms merely wave their heads about and wait to be fed.

Golden Silence

I think the first virtue is to restrain the tongue; he approaches nearest to the gods who knows how to be silent, even though he is in the right.—Cato.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having occured in the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage dated the 20th day of October 1925, made, executed and delivered by Elias L. Rolland, and Esther O. Rolland, his wife, Mortgagors, to S. K. Dahle, Mortgagee, which said Mortgage together with a Power of Sale therein contained is duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 6th day of November 1925, at 10 o'clock A. M., in Book 69 of Mortgages, on page 222 thereof,

Which said Default consists in this that the Mortgagors have failed and neglected to pay the taxes assessed against the Mortgaged premises for the Years 1925, 1926, 1927, and 1928, amounting to the Total Sum of $252.05, inclusive of interest and penalties, as said taxes became due, and prior to the day appointed by law for the sale of said Lands for such taxes, as stipulated in said Mortgage, which said Taxes this Mortgagee has paid, and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Mortgage, the Mortgagee has elected to declare, and does hereby declare the whole Sum secured by said Mortgage, inclusive of principal and interest, and said taxes paid by this Mortgagee to be due and payable at once, and whereas there is now claimed to be due and payable, and is now due and payable pursuant to the terms and conditions of said Mortgage, by reason of the said Default and the Mortgagee's said Election, the Total Sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-one and 05-100 ($1771.05) Dollars, inclusive of principal, interest and taxes paid by the Mortgagee, and no Action or Proceeding having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, and the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage having become operative,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots numbered Two (2), Three (3), and Four (4) in Block Five (5) of Zeh's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, on the 15th day of June 1929, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at public vendue to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said Debt of $1771.05, and interest and taxes if any, and Seventy-five Dollars attorneys fees as stipulated in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of Sale as provided by law.

Dated this 25th day of April 1929.

S. K. Dahle, Mortgagee

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
Attorney for Mortgagee.
M-2, J-6.

Ain't Science Wonderful?

Veterinarians have discovered, according to Farm and Fireside, how to remove the bark from a dog and the bleat from a goat. It remains only for them to eliminate the mosquito's bite and the bee's sting to make country life practically 100 per cent perfect.

Why Pick on England?

Commenting on the prevalence of gambling among English women, a magazine article says: "There is not a friendly game of bridge in England." Why pick on England, particularly?—Detroit Free Press.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the Sum of Eleven Hundred Twenty and No|100 ($1120.00) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest to date of this Notice, and default having also been made in the payment of the Taxes on the herein described mortgaged Premises for the Years 1924, 1925, 1926, and 1927, amounting to the Total Sum of Three Thousand Six Hundred Seventeen and 21|100 ($3,617.21) Dollars, which said Taxes this Mortgagee has necessarily paid, making a Total Sum of Four Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty-Seven and 21|100 ($4737.21) Dollars, all of which is now claimed to be due, and is due and in default at the date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage dated November 10, 1922, made executed and delivered by C. M. Evenson and Ellen Evenson, his wife, Mortgagors to A. C. Baker, Mortgagee, which said Mortgage together with a Power of Sale therein contained is duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 10th day of November 1922, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in Book "51" of Mortgages on page 199 thereof,

And No Action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by the said Mortgage, or any part thereof, and the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage having become operative,

NOW, THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

West Eighty-three (83) feet of Lots Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14) and Fifteen (15) of Block Thirty-six (36) of the Original Townsite of the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 6th day of July, 1929, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said debt of $4737.21, and interest and taxes if any, and $50.00 attorneys fees as stipulated in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of Sale as provided by law.

Dated this 23rd day of May 1929.

A. C. BAKER, Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
Attorney for Mortgagee. M23-J27

CITATION FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATION.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } SS

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Frank B. Newell. Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to All Whom It May Concern:

WHEREAS, Allie Newell has filed in this Court her petition stating, among other things, that she is the surviving spouse of the above named decedent; that said decedent died intestate, a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, left property in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, left property in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and was a citizen of the United States; and praying that administration of his estate be granted to T. P. Anderson:

THEREFORE, You are hereby cited to be and appear before said Court on the 29th day of June, 1929, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State and show cause, if any you have, why said petition should not be granted.

Dated June 5th, 1929.

Lars Backe,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate Court.

Theo Quale,
Attorney for petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minn. J6-20

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LINDY AND ANNE WED

Lone Eagle And Miss Morrow Steal a March On Public And Press.

Englewood, N. J.—The looked for wedding of Miss Anne Morrow and Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh materialized unexpectedly Monday the 27th in a simple ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, Ambassador and Mrs. Dwight W. Morrow. The ceremony was performed in the drawing room of the Morrow home in the presence of only seven guests, all members of the two families.

There were no bridesmaids, no best man, no music—none of the embellishments which would have gone even with a moderately simple public wedding.

After the ceremony the colonel and his bride drove away in an automobile and the newspaper men who had been at the gates for so long thought it was just another afternoon drive. They were unaware of the wedding until the ambassador announced it through his secretary more than two hours later.

No details of the couple's honeymoon plans were revealed. Arrangements for the nuptials had been revised so hastily that a change in ministers was necessary.

Lindbergh wore the same dark blue business suit in which he appeared on all of his visits to Englewood. The only persons present besides the bridal couple and the clergyman were Ambassador and Mrs. Morrow, their daughters, Elisabeth and Constance; Mrs. Evangeline Lindbergh, mother of the flier and General and Mrs. Jay Johnson Morrow, brother and sister-in-law of the ambassador.

Presbyterian Women Win Vote.

St. Paul, Minn.—A first step in placing women on a parity with men in the matter of holding offices in the Presbyterian church, of the United States was taken by the one hundred forty-first general assembly of that body meeting in St. Paul. By a unanimous vote, and without debate, it was decided to submit to the 214 presbyteries of the church three overtures, the first of which would make women eligible for ordination as ministers, the second, as elders, and the third as lay evangelists. If approved by a majority of the presbyteries, the proposals would become church law.

Unlicensed Plane Crashes; One Dead.

Yuma, Ariz.—Harvey S. Christoseerson of San Ysidro, Calif., was killed instantly and Ernest Henderson of San Diego, probably was fatally injured in the crash of an unlicensed old model Curtiss plane. Christossessor was piloting the "Jenny" with Henderson as a passenger. The plane went into a tailspin from a few hundred feet altitude as its pilot attempted to land in a private field in a subdivision on the outskirts of Yuma.

Coach Disperses Student Mob.

Iowa City—Track Coach George T. Bresnahan and E. H. Lauer, new director of athletics at the University of Iowa, dispersed a mob of more than 250 students, bent on rotten-egging Paul Belting, ousted director of athletics. The students had gathered on the campus in front of the old capitol building and were making plans to obtain several cases of eggs to attack Belting when Bresnahan and Lauer appeared.

Mrs. Tunney Out of Danger.

Brioni, Italy—Mrs. Gene Tunney is resting comfortably after physicians had declared her out of danger from a relapse suffered recently. They informed her husband that her condition was good and that her convalescence from the emergency operation for removal of an abcessed appendix on April 30 was proceeding normally. "No imminent peril" were the words used by the Italian physicians.

Ford Sells Plant in New York.

New York—The Evening Post reports that the Ford Motor Co has sold its export assembly plant at Kearny, N. Y., comprising 85 acres of buildings, to the Western Electric Co. for approximately $10,000,000. Early this month it was announced that the Ford interests had purchased a site for an assembly plant for its export business at Edgewater, N. J., on the Hudson

Marion Talley Buys Kansas Estate.

Kansas City—The Kansas City Star says that Marion Talley, former Metropolitan opera singer, who recently resigned from that company with the object of living on a farm, has found her rural estate. It is a Kansas farm "a half mile square" and purchased for "one dollar and other valuable considerations."

Evangeline Booth's Condition Better.

New York—A slight improvement was reported in the brain concussion suffered in an automobile accident by Commander Evangeline Booth of the Salvation Army, but her physician said there were no evidences of body contusions and the patient was more comfortable.

9 Die as Car Falls in Canyon.

Glenwood Springs, Colo.—Nine persons were listed as dead by Sheriff George Winter after an investigation of an accident near here in which a motor car plunged from a canyon highway into the swirling Colorado river.

Alien Census Count Amendment Killed

Washington—The senate disposed of one of the most controverted amendments to the census and reapportionment bill by defeating the Sackett proposal to exclude aliens from the count upon which representation in the house would be based.

Its value is making every owner an Oakland enthusiast

Among owners of the New Oakland All-American Six . . . especially among those who have been driving this greatest of all Oaklands for a period of several months . . . enthusiasm is growing with every passing week. Talk with a number of these owners about All-American value. Then come in and let us demonstrate this remarkable car.

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Gypsy Trails

The romance of the road is irresistible to most healthy, vigorous people. Walled up within most hearts is the desire to travel. Whenever man is happy he wants to travel. His deepest emotions move him to go where he hasn't been. The gypsy is the irrepressible youth of the world; he has in his language no word for "duty," and none for "possession"—he is the one man who is free, says American Magazine.

"King's English"

It is the king's English just as it is the king's army, the king's navy and the king's country. Everything in the tight little isle is subject to him, in theory at least. The expression is proverbial. It is sometimes credited to Shakespeare because of his use of it in the first act of "The Merry Wives of Windsor," but it antedates him.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seventy-three and 70-100 ($73.70) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Louis Feragen, a single man, Mortgagor, to First and Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1924, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of December, 1924, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "69" of Mortgages, on page 48,

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said First and Peoples State Bank, Mortgagee, to B. C. Bernard by written assignment dated the 14th day of October, 1925, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 14th day of October, 1925, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "63" of Mortgages, on page 592,

And Whereas, The said B. C. Bernard, the Assignee and Holder of said Mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable upon said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Two and 10-100 ($1302.10) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, except that an action at law has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage and that an execution upon the judgment rendered therein has been returned wholly unsatisfied.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The South Half (S½) of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-four (24), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian and containing eighty (80) acres according to the Government Survey thereof, be it the same more or less, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 29th day of June 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1302.10 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 14th, A. D. 1929.

B. C. BERNARD,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Chommie,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. M-16-J-20

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Orders for seed wheat, oats, barley, and flax.

See us for prices on the above, and on any other seed you may want this spring.

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Arthur Hanson *Local Manager*

In Memoriam

In loving memory of our dear son and brother, George Adolphson, who passed away June 4th, 1928.

"What happy days we once enjoyed,
When we were all together
But oh! how changed it all is now;
Since you have gone, never to return.
But we hope and pray that we will meet again
Where there are no known partings.
You fought life's battles bravely,
And patiently stood the test
And you will always be remembered
By those who loved you best.

Sadly missed by
Mr. and Mrs. Claus Adolphson and family.

On Rearing Children
from CRIB to COLLEGE

Compiled by the Editors of "CHILDREN, The Magazine for PARENTS"

The group sense, the middla ground, a new poise, hellef in others, the power to co-ordinste, the expectation of nnderstanding—oil thesa are attribotod of a race yet to come, expressed lu the adults of now lu proportion as they hsve reached spiritual sdnlthood, hnt expressed wlth heartening frequency hy children. Over and over again lt ls true of children thst they are born on a higher apiritual plana tbon the plane on which they stand when they finished their school. Tha schooling is planned by adnlts, but is entered npon hy rather angelic belngs. Snrely the whola task of chlld training is to recognize and invlta tha angel in tha child. Instead of this, we try to measure the angel hy yard sticks.

A hudget and a record of expendltures can teach us something ohout our own sensa of valnes and ahout those which onr mode of living is lnstilling in onr children. How are wa reconciling oor lncome and our wants? Of course we want to he ambitious, to ba as efficient prodncers as possihle, and to increase earnings as wa can. Bnt there are ways of satisfying the demands for the increased refinements of lifa other than increased expendltures. If a few persons in a commnnity ara ouly brave enougb to break through the wall of conventional expenditures, others will follow with relief.

Cozy littla garments for tha baby are made of dainty washable flannela. Tha sensihia mother trims them wlth very simple embroldery and narrow laces. Tles instead of buttons are the hetter fastenings. Printed flannel in pastel colors ls charming for littla dressing gowns. Coats of flannel should ha mada wlth detachabla linings. Flannelette is practical for nightgowns.

Patriotism, as commouly taught, is easily perverted. If wa are to giva content to tha ldea of loyalty in oor schools, it ls necessary to teach children to face the facts of life; to see that tha roots of war ara nearly always economic, to see that thera has rarely, if ever, been a war in which all tha right waa on ona side, and all tha wrong on tha other; to understand the causes of war in tha hope of getting at the cure of war.

Necessary as milk is to tha baby, unclean milk or even good milk without refrigeration is fatal. If your milk supply is dubions or you cannot possibly afford Grada A pasteurized milk, then we turn to tha next most natural, unaltered forms of milk we hava: the dried milk powder and the evaporated canned milk. Both of these have safety and uniformity to recommend them; they travel well, they are the same everywhere.

THE
CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle. Pastor.

Sunday, June 9.
Services as follows:
St. Hilaire Luth. 11:00 a. m.
Oakridge, 2:30 p. m.

Clearwater: Services Saturday evening June 8th at 8:00: American

Ladies Aid of the St. Hilaire church will be entertained by Mesdames H. Haugen and O. Haugen at the church parlors, Friday, June 7th.

Luthur League of St. Pauli church meet Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday School at 10:00

No services next Sunday June 9 th

The Y.P.S. will be held at Black River Chapel next Saturday night June 8 th.

Rev. O.J. Lundell will hold services at the Eastside schoolhouse Tuesday evening June 11 th.

The Ladies Aid will be held at the Gust Peterson home on Wednesday afternoon, June 12th.

Rev. O. J. Lundell will give a lecture on Sweden at St. Hilaire, Thursday evening June 13th. The Swedish language will be used.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Sunday school in local church at 10:00.

Services in Clara church at 10:30

Y. P. S. at the local church Sunday evening at 8:00. Lunch served after the program.

Ladies Aid will be entertained at home of Mrs. P. W. Peterson on Wednesday, June 12.

Methodist-Presbyterian Church
Thief River Falls
Sunday 8 P. M.
Sermon By Dr. Grays
MOONSHINE
or
SUNSHINE

Taffeta Frock Popular; Flare Always Important

Taffeta should flare and so should taffata gowns, but the good dressmakers are very particnlar as to locations of tha flares. Ona new dance frock of a beautiful, rather supple taffeta has a very plain bodice. On the right side the skirt falls to the knee. On tha left sida ft flares widely away from tha thigh and drops midway between knee and ankle. It is bordered by a band of tulle which is narrow at the short side and widens at the other.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is herehy given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 2nd, 1924, executed hy Mary Thoma Moonen, formerly Mary Thoma, and Henry Moonen, her husband, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 8th, 1924, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 204 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $108.23, halance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $187.50 due on October 2nd, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $187.50 each, due on April 2nd, 1928, October 2nd, 1928, and April 2nd, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the huildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $5,661.94, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from April 2nd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $670.73, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $108.23 thereof since December 4th, 1928, on $187.50 thereof since April 2nd, 1928, on $187.50 thereof since October 2nd, 1928, and on $187.50 thereof since April 2nd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $560.15 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1929, and the sum of $19.20, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since April 12th, 1927, in all the sum of $6,969.91, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the deht secured hy said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The West Half (W½) of Section Twenty-one (21), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 320 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold hy the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 14th day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at puhlic vendue to the highest hidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the deht then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and dishursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 1st, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.
M-2, J-6.

Bids Wanted

Bids will be received by the board of trustees of the Norwegian Lutheran church of St. Hilaire for sheeting of interior of the church with steel sheeting, according to plans on file with the Central Lumber Company, St. Hilaire. There will also be a small amount of remodeling work to be done at same time.

The congregation will furnish all materials for the entire work.

A certified check for ten percent of amount of bid should accompany each bid as evidence of good faith, same to be made payable to treasurer of said congregation. Bids will be opened Friday, June 14th., at 2:00 P. M.

By order Board Of Trustees
Ed Aubol
Arne Vik
Oscar Haugen

"Americanists"

The French Societe Americaine da France was formed in 1857 by several French students who had become interested ln the pre-Columbian civilization of South America and Mexico. There was an International meeting in 1875. In 1915-16 the nineteenth international congresa of Americanists was held in Washington in conjunction with the anthropology section of tha second Pan-American scientific congress.

Early Political Parties

The first organizations corresponding to tha political parties of today were the Whigs and Tories, which sprang up in England toward the end of the Seventeenth century. The name "Whig" came from the word "whiggamore," sometimes used by tha Scots to describe cattle thieves, whila to call a man a Tory in the old days was equivalent to calling him an Irish outlaw.

1268 acres
would make a big farm

AT Milford, Michigan, 1268 acres have been made—not into a farm—but into a Proving Ground for automobiles.

Long before your General Motors car is built, specimen models are sent to the Proving Ground. This fleet is tested in actual use. It has to meet every bad driving condition, from heart-breaking hills to slam-bang bumps.

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OAKLAND. 8 models. $1145—$1375. New Oakland All American Six. Distinctively original appearance. Splendid performance. Luxurious appointments. Attractive Bodies by Fisher.

VIKING. 3 models. $1595. General Motors' new "eight" at medium price. 90-degree V-type engine. Striking Bodies by Fisher. Three years spent in its development and test.

BUICK. 19 models. $1195—$2145. The Silver Anniversary Buick. Three wheelbases from 115 to 128 inches. Masterpiece Bodies by Fisher. More powerful, vibrationless motor. Comfort and luxury in every mile.

LASALLE. 14 models. $2295—$2875. Companion car to Cadillac. Continental lines. Distinctive appearance. 90-degree V-type 8-cylinder engine. Beautiful Bodies by Fisher.

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TUNE IN—General Motors Family Party, every Monday, 8:30 p. m. (Eastern Standard Time). WEAF and 37 associated radio stations

Wyandotte Items

Carl Kolseth visited at Wm. Clarks home Monday.

Frank Peterson called on Peter Kolseth on Friday.

E. L. Halgrin of Warren visited at John Albin's home on Monday and left from there to Chicago to visit with friends and relatives.

P. Kolseth, John Albin and Andrew Bodin were business callers at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mrs. M. Bergh will entertain the Clearwater Ladies Aid June 12.

Marie Kolseth visited at John Albins Sunday afternoon.

Phrase That Counts

It is a little thing to speak a phrase of common comfort, which hy daily use bas almost lost its sense; yet on tha ear of him who thought to die unmourned it will fall like choicest music.—Talfourd.

Absent Minded

Some couples give you the impression they must have been thinking of something else when tha preacher asked them if they would "love, honor and cherish" each other.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Famous Fishing Ground

The Grand Bank is a submarine plateau in the North Atlantic ocean, extending eastward from Newfoundland. It is noted for its fishing grounds. Its depth is from 30 to 60 fathoms.

Flowers in Alaska

Experiments by the government at Sitka, Alaska, prove that tha far northland can grow commercially hardy flowering bulba such as narcissus, tulips, gladioli, English iris and hyacinths.

New Culinary Process

Another item of delicata humor from a local three-year-old, whila her mother waa rolling out a piece of dough: "Mamma is ironing a pie."—Detroit News.

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

South River Falls

Sivert Mickelson called at Miller Peterson home Sunday evening.

Alvin Oslund of Wannaska, visited at the August Erickson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thyren and children attended the Play Day at Thief River Ealls, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Peterson and Dale and Gladys called at August Erickson home Sunday evening.

Miss Ivanette Thyren is visiting at the home of her grandmother Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Thyren.

Evelyn and Cyrus Peterson visited at William Rinkenberger home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Rinkenberger and family visited at Lawrence Peterson home Sunday evening.

Miss Nannie Erickson accompanied by her nephew, Donavan Norquist returned home from Willmar Wednesday eveniug.

John Hogquist and Arhtur Peterson left for Hibbing Thursday morning to seek employment.

Leonard, Harry and Ernest Erickson Edgar, Lloyd, Melford Peterson and Clearance Bjornquist called at Aruth Swanson' Thursday evening.

Ferdie Swenson is assisting Albin Konickson in some repair work on the latter's car.

Evelyn, Marvin Donald Thyren and Mrs. A. Erickson visted at G. B. Peterson home Sunday.

Sell your old battery to Gamble's for $1.50 in exchange for a new battery. A free trial on your own car--and a written warranty with every battery. Buick, Nash, Chevrolet and others $5.98 exchange price. 202 Main Ave., Thief River Falls.

ANOTHER CATTY CHAT

The amateur dramatists were rehearsing.

Mrs. Greena was required to kiss Mr. Gage, and just as they had arrived at this particular incident, Mrs. Gage appeared.

"Oh," exclaimed Mrs. Greene, "I hope, dear, you don't mind my embracing your husband like this?"

"Not at all," was the icy reply. "I don't mind in the least—if he doesn't."

Publicity

Uncle Tobe was taking the editor of the Plunkville Palladinm to task.

"You say I was seen on a cracker box in front of the grocery every day last week."

"Well?"

"Is that a slam?"

"What's the tronbla with you, Uncle Tobe? That's society news."

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Dammen motored up Sunday from their home at Farmington for a visit at the Gigstad home. Upon returning yesterday morning they were accompanied by Alice Gigstad, who will spend the summer with them, and also by Mrs. K. O. Gigstad and daughter Evelyn, who will visit with them, and with relatives at other points.

Will Build Walk

At a meeting of the village council Monday evening, a contract was let to Knute Kolstad and Ed Peterson to construct a new concrete walk from the G. N. right-of-way west of the lumber yard, to connect with the walk on Minnesota avenne Wben completed, the new walk will be a great convenience to people across the tracks as there is no other connecting walk at present.

Return From Cities

Mr. and Mrs. Adolpb Satterberg, accompanied by Mrs. Henry Burstad and little daughter, and Mrs. Arne Vik, returned Wednesday last week after a motor trip to Minneapolis where Satterbergs and Mrs. Burstad visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sig. Engh and Mr. and Mrs. G. Fellman. Mrs. Vik visited with her daughter, Agnes, who is engaged in nursing at Fairview Hospital.

25 Years Ago

A new village was to be established on the Soo about five miles east of here.

—XXV—

Emil J. Holmes came up from Cannon Falls with a party of land seekers to look over land in this vicinity.

—XXV—

P. G. Parodis decided to leave that summer to make his bome at Yakima, Wash. He leased his saloon premises to Mike Anderson and John Maakrud.

—XXV—

56 tubs of butter were shipped from the creamery that week to New York market.

—XXV—

The saloon building occupied by Brink Bros. at Crookston, was burned to the ground that week.

—XXV—

G. B. Grace, bookkeeper here for the Crookston Lbr. Co., left for Bemidji to enter the office there.

—XXV—

Miss Cora Yahr, local teacher, left to spend the summer at Minneapolis.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Six Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Nine and 34-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Elias L Rolland and Esther O. Rolland, his wife, Mortgagors to the First National Bank of Thief River Falls, Mortgagee, bearing date the 19th day of April, 1921, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of April, 1921, at one o'clock P. M. in Book 51 of Mortgages, on page 49, and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lot Seven (7) in Block Thirty-six (36) and the West Seventy-eight (78) feet of Lots Twenty (20), Twenty-one (21), Twenty-two (22), Twenty-three (23), and Twenty-four (24), in Block Thirty-nine (39) of the Original Townsite of the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota.

With the hereditaments and appurtenances, wbicb sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on 22nd day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for casb, to pay said deht of Six Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Nine and 34-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated 8th day of May, A. D. 1929.

The First National Bank of Thief River Falls
Mortgagee

J. M. Bishop
Attorney for Mortage
Office and Postoffice address
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

DIDN'T TAKE A TONIC

"Yon say he was run down? Did he take a tonic?"
"No, took an ambnlance."

Lengthy Introduction

The chairman introduced a man
Who was renownad throughont tha clan.
We sighed, as he kept on his faet,
"A chairman ought to take a seat."

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated September 20th, 1926, executed by William H. Sherwood and Anna Sherwood, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on September 22nd, 1926, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 338 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $60.63, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $140.63 due on March 20th, 1928, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $140.63 each, due on September 20th, 1928, and March 20th, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,381.42, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from March 20th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $341.89, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $60.63 thereof since March 21st, 1928, on $140.63 thereof since September 20th, 1928, and on $140.63 thereof since March 20th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $262.15 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1929, and the sum of $41.46, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $5,078.03, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the reepective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has heen instituted to recover the debt secured hy said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-five (35), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West; Lot Three (3), in Section Three (3), also Lots Three (3) and Four (4) of Section Two (2), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, conveying hereby 323 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 28th day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest hidder for cash, to pay and eatisfy the deht then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premiums paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and dishursements allowed hy law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided hy law.

Dated May 15th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General,
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. M16-J20.

Marion Talley Buys Kansas Estate.

Kansas City—Tha Kansas City Star saye that Marion Talley, former Metropolitan opera singer, who racently resigned from tbat company witb the ohject of living on a farm, has found her rural estate. It ie a Kansas farm "a half mile eqnara" and purchased for "one dollar and other valuable considerations."

Presbyterian Liberals Win Fight.

St. Pani, Minn.—Tha liheral faction of the one-hnndred and forty-first general assemhly of the Preshyterian chnrch of the U. S. meeting here, demonstrated that it is in control when a motion hy Dr. O. B. McAfea, nawly elected moderator and elassed as a "progressive," prevailed hy a vote of 530 to 309.

Rediscount Rate Increase Voted.

Chicago—Directors of the federal Reserve bank of Chicago votad for tha second time recently to raiee the rediscount rate from 5 to 6 per cent, and asked the federal reserve board at Washington to eanction the change.

Pres. Hoover Gets Black Eye.

Washington—While ramhling thru the woode at hie camp in the Shenandoah National Park, President Hoover was struck by a hranch of a hnsh that whipped back as he passed. The injnry is not serions, hnt the eye is thoronghly discolored.

According to Calories

We might add that if the atom ever gets divided, ae ecientists predict, it will not be divided by a eclentist. It will he divided by a waitress.—Atchison Globe.

Riches Within Reach

We may not all be rich in material things, bnt we may all be rich in mental, moral and spiritual things without impoverishing anyone.—C. L. Quinton.

Science Triumphant

In these days, anybody who scoffs the potterings of the research worker thereby proclaims his own blind ignorance.—Woman's Home Companion.

The Creamery List

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John Gunstad, $98.02, N. Schalz, 97.51, J. Almquist, 96.97, And. Erickson, 96.50, L. Erickson, 94.23 Wm. Bothman, 93.41, And. Ortloff, 91.88, Sig. Vik, 90.75, A. Swanson 89.77

F. Rux, 89.30, H. Homes, 89.12, J. O. Swanson, 87.88, Ben Johnson 85.42, O. Loberg, 83.97, E. Swanson 81.03, Art Svenson, 79.38, J. Scholin, 78.90, D. Johnson, 78.07.

Wm. Ewing, 77.75, J. O. Peterson, 77.16, Gust Johnson, 76.27, Johnson Bros., 76.12, Otto Johnson, 74.02, Mrs. J. Konickson, 73.82, Wm. Yonke, 72.64.

A. G. Hallstrom, $69.37, J. V. Patten, 67.78, Ole Hagglund, 67.35, V. G. Brink, 67.06, H. R. Allen, 66.58, Ed Moren, 66.50, Art Gunstad, 66.06, T. A. Sherry, 65.88, Emil Larson, 65.23 O. Haugen, 63.69, H. Hallstrom, 64.64. A. Jacobson, 63.81, J. E. Johnson, 63.76, Svenson Bros., 62.94, John Maakrud, 62.01, A. A. Anderson, 61.76 G. Peterson, 61.45, Joe King, 60.85, Farmers State Bank, 60.34, Wash. Adams, 55.92, E. Swanson, 55.20, S. Skottem, 53.69, F. S. Erdmann, 52.73, F. Landman, 52.52, J. Brandvold, 51.58, H. Ortloff, 51.22, Merchants State Bank, 50.96.

For Sale Five head high grade Guernseys from 6 to 13 months old. Call on Wm. Yonke, St. Hilaire, Minn. J6tf

Save gas - - Secure the full power you are entitled to - - renew your spark plugs -- Champion X 39c. Gamble Stores, 202 Main Ave., Thief River Falls.

St. Hilaire Unit of Poultry Project met at the home of Mrs. N. E. Beebe on Monday.

Meeting called to order by chairman Mrs. Allen.

Members answered roll call by giving egg report. Members absent Mrs. V. Brink, Mrs. Holmes and Mrs. O'Boyle. Meeting opened bv singing Loves Old Sweet Song. Mrs. Lindquist and Jocobson gave lessons on chick rearing and producing healthy chicks.

Egg tester and chick feeder were demonstrated.

Lunch was served by lunch committee, Mesdames Halverson, Hagglund and Beebe.

Enforcement Speech to Go on Air.

New York—Tha radio industry has responded to President Hoover's recent appeal to the Amarican peopla for co-operation in enforcing the nation's laws. Memorial day, at 5 p. m., Minneapolie time, there will he hroadcast all over the United States a five minute addrees on law anforcement, to he selected hy President Hoover out of five speeches now heing prepared hy five noted jurists. The fiva speeches, tha namee of whose authors are being withheld for tho present, will be suhmitted to President Hoovar when he meets with his law enforcement committee.

LaFollatte Challanges Senata.

Washington—Tha eenate has heen challenged by Senator LaFollette, Repuhlican of Wisconsin, to employ its rule of expnlsion on him if he tells his constituency how he votee on nominations in executiva eesions. The Wisconsin senator issned his defy as he denounced the eenate rulee committee for inveetigating newspaper men instead of memhers of tha senate.

Abolishment of the aenata press gallery was demanded hy Senator Haflin, Damocrat, Alahama, hecause, he eaid, the newewriters "truckle to the Roman Catholic machine."

Kermit Roosevelt Reaches Shanghai.

Shanghai, China—Kermit Roosevelt, who with his hrother, Theodore, hae been hnnting in the interior of China, arrived hera from Saigon, French Indo-China, with the skin and ekeleton of a giant panda. Kermit will sail for San Francisco aboard the President McKiuley. Colonel Theodore Roosevelt remained in Saigon for a month'e further collacting. Kermit eaid his hrother would accept the govarnorship of Porto Rico.

Rate Slash In Effact May 29.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Reduced freight rates on wheat and flour offered hy western roads for export shipmants, will go into effect on May 29, according to information received hy Frank B. Townsend, traffic director of the Minneapolis Traffic association. The new rate from Minneapolis to Chicago will be 6 cents less than the preeent one, and the total from Minneapolis to the Atlantio will he 24 cents per hundredweight, instead of 35½ cents.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

St. James—The history of Watonwan county will be given in pageant form at tha Fair Grounds here July 4th.

Montevideo—Junior League hasehall will ha sponeored this enmmer in Montavideo by Lee-Oeborn Post of the American Legion.

Little Falls—Thirty Thonsand Pike fry furnishad hy the state gama and fieh commissioner hava heen planted in Sullivan Lake near hare.

Lindstrom—Blair Steffend is commander of a new Veterans of Foreign Ware post astahlished here, with Paul Nelson as adjntant.

Red Wing—The graduating clase of tha local high school was the largest in the history of the school this year when 114 diplomas wera handed out.

Minneapolis—Four 2,000-ton harges arrived hera with a cargo of sngar and furniture. These are the largest harges to ever navigate the upper Mississippi.

St. Paul—Corn proepects were improved and growth of grain and pasturee over the northweet has heen epeeded up by heavy, warm rains reported throughout the territory.

Mankato—Dr. Donald J. Cowling, president of Carleton college of Northfield, gave the commencement address at the graduation exercises here for 124 Mankato high echool seniors.

Red Wing—Old Frontenac Inn, one of Minnesota's historic spots is to be the scene of much aotlvity, June 4, 5 and 6, when Goodhua County Farm women will participate in the second annual Women's camp.

St. Paul—A conference hetween Minnesota and Iowa state officials to take action to suppress the Francie Drake promotion scheme has heen arranged hy Governor John Hammil of Iowa over long distance telephone.

Minneapolis—A rush to unload drove prices down to tha lowest level of the season, and hrought May wheat helow the $1 mark for the first time in six years. The close at 98⅝ cents was the lowest for May delivery eince 1914.

Duluth—The Hohart Iron Co. hae filed suit in U. S. district court here against tha federal government demanding the return of $391,711.55, wbich represents the tax paid on ore mined in Minnesota in 1917, 18 and 19.

Minneapolis—Signatures representing 200,000 persone is to he telegraphed to the Senate asking for hetter tariff treatment for agriculture, as a result of the Minneapolis Trihune printing a copy of the telegram and asking for eigners.

Adams—The Adams high echool has been awarded the sweepstakes championship in poultry judging in the etate high school liveetock judging contest, recently held at Univereity Farm, according to Paul Cahrow, state supervieor of agricultural education.

Red Wing—H. E. Jorgenson, for 27 yaare connected with the Red Wing eeminary of the Norwegian Lutheran church of America and the last nine years as president, announced his reeignation at the first commencement exercises of the junior college.

Minneapolis—After eoaring to a height of 19,200 feet and establishing what is helieved to ha a new altituda record for commercial passenger carrying airplanes, J. Warren Smith landed at Wold-Chamherlain municipal airport after heing in the air approximately two hours.

Minneapolis—An expansion program involving expenditure of from $130,000 to $150,000 which includes construction of a new condensory at Farmington, and of $30,000 addition to the Glenwood plant here has heen announced hy the manager of the Twin City Milk Producera association.

Montevideo—Jack Westfall, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Weetfall of this community, has heen adjudged the winner of the regional flag conteet conducted hy the National Flag Association. The youth will represent this region in the national conteet Flag Day, June 14th, at Washington. D. C.

Minneapolis—Tha monoplane "Mise Minnesota" attempting to hreak the world's record for nonstop refueling andnrance flight, wae forced down near Rohhinsdale after the ship had run out of gasoline. The last attempt to refnel failed and nearly reenlted in the ship crashing. It was piloted by Gena Shank and Owen Haughland.

Hastings—Citizene of Haetinge ware urged to join thosa of Red Wing and other communitiee in this territory in ohtaining power rights of the new Mississippi river dam at a puhlic meating here. Two hnndred attended. F. A. Scherf and S. H. Shoemaker of Red Wing ware speakers. The speakars said power developed at the dam, which ia under construction hera, ehould be nsed for tha benefit of residenta of this territory.

Minneapolis—Minnesota and Iowa will meet on tha foothall gridiron Novemher 9 at Iowa City. The suspension of Iowa from the conference will not affect the game already echeduled as the date of the expuleion has heen set as January 1, 1930.

Albert Lea—A tornado ripped np the countryside east of here over a eeven mile area, causing between $20,000 and $30,000. No lives were loet or were any injured. The force of the wind flattened treee, fences and wrecked at least two homesteads.

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Class Re-union June 21st

Preparations are now being made for one of the most interesting events to be held here this year, the reunion of the Eighth Grade Class of 1919 of the local school which will take place Friday, June 21st.

The members of the class are now engaged in many different vocations, and are now scattered into many states, nearly all are planning to be present to meet and fraternize with their former schoolmates. Not only will members of the 1919 Class gather, but a number of other former pupils of the local school plan to be here also for a visit to the old home town, and to meet friends of their school days. As many of the boys and girls have not been back for many years, the event will be of more than usual interest to them.

All St. Hilaire should join in keeping open house for the re-union and in making the occasion a pleasant one for the visitors.

June Clearance Sale

As will be noted by their adv elsewhere in this issue, and also by large posters being sent out, the Carlson Merc. Company will have their annual June Clearance Sale starting June 21st and ending July 3rd. A wonderful array of big values have been brot together for the big event. The sale will run simultaneously at all five stores of the Carlson Merc. Co.

The Red River Power Company will commence soon to change its high line between here and Red Lake Falls, and also the lines in town, in preparation for a change in current. Instead of 13000 volts load on the high line as at present, it is planned to use 6600 in the future. This will necessitate changing transformers as well as rewiring some of the service lines.

Mrs. Harry Winter left Tuesday for Minneapolis to visit with her father, Sever Hoff, who is critically ill at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. Swanson.

Marian Wilson returned Monday evening from Lake City, Minn. after completing a term of school there, to spend her summer vacation here.

H. O. Jackson is back home after spending a few weeks at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Sam Hauge at Bagley.

Gaining In Output

The local creamery has produced nearly 12000 more pounds of butter up to June 1st this year than it did during a similar period of year ago. With pasture conditions better than average, it is expected that 1929 will be one of the best, if not the best, year in history of the creamery in output. There have been good years before but the prices then were not as high as at present. From present outlook, the total cash payments to dairy farmers here during 1929 will be considerable more than has been paid any other year since the creamery was organized 27 years ago.

Attending Short Courses

Misses Mildred Denhart and Mayme Anderson of Hazel community, are attending the short course at the University of Minnesota. Their expenses are being paid by the Soo Line as a reward for their activity in club work.

Donna Brink, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brink of this village, is attending the short course at the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston. Donna is especially interested in baby beef stock, and will exhibit her animal the coming fall.

Mrs. Otto Johnson of River Falls township, who specializes in raising turkeys is making a splendid success of it, recently got 194 turkeys out of an incubator hatch of 210 eggs. While a 75 percent hatch is not unusual, Mrs. Johnson's record of 93 percent is out of the ordinary.

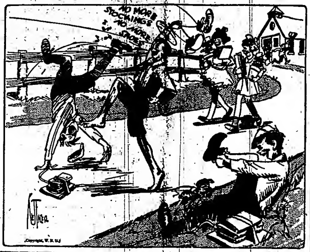
Alec Anderson arrived yesterday from western Montana where he has been employed, for a visit with his father, Ole Anderson. Due to washouts caused by floods in eastern Montana, he was delayed several days on the road.

Jake Bohlen returned Monday after a visit to his former home in Iowa. The train of which he was travelling just missed running into the tornado which hit Detroit Lakes last Sunday.

A meeting of the St. Hilaire 4 H club will be held at the school building Friday evening, June, 14, at 8:00.

Try Our Want Ads

School's Out



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Erickson and family motored Monday to Crookston for a visit with relatives.

Interior of the postoffice building was re-decorated last week, and outside trim and outbuildings repainted.

C. R. Peterson, superintendent of the school at Plummer motored up from Lakota, N. D. for a visit with friends in this village.

Mrs. O. Golden and children, of Fargo, came last Sunday for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Kruse, Sr., west of town.

Several people from this locality attended the Bible Camp held last week and during the week end at the Memorial Park across the river across from Drayton, N. D.

Mrs. Marie Budd and brother, motored down yesterday from Roseau to look after matters in connection with their property, the former J. P. Nelson place in Rocksbury.

A tornado last Sunday afternoon at Detroit Lakes damaged several business buildings, some lake cottages, and destroyed one farm home. It is estimated the total damage will exceed $50,000.00

After spending about ten days here with friends, and looking after their real estate, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pierson and daughter left Tuesday for their home at Minneapolis.

Mrs. C. F. Brantner and children, accompanied by Mrs. A. L. Patterson Miss Mabel Patterson motored up Friday from Maple Lake and spent the afternoon at the home of Mrs. O. Gunstad.

Miss Lilly Johnson will leave latter part of the week for Minneapolis to enter the University of Minnesota for the summer term of six months. She will be accompanied down by Mrs. Anna Martz, who has spent a week here, and who will spend the summer at St. Paul.

Ole Johnson, manager of the Carlson Merc. Co., store, was out to the Sig. Vik place last week and installed a new DeLavel milking machine. Other machines of that type are in successful operation in this vicinity, and Mr. Johnson states he has good prospects for several more installations this summer.

John Eliasson has commenced erection of a new addition to his residence across the river.

John Hofstad, Grand Forks aviator, came over Sunday with his plane and spent the day here with friends.

Russel Underdahl of Ronneby and E. Fleiber of Foley, Minn., visited at the M. Fricker home Friday while enroute to Baudette.

Very little change for the better has been noted in condition of Rupert Nelson who suffered a nervous breakdown a few weeks ago.

Miss Huldah Gigstad, who is principal of one of the city schools at Moorhead, came up yesterday to spend part of her summer vacation at home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jackson and son, motored over from Grand Forks during last week-end for a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson.

What Sport: - Tennis, Diamond Ball or baseball. Wilson tennis balls 44 c Official Diamond Ball 98 c - - 27 Inning Baseball $1.19. Gamble Store, 202 Main Ave, Thief River Falls.

The family of Walter Hilligoss moved into the Berhow residence the fore part of the week. Mr Hilligoss is employed at the University of N. D. at Grand Forks: Fertile Journal.

Sig. Engh, formor local man who is manager of the North Side team of the Street Railway league at Minneapolis, was 'beaned' by awild throw in a recent game, and was taken to a hospital to be revived. He did not suffer any ill aftereffects.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nelson and family left Friday for a visit with relatives in southern part of this state and in Wisconsin before returning to their home at Clay Center, Kansas., after spending a week here with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson.

Mrs. Carl Johnson and daughters, Lilly and Eva, who have spent the school year at Austin, Minn., arrived here Friday by car from the Cities where they had visited friends. They were accompanied by Mrs. Anna Martz, who will spend a week here with friends.

Livestock Feeders' Day

The 6th annual Livestock Feeder's Day will be held at the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston on June 17th. County Agent R. Douglass is interested in getting a good delegation from this county to attend, and it is expected Pennington County will be well represented.

If possible, all will go in a body, leaving the Auditorium at Thief River at 9:00 Monday morning. Those who can go, should get in touch with Mr. Douglass. A fine program has been arranged for the day.

Birthday Party

Miss Lilly Johnson entertained at a party yesterday afternoon in honor of her mother, it being Mrs. Johnson's 70 birthday anniversary. The afternoon was spent in the usual social manner after which a dainty lancheon was served. Those present were Mesdames Geo. Bakko, J. Folstad, O. Hallstrom, B. E. Burkee, O. Sherva, L. de Cathelineau, H. O. Jackson, Anna Martz, and the Misses Amanda and Helga Kalland.

While excavating for the new poles being set thru town, one of the workmen of the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company accidently cut into the main underground cable of the local telephone system last Friday. Some of the residence phones in north end of town, and the farm lines east of town, were put out of commission until the break was repaired Saturday.

Trunk highway maintenence men have commenced stripping a new gravel vein at the Patton pit west of town in preparation for taking out gravel to be used on the highway between here and Thief Falls. A light coat of gravel is to be applied in connection with the oiling to be done this summer.

Miss Alice Fricker, who has taught school at Mabel, Minn., the past school year, returned home Monday for her annual summer vacation.

The Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Luth. church will be entertained by Mesdames L. Gullickson and E. Jensen at the church parlors on Friday June 21st.

The Spectator, $1.50 a year.

Pennington County C. T. A

Pennington County Cow Testing work is now progressing very well according to Mr. Lloyd Johnson, Cow tester hired by this Association.

A definite testing route has been laid out now including 32 members 8 of which are testing each month and the remainder every other month. Mr. Johnson is now working on the tenth herd since he started on the third of June.

Of these 116 animals the highest individual test was 5.6 percent and the lowest was 1.8 percent. Out of nine samples of skim milk from separators on the farms Mr. Johnson has visited he has found only one that did not skim satisfactorily. In most of the herds it was discovered that the high producers were as a rule underfed while the low producers were receiving more than their production would warrant. The cattle tested so far are grade and purebred Holsteins, Guernseys and Shorthorns among which there are some very high producers that are expected to make exceptional records at the close of the year.

Moves To Warren

Lawrence Wilson, who is employed in a meat market at Warren, came down first of the week and removed his family and household goods to that city to make their future home. Their many friends in St. Hilaire regret very much to see them leave, but all join in wishing them success and happiness in their new place.

Rev. M. S. Gjerde of Pelican Rapids, was here yesterdy for a brief visit with friends before going to attend the Norwegian Lutheran church district conference at Crookston.

The Dorcas Society will be entertained by Mrs. Knute Kolstad Mrs. Andrew Mortenson at the Nor-Lutheran church parlors Saturday afternoon at 2:00.

A big crowd attended the Ladies' Aid of the Evang. Mission church which was entertained yesterday by Mesdames Chr. Kruse, Jr., and G. Peterson at home of the latter.

Summer term of district court opens at Thief River next Monday. The petit jury is called for the following day.

Want Ads Bring Resutls

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Teach Your Children Thrift - the habit of saving money that they otherwise would spend foolishly. You will be fulfilling your duty as a parent and your children will be wiser and better for it

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O. C. Johnson, Mgr

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

My Favorite Stories

by Irvin S. Cobb

A Voice From the Ranks

CAPTAIN BILLY FARINHOLT, now deceased, was one of the most gallant soldiers that Essex county, Virginie, sent to the Confederate army—and if yon don't believe Essex sent out ber full ehere of hard fighters in 1861 just ask any netive of the conoty, tbet's all. The old gentleman was e famons story teller. One of bis favorites bed to do with an actual occurrence of the Civil war in which cool grit in the face of almost certain death was mingled, I tbiok, in just the proper proportion, with a beautiful sense of humor.

The man from wbom I got tha yarn used to go on hunting expeditions with the captain. My informant conldn't recall the name of the hettle in which the thing occurred but ba wae quite eure it was one of the bloody fights of the final Virginia campaign shortly before Lee's surrender,

The general engagement had commenced. The brigade to which Captain Farinhoit belonged was drawn np in reserve ewaiting the command to advance, when a small battery of Union guns opened upon it from the top of e nearby hill, doing considerable damage. An order was given that Captain Farinholt's company sbould capture the battery and silence the bothersome guns.

Thie meant that unless some one devised a better plan, the detall must rusb the hill by a frontal ettack. It also meant that the little assaniting force must suffer heavy casualties even if it were not entirely destroyed; for there was no cover. They must charge the enemy across an open spece wbere the Federal pieces might play directly npon them.

As the men awaited the word to edvance, the company commander felt it his dnty to advise them that this was a most desparate adventura on which they were about to start. His own instructions, hs explained, were not specific. Ha merely bad been told thet he must elimineto those pestiferous Yanks. Then, departing eomswhat from strict military discipline, he asked whether any individual present cared to make e suggestion whereby ths enemy's battery could be taken with the least possible loss of life. A pause befell. No one, it seemed, could think of an easier way than the one already decided upon.

A privete, who stuttered badly, broke tha silence:

"W-b-h-a-a-t say, fellers, l-e-e-e-s just c-b-i-p in e-n-d buy the d-a-a-mned thing?"

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That in Its Favor

Blinks—The buggy ride reems pretty tame now when you look back on it.

Jinks—Yes, but you never had e biowont to interrupt your courting in those days.

The Reason

Solicitor at Thames Police Court—Wa are told that in the next world there will be no marriage or giving in marriage.

Magistrate—That is why it is called Paradise.

O Wise Judge

Counsel in Mr. Justice Swift's court (to a woman witness)—Why did this woman say this?

Mr. Justice Swift—Who can tell why e woman says anything?

Buying At Home

Spending the dollars you earn at home with the tradespeople at home means that you are leaving a portion of those dollars for upbuilding of your community. Very few transactions are made that do not have a profit connected with them. Spending your money with the travelling solicitor, the house-to house canvasser, the wagon order taker, or sending it out of town, means simply that the profit that should stay at home is used for upbuilding of some other community. The value of your property, that of your neighbors, and surrounding territory depends on the welfare of your town. If your town is prosperous, there is more work for the laboring people, more money to spend, more and better homes and prosperity for everyone. Such a town is a good one in which to live and own property. This can be brot about only by patronizing the home tradespeople and laboring people. Employ home people whenever it can be done; buy from the home tradespeople. In short, let the dollars you make at home, stay here as much as possible for upbuilding of your own community.

In Appreciation

After being in the confectionery business in St. Hilaire for more than 16 years, I have sold my business and will devote my time to other work. During those 16 years I have enjoyed a liberal patronage from the people of the village and vicinity. Upon retiring, I wish to express my appreciation and thanks to all cuetomers and friends for the numerous courtesies shown me, and I wish to bespeak a continuation of the same to my successor, Tim Ensrud. Thank you all.

Hans Wilson.

Bulgaria Land of Roses

The prodnction of attar of roses ranks as the fourth leading prodnct in the export trade of Bulgaria and in shipments to the United States it is the principal item. Roses were first cultivated around the valley of Tundja et Kazanlik, and then spread to the valley of Strjema, in the vicinity of Karlovo, on to the sonth.

Copied English Name

Tha great English Derby is run et Epsom Downs. Col. M. Lewis Clark patterned the Kentucky Derby after the English Derby. He was the nephew of John and Henry Churchill, who owned the tract of land upon which the Churchill Downs race course is situated. Hence it was so named.

As He Understood It

A Harvard student who puts in his odd hours, profitably, waiting on table, wrote to his family saying that the job was great fun. "One English student wanted cocoa for breakfast. He asked for it in his native accent 'cow-cow.' The waiter brought him two milks."—Boston Transcript.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the Sum of Eleven Hundred Twenty and No|100 ($1120.00) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest to date of this Notice, and default having also been made in the payment of the Taxes on the herein described mortgaged Premises for the Years 1924, 1925, 1926, and 1927, amounting to the Total Sum of Three Thousand Six Hundred Seventeen and 21|100 ($3,617.21) Dollars, which said Taxes this Mortgagee has necessarily paid, making a Total Sum of Four Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty-Seven and 21|100 ($4737.21) Dollars, all of which is now claimed to be due, and is due and in default at the date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage dated November 10, 1922, made executed and delivered by C. M. Evenson and Ellen Evenson, his wife, Mortgagors to A. C. Baker, Mortgagee, which said Mortgage together with a Power of Sale therein contained is duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 10th day of November 1922, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in Book "51" of Mortgages on page 199 thereof,

And No Action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by the said Mortgage, or any part thereof, and the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage having become operative,

NOW, THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

West Eighty-three (83) feet of Lots Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14) and Fifteen (15) of Block Thirty-six (36) of the Original Townsite of the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 6th day of July, 1929, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said debt of $4737.21, and interest and taxes if any, and $50.00 attorneys fees as stipulated in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of Sale as provided by law.

Deted this 23rd day of May 1929.

A. C. BAKER, Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
Attorney for Mortgagee. M23-J27

CITATION FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATION.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } SS

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Frank B. Newell Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to All Whom It May Concern:

WHEREAS, Allie Newell has filed in thie Court her petition etating, among other things, that she is the surviving epouse of the above named decedent; that said decedent died intestate, a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, left property in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, left property in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and was a citizen of the United States; and praying that administration of his estate be granted to T. P. Anderson:

THEREFORE, You are hereby cited to be and appear before said Court on the 29th day of June, 1929, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State and show cause, if any you have, why eaid petition ehould not be granted.

Dated June 5th, 1929.

Lars Backe,
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate Court.

Theo Quale,
Attorney for petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minn, J6-20

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THREE DEAD IN N.W. CLOUDBURST

Streets Are Swept by Torrent 15 Feet Deep—Phones, Traffic Stilled.

Bismarck, N. D.—Three persous ere known to be dead and a nomber of others are missing as a result of the cloudburst which awept western North Dakota and eastern Montana.

All of the known fatalities occurred at Wibaux, Mont., where water, 15 feet deep ponred through the streets. The town was reported to have been partially swept away by the deloge which turned a dry gully into a raging torrent.

It is thought that some now believed missing, will be found when the water subsides so that a complete check may be made. Practically all the stores in Wibaux were washed away.

At Glendive it was reported that a steel bridge of the Northern Pacific railroad was out west of that city. Between Wibaux and Medora, N. D., several other bridges were thought to be ont. A telephone lineman reporting from Sentinel Butte, said a bridge had gone oot west of Medora along with 30 feet of railroad fill through a gully.

Studsnts Named for Neval Study.

Minneapolis, Minn.—A selection board of naval officials has announced the names of the 17 University of Minnesota senior etudents and gradoates who will be trained in the Naval reserve corps and the Marine corps. Five of the group will be trained for commissions with the Marine corps and the remaining number for commissions with the Navy. Both gronps will receive 30 day ground school and preliminary flight instruction at Great Lakes, Ill., after which they move to Pensacoia, Fla., for eight months of further flight training and additional gronnd stody.

House Adopts Farm Rslisf Bill.

Washington—Withoot a roll call, the honse of representatives has adopted the conference report on the farm relisf bill, enacting into law one of the most important measures ever considered by congress. Under the provisions of this hill the government undertake to organize a farm board with hroad powers to deal with farm problems, authorizes tbe use of $500,000,000 for the relief of agriculture, and starts on a new method of dealing with a question that has baffled experts for years past.

Woman to Sail Minus Passport.

New York—Mme. Rosika Schwimmer, recently denied American citizenship hy the Supreme Conrt, would leave for Europe with special permission from the immigration aothorities to re-enter this country. She will ettend the twenty-fifth aninversary meeting in Berlin of the International Women's Suffrsge Alliance, of which sbe was one of the foonders. Prior to her sailing she will be given a reception by the Women's ePace Society.

Kseps Up Amundsen Hunt.

Oslo, Norway—A bope still exists that Roald Amundeen and his fellow explorers are alive somewbere in the fastness of the arctic. It is anounced by Medam Kollontay, soviet ambassador to Norway, that several Russian expeditions would be made into the arctio this year and that members of each of these parties wonld make diligent seerch for Captain Amundsen, Lieotenant Leif Dietrichson and the French aviator, Captain Rene Gilbend.

Baldwin Quits, Macdonald Summoned.

London—Tbe government of the farflung British empire, with its 436,000,000 population, is torned over to Lahor for the second time in history. Stanley Baldwin, Conservetive prime minister for the last four and one-half years, called on the king and snbmitted his resignation, which was accepted as a metter of course. The king then formally summoned J. Ramsay MecDonald, leader of the Labor party, to Windsor castle.

Doctors Send Taft to Hospital.

Washington—Chief Justice William Howard Taft of the supreme court has been removed to Garfield bospital here for observation because of gall bladder trouble. At the bospital it was said that his condition was satisfactory and that he was in no danger. Mr. Taft, who will be 72 years old in September, was active throngbont the drive to hand down opinions on all cases possible before adjournment.

123rd Clsveland Blast Victim Dies.

Massillon, Ohio—Barbara Merwin, 21 years old, who was carried to safety and was believed to bave escaped the deadly fumes in the Cleveland clinic disaster, died at her bome bere. Physicians said death was caused by inhaling the poisonous gas. She was the 123rd victim.

Winston Churchill Will Tour Amsrica.

London—Winston Churchill, former chancellor of the exeqner, intends to leave England soon on a tour of the United States, Canada, Japan and countries of Latin America. He is not likely to return to England until November.

Des Moines to Get Big Hotsl.

Des Moines, Iowa—The Tangney-McGinn Hotel Company announced plans for the erection of a 12-story $750,000 fireproof hotel here on the site of the old Kirkwood hotel destroyed by fire April 6 with a loss of seven

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seventy-three and 70-100 ($73.70) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, upon e certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Louis Feragen, a single man, Mortgagor, to First and Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1924, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of December, 1924, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "68" of Mortgages, on page 48,

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said First and Peoples State Bank, Mortgagee, to B. C. Bernard by written assignment dated the 14th day of October, 1925, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds on the 14th day of October, 1925, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "63" of Mortgages, on page 592,

And Whereas, The said B. C. Bernard, the Assignee and Holder of said Mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable upon said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Two and 10-100 ($1302.10) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, except that an action at law has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage and that an execution upon the judgment rendered therein has been returned wholly unsatisfied:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The South Half (S½) of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-four (24), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian and containing eighty (80) acres according to the Government Survey thereof, be it the same more or less, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota,

with the hereditaments and eppurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 29th day of June 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1302.10 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollers, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 14th, A. D. 1929.

B. C. BERNARD, Assignee of Mortgagee.

Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Chommie,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. M-16-J-20

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$.82
Durum Wheat	.73
Rye	.64
Barley	.41
Oats	.32
Flax	2.19
Eggs, cash	.24
Creamery butter	.45

Human Life Expended to Produce Fine Lace

Almost every country in Enrope knowa something of the delicate art of lace making. Egypt also knew it, and other peoples of the Orient. Italy was probably the first to make tbe almost priceless needle-point, from flax thread so carefully spun that an ounce is worth $2,000. Of the same thread, thougb less fine in texture, was made the beautiful Valenciennes lace so greatly prized by Marie Antoinette and ber highborn milkmaids. The finest needle point is done with a tbread of cobweb thinness, the pattern drawn on parchment. Finest leces are still made in damp underground rooms, to preeerve the thread, only one ray of light being admitted, to fall directly npon the work. Among tbe church treasures of France and Italy are beautiful altar cloths and other leces, which the visitor is often told are the work of nuns and devoted women who plied their needle in dark and dampness underground until they became blind or died of consumption or some kindred disease.

Irish crochet is made under more cheerful circumstances, by peasants sitting at their cottage doors. The work is done with very fine hooks and hard-twisted cotton thread over a design drawn on cambric, the figures basted on and crocheted round.

A Thought for Today

As the sun returns in the eaet, so let our patience be renewed with dawn.—Robert Louis Stevenson.

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Panhandling

Almost every week, the business places about town are visited by persons begging for alms, claiming they a:e physically handicaped, or have suffered some misfortune. In many cases, the persons begging appear to be in good physicial condition, and should be able to earn their own living if their inclinations were in that direction. Donating to numerous socalled charity organizations subcribing to magazines or papers not wanted or needed, in order to help someone thru the university, giving towhat are claimed to be benenvolent organizations located in distant places-buying articles of practically no value in order to help someper son who says he is physically unfit for labor, and, dozens of other cases, some undoubtedly deserving, but many not, is proving to be quite a drain.

All persons asking for alms should have their cases investigated, and if found worthy, should first obtain permission from authorities before doing any begging.

Millions of dollars are given every year by people in this country to supposedly worthy persons, who are in no way worthy, and are simply employing begging as the means of making an easy living.

There are several instances of persons physically handicapped in our own community who are making their own way without asking anyone for help. Most of the travelling panhandlers are not nearly so handicapped, and there is no reason why they could not do as well if they chose to work.

There are worthy projects at home that could use all the charity one might have to give. These should be given first considera.ion. Turn down the begger, and it will not be long before they will not visit our town in search of easy marks.

High Cost of Sarcasm

Beware of tbe earcastic chaff.
It serves no end
If, every time you get a laugh,
You lose a friend.

How True, How True!

Floor Wolker (to impatient customer, leavlog)—Can't yoo get waited on, madam?

Madam—No. I'm afraid I came at an unfortunate time; your salesladies are in conference.

Now, Youngster

Ardent Swelo—The first time I looked into your eyes yon set my pulses recing.

Little Brother (breaking cover)—I eey, Mr. Jones, wbich of them won?—Passing Show.

Heap Big Chief

Stranger—So you are the postmaster, storekeeper, jostice of the peace and constable of this town.

Native—Yassir! You might say I'm the Mussolini of Buckeye Corner.

No Good at Catching Flies

Baseball Scribe—How's that new ontfielder yon got?

Maneger of the Teem—Well, nobody ever will mistake him for sticky fly peper.

Carried a Spare

Mrs. Flatleigh (at the beech)—My chin is getting all sunburnt.

Her Friend—Whet do you care? You've got another.

One Not Often Accepted

"Pa, what is a standing invitotion?"

"The look a tired woman gives the young man who is sitting down in the street car, son."

Wanted

Orders for seed wheat, oats, barley, and flax.

See us for prices on the above, and on any other seed you may want this spring.

C. Roe Grain Company

ST. HILAIRE, MINN

Arthur Hanson *Local Manager*

BOOST FOR MINNESOTA

The Spectator this week desires to call the attention of its readers to the financial needs of a statewide organization which merits and should have the support of this community.

This organization, the Ten Thousand Lakes-Greater Minnesota Association has undertaken the work of selling Minnesota to the world as a great agricultural state and summer playground. It has been developing tourists traffic for 12 years and the fact that the number of tourists visiting the state has increased from 17,000 in 1917 to more than 150,000 in 1928 should be sufficient proof that it has "delivered the goods" in that line. The tourists business now brings more than $90,000,000 in new money to Minnesota annually.

The association is now devoting half of its efforts to agriculture with the hope that new farmers will he brought in. The success of this plan has already been assured by the hundreds of inquires concerning Minnesota farms pouring into the office in response to Agricultural advertising. The same efforts as in the past will continue to be devoted to bringing tourists.

The returns from the 1929 campaign are so great that an unusually large office forceis needed to answer letters and send out literature. Postage alone costs over $300 a week. The associat ion needs money now to conduct the followup work incidental to both the agricultural and recreational advertising efforts.

This paper believes the citizens of Minneaota and this community will not allow the splendid development work of the Ten Thousand Lakes-Greater Minnesota Association to suffer for need of funds. It hopes that all will do their part in helping put this great movement across and asks its readers to fill out the attached coupon for whatever amount they feel they can invest in their state and send it either to this office or direct to the headquarters of the Ten Thousand Lakes-Greater Minnesota Association.

Minnesota is a great state and we should all put our shoulders to the wheel in the work of letting the world know what we possess.

Persons who send $10 or more are considered members of the association and as such are entitled to the lists giving the names and addresses of persons inquiring concerning farms, lakeshore property and resort accommodations. Lists will be aent only when members ask for them.

The Job of Advertising Minnesota

Proud of my Home State and fully realizing the big task confronting the Ten Thousand Lakes-Greater Minnesota Association in handling the tremendous undertaking of advertising Minnesota to the world, I desire, as a public-spirited citizen of Minnesota to make an investment therein by contributing the sum of

.... Dollars, enclosed herewith, said amount to be expended 50% for advertising our unsurpassed Agricultural Resources and 50% for advertising our wonderful Recreational Advantages unless otherwise requested.

In consideration of this co-operation on my part, please mail the undersigned one of your

Illustrated and Comprehensive Farm Books ☐
A 1929 Ten Thousand Lakes Map ☐ (Check the Publication Desired)
Beautiful Illustrated Booklet of Minnesota ☐

Name ....

Address ....

Credit this contribution to publicity given by

....

(Name of Home Town Paper)

When filled out, band to your home town publisher, who will see that it reaches your town chairman, or proper credit will be given to your town if mailed direct to the

TEN THOUSAND LAKES-GREATER MINNESOTA ASSOCIATION
1561 University Avenue, St. Paul, Minn.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated February 8th, 1924, executed by Ewert Rewertz and Anna Rewertz, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on February 13th, 1924, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 142 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $122.65, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $125.00, due on August 8th, 1928, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $125.00, due on February 8th, 1929; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $3,774.65, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from February 8th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $247.-65, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $122.65 thereof since November 27th, 1928, and on $125.00 thereof since February 8th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $9.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since February 16th, 1929, in all the sum of $4,107.42, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The West Half of the Northwest Quarter (W½ of NW¼) of Section Sixteen (16), and the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Nine (9), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 240 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 26th day of July, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 12th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't. Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. J-13 July 16

Bids Wanted

Bids will be received by the hoard of trustees of the Norwegian Lutheran church of St. Hilaire for sheeting of interior of the church with steel sheeting, according to plans on file with the Central Lumber Company, St. Hilaire. There will also be a small amount of remodeling work to be done at same time.

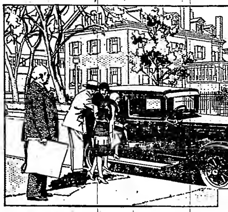
The congregation will furnish all materials for the entire work.

A certified check for ten percent of amount of hid should accompany each hid as evidence of good faith, same to he made payable to treasurer of said congregation. Bids will he opened Friday, June 14th., at 2:00 P. M.

By order Board Of Trustees
Ed Aubol
Arne Vik
Oscar Haugen

"I Never Worry when they're in the Whippet"

This low-priced car has every modern feature for driving safety and dependable performance



ADVANCED, modern engineering throughout the entire chassis of the new Superior Whippet is responsible for smoothness and reliability of performance, consummate ease of handling, and maximum driving safety.

Whippet's big four-wheel brakes are of the positive, mechanical type—acting quickly and surely. Both the Whippet Four and Whippet Six have considerably greater braking area than any of their competitors. Other important Whippet advantages include extra long wheelbase, oversize balloon tires, full force-feed lubrication, silent timing chain, "Finger-Tip Control," higher compression engine, invar-strut pistons, and, in the Six, a heavy seven-bearing crankshaft.

WILLYS-OVERLAND, INC., TOLEDO, OHIO

WHIPPET 6 SEDAN
Down payment only
$310.00
Balance in 12 easy monthly payments. Line includes Coach, Coupe, DeLuxe Sedan, Roadster. All Willys-Overland prices f.o.b. Toledo, Ohio, and specifications subject to change without notice.

WHIPPET 4 SEDAN
Down payment only
$263.00
Balance in 12 easy monthly payments. Line includes Coach, Coupe, DeLuxe Sedan, Roadster, 4-passenger Roadster, Collegiate Roadster, Touring, Commercial Chassis.

SOLD BY

YOUNG & ERICKSON

ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

Wyandotte Items

Mr. and Mrs. Brown and Bert Roese visited at the Hagen home Sunday evening.

John Albin was a business caller at Ole Hanson home Saturday.

The Sunday school of the Clearwater church began Sunday.

An Ice Cream Social will be held at the Clearwater church June, 22 at 8:00. All are cordially invited.

Martin, Hans and Theodore Bergh and Peter and Carl Kolseth spent Friday evening fishing at Highland ing.

Friends of Miss Hattie Hanson daughter of Ole Hanson will be interested to learn of her marriage June 2nd to Arthur Hagen hoth of this vicinity. They left the same day for N. Dak. Their many friends here join in wishing the young couple a long and happy married life.

Mr. Melvin Hanson called at the P. Kolseth home Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Samuelson visited at John Albin home Tuesday evening.

Mr. Robert Nelson of Thief River Falls visited at John Alhin home Friday afternoon.

It pays to keep a few Red Tops handy on the farm

NEXT time you are in town drive around and load on a few bundles of Red Tops—keep them handy on the farm for emergency fence repairs.

Then you are always in position to replace rotting wood posts or to strengthen weak spots in the fence line without delay—and probably save considerable loss of crops or stock or both.

And if you want to throw up a temporary fence the posts are handy—you can do the job while you have the time—no waiting until you can get a cbance to come in and get the posts.

You'll make no mistake in using Red Top Steel Fence Posts for every post need—they are guaranteed.

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GUARANTEED
Steel Fence Posts

Made of tough, springy rail steel they prolong the useful life of any fence—bolding it in steady security for many years. Easy to drive. One man with the Red Top One Man Driver can drive 200 to 300 a day—this makes fence huilding and repairs with Red Tops a quick, easy and permanent job. Come in and let us show you the points of superiority of the Red Top.

CENTRAL LUMBER CO.

St. Hilaire. Minnesota

Introduced Pineapples

The earliest recorded successful planting of pineapples in Florida was made in 1860, when Benjamin Baker of Key West obtained a number of slips from Havana and started a small experimental patch on Plantation key.

Worker Not Understood

He who would do some great thing in this short life must apply himself to work with such a concentration of his forces as, to idle spectators, who live only to amuse themselves, looks like insanity.—Parkman.

Colors in Foxes

Silver and black foxes will occur in reds. Such occurrences, however, are very rare. In the wild state it is doubtful if there is 1 per cent of production of silver or black foxes from red foxes.

Easy for Politician

To be a chemist you must study chemistry; to be a lawyer or a physician you must study law or medicine; but to be a politician you need only to study your own interests.—Max O'Rell.

No Cause for Pride

"What makes the monkeys so angry this morning?" inquired the keeper.

"Well," said the attendant, "Professor Gardner has just been aronnd telling them of the Darwinian theory that they have descended from man."

Herr Professor

"Professor, what chair do you occupy?"

"My chair is in a barbers' college."

"Heh?"

"I do not occupy it. I stand behind it."

Necessary

Card Shark—Come on, pard; join our little game. You know bow to play, don't yon?

Wiseacre—Yes, hut I don't know bow to cheat.

Compact Luggage

Gertie—Gee, I'm out o' luck. I've lost my compact.

Flo—Here, use mine.

Gertie—But I had my bathing suit in it.

Actress Made Victim of Marital Bickering

A convention whose delegates were almost exclusively women met in Detroit and set a record for exuberance that will probably stand for some time. They also proved to the other guests at one of the large hotels that liqnor isn't necessary to have a boisterously good time.

The leading woman of a play that enjoyed a long run in Detroit was stopping at the same hotel. One morning she started for the elevator when she noticed a little man with a delegate's hadge zigzagging down the hall.

A big, fat woman erupted through one of the doors and almost crumpled up the little man with her question: "Where have you been all night?" "Oh, I was up here two times looking for you, hnt you weren't here, so I went out again," he peeped, meekly.

"I don't believe it and that's no excuse," the fuming wife interrupted. Then she caught sight of the actress waiting for the elevator. "Another thing"—the fat woman pointed an accusing finger—"where did you get that woman?"—E. J. Beck in the Detroit News.

Rice and Ceremonial

Rice plays an important part in the life of Japan. It takes pride of place at all great ceremonies, which would be void without the use of sake, a drink brewed from the grain.

World Listens to Critics

The opinion of the great hody of the reading public is very materially infinenced even hy the unsupported assertion of those who assume to criticize.—Macaulay.

Gems Buried With Empress

When the empress dowager of China died in 1908 her pearl necklace was buried with her. It contained nearly six thousand pearls and was valued at $900,000.

Color Affects Nerves

There are those who claim that the color yon surround yourself with affects yon psychologically and that too brilliant color is trying on the nerves. Whether or not one goes quite as far as admitting that unreservedly, we all know that there is an atmosphere of restfulness and quiet in a room with softly tinted walls which blend harmoniously with the other colors in the room.

Never Does All He Can

A pupil from whom nothing is demanded which he cannot do never does all be can.—Mill.

Potatoes Come First

Potatoes are the largest and most valuahle vegetable crop in the United States.

Woodcuts' Distinction

Woodcnts were once called "the democrats among the graphic arts."

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

Jennings Westphal, accompanied by a friend, came up yesterday from Barnesville for a visit at his home northeast of town.

Arvid Carlson of Middle River and Tony Carlson of Holt were here yesterday looking after business matters at their local store.

Mrs. L. E. Beebe returned Tuesday morning after spending a couple weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dann, at Madison Wisconsin.

Ole Larson has frame work up for the new residence building at his place west of town.

It's HERE **Carlson's Annual June** It's HERE

Clearance

Fri. June, 21st to Wed. July, 3rd.

Every department has been gone thru thoroughly and has been marked to rock bottom at our ANNUAL HOUSE CLEANING SALE. The Following are just a few of the many bargains offered:

Palmolive Soap Per Bar **5 c** Limit 5 Bars to a Customer

Quality Macaroni Or Spaghetti, 4 pkgs for 21 c

Corn No. 2 Standard 3 Cans For **29 c**

Brooms, 5 Sewed Heavy Special **49 C**

Vinapa Sardines 5 Cans For **23 c**

Hol-Ry Health Bread Reg. 30 c pkg Special **19 C**

Repeater Light Salmon 3 Cans For **49 c**

Rolled Oats Regular 25 c pkg. now **21 c**

Time O'Day Jell Powder The Better Jell, 4 pkgs for **24 c**

Tonka Royal Red Salmon 1 lb can, reg, 45 c our price **29 c**

Trade And Save At CARLSON'S **Carlson Merc. Co. Inc.** Trade And Save At CARLSON'S

Five Stores

St. Hilaire Holt Middle River Greenbush Gatzke

LOCALS

Another big storm in southern part of the state first of this week, did damage estimated to be nearly a million dollars.

For Sale or Rent:- The former John Nelson property in the Addition north of town, consisting of 6 room house, barn, 10 lots, fruit trees, etc. Offers for rent or sale will be considered. Apply at this office. J13Ju4pd

Taken up: A Grey mare came to my dlacently. Owner may have it by proving property and daying expenses of keep and advertising. Call on or address.

John Gauthier
J13-27 R 3 Red Lake Fall Minn.

You pay only for the paint at Gamble's. No national advertising or large selling expense. Quality backed by our written warranty. Outside white per Gal. $1.98. 202 Main Ave. Thief River Falls.

Its about time to quit talking hard times when our farmer friends commence to keep two cars in service on their places. Albert Anderson and Charley Lindquist, both prominent farmers west of town, as well others are doing just that. For trucking around and hauling cream they bave the old, reliable Fords, but when it comes to pleasure driving they use nice, shiny sedans.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated September 20th, 1926, executed by William H. Sherwood and Anna Sherwood, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on September 22nd, 1926, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 336 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $60.63, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $140.63 due on March 20th, 1928, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $140.63 each, due on September 20th, 1928, and March 20th, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,361.42, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from March 20th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $341.89, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $60.63 thereof since March 21st, 1928, on $140.63 thereof since September 20th, 1928, and on $140.63 thereof since March 20th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $262.15 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1929, and the sum of $41.46, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $5,078.03, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-five (35), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West; Lot Three (3), in Section Three (3), also Lots Three (3) and Four (4) of Section Two (2), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, conveying hereby 323 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 28th day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premiums paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law,

Dated May 15th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General,
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. M16-J20.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Kerkhoven—Herman C. Rustad, 56 years old and postmaster here for the past seven years, died at his home here.

Fairfax—Fire partially destroyed the J. C. Fullerton's Pop factory here and caused damage estimated at $1,200.

Little Falls—A large crowd greeted the Little Falls band in its opening park concert of the season at Memorial Park.

Alexandria—A picnic and meeting of the Minnesote Milking Shorthorn Breeders association will be conducted here late in June.

Lindstrom—Blair Steffend is commander of a new Veterans of Foreign Wars post established here, with Paul Nelson as adjutant.

Faribault—C. B. Nelm, of Minneapolis will become secretary of the local Chamber of Commerce July 1, succeeding Henry F. Dooley, who has resigned.

Ely—Two hundred and sixteen cans of wall-eyed pike and thirty-five cans of lake trout fry have been planted in the various lakes near this community.

Excelsior—The second oldest Congregational church in Minnesota, the Excelsior Community Congregational, has begun preparations for the seventy-sixth anniversary of its founding in July.

Minneapolis—The Hennepin county board has voted to authorize an appropriation of $2,000 for a survey to determine the feasibility of relocating the present dam at Gray's bay, Lake Minnetonka.

Little Falls—Piloting a Larson boat, built in this community, Harry James of Cross Lake won a second and third place in the first annual regatta of the LaCrosse Motor Boat Club before a crowd of 18,000.

South St. Paul—Carl Peterson, Watertown, So. Dak., marketed a load of purebred Shorthorn steers and heifers averaging 850 pounds at $14.65, a new top for the year to date on all weights at South St. Paul.

THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Black River church at 10:00 A. M., with Sunday school following.

The Y. P. S. meets at the home of Chas. Naplin Sunday evening at 8:00.

Sunday school in local church at 10:00 A. M.

Methodist-Presbyterian Church
Thief River Falls
Sunday 8 P. M.
Rev. Edith Grays
Will Preach

South River Falls

Mr. and Mrs. F. Erdmann and family were Sunday dinner guests at John Maakrud home.

Ernest Erickson called at the Miller Peterson home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Peterson and son, Dale, visited at the B. Walseth home Sunday evening.

Esther Thyren and Nancy Hedlund motored to Drayton, N. Dak., Friday, to attend the Bible Camp there.

Horace and Vincent Dalager and Cyrus and Morris Peterson visited at the B. Walseth home Sunday afternoon.

Albin and Clarence Konickson Joseph Peterson, Harry and Leonard Erickson, Arthur Swanson and Ollie and Ferdie Swensen motored to Twin Lakes on a fishing trip Saturday, returning Monday night.

Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire, Minn., held at the village hall June 3 at 8 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed as read.

Red River Power Co., lights	$34.30
Central Lumber Co. lumber for well	2.95
Nels Pearson, 16 hours labor	5.60
P. Simonson, 9 " "	3.15

The bid of Kolstad and Peterson of $60 for the construction of a 4 foot sidewalk and two cross walks on second street west of Great Northern right-of-way was duly accepted, work to be finished by July first.

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjourned.

A. Satterberg,
M. Fricker, President.
Clerk.

For Sale- Five head high grade Guernseys from 6 to 13 months old. Call on Wm. Yonke, St. Hilaire, Minn. J6tf

L. E. Healy, Special deputy examiner in charge of affairs of the Farmers State Bank, was up yesterday from Red Lake Falls for a brief stay while enroute to east of town.

Duluth—A permanent policy of conservation for Minnesote woods, waters and wild life will be the aim of the convention program of the Minnesota division of the Izaak Walton League of America, here June 21 and 22.

Duluth—Minnesota will receive $88,793 from the federal government to aid in controlling forest fires during the fiscal year beginning July 1. The allotment is the third largest given to any state, being exceeded only by the allotments to California and Washington.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Six Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Nine and 34-100 Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Elias L. Rolland and Esther O. Rolland, his wife, Mortgagors to the First National Bank of Thief River Falls, Mortgagee, bearing date the 19th day of April, 1921, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 20th day of April, 1921, at one o'clock P. M. in Book 51 of Mortgages, on page 49, and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveved by said Mortgage, viz:

Lot Seven (7) in Block Thirty-six (36) and the West Seventy-eight (78) feet of Lots Twenty (20), Twenty-one (21), Twenty-two (22), Twenty-three (23), and Twenty-four (24), in Block Thirty-nine (39) of the Original Townsite of the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota.

With the hereditaments and appurtenances, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on 22nd day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of Six Thousand Three Hundred Forty-Nine and 34-100 Dollars, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated 6th day of May, A. D. 1929.

The First National Bank
of Thief River Falls
J. M. Bishop Mortgagee
Attorney for Mortagee
Office and Postoffice address
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
M. 9-J 13

DR. L. R. TWETE
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Licensed Veterinarian
Tuberculin Testing
Office By Hotel Ogahmah
Block North from G. N. Depot

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

25 Years Ago

Joe Demars went to Crookston to work as edgerman at the mill there.

—XXV—

Pete Simonson and John Carlson went to Bemidji to work at the sawmill.

—XXV—

Carl Steen, a new arrival in this country, was employed at the Wilson meat market.

—XXV—

Knute Bjerkness took charge of the lunch room at the Soll place, that week.

—XXV—

Former residence of Iowa who had located in this locality, enjoyed a picnic and re-union at the Charley Hull farm. About thirity people were present.

—XXV—

Contract was let for the new Merchants State Bank building. The bank was doing business in the St. Hilaire Hotel lobby while its frame building was being razed to make room for the new building.

—XXV—

A rumor was current here that the local sawmill was to be moved to one of new towns then building along the Soo Line.

Red Lake—J. H. Lasha, mail carrier on Route 2, brought into the newspaper office here a two-headed lizard, which had been found in a garden on his route. The animal is three inches long and has a head on each end. Mr. Lasha plans on donating it to the high school zoological department.

Minneapolis—Proposed advances of from $9 to $30 per car in freight rates on potatoes from Minnesota and other Northwest states to the eastern and southern markets will be protested at a hearing before representatives of the interstate commerce commission at the Nicollet hotel June 11.

Minn. Historical Society St. Paul, Minn.

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Picnic Sunday at Narrows

The annual picnic of the Red Lake summer Resort association will be held at the Narrows at Red Lake next Sunday, June 23rd. Among the speakers who will be present are P. H. McGarry, director of the Ten Thousand Lakes Association; C. A. Forbes of the state highway department, and also others.

Those going from Thief River and points north and west, will leave that city at 7 o'clock Sunday morning, those from this direction can take part the state road east from here, crossing the river at Highlanding.

Various kinds of water sports such as swimming races, water baseball, tug of war, log rolling contest, motor boat races and launch rides.

The roads thru the entire distance will he in hest hest of shape, and no one need hesitate because of douht as to their condition.

Fishing is very good at the lakes at present so those who enjoy fishing may have opportunity to try their luck. Free coffee will be served by the resort association to all comers.

Cosgrove - Simonson

Friends have received the announcement of marriage of Miss Mary Cosgrove of Isle, Minn., to Mr. Henry Simonson of Toledo, Ohio. The ceremony took place on June 4 at Green Isle. Miss Cosgrove formerly taught for three years in Red Lake county schools and Mr. Simonson formerly lived at St. Hilaire. They will make their home at Toledo where Mr. Simonson has a fine position with the Overland Auto Company.:Red Lake Falls Gazette.

A Ford coupe carrying four persons, turned turtle near the Nyhagen farm south of town Thursday morning when its front wheel struck a soft spot where the road had been plowed. Altho' the occupants had some difficulty in getting out of the car, none suffered any injury except bruises.

William J. Berglund arrived Friday from Winton, Minn., for a visit with his mother and brother, Mrs. Carrie Berglund and August Berglund. Bill has a fine position as forest ranger and game warden in the state forest country north of Winton.

Callahan --King

Leo King, son of Mrs. John King of this village, who is employed by an auto concern at Virginia, was married Saturday, June 8th. to Miss Myrtle Callahan of Ripon, Wis. the ceremony taking place at the Basillica of St. Mary at Minneapolis.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. King left by motor for a honeymoon trip to Chicago, Ill. and Milwaukee, Wis.

Upon return they will make their home at Virginia where Mr. King holds a fine position.

Numerous friends in St. Hilaire join in extending congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. King, and wishing them a long and happy married life.

Durbin's Burglarized

Some person unknown, who evidently was familiar with the premises, gained entrance to the Durbin meat market some time during Thursday night by removing a rear window in the building.

Mr. Durhin reports the loss of all change in the register, amounting to about $ 6.00, and some sausages.

The person who did the trick evidently did not have any fear of detection because the penalty for taking even such a small amount is several years in prison.

Court Opened Monday

Summer term of district court in this county, opened Monday at Thief River Falls with Judge Andrew Grindland presiding.

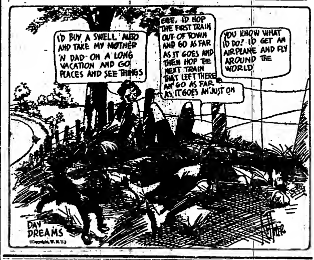
The calender is short for this term and is likely the session will he a short one.

Miss Pearl Simonson, who has visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. O. Stearns at Minneapolis since finishing her school, came home, accompanied by her little niece, yesterday morning to spend her summer vacation.

The fifth and last meeting of the Poultry Project of the Hazel Unit was held Wednesday afternoon at the P. W. Peterson home. Culling chickens was the main subject taught, and plans for Achievement Day were discussed. Light refreshments were served by a number of the members at close of the meeting.

Try Our Want Ads

If I Had a Million



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

One hundred eighty four tubs of hutter, the output for one week, were shipped from the local creamery last week-end.

Frank Smith, who resides on the Lee place southwest of here, bought a Chevrolet sedan last week from J. D. Porter.

Alhert Nash and Ben Brevik motored last week to Drayton, N. D. to seek medical service for the former who has heen ill all spring.

Mrs. Jennie Carter and sons leave latter part of the week to spend about ten days at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ferdie Brown at Grygla.

John D. Porter, Bemidji auto dealer, motored over Thurday evening and spent until the following evening here looking after husiness matters.

Knute Odegaard. who is employed in a large job printing shop at Duluth came Tuesday to spend a vacation of ten days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Odegaard.

Sever Skottem has heen employed with his team and road grader this week in assisting the state highway department crew with smoothing the highway south to the county line.

Notice:- Dr. L. R. Twete will be absent from this county this week but his office practice will be in charge of Dr. Walsh of Lanesboro. Call left for Dr. Twete will he attended to hy Dr. Walsh.

The Ladie's Aid of the Evangelical Mission church will be entertained by Mrs. Alf. Dahlstrom and Mrs. Alb. Anderson at the home of the former on Thurs, June 27th. at 2:00 P. M. Everyone is cordially invited.

Kenard Hovet, who is employed by the Reporter at Horicon, Wis., is expected home today or tomorrow to spend a short vacation, and to meet his former classmates among those who will attend the Class of 1919 reunion here Friday.

Paul Erickson, student at the medical school of the state University came up Sunday by way of Crookston to spend his summer vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. And. Erickson, at their farm home west of town. Paul has only two years left of his course.

While here Friday, John Porter sold a Chevrolet sedan to Frank Smith, who resides on the Lee place southwest of here.

Save $1.50 for a new hat --Your old battery is worth that in trade on one at Gamhle Stores, 202 Main Ave., Thief River Falls.

Gerald Stephens, who left here a short time ago to seek employment, is now located at Angus where he has a good farm position.

Mrs. Amanda Pearson underwent an operation for removal of her tonsils Saturday at the hospital at Thief River.

Several hundreds of people from all parts of the Red River Valley attended the Hallinglaget at Thief River first three days of this week.

Mrs. James Kinney of Thief River Falls, is here for a visit with her mother, Mrs. J. Peterson. Mrs. Kinney has been ill most of the winter and is here to recuperate.

Melvin Sherva, who is employed by the Globe-Gazette Company at Wahpeton, N. D. is expected home either today or tomorrow to attend the re-union of the Class of 1919 association of which he is president.

Mrs. Martin McAndress, Sr., is reported to he quite ill at the home of her son, Mike. The aged lady, who is over ninety years of age, has not been well the past year or more.

A nice shower of rain fell here early Monday evening. It did not extend either east of west for more than a short distance, hut it helped wonderfully here where there had been no rain for some time.

A graveling hauling crew, equipped with trucks, arrived here during the week-end and commenced hauling gravel on the highway between here and Thief River Falls in preparation for oiling of the road which is expected will begin this week.

Mrs. C. F. Brantner and children accompanied hy her mother and brother, Mrs. A. L. Patterson and son, Donald, motored up yesterday for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad. They returned to Maple Lake last evening. Mr. and Mrs. Brantner and family leave soon from Minneapolis enroute to San Francisco, Calif. where they will make their future home.

Class Reunion Friday

St. Hilaire is to be host this week at a gathering which is both uncommon and unusual. When the Eight Grade class of 1919 of the local school completed their studies they signed a pledge, a copy of which is reproduced in this issue, to gather ten years later for a reunion. Most of the boys and girls who graduated here in 1919 now hold responsible positions in different parts of the country, and nearly all of them, as well as their teacher, Miss Jessie Scott, will be here to renew acquaintances, and to meet and greet their friends.

Friday evening an elaborate banquet has been planned which will be held at the auditorium in the school building. Other festivities have heen planned to extend over the week-end, and there will be other interesting events. The Spectator joins with others in the village in extending a most cordial welcome to members of the Class of 1919 as well as others who are home for the occasion.

Parcel Shower

The Mike Fricker home was the scene of a pretty gathering Tuesday when a large numher of friends tendered Miss Alice Fricker, a bride to-he of this month, a parcel shower. The evening was spent in a most enjoyable manner, and luncheon was served at midnight. Miss Fricker was recipient of a large number of useful articles from her many friends.

Win Two Games

The local Kitten ball team took on the Wylie team in a fast game on local grounds last Sunday and won by a close score of 7 to 5. Tuesday evening the locals defeated the Hazel team by a scoreof 18 to 6.

Jake Bohlen returned Thursday from Duluth where he had been to procure a new Whippet car which he purchased recently. While there, Jake had the opportunity to note the damage done by a severe hailstorm which hit there a short time before. From 5 to 8 hundred new cars just unloaded at the docks, were badly damaged, some of the enclosed bodies having all glass knocked out hesides being badly dented. Many buildings had all glass windows broken on the side facing the storm.

Chas. Walton, Jr., Dies

Charles Walton, Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Walton of Black River township, who has resided on the former Kolp farm southwest of here the past couple years, died Friday afternoon at the hospital at Thief River after a brief illiness. He was taken ill shortly after noon Friday. After being given first aid at home; he was taken to the hospital where he died within an hour

Mr. Walton was horn in Traer County, Iowa, in 1897, and was 32 years and six months of age at time of death. He grew to manhood in Iowa and was married to Agnes Drahos at Belle Plaine shortly before coming to this community a few years ago Besides his widow, he is survived by three small children, the youngest being only two months of age. He is also survived by his parents, 7 brothers and 3 sisters.

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon by Rev. Crawford Grays of Thief River Falls, from the Chas. Walton, Sr., home, and interment was made in the Swedish cemetery east of town.

Heartfelt sympathy of this community is extended to Mrs. Walton and little family in their sad loss of husband and father, and also to the other relatives in their time of trial and sorrow.

Out-of-town people here for the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Drahos of Belle Plaine, Iowa, parents of Mrs. Walton, Jr.

A state highway crew arrived here last week with a caterpiller tract. or and commenced breaking up the grade south of town. The road is being plowed down about ten inches and releveled. It is expected this treatment will do away with the "washboard" condition which has been bad this season. The same treatment will be used on streches of road where soft spots developed when frost went out last spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackson and family motored up from McIntosh S. D. last week for a visit at the home of Mr. Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Jackson. Mrs. Jackson left yesterday for a visit with friends in Red Lake Falls.

NOTICE: Mrs. Jennie Carter will he out of town from June, 21st to July 1st. Those wanting work done, please call soon as possible.

Want Ads Bring Resutls

Thrift-

Teach Your Children Thrift - the habit of saving money that they otherwise would spend foolishly. You will be fulfilling your duty as a parent and your children will be wiser and better for it

Start A Bank Account For Them Today

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A Fine Record

Your creamery is turning out more butter now than at any other year in its history-LandO'Lakes. butter that brings the biggest return to producers of butterfat. Not only that, but it pays as much or more to its patrons for fat than any creamery in this section. Boost for, and patronize your creamery-it means dollars to you.

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Bring in your DeLaval any time and have it overhauled—

WE are prepared to render service and put your De Laval Cream Separator in such condition that it will give you the perfect service which every De Laval Separator is capable of giving.

Bring in your complete machine. To save you unnecessary expense we suggest that you clean out the oil chamber and gears with kerosene or boiling water, which you can do at home just as well as we can.

Even if there is nothing wrong with your separator, if you have used it for sometime it is a good plan to have it inspected and overhauled. You know "a stitch in time saves nine."

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O. C. Johnson, Mgr

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

PRESIDENT WINS FARM BILL FIGHT

Request for $500,000,000 Fund To Follow President's Action.

Washington—The long struggle over agricultural legislation was ended by congressional approval of the farm relief bill desired by the administration. The measure, which represents the ultimate expression of years of study and political controversy, was signed by Vice President Curtis and Speaker Longworth and sent to President Hoover.

Rejection by the House of the export debenture plan favored by the senate made possible final legislative action. A joint conference committee agreed on the compromise bill, their action was upheld by the house and several hours later the senate did likewise on a 74 to 8 vote.

President Hoover will send the measure to the agricultural and treasury departments, as is customary, and sign it as soon as it is returned. This will witness the first occasion since farm relief became a major issue upon which a relief measure has been sent to the White House that the President would approve.

As soon as Mr. Hoover has signed the bill, a resolution will be adopted in the house and sent to the senate calling for an appropriation of perhaps $500,000,000. The revolving fund authorized by the bill, of which $150,000,000 or more is expected to be made available for the current fiscal year ending June 30.

War Movement Called Reprisal.

London—A dispatch from Peking, China, to the Daily Express says Soviet Russia had launched war movements against China. Soviet troops were reported already to have crossed the Siberian border and to have established outposts in western Manchuria. The dispatch said Soviet reinforcements were being rushed in special trains over the trans-Siberian railway, and that Chang Hsueh Liang, who has ruled Manchuria since the death of his father, Chang Tso Lin, had sent an urgent appeal to Nanking asking measures be taken to protect the territory.

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

JUNIOR SHORT COURSE WELL ATTENDED

A new attendance record was established at the Junior Short Course. held at the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston the past week when 300 boys and from ten northwestern Minnesota Counties enrolled for an intensive study of 4-H Club projects. According to Superintendent A. A. Dowell, 5300 boys and girls have participated in these Short Courses since this feature was added to Northwest School activities eighteen years ago.

District Club Leader H. A. Pflughoeft considered this the most successful short course held to date. The attendance not only surpassed any previous year, but the boys and girls were keenly interested in learning all that they are carrying on at home during the summer.

In addition to lectures and demonstrations during the forenoon and early afternoon sessions club members enjoyed a varied program of outdoor games, judging contests, community singing movies, trips and other events. Prizes were offered to winners of the livestock, crops, and poultry judging contests as well as winners in the Home Economics and Agricultural Engineering classes Some real talent was uncovered on "Stunt Night" when the short course students staged their own program.

Club members from Pennington County, who attended the course were as follows: Raymond Parnow, Erie; Leo Jensen, Goodridge; Donna Brink and Ame Lindquist, St, Hilaire; John Battenfield, Martin Hanson, Dale E. Johnson, Oliver Omundson, Frances Reller, Edna Sandry, and Ruby Solmonson, all of Thief River Falls.

Easily Recognized

Laundry Checker—You lost a shirt? What was the laundry mark?

Victim—A frayed collar and several buttons torn off.

THE LONGEST POSSIBLE

"What steps would you take if you saw a ghost suddenly rise in your path?"

Victim—

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the Sum of Eleven Hundred Twenty and No|100 ($1120.00) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest to date of this Notice, and default having also been made in the payment of the Taxes on the herein described mortgaged Premises for the Years 1924, 1925, 1926, and 1927, amounting to the Total Sum of Three Thousand Six Hundred Seventeen and 21|100 ($3,817.21) Dollars, which said Taxes this Mortgagee has necessarily paid, making a Total Sum of Four Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty-Seven and 21|100 ($4737.21) Dollars, all of which is now claimed to be due. and is due and in default at the date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage dated November 10, 1922, made executed and delivered by C. M. Evenson and Ellen Evenson, his wife, Mortgagors to A. C. Baker, Mortgagee, which said Mortgage together with a Power of Sale therein contained is duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 10th day of November 1922, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in Book "51" of Mortgages on page 199 thereof,

And No Action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by the said Mortgage, or any part thereof, and the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage having become operative,

NOW, THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

West Eighty-three (83) feet of Lots Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14) and Fifteen (15) of Block Thirty-six (38) of the Original Townsite of the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 6th day of July, 1929, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said debt of $4737.21, and interest and taxes if any, and $50.00 attorneys fees as stipulated in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of Sale as provided by law.

Dated this 23rd day of May 1929.

A. C. BAKER,
Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
Attorney for Mortgagee. M23-J27

CITATION FOR HEARING ON PETITION FOR ADMINISTRATION.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } SS

IN PROBATE COURT

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Frank B. Newell Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to All Whom It May Concern:

WHEREAS, Allie Newell has filed in this Court her petition stating, among other things, that she is the surviving spouse of the above named decedent; that said decedent died intestate, a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, left property in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, left property in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and was a citizen of the United States; and praying that administration of his estate be granted to T. P. Anderson:

THEREFORE, You are hereby cited to be and appear before said Court on the 29th day of June, 1929, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State and show cause, if any you have, why said petition should not be granted.

Dated June 5th, 1929.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe,
Judge of Probate Court.

Theo Quale,
Attorney for petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minn. J6-20

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QUACK SURGEON FAKES INJURIES

Trims Paris Insurance Companies by Use of Professional Patients.

Paris.—An ambulance chasing scandal resembling that of New York and Brooklyn, but with a characteristically Parisian touch, is enlivening this city.

A ring of doctors, not of lawyers, did the chasing. And their leader, Dr. Gaston Prieur, made enough money out of it to own three private hospitals, a racing stable, and a Montmartre cabaret, in which he employed the famous black dancing star, Josephine Baker, as the principal attraction.

In Doctor Prieur's hospital many of the wounds treated are alleged to have been pure fakes, wounds made of wax and rouge, which, though painless, were quite terrifying enough in appearance to frighten insurance adjusters into making fat settlements. These the doctor divided with his patients.

He had several professional patients who made a living by being permanently bedridden, under different names, in each of his hospitals in turn, while the doctor bled insurance companies for medical expenses and compensation.

"Chasers" Employed.

In the case of real wounds it was the practice of the physician and his nurses to retard healing by irritating the injuries. To let the patients get well too quickly would place them beyond the possibility of collecting insurance money.

With several other shady physicians Prieur had a corps of street men—"chasers," in the full sense of the word—who carried blank diagnosis slips signed in advance by Prieur. Several hundred such signed blanks were found when his office was searched

Business was so flourishing that Doctor Prieur gave less and less of his own time to it, leaving most of the work to subordinates. His "nurses" looked very nursey in their white uniforms, but had no certificates of training.

The doctor himself led a life of ease and luxury, following the fortunes of the racing stable that he had bought out of his profits, and passing his evenings in the cabarets of Montmartre and Montparnasse.

Josephine Baker took his fancy when she appeared as star at the Folies-Bergere. In spite of lavish gifts and very ardent courting, however, his interest was not reciprocated—at least not at the beginning.

Set Up Cabaret for Josephine.

Prieur learned that the dusky Josephine wanted a cabaret all her own. Working his sufferers of fake injuries double time produced the money. He bought out another cabaret manager. redecorated the place, named it Chez Josephine and offered the Harlem Saloma a fat salary to serve as hostess. For a year it was the rage among visiting Americans, as well as among a fraction of French night club habitues. Then Josephine left for a tour of central Europe with Doctor Prieur's suit no further advanced, it is said, than at the beginning. Since then he has haunted the cabarets of others, giving expensive parties and cutting a wide flare in the night life of the capital.

One day an insurance adjuster visiting one of the three Prieur hospitals recognized a "patient" whom he had seen a few days previously in another of the hospitals. He reported his suspicions and the machinery of investigation was started.

Vain About Beard.

Prieur took to living every night in a different hotel to avoid capture.

Investigators found his hospitals a rich field. The "nurses" and some of the fake patients took fright and confessed the whole story.

If Prieur had not been so vain about his handsome black beard he might have escaped arrest indefinitely. But he could not bring himself to shave it off; and though he took a new name and went to a different hotel every night, the black beard made it easy to trace him.

A queer kink in French law makes it illegal to arrest a man at his domicile unless he is seen actually in the midst of a crime. The police located Prieur soon after sunset. But he had gone to bed early and was consequently immune until daylight the next morning.

A pair of inspectors took their station outside his door and allowed him to have a good night's sleep. Promptly at seven, which is legal sunup, they knocked on his door and called him out.

Fifteen other physicians were in his organization, besides a number of "chasers," who kept them informed of accidents. In some cases they created them out of thin air.

Watch Out for Snakes

Lincoln, Neb.—Railroads must be careful about snakes in their roundhouses. Allowing a verdict of $28,000 for a workman bitten in an engine pit, the state Supreme court overruled the railroad's contention that snake bite was a common risk of mankind.

Wants Fish Crows

Harrisburg, Pa.—State Ornithologist George M. Sutton will pay $1 each for fish crows. He wishes to study the bird's habits and offers the bounty from his own pocket.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Seventy-three and 70-100 ($73.70) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Louis Feragen, a single man, Mortgagor, to First and Peoples State Bank (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 23rd day of December, 1924, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 23rd day of December, 1924, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "68" of Mortgages, on page 48,

Which said Mortgage, together with the debt secured thereby, was duly assigned by said First and Peoples State Bank, Mortgagee, to B. C. Bernard by written assignment dated the 14th day of October, 1925, and recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds, on the 14th day of October, 1925, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., in Book "63" of Mortgages, on page 592,

And Whereas, The said B. C. Bernard, the Assignee and Holder of said Mortgage has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said Mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice, under the terms and conditions of said Mortgage and the power of sale therein contained; and whereas there is actually due and claimed to be due and payable upon said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of One Thousand Three Hundred Two and 10-100 ($1302.10) Dollars, and whereas the said power of sale has become operative, and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any part thereof, except that an action at law has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage and that an execution upon the judgment rendered therein has been returned wholly unsatisfied.

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The South Half (S½) of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-four (24), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian and containing eighty (80) acres according to the Government Survey thereof, be it the same more or less, in Pennington County and State of Minnesota,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 29th day of June 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $1302.10 and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 14th, A. D. 1929.

B. C. BERNARD,
Assignee of Mortgagee.

Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Chommie,
Attorneys for Assignee of Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. M-18-J-20

For Sale or Rent:- The former John Nelson property in the Addition north of town, consisting of 6 room house, barn, 10 lots, fruit trees, etc. Offers for rent or sale will be considered. Apply at this office. J13Ju4pd

Taken up: A Grey mare came to my place. Owner may have it by proving property and paying expenses of keep and advertising. Call on or address.

John Gauthier
J13-27 R 3 Red Lake Fall Minn.

Some Sprinter

"It says here a Massachusetts woman threw a rolling pin 57 feet and 3 inches," remarked Mrs. Grouch.

"Gosh," exclaimed Mr. Grouch, "her husband must have been quick on the getaway to get that much of a start on her."

Hard to Run

Guest (anxious to show interest in speed of new car)—What is she doing now?

Exasperated Car Owner (teaching his wife to drive)—Every darn thing except what I tell her.

USUAL RESULT

"Well, what's been the result of wedlock with them?"

"Deadlock, I'm afraid."

The Spectator

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Since the state highway department has undertaken to oil T. H. No. 32 from south part of the village north to Thief River Falls, it might be well for the village authorities to investigate the cost, etc. of oiling that part of the street between the 25 ft. strip maintained by the state, to the walks. If oiling is proving satisfactory in other places, and serves to eliminate dust to some extent besides acting as a semi-hard surfacing, it would not bankrupt the village to have at least two blocks in the business section surfaced when the center is being done.

The proper time to look into the matter is before the highway contractor arrives with his outfit to work on the state contract. It is not feasable to do this at some future time as the cost of moving in an outfit for such a small job would be prohibitive.

Business Volume Shows N. W. Gain.

Minneapolis, Minn.—An increase in business volume throughout the Ninth (Minneapolis) Federal Reserve district was recorded in May, according to the preliminary summary of conditions given out at the Reserve bank. Carloading in full carlots during the three weeks up to May 18 was 20 per cent greater than in the same period last year, the report says. Flour shipments and postal receipts as well as country bank check clearings show a marked increase.

Dawes Arrives at British Post.

Southampton, England—Ambassador Charles G. Dawes arrived here on the White Star liner Olympic. Following the set program the new American ambassador to the Court of St. James will be received by King George at Windsor and will hold his first important conference with Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald in Scotland, at which time the ambassador possibly will invite the labor leader to visit Washington.

Money War Not Felt in St. Louis.

St. Louis, Mo.—This area seems little touched by the battle over high money rates. New York may be quoting commercial paper and time money at high levels but there is very little of it in evidence here and the average business man is getting his loans at a minimum of 5¾ per cent with occasionally an accommodation at even lower figures.

Wharton on Way to Leavenworth.

Chicago—Charles S. Wharton, former congressman and later a star prosecutor of the state's attorney's staff, has been taken to Leavenworth penitentiary to begin a two-year sentence for conspiracy in connection with the $133,000 Evergreen Park mail robbery in February, 1928.

"Girl of Mystery" Baffles Police.

Tulsa, Okla.—Conventional police methods of identification and other systems have failed to reveal whether the "Tulsa mystery girl," who was found on the streets of the city here, is really a victim of amnesia or is acting in order to hide her true past.

Swedish Prince and Princess in Crash.

Stockholm—Princess Ingeborg and Prince Carl of Sweden narrowly escaped injury here when the motor car in which they were riding to their summer home at Fridheim collided with three bicycle riders who were on the wrong side of the road.

Chief Forecasts Plans Fire Engines.

New York—Winged fire engines! Chief Kenlon of the city's smoke-eaters foresees the day when planes will dart from hangars atop skyscrapers and douse flames with chemicals more efficient than water.

U. S. Expert to Head Irrigation.

Moscow—Arthur Davis, American irrigation expert, arrived in Moscow and will shortly proceed to middle Asia to direct a huge irrigation series of projects undertaken by the soviet government.

Chick Feeds Of All Kinds

Success in poultry raising depends to a large extent, on the feeds used. We have **Pillsbury's chick starter, Growing grains, Meat scraps, Bone Meal, Charcoal, Oyster shells etc.** These feeds are used with splendid success by poultry raisers all over the country.

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Pledge

We, the undersigned, members of the Eighth Grade Class of 1919, do hereby pledge ourselves and subscribe our names to the following:

"I hereby promise that in June of 1929, ten years from the time of our Eighth Grade graduation, I will meet with the others of my class in reunion in the village of St. Hilaire, unless prevented by adverse providence."

MELVIN SHERVA, *Pres.*
ALICE FRICKER, *V. Pres.*
LULU BEEBE, *Treas.*
HARVEV OLSEN, *Sec'y*
FRANCIS SODERBERG
NELS NELSON
HOWARD BILDEN
FRANCES HOVET
MAX WILSON
VIVIENNE NOVAK
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WILDAVENE DENHART
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LEO KING
EDYTH MALMQUIST
HULDA TORSTVEIT
HARRY OGREN
HAROLD ANDERSON
CLIPPORD ANDERSON
OLIVER JOHNSON
STANLBY WILSON
ALVIN SWENSON

Members of the class absent at signing:

GUDRUN GRIMSRUD
WALTER BJERK

WELCOME TO ALL

Members Of The

Class Of 1919

The Spectator

Must Be the Climate

Brown Trout grow to thirty pounds or more in New Zealand, and average more than double the size of the same fish in English weters. Yet all New Zeeland's hrown tront came originally from Great Britain.

Grow More Alfalfa

One wey for farmers to avoid paying high prices for clover seed to get legumes is to apply more lime and sow alfalfa where it can be grown, says specialists at the Pennsylvania State college.

Have No Games of Skill

Games played by American Indians may be divided into two general classes. Games of chance and games of dexterity. Games of pure skill and calculation, such as chess, are entirely absent.

Derived From the Gaelic

A corrie is a circular hollow in the side of a hill or mountain. The word is derived from the Gaelic "coir," which properly means a "caldron."

Time for Repentance

We look to our last sickness for repentance unmindful that it is during a recovery men repent, not during a sickness.—Hare.

Wisdom's Qualities

The first point of wisdom is to discern that which is false; the second, to know that which is true.—Lactantius.

Speaking of Noise

Lots of people never make much noise in the world till their theories are exploded.—Grand Rapids Press.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated February 8th, 1924, executed hy Ewert Rewertz and Anna Rewertz, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on February 13th, 1924, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 142 thereof; that default consists in the failure to psy $122.65, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $125.00, due on August 8th, 1928, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $125.00, due on February 8th, 1929; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the huildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $3,774.65, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from February 8th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $247.65, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $122.65 thereof since November 27th, 1928, and on $125.00 thereof since February 8th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $9.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since February 16th, 1929, in all the sum of $4,107.42, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the deht secured hy said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the lands and premises therein described, lying and heing in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The West Half of the Northwest Quarter (W½ of NW¼) of Section Sixteen (16), and the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Nine (9), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 240 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold hy the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 26th day of July, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest hidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the deht then due on said mortgage, including said insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and dishursements allowed hy law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 12th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't. Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. J-13 July 18

Wyandotte Items

C. R. Brown was a business caller at the John Albin home on Monday.

Pete Kolseth is the owner of a Ford which he purchased last week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Wilson and family visited at the Jim Evenson home Friday evening.

Peter Kolseth, Marie and Carl Kolseth were in Red Lake Falls Monday where the former transacted business.

Melvin Hanson was a caller at John Albin's home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Aruther Hogen and Eddie Hanson returned home from North Dakota Wednesday evening.

Eddie Hanson and Walter Hogen visited at Peter Kolseth home Sunday evening.

Peter Kolseth visited at H. L. Bruggeman home Monday evening.

Daniel, Carl, Harry, Gina and Hannah Haugen, and David Clark visited at Ole Mathson's Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. David Haugen and son, Harold returned home Friday from Sask., Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Wilson and family left Saturday for Clay County Minn. to spend a few days vacation with friends there.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Red Wing—Work on the Memorial Stairway to the top of Barn Cliff will start next week.

St. Paul—Fire of undetermined origin caused damage estimated at $40,000 in the Drewry and Sons Bottling Works.

Minneapolis—The tenth annual show of the Northwest Peony and Iris Soclety here, contained more than 150 varieties of Iris.

Faribault—The Shattuck school here has heen designated with fifteen other academies and schools over the conntry as an honor military school for 1929.

St. Paul—The State of Minnesota is $2,000,000 richsr in the matter of general revenue than two years ago, Julius Schmahl, state treasurer, has revealsd.

Austin—John A. Gross, former Red Wing fire chief, conducted an interesting demonstration at the annual convention of the League of Minnesota municipalities here.

Duluth—Dulnth has heen selected as the 1930 gathering of the Internatlonal Assn. of Chiefs of Police according to information received from the convention at Atlanta, Ga.

Stanchfield—By hurning a hole through the two and one half inch top of the safe with an acetylene torch, hurglars ohtained $3,000 from the First State Bank of Stanchfield.

Little Falls—The population of Pine Grove park has heen swelled hy two this spring. Alderman Wilczek, in eharge of park activities announced the arrival of two bahy huffalos.

Rsd Wing—Jesse McIntire has what is claimed to he the oldest peony plant in the stata, which his grandfather planted in 1870 and which has hloomed every year for 59 consecutive years.

St. Paul—Honoring the seventy-fifth birthday of their alma mater, students of Hamline University presented a pageant showing the history of the college since its start at Red Wing in 1853.

St. Paul—Plans have heen completed for Minnesota's first annual airplane tour, with overnight stops in approximatedy twenty towns, under the auspices of the Contact Club of the Americas.

White Bear—Bathers in Whita Bear Lake have heen warned that hlue vitriol bad beeu poured into the waters by some unknown persons and that plunges into the lake might result in blindness.

Osseo—Fire that destroyed four tanks containing 300,000 gallons of gasoline and 50,000 gallons of oil and threatened to wipe ont a section of Osseo, was bronght under control here with loss, estimated at $50,000, was held to the tanks and nearhy eqnipment.

Kingston—A tornado swept over a 25-mile stretch in the central part of the state, killing livestock, demolishing property and causing property losses estimated at $100,000. The heaviest losses in life and property were suffered at Kingston, Cokato and Duluth.

Minneapolis — Minnesota's winter wheat harvest this year has been forecast at 3,765,000 hnshels, one of the largest in history and comparing with the 1928 production of 2,640,000 hushels and an average of 2,848,000 for the five years of 1923-27, says the June crop survey of Paul H. Kirk, state agricultural statistician.

St. Paul—Election of N. J. Holmherg, state commissioner of agriculture, as chairman of the State Employes Pension and Retirement association is announced. Mr. Holmherg takes the piece of Julius A. Schmahl, state treasurer, who was temporary chairman during preliminary organization of the association whose pension plen was legalized hy the 1929 legislature.

Minneapolis — Minnesota's annual hattle against common harberry, alternate host of wheat stem rust, will open Jnne 17. The principal attack will he made in Hennepin, Carver and Scott counties, according to L. W. Melander, of University Farm, St. Paul. Approximstely 50 connties have already completed plans, which involve a systematic search in the counties where there is any possihility of a rust spread. Twenty-four men, formerly agricultural college students, will work under the direction of Mr. Melander.

Minneapolis—For the first time Minnesota has heen selected hy the National Tuherculosis Association for one of its training courses for tuherculosis workers, and a two weeks' Institnte will he condncted at the University from Jnne 17 to 29. The Minneosta Puhlic Health Association is co-operating in plans for the course, which will be directed hy Dr. Philip Jacobs of the National Tuberculosis Association, New York City. Twenty-two anthorities on various phases of health work will participate in the program. Nurses and others interssted in tuberculosis work have enrolled for the course from various parts of Minnesota, and other states. This course is a part of the national extension ednactional work financed hy Christmas Seals.

Upsala—The higgest and most successful event that the Morrison County Farm Bureau ever put over was the Achievement day held here. There were 700 people from all parts of Morrison county.

Rochester—Affiliation of the First National Bank of Rochester with the First Bank Stock Investment Co. of the Twin Cities has heen announced by C. A. Chapman, president of the local institution. This hank is the third oldest national bank in Minnesota, having received its national charter in 1864.

Quick Repair Service

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My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

The Temperamental Hound-Dawg

ABOUT once in so often some impassioned partisan rises up in congress or elsewhere and accuses the majority party or the administration or somehody of hrihery, corruption, fraud and incompetency, and announces his intention of smoking the scoundrels out. This type of person is especially numerous in Presidential years, but we have him other years, too.

A few yeers ego—it was in 1916, I helieve, there was a prominent spellbinder on the Repnhlican side who set forth upon his campaigniog with the avowed intention of proving that wholesale Democratic stupidity at Washington bad practically ruined the country and then, being challenged for facts to beck up his accusation, was so shy of uctual ammnnition that for the moment he could point ooly to the instance of a petty officeholder, a holdover from the Taft administration who, in alleged violation of civil service rules, had been ousted from his joh to make room for a Wilson man.

The incident reminded a friend of mine down South of a certain gifted hound dog which a certain Kentucky pioneer owned. He said to me:

"The old fellow osed to tell me thet wheo his father come out over the Wilderness trail from North Carolina he hrought with him the fastest, the hest-bred, the keenest-nosed hound that had ever heen seen in the infant settlements heyood the mountains. Bnt the dog suffered from a tempersmental defect which militated agaiust his success.

"At sunrise he would start ont on bis own hook after deer. He would jump a bnck and run him for miles. When the buck was on the point of exhaustion the hound's nostrils would catch the taint in the air where a fox had crossed the trail, and he would instantly decide that, after all, fox was what he bad come for; and he wonld turn aside to pursue the fox.

"Perheps an honr later, when the chase was growing warmer every minute, his keen nose wonld detect the presence of a rabbit, and he wonld go after the cottontail, with the inevitable result that by four o'clock in the afternoon that hound wonld he thirty or forty miles away from home, in a swamp, with a chipmunk treed!"

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Nsither Quite Satisfied

"A man who works wishea he wos loafin'," said Uncle Ehen; "but not es hard es de man dot loafs wishes he was workin'."—Washington Star.

Ammonia for House Fern

Ahont every three months the honse fern will appreciate a watering containing a little honsehold ammonia. It will make it green and glossy.

Money Saving Bargains

10 bars Crystal White Soap	$.38
Kwiksolve, one 25 c and one 10 c pkg	.23
Lye, per can	.09
Bias tape, fast colors, 5 yds.	.07
Turkish towels, 15 x 25	.10
Turkish towels, 18 x 38	.19
Matches, 6 boxes	.18
Hershey's cocoa, big can,	.16
Swansdown cake flour	.29
10 lbs gran sugar	.58

We redeem Kwiksolv and Crystal White soap coupons

M. H. Jackson

ST. HILAIRE   MINNESOTA

But Try to Buy It!

Worn by Napoleon during his retreat from Moscow, a topcoat which is now one of the priceless possessions of the Invalides Military museum, Paris, is regarded by government inventory makers as a mere second-hand garment. As such it is listed in the state assets at an appraised value of 80 francs or $3.20.

String on Midshipman

The four-year education of a midshipman at the United States Naval academy represents an investment of approximately $20,000. In order that the government will receive some return for its money, a midshipman is required to serve at least two years on graduation before being eligible for resignation.

Woodcut in Old Book

"The oldest printed book in the world known today, 'The Diamond Sutra,' a section of the Buddhist scriptures, is illustrated with a woodcut," Mr. Knauff finds. "It was printed in China in 828 A. D. It was found in 1907 by Sir Aurel Stein, and is in the form of a roll, like the Greek and Roman books."—Golden Book.

Age Does Not Give Value

The fact that a violin is old does not necessarily mean that from an intrinsic standpoint, it is more valuable than a newer one. Some of the recently made violins have such exquisite tone that they can scarcely be identified when compared with the work of the old violin makers.

Ribbon for Typewriter

Typewriter ribbons are usually made of good quality nainsook closely woven of fine even thread spun from the best long-fiber Sea Island cotton. They are inked by means of special machinery so that each fiber becomes thoroughly soaked.

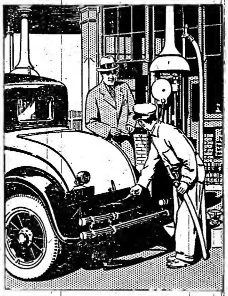
Speaking of Investments—

If more people believed their bankers and fewer believed their barbers there would be less trouble over the family savings.—American Magazine.

They're Easy to Find

Some people like to quarrel, but they ought to pick their opponents from among those that feel the same way about it.—Atchison Daily Globe.

"You'll go *many miles* before this Car needs gas again!"



OPERATING ECONOMY

AND REMARKABLY LOW PRICE MAKE WHIPPET EASY ON POCKETBOOK!

THE new Superior Whippet Four carries on the original Whippet's unsurpassed reputation for low operating and service costs. Though its higher compression engine develops more than 20% added horsepower, with faster speed and pick-up, there is no increase in Whippet's consumption of gas and oil.

And the new Superior Whippet Six is even more economical than its predecessor. Its increase in compression ratio assures more value from gas used, and more miles per gallon.

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Balance in 12 easy monthly payments. Line includes Coach, Sedan, De Luxe Sedan, Roadster. All Willys-Overland prices f. o. b. Toledo, Ohio, and specifications subject to change without notice.

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NEW SUPERIOR *Whippet* FOURS SIXES

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THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in local church at 10:30 A. M., with Sunday school following.

Picnic of Clara church will be held at the A. P. Anderson farm afternoon at 3:00.

Ladies Aid of Clara church meets at the John Peterson home Wednesday, June 26 at 2:30.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, June 23
Services ar follows:-
Ebenezer, Mayfield, 11:00 A. M.
St. Hilaire Luth, 8: 00 P. M.

In case repair of the church has started, services will be held in the school room.

Clearwater congregation will have a social Saturday evening starting at 8:00 at the church. Good program of songs, recitations, music etc. Refereshments will be served. The new pews are now in place, and a needed improvement is done.

The West ladies aid of Ebenezer will have their auction social June 21 st. at 2:00 P. M. at the Wedul home.

St. Pauli Ladies Aid at Martin Mathsons on June 20 at 2: 30 P. M.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all friends and neighbors for their kindness to us during our recent bereavement, and also to all who contributed flowers at the funeral. Your numerous kindnesses will ever be held in grateful remembrance by us all.

Mrs. Chas Walton, Jr. and family
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Walton Sr. and family

The Spectator, $1.50 a year.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated September 20th, 1926, executed by William H. Sherwood and Anna Sherwood, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on September 22nd, 1928, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 336 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $60.63, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $140.63 due on March 20th, 1928, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $140.63 each, due on September 20th, 1928, and March 20th, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,381.42, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from March 20th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $341.89, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $60.63 thereof since March 21st, 1928, on $140.63 thereof since September 20th, 1928, and on $140.63 thereof since March 20th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $262.15 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1929, and the sum of $41.46, premiums on insurence effected, including interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $5,078.03, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-five (35), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West; Lot Three (3), in Section Three (3), also Lots Three (3) and Four (4) of Section Two (2), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, conveying hereby 323 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 28th day of June, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premiums paid, as eforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated May 15th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General,
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
810 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.   M18-J20.

Mother's Cook Book

A millstone and the human heart
Are driven round and round;
If they have nothing else to grind
They must themselves be ground.

THINGS EVERYBODY LIKE

MOTHERS who are the busiest people in the world need help often in planning meals. To have them wholesome, attractive, and at the same time economical as to one's income, is not the easiest thing in the world.

With small children, the meals must be simple but wholesome. This rule will work for those in the family who are aged.

Nourishing soups, cream of vegetable or mixed vegetable soups are always good. Young children and old people should have food that is easy of digestion.

Active adults are able to digest various combinations of foods, but with children the less complicated food is best.

Custards, junkets, rice and tapioca for puddings will be easy of preparation and are not taxing on the digestion. Fresh fruits, dried fruits, baked apples and prunes are all desirable.

Fig Omelet.

Cut small figs into pieces and stew them in a little sugar and orange juice until tender. Beat the yolks of four eggs until thick, adding one tablespoonful of water for each egg; fold in the stiffly beaten whites and pour into a well-buttered omelet pan. Cover with the figs and when well cooked on the bottom, fold and serve with the sirup.

Rice With Bananas.

Season cold boiled rice with melted butter, the grated rind of a lemon, add two beaten eggs and sugar to taste, cook until the eggs are set, pack into a buttered border mold and keep warm ten minutes. Turn out carefully and fill the center with sliced bananas. Pour over any fruit juice or a sirup flavored with lemon.

LOCALS

Collie Pups For Sale: Four collie pups for sale at $10 for males and $5 each for females. Call on.
Bennet Johnson, City

Mrs. Anna Martz and Miss Lilly Johnson left Tuesday over the Soo for the Twin Cities, the former to spend the summer at St. Paul, and the latter to attend summer sessions at the state university.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

The semi-annual dividend of 7 percent will be paid on Gamble Store's preferred stock July 1st.

Additional preferred stock may be had in limited quanities. Write Gamble Stores, 434 Stinson Blvd., Minneapolis.   Adv.

Bill Hallemeck, who has been engaged in aviation work in eastern states since leaving here some months ago, returned home Saturday for a visit with his parents.

J. Sagmoen of Rosewood, was awarded the contract last week for steel sheeting the interior of the Norwegian Lutheran church here.

Howard Bilden, who travels for a wholesale drug concern located in Michigan, having his headquarters at Des Moines, Iowa., came home last evening to spend a short vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bilden.

The First State Bank at Oklee, was closed by the state banking department last Saturday because of depleted reserves. L. E. Healy of Red Lake Falls, has been named special deputy examiner for the Oklee bank in addition to two at Red Lake Falls and the Farmers State Bank here which he has hand led since they closed some time ago.

Miss Huldah Gigstad, principal of one of the city schools at Moorhead, came up by bus Saturday morning for a brief visit at home. She left Monday to attend the six weeks summer school session at the State College at Moorhead. After that she plans to visit relatives in southern part of the state and also in Wisconsin before returning to her school work.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northeru Wheat	$.90
Duram Wheat	.82
Rye	.68
Barley	.42
Oats	.33
Flax	2.24
Eggs, cash	.24
Creamery butter	.47

Fare Enough

We will take you any place
For a single street car fare,
If the intervening space,
You will cover on Shank's mare.

Sardine

"I say," said the new curate, looking up from the evening paper, "have you heard about the dean who was found in a box?"

"No," cried the rector excitedly. "Which dean was that?"

"The sardine."

Problem Solved

Bill—I think I will have to get a new car.

Will—What's wrong with the one you have?

"I can't pay for it."—Border Cities Star.

Retort Courteous

"Hey, Miss Whatsyourname!" shouted the boss. What's the phone number of Brown & Company?" "Oh," replied the new stenog, dabbing her nose, "approximately 3000 Something."

That Would Be New

"I wish I could think of something new for a literary afternoon," sighed Eloise.

"Don't have lettuce sandwiches," suggested Alfred.

Dr. Spofford

OPTOMETRIST

- Will Be At -

Hotel Lincoln, Red Lake Falls
Tuesday, June, 25th, P. M.

Eyes Examined
Glasses Fitted

After looking after his residence property and making some necessary repairs, Geo. W. Hooper left last week to make his home at Tacoma, Wash. where other members of his family reside.

During his 21 years of residence in St. Hilaire, Mr. Hooper has at all times taken a lively interest in affairs of the community, and has contributed no small part to its advancement. A wholehearted booster, and a consistent worker for improvement, Mr. Hooper has been a valuable citizen in this community. His many friends regret very much to see him leave, but wish him well wherever he may locate.

Bass Season Opens June 21st

Bass, Crappies, sunfish, rockbass and other nest building fish may not be taken from Northern Minnesota waters until June 21 st. Pickerel pike may be taken now, but remember to toss back the nest builders until after the 21 st. of the present month.

Plummer Teachers Hired

All of the teachers for the coming year have been elected by the local school board. They are as follows: C. R. Peterson, superintendent; Blanche Bengston of St. Peter, principal; Blanche Heagy of St. Paul, high School teacher; Maragret Gossen 7th and 8th grades; Myrtle Arrowsmith of Pipestone, 5th. and 6th. grades Dorthy Augustine, 3rd and 4th. grades and Bernice Linnihan 1st and 2nd grades. Starting in next year our high school will be an accredited four year high school whereas heretofore it has only been a high school department. - Plummer Pioneer.

Notice of Annual Meeting

Annual meeting of stockholders of the Wylie Co-op Elevator Co. of Wylie, Minn., will be held at Wylie on Monday. July 8 th., at 1:00 P. M., for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year, and to transact any other business that may come before the meeting.

Peter Schirrick, Sec' ty

What a wonderful feeling! To know that wherever you are in eight northwestern states you can get a FREE inner tube with every G&J Tread tire at any of the 100 Gamble Stores. 202 Main Ave., Thief River Falls.

Frank Johnson, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Ole Johnson, motored up last week from Virginia to look after matters at their farm here. Frank has accepted a new position in Chicago and will leave for that city this week. Mrs. Johnson will spend about six weeks here before leaving.

Mower Supplies:- I have sickles, sections, guards, sickle heads and pitmen bars for all standard makes of mowers, at prices that will save you money.

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J20, Jul4   Minnesota

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Fricker--Nelson

At a pretty church wedding solemnized at the Swedish Lutheran cburch at two o'clock last Sunday, Miss Alice Maybelle Fricker, daughter of Mr. M. Fricker of this village, became the bride of Mr. Nels A. Nelson, son of Mrs. N. A. Nelson, also of this vilage. To the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march, the bridal couple, attended hy Miss Hazel Fricker, sister of the bride, and Mr. Knute Odegaard, marched to the altar. Before the vows were spoken, Miss Ruth Lacher of Minneapolis sang, "O Promise Me" after which Rev. A. F. Nelson, pastor of the church, read the marriage services and pronounced Miss Fricker and Mr. Nelson man and wife.

Following the wedding, a reception was given at the home of the bride. The dining room of the home was beautifully decorated in a yellow-and-white color scheme, and this scheme was also cleverly carried out in the table decorations. Of forty guests present at the reception, the following were from out of town: Mrs. G. Adolpbs, Mr. and Mrs. Verner Nelson and Miss Mae Kenney, all of Thief River Falls; Miss Ruth Swenby, of Chisholm; Mrs. Oscar Nelson and Knute Odegaard, both of Dulutb; Mrs. A. W. Howie of San Francisco; Miss Ruth Lacher of Minneapolis; Miss Lulu Beebe of St. Paul; Geo. Fricker of Holt; Howard Bilden of Des Moines, Ia.; Melvin Sherva of Wahpeton, N. Dak.; and Clifford Bilden of Dalton, Minn.

After the reception, the newly weds left on an auto trip to Bemidji and Brainard and central Minnesota, after which they will go to Minneapolis, where they will make their home. The bride is a graduate of the local higb school and of the St. Cloud Teachers College. She taught school at Mabel, Minn., the past year, and for two years prior to that she taught in the local school The groom is also a graduate of the high school here, and of Gustavus Adolpbus College at St. Peter. He is in the employ of the National tea Company as manager of one of the company stores at Minneapolis.

The marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson has grown out of a school day romance, and it was especially fitting that the wedding followed so closely the reunion of the class of '19, of which both young people were members. The newlyweds

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Annual Swedish Picnic

The American Sons and Daughters of Sweden will hold their annal midsummer picnic at the Squaw Point picnic grounds at Tbief River Falls next Sunday, June 30th. An appropriate program will be given starting at 2:00 with N. A. Thorson postmaster at Crookston as the principal speaker. Outdoor devotional services will be held at 11:00 A. M., with Dr. Arthur Kolberg as speaker.

A cordial invitation is extended to the public to come. Bring ycur lunch and cups. Coffee will he served free to all on the grounds.

Peter Lindblom Called

John Peter Anton Lindblom, pioneer resident of Bray townabip, died at hia home Monday evening at 7:25 after a brief illness, of pneumonia.

Mr. Lindblom was born in Vamerby, Sweden on Feb. 28tb, 1845, and was 84 years, 3 montbs and 26 days of age at time of deatb. Ha grew to manbood in the old country, and was married to Chriatina Bjerke whiie tbere. They came to this country in 1877 settling at Tampico, Ill. Tbey later resided in Nebraska and Kansas before coming here iu 1886 to reside on the farm in Bray which has slnce bean the family home. Mrs. Lindblom died many years ago. Two aons and two daughters have also preceeded their father in death one aon, Arthur, being called about two years ago. Snrviving members of the family are Henry Lindblom, who resides on the home place, and Mrs. Gustaf Scholin in Canada. Mr. Lindblom is also survived by ten grandchildren. During his 43 years of residence in this commnnity, Mr. Lindblom has engaged in farming in Bray He was well known all over tbis section, and to all oldtimers who resided here years ago.

Funeral services will be beld at the bome at 1:00 tomorrow afternoon, and at tbe Black River Swedish Lutheran church at 2:00, Rev. A. F. Nelson officiating. Interment will be at tba Black River cemetery.

Sympatby of numerous old friends is extended to family of the deceased,

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Safe and Sane

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Summer term of district court closed at Thief River last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Person are the parents of a baby son born last Friday at the hospital at Thief River Falls.

Supt. R. Peterson of the Plummer schools, motored over during last week-end from his home at Lakota. N. D., and visited here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Herve de Cathelineau motored up Thurday from Willmar to attend renunion of the Class of 1919, and to visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. Louis de Cathelineau.

Clifford Bilden, emoloyed as assistant buttermaker in the creamery at Dalton, Minn., came up Friday morning to spend the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bilden.

Part of materials needed for interior alteration of the Norwegian Lutheran church has arrived, and the contractor is busy engaged at stripping tbe walls in preparation for steel sheeting.

A large crowd from all over southern part of this county, as well as a number from more distinct points, attended the Clara Swedish Lutheran church picnic give Sunday afternoon at the Mrs. A. P. Anderson farm southeast of bere.

Tom Thompson of Jewell, Iowa, was here Monday for a short visit at the Mrs. Sam Thompson home while looking up matters in connection with farm property belonging to estate of his father, the late Sam Thompson.

Kenard Hovet, wbo has been employed the past two years hy the Horicon, Wis. Reportor. motored up Sunday for an indefinate visit at his home here. He was accompanied by his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gigstad of New port, Minn., who will spend a week or two at home.

Mr. and Mrs, John Dahlgren aud son Clarence, accompanied by Emil Dahlgren, and Axel Dahlstrom, motored up Saturday from Alexandria and spent until Sunday at the home of Cbas. Samuelson near Plummer. Jonn Dahlgren worked in this locality about forty years ago, and this is his first visit hack since that time.

Atty. Perl W. Mabey of Thief River, was down Friday attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hauge and famüv of Halstad, who bad spent several days here with relatives left Monday for a visit at Bemidji.

The local kittenball team lost to the Soo Line office team of Thief River on local grounds Wednesday evening last week.

Mrs. A. W. Howie and children came last week from San Francisco, Calif for a visit at the home of ber parents Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Kruse. west of the village.

Dorcas Society of the Nor. Luth. cburcb will be held at the church parlors, Saturday at 2:00 P. M. Miss Josephene Branum and Mrs. John Lundberg entertaining.

Pirce for lunch, adults 10c children 5 cents.

Several construction outfits moved onto the job last week and commenced construction of that new part of Trunk Highway No. 8 which will run southeast from junction of No. 8 and 32 south of Red Lake Falls, thru Mentor to Erskine

Evangelists Rudolph Johnson and Victor Nyquist closed a week of successful gospel meetings Sunday at the local Mission church and left the following day for Viking where they will have meetings all this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jackson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Giese and family were over Sunday from Grand Forks for a visit at the H. O. and M. H. Jackson homes, and also to attend the picnic at the A. P. Anderson farm.

William Engb, who has not been in his usual good bealth lately, sub mitted to an operation for appendicitis yesterday at the hospital at Thief River. Report from there last evening was that he was resting well, and was getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Brink and little son, wbo bave spent the winter at Eight Point, Mont., returned here last week and are staying at the Mauritz Brink home, at Thief River. They will spend the summer and fall here wbile Mr. Brink attends to his duties as State Boiler Inspector in the 65th district which comprises the counties of Pennington, Red Lake and Clearwater.

Feiring--Dahl

Local friends and relatives of the groom recently received announcements of the marriage of Miss Hulda Feiring of Minneapolis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Feiring of Rothsay, Minn., and Edwin J. Dahl of Miles City, Mont., the ceremony taking place Monday, June 17th, at Miles City. After a two months motor trip in Montana, Mr. and Mrs. Dahl will be at home September 1st, at Lewistown, Mont.

Mrs. Dahl has taught school for a number of years at Minneapolis, being a member of the faculty of the Thomas Lowry school. Mr. Dahl, who grew to manhood in this village, is now deputy dairy comissioner of the state of Montana. Numerous friends in this village join in extending congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Dahl.

Axel Risberg Called

Deputy County Auditor Axel Risberg of Thief River, died Tuesday at his bome following a stroke suffered early Tuerday morning. He had been in poor health latley and this coupled with a heavy run of work at the court house, is believed have brot on the attack. Mr. Risberg bad a host of friends in this community who will all be grieved to learn of his death.

Oil Station Burned

A fire said to have originated with explosion of a gasoline stove destroyed the store and oil station at Marcoux, at junction of Trunk Highways No 8 and 32, south of Red Lake Falls, last Friday night. Some smaller buildings nearby were saved, but the main building and station burned to the ground.

George Biskey, carrier on rural route number one, and son, Fred Biskey, assitant cashier of the Merchants State Bank returned Thursday evening after spending a two weeks vacation at Mr. Biskey's boyhood home at Buffalo, Minn. They visited at various places in the vicinity, and also enjoyed some very good fishing at Mille Lacs lake while on the trip.

Mr. and Mrs Fred Ulrich and son, Ernest, accompanied by Mr and Mrs Lehmkuhl, left Friday for a visit at the home of their son, Carl, at Great Falls, Mont.

Mrs Carl Ulrich is a daughter of Mr and Mrs Lehmkuhl.

CLASS MEETS; RENEW PLEDGE

Class Meets Again After Ten Years. Renew Pledge For Five Year Period

When the eighth grade grade graduating class of 1919 of the local school drew up a pledge and signed their names thereto, promising that ten years from that time they would meet again in the Home Town, they did something that was novel. Outside of the members of the class few knew of the existence of such a pledge until recently when the ten years had slipped slowly but surely by, and found, on the evening of last Friday, that the stage had been set for the reunion promised ten years ago.

The reunion was a glorious affair. One by one the class members returned, and at the "zero hour," ten pledge-signers, a wife of one, and a hushand of another, their teacher and "their janitor" were ready to seat themselves at the banquet table. The school board had kindly extended to the class the privilege of using the school auditorium, and it had been decorated for the occasion in an most appropriate fashion.

Melvin Sherva acted as toastmaster, and gave the opening remarks in "Accepting the Challenge' Following that, the class sang "There's a Long, Long Trail" The first course of the banquet dinner was served at 7:30 o'clock and well chosen toasts were given in the course of the dinner in the order following:

"Sunshine"	Lulu Beebe
"Rain"	Harvey Olsen
"Weeds"	Howard Bilden
"Roses"	Irene Peterson
"Maturity"	Alice Fricker
"Skal"	Melvin Sherva

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L. E. Healy was up Friday from Red Lake Falls attending to business matters pertaining to the Farmers State Bank. Mr. Healy has been named special deputy examiner in charge of the First State Bank at Oklee which closed recently, and will spend most of his time there during the next few weeks.

Overflow news items on pages 2 and 3.

Thrift-

Teach Your Children Thrift - the habit of saving money that they otherwise would spend foolishly. You will be fulfilling your duty as a parent and your children will be wiser and better for it

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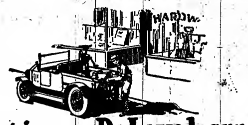

Bring in your DeLaval any time and have it overhauled—

WE are prepared to render service and put your De Laval Cream Separator in such condition that it will give you the perfect service which every De Laval Separator is capable of giving.

Bring in your complete machine. To save you unnecessary expense we suggest that you clean out the oil chamber and gears with kerosene or boiling water, which you can do at home just as well as we can.

Even if there is nothing wrong with your separator, if you have used it for sometime it is a good plan to have it inspected and overhauled. You know "a stitch in time saves nine."

Carlson Merc. Co., Inc.

O. C. Johnson, Mgr

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Undergoes Operation

Mrs. Joe King was taken ill Friday night with an attack of acute appendicitis. She was taken to the hospital at Thief River and submitted to an operation next morning. She withstood the ordeal well and is reported to be recovering rapidly.

Dogs Kill Sheep

R. J. McKercher reports about twenty sheep were killed or injured at his place Monday night by dogs. Several of the animals were dead when Mr. McKercher went to the pasture Tuesday morning, and others were so badly torn that they had to be killed. The depredations have continued despite warning given some dog owners, and Mr. McKercher states that hereafter any dogs found in or near his sheep pasture will be shot.

The Spectator office had a little reunion of its own this week when Melvin Sherva, Knute Odegaard and Kenard Hovet were home. All the boys, who now hold good positions, gained their first print shop experience in this office

Clifford Bilden, assistant buttermaker in the co-operative creamery at Dalton, Minn., returned to that place Monday after being home for a short visit with his parents, and with his brother, Howard, who came last week for reunion of the Class of 1919. Howard Bilden, accompanied by his mothor, motored to Dalton with him on Monday and returned that evening.

Trunk Highway No. 32 from Red Lake County line north to this village, which was reshaped and plowed recently, has been further improved by application of a coat of gravel

The "washboard" which was bad especially on the first two miles north, has been entirely eliminated, and that stretch of road is now as good as any other part of the trunk system in this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holmstrom and son, Walter Jr., motored up Saturday from Cambridge for a visit at the home of Mrs. Holmstrom's parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson. Mr. Holmstrom, who is county treasurer of Isanta County, return ed home but the family will visit until some time next week. On the trip down, Mr. Holmstrom was accompanied by Klemmens Gigstad, who will visit relatives in the Cities and at Randolph, and by Arthur Dahle who went as far as Wadena.

Want Ads Bring Results

Wyandotte Items

Mr. and Mrs. John Efterland, Mr. Paul Stegen and son, John and Enoch Efterland of Thief River Falls visited at David Haugen home Saturday.

Mrs. David Haugen, Daniel, Gina and Hannah Haugen attended the Ladies Aid Sale on Friday at Ole Wedul's.

Friends and neighbors attended a party on Mr. and Mrs. Arthnr Hagen Wednesday night at Ole Hanson's home. A social time was spent and at midnight a delicious lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Wilson and family returned home Monday evening from Felton Minn., after visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Nelson visited at the Ray Rockwell home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Carl Lundeen of Crookston called at Frank Peterson and Peter Kolseth homes on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. H. Haugen and daughters Violet and Clara Gina and Hannan Haugen spent Sunday at Greenbush.

The Ice Cream Social at the clearwater Church Saturday evening was well attended.

For Sale or Rent:- The former John Nelson property in the Addition north of town, consisting of 6 room house, barn, 10 lots, fruit trees, etc. Offers for rent or sale will be considered. Apply at this office. J13Ju4pd

Try Our Want Ads

Great Musician's Career

Mendelssohn's life has been described as "a road of musical sunshine with a few showers to keep down the dust." He died full of honors in 1847.

Trees Live Many Centuries

The Forest service says that big trees attain an age of about 4,000 years. Most of those standing are about 2,000 to 2,500 years old.

First "Sky Writer"

The founder of sky writing is Maj. G. C. Savage, an Englishman. The first word written by this method was "castrol," in June, 1922.

Ideal Medicine Man

'My idea of a good doctor," says Grandma Gravel in Farm and Fireside, "is one who takes pains and gives none."

Expansion Made by Ice

When it becomes ice water expands so that 917 cubic centimeters of water becomes 1,000 cubic centimeters of ice.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the Sum of Eleven Hundred Twenty and No|100 ($1120.00) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest to date of this Notice, and default having also been made in the payment of the Taxes on the herein described mortgaged Premises for the Years 1924, 1925, 1926, and 1927, amounting to the Total Sum of Three Thousand Six Hundred Seventeen and 21|100 ($3,617.21) Dollars, which said Taxes this Mortgagee has necessarily paid, making a Total Sum of Four Thousand Seven Hundred Thirty-Seven and 21|100 ($4737.21) Dollars, all of which is now claimed to be due, and is due and in default at the date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage dated November 10, 1922, made executed and delivered by C. M. Evenson and Ellen Evenson, his wife, Mortgagors to A. C. Baker, Mortgagee, which said Mortgage together with a Power of Sale therein contained is duly recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 10th day of November 1922, at 2:00 o'clock P. M. in Book "51" of Mortgages on page 199 thereof,

And No Action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by the said Mortgage, or any part thereof, and the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage having become operative,

NOW, THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

West Eighty-three (83) feet of Lots Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14) and Fifteen (15) of Block Thirty-six (36) of the Original Townsite of the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, Minnesota, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 6th day of July, 1929, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said debt of $4737.21, and interest and taxes if any, and $50.00 attorneys fees as stipulated in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of Sale as provided by law.

Dated this 23rd day of May 1929.

A. C. BAKER,
Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
Attorney for Mortgagee. M23-J27

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, }
County of Pennington } ss.
State of Minnesota. }

To M. J. Krihshack.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Southwest Quarter Section 15 Township 152 Range 42.

Is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May 1926, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 18th day of March, 1928 in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1924, for said County of Pennington the above described piece or parcel of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of Forty-three Dollars and Sixty-eight cents.

(3) That said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2128, G. S. 1913, on the 13th day of September 1926, for the sum of Forty-five Dollars and Eighty-eight cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Forty-five Dollars and Eighty-eight cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $45.88 thereof from the 13th day of September 1926, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 25th day of May, 1929.

(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County,
Approved May 16, 1919 Minnesota.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. (J.-27-Jul-11)

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DAWES ASK FOR CUT IN ARMS

Two World Leaders Voice Opinions in Simultaneous Addresses.

London—The chosen spokesmen of two peoples, those of Great Britain and the United States, simultaneously made official calls for world peace in which these two nations should be an example and encouragement for other nations.

Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald delivered his pronouncement to residents of his native Lossiemouth, Scotland. United States Ambassador Charles G. Dawes made his maiden public speech in that capacity at the Pilgrims' dinner in London.

In a message from the premier read at the Pilgrims' dinner Ambassador Dawes said that the two English speaking countries desire no alliance "either of common offense or of future defense"; they only want mutual good will which will be an example and encouragement for other nations to come into "some companionship."

The ambassador compared at length the experiences of economic experts and statesmen in wrestling with the problem of war reparations and those of naval experts and statesmen with the even more inclusive problem of armaments and asked for a definite policy in an honest attempt to cut armaments.

Ex-Congressman Newton's Son Injured

Minneapolis, Minn. — Ex-Congressman Walter R. Newton's son, John Marshall Newton, was almost fatally injured when he was run over by a street car and a leg severed above the knee. A passenger on the car is credited with having saved his life, by dragging him from under the wheels and holding the large artery until a doctor arrived, preventing his bleeding to death. His father, Walter R. Newton, now a secretary to president Hoover, arrived Saturday in a war plane. It is expected he will live.

Mercury at 93 Kills Nebraskan

Omaha, Neb.—The first reported heat death of the year in Nebraska occurred near Ellsworth. John Wikar of Alliance, Neb., died while walking to town to obtain garage service for his stalled automobile. Wesley Andersen of Chicago collapsed from heat prostration on a downtown Omaha street. The temperature was 93.

N. D. Board Accepts Resignation.

Bismarck, N. D.—The resignation of Dr. John Lee Coulter as president of the North Dakota State agricultural college has been accepted by the state board of administration. Dr. Coulter will remain at the college until August 31 when he will begin his new position as chief economist for the federal tariff commission.

Poison Kills Third Child in Family.

Chicago—Lorraine Markowski, three years old, died in the county hospital, the third child in the same family to succumb within 24 hours to a powerful poison. Two other small children are in a critical condition. Mrs. Verae Merkowski, the children's mother, and her second husband, are held in the psychopathic hospital for observation.

Six Deaths in N. Y. Laid to Heat.

New York—Six deaths in the greater New York area were attributed directly or indirectly to the heat wave. Showers brought little relief, humidity remaining high. Two persons died as a result of the heat in the city while four drownings were reported from Coney Island and the Rockaways.

Archbishop Dowling Goes to Hospital.

St. Paul, Minn.—Archbishop Austin Dowling is in St. Joseph's hospital here, suffering from an ailment which has not been completely diagnosed by his physician. The archbishop was taken to the hospital for observation and is reported resting comfortably. He has been in poor health for the past year.

Boy Killed, Brother Injured by Blast.

St. Paul, Minn.—A 7-year-old St. Paul boy is dead and his 5-year-old brother is in critical condton in Ancker hospital, St. Paul, from burns received when a can of wood stain with which they were playing exploded and ignited their clothing. Hope is held out for the 5-year-old brother.

Winner of Coast-to-Coast Race.

Los Angeles—Johnny Salo, fleet-footed policeman from Passaic, N. J., won the second C. C. Pyle transcontinental foot derby. The first prize of the New York-to-Los Angeles foot race is $25,000. Salo came from second place in a dramatic finish of the final 26-mile lap.

Kidnappers Plead Guilty.

Lewiston, Idaho—Four men identified by Lieutenant Governor W. B. Kinne as the persons who abducted and robbed him, pleaded guilty here to kidnaping charges. They will be sentenced later.

George Paul Dussau Dies.

Berkeley, Calif.—George Paul Dusrau, 73 years old, a structural engineer who was sent by the French government to America to supervise setting up Bartholdi's famous Statue of Liberty, in 1883, died here at the home of a daughter.

Lindbergh's Vessel Completes Cruise.

New York—The secret honeymoon voyage of Colonel and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh ended here when their cabin cruiser, the Monette, dropped anchor in the cove off Sands Point, N. Y.

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Office of County Auditor, }
County of Pennington } ss.
State of Minnesota. }

To Laura Holton.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Northeast Quarter Section 9. Township 152 and Range 42.

Is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1926, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 18th day of March, 1926, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1924, for said County of Pennington the above described piece or parcel of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of Fifty-three Dollars and Seventy-two cents.

(3) That the said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 13th day of September 1926, for the sum of Fifty-six Dollars and Forty-two cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Fifty-six Dollars and Forty-two cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $56.42 thereof from the 13th day of September 1926, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 20th day of May, 1929.

(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County,
Approved June 9, 1921 Minnesota
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. (J.-27-Jul-11)

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Office of County Auditor, }
County of Pennington } ss.
State of Minnesota. }

To First and People's State Bank.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Southeast Quarter of Section 17 Township 152 Range 45.

Is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May 1926, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 18th day of March, 1926, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1924, for said County of Pennington the above described piece or parcel of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of Fifty-three Dollars and Seventy-two cents.

(3) That the said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 13th day of September 1926, for the sum of Fifty-six Dollars and Forty-two cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Fifty-six Dollars and Forty-two cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $56.42 thereof from the 13th day of September 1926, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

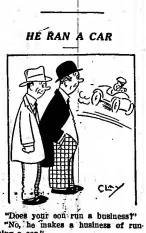
(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 20th day of May, 1929.

(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County
Approved June 9, 1921 Minnesota
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. (J.-27-Jul-11)

HE RAN A CAR



"Does your son run a business?"
"No, he makes a business of running a car."

Where He Stands

The man who weds a widow finds
To his surprise alas! too late.
That she's the captain who reminds
Him that he's only second mate.

The Spectator

O. GUNSTAD,
Publisher, Editor and Manager

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In a recent radio talk, a well known speaker had the following to say to the merchants of the small towns:

To any merchants who may be listening in I have a word of advice. Do not give your local newspaper a dollar. Instead. Buy twice as much advertising as you can afford for a period of one year, then watch your business grow.

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"Boost for your newspaper- it is always boosting the community- and the boost you give will pay you big dividends.

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

A Little Story for Husbands to Read

JONES, who had been married a considerable number of years, took counsel with one of his bachelor friends.

"It seems to me," he said, "that my domestic affairs are slipping into a rut. I'm afraid my wife is getting bored. There don't seem to be any of the romance left that we had in our early married life. I wish I knew what is the matter."

"I can make a guess," said his confidant. "Do you still pay your wife those little attentions that you used to pay her when you were courting her?"

"Well," confessed Jones, "I can't say that I do."

"I thought as much," said the wise counselor. "The trouble with you is that you're like that other married man who said under similar conditions that when you'd run to catch a car you didn't need to run any more after you have caught it. Now, this is my advice to you: Turn over a new leaf. Start this very day. Begin paying your wife a little attention. Fuss over her just as you used to do when you were first engaged. Try to be a sweetheart to her instead of just a husband."

"By gum, maybe you're right," said Jones. "I'll do that very thing."

That evening, when he burst in the front door, his arms laden with parcels, he planted a warm kiss upon the cheek of the astonished Mrs. Jones and in tones of a well-worked-up enthusiasm he cried out:

"Dearie, this is going to be a big night for us! Here's a ten-pound box of candy for you and here's a dozen American Beauty roses. Now I want you to slip into your best frock. I've got a table reserved at the Ritz-Carlton for dinner and I've ordered two seats for the opera. Why—what's the matter?" he added, seeing that her lips trembled.

"Well, to begin with," she said, "the cook quit today. Your Aunt Clara arrived unexpectedly for a visit and there's no telling how long she'll stay, both the children were sent from school, sick with bad colds, and now —" she burst into tears "—and now, to cap the climax, you come home drunk!"

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Chick Feeds Of All Kinds

Success in poultry raising depends to a large extent, on the feeds used. We have **Pillsbury's chick starter, Growing grains, Meat scraps, Bone Meal, Charcoal, Oyster shells etc.** These feeds are used with splendid success by poultry raisers all over the country.

Big supply of mill feeds on hand at all times.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

South River Falls

Helen Hesse visited Sunday after noon at Paul Tbyren bome.

Mrs. O. Norquist and Nannie Erickson motored Saturday to Crookston to do shopping and also to visit their brothor, Aliec who re sides there.

Mrs. E. Eide visited Saturday at the G. Peterson home.

Many friends gathered at the Aug Erickson home Tuesday evening and tendered Miss Nannie Erickson a bride-to-be of this month, a miscellaneous sbower. The evening was spent in an enjoyable manner and a delicious lunch was served at mid-nigbt. Miss Erickson received a number of useful gifts from her many friends.

Nannie and Ernest Erickson, Mrs E. Eide and Mrs. O. Norquist motored Wednesday to McIntosh to visit tbeir brother Elmer, returning home Thursday.

The picnic of the Swedish Lutheran church which was held at tbe A. P. Anderson home Sunday afternoon was well attended. Dr. Kolberg, a missionary from Cbina, who has resided in California the past two years, gave a very fine sermon. Everybody enjoyed tbe speech and an enjoyable afternoon was spent by all.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Erickson and family visited Saturday afternoon at the A. Aug. Erickson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Kolberg and children of California are here to spend the summer at J. Palmquist home. They plan to return to China this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Peterson called Monday afternoon at the J. Gunstad home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Peterson and son Dale visited Saturday evening at Aug. Erickson home.

First Teeth

Deciduons teeth are the first teeth. Children cnt them nsually between tbe ages of fonr months and two years. They are sbed between the ages of six and twelve.

Beckoning Light

Two ligbts are seen on the horizon —one the fast fading marsh light of power; and the other the slowly rising sun of hnman brotherhood.—John P. Altgeld.

Golf Statistics

It has been estimated that 15,000,000 golf balls are nsed in a year exclusive of those misnsed.

First U. S. "Regulars"

The first regiments of the United States regular army were formed in 1789.

25 Years Ago

Five places in the village were granted saloon licenses that week.

—XXV—

Many of the old mill hands who had gone elsewhere to work that season, begun to drift back wben the mill opened.

—XXV—

The new town of Plummer was having a boom. Lots were being sold rapidly and many new business places were going.

—XXV—

Otto Swenson, one of old-time residents of River Falls, died Monday of that week. He was survived by bis widow and two cbildren.

—XXV—

The local creamery won 6th place in the June butter contest held at tbe St. Louis World's Fair. More tban 800 contestants were entered and only five scored higher tban the local creamery.

—XXV—

Due to increased demand for lumber, and because of shut-downs at the other mills of the company, tbe sawmill here was put in sbape and commenced sawing that week.

—XXV—

Sale of lands on the Red Lake Indian Reservation opened at Thief River Falls the previous Monday. Between four and five thousand people were present the opening day, and bidding was spirited.

Far From Perfect

"Wby don't you call me n donkey ond have dooe with it? You've hinted et it long enough," said the hen pecked husband.

"It wouldn't be qnite true," replied Mrs. Meek.

"I suppose not. I haven't ears long enough for that animal."

"Oh, yes, you hnve. Yon don't need longer ears."

"What do I need then?"

"Two more legs and n better voice."

"Near" and "Far" East

The Near East applies to such parts of Europe as Syria, Greece, Turkey in Europe and other nearby countries. The Far East refers to Chins, Japan, India and other Asiatic countries.

Master of His Soul

I am bigger than anything tbat can happen to me. All these things, sorrow, misfortune and suffering, are ontside my door. I om in the house and I have the key.—Lnmmis.

Addressing President

The President of the United States is usually spoken to as "Mr. President," in writing to him, "My dear Mr. President" is good usage, and so is "Dear Mr. President."

Worst of All Bungling

I hnte all bungling as I do sin, but particularly bnngling in polltics, which leads to tbe misery nnd ruin of many thousands and millions of people.—Goethe.

Pioneer Actress Unknown

It is believed that the first woman who appeared in any regular drama performed the part of Desdemona in "Othello." Her name is not known.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated February 8th, 1924, executed by Ewert Rewertz and Anna Rewertz, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on February 13th, 1924, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 142 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $122.65, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $125.00, due on August 8th, 1928, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $125.00, due on February 8th, 1929; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $3,774.65, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from February 8th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $247.65, amortized principal and interest with interest on $122.65 thereof since November 27th, 1928, and on $125.00 thereof since February 8th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $9.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since February 16th, 1929, in all the sum of $4,107.42 including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the deht secured by said mortgage or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The West Half of the Northwest Quarter (W½ of NW¼) of Section Sixteen (16), and the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Nine (9), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 240 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 26th day of July, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed hy law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 12th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee
By Department of Rural Credit
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't. Attorney General
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
310 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. J-13 July 18

THE CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle. Pastor.

Sunday, June 30tb.

ST. PAULI:

Confirmation at 10:30, Catechation of Confirmants Saturday evening at 8:00.

Choir practice Friday evening al 8:00.

Ladies Aid Friday afternoon. Mrs. Edw. Vigen entertains.

Remember the offering to the Budget at the Confirmation service Sunday morning.

CLEARWATER:

Confirmation services at 1:45 P M.

EBENEZER:

Luther League meets at the Lovaas home Sunday at 2:00 P. M.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

There will be no services or Sunday school in any church in this cbarge the comming Sunday.

Methodist-Presbyterian Church
Thief River Falls
Sunday 8 P. M.
Fourth of July Sermon By
Dr. GRAYS
'The Missouri Synod and Politics'

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Hutchinson—Needs of the local park board will be met hereafter largely from a municipal nursery established in vacant space at the fair grounds.

St. James—Contracts for construction of a new $100,000 auditorium to the St. James high school building have heen let hy the board of edncation.

White Bear Lake—One man was instantly killed and a companion fatally injured when a biplane in which they were flying crashed to earth in a field near here.

Owatonna—A. P. Partsch was reelected president of the Owatonna Farmers Elevator and Mercantile Company, local co-operative body, at its annual meeting here.

St. Paul—A reforestation project covering 172,420 acres of cutover land in northern Minnesota has heen announced by the Weyerhaenser lumber interests of this city.

Little Falls—Installation of automatic crossing warning or construction of overhead tracks is demanded of the Northern Pacific railroad at its Northwestern mill crossing here.

Minneapolis—Owen L. Houghland's and Gene Shank's second attempt to brenk the world's refueling endurance flight ended when their oil snpply gave ont after 13 hours in the air.

Minneapolis — A national flower show, one of the most vivid exhibitions possible for n major city of the United States, will he held in Minneapolis March 29 to April 6, 1930.

Minneapolis—Garbed in the solemn black robes of scholastic achievement, more than 1,400 seniors were gradnated from the University of Minnesota at impressive ceremonies which brought to an end the institntion's sixtieth year.

Fergus Falls—Seeking means of making cinb work more effective in community betterment, officers of Rotary Clnbs in Minnesota, North Dakota and western Wisconsin completed a two-day conference here.

Faribault—Tens of thonsands of fragrant and varicolored peonies, exquisitely beantiful even in a community where floriculture has become a major indnstry and beanty is common, nshered in Faribanlt's third annual peony festival.

Lake City—Approximately 1,200 men of the 205th Infantry, Minnesota National Gnard, under the command of Colonel Ivan Bowen of Minneapolis, former state railroad and wnrehouse commissioner, began their snmmer encampment training.

Minneapolis—That tbe motor truck has become an important factor in freight transportation in Minnesota, has ben shown in a report by the Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission revealing that trucks on regular routes operated a total of 6,071,531 miles in 1928.

Le Sueur Center—Urging the hearers to help make this country hetter for future generations, Mayor L. C. Hodgson of St. Panl delivered the principal adress at the dedicntion of a fing staff and flag at the fairgrounds here. Approximately 3,000 persons nttended the ceremonies.

Willmar—Damage wbich local newspapermen estimated nt $10,000 wns cansed by a storm which swept several communities near here. Barns and other huildings were demolished and lifted from their fonndations, silos dsstroyed, trees up rooted and a number of head of livestock killed.

Brainerd—Appointment of John Lowey of this community who was gradnated this spring from Shattuck military school nt Faribanlt, has heen recommended as the Edison scholarship nominee by J. M. McConnel, state commissioner of edncation in n message to Governor Christianson.

Red Wing—With pledges for Barn bluff stairway now in the neighborhood of the $4,000 mark and additionnl platforms and steps being pledged every day, the project sponsored by the Kiwanis to build n lasting memorial stairwny to the top of this "mountain" is going over in an enthusiastic manner.

St. Paul—A warning to shippers of hogs has heen issued hy O. P. B. Jncobson, chairman of the Minnesota Railroad and Warehouse Commission. Because of the great amount of internal fat around vital organs in June and July, exercise and overheating of the animal means death, the warning says.

Minneapolis—John Marshall Newton, 9-year-old son of Congressman Walter H. Newton, was critically injured when he was run over by a street car. The boy's right leg was cut completely off by the wheels of the street car, just above the knee, and a further amputation was performed at Eitel hospital.

Faribault—Methods of instrnotion and vocational guidance for deaf students were among the snhjects considered at the fiv-day annnal convention of the American Association of Instructors of the Deaf which opened at the Minneosta state school here. Approximately 300 delegates from 17 states attended.

Breckenridge—With a crew of veterinarians, the work of retesting Wilkin county cattle, on the tuherculosis-free accredited list since 1923, has started and will be finished before the end of June, according to O. R. Grover, county agent.

Fort Snelling—Summer military training camps which will draw more than 3,000 reserve officers and civilians to Fort Snelling before September, has opened with 525 senior reserve officers' training corps students of this corps area arrived for a six weeks' camp.

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, - - - - - Minnesota

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor }
County of Pennington } ss.
State of Minnesota }

To The Liberty State Bank, Minneapolis, Minn.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Southeast Quarter Section 25, Township 154, Range 41.

Is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1926, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and hv the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 18th day of March, 1926, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1924, for said County of Pennington the above described piece or parcel of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of One Hundred twenty Dollars and Forty-eight cents.

(3) That the said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 20th day of July 1926, for the sum of One Hundred twenty four dollars and Eight cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of One Hundred twenty-four dollars and eight cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $124.08 thereof from the 20th day of July 1926, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 20th day of May, 1929.

(Official Seal) T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County,
Approved June 9, 1921 Minnesota.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General (J.-27-July 11)

Land Hurt by Dam

The hottomland of Egypt is not as fertile as it was before the Assnnn dnm was built. The mnd that was carried down the Nile by natnrel flooding is stopped by the dam. It settles back of the dem, nnd the clear wnter which irrigates the land below lacks the fertilizing element.

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

Thank You

We wish hereby to express our sincere appreciation to the good people of St. Hilaire for the splendid manner in which they received our homecoming and for the enthus iasm everywhere in evidence relative to our ten year reunion. It was most gratifying to us to know that they did so much toward making the reunion a success. We desire to thank especially the following:

Mesdames N. E. Beebe, O. Gunstad, John Hansen, B. E. Burkee, E. O. Burkee, and A. Bilden for pre paring the banquet dinner; Mrs. L. Beebe, Mrs. Blanche Connor, Miss Dorothy Olson and Miss Mae Kenney, for serving the banquet course O. Gunstad for valuable notices appearing in the Spectator; Henry Olsen for installing the radio; Mike Fricker for help in preparing the auditorium for our use and for acting as custodian of the class pledge and the school board for kindly granting us the privilege of the schcol auditorium.

The Class of '19

ABSENT-MINDED BARBER

"Shave or a hair-cut?"

Two in One

We had a fine canary;
We also own a cat;
We have no more canary,
But puss is now quite fat.

Present

"Then we came to the lovely blne sea. Ferdinand stood nnder a palm and folded his nrms."

"Is tbet all?"

"Bot I was in tbe arms that be folded."—Ulk, Berlin.

Mighty St. Lawrence

The widest point in the St. Lawrence river proper is at Gaspe, where it is over 50 miles wide, but there are two expansions of the river which nre known as Lake St. Francis and Lake St. Peter above the city of Three Rivers. The Gulf of St. Lawrence at its widest point is 65 miles wide.

Monarchical Succession

When the king of Englnnd dies the lords of the privy conncil, the lord mayor of London, the nldermen nnd other officials assemble and give the order for the proclamntion of the new sovereign. The new king then takes the prescribed onth.

Pineapple House Plant

To grow a pineapple ns a honse plant select a sound fruit with the green top still nttached. Remove the top and plant in a sandy soil in a three or four inch pot. Keep the soil wet for a few days and in partial shade.

Celebrate

FOURTH Of JULY

at

Red Lake Falls

Big Parade In Forenoon

BIG Program OF SPORTS

Base Ball, Team Bucking Contest. Kitten Ball, Races, etc

Dancing Afternoon And Evening

Magnificent Display Of Fireworks

Music By 2 40 Piece Bands

The Biggest Celebration In The Northwest--Come

LOCALS

Mower Supplies:- I have sickles, sections, guards, sickle heads and pitmen bars for all standard makes of mowers, at prices that will save you money.

Wm. Olson St. Hilaire
J20,Ju14 Minnesota

Fresh air--the broad highway-evening--a good tent and a camp fire. Outfit for your camping trip at Gamble Stores, 202 Main Ave., Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton LaCoure and little son motored up yesterday from Bemidji for a brief visit at the John Maakrud home. They were accompanied here by Evelyn Maakrud, who has visited with them.

Miss Florence Haslam, who has visited friends in southern part of the state since close of the school here, returned Tuesday, accompanied by her parents, and removed her personal effects to her home at Devils Lake, N. D.

Mrs. A. Potvin and daughter, Lulu, of Cass Lake, Mrs. Thomas Engstad and daughter, Louise, of Jessie Lake, Minn, came here Monday for a visit at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Simonson.

Knute Odegaard, accompanied by Oscar and Morris Odegaard of Hazel, motored Monday to Grafton N. D. for a visit with his brothers. They returned Tuesday and Knute left the following morning to resume his work at Duluth.

What if Paul Revere's horse had cast a shoe? You too, can spoil your Fourth of July trip with a poor tire. The tube is free at Gamble's 202 Main Ave, Thief River Falls.

For Sale:-2 yard capacity gravel box with dump bottom. Call 9803 on local line, or address

E. O. Prestby,
J20-27pd Hazel, Minn.

DR. L. R. TWETE
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Licensed Veterinarian
Tuberculin Testing
Office By Hotel Ogahmah
Block North from G. N. Depot

LOCALS

Howard Bilden, who has been home for the re-union of the class of 1919- left this morning for Des Moines, Iowa.

Melvin Sherva, who has been home since Friday, left last evening to resume his work at Wahpeton, N. D.

Verner Nelson employed, by the First National Bank at Thief River came down Tuesday to spend a few days vacation with his father-in-law Mike Fricker.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Collie Pups For Sale: Four collie pups for sale at $10 for males and $5 each for females. Call on.

Bennet Johnson, City

After spending a week here with his mother and brother, William Bergland left Monday for his home at Winton.

FRESH FISH: Will have a shipment of fresh fish at the Carlson Merc. Co. store Friday this week.

Arthur Hendrickson

N. R. Borgen and family of Webster, Wis., and J. A. Moren and family of Frederick, Wis., motored here Saturday to spend a week at Chas. Moren home near Wylie.

Martin Rux, accompanied by E. Reiersgord, who is attending summer school at the U. of N. D., motored over Saturday from Grand Forks and spent until Sunday evening with friends.

When investing money the first point to consider- Is it safe- Second- earning power-- Chain stores have been safe.

Gamble Stores 7 percent non assessable preferred stock is a desirable investment. 434 Stimson Blvd., Minneapolis.

640 times around the world every day! That's the number of guaranteed tire miles sold every 24 hours at Gamble Stores-- 1,000 tires per day with an average guarantee of 16,000 or 16 million of guaranteed tire service. 202 Main Ave., Thief River Falls.

The Spectator, $1.50 a year.

Creamery List

Fifty-four patrons of the creamery received checks amounting to more than $100 each, last week for cream delivered during May. Many other patrons just missed going over the hundred dollar mark. Number of names on the list published herewith indicates the dairying industry is coming to the front rapidly in this community Monthly payments now made by the creamery exceed those paid out at the sawmill back in the "good old days". Here is the list:

Novak & Son	$303.32
C. Linduist	246.12
Christ Anton	229.75
C. Swanson	219.12
Mrs. J. Thorstviet	206.19
Fred Ulrich	200.60
N. N. Beebe	200.52
E. H. Stephens	196.28
Erickson Bros.	187.59
Ole Larson	177.16
Geo. Haupt	173.56
Tom Mogan	167.78
E. Person	162.81
A. Johnson	162.12
R. Melen	161.99
Mc Keacher & Son	161.14
J. Rotzlar	161.02
H. Holms	153.73
K. Dalager	153.60
G. Larson	150.62
Anton Bros.	150.55
Swanson Bros.	150.13
Wm. Palmquist	149.50
Christ Kruse	145.68
H. Johnson	138.26
Mortenson Bros.	137.42
Chr. Person	136.98
And. Husby	135.75
B. Walseth	129.74
Wm. Rinkenberger	129.47
Frank Schmidt	128.46
John Sjoberg	127.28
C. O. Swanson	126.29
Felix Anderson	126.24
I. H. Iverson	124.42
D. J. Johnson	122.03
O. L. Larson	119.76
John Lundberg	119.64
Mrs. A. P. Anderson	118.29
And. Erickson	117.90
Nick Schalz	114.30
Walbeck Bros.	112.91
L. Erickson	112.82
John Larson	112.99
Johnson Bros.	111.59
J. Gothia	108.97
J. Norman	108.05
A. Ortloff	107.17
Peter Scherrick	105.60
H. Jepson	105.19
F. Landman	104.65
A. Swanson	103.91
J. Gunstad	103.88
A. Mortenson	101.42

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Walter Aubol, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. A. Aubol, Mrs. Ed Aubol and Selma Swenson returned Monday from a three day motor trip to Baudette, International Falls, Bemidji and the Red Lake.

Class Re-union

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Letters were read from Stanly Wilson, who is located at Helena Mont. Max Wilson at Plainsview, Minn., and a telegram from Gudrun, Grimsrud, Hoople, N. D. Those members were unable to be present but made their spirits felt by sending to the class their whole-hearted sentiments. Miss Caroline Hodgson. whom most of the class had as their first teacher, remembered the occasion with a wonderful bouquet of roses and a letter in which she extolled the members of the Class. The Misses Ruth Lacher of Minneapolis and Hazel Fricker favored the gathering with three vocal numbers, "School Days", "School Day Sweethearts", and "Wedding Bells".

After the last course of the dinner had been served, adjournment was made to a room partitioned off from the main auditorium, where the evening's program was completed. Their eight grade teacher, Miss Jessie Scott, who had come from White Rock. S. D. gave a talk, "In Retrospect", in which she characterized the class individually, according to her impression of them in 1919. Mike Fricker, who commenced his duties at the local school the same day on which most of the class members first answered the call of the school bell, was called upon for an extemporaneous talk. He responded in a pleasing manner. Mr. Fricker had also acted as "custodian" of the class pledge. Melvin Sherva read a number of excerpts taken from "The Pickaroon", a weekly column written by the eighth grade in 1919 and appearing in the Spectator. These brought to mind the spirited verhal hattles then in progress between the class and the high school.

A feature of the renunion was the drawing up and signing of a new pledge this one calling for a reunion in 1934, rather than in ten years.

We are pleased to say that the renunion was in every way sucessful, but it is regretful that a few members were unahle to be present. The people of the Home Town acted as host in a manner which drew the approbation of every memher of "the famous eight", and they promise, in words of the pledge to return to the Home Town in 1934, "unless prevented hy adverse providence."

Following is a list of those present, and their occupations:

Lulu Beebe, private secretary, Coffin Box & Lbr. Co., St. Paul.
Alice Fricker (Mrs. Nels Nelson) Formerly engaged in teaching; taught at Mabel Minn., last year. Minneapolis.
Irene Peterson, teaching Resides in St. Hilaire
Mrs. Wendell Corhett, formerly taught, residing at St. Hilaire
Miss J. A. Scott, teaching located at White Rock, S. Dak.
Hervey Cathelineau, with highway department, Willmar, Minn.
Howard Bilden, with Park-Davis Drug Co. at Des Moines, Ia.
Melvin Sherva, with Globe Gazette Printing Co, Wahpeton, N. Dak.
Harvey Olsen, with Detroit Jewelers, Fargo, N. D.
Nels Nelson, with National Tea Company, Minneapolis.
Alvin Swenson, farming, St. Hilaire

ABSENTEES

Gudrun Grimsrud, teaching. home at Hoople, N. D.
Edith Malmquist, R. N. at Chicago
Pearl Motherhead, Detroit, Mich.
Stanley Wilson, with "the Independent" Helena, Mont.
Max Wilson, garage work Plainview, Minn.
Leo King, garage, Virginia, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lindquist and family motored up last week from Minneapolis to spend a two weeks vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lindquist,

Chas. Anderson, former principal of local high school, who has spent the past month or more with relatives at Lancaster, returned home Monday. Mr. Anderson taught in S. D. the past year.

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Picnic July Fourth

Annual Picnic of the Black River Swedish Lutheran church will be held at that church on July fourth starting at 1:30 P. M. A good program has been arranged. Lunch and refreshments will be served at the grounds. Everybody welcome.

Otto Johnson, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hauge left Saturday for Halstad, and returned Sunday. While there, Mr. Hauge attended a gathering at a church which he helped organize more than fifty years ago.

Fricker -- Nelson

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were always popular locally, and they enjoy a great many friends in the community who extend congratulations, and who join in wishing them a future of happiness and a long journey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Shaskey of Aberdeen, S. D., came Saturday, and Mrs. Arthur Eid of Gary, Minn., came Sunday for a visit at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Loberg, and with other relatives in this community.

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To Play Highlanding

Local baseball players and fans are busy organizing a baseball team and will play the team at Highlanding as a feature of the Fourth of July celebration to be given in that village. The boys desire to have as good a representation of rooters as possible, to accompany the team. Some very interesting features have been planned for the celebration, and the folks out at Highlanding extend a hearty welcome to everybody to come out and celebrate with them. Roads from here east to Highlanding are in excellent condition, and it is expected St. Hilaire will send a good sized delegation with the team.

Here From Minneapolis

Ernest H. Johnson motored up Friday from Minneapolis to spend a short vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Johnson, at their farm home west of here. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Bengston of Carver, the former a brother of Mrs. Johnson, and, by Mrs. John Freeman of Minneapolis, she being a sister of Mrs. Johnson. They expect to make the return trip latter part of the week. Ernest Johnson represents the Brown & Williamson Tobacco Corp., with headquarters at Minneapolis.

Fridolph Westerberg, age 52 a resident of Crookston for 47 years, died at his home in that city last week. He was a veteran of the Spanish - American War, and had been captain of Company 1, National Guard unit at Crookston, for 7 years.

Mr. Westerberg is survived by his wife and three children. The Westerbergs had relatives in this community some years ago, and often visited here those days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Oliver Johnson motored over yesterday from Glenfield, N. D., to spend a vacation of about ten days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen, and with his mother, Mrs. Martin Bjerk.

Some grain has already commenced heading out in this locality. Dry, warm weather of a short time ago probably forced the grain a little more than is usual at this time of the year.

Try Our Want Ads

Risberg Funeral Friday

Funeral services were conducted last Friday afternoon at Thief River Falls for the late Axel Risberg, deputy county auditor, who passed away the previous Tuesday.

Mr. Risberg was born in Sweden on April 23rd, 1883 and was 46 years of age. He came to this country with his parents in 1888, and previous to coming to Thief River Falls, was a resident of Roseau County.

Mr. Risberg is survived by his wife and four children, his parents, who reside at Roseau, and also two sisters.

Ila Jones Married

Local friends have received announcements of the marriage of Miss Ila Jones, daughter of A. R. Jones, former residents of St. Hilaire, to Mr. Samuel Wiley. The marriage occured Saturday, June 29th, at Chicago where Mr. Jones and daughters have resided the past few years.

Officers and working force of the Carlson Mercantile Company's five stores, together with their families, enjoyed a tour to the Narrows of the Red Lakes last Sunday. The entire group, numbering about forty persons, left Holt during early morning, going by way of Grygla, and had picnic dinner at the lake. After swimming, fishing and other diversions, the party returned home that evening.

Quite a number of people from this village, the Black River district and other parts of this community attended the annual picnic of the American Sons and Daughters of Sweden which was given last Sunday at the Squaw Point grounds at junction of the Thief and Red Lake rivers.

Oiling of T. H. No. 32 between this village and Thief River Falls, was commenced last week, starting at the city limits of Thief River. Work is progressing rapidly, and is likely the job will be finished next week if there is no delay in delivery of material.

There's been much favorable comment on the quality of sporting goods at Gamble Stores--The saving are spectacular--You'll get long drives with True Temper steel shaft club--75c golf balls 59c.

Safe and Sane

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Strawberries have begun to ripen in this locality. The fruit is quite plentiful in places, and many folks are taking advantage of it.

Mr. Haupt, Sr, of Red Lake Falls is visiting at the home of his son, George, southeast of here in River township.

Oscar Mosbeck, who has been seriously ill lately, was moved to the hospital at Thief River last Friday for treatment.

Mrs. Jennie Carter and sons returned Monday after spending a week at home of her sister, Mrs. Ferdie Brown, at Grygla.

Wm. Engh. who underwent an operation at a hospital at Thief River last week, is progressing nicely and expects to be home in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Horsager, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Knute Kolstad and little son, motored Sunday to the Narrows of the Red Lakes, and returned.

A. Satterberg, the farm machinery dealer, brot in several truck loads of machinery last week in anticipation of a brisk demand when harvest season starts.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veterinarian from Thief River Falls, made his regular trip to this territory again last Friday after being out on government area testing work in Wilkin County for a couple weeks.

Cutting of sweet clover and alfalfa has commenced in this section. The stand is considered good in nearly all places excepting a few where the crop is short because of lack of rain.

Mrs. M. Rose, Miss Hilda Rose Thorvald Rose, Mrs. A. Strom and two children motored up from Fosston, Sunday, for a visit at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Carl Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eide and family motored up last week from there home at Eveleth to spend a vacation of about two weeks at the home of Mrs. Eide's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Aug. Erickson southeast of here.

In a deal made last week-end, Raymond Young purchased the interest of his partner, Ed Erickson, in the St Hilaire Garage. Mr. Young will conduct the business alone until other arrangements are made.

County Atty. H. O.. Berve was down Saturday from Thief River looking after business matters in connection with his official position.

Gunhild Nelson spent the week end at Kennedy, Minn. as a delegate to the Luther League Convention held there.

Front of the Bjerk building, occupied by Bob's Coffee Shop, was treated to a coat of paint this week which adds much to its appearance.

Paul Ortloff, employed as foreman of a large road company operating in vicinity of Detroit Lakes, came up Saturday to spend the Fourth with his family.

Hazel Fricker left Thursday morning to spend a week with friends at Ronneby and St. Cloud, the formor being the village where she taught the past school year.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Horsager of Berlin, N. D., motored here Saturday for a visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Knute Kolstad, and with her brother and sister, Kenard Hovet and Mrs. Oscar Gigstad.

After spending a week here with relatives and friends, Oscar Gigstad returned to resume his employment on a farm at Newport, Minn. Mrs Gigstad will spend another week here before joining him.

After spending a few days with their father, brother and sisters, Sam and Theodore Benson left Monday morning for a brief visit with relatives at Halstad before returning to their homes at St. Paul.

Enock Sundholm has been confined to bed the past week or more with what appears to be a form of influenza. He is considerably improved now, and expects to be about again soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kruse and children motored up Monday from their home at Minneapolis to spend a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Kruse, at their farm home west of town.

Lieut. Arnold Granheim of the Salvation Army unit at Crookston, was transferred recently to Thief River Falls to assist Lieut. Wegner with the work in that city and nearby communities. Work in the Thief River unit has incresed to such extent that Lieut Wegner found it necessary to have additional help.

Funeral Held Friday

Funeral services for the late, Peter Lindblom, pioneer resident of Bray township, were conducted by Rev. A. F. Nelson from the Black River Swedish Lutheran church last Friday afternoon. A large number of friends of the deceased were present to pay their last respects to Mr. Lindblom, who was one of the earliest settlers in his community. Interment was made at the cemetery adjoining Black River church.

Thief River Pioneer Dies

Gottefreid Adolphs, a resident of Thief River Falls since that town was founded, died suddenly at his home Tuesday morning following a heart attack. Mr. Adolphs, who was brother-in-law of Mike Fricker of this village, was employed in the municipal power house at Thief River for 28 years, and retired but short time ago because of ill health He is survived by his wife and seven children.

The graveling crew now working on T. H. No. 32 thru here, have spread gravel from Red Lake this way some of it being south of the Red Lake county line. Because of excellent quality of gravel obtainable here, the highway department plans to have about 1000 cubic yards hauled from the Patton pit and spread on T. H. No. 33 west of Thief River Falls.

Rev. M. Dahle recently inaugurated a new system at the local and afflicted Norwegian Luthuran churches for soliciting for the annual budget fund. The new plan is a success was attested last Sunday at St. Pauli church when approximately $125.00 was received in budget offerings.

Most of the stores in town will be closed all day tomorrow in observance of Independence Day. Celebrations will be staged at Red Lake Falls, Middle River and at Highlanding. A number of picnics will be held in this locality among which is the annual picnic at the Black River church.

Several road construction crews are now at work on the new trunk highway between Marcoux and Erskine. One crew has already thrown up a big grade thru Mentor and two more crews are working east of that village.

Erickson--Oslund

Last Saturday afternoon, June 29th, at the local Swedish Lutheran parsonage, occured the marriage of Miss Nannie E. Erickson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs, A. Aug. Erickson of River Falls, to Mr. J. Albin Oslund of Wannaska, Minn., Rev. A. F. Nelson officiating. The young couple were attended by Miss Mabel Bergstrom, a friend of the bride, and by Ernest Erickson, a brother of the bride.

Following the ceremony the bridal party were guests at a reception given in their honor at home of the bride, about fifty relatives and intimate friends being present. Later that afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Oslund motored to Wannaska and were guests at another reception given in the I. O. G. T. Hall there, at which several hundreds of people were present.

The bride, a popular and talented young lady, is a graduate of the Red Lake Falls High school, and also of the Superior State Normal. She has taught school the past six years, finishing her last term this spring at Wannaska. The groom, tho' practically a stranger in this section is well known and popular in his home community.

Mr. and Mrs. Oslund will make their home on the groom's farm at Wannaska. Numerous friends in this community join in extending congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Oslund, and in wishing them lifelong happiness.

Accidently Killed

Mike and Martin McAndress received the sad tidings this week that their nephew, Leonard McAndress, had met death recently in an accident while engaged in construction work in California. Leonard was the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter McAndress, who were engaged in business in this village during early mill days. After leaving this section, the family resided for many years in Canada. Leonard, who will be recalled by all who resided here during the sawmill period, is survived by his wife and several small children, besides his parents and one brother,

Sam and Theo. Benson motored up Thursday evening from St. Paul for a visit with their father, Sven Benson, and with their brothers and sisters.

Want Ads Bring Resutls

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You have often heard us stress "SAVE" before and it may be growing tiresome, but, honestly now, haven't you had opportunities time and again to make good investments?

And were you not compelled to pass 'em up simply because you had failed to "SAVE" for just such an emergency? The same thing is going to happen again; therefor, we repeat "SAVE".

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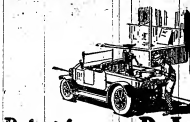

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A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services in Black River at 10 A. M. Sunday School immediately after services.

St. Hilaire: Services at 3 P. M. Sunday school at 2 P. M.

The Black River congregation will enjoy a picnic on Thursday, the 4th of July at the church at 1:30 o'clock. Rev. C. W. Erickson, of Iron River, Michigan will be the chief speaker. Everyone is welcome

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Services, Sunday, July 7th, as follows:

Confirmation services in Ebenezer Mayfield Luth at 10:30.

Catechization of the class Saturday evening at 8:00

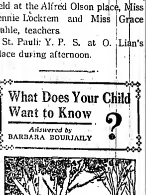
Oakridge Luth

Sunday school festival with program rendered by the schools of the north and south districts, to be held at the Alfred Olson place, Miss Jennie Lockrem and Miss Grace Dahle, teachers.

St. Pauli: Y. P. S. at O. Lian's place during afternoon.

What Does Your Child Want to Know?

Answered by BARBARA BOURJAILY



CAN TREES EAT?

All things that grow need food to eat.
Trees get theirs from the air,
And, rain, and earth, in quantities
To make them green and fair.

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Apple Fluff.

Grate a tart apple and mix with sugar to sweeten, add a grating of orange or lemon and beat with a dover beater, adding one unbeaten egg white. When stiff and able to stand alone, heap in sherbet cups, garnish with a cherry or a bit of bright jelly and serve. Or serve with a boiled chilled custard for a sauce.

Another, pretty dessert made the same way, is this: Take one-half of a glass of any good jelly, the white of an egg, beat together until stiff. Serve with cream or with custard for a sauce.

Nellie Maxwell

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Wyandotte Items

Rev. M. L. Dahle visited at the John Albin home, Thursday.

Alfred Rolstad called at P. Kolseth home Friday morning.

H. L. Bruggeman visited at the Martin Bergh home Monday evening.

P. Kolseth and son Carl called at Henry Moren on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moren visited at the Peter Kolseth home Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kolseth are the proud parents of a baby boy born June 27th.

Mrs. David Haugen, Daniel, Gina and Hannah Haugen visited Monday evening at Albert Renestrand home.

On Sunday Rev. M. L. Dahle conducted the confirmation services for the following: Irene Hagen, Mollie Evenson, Rose Jorgenson Alice Carlson, Richard Carlson, Clarence Monson, and Olof Haugen.

SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

By F. A. WALKER

UNDERSTANDING HEART

IN ALL history, sacred and profane, there is no more interesting figure than that of King Solomon. Wise beyond the other rulers of his time, his reputation stretches over from the days of the Old Testament into the records inscribed by the writers of the Christian era and he stands as the type of magnificence and wisdom.

You will find much to interest you in reading the story of Bathsheba, the mother of Solomon.

The most interesting event in Solomon's life is recorded in First Kings, third chapter, beginning with the fifth verse. Somewhat condensed it reads as follows:

"In Gibeon the Lord appeared to Solomon . . . and God said, 'ask what I shall give thee.' And Solomon said . . . 'Thou hast made Thy servant king instead of David my father, and I am but a little child. I know not how to go out or come in . . . Give therefore Thy servant an understanding heart to judge Thy people, that I may discern between good and bad, for who is able to judge this Thy so great a people? . . . And God said unto him, 'because thou hast asked this thing, and hast not asked for thyself, nor hast asked for thyself long life, neither hast asked riches for thyself, nor hast asked the life of thine enemies . . . Behold I have done according to thy words; lo, I have given thee a wise and understanding heart . . . and I have also given thee that which thou hast not asked, both riches, and honor, so that there shall not be any . . . like unto thee.'"

The great trouble with the most of us is that we lack an understanding heart. Parents do not have an understanding heart in the consideration of their children and children lack it regarding their parents.

If our public officials could have an understanding heart when they consider the problems of the people how much more wisely they would govern.

If the heads of nations could have understanding hearts how completely the faculty would take the places of armies and battlefields, bloodshed and destruction, in the solution of the world's problems.

We should all cultivate a viewpoint outside ourselves.

Selfishness, envy and covetousness are responsible for more evil than all the other human characteristics.

The golden rule has in all ages been the basis of religion. Confucius wrote it down before the Christian era began. Mahommed made it a part of his creed, and as far back as there is a trace of any code for human conduct "Do unto others as you would be done by" has been a foundation stone.

FOUND A "WANT" AT HOME

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

"PANSY?"

A diminutive kinky head bobbed through the dining-room doorway with suspicious quickness. "Yas'm."

"What are you doing there?" sharply. "Have you been into the sugar bowl again?"

"Nn'm—only jes' a sniff."

"Haven't I forbidden you to go into the dining room at all after the table was cleared and the things put away without permission? Don't do it again. Did you gather up the nasturtium seed this time?"

"Yas'm, 'deed I did." Pansy appeared with a saucer in which were a dozen or more nasturtium seeds. These were offered with an air of conscious pride.

"Why, Pansy, only those? And you've been out at least two hours. What have you been doing all the time?"

"They's only jest toler'ble seeds, Mis' Cath'rine."

"There are quarts and quarts, Pansy, for I looked at them only yesterday. The ground is literally covered. There's no earthly use for Mr. Price to pay $5 for another lot of choice seeds next spring when we can save plenty without trouble. You weren't picking up all those two hours," accusingly.

"Not every single minute," the child confessed, with abused humility in her voice. "A pusson has to stretch up an' rest."

"Didn't you talk with anyone?"

The humility became pert remonstrance. "Can't a body speak when they's restin' to breathe jest for a minute? I did pass a 'how is yo' with the colored young lady next door. But if—"

"That will do, Pansy. You were hired to me with the express understanding that I try to make you an obedient and industrious servant. Your father said he didn't want you to grow up a trifling no-account like so many of the colored girls, as he expressed it. I don't think he'd approve the way you've been doing. In fact, I have been several times on the point of sending you back home as not being worth the trouble you give. Now, if you dip any more into the sugar bowl or treat the colored young lady of 12 next door to any more of my preserves or indulge again in impertinent 'back talk' I shall certainly send you home to stay."

"Yes'm," in a now thoroughly subdued and apprehensive voice. "I'll go right out an' pick up mo' o' them seeds. Mebbe they're thicker where I didn't look."

"No, I'll gather the seeds myself now. You've had two trials at it without getting much beyond your young lady friend. Did you wash the back porch floor before breakfast as I told you—though I suppose, of course, you did."

"N-no'm. Pinky said they never washed theirs but once a week, an' I 'lowed—"

"Get the pail and soap and do it at once," ordered young Mrs. Price, with more impatience than usual in her voice. "And, mind, use the regular floor cloth and not a best towel, as you did last week. I'll be round myself and look at it after a while."

"Y'yas'm," wailed Pansy.

Pretty Mrs. Catherine Price, not yet twenty, laid down the "want" sheet of the newspaper, which she had been poring over in hope of finding something a woman could do at home to help her husband. She had been devouring the "wants" for weeks now, and answering many of them, and had tried some. But the really promising ones seemed to require trips out-of-doors, canvassing or something. And Charlie had been so particular since she lamed herself permanently in saving an old lady who had slipped from a moving trolley.

Charlie had not got his raise and made only $50 a month. The house rent was $20, and Pansy's wages $1. What was left couldn't be spread very far over necessities. Charlie worked extra all he could and came home nights looking so tired and cheerful. Catherine's heart ached for him.

She was just as strong as he, except for the limp and there were lots of wants like stenographers and office girls and others of short hours, where she could do the work and get home in time to prepare supper. But Charlie wouldn't hear of such things, so all left was a possible chance of some home want and to save all she could. The first saving she had about decided would be Pansy's $1 although the girl's father had begged that she keep and try to improve her.

The Price lot was small, only nine feet on one side of the house, of which three were taken up for the path. This left the same width on either side for grass or flowers. The Prices chose flowers—improved nasturtiums, which had been a perfect blaze of color through the rainless past two months.

In back was a space of 20 by 40—the width of the lot. Charlie had bought a patent revolving frame of clothes lines, so little space was taken up that way. All the rest was given over to flowers—more nasturtiums, sweet peas and other plants that bloomed profusely. Catherine as well as Charlie loved flowers, so things that might have been considered necessities were passed in favor of seeds.

Still a little impatient at Pansy's declaration of "only jest toler'ble seeds," Mrs. Price limped out with a pail that would hold at least a gallon. She would show the black girl there were seeds.

But the quantity exceeded even her expectations. There had been weeks of dry weather, until the surface of the ground was absolutely without moisture. This dryness had brought out an excess of bloom and the ripened seeds falling upon the ground had not found moisture enough to soften them or cause them to sprout, as is usually the case with seeds long on the ground. Catherine found that seeds lying there for weeks were still sound and dry.

So as she went to one side of the path, pushing apart the leaves so as to clean off the ground carefully, she was able to gather up seeds by the handful. Halfway down she found her pail full and she had to limp back for another, and then for a basket. Finally she had nearly a bushel of seeds, twenty times as much as they could possibly plant another year. And still all the back space was untouched.

But the spirit of gathering was upon her. She found the open air exhilarating and she took her pail and some empty bags to the back garden, and by the time it was necessary to prepare supper she had the nasturtiums there cleaned of their ripe seeds, more than doubling the quantity.

She did not say anything about it to Charlie that night for fear he might laugh at her. Besides, an idea was sprouting in her mind.

The next day she started upon the sweet peas, of which she found but a limited quantity, because the older pods had burst, scattering their seeds. And yet of these she gathered ten or fifteen pounds.

With these carefully put into bags, she turned to the drying rows of hollyhocks that had made the rough fence walls of beauty and followed them with balsams and candy-tuft and such other flowers as were ripening seeds.

The next day she went to the seed store, where she and Charles had bought. There luck favored her. A customer, who seemed displeased about something, was talking with the proprietor himself, of whom they had bought. At sight of Mrs. Price he came from behind the counter.

"This lady tells me her nasturtium seeds didn't come up well," he said; "that she replanted twice; that the seeds were no good. I remember we sold you husband quite a large quantity, the very last of that particular lot. I feel sure these seeds were good. But of the next purchase I can't feel so certain. It was late in the season and we could get no more of them, so had to buy what and where we could fill the late orders. If you can recall the date of your purchase and this lady hers we might reach some conclusion. I don't feel willing to make any allowance on the first lot, which was enthusiastically reported on by many of my customers. And still I want to be fair."

"We bought the first day of May," answered Mrs. Price. "I know, because it was my husband's salary day."

"Well, I put mine off till early June," the dissatisfied woman said. "The ground wasn't ready, and—"

The merchant's hand went toward his money drawer, but it was stayed by: "I don't want my money back. I want seeds—good, fresh ones. Can't you order me some early? I mean to start a lot in cold frames next spring."

Mrs. Price laid a small box on the counter. "That's just what I came for," she smiled. "I've gathered such a lot of seeds that I don't know what to do with them. I started with an idea of picking up enough to save us from buying next spring; then kept on."

"And will you sell me some?" asked the woman eagerly.

"Glad to, if you want them."

The merchant had opened the box. "Clean, fresh-looking seeds," he commented. "Perhaps Mrs. Price will let you have these. There's nearly a pound, I should judge."

"Oh, these are only samples," said Mrs. Price. "I have several bushels at home."

"Then perhaps you can stock me up, too," exclaimed the storekeeper quickly. "I like seeds I can recommend. Wish you could raise me seeds like this right along and other kinds. I would be very glad to buy. I will be out during the day to see what you have."

So young Mrs. Price found a way to help her husband right at home, for inside of two years her seeds were bringing in as much as his salary.

Aged Russian

Peter Rudak, possibly the oldest person in Europe, recently died in Russia in the village of Pitchsula, at the age of one hundred and thirty-six, if local tradition is to be believed. Rudak asserted he had fought for the Russians against Napoleon I, and was pointed out as the only person who had bridged the interval "from Napoleon to the October revolution." His assertions were supported by documentary proof of military service 120 years ago and by the memories of centenarians in the neighborhood.

Slept Through Danger

When Mr. and Mrs. Andrus B. Engrem of Rutland, Vt., both nearly eighty, arose in the morning they discovered that a bolt of lightning had struck their house the night before. They heard the crash in the night but did not know that they had been in danger. The bolt ripped off several clapboards and shattered objects in the living room.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor,
County of Pennington } ss.
State of Minnesota.

To Laura Holton:

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Northeast Quarter Section 9. Township 152 and Range 42

Is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1926, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 18th day of March, 1926, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1924, for said County of Pennington the above described piece or parcel of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of Fifty-three Dollars and Seventy-two cents.

(3) That the said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 13th day of September 1926, for the sum of Fifty-six Dollars and Forty-two cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Fifty-six Dollars and Forty-two cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $56.42 thereof from the 13th day of September 1926, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 20th day of May, 1929.

(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County.
Approved June 9, 1921 Minnesota
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. (J.-27-Jul-11)

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor,
County of Pennington } ss.
State of Minnesota.

To First and People's State Bank.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Southeast Quarter of Section 17 Township 152 Range 45.

Is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1926, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 16th day of March, 1926, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1924, for said County of Pennington the above described piece or parcel of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of Fifty-three Dollars and Seventy-two cents.

(3) That the said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 13th day of September 1926, for the sum of Fifty-six Dollars and Forty-two cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Fifty-six Dollars and Forty-two cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $56.42 thereof from the 13th day of September 1926, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 20th day of May, 1929.

(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County
Approved June 9, 1921 Minnesota
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. (J.-27-Jul-11)

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The Gazette-Telegram of Breckenridge, Minn down in Wilkin County, got out a splendid 64 page special edition June 19th which was dedicated to the county commissioners of that county upon completion of one of the finest court houses in the state.

Building a courthouse is a proposition that has been undertaken in many counties in this state without much being made about it, but Wilkin County's new county building was a noteworthy exception in that it was built without a bond issue. By laying aside a little each year over a period of years, Wilkin County was enabled to build for cash, and to receive the many benefit and savings the accrue from so doing.

The plan is one that could well be followed by any county not only in matter of building a courthouse but in other things as well. Many counties travel so fast, financially, that they finally get into a position where they pay nearly as much in interest each year as it costs to operate the county.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor,
County of Pennington. } ss.
State of Minnesota.

To M. J. Kribsback.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Southwest Quarter Section 15 Township 152 Range 42.

Is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1926, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 18th day of March, 1926 in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1924, for said County of Pennington the above described piece or parcel of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of Forty-three Dollars and Sixty-eight cents.

(3) That said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 13th day of September 1926, for the sum of Forty-five Dollars and Eighty-eight cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Forty-five Dollars and Eighty-eight cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $45.88 thereof from the 13th day of September 1926, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 25th day of May, 1929.

(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County,
Approved May 16, 1919 Minnesota.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. (J.-27-Jul-11)

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Small Town's Chances Measured By Service

Agicultnre is tha hinterland upon which the small towns depend for tbeir existence and a goodly number of tbem should be able to survive and prosper, providing they realize thia fact and are determined to give the kind and quality of aervice conntry people demand and deserve, declared W. C. Coffey. dean of agriculture of the University of Minnesota, in a recent address at the Small Town short course sponsored by the university.

"Greater nse of improved machinery has increased the output per farm worker from 20 to 40 per cent since the World War," said Dean Coffey, "whicb means that fewer people are required to farm a given area and many agricnltural sections therefore have fewer people to patronize towns now tban thev had a decade sgo. This fact, together with the fact that practically everyone operates over wider areas than formerly, makes it unreasonahle to expect tbat each and every small town can live and thrive any more than each and every little country school and church can survive and prosper.

"The result of these changed conditlons bas been to set up intense competitions between towns and tbe outcome will largely he determined hy what constructive efforts the business men in these various centers make to provide satisfactory facilities to the farmers for huying, selling, and financing, and to afford the rigbt sort of educational, social recreational, and religious anvantages and attractions.

"The market center which is most alert in disposing of farmer's prodnce with dispatch and at the hest prices attracts his attention and usnally secures his patronage...This is a matter the small town should keep in mind, becanse the farmer is likely to spend his money near the place he gets it. particularly if the goods he wants are available there.

"Since the modern farmer must freqnently borrow money for his farm operations, wisdom displayed by hanks located in small towna can wield a powerful inflnence in securing the allegiance of the farmers in the surronnding communities to these towns," Dean Coffey pointed ont. "Furthermore, since farmers travel widely these days the small town merchant mnst approach the efficiency of the city merchant if he is to secnre the patronage of many of the conntry people.

"All this means that the wideawake business man in the small town has a double responsibility. First, he must see that his own place of bnsiness operates on a high plane of efficiency and service. Second, and eqnally important, he must give his attention and support generally to whatever else may be nessary to make the town attractive as a marketing center a purchasing place and an otherwise desirable place for the farmer to transact bnsiness, aducate his familv, attend church, or seek recreation."

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

A Little Story of Gratitude

I DON'T know just how old this story is; probably if the truth were known, it's a great deal older than any of us now alive. Indeed, an amateur archeologist who specializes in prehistoric humor told ma the other day that, according to his hest information and belief, it dated back to the First century B. C. and originoted in Rome. He was quita certain that it circnlated at Newgate prison in London during the Elizabethan era.

So whot I claim is that, if it has lived this long and remained so fresh and vigorons through all tha ages, it deserves to go on living.

Tha modernized version is to this effect: A visiting clergyman is tonring a state penitentiary. When his ronnd is almost completed ha is joined hy ona of the keepers.

"My friend," says tha caller, "I am glad I came today to this dismal placa and spent honrs wandering through its stone-walled corridors. For now I am mora convinced than ever that in the mind of the lowest and most depraved creatura here there ia some lova left. Every heart beats to some tender throbbing, some lingering sentiment of affection. In fact, at this moment I have hefore me proof of it. Look yonder." And the minister pointed a finger toward the barred front of a nearhy cell.

"They tell me," he went on, "that in yonder cell is confined a man serving a life sentence for having committed a cold-blooded murder. And yet see what he now is doing? He has made a friend and a companion of an ordinary rat. At his call it comes from a hole in the wall. it plays ahont him. He divides his food with it. It perches on his hand while he strokes its back. It is his friendly and confiding companion in the long hours of his solitude. The turnkey on dnty in this hallway informs me that the two are inseparable.

"So I ask you, is not this evidence of what I have been saying? Bnt hold: I shall demonstrate my theory beyond a donht."

Tha reverened gentleman advances to the cell door.

"My dear brother," he says, addressing the inmate, "would yon mind telling me why your are so deeply attached to this dnmh animal?"

"Sure I'll tell you," answers the criminal. "It's because once he bit the warden."

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Argument

"My mother has always objected to kissing," explained Eloise.

"How did she capture your father?" asked Alfred.

Extreme Temperatures

A drop of 360 degrees in an hour or two is experienced on tha moon during a total eclipse. Observations indicate that the normal temperature of the moon's surface drops from 170 degrees Fahrenheit immediately befor the eclipse to 190 degrees below zero during the total eclipse.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated February 8th, 1924, executed by Ewert Rewertz and Anna Rewertz, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on February 13th, 1924, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 142 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $122.65, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $125.00, due on August 8th, 1928, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $125.00, due on February 8th, 1929; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $3,774.65, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from February 8th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $247.65, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $122.65 thereof since November 27th, 1928, and nn $125.00 thereof since February 8th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $9.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since February 16th, 1929, in all the sum of $4,107.42, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the deht secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The West Half of the Northwest Quarter (W½ of NW¼) of Section Sixteen (16), and the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Nine (9), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 240 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 26th day of July, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 12th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't. Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. J-13 July 18

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Mower Supplies:- I have sickles, sections, guards, sickle heads and pitmen bars for all standard makes of mowers, at prices that will save you money.

Wm. Olson St. Hilaire
J20, Jul4 Minnesota

For Sale or Rent:- The former John Nelson property in the Addition north of town, consisting of 6 room honse, barn, 10 lots, fruit trees, etc. Offers for rent or sale will he considered. Apply at this office. J13Ju4pd

It is tbe understanding heart that estahlishes the hasis for that reciprocity of action. It is the understanding beart that tells us when we have pnt onr neighhor on an equality with onrselves and mada due allowance for whatever difference there may he in wealth, in position, in intelligence and in opportunity.

We pray for a good many things we do not need. We seek for what we think would be blessings, not knowing that we are better off withont them. How few of ns have, and how many fewer of ns seek to have, that broad view of life, that generons attitude of mind, that clarity of vision and thberality of thought which constitutes the thing which Solomon asked above all other things and which choice received so thorongh commendation.

It is a short prayer, easily learned and quickly sold: "Give me, O Lord, an understanding heart."

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Getting It Straight

"How far is the house from the station?"

"Ten minntes' walk."

"For an ordinary individual or an Olympic champion?"

These Girls

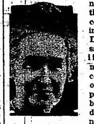
Marie—Hello, Jane.

Jane—Oh, I just yesterday heard of your marriage. I hope I'm not too late to congratulate you.

Dame Fashion Smiles

By Grace Jewett Austin

One of the pleasantest things about this Twentieth century is the swiftness with which things can be accomplished. Back in the spring daya Dame Faahion saw wonderful tulip hads, with marvelous color contrasts. How old do yon suppose those tulip beds were? Two daya! This is a new floral theory for setting ont beds of flowers, so yon can be sure the colors are just what yon want, and the hnlhs will stay safely in the gronnd for the next spring's hiooming.



Grace J. Austin.

Just such a contrast to old ways of doing things may he found in collecting a woman's wardrohe. In a half honr's walk among the ahops on a recent day. Dame Fashion saw a pair of pnmps in a simply delicious blne. Walking on, and carrying tha color in mind—presto! exactly the right hat for those pumps appeared! In still another ahop was an adorahie ensemble; with coat or darker blna and pretty floating dips heneath it, in the ligbter shade. Here, if necessity had called it would have heen perfectly possibla to hava changed a complete wordroha in a ahort half honr and ended it with a costume as radiant as a June day.

Many women ara learning to choose a new perfume as the warm days approsch. If yon hava been a devotee to a spice perfume all winter it is good to choose a flower odor. One of the nicest magazine stories that Dame Fashion bas read in a year toid of a woman who spent nearly all of her holiday money to give a hottle of choica violet perfume to a sister-in-law, which resulted in a wedding and all sorts of heavenly happenings.

No one shonid sniff at this perfuma idea and consider it unimportant. Those soher market reporta that Dame Fasbion finds more entertaining than story hooks tell patriotically of the tremendona atrides made hy perfume and cosmetic houses in America, some of them hranches of old French firms. In a recent week a million dollar perfume lahoratory was begun in erection in New England. So doesn't that show an important part of a costnme is its fragrance?

The other day while Dame Fashion was working on her article a man came to her desk and said, "I'd like to lead a crusade. Francea Willard was not my sunt, nor was Carrie Nation my grandmother. Neither does my crusade have anything to do with the good hot coffee, salad, aandwiches and ices that are aerved in the evenings at the hridge clnha where we escort onr wives. My crusade hoa to do with the time of serving. It aeems to grow later and ioter. Employers bave not yet made the rule, 'Special morning lateness ollowed for men whose wives take them to hridge parties.' So here is one man who believes in the ten-thirty limit for evening suppers," Dame Fashion mnrmured, "Sensible," and took his words right down.

Lastly, here is a good fashion hint all the way from George Washington's time. An especially happy picture of George and Martho Washington with the latter's young son and daughter has recently come to light. The Presidential lega, evidently in silk hose, heneath the knee breeches, are dignifiedly crossed and plainly show elaborately clocked stockings!

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Rose Crepe de Chine Party Dress for Child

The picture shows a charming little party dress for a small miss. It is made of rose crepe de chine, with blue trimming. The skirt is featured by the scalloped hem, which adds a touch of daintiness. The model is direct from Paris.

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St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor }
County of Pennington } ss.
State of Minnesota }

To The Liberty State Bank, Minneapolis, Minn.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Southeast Quarter Section 25, Township 154, Range 41

Is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1926, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 18th day of March, 1926, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1924, for said County of Pennington the above described piece or parcel of land was duly hid in for the state for the sum of One Hundred twenty Dollars and Forty-eight cents.

(3) That the said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2128, G. S. 1913, on the 20th day of July 1926, for the sum of One Hundred twenty four dollars and Eight cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of One Hundred twenty-four dollars and eight cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $124.08 thereof from the 20th day of July 1926, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has heen presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 20th day of May, 1929.

(Official Seal) T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County,
Approved June 9, 1921 Minnesota.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General (J.-27-July 11)

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

Names Given Planets

The planets wera named for tha ancient deities: Jupiter was the supreme deity; Mars, tha god of war; Venus, goddess of beauty and love; Neptune, god of the sea; Saturn, god of agriculture, gardening, etc.; Uranus, regarded as the personification of heaven; Mercury, god of trade (messenger of gods).

Tells How To Treat Snuffles In Sheep

Snuffles in sheep and lambs is nothing more than a common cold or catarrah, and is commonly caused by reduced vitality from exposure to dampness, rain or cold following such operations as shearing, castrating and docking, says Dr W. A. Billings, extension veterinarian, University Farm, St. Paul. It may be also brough on by milling of sheep in dusty corrals,

Affected sheep have a watcry discharge from the nose which later becomes yellow, thick and stringy. The dried pus sticks and mats up the wool about the nose and moutb. The eyes are inflamed and watery and the sheep may have difficulty in breathing and loss of appetite. In severe cases, pneumonia may develop, followed by exhaustion and death.

For treatment, provide the sick sheep with a clean shelter, free from drafts, and bedded deeply with dry straw. Very weak animals mny be given a dose of strong, black coffee as a stimulant. Bathe the eyes and wash out the nose with a solution of boric acid which may be made by dissolving about a table spoonful of powdered boric acid in 2 quarts of warm water. If a nose syringe or spray is available the boric acid solution, or one containing camphor or oil of eucalyptus, may be sprayed directly into the nostrils. The inhalation of various fumes commonly recommended for treatment of similar conditions in man are not ssatisfactory.

Good care, clean forage that is free from dust, plenty of water, and attentitive nursing will usually effect a cure, according to Dr. Billings, who says the shepherd will have to be patient and repeat the eye bathing and nostril washing at least once a day until the cure is complete.

Takes Warm Off

Janet is a four-year-old miss who lives in tha country where they have one of those big, old-fashioned, cool cellars. Ona of tha hot days Janet followed her mother down into tha cellar. After walking around a few minntes, she suid:

"Whew, mother, isn't this fine? It takes tha warm off."

Learned Youngster

Although ha is only fonrteen years old, Robert B. Konikew has received notice of his admission to Harvard nniversity. Ha was graduated recently from Boston Latin school. Tha college entrance examination in geometry, for which three honrs is allowed, was completed hy Konikow in 30 minntes.

Inspiration in Blossoms

Only God knowa the prayers that are wafted upward with the fragrance of the flowers.—American Magazine.

DINE WITH US

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Methodist-Presbyterian Church

Thief River Falls

Sunday 8 P. M.

Dr. Grays sermon:

Secret Societies and Church Membership

"A second Synod Subject"

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

The Ladies Aid of the Evang. Mission church will meet at the home of J. J. Larson, in River township, on Friday, July 12th.

Mesdames J. Konickson and J. Larson will entertain. All are welcome.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$1.05
Durem Wheat	.92
Rye	.74
Barley	.47
Oats	.35
Flex	2.32
Egge, cash	.24
Creamery butter	.46

LOCALS

Will Deepen Ditch

The new Caterpiller tractor and blade recently bought by the county for road and ditch construction work, is pulling in east here this week to deepen the ditch along the state road from the Swan Johnson farm east about two miles. The new outfit justa finished short stretch of road near the Greenwood cemetery at outskirts of Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Strouts motored up last week-end from St. Paul for a brief visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lindquist, west of town. They returned home Tuesday morning.

MINNESOTABRIEFS

Owatonna—Andrew Christenson, a formar member of tha Minnesnta honsa of representatives, diad at his bome, aged 66 years.

St. Paul—A. F. Hinrich, member of tha University Farm etaff has accepted a position as assistant professor in agrictultural economics at Purdua University.

Duluth—Twn men are in a critical condition and five othars less seriously injured as tha result of an explosion and fire at tha Diamond Calk and Horseshoe company here.

Crookston—Closing their twentieth annual convention bere the Nordlandslagat nf America, Norwagian society, alectad Barnhard Knudsen of Thief River Falls president.

25 Years Ago

C. H. Martz, of Duluth, bought the former Gigstad farm from Julius Pleth and was to have possession Aug. 1st.

—XXV—

P. G. Paradis transferred his saloon business that week to Mike Anderson and John Maakrud.

—XXV—

Miss Annie Fallman went to Red Lake Falls to attend summer training school for teachers.

—XXV—

Foundation was in for the new Merchants State Bank building and material was arriving for the building itself.

—XXV—

The sawmill was running in its oldtime manner with promise of making a record cut that season.

—XXV—

A large number of people from here were to Crookston taking in the Ringling Bros. Circus.

—XXV—

J. B. O'Brien, for ten years, head of the local schools, announced his candidacy for the office of County Superintendent of Schools of Red Lake County.

LOCALS

"The Star Spangled Banner,
Long may it wave,
O'er the home of the free
And the land of the brave.

A complete outfit for your camping tour at 100 Gamble stores-They are everywhere in the vacation teritory. Tents $9.55 to $19.95–Camp stoves–$2.95–Icebox 3.89, Thief River Falls.

Vernon E. Peterson arrived home Sunday evening from Sioux Falls, South Dakota, to spend a short vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peterson. Vernon has a government position in the packing plant as meat inspector in that city.

He was accompanied home by Miss Hilda Laabs of Yanktown, S. Dakota. Miss Laabs has charge of the Home Extension works and 4 H clubs, with headquarters at Yankton.

They leave for Sioux Falls Thursday morning to resume work again Monday morning.

Walter Holmstrom, county treasurer of Isanti County, is expected here today from Cambridge, Minn., to spend the Fourth with his family who are visiting with Mrs. Holmstrom's parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lindquist and family returned Tuesday to their home at Minneapolis after spending a two weeks vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lindquist.

The Spectator, $1.50 a year.

Luther League Convention

The Red River District Luther League held its annual convention at Kennedy, June 28-29 and 30th.

The church was filled to capacity at each session, and on Sunday it was necessary to hold an overflow meeting in the basement. Twenty two leagues were represented by about sixty delegates.

The main speaker was Rev. A. W. Knock, pastor of the Lutheran Church of St. Paul. Ruth Safemaster of Unity, Wis., a graduate of the Lutheran Bible Institute at St. Paul, also spoke. She will leave this fall as a missionary to Umbro, Africa.

The North Star College Choir of Warren, rendered many beautiful selections in song, and other choirs also sang at the different sessions.

Minneapolis—Jurors in Hennepin county cost tha city and county $82,998.36 from Sapt. 10, 1928, to June 21, 1929, according to figures compiled hy George H. Hemparley, clark of district court.

Red Wing—Another building will be added to the Minersl Springs Sanstorium hnilding program, as plans and specifications for a naw powar plant has haen epproved hy tha bnilding committee.

Minneapolis—August Klagetad was electad presidant of tha Modum-Eker lag, at the annual meeting of the Norwegian association at Hayward, Wis. Minneapolis was chosen at the 1930 convention city.

St. Paul—Two loan art collections alraady have heen ohtainad for tha Fine Arts exhibition at the State Fair. The Chicagn Art Institnta and tha Grand Central Gallerias both will he representad at the showing.

Minneapolis—Results of a new hybridization system of corn hreading with bee demonstrated to Minnesota farmers at tha annual gatharing of the Minnesota Crop Improvement Aseociation August 14 at University Farm.

Little Falls—Grading is now baing done for the addition of 1,400 feat to the main pessing track in the Northern Pacific yards west of the station. Construction was made necessary hy the long freight trains now heuiad by giant locomotives.

Minnsapolis—Approval of tha park board's request for an appropriation of $450,000 for improvamant and expansion of the Minneapolis airport, was voted hy the ways and maans committae of tha city council after a tour of inspection of the fiald.

St. Paul—Tha St. Cloud Guaranty Trust company bas been grantad permission by the State Banking departmant to changa its name to the Guaranty State Bunk and Trust company and to add to its powers of trust company thosa of a state hank.

Buffalo—Preliminary plans for the biggest celabration in tha history of Buffalo to greet Owen Hongland of this town at a homecoming party following tha conclusion of his anduranca airplane flight with Thorweld "Thnnder" Johnson of St. Paul were made at a maating hera.

Minneapolis—Arch Coleman, wbo reelgned as postmaster of Miuneapolis a month ago, has left for Washington where he will taka up his naw duties as first assistant postmaster ganaral of the United States. He will report for dnty at once and will he joined in Washington hy his family in September.

Minneapolis—Eight million tourists seeking recreation in Minnasote dnring tha past 11 years bave spent $450,963,860, it is statad in an articla hy H. C. Hntaling, secratary of tha Teu Thousand Lakas-Greater Minnesota associatinn. The axpanse of this campaign, the article says, has heen $422,468.

Minneapolis—A heavy 15-minnte hailstorm that awept ovar Minneapolis did considarahle damage to shruhs and planta, windows and paving hlocks in the residential saction nf the city. A St. Paul man was electrncuted as a result of the third of a series of three vinlent storme which struck the city within 24 hours.

St. Peul—Minnesota in competition with nine states receivad tha highest average of 94.575 in a bntter contest condncted hy the National Creamery Buttermakars Association according to final reeulta announced hy F. O. Jnhnson of the state department of agriculture, dairy and food, who was enperintendant of tha exhihits

Duluth—Acquisition of 160 acres of farm land sevan milas east nf St. James for propagation of ring neck pheasanta and Hungarian pheasants, has been announced here hy George W. McCullough, state game and fish commissionar. Tha deal necessitates an ontlay nf approximately $40,000, Mr. McCullough aald, adding that about 4,000 nr 5,000 birds are to ba raised the first year.

Minneapolis—Selection of a Miss Minnesota to taka part in a national carnival of the eky contest with 59 girls from other states at tha Minnesota State fair, is the purposa of a carnival of the sky to ba ataged at Wold-Chamberlain airport June 30.

Red Wing—The cost of making a survey of the Hastings dam proposition to ascertain whether nr not a proposed scheme to gat cheaper alectric power for Red Wing and other cities is feasible, will be in the neigborhood of $5,000, L. P. Wolff, consulting engineer, had informed the members of the city council here.

THREE GIVEN FARM POSTS

James Stone, Tobacco Association Chief, Thought Likely to Be Chairman.

Washington—James C. Stone of Kentncky, C. B. Denman of Missonri, and Carl Williams of Oklahoma wera eppointad hy President Hoover aa members of the fadaral farm board created by the new administration farm relief act.

Tha President said he hoped to have the accaptances of threa or fonr more members by the middie of next week and thet it was his belief that the full hoard of eight would be ehls to organize by August 1.

Whila Mr. Hoover mads no designation of a chairman among the gronp of three announced, tha general expectation is thet Mr. Stone who is the founder and president of the Burlsy Tobecco Growars' co-operative association, will be designated as chairman.

After the names were made puhlic it was expleined et the Whits Honse thet Secretary Hyde of tha agriculture department hed been earnestly co-operating with farm nrganizations end othsrs interestsd in msking tha selections for the board and thera was mada puhlic the nemes of the organizations and individnals who endorsed each of the three men.

Hawks Sets New Rscord on Hop Back.

Roosefield Field, N. Y.—Airmsn Cept. M. Hawks, covered the distance from Loe Angeles to New York in 17 hours, 38 minutes and 59 seconds, Captain Hawks bsd flown from New York to Los Angeles in 19 hours, 10 minntes and 32 seconds, setting a new record for tha east-west flight. His time for the round trip was 36 hours, 49 minutes and 28 seconds. He bad hoped to make the two journeys across the continent in less than 35 hours, but hesd winds on the flight here impeded his progress. As hs landed bere bis plane struck a fence, damsging its undercarriaga and fnselsge. The pilot ware uninjured. He was completely deaf from the rosr of bis engine and his faca looked haggard.

Plsne Makes 5000 Miles Record.

Minneepolis, Minn.—A world's record for continuous milee of flight by an airplana was claimad hy sponsors of the andurance flight of the plane, Miss Minneapolis, as the ship nearad tha 5,000 mile total in its triangular flight ovar Minneapolis, Northfield and Hastings in this sixty-fifth lap. This was 1,760 milee more than the present official record for continuee flying. The prasant officially posted record is 3,200 miles, Stanlay Partridge, president of the Minneapolis chapter nf the Netional Aeroneutic association, wes informed in talagram from the nationel headquarters of the association at Washington.

Iowa Near Beer Seizure Ruled Illegal.

Des Moines—Efforts of John B. Hammond, vetaran dry crusader to prohihit sale of near heer in Iowa received a sethack here. Municipal Judge J. E. Mershon by sustaining a motion of defense attorneys raleased 10 cerloads of tha haverege seized under a search warrant sworn to by Hammond end handed down an opinion that near beer is a legel drink for Iowans. He ruled tha state hsd failad to prove thet near beer was en intoxicating bsverage and thst it could not he classed as snch. He quashed the writ under which the beer was eeized.

Senator Admits He Made Wins.

Washington—Another dry memhar of tha United States seneta has bean adjndged guilty of violating tha prohihition laws. Admission hy Senator Arthur R. Gould, Rapublican of Maine, that he pnrchasad unfarmanted grapa juica from a St. Louis firm and then aliowed nature to take its coursa, "obtaining fair results," constitutes a violation nf the Volstead act, it was stated at tha prnhibition hnreau. It is nnlikely that any action will ha taken hy prohibition authorities against the Maina sanator.

Filipino Soviets Assail Dwight Davis.

Manila—Tha sovietized lahor congress has decided not to participate in ths recaption of Governor Genaral Dwight Davis and is arranging a counter-parade for the ssme honr. The radicals fnrmally indictad the govarnor genaral on quadruple grounds: First, becansa ha is a millionaire, second, ha has bean secretary nf war; third, hacanse he does not include tha prolatariat in his ontiined six major policies, and fnurth, because he nevar rendered a service to the laboring class.

Naval Cut Still Indsfinite.

Washington—Conversations between Ambassador Dawes and Pramier MacDonald have not yet reached the stage where the United States knows what to expact on the matter nf present naval arms reduction, Secretary of Stata Stimson has declarad.

F. H. Warder Involved in Bank Failure

New York—Frank H. Warder, former New Ynrk etate snparintendent of hanks, has heen charged with criminal acts in the $7,000,000 failura of the City Trust Company, New York City. Investigstions hava heen going on fnr some time.

Mrs. Assoiant Leaves for Paris.

New York—Mrs. Jean Assolant, wife nf the pilot of the Yellow Bird, trans-Atlantic airplane, sailed on tha Ile de France to join her husband in Paris.

THE LOVE SONG OF THE BELLS

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WE WERE sitting on tha front porch of our Fayette street home talking over the events of the day. Dinner was over, dishes were washed and cares of the dey were gone. Everything seemed as nsusl, with perhaps the exception of a peculiar silence on the part of Russ. He seemed expectantly quiet. I wetched him in a puzzled way.

Suddenly, as if from a dream, Rues moved and spoke. His voice was strange, peculiar to ths domestic atmosphera of the group.

"In jnst two minutes you will hear it." The words were a murmur.

"Hear what?" I asked amazed at his sudden serionsness.

"A romance."

"A romance? Russ, are you crazy?"

"In jnst two minntes yon will hear a romance, or what I helieva to be a romance."

The words were sincere. Ded looked at mother with a tronbled glance. I wondered what had come over the hoy and yet I said nothing.

The following two minntes seemed as eges. The tensenees of Russ' mood, bis strange voice and bis strengs words hnd affected all. At the end of the period the silence was relieved hy the stroka of ths chimes in tha city hall many blocks away.

At the first stroke of the bells Russ put bis finger to hie lips to urge greeter silence, although the stillness was alreedy excruciating.

One, two, three and on to seven the chimes struck—and nothing happened. I started to breathe egain.

"Aw, shucks! It's nothing but the chimes," I muttered somewhet diseppointed, elthough I hed really expected nothing.

"Sh-h—listen," warned Russ.

And then we beard it, the most amazing and awe-inspiring thing wa hed ever experienced.

Intermingled with the dying echoes of the chimes were the last bers of the old, "I Love You Trnly." Tha notes could not be mietaken. They were low but audible and distinct, and with the fading echo of the bells wera a thing of heauty. We gasped and for a long time no one spoke.

Finally dad recovered and attempted to break the situetion with a try at humor.

"Juet some sheik tepping out a lova song to his sweet Sheha," he offered with a hoarse leugh.

But his suggestion fell flat. It wes not in keeping with the strange mood that the music hed created.

"Whet do you meke of it? When did you discover it?" I asked.

"Jnst a few nights ego. I heard tha melody eccidentally while attempting to weave a rhyme into the notes of the bells. I thought at first thst it was idle fancy, bnt I find thst the same music msy be heard every evening at exectly the sama time."

"Probebly somebody sending a love song, as dad says," I conjectured.

"But you haven't witnessed the strange part of it yet," Russ eaid. "That mnsic cannot be heard any place hnt here."

Of couree we did not think thet possihle, hut npon investigation the next evening we found thnt Russ was right. Tha mnsic was heard on tha front porch, but ineudible at the home of a friend less than e block awey. Rnss decided to investigete and the the next evening hid himself in the town hsil tower.

We were sitting on the porch waiting for the chimes that evening and were not disappointed. They wera clear and unmistakahla as before. Anxiously we awaited the explanation that Rnss had promised to bring to us. A few minntes later ha arrived, his face hore an expression nf radiant peece. He seemed heppy, though older.

"Well, whn is the hird sending love songs to his best girl?" aeked dad.

"Yes, or whn is the guy that gummed up the mechenism until it imitates Paderewski?" I added.

"Folks, it's a romance," Rnss explained. "A beentiful little romanca thet has heen going on under the very eyes of thousande for more than twenty years."

Wa were vieibly affected as Rnsa continned.

"Ynn remember the grsy-beired old night watchman at the town hall? Just Frank, I helieva they call him. Well, he bas been climbing that tower to wind his clocks every night exactly at the stroke of seven. And in the overtone of the bells he taps out that little tune to let his little old mete at home know thet he has climhed safely to tha tower. Sha is an invalid, and each evening she waits petiently fnr news nf her loved one's dengerons climb. Not until she is certain he is safe will she turn to her rest."

Every nne remembered Frank. All that knew him loved him. He waa the friend of every boy in the town. Ha was an ideal character for such a beautiful romance.

"But," I asked, "why is it that tha mnsic cannot be heard farther down the street?"

"Because it is overtone," explained Russ. "Overtone is tha disturbance of fading sound vibration and can only be heard when the vibrations reach a certain speed. For that reason they can only be heard exactly the right distance from the sonrce. The little nld watchman taps those notes to be heard at his little home, which is exactly the sams distance from the tower as we are."

Tha explanation was accepted. Eech evening we sst on tha porch waiting for ths love aong. We would never leave for an appointment until we bed been cheered by the strains. They seemed to become a part of us and no one cared to admit how much be depended npon the music.

And one night in September we failed to hear it. We looked at each other in surprise. No one spoke for a while. Then, to camouflage his real feelings, ded asked:

"I wonder who ecared the old beezer out of the tower?"

"Perhaps the old lady bas wrapped a frying pen around his heed."

"Mayhe he's fellen and hroken his neck."

"Wonder what she'll think when she doesn't hear it?"

Many were the conjectures as to the cause of the mnsic's failure. None of them satisfied us, however, and the next evening Russ returned with an explanation.

"She is ill," he said, "and he is at her beside."

Mother prepered a besket of food, and with a suitahle vasa of flowers Russ and I visited the home of the little old couple. The smiles of appreciation we received were a great reward for our visit.

A few deys later we were overjoyed to bear tha melody onca more. Tha esme old tune as clear and nudible as hefore. Eech evening wa heard the strains ss usnel until one night in late Decemher.

It had heen a dreary day. Tha sky was overcast and the fall of darkness eent us indoors eerlier than neuel. But at eeven wa appeered on the porch in overcoats awelting the cheer that tha melody always bronght. But at the first note we dropped our hsads. I looked at mother and sew a tear creep into her eye. I turned toward the well to hida my own.

Slowly and eobbingly, as if a wail nf a thousand hearteches, the music ceme. But the "I Love You Truly" was lost in strains of "Nearer, My God, to Thee."

We underetood. Flowere were sent to the little old ledy's funeral as a token of the greetest and purest love we had ever known.

We did not expect to heer the chimes after thst, although wa subconecloualy listened in vein. It was the following spring thet I was visiting et the home of a friend in the suburbs of the city. We were sitting on tha porch as the chimes in the distence began to toll the hours and I listened as if hy hebit.

I was amszed es well as overjoyed to heer the seme old melody again, almost inaudihle and yet I could meke it out. The eeme bere of "I Love You Truly" that had cheered us for so many months.

I drove home at top speed with tha joyful news. The following evening the femily gethered at the home of my friend to hear tha strains. Ruse hed gone to the tower to inveetigate.

Agein we heard it and attempted to explain the repeated melody. Some one even suggeeted that the old fellow had remarried and moved to another pert of the city. A little leter Rnse arrived with sn explenetion.

"Sha is resting in tha little cemetery et Diamond Grove and ha has hroedened the overtona to help hie loved one rest in peece."

And still as the years creep on the little old watchman tolls his loved one that ha has climhed safely to the tower.

Made Napoleon Admit Power of Woman's Wit

Ae a rnle convereation es sn art develops only in middla life after the mind is enriched by reading and travel and hroadened by experience, hnt Mme, de Stael was an exception. Even ss a child ehe showed signs of her destiny as the hrillinnt French euthoress and leader in society, her youthful conversetion being remarkahle for command nf words and hesntiful sentiment. Her chuhhy fingers were ueually busy writing and ehe delighted in compoeing dramas wherein ehe made kings and queens act all of the parts. Time and again, it is seld, shs amazed adnlts with the genlns nf her comprehension and penetration of character.

When she reached young womanhood the etar of Napoleon Bonaparte was rising and mighty as was his will to power be feared ber and paid ber what was prohahly the greatest compliment ever paid a womnn. When he came to rule one of his first official acts was to exile ber, showing thst he considered her a dangerons rival. He said nf her, "The arrows of Mme. de Stsel conid reach a man if ha were seated upon a rainbow."—Kansas City Times.

Queer Doings

A eoldier, whn had heen a railwey porter hefore the war, nn his return resumed his duties, and on being asked one day by a traveler if he noticed any changes since he left, replied:

"Snre an' Oi do, sor. The eliven train now shtarts at twelve; the express doesn't stop at all, an' there's no lasht train!"

True

Ths cnmpositnr in setting up a poem about Lindbergh spelled it "propellor."

"It's a mistake, I know," said he, "but it is only a slight mistake. Why all tha fuss?"

"In en airplane poem you don't want anything wrong with the propeller."

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Another Pioneer Gone

Death claimed another of the old pioneers of this village last Sunday afternoon when Sever M. Hoff died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Cephas Swanson at Minneapolis. Taken ill last spring, Mr. Hoff went to Minneapolis to seek medical aid, and has been at the Swanson bome since April 14th. During his last illness, he suffered but little pain, and passed away peacefully. Mrs, Hoff and all their children, with exception of Mrs. Selma Winter, were with bim wben the end came,

Mr. Hoff was born in Valders Norway on July 27th, 1849, and lacked only a few weeks of being eighty years of age. He came to this country when 19 years of age, settling in southern part of the state. He was united inmarriage to Beret Skaran at Grand Meadow, Minnesota on June 20, 1876, and to this union nine cbildren were born, four of wbom have preceeded tbeir father in death.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoff came to St. Hilaire in 1882, and this place has since been the family home. During early years Mr. Hoff was engaged in the bardware business, operated a drug store, built the first creamery bere, and later was postmaster. During sawmill days Mr. and Mrs. Hoff operated a hotel, known as the Hoffman House, in north part of town.

After retiring from the botel business, Mr. and Mrs. Hoff have made their bome at their little farm bordering the village limits at north end of town, In June 1926, they observed their golden wedding anniversary at which time all members of the family were bere for a re-union.

Surviving Mr, Hoff are his wife and five children, the latter being Mrs. W. M. Zahn and Martin S. Hoff of Little Fork, Minn., Mrs. C. Swanson and Miss Blanche Hoff of Minneapolis. and, Mrs Harry Winter of this village. He is also survived by eleven grandchildren, and the following brothers and sister; M. M. Hoff of Grand Medow, E. M. Hoff of Hanley Falls, Minn., Erick Hoff of Tacoma, Wash., and Mrs. Tina Hoff of Adams, N. D.

All the children and their families, his sister, Mrs. Tina Hoff, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hoff of Hanley Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. S. Ruste. bakke of Tbief River Falls will be

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Cutting of alfalfa and other tame grass bas commenced in this vicinity.

Auto Accident Friday

While returning home from Thief River Falls about midnight last Friday Rex Brunelle, son of A. L. Brunelle, and C. Helm. son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Helm of Red Lake Falls, had a somewhat serious auto mishap near the G. Peterson farm south of here. Their car overturned mto the the ditcb, and young Brunwelle bad had all the cords in bis wrist severed. Were it not for prompt first aid given by his companion; he would have bled to death. He was rushed to the bospital at Crookston for surgical treatment. Top of the coupe the boys were driving was badly smashed.

Return From Dakota

Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Erdmann and family returned Saturday from a motor trip to Velva and other points in North Dakota. While at Velva they visited the Truax-Traer coal mine. While enroute, tbey stopped at Lakota for a brief vist with C, R. Peterson, and at Devils Lake to call on Miss Florence Haslam. Mr. Erdmann states crops are generally fair in the territory where they travelled, but are greatly in need of rain.

William Engh, who underwent an operation at a Thief River Falls hospital a couple weeks ago, returned bome Sunday noon. While still a little weak from effects of the operation, he is gaining strengtb rapidly, and will be able to attend to his usual duties in a short time.

Beverly Nelson, eight year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelson of Minneapolis, former residents of this village, bad the honor of capturing first prize in a doll buggy parade at Longfellow Field, Minneapolis, last Friday. Tbis entitles ber to participate in the city doll buggy parade at Loring Park at which time winners from the various city parks will vie for honors.

Travellers coming thru from Montana and North Dakota state that grain crops as far west as Minot are suffering from lack of rain. Early reports from Dakota are that the crops will be lighter there this year than usual, but in Montana there will be a good crop unless something occurs after this time to cut the yield.

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Rail Birds

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Paul Ortloff left Saturday for Detroit Lakes after spending the Fourth here witb his family.

After spending a couple weeks here with relatives, Mrs. Oscar Gigstad left Saturday evening over the Soo for her home at Newport, Minn

Rev. A- Sand and family are here from Annandale, Minn., for a visit at the Mrs. Aug. Svenson bome east of town.

Summer Sale! For thirty days only - - tires - - batteries and other supplies. Free Inner tube continues thruout this sale. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Joseph Einerson and son Maynard, of Joplin, Mont., were visitors here during the past week-end at home of her sister - in- law, Mrs. A. Bilden.

A good sized crowd attended the annual picnic at the Black River Swedish Lutheran cburcb which was held at the cburcb grounds the Fourth.

Mrs. N. E. Beebe left Saturday evening over tbe Soo for a visit with ber relatives at Mankato and Rapidan, Minn. She expects to be gone a week or two.

Mrs. Effie Rolland left Monday morning for Red Lake Falls near wbere sbe will be employed as cook for a construction crew during the summer.

Tomorrow will be another day, what it will bring depends on wbat you do today. Toe best thing you can do is to take a commercial course. Send for Mankato Commercial College catalogue.

Lineman of the Northwestern Bell Telepbone Company are stringing new copper wire thru here this week to replace some of the old iron circuits. Newpoles with new crossarms were set a few weeks ago.

Mrs. Harold Holmes entertained a party of twelve friends at her home last Tuesday complimentary to Mrs. Oscar Gigstad, a former neighbor, who is visiting relatives bere before returning to her home at Newport, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Gestie and daughter, Bernice, of Fargo, N. D., spent Saturday afternoon at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Carl Johnson, while enroute to their home from a motor tour to Winnipeg, Can.

Mrs. Jennie Carter and sons left last week-end for a short visit at the Brown bome at Grygla.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Bergland and daughter motored Saturday to Foston and returned.

Hay Stumpage:-Eighty acre tract along state road three miles west of St. Hilaire. Inquire at this offlce-

The Ladies Aid of the Nor. Luth. church will be entertained by Mesdames Ordean Olson and H. F. Hanson at the church basement, Friday afternoon, July 19. J11-18

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kruse returned recently to their home at Minneapolis after spending a week here witb bis parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Kruse.

Enoch Sundholm, who has been ill tbe past two weeks, is improving steadily, and expects to be able to attend to his work at tbe drug store in a short time.

Charles Bourdon, former resident of Red Lake Falls, and well known to many people in this community, died June 30th. at his home at Boy River, Minn.

Cream receipts at the local creamery were exceptionally heavy Monday. Many patrons who came in during morning, were compelled to wait until nearly noon before they had a cbance to unload.

The county owned tractor outfit finished a job of ditch deepening along the Angle road last week, and has since finished a similar job two miles east of here along the state road.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veterinarian was down Friday from Thief River on bis regular weekly call. He was accompanied by Dr. A. Walsb of Lanesboro, wbo is working in this county for the Livestock Sanitary Board.

NOTICE

As a mark of respect to an old pioneer resident of this village, all business places are requested to close today between the bours of 2:00, and 3:00 during the funeral of the late Sever Hoff.

A. Satterberg, Pres.

Lose At Highlanding

The St. Hilaire baseball team took the short end of a 5 to 4 score in their game played with the Highlanding team in that village the Fourth. The game was evenly play thruout, and the score was 4 to 4 at end of the seventh. Tbe game was scheduled to go only seven innings, and it was necessary to play extra innings to break the tie. The game was one of the most interesting played in this section this saeson.

Here From St. Paul

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Adams, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. Brennan, motored up Saturday from St. Paul for their annual visit with relatives and friends. Herman, who is employed by the street railway company at St- Paul, says conditions are none too brisk in the Cities this season, and that quite a number of working people are without employment. Tbey will return home today.

Return From Montana

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ulrich and son, Ernest, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. Lehmkuhl, returned Monday from an extended motor trip to Great Falls, Mont., where they visited with their son, Carl who is employed by the Fuller Brush Co. They visited Yellowstone National Park and report having a wonderful trip.

The Erickson-Oslund wedding reception held on Saturday evening was well attended. The out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Erickson and Gene Watvit of McIntosh, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Erickson of Crookston, Anna and Richard Peterson of Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eide of Eveleth and Miss Norquist, Mr. Anderson, Mrs. Erickson and sons, Leonard Harry and Ernest of Hazel.:Roseau Times-Region.

Outlook for a good crop in this part of the state are not very bright at present. Due to lack of rain, grain in the territory west of bere is heading out rapidly, but it will be too sbort to cut with binders unless rain should come soon to promote further growth. Hay will also be short in some places. East of here the grain looks better, and indications are that hay will be fair.

Splendid Celebration

One of the greatest celebrations ever held in this part of the state was that held at Crookston on July 3rd and 4th, in observance of the 50th, anniversary of incorporation of that city. First settlers at Crookston came there in 1872, but it was not until 1879 that the town was incorporated.

An industrial parade more than a mile in length, was one of the features the Fourth. Old settlers, pioneer citizens of Crookston, a band of Indians from the White Earth Indian Reservation, old vehicles of long ago, a pioneer covered wagon outfit such as was common fifty years ago, automobiles of early vintage, beautiful civic and industrial floats, besides a display of newest models of autos, were in the parade

One very interesting exhibit furnished by the Great Northern Railway Company was the first train that ran into Crookston.

The old William Crooks engine with two small coaches, which occupied a place of honor in front of the G. N. station, was visited bv thousands of people. In contrast to the old train, one of the newest oil burning Mogul engines of the G. N. was stationed in rear of the old train.

This exhibit was of special significance to Crookston as that city is named for the first chief engineer of the road, William Crooks, which is the name borne by the old engine instead of a number as is the practice now

—During afternoon Atty General Youngquist, a former resident of Crookston, gave a splendid speech in the city park. Base ball game, a pavement dance, Indian dances, contests of various kinds, special performances at the show houses, as well as dozens of other forms of amusement, were on the well arranged program.

Not only was the celebration one of the best ever attempted in northern Minnesota, but it was the most orderly. In constrast to conditions that would have existed as late as ten years ago, not a single drunken person was noted, nor was there any autombile accidents despite the fact that thousands of cars traversed the streets continually during the two days,

A fine shower of rain, accompanied by a few hail, fell over this section Monday afternoon.

Want Ads Bring Resutls

Save Something

You have often heard us stress "SAVE" before and it may be growing tiresome, but, honestly now, haven't you had opportunities time and again to make good investments?

And were you not compelled to pass 'em up simply because you had failed to "SAVE" for just sucb an emergency? The same thing is going to happen again, tberefor, we repeat "SAVE".

Merchants State Bank

"THE OLD RELIABLE"

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Hitting The Ball

Now when it is apparent grain crops will be lighter tban usual, its mighty nice to get that cream check every month. The creamery is here-beating its record of last year by thousands of pounds of butter manufactured, because people believe in it, and patronize it. Let's resolve to make 1920 a banner year, and. to see that each succeeding year beats the previous one.

Every dollar made by the creamery is paid to its patrons, which is possible only by united cooperative effort, Let's go.

St. Hilaire Co-op Cr'y Ass'n

ST. HILAIRE, MINN.

BASEBALL

Sunday, July, 14

GRYGLA

vs

ST. HILAIRE

On St. Hilaire grounds

Game Called at 2:00

Grygla has played good ball thus far this season, and are coming determined to annex another victory.

Come out and help root for the home team in the first game on local grounds this season.

Mary Pickford

A late photograph of the ever populer Mary Pickford, as she appears in the screen version of "Coquette." Mary Pickford, who recently bobbed her hair and announced her intention to play "grown-up" roles on the screen, is seen as "Norma Besant," in the all-talking production.

THE WHY of SUPERSTITIONS

By H. IRVING KING

LUCKY AND UNLUCKY DAYS

NO SUPERSTITION is more widespread than the belief in lucky and unlucky days. It dates back to the Romans, and while the empire of the Caesars has vanished the superstition survives. Most men, perhaps, have what they consider their lucky and unlucky days—days on which they would hesitate to embark on a new enterprise or days which they would choose for so doing. This arises from the fact that man is essentially egocentric, and in his experiences thinks he notices that a certain day seems propitious to his affairs, while a certain other day is unpropitious. "What's your lucky day?" is not unusual as a casual inquiry among Wall street men.

The almost universal idea that Friday is an unlucky day undoubtedly originated in the fact the Crucifixion took place on that day. This superstition regarding Friday was formerly very strong among sailors; and is today among those manning sailing vessels or rattle-trap tramp steamers who have to wrestle with the great forces of nature for their lives. Masters of such vessels would not willingly choose Friday as a sailing day; or if they did, might have trouble with their crews. But it has been observed that sailors on the great ocean liners, whose vast powers seem superior to winds and waves, show little or no disinclination to sail on a Friday.

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How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

THE "CALENDAR"

"CALENDAR," the word which designates the chart by which we reckon and arrange the divisions of the year into months, weeks and days, has a story in its name.

It comes to us from the Latin "kalenderium," an account book, which goes back to "calends" or "kalends"—and there we have the story.

The Romans made a threefold division of the month into Kalends, Nones and Ides. The "Ides of March" is familiar to every reader of Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar." In certain months the Nones fell on the 7th, the Ides on the 15th; in other months the Nones came on the 5th, the Ides on the 13th. But the Kalends came always on the 11th of the month.

Since the first and most important division of the year is its charting into months, each of which began with the Kalends, the evolution of the word "calendar" is easily comprehensible.

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NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota. } ss.

To Laura Holton.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Northeast Quarter Section 9. Township 152 and Range 42

Is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1926, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 18th day of March, 1926, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1924, for said County of Pennington the above described piece or parcel of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of Fifty-three Dollars and Seventy-two cents.

(3) That the said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 13th day of September 1926, for the sum of Fifty-six Dollars and Forty-two cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Fifty-six Dollars and Forty-two cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $56.42 thereof from the 13th day of September 1926, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 20th day of May, 1929.

(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.

Approved June 9, 1921
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. (J.-27-Jul-11)

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota. } ss.

To First and People's State Bank.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Southeast Quarter of Section 17 Township 152 Range 45.

Is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1926, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 16th day of March, 1926, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1924, for said County of Pennington the above described piece or parcel of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of Fifty-three Dollars and Seventy-two cents.

(3) That the said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 13th day of September 1926, for the sum of Fifty-six Dollars and Forty-two cents.

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New Treatment Gives Porosity to Concrete

"Ice concrete" is the name of a new porous and light building material recently invented in Finland. This new substance is made of cement and sand, like any other concrete, but it differs greatly from ordinary concrete in that it has been made extremely porous by mixing it with crushed ice and snow. Then the moisture is evaporated through heating. By this process the block or the brick is honeycombed evenly by tiny pores. No additional water in composition is needed since the water required is formed through the melting of the ice or snow.

The degree of porousness of this concrete can be accurately determined in advance by the quantity of ice or snow used. Consequently, the weight of the material is in direct relation to the number and the size of the pores. It is possible to use as much as from 50 to 80 per cent of ice or snow in the mixture, thus producing millions of minute pores throughout the material. In Finland, Sweden and Denmark numerous buildings have been erected, using ice concrete.—Scientific American.

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To M. J. Kribsback.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Southwest Quarter Section 15. Township 152 Range 42.

Is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1926, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 16th day of March, 1926 in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1924, for said County of Pennington the above described piece or parcel of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of Forty-three Dollars and Sixty-eight cents.

(3) That said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 13th day of September 1926, for the sum of Forty-five Dollars and Eighty-eight cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Forty-five Dollars and Eighty-eight cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $45.88 thereof from the 13th day of September 1926, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 25th day of May, 1929.

(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.

Approved May 16, 1919
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. (J.-27-Jul-11)

LEONARD HOLMES
UNDERTAKER
Full Line Of Funeral Supplies On Hand
St. Hilaire, Minn. Nov 26th

Lamps of all sizes from 10 to 60 watt can also be had at 20 cents each at the Spectator office

Defoe Never Cut Out for Business Career

Daniel Defoe, the author of "Robinson Crusoe," attempted to establish himself in the business world, but he failed miserably. When he was about thirty years old he failed for about $85,000, large sum for the period, but he afterward paid his creditors in full, although they had accepted a scaling down of their debts at the time of his failure. A few years later he embarked in business again as a tile maker, but this venture also proved unfortunate, and he lost $15,000. Thereafter he kept to writing, which was more suited to his genius, although his energy and his imagination might have made him a business leader if Seventeenth century conditions had been more like those of today. He got into serious trouble when he published his "Shortest Way With the Dissenters," which a good many respectable people indorsed because they were too stupid to realize that it was a satire at their expense. This made them furiously angry and Defoe had to go into hiding. Finally he surrendered and was sentenced to stand in the pillory and to be imprisoned. But the populace acclaimed him and turned what was meant to be his humiliation into an ovation. He finally won his release and established a paper issued three times a week, which he wrote from cover to cover. He was nearly sixty years old when he wrote the story of "Robinson Crusoe."—Kansas City Star.

Simple Rules Will Prevent Accidents

Drivers Who Habitually Disregard Safety Regulations Sure to Come to Grief

With the vacation and travel season at its height, automobile accidents are also reaching a high figure. Almost every issue of the daily papers contains accounts of one or more persons killed or seriously injured. Ninety percent of these accidents could be avoided if drivers would observe a few elementary rules. Below are some rules taken from a recent Highway bulletin, which every driver should learn and obey:

Stop at all streets, roads and railroads with "STOP" signs.

Make sure there is no train coming before crossing railroad tracks.

Keep to the right of the center of the road in curves, at crossings and on the brow of a hill.

Keep to the right at all other times except when passing vehicles.

Do not pass vehicles unless the road is free of oncoming traffic for a safe distance ahead.

Do not pass anyone on a sharp curve or crossing or on the hrow of a hill.

Slow down at all turns and crossings where the view is obscured.

Slow down when going through cities and villages.

Keep your brakes and steering gear in good condition.

Have two front lights and tail light hurning when driving at night

See that your lights illuminate the road, without glare.

Do not stop or park on the traveled portion of the highway.

Do not park at night without adequate lights.

Do not circle right before making left turns. Signal for all left turns.

Keep your car under control so you can always stop in the clear space ahead.

Persons who habitually disregard these rules are sure to have a serious accidently sooner or later. Besides that they may face arrest by the new state traffic patrol now being organized under the State Highway department.

Wyandotte Items

Mrs. Ray Rockwell and childern visited Monday afternoon at the P. Kolseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Vandeit and family visited Sunday evening at H. Moenen home.

Mr. Charley Samuelson and Ray Rockewell were business callers at Thief River Falls on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar J. Peterson and daughter Marie visited at the P. Kolseth home Monday evening.

Mr. O. Noel called at H. Bruggeman Monday evening.

Friends and neighbors had a parcel shower on Mrs. Peter Kolseth Tuesday afternoon. The following were present: Mrs. Ole Hanson, Mrs. W. P. Peterson Miss Anna Peterson, Mrs. J. E. Peterson, Mrs. Anton Peterson and Mrs. John Albin. A social time was epent after which a delicious lunch was served. Mrs. P. Kolseth received many useful gifts.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

For Sale or Rent: The former John Nelson property in the Addition north of town, consisting of 6 room house, barn, 10 lots, fruit trees, etc. Offers for rent or sale will be considered. Apply at this office. J13Ju4pd

Try Our Want Ads They Bring Results

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

A Mystery to the Rich Man

A FEW years ago a gentleman who had acquired a million or so in other lines of endeavor took a part of his fortune and with it built a theater on Broadway. The theater was pretty far uptown, as New York then measured uptown, and at the outset business was not what the new owner expected.

At the end of the second week as proprietor-manager he was standing at the door one afternoon just before the Saturday matinee performance began, talking to the late Paul West. Along came a leading dramatic critic and he stopped for a minute's chat with the other two.

"Say, Harry," asked the owner, "what's the reason that I ain't making no money outer this here proposition? Here I go and put up a nice clean house and book a good show and yet the crowd ain't coming!"

"Well," diagnosed the critic, "I'll tell you, Jake; this is a new place and you mustn't be in too big a hurry. Remember how long it took some of these other houses to get established. You'll have to build up your own clientele."

He passed on and West went inside to see the show. When he came out at the end of the first act the millionaire was waiting for him and drew him aside.

"Paul," he demanded, "what was the name of that there thing Harry told me I'd have to build up here?"

"A clientele," said West.

"Sure, I thought I had it right," said the owner; "and now what I wanter know is why them guys down at the building department gave me the laugh a while ago when I called 'em up and asked for a permit to build one."

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To Greater Heights

Institutions may crumble and governments fall, but it is only that they may renew a better youth.—George Bancroft.

Think It Over

To cease from fretting and repining and to strengthen oneself with some vital interest accelerates the thrill of health.

House a Home First

A house should be first of all a home, and only secondarily a work of art, for the more nearly it fulfills the first function the greater chance it has to fulfill the second.

Chick Feeds Of All Kinds

Success in poultry raising depends to a large extent, on the feeds used. We have **Pillsbury's chick starter, Growing grains, Meat scraps, Bone Meal, Charcoal, Oyster shells etc.** These feeds are used with splendid success by poultry raisers all over the country.

Big supply of mill feeds on hand at all times.

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Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Do It Now

The best time to replenish your supply of letterheads, statements, envelopes, memoheads, bill file statements, and other printed matter is right now. Anticipate what you will need for fall use and order it now during the slack summer season. We can give you better service, and, incidentally, better prices on such work when done during the summer.

The Spectator

Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire, Minn. held at the village ball, July 1st at 8 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved.

Motion duly made and carried that the village purchase five loads of gravel for Water street.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed as read.

Red River Power Co. ligbts $34.30
Peterson and Kolstad, building sidewalk and other work $70.00
Nels Pearson, labor 15 hours $5.25
Central Lb. Co. 94 sacks of cement $79.90
John Hanson, labor, $1.00
O. Gunstad, two proceedings and notices $6,25
E. O. Burkee, May 9th Insurance on village hall $19.35

On motion duly made and carried tbe clerk was instructed to send for catalogue and price of stop signs to be placed on our side streets.

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjourned.

A. Satterberg, President.
M. Fricker Clerk.

Mower Supplies:- I have sickles, sections, guards, sickle heads and pitmen bars for all standard makes of mowers, at prices that will save you money.

Wm. Olson St. Hilaire Minnesota
J20, Ju14

The Spectator, $1.50 A Year

Citation For Hearing On Petition For Probate Of Will

ESTATE OF Peter Lindblom
STATE of MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In Tbe Matter Of The Estate Of Peter Lindblom, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Henry Lindblom, Clara Scbolin, Carl Lindblom, Lucile Lindblom, Mabel Lindblom, and Ellen Lindblom also known as Ida Lindblom and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: Tbe petition of Earnest Akerlund being duly filed in this court, representing that Peter Lindblom, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died on the 24th day of June 1929, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testimentary be issued thereon to Earnest Akerlund, NOW THEREFORE, you and each of you, are bereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in tbe Court House, in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of July, 1929, at 10:00 A. M., wby the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness The Honorable Lars Backe, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 3rd day of July, 1929.

(COURT SEAL) Lars Backe, Judge

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Petitioner
July 11-25.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated February 8th, 1924, executed by Ewert Rewertz and Anna Rewertz, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on February 13th, 1924, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 142 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $122.65, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $125.00, due on August 8th, 1928, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $125.00, due on February 8th, 1929; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $3,774.65, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from February 8th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $247.65, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $122.65 thereof since November 27th, 1928, and on $125.00 thereof since February 8th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $9.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since February 16th, 1929, in all the sum of $4,107.42, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of saie in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The West Half of the Northwest Quarter (W½ of NW¼) of Section Sixteen (16), and the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Nine (9), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 240 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 26th day of July, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the higbest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 12th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't. Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. J-13 July 18

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor
County of Pennington } ss.
State of Minnesota

To The Liberty State Bank, Minneapolis, Minn.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Southeast Quarter Section 25, Township 154, Range 41

Is now assessed in your name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1926, at a saie of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 18th day of March, 1926, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1924, for said County of Pennington the above described piece or parcel of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of One Hundred twenty Dollars and Forty-eight cents.

(3) That the said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and soid by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the 20th day of July 1926, for the sum of One Hundred twenty four dollars and Eight cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of One Hundred twenty-four dollars and eight cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $124.08 thereof from the 20th day of July 1926, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested,

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office:

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 20th day of May, 1929.

(Official Seal) T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
Approved June 9, 1921
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General (J.-27-July 11)

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CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Ladies Aid of the Evang. Mission church will meet at the home of J. J. Larson in River township, on Friday July 12th. Mesdames J. Konickson and J. Larson will entertain. All are welcome.

Sunday school at 10:00.

Services at 11:00 and 8:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday morning in Clara church at 10:30.

A picnic will be given at the local cburch grounds next Sunday afternoon, starting at 2:00. A good program has been arranged.

Ladies Aid will be entertained at the Albert Anderson home this afternoon.

Methodist-Presbyterian Church

Thief River Falls
Sunday 8 P. M.
"Women Preachers"
Third Synod sermon by Dr. Grays

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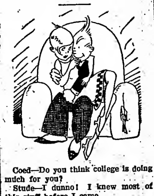
On the Ark

Noab (in cabin)—"Water, water, not a thing in sight but water. I think I'm going mad."—Mrs. Noab (entering from aviary)—"Oh, there you are, dear. The dove just brought in a postcard for you." Noah—"Great We're in touch with the outside world at last. What does it say?" Mrs. Noah—"It's from your Cousin Fanny and she just writes: 'To Big Boy Noah—Oceans of love.'" (They had dove for dinner).—Kansas City Times.

WHAT COLLEGE DOES



Coed—Do you think college is doing much for you?

Stude—I dunno! I knew most of this stuff before I came.

Still Life in Canada

Ontario Paper—The colony land consists of 200 acres of pleasant groves and corpses.—Boston Transcript.

Not a Timorous Girl

Lady (engaging maid)—Regarding your evening out, I'm quite prepared to meet you half way.

Maid—That'll be all right ma'am; I ain't a bit worried o' coming bome in the dark.

Gathering His Own

Constable—How did you come by that pot of honey?

Tramp—Well, I admit I don't keep bees, but wot's to stop a bloke squeezin' it out of tbe flowers bisself?

A Sure Sign

"Bill must be planning to buy a new car."

"Why?"

"I see be's letting his wife drive."—Everybody's Weekly.

Beat It

Harassed Carpet Salesman (appealing to busband)—You won't beat this, sir.

Wife—You'll pardon me; he will if I want him to!

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

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LOCALS

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday July 14 th.
Services as follows:
Communion Services Clearwater Luth. 10;00 A. M.
Communion St. Pauli 8:00 P. M.
St. Hilaire Luth. League 8:00 P.M in church parlors.

BIDS WANTED

The school hoard of Dist. 54, Pennington County, Minn., will receive hids up to July 15th, at 8:00 P. M., for painting of the school buildings and sheds. The school building to be painted two coats inside and outside, and one on the outhuildings. Bids to be mailed to or left with Ed Auhol, Route No. 1, St. Hilaire, Minn.

The following item from one of the Range papers will be of interest to many people here who knew Mrs. Pitkin when she resided hcre some years ago.

"Mrs. Ethel C. Pitkin will leave next Wednesday for New York where she will study stage directing, lighting, and setting with Alviennes Stock company at his Professional Art Theatre-Eveleth Clarion".

Eighty six persons were more or less injured Tuesday afternoon at the North Dakota State Fair at Fargo when a section of the hleachers collapsed.

Marie Cathelineau, who has been employed hy the Women's World magazine on a soliciting crew working in Dakota, returning home last week. She expects to go out again next month, and will then travel in Texas. Her sister, Mrs. Connor, left last week to engage in the same line of work.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Skatrud left Saturday for Karlstad for a short visit with his parents. From there they are going to Winnipeg, and upon return from there, are going to International Falls, the range towns and Duluth for a two weeks vacation.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Larson, who have spent the past ten days with relatives here, and with friends in different towns in this section, left Tuesday morning for their home at Manistique, Mich. They were accompanied hy Mrs. Larsen's father, H. J. Hanson, who will visit with them.

Mr. and Mrs. P' E. Bergh motored last week and spent the Fourth at his formor home at Brandon, Minn. They returned Sunday to their home at Plummer. Paul Roy was in charge of the hardware store here during absence of Mr. Bergh.

LOCALS

Mrs. A. Kvennes of Grand Forks, came yesterday to be present at the funeral of her uncle, the late S. M. Hoff.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Swadhergh and daughter of Portland, Oregon., are here for a visit at the home of her father, Wm. Novak, and at bome of her sister, Mrs. Harold Holmes.

Joe Hauge and family motored over last week from Bemidji for a visit at the home of his parents, Mr and Mrs. R . L. Hauge, and with relatives of Mrs. Hauge.

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A six year old boy was knocked down and severely hruised at Red Lake Falls the Forth when he stepped into the path of a car. The boy was taken to the St. Vincent hospital at Crookston where it was found his injuries were not serious.

Ahout three and one half miles of road oiling extending south from Thief River is finished. If favorahle weather continues for that work, the contractor expects to finish south to the Red Lake county line in ahout two weeks.

Sewing Wanted:
I have the facilities for, and am prepared to do any and all kinds of sewing. If you have anything to be done, kindly call or phone 70.
Mrs. John Gonnering,
JIltf St. Hilaire, Minn.

Mrs. K. T. Dalager and sons, Horace and James, returned Monday after visiting a week with rel- at Fergus Falls, Battle Lake, Herman and other points. They were also present at a family re-union at the old home at Battle Lake, They say drought conditions were general all the way down, but a good rain fell in that section last Sunday.

Some Improvement

Doctor—Well, do you find that your memory is improving under treatment?

Patient—Not exactly, but I can frequently remember that I have forgotten something if I could only remember what it is.

The Dread Alternative

The Heroic Star—I'm tired of these breakneck stunts. Haven't you another part for me?

The Director—Nothing but a lover's part, playing opposite your wife.

The Star—Lead me back to the [illegible]

ALWAYS SOMETHING BETTER

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

"HURRY, Roberta," urged Roh's stepmother. "It's almost train time."

"If I don't get this dress finished in time for the party tonight I'll hang that old uncle of yours, Fanny." Roh put her sewing down reluctantly. "I'll wear my blue linen. Jen said her cousin was coming down early."

"Well, even if you should miss the party it couldn't he helped. Just remember that line up there on the wall."

"Roh's eye caught the line, a little framed motto:

"Nothing passes me hy in life hut to give place to something better."

Those words hed been clted to her with each girlish hope she had ever had defeated. To Roh nothing could he better than going to Jen's party that she was giving for her wealthy cousin, Jerry Hodges.

When she passed Jen's house they were stringing Japanese lanterns ecross the lawn. Roh was fairly tingling with anticipation when she found that something was wrong with one of the tires. Roh had never been intimately acquainted with automohiles. Their car was a very recent addition to the family's few possessious. The Dicksous hed lived in an apartment until last year, when immediately after Roh's graduation they hed come to live on a farm for the sake of Fanny's health.

Roh was very near to hursting into tears when a car appeared over the hill. It was a long car, glistening in the summer sun—yellow as a canary. Roh gulped egainst her tears and signeled it frantically. But, like a startled hird, it shot hy. All that Roh received was a cold, indifferent stare from its lone occupant.

"Nothing," she affirmed dramatically to a red rohin on e hush across the fence, "passes me hy in lifa bnt to give place to something better!"

Another car was coming down the slope. Roh made no effort to signal it. She got squarely in its wey.

"Could you tell me whet to do first?" she esked when it stopped with a squeeling of hrakes.

"One usually gets out his jeck first," informed the stranger, eyeing her prostrete tire. "We'll use mine—I keep it handy!" He got out, dragging a hetch of tools with him. His clothes were dusty; his car, a high-powered roedster, was mud-spettered.

"I've got to meet a train in Whitley," Roh explained, "and this is my first tire trouhle."

"Like sorrow, though it comes to all."

His voice, she noted, was full and low—like Doctor Dan's. His eyes were tired, though Roh sew thet they brightened when he looked et her. She was glad she hed worn the blua linen. The sun wes merciless, hut she looked as cool as e hlue stretch of Aprll sky. She stood wetching him as he attacked the wheel. His shoulders were broed, his neck tanned to a réd hrown.

"When is your train due?" he asked.

"At 2:30. There's only oue each wey e day, and they're usually late."

He looked at his watch. "You've got time, even if it isn't. One hetes to miss a train, though. Nothing makes me madder."

"Unless it is to heve to meet ona when you don't want to!" said Rob vehemently. "When you heve to leave the dress you are making over to wear to the one party, perheps, of your life —to go and meet your stepmother's uncle.

The mou worked in silence for a miunte; theu he looked up at her. Roh uoticed then thet he was young.

"Why the 'perhaps—the oue party, perhaps, of your life?' "

Roh flushed. She had not known meu were so perceptive. She felt thet he almost read her dreams about Jerry Hodges. (She and Jen had talked from the depths of their girlish hearts. "Jerry is crazy over your type, Roh!" Jen hed said. Wasn't that seed enough to grow dreams from?"

"This uncle," Roh evaded, "is dropping ont of the sky. Fanny, my stepmother, never saw him hefore. It isn't even like having a rich relative come—you could afford to hreak your neck then! But this Jimmie Ledd is poor—Fanny seys the Ledds were always camping on the poorhouse grounds awaiting their turn to go in!"

He chuckled et her joke. "But yon didn't tell me ehout the party—that's what I'm interested in!"

"It's just a party one of my neighbors is giving. They have a heautiful place, and Jen alweys gives the darlingest parties!"

"Bnt that 'perhaps'—what kind of a fellow is he?"

Roh giggled. "If you've got to know, he is Jen's cousin who's coming from Fort Slater today!"

The young man took the extra off the rack, placing the old one on in its stead. His face wes hot and the perspiration dripped from his hrows.

"Oh, I hate for you to do this!" cried Roh. "Can't I help?"

"You are helping. Nothing warms a man's heart—or cools it—like the little confidences of a woman!"

Again Roh flushed. (Her loquacity was a family joke.)

"Well, she's on!" he announced suddenly, and looked at his watch. "Fifteen minutes—you ought to make it!"

"I can't thank you enough!" cried Roh, gratefully. She sprang into her car and started the engine. He smiled, taking off his het to her as she shot the car forward. Funny, thought Roh, how a stranger would take such au interest in a country perty!

Roh reeched the station three minutes before the train arrived. But Fanny's uncle did net come. The telegram to Fanny hed reod:

"Will he in Whitley Wednesday, 9th. Bill Streeter told me your whereabouts."

Bill Streeter, Jeu's star edmirer, hod recently gone to Nevade, from which place the message came. Well, this was Wednesday, 9th, hut he did not come. Roh turned away from ths station with a shrug—her wey of dismissing uninvited stepuncles!

Going home Roh's thonghts were on the young man who had worked on hsr car. His voice, his kind brown eyes with the lines of weariness ahout them. She would never forget him—even if she should meet Jen's cousin.

Nearing Jen's she saw that a long car, glistening in the summer sun—yellow as a canary—stood et the gate. Jen, ou the lawn, with e tall, slim stranger, signaled frantically for Roh to stop. But, like a startled hird, Roh shot by. At home Fanny met her.

"I'm not going to the party tonight, Fanny."

Fanny's mouth fell open et this startling news.

"I forgot to tell you," Roh added, "that your uncle didn't come. Now, isn't that like—"

"S-sh!" warned Fanny. "He's already here—his car's at the hack, and he's lying down on the couch to rest. I didn't remember how old Jimmie was—but he was the last of Grandma Ladd's family."

"And you're not going to the party, Roh? Come and tell me about it! said a voice—full and low, like Doctor Dan's.

Roh's fece went white.

"Roberta Dickson, you got too hot!" scolded Fanny.

Roh heard him spring from the couch and cross to the door.

"Come on in here, Roh, and he a sport!" He took her hy the arm.

"Why didn't you tell me—save me a trip to town?" she hantered.

"Oh, it's a shame the way I talked to you!' She hid her face and wept.

"What on earth, Roherta, have you done?" exclaimed Fanny.

"Not a thing, Fanny dear!" assured Jimmie Ladd. "You run along and leave her to me. . . . Don't cry, Roh! I'm the happiest fellow in the world—since you're not going to tha party to meet Jen's cousin! Look; do you know who this is?"

He held before her a snapshot of her own self, taken at Jen's.

"Bill Streeter gave me that—and I came all the way from Nevada hecause of it." He wanted to add: "And, although I am a Ladd, I am clear across the continent from the poorhouse!" but he saved that for a later surprise and contented himself with coaxing a smile into Roh's blushing face.

Achievement Day, July 25

The different units of the Pennington County Poultry Project will have their Achievement Day program at the Auditorium at Thief River, July 25th. A fine program has been arranged for, and the day will undouhtedly prove fully as enjoyable as any of the previous Achievement Days held in this county.

To Rebuild Lines

A construction crew of the Northern States Power Company came up yesterday with a load of supplies, and will be bere again next week with more material for rehuilding of the lines in town.

Voltage on the high line between here and the power house at Red Lake Falls is to he changed from 13000 volts to 6600 which necessitate setting new transformers.

LOCALS

Mrs. R. J. McKercher and children returned Tuesday after spending several days with relatives and friends at Herman, Minn.

Clifford Lindquist returned Tuesday evening over the Soo after spending a week at the homes of his sisters, and visiting with friends in the Twin Cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Stapf of St. Paul, are the happy parents of a son horn July 6th., and named George Alvin. Mrs. Stapf was formerly Gladys Gigstad of this village.

Rev. Elmer B. Dahlstrom, who has heen stationed at Berkley, Calif., the past year, arrived, last week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Dahlstrom at their farm home west of town.

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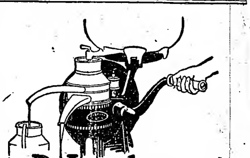

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The ahove sum will he paid hy the board of directors of school district No. 54, known as the Auhol school, one mile north of St. Hilaire for information leading to arrest and conviction of parties who hroke into the school huilding and committed depredations therein recently.

Geo. Hanson, Chairman,
Ed Auhol, Clerk
J. Engelhart, Treas.

Ole Lovik and daughter, Phyllis, of Drayton, N. D;, motored down Tuesday for a visit at the Rev. Dahle home. Mr. Lovik returned home yesterday hut Phyllis stayed to spend a few days more.

Rev. C. M. Grimsrud of Hoople, N. D., former pastor of the local Norwegian Lutheran and affiliated churches for eight years, has accepted a call to Hitterdal, Minn., and will assume charge there Aug 1st.

Another Pioneer Called

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here for the funeral which will he conducted hy Rev. M. L. Dahle at 2:00 Thursday afternoon. As the Norwegian Lutheran church, of which the Hoff family are members, is undergoing repairs, the funeral will take place at the Swedish Lutheran church.

Sincere sympethy of a large circle of old friends in St. Hilaire and vicinity is extended to Mrs. Hoff and family in their loss of hushand and father.

Miss Hilda Nelson of Minneapolis, motored up last week with Walter Holmstrom of Camhridge, for a short visit at the home of her brother, Rev. A. F. Nelson.

Dr. and Mrs. C. Swanson and family, accompanied hy Mrs. S. M. Hoff, arrived yesterday hy car from Minneapolis to he present at the funeral for the late S. M. Hoff.

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Oiling Crew Here

The crew engaged in oiling of Trunk Highway No. 32 from Thief River Falls south to the Red Lake county line, finished half of the stretch north of here first of this week, and moved their equipment here and will be located here until balance of the contract is completed. Seven tank cars of oil are here, and a steam outfit for beating the oil in the tank cars is now working.

Oiling thru town was started Tuesday afternoon and is progressing rapidly. As soon as the first coat soaks in, another one is applied and light coat of gravel spread over the entire road. One of the benefits claimed for oiled roads is that it will eliminate the dust nuisance which has been extremely bad this season.

County Fair, Jul, 31 Aug 1-2-3

The Pennington County Fair will cover four days this year, extending from Wednesday, July 31, through Saturday, August 3. A good program of horse racing, combined with high class free acts will be presented each afternoon of Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Fireworks will take the place of the horse racing at the night shows. The biggest carnival company that has ever "set-up" in this section of the state has been engaged, the Royal Amerian shows carrying with them ten distinct riding devices and a most unusual assortment of Coney Island attractions and side shows.

Leaves For Washington

Miss Josephene Branum left Monday evening enroute to Everett, Wash., to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Phillips, and to visit with numerous friends in the coast country. If she finds conditions to her liking, she may decide to locate permanently in Washington. During her many years of employment at the local postoffice, as well as other business places in town, Miss Josephene has gained a host of friends who regret very much to see her leave, but all join in wishing her well wherever she may decide to locate.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Burkee and daughter, accompanied by Mrs. B. E. Burkee, motored yesterday to Litchfield to spend balance of the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Martz.

Win From Grygla

The newly organized baseball team won a hard fought game last Sunday when they defeated the Grygla aggregation by a score of 12 to 11 in a twelve inning game on local grounds. The teams were evenly matched, and neither had any decided advantage at any stage of the game. At the end of the ninth frame, the score stood 11 to 11, and it was found necessary to play three additional innings to break the tie, the locals managing to gardner one run in their share of that frame. Bill Hallameck did the twirling, and Loyd Johnson was on the receiving end for St. Hilaire. A good crowd was out, and receipts were good at this game which is the first played here in two years.

Farewell Party

The Luther League of the Norwegian Lutheran church had a farewell gathering in the church parlors last Sunday evening in honor of Miss Josephene Branum, who left first of this week for Washington. A fine program was given, and and a dainty lunch was served. As a token of appreciation for her many years of work in the various church activities, Miss Branum was presented with a sum of money.

"Good Will" Tour

The Pennington County Fair, which will be held at Thief River Falls during the first week in August, will be advertised here next week by a "Good Will" tour conducted by the Thief River Falls Business men. The tour which will extend over two days, will visit St. Hilaire on Friday July 26th at 6:15 o'clock P. M. Thirty towns in all will be visited and a short program will be given at each stop. Free souvenirs will be given to the kiddies.

Among the out-of-town people here for the S. M. Hoff funeral last Thursday were Mrs. S. Hoff and daughter, Mary, of Grand Meadow, Minn., Mr. and Mrs. Ben Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. B. Roese of Plummer.

Several barns are reported to be wrecked in a storm which hit in vicinity of Euclid, Tuesday evening.

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The Week-Ender

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

The picnic held at the local Swedish Luth. church last Sunday afternoon, was very well attended.

Rapid progress is being made in construction of the new grade on T. H. No. 32 north of Holt and extending north to Greenbush.

Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained by Mesdames G. B. Peterson and H. F. Hanson at the church parlors Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peterson who have been employed on a farm near Grand Forks, returned home recently and will remain here while looking up another location.

Due to threatening weather there was no attendance at the annual school meetings scheduled to be held at the village hall Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Amble, accompanied by a little grandaughter, came over from Grand Forks last week for a visit at home of their daughter, Mrs. A. V. Jacobson.

The heavy rain which fell in this locality last week has helped the hay crop wonderfully. Haying is now on all thru the territory, with a good share of the tame hay crop already in stack.

Owner of the Marcoux oil station at junction of Trunk Highways Nos. 8 and 32 south of Red Lake Falls, is moving another building to that location to replace the one destroyed recently by fire.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veterinarian, has been busy the past two week on government area testing work in Norman County. Starting this week he will make his regular weekly visits here again.

Some damage to crops by hail which fell during the storm last Thursday, is reported from the grain growing territory bordering on the Red River, both on Dakota and Minnesota sides north of Grand Forks.

Melker Erickson, owner of the gerage building, is reported to be contemplating making radical changes in the place in a few weeks. It is stated that he will remodel front part of the building, and will install a complete service station for handling of Standard Oil products.

Rev. and Mrs. Nelson visited with friends at Warren on Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. O. Steenerson of Crookston, came up fore part of the week for a visit with her friend, Mrs. Mary Sherva.

Mrs. Jennie Carter and sons, and Miss Josephene Branum returned last week-end after visiting several days with relatives at Grygla.

Work of steel sheeting interior of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be finished either last of this week or first of next.

Rev. Tungseth of Thief River Falls, spoke at the Swedish Luth. picnic given last Sunday afternoon at the local church grounds.

Martin S. Hoff and family left Saturday for their home at Littlefork after being here for the funeral of his father, S. M. Hoff.

Notice:- L E Healy, special deputy examiner in charge of the closed Farmers State Bank, will be here Monday next week to look affairs of the bank.

The local unit of the W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. A. V. Jacobson next Wednesday evening July 24. All members are requested to be present if possible as this is our annual meetings.

Kenard Hovet, who has spent the past three weeks here, left Tuesday noon for Ortonville, Minn., to hold down a temporary position as compositor with one of the weekly papers in that city.

Philip Jacobson and family, accompanied by his, sister, Mrs. S. Field, motored up Friday from Eveleth to spend a few days at the V. G. Brink, A. V. Jacobson and Gunnard Lindquist homes.

The North Dakota State Fair opened at Grand Forks on Monday and continues until Saturday night this week. Huge crowds are in attendance every day at the big exposition which is said to be one of the best ever given at the Forks.

A heavy rain storm, accompanied by high wind, struck this place Tuesday evening. The wind was of such high velocity that limbs were torn from trees, and many hay stacks were scattered. No serious damage is reported from anywhere in adjoining territory.

New Service Station

Raymond Young, proprietor of the St. Hilaire Garage, has purchased two lots south of the garage building and will commence erection this week of a new service station. He has bought the office building located on the former N. A. Nelson machine building site, and will move it as soon as foundation is laid. Mr. Young intends to have an up to-date station in every way, provided with all facilities needed for accomodation of tourists and will handle a complete line of gas, oils and accessories. Tho' it will be too late to do everything that season, he plans to make the new station a beauty spot, and credit to the village. It is Mr. Young's intention to vacate the garage about middle of next month after which he will devote his entire time to management of the oil station.

Ball Game Next Sunday

The local ball team has arranged with the team at Red Lake Falls for a game to be played on local grounds next Sunday afternoon. The local lads are busy getting as good a lineup as possible, and plan to give the Red Lake boys a run for their money. The following Sunday, the Oklee team is scheduled for a game which will also be played here. Be sure to turn out for both games.

During the windstorm last Thurs day evening, a residence in west part of Thief River near the fair grounds, was overturned. A woman and two children, who were in the house at the time, were extricated uninjured, from the wreckage. A number of cases are reported where farm buildings between Thief River Falls and Warren were damaged more or less.

A line crew of the Northern States Power Company arrived fore part of the week from Grand Forks to commence rebuilding some of the lines in town, and also to reconstruct the transformer stations. The company plans to build one or two line extensions this summer to accomodate residents in the outlaying parts of town where there has been no service up to this time.

Notice:- Mrs. Jennie Carter expects to be at Grygla first of next week. Those desiring work done, please call before that time.

Miss Emma Brink Dies

Miss Emma Brink, a resident of this place some years ago, died Saturday at the hot springs at Immigrant, Mont., where she had gone for treatment for rheumatism

Miss Brink, who was a sister of Ole Brink of Eight Point, Mont., Oscar Brink of Salt Lake City, Utah, Emil Brink of California, Mrs. Freeburg of Crookston, and Mrs. L. P. Thyren of this place, was well known to all who were here during mill days At that time Miss Brink assisted her brothers, Emil and Charles, in operation of the Markham Hotel. She later was located at Crookston When the Ole Brink family moved to Montana some years back, she went to Jordon, Mont., and operated a boarding house. "Aunt Emma as she was commonly known, was a kindly soul, and she leaves a host of friends who will grieve at her passing.

The remains were shipped to Thief River Falls and interment was made yesterday in Greenwood cemetery beside the remains of her brother, Charles, who died in that city a few years ago.

Funeral services for the late S. M. Hoff, pioneer resident of this place, were conducted by Rev. M. L. Dahle from the Swedish Lutheran last Thursday afternoon. All business places in the village were closed during the hour of the funeral out of respect for Mr. Hoff who had been a resident here for 47 years.

Interment was made in the family burial plot in the Nor Luth. cemetery north of town.

Loyd Johnson, tester for the Pennington County Cow Testing Association, has added several new herds to his list lately, and has prospects for several more in the near future. Testing is proving satisfactory to all dairymen who have signed up thus far, and its entirely probable herd testing will become a permanent fixture in this section.

A deal was closed this week whereby Gilbert Emard sold his barber shop and residence to Charles Richards of Winger. The new proprietor expects to move here within a few days and take possession. Mr. Emard has made no definite plans for the future.-Plummer Pioneer.

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Every dollar made by the creamery is paid to its patrons, which is possible only by united cooperative effort. Let's go.

St. Hilaire Co-op Cr'y Ass'n

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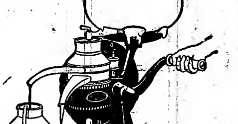

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St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Tourists along the Jefferson Highway northward from Thief River Falls, to Winnipeg, are to be offered the scenic wonders of a splendid new route, according to announcement today by George E. McIninch, president of the Jefferson Highway Association.

At a meeting recently at Thief River Falls' attended by officers of the Jefferson Highway Association and by 42 delegates representing towns between Winnipeg and Thief River Falls, approval was given to the new route, passing through the forest reserves of the Canadian province of Manitoba, and through the towns of Steinbach, Piney and Greenbush.

This new route is approved by officials of the province of Manitoba, and by officials of the Minnesota Highway Department, whose representatives at the Thief River Falls meeting assured the Jefferson Highway Association of their fullest co-operation in producing and maintaining a first-class highway in the immediate future.

President McIninich also announced that a branch of the Jefferson Highway is now being constructed from Winnipeg to the southern shore of Hudson Bay which no doubt will prove popular with tourists seeking to explore the scenic wonders of Canado.

Wyandotte Items

Mr. and Mrs. James Evenson and daughter, Rachel, and H. L. Bruggenan was callers at the P. Kolseth home last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roese of Plummer, and Mrs. S. Hoff and Marie Hoff of Granado, Wis., visited Tuesday at the John Albin home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bruggeman and daughter, Harriet, visited Wednesday evening at the P. Kolseth home.

David Clark was a caller Sunday at the J. P. Johnson home.

Mrs. John Albin was a visitor Friday at the home of Henry Roese

Rose Jorgenson and Marie Kolseth visited at the O. E. Wilson home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Jenson and son, Bert, of Iowa, are visiting with relatives and friends in this locality.

HAY STUMPAGE FOR SALE

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Annual Crop Aud Soils Day July 22nd

"Pure seed growers, seedmen, extension workers and all interested in crops improvement and soil problems are invited to attend the Annual Crops and Soils Day meeting at the Northwest Experiment Station, Crookston, Monday, July 22. Test plots of new varieties of wheat, oats, barley and flax; trials with new forage crops, and the results of sodium chlorate sprays on sow thistles will be shown and explained to the visitors. Dr. R. B. Harvey, one of the foremost plant physicologists in America will be present to discuss weed control problems. Professor A. G. Ruggles, University Farm, will explain the attacks of insect upon farm crops and means of combating these pests, while Mr. A. E Haedecke, in charge of seed certification work in Minnesota, will discuss pure seed production.

Extensive experiments on the use of sodium chlorate and other chemicals for weed control were begun at the Northwest Station last year. The effects of various rates and dates of application on sow thistle; the effects upon the soil, and comparisons with mowing and cultivation methods will be of interest to all. How these chemicals affect various plants, and problems in connection with their use will be explained by Dr. R. B. Harvey, who has cooparated in these trials since they were established at various Minnsota stations.

The program will be held in cooperstion with the Red River Valley Crops and Soils Association, of which Ole A Flaat, Bygland, is president. Bring the entire family and enjoy a picnic dinner on the campus. Coffee, cream and sugar will be furnished free. The speaking program will begin at 1:00, R. S. Dunham; station agronomist, and E. R. Clark, pure seed specialist, will conduct the trip to the experimental plots.

Bootlegger, Officer Killed in Raid.

Camden, Ark.—E. E. Marsh, city marshal at Chidester, near here, and Walter Patterson, an alleged bootlegger, were shot to death in a gun battle which grew out of a liquor raid near Chidester.

China Moves to Deport 37.

Tokio—The long standing feud between northeastern China and soviet Russia over control of the Manchurian unit of the trans-Siberian railway system has broken forth anew. China will deport 37 Russians.

British Halt Work on Six Subs.

London—It is stated in political circles that the labor government has decided to carry out severe cuts in the naval program, abandoning building of the six new submarines.

The New Season Offers Many Charming Sports Outfits. At the Left Is Shown a Navy Tweed Ensemble With Red Crepe Waistcoat. At Right One of Crepe in Shade of Violet With Modernistic Tunic.

Many New Weaves in Spring Tweeds

Other Woolen Materials Are Used in Milady's Chic Sports Duds.

True to tradition, tweed is the staple fabric for sports dress in general, and even more particularly for golf clothes, writes a fashion authority in the New York Times. More than the precise tweed weave, however, is now meant by "tweeds" in women's dress, for several other woolen materials are included. All of these are now made lighter and finer in texture than the old-fashioned type of goods, which is considered to be clumsy in appearance and unwieldy in the hands of the tailor. Some sportswomen still prefer the English or Scotch suits for golf and other sports, but far the greater number have taken to the lightweight close weaves.

The dressmakers of Paris have gone in heavily for tweed and other wool materials this season, in the conventional tailored model and in suits for golf, tennis, motoring and travel. Among the first to present clothes of this type is Chanel, who makes frocks, suits and coats for many occasions of tweed and other lightweight woolens—giving preference to tweed.

One of the smartest sports suits seen in the spring collections is an ensemble created by Chanel of mustard-colored, very lightweight tweed. The skirt is made straight, with a deep, inverted box plait in both the front and the back to give freedom of movement. The jacket is hip length, in blouser style, with slender revers and made with three buttons close to the bottom and smallish patch pockets.

With this suit is worn a sweater of coarse wool lace in a new tone that is a blending of gray and beige. This is finished in a V at the neck and around the bottom with narrow bands of the yellow tweed. This ensemble is suitable for travel and country club wear, and divested of the jacket, the sweater and skirt may be worn for golf or tennis.

Black-and-White Mixed Tweed.

Another model from Chanel, also in ensemble form, is all of black-and-white mixed tweed. In this costume, which comprises four pieces, the skirt, of black-and-white wool mixture, is laid in box plaits across the front and is plain around the sides and back. There is a collarless cardigan, which may be buttoned at the bottom and which has outside pockets, and to be worn over this is a full-length coat with shoulder yoke, tailored revers in front and a scarf of the tweed attached at the back of the neck to serve in lieu of a collar.

Two smart suits of distinctly sports style are created along different lines by an American designer. One of these has a kilt skirt of Scotch tartan and a short jacket of plain blue flannel with a narrow scarf lined with the plaid. With it comes a sweater knitted of orange yarn, repeating one of the colors in the plaid. The other model is made of tan tweed, cut princess style and piped with brown wool. This frock is buttoned from the collar—a standing one—to the belt, and is lined, to be worn without a coat.

This is one of the many princess sports frocks and coats that have been featured for two years at Paris. The two and three-piece suits with skirt, blouse and coat, however, are more popular on this side. In these there is unlimited variety, in woolen materials, jersey, crepe and even in linen and cotton. The usual combination consists of a crepe de chine coat and skirt and a sweater of knitted wool.

Colors and fabrics are assembled in many ways. In some models the skirt and jacket are made of one material, and in others there is a plaited skirt made of crepe because of the lighter weight, while the coat is of flannel, velveteen or corduroy. One exotic ensemble has a box-plaited skirt and short coat made of lemon yellow flat crepe, and a white crepe overblouse trimmed with narrow bands of the yellow crepe appliqued in an ornamental design. The blouse is made with a belt.

An extremely colorful sports ensemble also of yellow crepe has a finely plaited skirt and short, collarless jacket and a large Deauville kerchief of yellow, orchid and green, which is modishly draped over one shoulder. The vivid green cardigan has a narrow strap of yellow suede for a belt.

To Vary the Monotony.

By way of varying the monotony of the one or two-tone sports dresses, models are shown in which bright-colored cardigans are worn with black skirts. In this combination every conceivable sort of overblouse, jersey or cardigan is worn, made of crepe, jersey or hand-knitted wool or silk. In plain colors the knitted and woven materials are shown with geometric designs outlined in drawn work and fine hemstitching. Delicate etching is done on the crepes and closely-woven jersey cloth, while coarser work is used in the wool garments.

In knitted blouses delightful color harmonies are shown in borders and figures scattered over the surface. Attractive combinations of gay colors or pastel shades are effected in boldly arranged geometrics. Tones of purple, yellow, green and blue are shown with darker shades, and much black is used with sharp contrasts of white and with color.

An enlarging illustration of this comes in an ensemble with skirt and jacket of intense purple jersey, and with an overblouse of crepe de chine printed with large diagonals of yellow and white etched with lines of black. A jumper to be worn with a skirt of plaited black crepe de chine is knitted of heavy white yarn in a crochet pattern of little conventional flowers. This model, knitted in other designs, is shown with other skirts of scarlet, blue and white.

A gay novelty is a short jacket of scarlet velvet which is worn with a skirt of white crepe and white overblouse. Red in several shades will be very fashionable for sports, especially when the material is of jersey or crepe. It is also used prominently in the new Rodier fabrics. These are made in different weaves, one of which is particularly attractive, a soft, fine and firm weave with a narrow fancy stripe.

With a short coat and skirt of coral jersey is shown an overblouse of white jersey on which are stitched narrow bands of the red as a border around the bottom and a bow-knot at the neck. Jackets of scarlet flannel and cloth in the "pink" shade hunters wear are worn with white crepe skirts trimmed with bands of the cloth, and with sweaters of a knitted material or crepe, with tucking or drawnwork. This combination is equally effective with a coat of jade or hunter's green, and skirt and blouse of white.

Sweaters Demand Attention.

Since sweaters as separate garments have become so important, especial attention is being given to their design and color. Some lovely models are shown in white and light colors knitted in lacy patterns of gossamer weight. Others are of heavier wool, to afford greater protection when the costume coat is unlined or no coat is worn. Still others are knitted of wool yarn or are made of jersey in which the pattern is woven in openwork, and many of the quiet colors, beige, gray, soft greens and pastel blues, are used.

An interesting woolen fabric seen in a sports ensemble is woven with narrow diagonal stripes in two colors, beige and brown, or brown and some other color, combined with white.

An original idea is the use of a gingham-style knitted wool for both sweaters and frocks. This is an amusing imitation of gingham checks knitted in white with blue, green, beige or scarlet yarn. Most of the models made of it have turnover collars and cuffs of plain white knitted wool.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 1st, 1924, executed by T. M. Thoreson and Clara Thoreson, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 2nd, 1924, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 200 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $171.88 each, due on October 1st, 1928, and April 1st, 1929, respectively; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $5,190.08, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from April 1st, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $343.76, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $171.88 thereof since October 1st, 1928, and on $171.88 thereof since April 1st, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $99.40, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $5,725.57, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼), the East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E½ of NW¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West, except a tract described as follows: Beginning at a point 33 feet West of the Northeast corner of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West, thence South parallel with the Eastern boundary line of said Section Seventeen (17) to a point 33 feet North and 33 feet West of the Southeast corner of said Section, thence West parallel with the Southern boundary line of said Section a distance of 17 feet, thence North to the Northern boundary of said Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of said Section, thence East to the point of beginning, which piece was conveyed for highway purposes by Deed recorded in Book "6" of Deeds, page 180 of the records of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, containing 239 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 30th day of August, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance premiums paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated July 17th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit,
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. J 18-A 22

THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday morning in Black River church at 10:00 with Sunday school following.

Ladies, Aid Thursday afternoon at the Chas. Lindquist home.

Ladies, Aid Friday afternoon at the Charley Erickson home.

Y. P. S. next Sunday evening at the home of Harry Hawkinson.

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C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Services 11:00
No evening services will be held.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, July 21
Services as follows:-
St. Hilaire, Norsk Predeken, kl 9 f. m.
Ebenezer, Norsk Predeken, kl 11 f. m.
School program 1:30.
Oakridge Services 7:30 P. M.

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Not One In Ten

When some innocent wet breaks into print with the assertion that liquor is being served in all the best families, we are reminded of the old college yell, "What's the matter with Jones? He's all right. Who says so? Everybody. Who's everybody? We are"

The trouble is that most of these fellows have not been in many of the "best" homes. If they were better acquainted in those circles, they would know that not one in ten of the "best" homes serves liquor once in ten years. War Cry.

Taxpayers of Pennington county and Minnesota who failed to pay their taxes and assessments for the years of 1926, 1927 and 1928 will be permitted to make their payments for the years without interest or penalties during the next six months, according to a notice from G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.

During the last session of the state legislature, new laws were passed regarding the payments of delinquent taxes. Attorney General Youngquist stating that the county auditor and county treasurer are required to accept payment of taxes and assessment of every kind on any parcel of land, which became delinquent prior to the year 1928 and which are held by the state without penalities or interest. The new laws will go into effect on July 1st. and will remain in force until Jan. 1. 1930.

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Citation For Hearing On Petition For Probate Of Will

ESTATE OF Peter Lindblom
STATE of MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Peter Lindblom, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Henry Lindblom, Clara Scholin, Carl Lindblom, Lucile Lindblom, Mabel Lindblom, and Ellen Lindblom also known as Ida Lindblom and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Earnest Akerlund being duly filed in this court, representing that Peter Lindblom, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died on the 24th day of June 1929, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testimentary be issued thereon to Earnest Akerlund, NOW THEREFORE, you and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of July, 1929, at 10:00 A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness The Honorable Lars Backe, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 3rd day of July, 1929.

(COURT SEAL) Lars Backe, Judge

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Petitioner
July 11-25.

OLD JOHN'S CHANGE OF HEART

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

JOHN BARKER, "Stingy John," as he was dobbed by tha small boys of tha neighborhood, sat on the doorstep of his ivy-covered cottage, which had been made beautiful both insida and ont by the hands of Milly, his orphaned niece.

Thot very day in a violent fit of rage ha had caused her to leava the only homa sha had ever known. Where she had gone for shelter ha did not know, and, what was worse, he had convinced himself that he did not care.

Bot tonight something was wrong. He did not find his usual satisfaction in counting his money and chuckling over his bank balances and the rents so soon coming doe.

Perhaps his conscience was vaguely trouhling him. A neighbor who hod just left had told him in no uncertain words just what ha thought of old John's treatment of Milly.

"For love of money," the neighbor had said, "yon've sold yourself to tha devil. He'll soon be able to claim your soul!"

And while old John had openly flaunted him, he could uot forbear a shudder. Try as he would ha could not keep his thoughts from wandering. Had ha really sold his soul to the devil?

He could not keep his mind from dwelling on Milly. In fancy he could hear the echo of her light footfall as she was wont to walk to and fro across the tiny bedrooms and hall, delighting in the littla womanly tasks that seem so intricate to a man.

But old John's heart hardened as he remembered how she had defied him when he forbade her to allow that young scapegoat of a hoy to ever crosa his threshold again. Never would a pottering musician inherit his money. If Milly didn't have sense enough to marry a man of wealth then she shouldn't ever receive any of his.

Rather than give op her lover the girl had chosen to go oot in the world and try to make her own living until such a time as the man of her heart could claim her.

Old John sat motionless, smoking bis corncob pipe moodily. The loneliness of tha little house made him reluctant to enter, though it was past the hour of his bedtime.

The hours dragged interminnbly. An ominous silence prevailed. Suddenly the air waa rent hy the shrill cry of a screech-owl, that harbinger of evil tidings.

The dorkness seemed filled with horrible grimncing faces. Another gust of wind came nround the corner of the house, ending in a long-drawn-out, almost human aob.

Tha grim figura of tha old man stirred unensilyy.

Faintly in the wind the sound of a voice singing was horne to him. A voice of exqolsite pathos and benuty. Old John peered nervously into the shadows, and then rose stiffly and entered the house.

No sooner had he lighted the old-fashioned lamp than thera was the aoond of feet outside and a loud rap on the door.

With shuffling, hesitating steps he started to answer the summons, hot when at last his nervous figers found the latch and opened the door he drew hack in terror.

Without stood a majestic, terrible figure. To old John's benumbed facnlties it was neither man nor heast—nothing less than the devil himself! The figure stood nhont 6 feet 2, clothed in scarlet from head to foot; hard-looking little red horns protruded from his forehead, and from his eyes dnrted tiny flames of fire.

Old John stood transfixed—paralyzed with fear, as in deep, stentorian tones the apparition demanded to know whnt he had done with Milly.

In a quavering, trembling voice ha attempled to explain that Milly had gone to the city, bnt before he could finish he fell to his knees in terror, half in a swoon.

When he et last ventured to raise his eyes again the figure was gona and ha was alone with his conscience.

"Oh God," be moaned, "I've been a wicked, crnel old man. Hell's too good for me, hot I've got another chance to make good and—I'm going to do it."

The next day the little community was set aghast by tha deeds of old John, "Stingy" John no longer.

First the mortgage was paid off the little church and a clear deed handed to its members. A mortgage tha old man held on the house of a widow was lifted and a deed to the little home presented her entirely clear of incumbrance.

Old John maintained a grim silence, but he did things in no half measores. A sum of money was given to the town for tha remodeling of the poorhouse, which for years had well deserved this name.

Lastly, Milly came home and the little cottage was again mada sweet hy the sound of her girlish voice. It was to a different homa she came.

No one knew what had happened, but everybody knew that "Stingy" John had suffered a change of heart. He even allowed Milly to kiss him, something she had not dared to do for many years—not since the greed and lova for money had warped his soul.

There, too, was another reason for the girl's joyous singing. Not only had she returned to find a kind and gentle old man in place of the selfish and parsimonious ona she had known for years, but ha had promised that she might see her lover and that he would be given a chance to prove himself. At thought of his coming the light in her hlue eyes deepened and a smile of heppiness flitted across her childlike face.

At that very moment a wonderful tenor was heard singing the "Flower Song" from "Faust"—the voice that had opened the gates of paradise for Milly.

Eagerly sha met him at the door, and was soou enfolded in his strong arms.

"My little Milly," ha murmured tenderly. "Whet a joy to see you again! I have been almost sick with fear for your safety, hearing that your uncle had cast you oot of his house."

"A wonderful thing has happened," the girl answered with dimpling smiles. "Uncle is not mean or stingy any longer. He—loves me and wants me to be happy."

A look of incredulity passed over the face of the young man as he raised questioning eyes to his sweetheart. "I can't grasp it. You mean ha has changed? Does he no longer ohject to me, and was that why you wrota ma to come?"

"Yes," she answered happily. "Something has hnppened. I don't know what and it haa mada him different."

"There must ba soma explanation," the young man insisted.

"Wall, thera is," Milly rejoined after a second's hesitation. "It's such a peculiar thing, and of course I don't really believe it, but he says ha saw the devil."

"He was always superstitious; perhaps it was his imnginotion. It couldn't hava been anything real, you know."

"Well, you know," Milly went on explaining, "before ha hecama so rich he was religious and money does make people forget God and religion, now, doesn't it?"

"I can't say, dear," her lover answered in his whimsical voice. "You see, I never had any." Then ha continued seriously. "How long since ha had whnt he calls a warning?"

"It happened only a few hours after he—he—made me leave home. Whnt he saw certainly must have heeu terrible looking. He says it was over six feet tall, dressed entirely in scarlet, with horns on his head and flames of fire coming from out his eyes."

There was a moment of stupefied silence. Then to Milly's utter astonishment Mark burst out in a laogh.

"Prepare yourself for a shock, my little one. Your uncle did see the devil—but that devil was uona other than I."

Milly's expression was one of utter incomprehension and amazement. "You see, dear, I've been waiting to tell you that I'va heen selected to sing the part of Mephistopheles, the devil, in 'Faust' with tha San Martino Opera company. We opened in Biarritz, which, you know, is only ten miles from here hy motor.

"Right after my first performance a friend from here cnma and told me that your uncle had turned you out of the house—because you wouldn't give me up. I was so frantic with fear for you thnt I never waited to get off my makeup, bot jomped right into his car, thinking I might be able to find you hefore you left.

"I sang outside your window, knowing you would recognize my voice and come out, but as you did not answer I knocked on the door and demanded of your uncle to know where you had gone. He babbled something about your being in the city, hot I never dreamed that he had not recognized ma in spite of my makeup and the phosphorns on my eyes. It is the drollest thing that has happened for a thousand years!" He gave way to another onthurst of laughter in which the girl joined.

The look of amazement on Milly's face gave way to one of fondness and pride as her lover continued: "And they say I'm tha yoongest tenor yet to make a success as Mephistopheles. Onr opening was a wonderful success—soon we can realize our fondest dreams."

With a light little laogh Milly surrendered herself to tha arms of her lover. "You may he tha youngest Mephistopheles, dear, that ever scored a success on the stage, hut I'm thinking you must have heen ahont the most realistic one—ever. Wa must never tell," sha whispered as their lips met.

Many Camp Fire Girls

The idea of the Camp Fira Girls of America originated with Mrs. Charlotte V. Gulick, who died quite recently. The enterprise was launched in 1912 and there are now 170,000 active members. Mrs. Golick was the first president of tha Association of Directors of Girls' Camps.

Moths Lured by Light

A recent electrical development consists of a garden moth trap, the main feature of which is an electric light suspended from a suitable support and this attracts the plant-eating moths which dash into it and then fnll into a pan of kerosene. This means the end of the moth.

Planes Collide; Two Killed:

Riverside, Calif.—Lieut. William G. Plummer and Cadat Cyrus G. Wallace kare killad instantly whan thair airplana was struck a glancing hlow hy anothar plana which was taking off from March army field. The plana was struck on the tail hy the wing of the other army ship and was so close to the ground that the two flyers could not use their parachutes.

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NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated February 8th, 1924, executed by Ewert Rewertz and Anna Rewertz, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on February 13th, 1924, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 142 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $122.65, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $125.00, due on August 8th, 1928, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $125.00, due on February 8th, 1929; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $3,774.65, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from February 8th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $247.65, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $122.85 thereof since November 27th, 1928, and on $125.00 thereof since February 8th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $9.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since February 16th, 1929, in all the sum of $4,107.42, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The West Half of the Northwest Quarter (W½ of NW¼) of Section Sixteen (16), and the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Nine (9), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-one (41) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 240 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 26th day of July, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated June 12th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't. Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. J-13 July 18

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$1.25
Doram Wheat	1.13
Rye	.98
Barley	.55
Oats	.38
Flax	2.57
Eggs, cash	.25
Creamery butter	.42

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Treating Frost Boils

When new diseases appear, cures must be sought. This is just as true in highway maintenance as in the medical profession. In the highway vocabulary "frost boils" is a new phrase, but no sooner is the malady discovered than engineers begin to seek the cause and cure. During the last few years the Minnesota Highway department the U. S. Bureau of Public Roads and highway departments of several states have made extensive studies of sub-grade soils and experimented in treetment of frost boils.

Several short stretches where frost boils made the highways impassable in the spring of 1928 were treeted by the Minnesota highwey department last summer and remained passable all through the 1929 spring break-up, This year a much larger number of short stretches of highways which were afflicted with frost boils this spring, are being treated. The total distance to be treated is about ten miles, but it is scattered in short stretches all over the state, end curing one frost boil may keep a long highway passable.

Frost boils are a product of modern traffic. They occnr in clay soil regions, or where there is a pocket of clay in a sandy region. When the frost is out of the upper 19 to 24 inches of tbe road, and there is excessive moisture which cannot find en outlet through tba frost underneath, heavy traffic will churn the clay and water into an impassable mess. Once tbe road get into this condition, it may be many days or weeks before treffic can get tbrough again.

Frost boil treatment requires either reinforcement of the subgrade, special drainage, or a combination of two. In some cases tiling is used. At other places trencbes are excavated and filled with rock. A third method is to cut a depression in the center of the road with a tractor and heavy blade grader and backfill with grevel, followed by replacing the old surface material. The method nsed depends on the nature of the subgrade and the material available.

The cost of frost boil prevention treatment is considerably less than the cost of hauling in cinders or gravel, steaming to thaw out the frost to furnish an ontlet for the water, and other special devices that have been used to make the roads passable after the frost boils appear in the spring.

Due to the necessity of budgeting highway maintenance funds for many purposes, funds are not available this year to treat ell routes that need treatment but it is planned to do more of this work in 1930.

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NEW REFUELING RECORD MADE

After 246 Hours Damaged Rudder Makes Refueling Impossible, Ship Unstable.

Culver City, Calif.—An epochal endurance test of ten end a qnerter days ended over the Culver City airport here, wben Loren W. Mendell, formsrly of Branson, Kansas, and Roland B. (Pete) Reinbert of Selem, Orsgon, pilots of the record-hreaking endurance plane, the Angeleno, slipped to earth hecause of a dehris-fouled tail group thet threatened disestar.

While meking the 37th refueling contact 1,500 feet above the airport in a clear eummer sky shortly after noon, the Angeleno wobbled unsteadily, sideslipped and bonked into a sudden and perfect landing, 246 bours, 43 minntss and 32 seconds after it had taken to the air.

Tbe world's endurance record for airplanes refueling aloft was passed by 72 hours, 38 minutes and thres seconds.

As the wheels of tha Angeleno clipped the sere surface of ths landing field the cheers of the spectators acclaimed the latest supreme feat in aviation history nnd the hleck and white ship roared into a specially constructured enclosure wbere tba grimed and hewhiskered pilots clamhersd from tbe cabin.

A. E. McManus, field manager, and W. E. Thomas, engine expert, examined tbe plene and found the controls partly jammed with rags, papsrs and otber dehris which were cast away during tbe flight. The examiners ssid that the dehris on tbe tail pieces hampored Mendell at tbe controls and might bave caused serious trouhls had be not descended wben he did.

Air Men Race for New York.

Le Bourget—Tbe first great race by air ocross the north Atlantic is undar way with two Polish aviators and two French fliers competing for first honors. The poles, Ludwik Idzikowski nnd Casimir Kubaia, took off in a small sesquiplane in an attempt to reach New York. Dieudonne Costa, with bis mechenic Jacques Bellonte, took off 45 minutes later, mysterious obout bis destination, which was announced after bis departure as bsing also New York. One heur and 18 mintutes efter take-off, tbe Le Bourgat wireless station said Coste had besn in wireless communication with the ports of Havre and Cberhourg and had said all wes well.

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

Stylish Language, Indeed!

PERSONALLY I can vonch for the anthenticity of thla one. It hnppened in the town where I was born and reared.

For years, a certain worthy and highly intelligent old colored womsn did onr family woshing. She almost was a memher of the bonsehold. One Snturday night after abe had fetched the week's lanndry she sat in tbe kitchen of our home favoring her feet hefore ahe atnrted on her return trip to her own honse a mile and a half away. My mother came to the kitchen door to cbat with her a little while.

From remnrke which the old womon let foil, my mother gnthered thet Aunt Milly, althongh very devout, did not seem to care deeply for the present pestor of her church.

"Mis' Manie," said Annt Milly, "I'm goin' to tell yon how I pnt that tbere higgoty preochin' mon in his pince. Yere yistiddy evenin' jest fo' snpper-time, I wnz settin' on my front po'ch w'en the Rev'n Rogers come olong by. He sees me settin' there an' he stops nn' fnmbles with the gnte lntch an' he sez to me he sez, 'Sist' Carter, I wonld hnve speech with thee'—just lak that."

"Now, Mis' Mnnie, I ain't aimin' to let no nigger whatsoever, even if be is a min'ster of the gospel, nse mo' stylish languege 'en whnt I kin. So I sez right hack to him, I aez, 'Rev'n, draw nigh nn' yo' shall be heard!'"

"So be nndo'd the gate an' come on np the wolk tn my do'step. Bnt no sooner do he start in to apeak 'en I know whnt 'tis he's fixin' to say. He fixin' to ax my sympnthy on 'connt of that tore-down limh of a onmorried danghter of his'n hnvin' got herself mixed np in a scandalizin' an' hein' tnwked abont all over the neighborhood. So, jest soon ez I sees whut he's drivin' at, I tho'ws up my right hand like this, an' I sez, to him, I sez:

"'Rev'n,' I sez, 'Hold! Yere lost fall' I sez, 'we'n my husband Isnigh Carter, nt the age of seventy-fo', w'en he shnnid a' knowed better, wnz mekkin' hisse'f kind of promisc'ns by hangin' ronnd two of the lody members of the congregation, an' I went to you,' I sez, 'on' axed yon, ns the pnstor, tn 'monstrote wid him, whut did yon do? Jest because he'd done give you five dollars fur the new organ fnnd, you tole me to shet np my hlack month an' go home an' 'tend to my own bizness.

"'Rev'n,' I sez, 'ez ye sows, so shall ye reapa! Rev'n, pass on!'"

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Spanish Atlantic Fliers Rescued.

London—Major Ramon Franco and his Spanish Atlontic fliers tbought lost near the Azores ahont two weeks ago bave heen rescned by the British Aircraft carrier. Major Franco told in terse language how tbe fliers bad flown beyond tbe Azores and were attempting to heat their way hack wben they ran out of gasoline.

300 State Leaders Attend Dinner.

St. Pani, Minn.—More than 300 persous, prnminent in tha state as politicaus or husiness men or women, attended a hanquet given in honor nf Frank B. Kellogg, former U. S. Secretary of Stats, arranged to welcome him home. Mr. Kellogg has passed his 72nd birthday anniversary and will retire to private life.

Wynming Man Heads Livestock Bnard.

Chicago—The election of Charles D. Carey, prominent livestock man nf Chaysnna, Wyo., as chairman of the National Livestock and Meat hoard for the ansuing year is annonnced. He succeeds J. H. Mercer nf Topeka, Kan. Mr. Caray represents the American Natinnal Livestock association on the board.

Rev. C. Dahlberg Returns

Rev. C. B. Dahlberg, who has spent a month vacation in southern part of the state, returned Saturday accnmpanied by a bride. Their marriage took place at Minneapolis June 19th. Rev. and Mrs. Dahlberg are staying at the F. Satterberg home at present, but expect to occupy the Hed residence in the near future. Numernus friends in the village and vicinity join in wishing Rev. and Mrs. Dahlberg lifelong happiness, and in bidding them welcnme to St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Oscar Stearns and family motored up Sunday from Minneapolis for a visit at home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Simonsyn. They were accompanied here by George Wilson, who is employed nn a bridge building jnb at Annka. Mr. Stearns, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilson and son, Billy, left Sunday on the return trip, Mrs. Stearns and children stayed for a longer visit. Mrs. Wilson will spend a couple weeks or more at Anoka.

Ole Brink of Eight Point, Mont., Mr. and Mrs. H. Freeberg. Mr. and Mrs. John Freeberg and H. Freeberg of Crookston were present yesterday at the funeral for tbe late Miss Emma Brink held at Thief River Falls. Mr. Brink is spending a few days here at tbe home of his son, Victor, before returning home.

Martin S. Hoff and family left Saturday morning for their home at Littlefork after being here for the funeral of his father, the late S. M. Hoff. They were accompanied home by Mrs. S. M. Hoff, who will visit with them and at the Zahn home for a time.

After being here for the funeral nf Mrs. Swanson's father, tbe late S. M. Hoff, Dr. and Mrs. Cephas Swanson and children left Friday morning for their home at Minneapolis.

They were accompanied as far as Bemidji by Mrs. Wm. Zahn, who went from there at her home at Littlefork, and to Minneapolis by Blanche Hoff, who will spend the summer there.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

A 1920 model Ford rnadster with starter and light delivery box. A purebred Holstein bull 16 months old, and a high grade Holstein bull 14 months old. Will sell, or trade for Holstein cows. Call at the farm 3 miles nnrtheast of St. Hilaire or address.

Sig. Vik,
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Nntice: I have binder canvasses tn fit all makes of binders, at saving from regular prices. Can also furnish extras nf all kinds fnr Acme binders upon short notice.

Wm. Olsen, City.

Joe Hauge and family have recently moved from Bemidji to Fosston. If opportunity offers they may locate there permanently.

The Spectator, $1.50 a year.

Mental Attitude Counts

Keep your mind healthy in its action and keep a decent ethical view of life. Vnnity, conceit, pomposity, will do you even more harm than lnck of poise and self-confidence. Just hecause ynn are an nrtist yon are nn different from nll the rest nf mankind. Perhaps lots of nthers nre artists in their natures wbn have never hnd a chance. Your mental nttitude has a powerful infinence upon yonr pbysicol health.—Herhert Witberspoon

Canadian Kills Bear in Battle.

Ottawa, Ont.—Attacked by a 200-ponnd bear near Low, Qns., 30 miles north of Ottawa, Harry Cnstock, Ottawa, stunned tha animal with a hammer and then killed it with a butcher knifa.

St. Lnuis Train Crash, Injures 15.

St. Lonis—At least 15 persons were injured when a Burlington passengar train from Kansas City backed into tha sida of a Frisco accnmmodation train et the union station. Five wers suffering from fractured skulls.

LOCALS

NOTICE-As the R. Nelson children have left our home and board, we will not be responsible for any bills contracted by them, or hy anyone else in their behalf. Dated July 18 1929
J18tf Mr. and Mrs. Wash Adams

Here's something you've been waiting fnr--Winchester shells at the usual Gamble savings. 12 gauge Repeater 98c per box--Ranger 75c bx. in case lots.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

What must you do? First nf all take a course in Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. Send for catalogue.

Here's a chance for a saving--For thirty days -- Lower prices in practically all departments. Many of our customers have already taken advantage of tbis sale -- Gamble Store Thief River Falls.

25 Years Ago

Miss Helen Hannay returned home after spending two years with relatives in eastern Canada.

—XXV—

James McCaffrey, Jessie and Joe McCaffrey, returned from St. Thomas, N. D. where Mrs. James McCraffrey was buried the previous week.

—XXV—

Fred Stapelton and family returned from Rainy River. He resumed his old position as foreman at the mill.

—XXV—

C. H. Martz and son arrived from Duluth with a carload of horses and cattle. They took possession nf the Gigstad farm which Mr. Martz bought that summer.

—XXV—

The Great Northern started laying 14 miles of steel north of Thief River Falls. It was intention of the road to extend into Roseau County before winter.

—XXV—

John Hamm came down from Rat Portage, Canada, to take charge of the lathe and shingle department at the mill for that season.

—XXV—

K. O. Gigstad and family moved into the J. L. Johnson residence tn stay until his newly acquired residence on Water street was vacated that fall by Mr. and Mrs. Julius Pleth.

The "Do What I Can" unit of the poultry project met for it last meeting at the hnme nf Mrs. W. P. Wilson farm Thursday, July 11 at 1 P. M. All members hut two were present. Culling nf chickens was taught and Mrs. Wilson's flock of chickens were culled by Mrs W. P. Wilson and Mrs. Denhart. Plans for Achievement day were made.

Hay Stumpage: Eighty acre tract along state road three miles west of St. Hilaire. Inquire at this office.

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Production of Gum Aided by Bacteria

There have been reported to the Royal Society of New Sonth Wales the results nf an investigation of the curions rnle played hy bactsria in the formation nf various vegetable gums.

The action nf ths hacteria appears tn hs more complex than might have heen supposed. There are, for instance, twn kinds of gum arabic—one solnbls in water, the other insolnble—and tbe investigations of the New Sonth Wales experts show that they are prodnced hy two distinct kinds of bacteria. By the cultivation nf suitable species nf bacteria it is possible tn angment the prodnction of gum by certain trees. Under nrdinary conditions some species nf gum-making bacteria live and multiply without the prodnction of an appreciable amonnt of gum, hnt the prodnct is markedly incressed hy furnishing tannin to the micro-organisms.

Will Never Succeed

Jnd Tunkins says a man will never snceeed in business whn wants tn take all the best nf it and give everybody else the wnrst of it.—Washington Star.

New Grand Stand Built

Ample seating capacity will be available for crowds attending the Pennington County Fair at Thief River Falls this year; the new grand stand, pnviding a thousand additional seats, having recently been cnmpleted. The stand is built along the latest lines of grand stand construction and embodies bnth safety and cnmfort for the spectatnrs. The old grand stand, which seats only fiften hundred people has been inadequate to handle the crowds in recent years.

The Pennington County Fair will be a four day show this year, extending from Wednesday, July 31 thru Saturday, Angust 3. A high class program of horse racing and platfnrm acts will be presented each afternoon of Thursday, Friday and Saturday, while fireworks will take the place of the hnrse racing for the evening shows. The Royal American Shows, the largest carnival company that has ever visited this section of the state, has been engaged. This carnival carries with it ten riding devices and an unusually interesting assortment of Coney Island attractions and side shows.

A severe wind and electrical, storm accompanied by a domnpour of rain, hit the Northwest last Thusday evening and night. At Devils Lake a number of buildings were damaged, and at Warran some farm bnildings were demolished, according to reports. Trees and telephone lines were blown down in many places. The rain following the electrical storm, one of the heaviest thus far this season, will be nf immense benefit to growing crops.

Community in Sicily Unchanged by Time

Sicily for oges hes been the meeting place and battleground of the races that contributed to civilize the West. It was on this island that the Greeks measnred their strength agelnet Phoenicia. Here Carthege fonght her first dnel agninst Rome. The ancients are gone, even their descendants are no more—except one colony which still survives.

Remotely situnted on a high ploin, isolated in the mountoins, is a little Albnnian community which bas preserved its eerilest troditions. Rnrely marrying outside their own settlement, these people have maintained their roclul chorocteristics ond are pnre-blooded descendants of the ancient Greeks. Piono del Greci, ns the little town is cnlled, moy he reached by motor cnr from Polermo. The distance is not greot, bnt the rood is very hod and nt times the nscent is steep.

Surronnded hy islanders, all of whom are Sicilians, spenking the language of Italy ond in religion Roman Catholics, these people hnve their owu languege, which closely resembles the ancient Greek, and in religiou cling to tbe Greek Orthodox church. They are a proud, fnir-akinoed people, mnny with hlond boir ond hiue cyes. I have seen among them some of the prettiest children I hnve observed anywhere in Itoly.

On fete dnys the women don n curiooa garb, wearing brightly colored gowns. The belts, which coostitote tbe most conspicuons pert of their attire, are heirlooms of solid gold or silver and represent the dowry which goes with an unmnrried girl and is cherished during her morried life as one of ber dearest possessions. The gowns, also worn as wedding dresses, nre made of costly silks, beontifully embroidered. Adorned with antique jewelry, they represent small fortunes and are handed down from one generation to another.—From "Seeing Italy," by E. M. Newman.

Grain Storags Act Goes Into Effect.

Bismarck, N. D.—Appointment of Oliver Knudson of Micbigan, N. D., as atate grain storage commissioner and J. E. Davis, Goodricb, as a membsr of tbe state hoard of administration was announced hy Governor Georgs F. Shafer. Officials of tbe Federal Intermediate Grain Bank in St. Paul already have announced that they will lsnd money on the certificates to agencies entitled to rsdiscount privileges with ths institution.

Newton Takes Osth as Hoovsr Aid.

Washington—Walter H. Newton ceased to he tbe representative from ths fifth Minnesota district and became secretary to the President of ths United Statee. Without formal ceremony, standing in tbe historic cahinet room of tbe White House, Mr. Newton raised his right hand and took the oath administered hy N. P. Webster, venerahle exectitive and disbursing clerk nf the White Houss.

Tslsvision Prohlsm Rsportad Solvsd.

Bsrlin—Denes von Mihaly, Hungsrian inventor now living in Berlin, claims to have solved the prohlam of a movable telavision apparatus which can hs taken into the daylight and can make scenes immediately visible to millions.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Glsncne—The city council has decided to pave six hlocks in the business district thie year.

Fairmont—Five Fairmont young msn bove organized a chapter here of ths Student Sobriety society.

Madison—Madison's new city officers have taken up their duties. N. F. Soderherg has succeeded T. C. Lee ss msyor.

St. Paul—Two St. Peul workmen are recovering from injuries receivsd when an oil tank, which they were peinting, exploded.

Winona—Harold Steffes, 17-year-old Winona high school hoy, was saved from drowning in the Mississippi river by Max N. Romczik.

Brainerd—A slight increase over 1928 in tbe number of overnight cars at the Brainerd tourist cemp hronght the total to 430 cers up to July 1.

Duluth—In a difficult operetion performed here, a ruhher encased steel handle of an automobile door, was removed from the brain of a 10 year old girl.

Minnespolis—A. J. Schunk, cempeign manager for Arch Coleman in the special congressional election in ths fifth district, filed for the Minneapolis postmsstership.

St. Cloud—Tobacco growing is becoming an increasingly important farm activity in the St. Clond area with estimetes thst thers are now nearly 2,000 growers.

St. Paul—A unit of tbe state traffic petrol creeted by the isst legislature, hes begun operetions, it bas hsen announced hy Charles M. Bebcock, state commissioner of highways.

Worthington—Homer Edwards of this city surrendered to the sheriff hers following tbe fetal shooting of George Louscber, a farmer living tbree miles north of Herris, Iowa.

Springfield—Petition for a gams refuge aloog the Big Cottonwood river hss heen filed and the stete geme end fish commission bas ordered tbat a beering he beld bere July 26.

Minneapolis—First steps in tbe $243,000 improvement program at Wold-Chamherlein field got under way here wben work on gradiog and leveling the lsnding field wes begun.

Mound—Baptist ministers from rural churches in Minnesota will meet Tuesday and Wednesday, July 16 and 17, at the Baptist assembly grounds, Mound, for a two-day conference.

Minnespolis—The new million dollar Cedar avenue hridge, wbich hos heen two years in construction, is practically completed and will be ready for traffic before Aug. 1st.

Laka Lillian—Members of tbe Willmar district Luther League will meet bere in their eeventeenth annual convention. Rev. Arnold Nelson, of Atwater, will welcome tbe delegates.

St. Cloud—The Stearns county budget for 1930 will he $164,500, compared with $145,200 for this year. Increases ara shown in allotments for courtbouse and jail opeartions, solaries, etc.

Hopkins—By an overwhelming vote of 535 to 32, residents of Hopkins at a special election voted in favor of the proposal to sell tbe municipal gas plant to tbe Minneapolis Gas Light Co.

Alhert Lea—A committee working on reorganization of the Alberta State Bank reports tbat all stock has been disposed of and that the institution will he ready for opening within six weeks.

St. Paul—Plans are being made to have virtually every county in tbe state represented in a 225-piece band of boy musiciens which will play at tbe Minnesota State Fair, Aug. 31 to Sept. 9.

Pelican Rapids—Depositors of the closed Pelicon Rapids State Bank will receive payment of a 10 per cent dividend, totaling $24,961, it was announced hy A. J. Velgel, state commissioner of banks.

Minneapolis—Upper river harge line traffic estahlisbed e new high tonnage record in June for shipment of commodities otber tban grain, while revenue for tbe upper river was witbin $300 of the $50,000 mark.

Minneapolis—Purchase of tbe Minnesota Aircraft corporation hy tbe Great Northern Aviation corporation has been announced by Mark M. Hurd, president of tbe recently organized aviation holding company.

Brainerd—Wben tbe Iron Exchange building was threatened by a roof fire, two travelers, firemen, one from Kansas City and tbe other from Pittsburgb, forgot tbeir business as tourists and joined in ths fight.

Rsd Wing—Goodhue county commissioners bave decided on retrenchment. The county hudget for 1930 has heen set at $354,500, which is $13,500 below tbs 1929 figure. The reduction amounts tn ahout 50 cents for each resident.

Duluth—Application for estahlishment of auxiliary forests involving 172,418 acres of land, owned hy Cloquet lumber companies, was presented to the St. Louis county board of commissioners at a hearing here. Tbe lnmher companies ceased to create auxiliary forests under tba new 1929 state law.

Fairmont—A hammer nf which Frank Post, 82 years old, is most proud, has been in the possession of tha Post family 142 years.

Duluth—The Duluth, Missabe & Northern Railroad has applied to the interstate commercs commission for permission to lease the Duluth and Iron Range railroad for 15 years at an annual rental of $1,200,000.

Albsrt Lea—Rev. O. H. Smehy, one of tha fonnders of Lnther Academy, is dead here. He had been pastor nf tbe Synnd Lntheran Evangelical church in this city 47 years. Surviving are his wife and several children.

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Mrs. L. Hauge Dies

Mrs. Lars Hauge of Halstad, who was visiting here at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. F. Hanson and other relatives, died at the Hanson home Friday forenoon after a brief illness. She had been in her usual good health until that day when she was taken suddenly ill.

Mrs. Hauge, nee Marion Thorson was born in Stavanger, Norway on December 23, 1852 and was 76 years and 7 months of age at time of her death. She grew to womanhood in Norway and was married there to Gustaf Haga in 1873. To this union four children were born, three of whom survive.

The family came to this country in 1890 settling at Halstad where Mr. Haga died in 1897. Mrs. Haga was married to Lars Hauge in 1901 and he died a few years ago. Mrs. Hauge has maintained a home at Halstad and resided there except during the summer months when she usually visited here with her daughters, Mrs, H. F. Hanson and Mrs. Chas. Carlson of Mayfield township. Mrs. Hauge is also survived by a son, Rasmus Haga of Fargo, N. D., and by 12 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

She was a quiet, unassuming woman, and she made a number of friends here during her different visits who are grieved at her sudden departure.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. M. Dahle from the local Swedish Lutheran church Monday morning at 9:00, and the remains were taken Halstad where funeral services were conducted that afternoon. Interment was made in the cemetery south of Halstad.

Heartfelt sympathy of numerous friends in this village and vicinity is extended to the bereaved family in loss of their mother.

Raymond Young has moved the former N. A. Nelson office building onto the foundation prepared for it south of the St. Hilaire Garage and will use it as office for his new service station. A double driveway under cover is being constructed, and pumps are to be installed soon. When completed the new station will present a very attractive appearance.

Dr. and Mrs. Swenson of Warren, motored down yesterday, and were accompanied from here by Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson to Fertile where they visit at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Odell.

Lose To Red Lake Falls

The local baseball team took the short end of a 7 to 0 score in a seven inning game played with Red Lake Falls on local grounds last Sunday. It was apparently an "off day" for the local lads which may have due to their lacking part of their usual lineup. However, the game was better than the score would indicate, and the boys are anticipating a closer score Sunday when they clash with Thief River here.

Cleaning Ditch

A dragline outfit is at work cleaning out the county ditch from the corner south of cemetery east to Soo tracks. Ground taken from bottom of the ditch is being used in widening of the roadway which will be quite an improvement.

Icecream Social

The Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will have an ice cream social on the Gigstad lawn across from the church next Sunday afternoon at 2:30. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Olsen, accompanied by a friend, motored up last evening from Leonard where Mr. Olsen is manager of the creamery. Mrs. Olsen visited with her parents at Thief River last evening while he attended a district meeting in that city.

The second annual Good Will tour from Thief River Falls, advertising the Pennington County Fair, will be here at 6:15 tomorrow afternoon. A twenty minute program of speeches and music will be given and free souvenirs will be distributed among the kiddies.

Mrs. Paul Bouchain of Yakima, Wash., visited here a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Benoit.

T. P. Anderson, who has been county auditor of this county since 1915, has received appointment as postmaster at Thief River Falls to succeed the late Dan Shaw. Mr. Anderson is well qualified by his long experience in public office, for new position, and his numerous friends thruout this county rejoice with him in his good fortune.

Subscribe for the Spectator

The Vandals

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mrs. Ferdie Brown motored down Friday from Grygla for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Jenney Carter.

The Ladies Aid of the Evang. Mission church will meet at the Herman Jepson home July, 31st. Mesdames E. H. Stephens and H. Jepson will entertain.

Ole Brink, who came last week to be present at the funeral for his sister, the late Miss Emma Brink, left Monday for his home at Eight Point, Mont.

The Dorcas Society of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained by Mesdames A. A. Odegaard and K. T. Dalager at the church parlors Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carpenter motored up last week from their home at Isle, for a visit at the home of their son, Leo, and also to look after matters at their farm southeast of town.

The new barn on the J. Johnson farm west of town was struck by lightening during the electrical storm Sunday evening, damaging the north gable and hay doors. The loss is covered by insurance.

Ole Johnson and family motored Friday evening to Grand Forks where they spent the weekend visiting with relatives of Mrs. Johnson, and attending the North Dakota State Fair.

Travellers whose routes take in most of Minnesota and North Dakota state that grain crop conditions in this immediate vicinity are fully as good, and in most instances better, than what they have seen elsewhere this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Emard motored over Friday from Plummer for a brief visit with friends. Having sold out at Plummer, they are not decided as to where they will locate, but are planning on a trip to western states with view of looking up a location.

Mrs. H. Ball and baby daughter, of Omaha, Neb., Miss. Margret Patterson of St. Andrews Hospital at Minneapolis, and Miss Mable Patterson, who has recently returned after taking a special course of summer school at Boulder, Colo., are visiting at the summer home of their mother, Mrs. A. Patterson, at Maple Lake this week.

Miss Sylvia Paquin of Red Lake Falls, was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. Benoit here last week-end.

The Y. P. S. of the Evang. Mission church will meet at the C. A. Swanson home south of Hazel next Saturday evening.

Wm. Cuno, accompanied by a friend, motored up Tuesday from Red Lake Falls to renew acquaintances in this vicinity where he resided some years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Skatrud returned Thursday after spending a two weeks vacation with his parents at Karlstad, and with her relatives at Duluth.

N. J. Anderson, former register of deeds of this county, was down Tuesday from Thief River Falls calling on friends and attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Burkee and daughter, and Mrs. B. E. Burkee, returned Sunday after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn H. Martz at Litchfield.

Mrs. E. Lyon came Tuesday evening from her home at St. Paul to spend about three weeks here at the home of her mother, Mrs. A. Gunstad, east of town.

Regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the creamery was held Friday afternoon. Checks for cream delived during June were issued to patrons Monday and yesterday.

The Red River Power Company has a crew at work here replacing their lines in the village with new and heavier poles. The total amount of work to be done is expected will extent over a period of a month or more.

A special meeting of the village council was held Friday evening to consider the application of Raymond Young for a culvert or drain extending across front of his lots where he is erecting the new service station. Favorable action was taken.

Storage tanks and pumps for the new service station being built by Ray Young, were delivered here Tuesday and are now being installed. The Cities Service Company is furnishing the oil vending equipment, and the new station will handle their product.

Oiling Main Street

At a special meeting of the village council and taxpayers held at the village hall Monday evening, it was decided to accept a proposition made by officials of the state highway department for oiling of two blocks of main street from Larson Bros corner north. The part to be treated was a fifteen foot strip on each side of the street beyond that maintained by the state as T. H. No. 32.

Patrolman Albert Seaverson hauled the necessary gravel, bladed down both sides of the street and got it ready for the oil which was applied yesterday afternoon.

Gravel was spread over the oil yesterday and today, and the street now presents a fine appearance.

While it is not expected this application will produce a perfect roadway, subsequent applications will make a simi-hard surface road which will no doubt stand up better than anything previously attempted.

Reception For Pastor

Rev. and Mrs. C. Dahlberg were guests Sunday at a reception given in their honor by about two hundred people of this community, members of his congregation and folks from the nearby rural districts.

First part of the program was held at the Evan. Mission church, after which the entire group went to the Benson grounds for picnic dinner and social afternoon. Rev. E. Lundholm of Crookston, and Rev. E. B. Dahlstrom of this place, both gave pleasing addresses at the gathering. As a token of esteem from those who sponsered the reception, Rev. Dahlberg was presented a sum of money, and Mrs. Dahlberg received a beautiful boquet of flowers.

Since the recent heavy rains, the hay crop east of town has improved considerably, and the crop this season will be very near as good as that of last season. Grain crops thruout this territory have picked up wonderfully also. Unless something unforseen comes to change conditions after this time, this section will have an average crop this year.

Mrs. H. Hanson returned Tuesday to her home at Crookston after an extended visit here at home of her daughter, Mrs. H, Jepson.

Want Ads Bring Resutls

Funeral Held Saturday For Little Auto Victim

Funeral services were held last Saturday for Lorraine, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Eckstein of Red Lake Falls, formerly of Wylie, who was killed Wednesday of last week when run down by an auto at Red Lake Falls.

The funeral was conducted by Rev. Burgdorf, pastor of the Red Lake Falls and Wylie Lutheran churches. A short service was held at the home at 1:30 and at the church at Red Lake Falls at 2:00, following which the remains were taken to the cemetery at Wylie. Four little girl friends were pallbearers, and three little cousins and friends acted as flower bearers. A chorus composed of the flower bearers and pallbearers touchingly sang a song which had been a favorite with little Lorraine.

To mourn her tragic death, she leaves her sorrowing parents, a brother, a sister, and a large number of other relatives, and a considerable number of little friends. Relatives from different points who attended the funeral were: Mrs. Amelia Landman and Mrs. Nick Eckstein of Wylie, both grandmothers of the deceased, Mrs. Joe Drager and children of Badger, Minn., Wm Eckstein of Verndale, Aug. Eckstein of Mahnomen, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eckstein, Clara and Henry Eckstein of Wylie, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Herr and son, of Atwater, Mrs. Eugene Dargen and children of Bovey, Mrs. Frank Newton of St. Paul, Mr. and Mrs. R. Landman of St. Hilaire, Mr. and Mrs, Fred Landman, of Wylie, Mrs. Chas. Landman, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Landman, Mr. and Mrs. M. Christenson all of Kempton, N. D., as wel as a large number of friends and neighbors.

Heartfelt sympathy of numerous friends in this community is extended to the bereaved parents in their sad loss.

The Ned Hanson family of Silverton, were pleasantly surprised by a group of friends from this locality at a picnic las Sunday afternoon. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Mark Harder of this village, Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Steinert and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Fournier of Red Lake Falls, and, Mr. and Mrs. S. Michalsky of Thief River Falls. A pleasant afternoon was spent at conclusion of which the self-invited guests served a toothsome lunch.

Looking Into The Future

The creamery, which has been brot up to its present state during the past twenty seven years, has by no means reached its capacity, nor is dairying overdone in this territory. It is safe to say that a gain of one thousand percent over present output, could be made without additional territory being added to this field. Not only is this possible but indications are that it will come to pass. Testing of cows, and intensive dairying will do it. By the way, have you bought a share in this growing local enterprise?

St. Hilaire, Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Making A Start

Look around among the most successful people in your community and you will find practically every one will ascribe his or her success to early training in saving.

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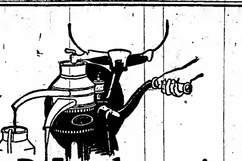

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The Vanishing Pioneer

An Estimation By Melvin Sherva

In the short span of the last several years I have noted with mnch emotion - the passing of numerous of our pioneer men women, and as often have I paused to reflect upou the true greatness of those courageous souls.

The pioneer man. . the. . pioneer woman . . what a wealth of human value! As I read their life histories I wonder by what conceivable workings of the mind we of the present generation can bemoan our lot- And yet, we do. We complain that life is hard. Opportunity, we say, does not come our way. Too much is expected of us. And so on. But if we should stop and consider for a moment that the evolution from the ox team to the automobile was a slow' toiling process, beset with suffering and privation, dearly paid for by by these pioneers, then I think, we would have a different conception of what living really is.

When the pioneers first came to this community it was not as we see it today. The country was wild and uncultivated. No well developed farms and comfortable homes were in evidence. Theie no well- traveled highways with systematic markings. to direct the traveler, but merely trails. No railroads had yet spread its network of rails into the new country, thereby affording convenient means of tranaportation. No telephone kept families for miles aronnd in touch with one another. There were no radios to provide instant and choice entertainment. "Going to town" was not a fifteen - minute auto ride for the pioneer farmer, but often required hours of tedious driving by horses or oxen, Electricity, which today has taken much drudgery out of the home, was practically unknown to the pioneer mother.

With all these things--which we now consider necessities--lacking, what was the impulse which led these hardy pioneers to journey to an unsettled country to cast their lot? That will be left to the individual mind to conjecture. But whatever the object may have been in each case, we may rest assured that had they oot possessed--among other qualities--abiding faith in an All-Wise Providence, indomitable courage, and persistent hope,--they could not have accomplished what they did. Faith, Courage, Hope--a greater conquering force than physical power! Simple lives they lived; clean, exemplary. With unceasing toil they wrested a living out of the new country--and they went about building for posterity, leaving to us a greater heiritage than wealth And as these pioneers--one by one--answer the Final Summons, it comes as a reward for work well dune. "Come unto Me, all ye who are weary and heavy laden," said the Lord, "and I will give you rest."

Someone ouce said that a successful man was he who had lived well, laughed often, and loved much; who left the world better than he found it--whether by an improved poppy, a perfect poem, or a rescued soul; whose life was an inspiration, whose memory a benediction. It seems to me that that description fits each of those lives exactly. We hear so much today about snccess, and too often it is spoken of in s monetary sense. But real snccess --the kind that leaves some lasting benefit for posterity- is the life of him whose living is an inspiration and whose memory a benediction.

The pioneers came, the pioneers saw, the pioneers conquered- I bow in reverence.

Try Our Want Ads

CHINESE ADVANCE ON RUSSIANS

Heavy Troop Movements Along Front Disclosed in Censored Dispatches.

Palping, China—Chinesa reinforcements were advancing toward Pograntchinaya, border point marking the eastern terminus of the Chinese Eastern railway, according to dispatches reaching here.

An infantry brigade and an artillery regiment was reported to have laft Kirin on special trains, while 1,500 soldiers from tha vicinity of Harbin were also sent.

Unconfirmed reports were that Chinese and Russian troops already had clashed and that the Russians had "captured" Pograntchinaya. Since the actual town of this name is in Rnssian territory, it was assnmed that the raports were intended to indicate atihar that Chinesa had been expelled from the town or that the Russians had extended thair control along tha railway bayond tha bordar.

A strict cansorship pravails on all messages from Manchnria and hence it is impossible to get full and complete raports.

China has prociaimed martial law in Harbin. All nawspapers, incinding Japanasa, ware censored and all streets are heavily patrolied.

The threatened war between China and Rnssia had a repercussion in New York city when several hundred Russian sympathizers gathered in front of the Chinese consulata in Astor place and raised such a rumpus police reserves ware raquired to disparse tham. Eight men and four girls were arrestad.

Train Plunge Into Flood, Kills Nine.

Denver, Colo.—The crack train from St. Lonis to the Pacific coast over the main line of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad plunged through a bridga over a swollen streem, three miles west of Straton, Colo., and cansed tha deaths of nine passengers. All of those who lost their lives wara in the all-steel Pullman, placed on the train at St. Louis. The car, submerged for 24 hours on the bed of the creek hed, was not enterad until lata, the high water having made an earlier entrance impossible. Tbat additional bodlea may be recovered hefore the wreckage finally is cieared away, was the opinion of rascua workers and railroad officials, who were directing relief operations.

Bandits Steai Car With $42,000.

New Orleans—Masket bandits etole an armored money truck containing $42,000 in cash and negotiable chacks off the streats of New Orleans and disappeared. After an ali day search, the poiice had heen unable to find any trace of eithar tha robbers or the money car. Tba only ciue tbey had was a description furnished by the bank guards, who wera thrown off the truck by the bandits and chased into a restaurant, wbila tha thiaves escaped in the car, firing their pistols as they sped away.

Hoover Lifts Embargo on Mex. Arms.

Washington—Persident Hoover issnad a prociamation raising the embargo on the shipment of arms and munitions to Mexico. The embargo has baen in forca since January 7, 1924, and was imposed by President Coolidga. Tbe Mexican govarnmant recently reqnested the lifting of the emhargo.

Harry F. Sincisir's First Term Ends.

Washington—Harry F. Sinclair, oil magnate, has finished his tbree months' sentence for contempt of the senate, bnt the prison doors will not open for him until November 22, at the earliest, as a second term of six months for jury-shadowing in the Fall-Sinclair conspiracy trial has been imposed.

Babe Ruth May Be Out Rest of Season.

Cleveland—Injnries sustained by Babe Rnth in the first inning of a game between Clavaland and Naw York, will keap the home run hitter ont of the Yankee lineup for tha rest of the series here, and perhaps the rest of the season, Miller Huggins, Yankee maangar, said.

Given Cigar Coupon for $5 Bill.

Indianapolis, Ind.—Edward Lea, 13 years old, received a 25 cent tip after delivaring ice cream for a pharmacy here. But whan ha returned to the store he found ha had given the customer all his change and accepted a cigar conpon instead of a new small aized $5 bill in exchange.

Mrs. Jensan Saves Drowning Bather.

Long Beach, N. Y.—Mrs. Martin Jansen, companion of her husband on the aviator's recent endurance flight, rescned Charlas Parkhurts, an aviator, when he got beyond his dapth while swimimng in the ocean hare and sank.

Untin Bowler Swept to Sea by Ice.

Ottawa, Canada—The amphibian Untin Bowler, attempting a flight from Chicago across the top of the world to Europe, was lost when it drifted ont to sea near Port Burwell. No lives was lost.

Marines Drownsd When Plane Drops.

Quincy, Mass.—Second Lieutenant G. B. Stevens and Gunnery Sergeant E. B. Jones of the marine corps drowned near the Squantum naval base hera when their airplane fell into the harbor.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is herehy given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated Aprli 1st, 1924, executed by T. M. Thoreson and Clara Thoreson, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on Aprli 2nd, 1924, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 200 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $171.88 each, due on October 1st, 1928, and Aprli 1st, 1929, respectively; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $5,190.08, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from Aprli 1st, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $343.76, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $171.88 thereof since October 1st, 1928, and on $171.88 thereof since Aprli 1st, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $98.40, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $5,725.57, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼), the East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E½ of NW¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West, except a tract described as follows: Beginning at a point 33 feet West of the Northeast corner of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West, thence South parallel with the Eastern boundary line of said Section Seventeen (17) to a point 33 feet North and 33 feet West of the Southeast corner of said Section, thence West parallel with the Southern boundary line of said Section a distance of 17 feet, thence North to the Northern boundary of said Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of said Section, thence East to the point of beginning, which piece was conveyed for highway purposes hy Deed recorded in Book "6" of Deeds, page 160 of the records of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, containing 239 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will he sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 30th day of August, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance premiums paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated July 17th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee.
By Department of Rural Credit,
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H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. J 18-A 22

Wyandotte Items

Mr. and Mrs. T. Johnson and children and Mrs. Rasmus Eide of Felton, Minn. came Saturday evening to visit at the O. E. Wilson home.

Mrs. Samuelson and Mrs. Ray Rockwell visited Sunday afternoon at Peter Kolseth home.

Mrs. Albin Halen and Mr. Bergh visited at J. Albin home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Nelson are the proud parents of a baby girl born July 19.

Mrs. W. P. Peterson and Richard Peterson visited Sunday at Peter Kolseth home.

Mrs. Osina Olson and Theodore Olson visited Sunday afternoon at J. Albin home.

Mrs. Victor Nelson of Roseau visited the latter part of the week at O. E. Wilson home and with her mother Mrs. S. Brandrud.

Mrs. W. P. Peterson and R. Peterson visited Sunday at Ole Hanson home.

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Increasing Demand For Earm Lands

Bemidji, July 19.-Fewer delinquent farmer borrowers and increasing demands for farm land were reported by officers of The Federal Land Bank of St. Paul, speaking before a district convention of National Farm Loan Associations held here today.

In his talk to association officers, Mr. F. H. Klawon, President of The Federal Land Bank of St. Paul, stated that "During the first six months of this year the Bank showed an increase of approximately 50 per cent in the number of farms sold over the number sold in the same period a year ago. The same increase also holds true of the number of races sold and the amount of money received. Minnesota farm sales, in comparing these two periods, show an increase of 50 per cent, 16 farms having been sold in 1928, as compared with 24 farms in 1929.

"With the apparent lack of uniformity in sales policies, and the number of farms in the hands involuntary land owners, the land sales market is especially favorable for buyers. There never has been a better time for the man who is eqnipped and wants to farm to obtain a farm home of his own at a comparatively low price and upon very favorable terms."

Fewer farmers are delinquent on their interest payments', said G S. Gordhamer, Treasurer of the Bank. "In percentage' the delinquencies are reduced about 24 per cent from a year ago. Minnesota shows a reduction of 35 per cent. There were 38 1-2 less foreclosures under way on June 30, 1929 than a years ago. We believe these figures indicate quite clearly that farmers are improving their position.

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Citation For Hearing On Petition For Probate Of Will

ESTATE OF Peter Lindblom

STATE of MINNESOTA, County of Pennington, In Probate Court.

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Peter Lindblom, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Henry Lindblom, Clara Scbolin, Carl Lindblom, Lucile Lindblom, Mabel Lindblom, and Ellen Lindblom also known as Ida Lindblom and all persons interested in tbe allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Earnest Akerlund being duly filed in this court, representing that Peter Lindblom, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died on the 24th day of June 1929, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters testimentary be issued thereon to Earnest Akerlund, NOW THEREFORE, you and each of you, are bereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 27th day of July, 1929, at 10:00 A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness The Honorable Lars Backe, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 3rd day of July, 1929.

(COURT SEAL) Lars Backe, Judge

Theo. Quale Attorney for Petitioner

July 11-25.

WHEN FRIENDSHIP ENDS

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THE girl's eyes had a look of eager expectancy in them. Every now and then sha raised her head and looked ont of the window, which was close to her bed. Eight feet helow she conld see lifa hurrying and scurrying ou withont her. But that did not tronhla Mary Comstock at this particular moment. Surely, in a little while she wonld see Amy Dupont's vivid little face coming toward her. Of course, Amy wonld come. There was no donht ebont thot. She lived only a hlock away from tha hospital, anyway. Shs wouldn't desert her chum now that sha waa ill; for had not Amy heen her faithful friend ever aince childhood? Had they not mede a pledge to stick together no motter whet happened True, Amy had heen the chief cause of her unhappiness, hut thet was unintentional. It wesn't Amy's foult, only Mery's misfortune. If Amy came, her hright faca would he with Mary for weeks afterward through the long, wakeful nights. Mary's qnick eer detected e light step. That must he Amy now. She glenced np and her fece fell a little in disappointment. It was only another nurse entering the ward.

It seemed us thongh she had known Amy all her life. They hed gone through grammar school and high school together. Thera had uot heen an escapade, joy or sorrow that Mary hed uot shared with Amy. Mury chuckled a little es she thought of what fnt, plncid Mrs. Brnwn, a neighhor of theirs, had once said.

"I do declnre, I uever did see two girls stick to each nther as much es Mnry and Amy do. They lika each other hetter than they do their own folks."

The girl saw herself and Amy at the age of eight walking homa from school together, erm in arm. Amy suddenly peused and said:

"Let's he chnms."

"All right," Mary egreed, end then she tore a piece off her blne hair ribhon nnd handed part of it to her companion. "Let'a keep this elweys, couse blne meons loyalty."

When they were hoth sixteen, Amy hed the flu. Mery had gone to Amy's home and helped nnrse her until she wos well egain. The followiug week, dna to her exposure to the disease, Mery, too, hed the flu. Somehow, Amy never did go to see her. Not that it was her fenlt. She was so popular thet she did uot heve a minute to spare.

A few weeks later there was an incident at one of the many parties she end Amy hed ettended that stood out in her memory. Almost every man in their crowd had fallen a victim to Amy's cherms. She was alweys surrounded hy men. Never did ahe deuca oue dance strulght through with oue mon. Always some one cut in. Mery nt that particular moment was sitting in a corner talking with Jim Grahem. Deer, hig heudsoma Jim, with his plans end dreems which he nlways confided to Mnry. Her heart smote her as she thought of him. He was the only man who hed uot heen attrected to Amy. Jim wes recognized as Mary's private property, aud no one ever intruded upou them. Mary and Jim, ahsorhed in each other, were a little stertled to heer a wild, musicol little lengh. There stood Amy in front of them, her hleck head thrown heck, her eyes sperkling, her cheeks two hurning spots of color, and her dimples flashing.

"Do come out intn the garden, Jim," sha urged. "Tha moonlight is just wonderful. I'm sure Mery won't mind." With that she pulled the reluctant Jim away from Mary'a side, leaving Mary to sit in her remote corner fuming with rage. But somehow ona could not he angry with Amy very long. Mary forgeve her the very uext day.

Next came the hepplest period of Mary'a life. She and Jim were engaged. The months of her engagement were deliriously happy ones for Mary. She waa not only happy hecausa of herself and Jim, hut hecause of Amy's happiness as well. Amy was now msrried to Jerome Baxter, one of the wealthiest hoys nf the city.

A few days hefore Mary's wedding Amy ceme to her home with tears in her eyes.

"Pleese give Jim up for me, Mary dear. You can't possihly love him as mnch as I do."

"Give him up! Why, Amy, ara you crazy? I—I can't give him up for anyhody, not even for you. I lova him—love him. Do you hear me? And, hesides, you ara a married woman. You owe aome dnty to your hushand. Why, he worships you, Amy."

"Bnt I inve Jim. I don't love my hnsband. Anybow, Jim told ms that ha loves me, not you. He said ha couldn't hreak his word to you."

"That's a lie!" Mary flung out. "I can't, I won't helieve it. It's not true. I won't give him up. I won't."

"All right," Amy retorted. "If you want to spoil his happines as well as mine, go ahead." With that sha left Mary sitting listlessly in s chair, pale aud shaken.

That night she could not hring herself to return Jim's ring, hut she treated him coldly. Tronhled and mystified, Jim left ths house earlier than usual. Two hours later hs was found deed. When his car collided with another, with him was Amy. Somehow, miraculously enough, shs had escaped injury. Mary in her wild frenzy of griaf accused Amy of eloping with her sweetheart. But Amy explained the matter satisfactorily and forgava Mary for her hitter accusation.

"You dear goosie," Amy said. "Didn't you guess that day when I told you I loved Jim that it was only a little game. I love no ona else hut my husband. That evening Jeroms was ont on husiness. Feeling lonesome, I went to a 'movie.' On my way home I met Jim in his car. He asked ma to taka a ride with him, and then told me how cruelly you had treated him. Just when I was trying to explain to him that it was all a joke, that—that—dreadful accident occurred. Oh, it'a too terrihle to speak about!" Mary still rememhered tha two great tears that had rolled down Amy's cheeks.

"Poor, dear, little Amy. Always trying to help her, Mary, nnt aud getting into trouhle. Mary hrushed a tear away from her eyea as she thonght of thesa things. And deer Jim. The shock of his death and that of her parents shortly afterward had completely hroken her health.

Suddenly, Mery heard a silvery little lengh. Ah, she knew Amy would not fail her, waa she not her chum? It was Amy, sure enongh. That gay little langh was unmistekable. Mary glanced ont of the window and found thnt Amy and her hushand were standing jnst helow it.

"Conie," Jerome Baxter said to his wife, "let'a go in aud see your friend, Mary."

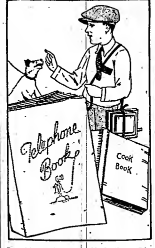
"Oh, I hete hospitals, end I can't stand sick persons, especielly a sentimental little fool like Mary. Hurry hack to the office, old dear. You must not wasta too mnch time with your wife after giving her such an expensive luuch. I'm going home to get my heanty sleep so that I'll he nice and rosy for the caharet party tonight."

The unrse in the hospitol ward looked np from her work as a sob reeched her ears.

Use Empty Flour Bags to Make Book Covers

Nohody likes to handla a dirty, dog-eared hook, and the easiest way to avoid this is meke a uumber of removahle covers for tha hooks that are most in use. The telephous directory, for example, and mother's cook hook, so full nf promise ou the inside, hut apt to hecome greasy and sticky on the ontside. Then thera are the children's school hooks. Keeping these clean not ouly teaches a child a good lesson in taking proper care of his helougings hut enehles him to sell them to edvantage wheu he is through with them nr to keep them as a hasis for his futnre library.

All these cases cen be made out of tha firm, durahle moteriel found in a



Durabla Book Covers Mads From Discarded Flour Bags.

flour heg, and therefore they involve no expeuse and nnly a littla lahor. Ask your haker to let you heve a couple nf empty hags for a few cents apiece, if yon do not heppen to heve any in the house from flour used in home heking. An effectual way of removing the stamping is tn soak it in kerosene or cover with lard overnight and then wash out in warm weter. Another method is to use javella water.

The telephone cover and school hook covers are hest mada from the meterial dyed some dark shade. Flour hags take a good fest dye. Be sure to cnt the telephone cover large enough, allowing at least three inches hock and front for the flaps. Insert twn pieces nf rather heavy cardhoard for the front and hack, cnt to fit. The words, "Telephoue Directory" mey he worked in nutline stitch in coutrasting color.

The cook-hook cover is made of the material iu its uatural color, as it will need frequent laundering anyway. Tha edges ara huttonholed. Make ths flap for the front extra deep and to this stitch a pocket large enough to hold loose recipes clipped from magazines and newspapers. A piece nf tape for a book-mark is a thoughtful addition.

Let the children maka tha covers for their school books from dyed flour hags. They will enjoy doing it aud it will stimulste a sense of pride in keeping their personal property in good condition.

Appropriate Nickname

Ground squirrels have received tha uickname "flickertells" because of their habit nf flicking their short tails up and down when uttering their call notes.

Aluminum Plentiful

Alnminnm, which is found more ahundantly thrnughout tha world than sny other metsl, forms approximately 8 pe cent of the earth's crust.

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, - - - - - Minnesota

Statement of the condition of

Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire, Minn.

at close of business on July 15th, 1929.

Bank No. 447 RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$85,046.10
Overdrafts	None
Securities, Bonds, etc.	83,748.17
Banking House Furniture and fixtures	7,800.00
Other Real Estate owned	5,100.00
Cash on hand and due from Banks	27,214.02
Cash Items and checks	415.97
TOTAL	$209,324.26

LIABILITIES

Capital	10,000.00
Surplus	3,000.00
Undivided Profits (net)	915.08
Savings Deposits	14,219.65
Time Certificates	103,973.96
Cashiers checks	None
Deposits subject to check	77,215.57
TOTAL	$209,324.26

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. ss

We, J. W. Black, President and Fred Biskey, Ass't Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to our knowledge and belief.

J. W. Black, President
Fred Biskey, Ass't Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of July. 1929.

Verner Nelson
(Seal) Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission expires Nov. 30th 1929.

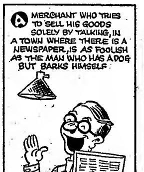
Correct Attest (Two) Directors: E. O. Burkee, Theo. M. Thronson

State of Minnesota } ss.
County of Hennepin }

On this 24th day of July A. D. 1929, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County, personally appeared J. W. Black to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

E. G. Austin
(Seal) Notary Public, Hennepin Co, Minn.
My commission expires Dec. 3, 1932

EDDIE, THE AD MAN



Rare Bill Jones

A scientist is a man who can study the layers of earth under which Bill Jones is huried and prove that Bill's skeleton is 250,000 years old.—Washington Post.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Whsat	$1.26
Duram Whaat	1.15
Rye	.93
Barley	.54
Oats	.36
Flax	2.57
Eggs, cash	.25
Creamary buttar	.45

Not a Timorous Girl

Lady (engaging maid)—Regarding your evening ont, I'm quite prepared to meet you half way.

Maid—That'll be all right ma'am; I ain't a hit worried o' coming home in the dark.

Gathering His Own

Constable—How did you come by that pot of houey?

Tramp—Well, I admit I don't keep bees, hut wot's to stop a hloke squeezin' it ont of the flowers hisself?

A Sure Sign

"Bill must be planning to huy a new car."

"Why?"

"I see he's letting his wife drive."—Everybody's Weekly.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.

St. Hilaire. Minn.

YOUR Advertising MESSAGE

"In Time of Peace prepare for war" means that preparediness should be undertaken when there is time for it.

The same adage holds true in business. In slack times, prepare for the busy season coming.

Pave the way for increased business by judicious advertising during this season as well as for fall.

There is no secret about preparation of good advertising copy. Simply state in as plain terms as you can, just what you would say to your prospects were they present in person.

Let the Spectator carry your message each week to the homes in this territory, and to the people you want to reach. We will be glad to assist you in preparation of your copy.

THE SPECTATOR

Boats Rescued 135 Marooned in Hall.

Lyons, Kan.—One hundred and thirty-five persons, the entire population of Saxman, small community southeast of Lyone, and farm families in the Cow Creek bottoms sonth of Saxman, were taken into boats from the Saxman city hall, where they had heen marooned all day by high water. One death of a child is reported.

437 Hours in Coma; has Lucid Moment

Beloit, Wis.—In a atate of coma for 18 days, Guy Blair, 25 years old, regained consciousness here for a brief interval in the four hundred thirty-seventh hour since he was hurt in an antomeblie crash on June 24. He recognized his mother and then calmly asked for a cigaret, smoked it, and lapsed back into unconsciousness.

THE CHURCHES

Methodist-Presbyterian Church

Thief River Falls

By Dr. Grays

Hibernian Resolutions

Are they Christian?

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday morning at 10:30 in the local church with Sunday school following services.

Services in Clara church at 3:00.

The Ladies Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Aug. Erickson next Saturday afternoon.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg. Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.

Services at 11:00 and 8:00.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle. Pastor.

Services next Sunday morning at St. Pauli church at 11:00.

Today is Achievement Day for the different units of the Pennington County Poultry Project. A program is to be given at the Auditorium at Thief River, and displays from the different units will be shown.

Card Of Thanks

We wish hereby to express our most sincere thanks and appreciation to all friends and neighbors who kindly assisted us during the last illness and after death of our beloved mother and grandmother. We also wish to thank all who contributed flowers, and those who assisted with the funeral, all of which will be held in grateful remembrance by us all:

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hanson and family.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Carlson and family.
Rasmus Haga and family

FOR SALE OR TRADE

A 1920 model Ford roadster with starter and light delivery box. A purebred Holstein bull 16 months old, and a high grade Holstein bull 14 months old. Will sell, or trade for Holstein cows. Call at the farm 3 miles northeast of St. Hilaire or address.

Sig. Vik,
Jul 18-25 pd R1 Hazel, Minn.

Notice: I have binder canvasses to fit all makes of binders, at saving from regular prices. Can also furnish extras of all kinds for Acme binders upon short notice.

Wm. Olsen, City.

The Spectator, $1.50 a year.

Cloudburst Wrecks Homes in El Paso.

El Paso, Texas—En Paso is surveying wreckage and ruin in the wake of one of the most disastrous cloudbursts in its history that hit an exclueive residential district. Damage is estimated at a quarter of a million dollars. Without warning, a solid blanket of water was released from clonds over the Franklin mountains on the edge of town. A wall of water swept into the streets, carrying boulders as large as office desks.

Menjou Quits U. S, for France.

New York—Adolphe Menjou, motion picture actor, sailed on the liner Paris for France where he said he was going to seek a job in the motion picture industry. Menjou, who was accompanied by his wife, the former Katherine Carver, said he had been unable to arrange a satisfactory contract with any American prodncer since he completed his last picture in May.

Balm for Housewives

Many of the minor tragedies of the housewife are like a child's pranks, really, comical, and can be seen so later.—American Magazine.

Big Checks For June At Local Creamery

The total amount paid by the local creamery for cream delivered during June exceeds that of any other month in history of the creamery. The list of checks in amounts exceeding $50 each which is published herewith, shows over 50 patrons received checks ranging from $100 and up. A large number of the checks range from $50 to $100, and a still larger number drew checks for smaller amounts. With greatly improved pasturage during July it is anticipated tha the July list will be nearly as large as that for June.

Novak & Son	$252.76
C. A. Lindquist	224 43
Erickson Bros.	206.48
Tom Mogen	206.44
N. E. Beebe	205.95
McKercher & Son	197.25
C. H. Swanson	195 30
Mrs H. J. Thorstveit	183 96
Christ Anton	182.86
Ole Larson	177.05
H Holmes	176 20
E. Stephens	174 15
Fred Ulrich	167.51
Gust Larson	165 80
Wm. Rinkenberger	156 44
And. Ortloff	151.56
J. J. Larson	151.29
Anton Johnson	150 54
Geo. Haupt	148 49
K. T. Dalager	147 90
D. J. Johnson	147 40
R Melin	143 00
I. A. Rotzlar	141.89
Swanson Bros	141.65
H. Johnson	141 30
And. Erickson	138 96
John Norman	135.72
And. Husby	135.12
B. Walseth	132.94
E. Person	129.80
F. Anderson	127.77
L. Erickson	127.24
John Gothia	125.83
N. P. Shalz	125.24
Anton Bros.	120 94
Mortenson Bros.	119.77
F. Schmidt	118.20
Carl Zinter	117.46
A. O. Swenson	116.02
Emil Larson	114.63
Mrs. A. Anderson	114.37
C. O. Swanson	113.52
Ole Hagglund	112.62
Sig Vik	112.55
C. Kruse	111.47
Mrs. J. Konickson	109.90
O. L. Larson	108.12
C. J. Swanson	106.92
A. A. Anderson	106.37
C. Pearson	105.60
I. Iverson	102.29
Wahlbeck Bros.	100.95
V. G. Brink	100.59
John Lundberg	100.08
And. Mortenson	100.05

Johnson Bros., 99.89, John Sjoberg 99.53, John Gunstad, 98.25, W. D. Ewing, 98.20, H. Hallstrom, 97.42. H. Jepson, 96.30, Joe Patton, 95.54, J. A. Anderson, 92.99, E. G. Akerlund, 90.62, A. V. Jacobson, 89.12, I. A. Johnson, 88.53, E. W. Swanson, 87.82, Ben Johnson, 87.66, F. E. Rux, 87.66, Fred Soderberg, 87.34, H. Luftmer, 86.05, H. Hawkinson, 85.58, John Maakrud, 84.16, Gust Johnson, 83.86, F. Bothman, 83.00, H. Burstad, 82.57, Wm Yonke, 82.42, E. Hallemeck, 81.80, R. Randorf, 80.65, J. O. Swanson, 80.35, A. Swanson, 79.91, Arnt Loberg 79.86, John Steiger, 78.00, J. Scholin, 77.74,, Fred Landman, 77.00, Gust Erickson, 76.19.

Panl Thyren 74.76, Swenson Bros. 73.92, Wm Randorf, 73.27, Merchants State Bank, 71.82, Art Gnnstad, 71 12, H. Starken 70 83, Wm. Bothman, 70.65, John H dlund, 7 .41, E. Swanson, 70.40, J. O. Peterson, 69.93, H. Lindblom, 69.49, F. S. Erdmann, 69 24, Alf. Dahlstrom, 68.78, Ed Moren, 68 02, Joe King, 66.52, J. A. Almqnist, 66.12, Peter Scherrick, 65 78, T. A. Sherry, 65.27, Gust Peterson, 65.20, Dan John's n, 62 58, E. G. Borgen, 62.43, O. Mosbeck, 60 78, Mrs A. Aubol, 70.28, F. Grandbois, 60 20, Theo. Andercon, 59 84, H. R Allen, 59.74, Joe Royal, 58.84, O. Haugen, 55.28, G A. Lindquist, 53.32, A. G. Hallstrom, 5 14, Otto Johnson, 51.03, M. J. Ford, 50.82. C. Adolphson, 50.80, J. E. Johnson, 50.33, Lars Rosett, 50.09.

Children Under Twelve Will Be Admitted Free At Pennington County Fair

Children under twelve years of age will be admitted free again this year at the Pennington County Fair which will be held at Thief River Falls for four days commencing July 31. This plan was introduced by the Pennington county fair association last year and proved to be very satisfactory, not only from the standpoint of the fair itself but especially so from the standpoint of the thousands of visitors who attended the exposition.

One of the big features of the Thief River Falls fair is the program of horse racing, and with more than fifty horses actually entered by Saturday of last week, there is good reason to believe that he races this year will be unusually good. Races will be held each afternoon of Thursday, Friday and Saturday. For the evening shows fireworks will take the place of the racing.

In addition to the racing and fireworks the program will include eight high class vaudeville acts. These acts will offer a wide range of entertainment from ostrich running and harness races to aerial gymnastics and platform comedy stunts. The royal American Shows a forty carload carnival company, has been secured, and with its ten riding devices, fifteen side shows and intresting assortment of Coney Island specialities, there will be entertainment of all kinds available.

LOCALS

H. O. Jackson, who has been ill most of the summer, is able to be around again. Tho' not back at the store as yet, he is much improved which is pleasant news for his many friends.

If you wish to reach the highest may not have to start at the lowest, but you should take a course in Mankato Commerial College, Mankato, Minn. Send for free Catalog.

Enoch Sundholm is able to be out again after a three weeks period of serious illness. At present he is at home recuperating before attempting to attend to his duties at the drug store.

NOTICE-As the R. Nelson children have left our home and board, we will not be responsible for any bills contracted by them, or by anyone else in their behalf. Dated July 18 1929
J18tf Mr. and Mrs. Wash Adams

Hay Stumpage:-Eighty acre tract along state road three miles west of St. Hilaire. Inquire at this office.

Two more new items for the hardware department of Gamble Stores-Pitch Forks and Shovels. Forks $1.25 to $1.65 Shovels $1.15 to $1.40.

For Sale:-Three head good farm horses, weight about 1400 lbs each. also a narrow tire wagon, and an almost new 7 foot cut Minnesota binder which has cut only 120 acres. Call on
J25-A1 Peter Lundberg, City.

Choice quality Northern White Cedar Posts and poles, slightly undes the N. W, C. A. specification grade. Will last a lifetime. Shipped direct from the woods. Write and enquire for prices.

Paul Thyren,
J 25-S 18 Hazel, Minn.

You know the cost per month on batteries at Gamble's before the purchase is made. We are selling service. Lower prices during summer sale. Thief River Falls.

Try Our Want Ads
They Bring Results

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Glencoe—The city council has decided to pave six blocks in the business district this yeer.

Madison—Madison'e new city officers have taken up their duties. N. F. Soderberg has succesded T. C. Lee as mayor.

St. Paul—Two St. Peul workmen are recovering from injurles received when an oil tank, which they were painting, exploded.

Red Wing—As an experiment, members of the Red Wing Izeak Walton leegue plented 15,000 rainbow trout in streams in the county.

Albert Lea—Helmer Myra of Albert Lea, former lightheevyweight wrestling champion of tha northwest, has been appointed sheriff of Freehorn county.

Minneapolis—Twenty-three men end one women heve filed their epplications for the postmastership in Minneepolls, it hes been announced in Weshington by the civil service commisson.

Bemidji—John Wessel, 17-year-old high school ethiete, died here efter a 102 hour fight during which he was kept alive hy ertificiel respiretion administered by firemen and volunteer students.

Glencoe—More than 500 pereons attended the twentieth annuel commencement exercises of the rural schools of McLeod county here. The class of 125 grade graduates was one of the largest in history.

Owatonna — Checks eggregating $130,000, a 10 per cent dividend to creditors of the National Farmers Benk of Owetonne. heve been forwarded to the comptroller of currency in Weshington for signeture.

Minneapolis—Allotment of $100,000 for a preliminary survey of the proposed nine-foot channel of the Mississippi river from Minneepolls to the Missouri river has heen ennounced hy the war depsrtment et Washington.

Askov—Thomes J. MecMillan, district superintendent for the Minnesota Power & Light Co., end Herold Oliver, a helper, were electrocuted while removing the cover from e trensformer here. Both men lived at Sendstone.

Minneapolis—W. H. Williems, for 43 yeers a printer in Minneapolis and for many yeers associeted with the Minneapolis Trihune as foreman of the composing room, died here following an operetion. He wes 71 years old.

Hastings—Officers of the Dakota county commissioners attended the funerel of Mre. Joseph Heinsn et Farmington. Mrs. Helnen was county commissioner from the fourth district and was cheirmen of the county boerd.

New Ulm—Willihald Eibner of this community was re-elected president of the Cetholic Central society of America at the closing session of the annual convention at Salem, Ore. The diamond jubilee convention will be held in Baltimore next year.

Brainerd—A posse has been formed here to hunt a lynx which hes heen prowling ehout homes in a residential section neer the Mississippi river. Residsnts ere alermed for the sefety of their children. The animal hes killed psts. There is a possihility that it may hava escaped from a circus recently here.

St. Paul—Another towhoat, hringing the fleet on the upper Mississippi river to six, will he put into service, J. C. Goodsell, superintendent of the upper river division of the Inland Waterawys corporetion has ennounced. Increases in tha emount of tonnage being heuled on the river made the addition necessery.

Minneapolis—John Phillip Sousa, with his 75-piece band, is coming to Minneepolis to play seven puhlic concerts as pert of the program dedicating the Foshay tower as the "West's Washington monument." Arrangements for bringing the celebreted bendmester end his musicians hera from New York were concluded by Wilhur B. Foshey, president of the W. B Foshay Co., whose inspiretion it was to build the skyscraper in the likeness of the Washington monument.

Hamline—Announcemsnt has heen mede of the appointment of executive officers to direct plans for the Northwest Livestock Show which will be given in conjunction with the Minnesota State Fair, August 31 to September 7. Cel Sivright, vice president and general menager of the Minnesota State Fair, has been named executive director. Men eppointed to the executive committee which will work under Mr. Sivright ara as follows: Frederick E. Murphy, cheirman; Jule M. Hanniaford, Jr., St. Paul, vice chairman; N. J. Holmberg, commissioner of agriculture, St. Paul; J. A. Vaughn, Minneapolis; Roger B. Sheperd, St. Paul; M. O. Grangaard, Minneepolis; N. J. Seesel, St. Paul; W. B. Bremner, Minneepolis; A B. Lathrop, St. Paul; J. H. Ellison, Minneepolis; Leo E. Owens, St. Peul; John A. Perlee, Minneapolis; E. H. Treetin, St. Paul; Axel Hanson, Minneapolis; and L. W. Kube, South St. Peul.

Red Wing—It is elmost a certainty that construction of the new courthonse will he undertaken in the fall of next year, hoard members heve indicated. Then, the 1931 levy will have been set and tha conrthonse fund assured of a total of about $250,000.

Winona — Minnesota Legionaires and the auxiliary will make whoopee here August 5, 5 and 7 at the tenth annnal convention of the Minnesota department of the American Legion. An elaborate entertainment program for the convention will include a dedication of the Winona airport.

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Storm In Tabor District

A severe wind and hail storm struck the vicinity of Tabor, west of Angus, Tuesday evening at the same time when rain fell here. One church in Tabor was demolished, two others were moved from their foundations, and other damage was sustained. The minister of the church which was demolished, was in the building when the storm struck, and was dangerously injured. Several barns in the Angus-Tabor neighborhood were blown down during the storm.

Road Oiling Finished

Oiling of trunk highway No. 32. from Thief River Falls south thru here to the Red Lake County line was finished Thursday noon. Double coating of the main street here was finished that morning, and gravel spread over it. Upon completion of the work, the oil spreading outfit left to work on another job near Gaylord, Minn., and those who were in charge for the highway department left to look after similar work north of Hallock.

25 Years Ago

H. C. Clark, treasurer of the Crookston Lumber Company was here looking after business matters. He stated additional machinery was to be installed here that year.

A. R. Jones, who had hought wheat in Canada that season, returned to his home here.

Remains of a man was found in a grove a couple miles north of Thief River. The man was believed to be Hilding Olson, and circumstances indicated he had met with foul play.

Robbers entered the Smidesang store at Wylie the previous Saturday night and made away with $2[illegible] in cash and some valuable paper.

Bruno Toutant, day tail sawyer at the mill suffered a fracture of his left leg when struck by a slab from a saw.

Julius Pleth commmenced that week selling lots in new town of Plummer on the Soo southeast of here.

Prof. J. O. Brien filed that week as a candidate for the Republican nomination for superintendent of schools.

Win Ball Game

The local ball team took the long end of a 11 to 0 score last Sunday afternoon when they met a team from Thief River Falls on local ground. The local lads managed to get a lead from the start, and seemingly experienced no difficulty in keeping the visitors from scoring. Next Sunday the local team will play a return game with Red Lake Falls in that city.

Three Additional Acts Hired for Fair Now On At Thief River Falls

Eleven platform acts are being presesénted each afternoon and evening at the Pennington County Fair which is now under way at Thief River Falls, the fair management baving hired three additional acts at a meeting Monday night. This is by far the biggest program that has ever been offered there and is a splendid variety of entertainment.

More than sixty horses have been entered for three days of racing and the track is in excellent condition. A special twenty-five dollar prize is being offered to any horse that lowers the track racord wbicb is now 2:10 flat. If weather continues favorable this is very likely to happen.

The fair will continue through Saturday this year, a four day schedule having been arranged instead of the usual three days. The new grand stand will provide ample seating room for visitors. Children under twelve years of age admitted free.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Amble of Grand Forks, are guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. A. V. Jacobson, this week. Mr. Amble, who travels thru parts of Montana in interest of his nursery business, states he has had word from there that crops will be short in most places this season.

A fine rain fell over this section Tuesday afternoon doing much good for crops and pastures. Last two rains that have fallen here, were not accompanied by any strong wind, and there was no trace of hail.

Have you taken advantage of the summer sale on tires, batteries, hardware, etc.? Special prices to August 15th only. Gamble Stores, Thief River Falls.

Away From Home

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Ed Durbin is able to be about again after being confined to bed a week or more by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanson motored down last evening from Thief River Falls for a brief visit with their parents.

Barley and other early grains have begun to ripen in this vicinity and harvesting will begin in a few days.

New guard rails have recently been placed on both sides of the new county ditch bridge south of here.

State Auditor Ray Chase passed thru here Friday morning while on an auto trip in this section of the state.

Mrs. Geo. Wilson and son returned Monday after spending about two weeks with Mr. Wilson at Anoka. and with friends at Minneapolis

Mr. and Mrs. Knute Swanson of Thief River Falls, and his sister from California, were visitors Sunday at the Swanson Bros. home.

Miss Marie Cathelineau returned last week-end after spending a week with Bernice Bjerk, who is employed in the Carlson Mercantile Company store at Holt.

Jennings Westphal, who is employed in the Theo. Ducharme barbershop at Barnesville, came up first part of the week for a visit with his folks at the farm north-east of town.

Construction work is to start soon on a new machine shed and granary at the Black farm northeast of the village. When these new additions are completed, the Black farm will have one of the most complete sets of farm buildings in this section.

Grading of roadway, installation of tanks, pumps and air compressor was finished this week at the new oil station being erected by Ray Young. Outbuildings have also been completed. With laying of the new double concrete driveway, the station will be ready to operate.

Ben Brevik returned last week after a trip up to the Canadian line. It was his intention to spend the fall months in Canada, but owing to poor crops in western Canada this year, permits for laboring people to enter the Dominion are not being issued.

George and Alec Anderson of Sanders. visited Sunday afternoon at the Swanson Bros. home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ludtke and family came first of the week from the Range for a visit at home of her mother, Mrs. L. A. Carlson.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veterinarian, was down Friday afternoon from Thief River Falls attending to a few calls near town.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Skatrud of Karlstad, motored down Tuesday and spend the day at home of their son, Theo. Skatrud.

Ladies Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. J. Palmquist southeast of here this afternoon.

Mrs. J. A. Oslund, of Wannaska, was down last week-end for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Aug. Erickson at their farm home southeast of here.

A good sized crowd attended the ice cream social given last Sunday afternoon by the Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church on the Gigstad lawn opposite the church.

Mrs. N. A. Nelson and granddaughter Helen Nelson, left Monday for Minneapolis where they will make their home with Mrs. Nelson's son, Olaf.

Nick Skeie, former resident of this place some years ago, and now engaged in the mercantile business at Baudette, was down last week for a visit with relatives east of here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Larson and three childern of Underwood, Minnesota accompanied by their guests, Mrs. R. Orton aud son of New York City, motored here Saturday for a Sunday visit at home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Geo Bakko.

The new residence being erected on the Ole Larson farm west of here is nearly completion. It was given a coat of paint recently, and all that remains now is some interior finish before it is ready for occupancy.

Creamery operators in this district and thruout northern part of the state, are planning a gathering Aug. 24-25 to be held at Warroad Among the entertainment will be a boat trip across Lake of Woods thru the thousand islands, to Kenora.

New Bank At Middle River

The Farmers State Bank is the name of a new bank which opens for business at Middle River today. The bank which is an entirely new institution, succeeds two closed banks which formerly did business in that village.

The new bank has a capital and surplus of $26,000, and has more than forty stockholders, many of whom are local people. Opening of the new bank will be a great convenience to the people Middle River and vicinity who have been without local banking facilities since the bank closed some years ago.

Fred Hendrickson of this village, who has resided in this section of the state well over forty years, lays claim to having cleared as much, or more, land in this community than any other person living here today.

In these days of endurance contests of various kinds, it is refreshing to find someone who can truthfully lay claim to excellence in the more lowly forms of endeavor. Mr. Hendrickson with his trusty grub axe, has personally cleared away the timber and brush from a score or more of what are now the most highly cultivated farms in this community. He has cut thousands of cords of wood and innumerable loads of poles and posts.

Coming here when this section was practically a wilderness, Mr. Hendrickson has engaged in land clearing more or less every year since that time. Despite the encroachment of years, he is still able to handle the grub axe and brush scythe to profection.

Mr. and Mrs. A Thorwick and children of Minneapolis, visited here first of the week at the Rick Larson home and with other friends in this community. Mr. Thorwick, who is now employed in the post-office at Minneapolis, was junior member of the Bergh-Thorwick Hardware Company here some years ago.

The Pennington County Fair opened yesterday and continues until Saturday night. Good crowds are reported for both yesterday and today. The fair is exceptionally good this year, and the management anticipates the largest attendance this year since the fair started.

River Claims A Victim

George Cardinal, well known young Red Lake Falls man, lost his life by drowning last Friday evening while swimming near the Red River Power Company dam north of that city. He and a companion went to the river to swim about five o'clock and had been in the water but a short time when he was seized with cramps. Despite heroic efforts of his companion, the unfortunate man sank from sight in about twenty feet of water. Help was summoned at once, and a call was sent to Crookston for a pulmotor. The body was brot to the surface in about thirty minutes, but no signs of life were visible after more than three hours work with the pulmotor.

Mr. Cardinal was a married man and is survived by his widow and a small daughter. He was employed as engineer at the tow mill, and was also captain of the Red Lake Falls ball team.

This drowning recalls to mind a prediction made during early days by an Indian squaw to effect that the Red Lake River would claim at least one victim each year. During the years this section of the coutry has been settled, that prediction has not failed to materlize.

Mr. and Mrs. Ordean Olson and son, Ardell, and Mrs. Carl Johnson and Miss Eva Johnson motored Saturday to Detroit Lakes. They were accompanied home by Miss Lilly M. Johnson who came to Detroit Lakes from Minneapolis where she had attended the summer session at the University of Minnesota.

Ed Durbin, who has been ill for about ten days, was so much improved this week that he was able to make his regular trip to vicinity of Greenbush where he supplies road construction camps with his products.

About twenty auto loads of Thief River Falls citizens composing the Good Will Tour advertising the Pennington County Fair, stopped here for a short time Friday evening while enroute home. Several selections of band music were rendered, and speakers with the Tour exended an invitation to everybody here to visit the Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Schantzen and baby are here from Minneapolis for a visit at the home of her father, Mike Fricker.

Looking Into The Future

The creamery, which has been brot up to its present state during the past twenty seven years, has by no means reached its capacity, nor is dairying overdone in this territory. It is safe to say that a gain of one thousand percent over present output, could be made without additional territory being added to this field. Not only is this possible but indications are that it will come to pass. Testing of cows, and intensive dairying will do it. By the way, have you bought a share in this growing local enterprise?

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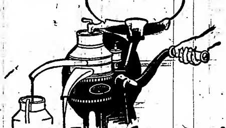

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Hogging The Road

While without doubt trucka are indispensable in handling moderu busioess and while because of the license they pay are entitled to equal privileges on the road they should not becanse of their size assume tba hoggish attitude that so many of them have. Hardlv a day passes hut what complaints are registered at the filling stations, at the tourists information bnreans and at newspaper offiices regarding delays caused by the failnre of trucks of various kinds to yiald the necessary shara of the road While, as wa have said, the truck are entitled to the use of the road, eheir hoggishnesa will result in hut one thing and that is drastic regulations. Their owners and drivers must remember that the owners and drivers of the smaller cars far ontnumber them and that the voice of this majority will come very nearly representing "public opinion" to which an attentive ear is always turned hy the lawmakers.

Courtesy on the road on the part of thosa who through size might dictate, is a policy that will reap valuable rewards, hut the arrogant attitude that is now apparent may hring about decided hardships --Bemidji Pioneer.

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Wyandotte Items

Mr. and Mrs. O. Wilson and Mrs. Samuelson visited at Aug. Erickson home Sunday afternoon.

David Clark and Harry and Carl Haugen called Sunday afternoon at P. Kolseth home.

Misses Selma and Alvina Wilson spent Sunday afternoon with Marie Kolseth.

Mr. P. Brandrud on his return home from Roseau after visitd with his sister Mrs. V. Nelson, is visiting at O. Wilson and Theo Olsen homes.

Mrs. P. Peterson and Frank Peterson callled at P. Kolseth home Thursday evening.

Carl and Harry Haugen spent Sunday at Wm. Clark.

Goodwin Wilson and P. Brandruce spent Sunday at the Red Lake River.

Rev. M. L. Dahle called at the O. E. Wilson home on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Peterson and daughter Marie called Sunday evening at P. Kolseth home.

Miss Elizabeth Evenson returned home Saturday evening after heing employed at St. Hilaire.

Alfred Rolstad and Hilmar Bergh called at O. Wilson home Saturday evening.

With the Minneaota State Fair and Northeast Livestock Show, Twin Cities' August 31 to Sept. 7, only a month off prospectiva exhibitors are urged to bear in mind the closing entry dates, so that they will send in there entries in time and be eligible to compete for the premiums totaling $131,032 set aside by the management.

Closing eutry dates follow:

Horse breeding division Mon. August 5
Horse show, Mon Aug. 12
Cattle - Monday, August 5
Swine, Sheep, Goats and wool Monday, August 11
Poultry - Tues. Aug. 20
Dairy - Friday, August 16
Agriculture Monday Aug. 26
Horticulture - Mon. Aug. 26
Bee culture - Wed Aug. 28
Woman's activities Saturday, August 24
School Exhibits Fri. Aug. 23

Cal Sivright, vice president and general manager of the State Fair, who also is in charge of the Northwest Livestock Show, discussed plans for the livestock exhibit at the coming exposition at a special meatings of the breeders this week. Representatives of the cattle, horses, sheep and swine breeding organizations were present, and each pledged bia support to maka the 1959 livestock show an outstanding success.

Assurances have been received that many new breeders will exhibit at this year's Fair. This is especially trua of tha cattla departmen Six nationally famous dairy herds that have not been exhibited at the Fair previously, have promised to come. Included in these herds will be several all American animals. The names of exhibitors will be annonnced as soon as the entry lists close.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$1.30
Doram Wheat	1.19
Rye	.98
Barley	.55
Oats	.40
Flax	2.71
Eggs, cash	.25
Creamery butter	.46

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MINNESOTA BRIEFS

St. James—Editors from Minnesota will gather hare for tha summer outing of the Second District Editorial Association.

Waseca—Jack Sellers of Rochester was chosen commandar of tha First District American Legion at the annnal convention here.

St. Paul—The trail hlazer plane of the new Winnipeg-Twin City line hopped off here on its maiden flight. Regular service will he inangurated.

Little Falls—Heat causad the death of 15 hogs on the farm of Henry Nistler, near Pearl Lake in Stearns county. They ware overcome in an unshaltered pasture.

Red Wing—Paul Larson, of Red Wing, skipping his flashy Comat, won the free for all race at Ox lake in what turned ont to be ona of the biggest boat races etaged in Minnesota this season.

Fort Snelling—Tha largest military training camp aver held in the northwest, and one of the largest in tha United States, will open for a month of training at Fort Snalling August 1. It is estimated that more than 2,000 young men will attend.

Red Wing—The Inland Waterways corporation oparating a flaat of towhoats and harges throngh this city every week is preparing for tha heavy volume of grain shipment axpectad within tha next faw weeks when the 1929 crop is harvested.

Hutchinson—Memhers of the Minnesota state commission of administration and finance were visiting hare for the purpose of inspecting tha site offered by Harry Pence, prasident of the Minnesota-Wastern railroad, for a proposal hass hatchery on the Crow river.

South St. Paul—A naw high prica for heevywaight steers was sat at the Sonth St. Panl market, when Henry Minnick of Welcoma, Martin county, sold 18 head of 1,460-pound steers at $16 a hundredweight. Tha pravious high mark this yaar was $15.85.

Minnsapolis—The prica of gas to Minneapolis consumers for the four-month period from September 1 to Decembsr 31 of this yaar will remain at 89 cents par 1,000 cubic faat, according to tha holder cost report filed with the city council by tha Minneapolis Gas Light Co.

Red Wing—The Colvill Memorial commission, maeting to reorganiza at Owatonna, went on record to support Congressman August H. Andresen in his efforts to secura fadaral racognition and aid in making Colvill park of Red Wing into a national mamorial to Goodhne county's Civil war haro.

Fairmont—Aftar an alactrical storm had ahated in this ragion, naighbors of William Madsen, 26, a farmar, obearved that ha sat bolt upright hut motionless for mora than an hour on the saat of his mower and investigation ravealed ha had baan killed by lightning.

Duluth—With the inauguration this fall of tha naw four-year curriculum at Minnesota's six state teachers collages, a material increasa in enrolment is anticipated, according to opinion expressed hy presidents of the institutions at a conference in Duluth.

St. Paul—Georga W. McCollough, stata gama and fish commissioner issuad warning against fraudulent operators of fur aulmal breading farms end pointed out that ragulatory laws passed by tha last legislature wera designed to protect the purchaser of fur-hearing animals.

Minnsapolis—Minnesota is ona of six statas in which subsidiary companies of tha Industrial Power corporation will be located, it has haan announced hy Frederick H. Prince, Boston capitalist, who is one of the organizers of the public ntilities concarn. He did not indicata in what city the Minnesota plant will ha locatad.

Minneapolis—The endurance plane Minnasota took off from Wold-Chamberlain field at 6:40 p. m. Monday, but not until the partnarship of Thorwald "Thunder" Johnson end Owen I. Haugland, the team which made the last attampt to break all record hara, was split; Johnson stayad on the gronnd and Captain P. L. Chrichton, managar of the flight, went aloft in his placa. All progress of tha flight will he hroadcast hy W. C. C. O. who is sponsoring tha flight.

Grand Marais—Mora than 225 man hettied a threetening forest fira in the Snperior forest near hera which bnrned over a tarritory four miles long, and showad no indication of a let np. Seventy-five man from Dulnth and a similar number from Swan lake, and Flower lake districts, ware ordar to come to tha scane of the fire aftar the 75 faderal forestry rangers and recruitad forest fighters could not check the blaza. The fire, starting as tha result of sparks from a logging engine, is burning in the Brule laka district, in the heart of Snperior forest. Three lines of hosa were playing on the fire, but a etrong northeast wind, which reached a valocity of more than 20 miles an hour, hampered the fighters.

Rsd Wing—Red Wing is all set for the gala event of the year—the annnal convention of Minnesota Elks—on August 22, 23 and 24, which is to ba made a community affairs and attractions of the kind that feature hig celebrations provided all three days.

Spring Valley—The First State Bank of Spring Valley has failed to opan its doors. Continned withdrawals over a period of several months and "frozen" assets were given as reasons hy Ole Aamot, preeldent. Affairs of the institution, which had daposits of $333,000, will be turned over to the state banking department.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is herehy given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 1st, 1924, executed hy T. M. Thoreson and Clara Thoreson, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 2nd, 1924, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 200 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pey the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $171.88 each, due on Octoher 1st, 1928, end April 1st, 1929, respectively; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the huildings in and upon seid mortgeged lands; thet under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $5,190.08, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from April 1st, 1929, at the rete of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $343.76, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $171.88 thereof since Octoher 1st, 1928, and on $171.88 thereof since April 1st, 1929, each et the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $98.40, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon et the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $5,725.57, including interest on said respective sums from said respective detes and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has heen instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will he foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼), the East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E½ of NW¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West, except a tract described as follows: Beginning at a point 33 feet West of the Northeast corner of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West, thence South parallel with the Eastern boundary line of said Section Seventeen (17) to a point 33 feet North and 33 feet West of the Southeast corner of said Section, thence West parallel with the Southern boundary line of said Section a distance of 17 feet, thence North to the Northern boundary of said Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of seid Section, thence East to the point of beginning, which piece was conveyed for highway purposes by Deed recorded in Book "6" of Deeds, page 160 of the records of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, containing 239 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenences, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at, the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Fells, in seid County and State, on Friday, the 30th day of August, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest hidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on seid mortgage, including said insurance premiums paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on seid premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated July 17th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit,
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
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THE AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

The the wooden bridge spanning the river at north end of town seems to be attaining the status of an orphan. The railings are becoming more and more delapidated each week, and no one seems to pay any attention to it. The abutments which never were good since the bridge was twisted by ice in the river back in 1916, have never been repaired. The road leading east of the bridge for about 600 feet--this being part of the state road --is so full of chuck holes that its difficult to drive over it with a car. While it is true the bridge is in a sorry condition, it seems thera might be something done in way of temporary repairs to make it at least passable until a hetter is provided.

Farmers Elevators Handle A Tremendous Volume

Presideot Coolidge appointed a commission with Herbert Hoover, chairman, to investigate economic changes in the United States The work was hegun in January 1928, and finished thirteen months later. The very complete report is published in book form in two volumes of 900 pages.

Commenting on the portion dealing with co operative marketing, the Farmers Elevator Guide says: "Among other thing the report deals with is the development of grain marketing by farmers. It shows that of the 1926-27 crop 3,300 farmers' elevators marketiog 500,000,000 bu. Including side lines their tota sales were $700,000,000.

"Although these 3,300 farmers' elevators operate extensively in twelve states only, they handled over 36 percent of all of the wheat shipped out of all of the counties of the entire United States for 1926-27.

The report states that the farmers' elevators handled more than twelve times as much wheat of the 1926-27 crop as any other farmers' marketing agency."

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The best time to replenish your supply of letterheads, statements, envelopes, memoheads, bill file statements, and other printed matter is right now. Anticipate what you will need for fall use and order it now during the slack summer season. We can give you better service, and, incidentally, better prices on such work wheu done during the summer.

The Spectator

PROGRAM

400th Anniversary of the Publication of Luthers Catechism held at Thief River Falls Auditorium

Sunday, August, 4th. 1929

Under Auspice of the Red River District of the Augustana Lutherau Church

WELCOME

10:30 Morning Worship

Full morning Liturgy.

Sermon--Dr. O. I. Johnson, President of Gustavus Adolphus College, St. Peter, Minn.

Music by the Strandquist Male Chorus and the North Star College Quartet.

Liturgists-- Pastors P. G. Carlstedt, J. E. Dahlgren, and B. N. Glim.

The following Hyms will be used; 313, 106, 265, 475.

2:30 Anniversary Program

Band Music--Thief River Falls Juvenile Band, Mr. Carl Swenson, Director.

Devotion--Pastor Aner Bloom.

Song--North Star College Quartet.

Hymn--266 by the Audience.

Address--"The History of Luther's Catechism and Its Applicatiou to the 20th Century", Dr Franklin Gruber, Professor at Maywood Theological Seminary, Chicago Ill.

Hymn--264 by the Audience.

Solo-Mr. Theodore Skoglund.

Address--"The Future of the Lutheran Church", Dr. I. M. Anderson; Profesor at Augustana College, Rock Island, Ill.

Hymn--479, by the Audience.

Benediction--Pastor A. F. Nelson

POOR MISS ANGEL

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THE whole town called har poor Miss Angel, and she knew it. She kuew it with shame and humiliation and regret. Yet sha had doua nothing to deserve the title except that she had waited too loug for a man who had changed his mind concerning her.

Cora Angel had heguu "going" with Henry Van Orden wheu she was twenty. When a girl "goes" with a man it means that she accepts his ettention to the exclusiou of all others. If they continue to fiud enjoyment in each other's society they hecome engsged and soon after marrled. But sometimes these teutativa pre-engagement ettachments last for years without any other ontcome than an lucreasiug coldness ou the part of tha oue or the other or hoth. Theu tt may he a heartacha ensues, hut this depends npou whether lova enters into the arrangement.

From the first Cora had loved Henry Van Orden, and she was the happiest thing eliva when he asked her for the first time to dauce with him. After that eveuing he escorted her homa from choir practice, to coucerts, church suppers and other functions of thst kind. People hecome eccustomed to seeing them together and wondered if they wonld marry.

Henry was the younger of the two Van Orden hoys. He was handsome, ilvely and with a good deal of camoufiaga in his makenp. He uever kept any joh iong, hnt was always ou the hnut for something better. His older hrother, John, after gettiug whst education he could, went to work in the hank aud stayed there. That was ahout as much as any oue kuew ahout John Van Ordeu, for it was Henry who claimed all the attentiou.

Withont douht, any girl lu Hillville would have heeu giad to he the recipient of Henry Van Orden's favor. It was odd that he shopld have chosen Cora Angei, for Cora was uot pretty; she was merely a sweet, quiet, gentie girl with tender mouth, dreamy eyes and a cloud of wavy fair hair. Her mother was a widow with cousidernhle means and they lived in the uicest way. Old Mrs. Crowe said that Cora would alwaye hava enough to take care of the famlly, whether Henry earned anything or not.

Cora went with Henry for years hefore he proposed to her. Up to that point theirs had beeu the most casual of friendships on Henry's part, and ou Cora's the most discreet. There was never any spoouings. Even after they hecame eugaged they went ou much as hefore in the deylight opiuion. Henry uever seemed to care to play the lover aud Cora kept her affectione ont of sight. But she wondered sometimes why Henry never songht to kiss or emhrace her.

They had not heen engaged iong hefore Heury left Hillville and weut to the city, where he fouud a uew joh more to his llkiug thau anything the small town offered. He wrote to Cora aud occasionally came to sea her, hut he never sald anything ahout their getting married. And this weut on for eight years.

Cora was thirty now, a little qnieter and gentler thau ever. Tha girls of her set had married; most of them had children. A new eet was coming up which thonght her rather oid. People hegan to ask her when she aud Henry were going to get married, and she tried to smile as she answered that she didu't know.

Then her mother lost everything she had except the house on Pleasant street. Iu the turuover after the war the stocks she had invested in had hecome worthless.

Cora weut to work. She could uot teach, for instead of goiug to college she had waited for Heury. So sha got a place in the hank. Mostly her hnsiuess was long columns of figures. Sometimes when sha went home at night her throat was dry with reading, and always her heart ached.

For Henry Van Ordeu had suddenly ceased to write to her. When the uews of her mother's misfortune went ahroad, instead of rushing to his girl and hegging her to marry him, he simply ignored her, and uoue knew hetter than Cora what that meant.

She grew pale and thin, hut every morning as regularly as she pinned ou her hat to go to the hank she pinued ou her hrave littia smile, and even her mother did uot know all.

One day there wes a shortaga somewhere in accounts and every employee of the hank had to stay until the thing was settled. It was seven o'clock of a wild, winter eveniug when release came. Cora had telephoued to her mother not to worry. She was tired and faint as she pinned ou her little hleck velvet het and drew on the furcoat which was a ieftover from their days of affinence.

As she stepped from the side door of the huilding John Van Orden joined her. John was cashier uow, and everyhody said that some day he would he president.

"Come over to tha Frenchman's, Cora, and heve supper with me," he said in his grave, friendly way.

Ha caught her elbow in his hand and steered her through tha speeding traffic of Main street and they were entering the restaurant before ehe realized that John had paid uo attentiou to her refusal.

They had turkey and ice cream and some delicious coffee, and Cora brightened under the influence of good food. The Angel menage was being carefully run these days.

"And now I'll take you home in my car," John said when the meal was ended.

After he hed placed her in tha warmed and lighted closed car he vanished for a few moments. When he came back he had a hig hox of candy and a perfect armful of red roses.

"John!" Cora gasped. Her tired face flushed. "Thank you a thousand times," sha said.

They drove straight to her home. As she was rising to leave tha car John laid his hand gently on her arm.

"One moment, Cora. Will you merry me?" he asked.

Cora sat down egain, trembling.

"Johu! I—you know I'm engaged to yonr brother."

"Never mind my hrother. Marry me. Promise me here and now."

"It wouldn't he honest, it—"

"Auy man who is willing for his engagement to run eight years, going ou uiue, doesn't love the woman well euough to marry her. I do love you, Cora. I ioved you before I ever started goiug with Henry. While yon hsve heen waiting for Heury I've heeu waiting for you. I think I've waited long enough."

"I'll huve to think—"

"No. Let's settle it now."

She looked rather helplessly into his strong, kiud face. His eyes were not like Henry's. Somehow she wes glad they were not.

The most wouderful thiug that conld have happeued to her was happeuing. She realized that. Suddeuly John put his srm about her and drew her to him.

"Remember, I love yon," he insisted.

"Well," Cora sighed.

They were marrled tha next day. And Johu moved from his hoardinghouse over to Mrs. Augel's.

Cora wrote to Henry that night—the uight hefora her wedding. She wrote a timid, appealiug little letter and eent it to his old address.

It was uot until she had returned from a month's happy houeymoou in Florida that she found the letter which had coma in answer to the one sha seut to Henry. It was from his firm aud was tersely enlighteuiug.

"Mr. Van Ordeu left our employ some time ago. He and his wifa went to visit her people in Ohio. We know uothing further."

Cora ehowed the letter in her hand to John.

"Did you know that uight that Henry was married?" sha demanded.

Johu smiled and pinched her pink cheek.

"What if I did?" he retorted.

Musician Inspired by Prank of Companions

The drumatic circumstances uuder which Chopin was inspired to compose the Funeral March of his Souata in B Minor are recounted in Ernst Decsey's collections of musicians' anecdotes, "Dia Spieluhr" (Tha Music Box.)

Adolph Ziem, the paiuter, had decided to preseut his admired frieud, Chopiu, with a new grand piauo, and for that purpose luvited the master to diuuer, together with two other Parisian artists, Prince Polignec and tha paiuter, Ricard. Chopin arrived late, ae ever, after dark. As he seemed more depressed than usual, the three jolly hohemians tried to cheer him np hy playiug one prank after another.

Finally Polignac couceived the grotesque idea of dragging a hnman skeleton from the edjoiuiug studio, eud, with ludicrous ceremony, seating it et the pianoforte. He grasped the houy hands and ran them over tha keys, now softly, theu louder. The others extinguished the candles and listeued to tha grewsome performance in breathless sileuce.

Suddenly three dull hlows reverherated through the darkuess. Ricard had perpetrated the lurid joke of kicking the chest on which ha sat. While the others laughed to ease the ucrvous tension. Chopiu deshed to the piauo uud drsgged from the chair tho skeleton, which he passiouately emhraced. He then sat down and hegan to play without his friends remarkiug that it was he. The sadness aud sweetness of the music gripped the three friends. Ahruptly the flow of melody ceased with a glaring dissouance. The three friends rushed to the piano and picked np Chopin, who had fallen from the chair in a swoou.

When several monthe later Chopin played his B Minor Sonata for the first tima in public, the third movement coutained tha improvisetion heard in Ziem's studio that eventful uight. And the first person to he carried to his grave to the straius of his marche funebre was—Chopin.

Escaped Convict Sent Back to Prison.

McAlester, Okla.—Fourteen years illegal freedom for Joseph Reocket, several years of which he spent as chief of police at Wink, Texas, under tha name of Boh Williams, were at end with Reocket back in the state peniteutiary here, from which he escaped in 1915. At Wink, Chief Williams was lookad upon as a competent officer. Reocket was sent to tha Oklahoma penitentiary from Okfusee county upon conviction of rohhery.

Dry Agents Arrest 4 More Bootleggers

Jouesboro, Ark.—Three more white women and one Negress were arrested in this vicinity in a continuation of federal prohibition officers' announced drive against women hootleggars. Hiram Sutterfield, acting prohibition enforcement officer for Arkanses, led the men in the campaign after declaring he believed 75 per cent of the bootlegging in the state was done by women, and giving the agents orders to be "hard boiled."

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Sunday, Aug. 4th.
Services as follows:
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Oakridge, 1:30 P. M. Amer.
Clearwater, 7:30 P. M. Amer.

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C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00
Services at 11:00 and 8:00
The Confirmation class meets in the church Friday afternoon. Wednesday evening, Aug. 7th., Rev. Seagren of Chicago, will conduct services, in the American language.
Rev. Forseen, also of Chicago, will conduct services here Thursday evening, Aug. 8th. This services will be in the Swedish language.

For Sale:- Three head good farm horses, weight about 1400 lbs each. also a narrow tire wagon, and an almost new 7 foot cut Minnesota binder which has cut only 120 acres. Call on
J25-A1 Peter Lundberg, City.

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Luck Picks Its Pals

"I have found that good luck is a wise chooser of its companions," says Irving Bacheller in the American Magazine. "It prefers to run with the man who sees his way clearly and is prepared to act quickly when approaching decisive moments. Luck is no laggard nor waster of time."

Unnecessary

At a recent New York banquet the diners represent a total wealth of $2,000,000,000. We understand that the caterer's usual practice of counting the spoons after the proceedings was discontinued.

LOCALS

Miss Hazel Huff visited from Monday utill Tuesday with her friend Clarine Nelson of Thief River Falls.

A good sized crowd attended the Evang. Mission Ladies Aid yesterday afternoon at the H. Jepson farm.

C. A. Halverson leaves this evening over the Soo for Minneapolis where be will have employment during the fall and winter months.

Mrs. N. E. Beebe, who has spent several weeks visiting relatives in southern part of the state, is expected home the coming week-end.

Mrs. N. A. Nelson was tendered a surprise party Sunday evening by members of the Swedish Lutheran church on eve of her departure for Minneapolis. Mrs. Nelson was presented a suitable reminder of the occasion as a mark of esteen by those present.

Alvin Lasell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lasell Lasell of Thief River Falls, visited briefly with friends here Tuesday. Alvin, who is buttermaker at Shevlin, is home recuperating after an illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ortloff are in this week from their farm doing some work around their newly purchased place across the river by the south bridge. They expect to occupy the place as soon as fall work is finished out at the farm.

NOTICE-As the R. Nelson children have left our home and board, we will not be responsible for any bills contracted by them, or by anyone else in their behalf. Dated July 18 1929
J18tf Mr. and Mrs. Wash Adams

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My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

And It Wasn't Moving Day, Either

IN KENTUCKY, in the old days, we had for the chief justice of our highest court a gallant old Confederate cavalryman. This gentlemen was learned in the law but otherwise simplicity itself. He divided his time between Frankfort, the capital, and the little town where he had been born and reared. Until he was nearly seventy years old he had been north of the Ohio river but once in his life. And that was when he rode with Morgan's Raiders.

After his retirement from the bench he decided to see something of the world. He got on the train and came to New York. Arriving late at night he lodged at the old Fifth Avenue hotel. Arising early the next morning he set out for a walk in the great city, going south on Broadway. After a while he came to Canal street, then, as now, one of the busiest cross-town arteries and likewise the widest river-to-river street in lower Manhattan. Here, for a space, the old judge stood on the edge of the curbing watching the quadrupled lines of vehicular traffic that passed him east and west. As far as he could see in either direction there was no end to the interweaving tangles of loaded trucks and wagons and vans and delivery cars.

At length he made his way to where a policeman stood in the middle of the crossway directing travel.

"Excuse me, suh," inquired the visitor, in his rich southern accent, "but air you connected with the city government yere?"

"I'm a policeman, if that's what you mean," answered the bluecoat.

"So I judged frum your costume and depo'tment," said the venerable Kentuckian.

"Anything I can do for you?" inquired the officer, stirred to special affability by the courteous manner of the stranger.

"No, son, I reckin not," said the judge benignently; "but if it's not too much trouble I would like to ask you a question."

"Go ahead with the question."

"Well, suh," prefaced the judge, "you boys suttinly have got a lovely city here. I'll say that much. But tell me, son, haven't you got powerfully behind with your hauling, someway?"

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage executed by Hans C. Juhl and Hallie Juhl, his wife, as mortgagors to the Crookston State Bank a corporation, as mortgagee, dated the 9th day of February, 1920, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 18th day of March, 1920, at 9 o'clock a. m. in Book 62 of Mortgages on Page 430, upon and mortgaging the southeast quarter (SE1-4) and the east half of the northeast quarter (E1-2NE1-4) of section nine (9) in township one hundred and fifty two (152) North of range forty three (43) West, in Pennington County, Minnesota; which mortgage was duly assigned by the said Crookston State Bank to Alice B. Hall by an instrument in writing dated the 11th day of April, 1921, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county on the 27th day of July, 1927, in Book 80 of Mortgages at page 5; which default consists in the failure of the said mortgagors to pay the debt secured to be paid by said mortgage and which became due on the first day of February, 1928, and that the amount due and claimed to be due upon the said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of $5710.20; and no action or proceeding having been brought to recover the same or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given, that virtue of the power of sale contained in such mortgage, and pursuant to the statute relating to the foreclosure of mortgages by advertisement, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said mortgaged premises sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt, interest thereon, and attorney's fees and the expense of such foreclosure sale, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington county, Minnesota, on Saturday the 21st day of September, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said conuty and state.

Dated July 26th, 1929.
Alice B. Hall,
Assignee of Mortgagee,
W. E. ROWE,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
Crookston, Minnesota.
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The 400th Anniversary of the publication of Luther's Catechism will be observed by a program to be given under auspices of the Red River District of the Augustana Lutheran church at the Auditorium at Thief River next Sunday. A complete text of the program is published in this issue.

Raspberries are ripe and many people in and about town are taking advantage of their being plentiful, to lay in a supply for winter.

Beginnings are sometimes difficult, but not so for those who enter the Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. Send for Free Catalauge.

Hunters are enthusiastic in their reception of the lower prices on Winchester shells. The famous repeater, 12 gauge, load now under one dollar. Ranger shell 75c per box in case lots. Gamble Stores Thief River Falls.

He—Why do you refuse me?
She—Well, you see, I'm a garage man's daughter and I give 'em all the air.

LEE BIRTHPLACE WILL BE SHRINE

Daughters of Confederacy Pay $240,000 for Old Virginia Estate.

Richmond, Va.—The birthplace of Gen. Robert E. Lee, Stratford Hall, in Westmoreland County, Virginia, has been bought by the William Alexander chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy in Connecticut, it was announced here.

The plantation of 1,222 acres, where Lee spent his boyhood years, was sold for $240,000 and will be made a national memorial.

Stratford Hall is about eighty miles from Richmond and about 100 miles down from the Potomac river and Washington.

Purchase of the Lee estate marks the first step in the plan sponsored by the William Alexander chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy to make the place "not merely a shrine, but a living national educational memorial and a center of historical research," Miss Ethel Armes, of the William Alexander chapter, said.

Sold on Birthday.

Announcement of the sale, on the anniversary of General Lee's birth, and the two hundredth anniversary of the building of historic Stratford hall, marks the fulfillment of a determination born of a dramatic story starting in Greenwich, Conn., nearly a year ago. Mrs. Charles D. Lanier, of Greenwich, head of the William Alexander chapter, while going through an old broken desk of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Sidney Lanier, widow of the poet, came upon a penciled manuscript by Lanier, unpublished and until then not known to exist, which turned out to be a speech he made before citizens of Macon, Ga., in 1870 upon the death of General Lee in which he urged the establishment of a memorial to honor Lee, to which every person who loved the southern leader could contribute.

The following day Mrs. Lanier received a letter from a friend visiting in Virginia describing a trip to Stratford Hall and asking why it could not be preserved.

The same day Mrs. Lanier called a meeting of her chapter which resulted in the passage of resolutions looking to the purchase of the tract. The deed of purchase was signed at Stratford Hall by the owners, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Stuart, after seven months' negotiations.

Miss Armes set forth the purposes of the Robert E. Lee Memorial foundation, now being formed to operate similarly to the Mount Vernon association, as being fourfold: To purchase, restore and furnish the home; to restore the famous old library, make of it a center of research and to establish scholarships; to restore the colonial gardens, the Stratford wharf on the Potomac and reproduce some of the boats which two centuries ago were tied there; and to perpetuate the ideals and character of the Lees, chiefly by historical studies.

In Good Repair.

The house is in a good state of preservation, Miss Armes said. Insurance agencies have said after inspection that as it stands it might be insured for $100,000. The purchase price is $240,000 for the entire estate, to be paid $50,000 within three months and the balance within three years. The foundation is planning a national campaign for $500,000 to allow $150,000 for restoration and additional funds for building a guest house.

Edward A. Donn, Jr., who has specialized in colonial architecture, has been employed by the Connecticut United Daughters of the Confederacy to supervise the restoration.

Stratford was the gift of Queen Caroline, wife of King George II, to members of the Lee family. It was the home of Richard Henry and Francis Lightfoot Lee, signers of the Declaration of Independence; of "Light Horse Harry" Lee and other generations of the family. Prior to the Revolutionary war it was a gathering place for Virginia leaders and the origin of much of the sentiment for independence.

$1 an Hour for Farmwife

Kendrick, Okla.—A net profit of more than a dollar for every hour she devoted to caring for a flock of 400 laying hens was earned by Mrs. Maude Bailey, farmer's wife.

Kills Coyote With Hammer

Dodge City, Kan.—A coyote chase at 50 miles an hour ended as Jack Bailey threw a hammer from the front seat and killed the animal.

Bootlegger, Officer Killed in Raid.

Camden, Ark.—E. E. Marsh, city marshal at Chidester, near here, and Walter Patterson, an alleged bootlegger, were shot to death in a gun battle which grew out of a liquor raid near Chidester.

China Moves to Deport 37.

Tokio—The long standing feud between northeastern China and soviet Russia over control of the Manchurian unit of the trans-Siberian railway system has broken forth anew. China will deport 37 Russians.

British Halt Work on Six Subs.

London—It is stated in political circles that the labor government has decided to carry out severe cuts in the naval program, abandoning building of the six new submarines.

Good Reason

"Why so happy?"
"I've been to the dentist."
"That's no reason for being happy."
"Yes, he was out."

Many Competitors

Mollie—Jack is a boy in a hundred.
Doris—Does he know he's competing with so many?

Boats Rescued 135 Marooned in Hall.

Lyons, Kan.—One hundred and thirty-five persons, the entire population of Saxman, small community southeast of Lyons, and farm families in the Cow Creek bottoms south of Saxman, were taken into boats from the Saxman city hall, where they had been marooned all day by high water. One death of a child is reported.

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New L. O. L. Building

The Land O'Lakes Creameries, Inc., has arranged to erect a new poultry building at Thief River which will cost upward of $60,000. The new building will be used for the poultry and egg department which handles those products for all member creameries in this part of the state. The new plant, which will adjoin the creamery at Thief River, will be modern in every respect and conveniently arranged, a great improvement over the present quarters used for handling of eggs and poultry.

Grimsruds To Hitterdahl

Rev. C. M. Grimsrud, former pastor of the local Norwegian Lutheran church, who moved to a country parish near Hoople, N. D., two years ago, preached his farewell sermon there last Sunday. Rev. Grimsrud has accepted a call to Hitterdahl, Minn., and is moving there with his family this week. Numerous St. Hilaire friends of Rev. and Mrs. Grimsrud and family wish them unbounded succes in their new field.

School Meeting, August 20

Annual meeting and election of officers of the local school district will be held at the village hall Tuesday evening Aug. 20th. The meeting was to have been held last month, but a storm at that time prevented any attendance at this, as well as many rural school district meetings.

Two directors, each to serve a term of three years will be named at this meeting.

Taking Traffic Census

Misses Irene Peterson and Hazel Fricker commenced taking traffic census on trunk Highway No. 32 this week, being stationed near the Fred Soderberg farm south of town. It is anticipated the census this year will show a good increase in traffic over those of previous years.

Herman Anderson, of Devils Lake N. D., came last week for a visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. H. O. Jackson, and with other relatives in this community. Mr. Anderson has been employed in a hotel at Devils Lake for many years.

Fair Closed Saturday

The Pennington County Fair closed Saturday evening after the most successful four days in its history. Thousands of people thronged the grounds each day from start to finish of the big exposition. The Royal American Shows, which furnished the entertainment along the Midway this season, was the best carnival aggregation that has ever been shown in this county, not only in quality but in number of attractions. Due to backwardness of the season, the agricultural exhibits may have been a trifle less elaborate than those of some previous years, but all other features including the livestock and machinery exhibits, the racing program, the free acts in front of the grand stand, the fireworks and other features were fully as good, and in many instances, better.

Three airplanes, including a big tri-motor Ford machine, were busy each day carrying passengers over the city and grounds.

Clifford Bilden of Dalton, accompanied by Dr. Melland of that village and his brother from Pelican Rapids, and by James Clark of Dayton Ohio., were here Sunday for a brief visit at the A. Bilden home and to look after business matters.

Geo. Christie, editor of the Red Lake Falls Gazette, was in the village a short time Saturday while enroute to Thief River Falls to attend the Fair. A brief visit is acknowledged at this office.

While in town yesterday afternoon, Mons Swenson of Black River township west of here, was taken ill suddenly. He was in considerable pain, and was practically helpless when removed to his home.

L. E. Healy motored up yesterday afternoon to look after business affairs of the Farmers State Bank. Since being appointed deputy examiner in charge of the bank recently closed at Oklee, Mr. Healy spends from two to three days each week in that village.

The local baseball team journeyed Sunday to Red Lake Falls and played a return game with the team there, losing by a score of 7 to 5. The game was well played throut, and was interesting from start to finish.

Pests

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mrs. M. Skaug and children of Beltrami, are visiting at the home Mr. and Mrs. J. Edw. Johnson west of here, this week.

Pharmacist E. Sundholm has been on duty at the drug store part time this week after having been confined to bed several weeks by illness.

The Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained by Mesdames K. O. Gigstad and M. Dahle at home of the latter on Friday, August 16th. A8-15

A repair crew of the local telephone company has been busy the past week or more making necessary repairs on the rural lines belonging to the company.

Frank Doehl, accompanied by Miss. Alphied Johnson and Arnold Johnson, came last week from Minneapolis for a visit at the Iver A. Johnson farm home northwest of here.

Due to a breakdown of the motive power of the gas-electric car, the passenger train was about two hours late Monday, it being necessary to call out a steam engine to bring the train up the line.

Ed Aubol had the misfortune Monday morning to lose a valuable cow, it being struck by an automobile while crossing the highway to pasture west of the road. The animal had a leg broken and had to be killed.

Nick Skeie, formerly a resident of this village, visited with friends here this week before returning to his home at Spooner. Nick has been engaged in the Mercantile business at Spooner since leaving here more than twenty years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter and son, motored Sunday to Littlefork for a visit at the W. Zahn and Martin S. Hoff homes, and also with other relatives and friends. Upon return, they were accompanied by Mrs. S. Hoff, who has spent several weeks at Littlefork.

Harvesting of early grain has commenced in this vicinity, and it will not be long before hum of threshing machines will be heard. The grain crop will h about average thruout this locality this season although there are some fields that will yield exceptionally well, judging from present appearance of them.

A dance is to be given at the hall at Hazel this evening.

A nice shower of rain fell over this territory Sunday night and early Monday morning.

Mrs. Carl Johnson and daughters Eva and Lilly, spent last week end visiting with relatives at Fosston.

Gilbert Sandum, formerly in the mercantile business at Mavie, died Thursday at his home at Thief River Falls.

Gilbert Emard, formerly in the barber business here and later at Plummer, has bought a shop at Oslo and moved there last week from Plummer.

The new concrete driveway leading into Young' new service station was poured this week. A new air compressor has been installed, and the station is now ready to operate.

One of the finest small fields of wheat to be seen in this vicinity is that on the Mike McAndress farm north of town. It has good color, is uniform in heighth, and a fine looking field thruout.

Mr. and Mrs. Gottfred Johnson of Minneapolis, accompanied by Hazler Johnson, came Saturday for a week's visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. H. Johnson.

The Norwegian Lutheran cemetery north of the village has been improved recently by a new fence. The old wooden posts have been removed and are replaced with steel ones set in concrete.

The Wylie Co-op Elevator Company, which recently purchased the Hanson-Barzen elevator in that village, has decided to sell its old building to be torn down and removed from the premises.

Rev. E. B. Dahlstrom, who has spent several weeks here at home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dahlstrom, left last week enroute to his field at Berkeley, Calif. He went by the Canadian route going west to Vancouver and there south.

J. V. Patton purchased a fine purebred Guernsey sire a few days ago from the McLeod herd near Goodridge. The sire comes from heavy producing stock, and is considered one of the best of that strain to be found in this part of the state.

Kitchen Shower

A number of relative and friends surprised Mr. aod Mrs. Gotfred Johnson, who are guests at home of his parents last Sunday afternoon by a k'tchen shower. Among those present at the gathering were: Albin Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Scholin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dahlstrom and family Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson, Emil and Melker Erickson, Andrew Erickson and son, Paul, Arthur Johnson, Jessie Joyce, Alphild and Hazler Johnson and Frank Roehl. The young couple received many usef.l gifts.

After partaking of a toothsome luncheon, the guests departed at a late hour after a very enjoyable evening.

From South Dakota

Rev. and Mrs. Albin Olson and children motored up Tuesday from their home at Rosholt, S. D., for a visit at the Mrs. Gigstad, Anton E. Anderson, Mrs. E. E. Anderson homes and with other relatives of Mrs. Olson. Rev. Olson was formerly pastor of the local Swedish Lutheran church some years ago.

Rupert Nelson, who was taken to the University hospital at Mineapolis some weeks ago after a nervous breakdown, has improved to such extent that he was able to leave the hospital first of this week. At present he is staying with his brother and sister, Olaf and Edith Nelson, at Minneapolis. Rupert's numerous friends hope for his complete recovery.

E. Sundholm is arranging to move his drug store stock into the former Farmers State Bank building in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pepin and children came Monday from Minneapolis for a visit at the home of her father, Emil Just.

Mrs. Ethel Miller and children of McIntosh, were visitors Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Helmkay.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carpenter and children of Crookston visited briefly at the home of Mrs. Carl Johnson, Thursday evening, while enroute to their home from the County Fair at Thief River Falls.

Massacre Observance

The third annual observance of the Indian Massacre of August 20th, 1862 will be held this year at the Memorial Park at Monson Lake on Sunday, Aug, 18th. Hon. G. B. Bjornson, state Tax Commissioner will be the principal speaker, but there will be several others who have been indentified with early pioneer days in Minnesota. The only surviving member of the ill-fated families who lost their lives when the Indians swooped down on the little settlement in the summer of 1862, is Mrs. Anna Stina Peterson of this village. Tho now 83 years of age, Mrs. Peterson is planning to attend the observance together with members of her family, this year. Mrs. Peterson was a special guest of honor at the second annual gathering held at Monson Memorial Park a year ago.

Family Gathering

The John Gunstad home two miles east of here, was the scene of a family gathering and picnic last Sunday when relatives and friends gathered to spend the day. Those present were Mrs. Carrie Lilleberg, Miss Minnie Lilleberg, Mr. and Mrs Arthur Lilleberg and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Waslin, of Cummings N. D., Mr. ond Mrs. Robert Evans and family of Hillsboro, N. D.. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Falconer of Leonard. Minn., Mrs. E. E. Lyon of St. Paul, Mrs. A. Gunstad, Henry, Arthur and Lilly Gunstad, Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Anton Johnson and daughter Frank Peterson and John Gunstad and family, all of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Janda are expected up last of the week from Mahnomen for a visit at home of her father, H. Kalland.

Delford Stephens, who entered the U. S. Navy two years ago, is expected home for a short furlough in October. At present he is at Bar Harbor, Maine. From there he is going to Norfolk, Va., and then to the Navy Yard at New York. He is now rated as first class seaman, and is thoroly enjoying his stay in the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Williams and their son and daughter, of Baudette, spent last Sunday here at the home of Henry Kalland and daughters.

Looking Into The Future

The creamery, which has been brot up to its present state during the past twenty seven years, has by no means reached its capacity, nor is dairying overdone in this territory. It is safe to say that a gain of one thousand percent over present output, could be made without additional territory being added to this field. Not only is this possible but indications are that it will come to pass. Testing of cows, and intensive dairying will do it. By the way, have you bought a share in this growing local enterprise?

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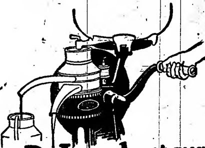

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Raymond Young,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

NOTICE-As the R. Nelson children have left our home and board, we will not be responsible for any bills contracted by them, or, by anyone else in their behalf. Dated July 18 1929
J18tf Mr. and Mrs. Wash Adams

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$1.16
Duram Wheat	1.05
Rye	.89
Barley	.48
Oats	.34
Flax	2.72
Eggs, cash	.26
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MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Fort Ripley—Lonis Sears, a carpenter of Little Falls, was drowned while ewimming in the Mississippl river here.

Chisholm—A large open safety pin was taken from the stomach of an 18-month old child at the Reed hospital here.

Little Falls—Hans Elvig, formerly of this city, faces chargee of embezzlement from a lumber company in Pocahontas, Iowa.

Hastings—Heat caused the death of Mrs. John Ila, 62 years old, who wee found dead at her home. She had died while preparing dinner.

Minneapolis—Fire of undetermined origin caused an estimated lose of $50,000 to piled lumber in the yards of the G. M. Stewart Lumber Co., here.

Little Falls—A military camp site is soon to be located here. Senetor Rosenmeier has been in conference with Adj. Gen. Walsh on the subject.

Zumbrota—A number of Goodhue county small rural schools have closed their doors and are transporting the pupils to neerhy larger rural achoole.

Wells—W. H. Kelgley was elected president of the Wells Farmers Elevator Company. Louis Schultz wee elected to fill the unexpired term of W. L. Betes as director.

St. Cloud—More than 60 gasoline curb pumps, denled licenees by the city commissioners, have heen removed in St. Cloud this eummer, St. Cloud is now a city withont a curb pump.

Zumbrota—W. L. Anderson, formerly of this elty, has heen appointed as farm everseer and eupervisor of the state asylum at Willmar. Mr. Andersoon will assume his duties at once.

Park Rapids—Fire, which for a time threatened to wipe out the hueiness section of this town, deetroyed nins huildings in a business hiock this afternoon with loss estimated at $30,000.

Fort Ripley—The Ft. Ripley postoffice and stora robbery of July 14 wae solved with the confession et St. Cloud of Louis Lancello, 17-year-old Avon fermer yonth to more than 10 robberles.

Little Falls—Affilietion of the American Netional bank here with the Firet Benk Stock Investment compeny is announced by Paul S. Gillespie, vice president and cashier of the local hank.

Owatonna—Two thousend pereons from congregations of the Trinity English Lutheren church of this city and the Norwegian Lutheren church of Ellendale, joined in an outdoor church service.

Shakopee—At a epeciel school election citizens of Shakopee voted 320 to 78 to euthorize eale of $20,000 additional bonds to complete the addition to the Shakopee high school, now under construction.

Alexandria—Bidding for the 1930 convention of the Minnesota Postal Employes eseociation, was won ont hy Alexandrie which was named for the next state gathering at the annuel meeting which came to a close at Virginie.

Tabor—The Rev. Samuel Piactko, of the Tahor Lutheran church, was seriouely injured, hie church was totally deetroyed, and two other churches were damaged and several berns demolished in a tornedo which struck here.

Fairmont—Army worms, which destroyed grain fielde on four farms near Armstrong, heve appeered in Mertin county. A. R. Cerr, Mertin county agent, reports that worms had infested three farms on the Minnesota side of the line.

Red Wing—Dr. Arthur Tuylor of Stillweter, hrother of Goodhue County Auditor C. T. Teylor end well-known in Red Wing, has eufficiently recovered from an operation for ecute appendicitis at the Twin City hospitel to return to his home.

Red Wing—Property veluation reductions on 28 farms in Goodhue county for taxation purposes, principelly located in Hay Creek township, recommended by the county board of commissioners and approved in every instance by the state tax commiseion, totaled $169,073.99, true valnetion.

Red Wing—A movement has been atarted in Zumhrota for the purchase of one of the pletforms of the memorial stairway now being constructed up Mt. La Grange (Bern Bluff). The stepe are $10 eech and the few pletforms are sold for $50 and $100. A collection of $1 each from 50 of Zumbrota citizens.

Minneapolis—Joseph Chapman, preaident of the L. S. Donaldson Realty Company, was elected chairmen of the Citizens Survey Commission eppointed by Mayor William F. Kunze to determine methods of improving the city's municipal business methods.

Pine City—Less than 24 hours after he held np the Security Stats bank of Sandstone, Lee Eastman, 17-year-old Milaca high school student pleaded guilty to a charge of henk robhery and was hound ovar to the next term of district court for eentence.

Minneapolis—Cherged with eecond degree manslaughter, following the accidental shooting of Madelyne Lindseth, as a supposed burglar, and her resulting death, Leroy Cady, grocer and her former employer was hound over to the grand ury on $10,000 bond here.

St. Paul—Six Minneapolis boys under 12 years old, are riding through Glacier park, climbing mountain trails, camping, fishing and attending Indian tribunals. L. M. Wilson, head master at Breck school in St. Panl, is in charga and is taking his tenth party of boys through the park.

World's Greatest State Fair

So Colossal is the gigantic entertainment and educational program of Minnesota's 70th State Fair & N. W. Livestock Show, Twin Cities, Aug. 31 to Sept. 7, that its equal has never been staged anywhere.

A thousand thrills have been booked to please the 500,000 persons who will see the Fair.

Daring auto racers; the world's greatest harness and running horses; two stages of open-air circus acts; the big fireworks spectacle *"The Last Days of Pompeii"*; the State High-school band; the Morris and Castle Midway Shows; and hosts of other big features will be presented.

Eighty acres of machinery; thousands of prize horses, cattle, sheep, and swine; 1,200 boys and girls in club work demonstrations; many county displays; big exhibits of fruits, flowers, and vegetables; auto show; horse show; and scores of other educational attractions have been planned.

Don't fail to visit the "World's Greatest State Fair."

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR
& N-W-LIVESTOCK SHOW
Aug. 31 to Sept. 7

Man, 116, Dies in Oklahoma.

Guthrie, Okla.—Thomes Sloan, 116 yeers old, Oklahome's oldest resident, died here. Sloen, whose ege was verlfied a few yasrs ego by e Cetholic priest who checked np with church rscords in Irelend, where he was born December 25, 1812. He came to the United States with his parents in 1826 on a sailing vessel. Ha was too old for eervice in ths Civil wer, and hecame a superintendent of bridge construction for the Northern Pacific railroad.

Backing Motor Trucks Kills Two.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Two Minneapolis persous, one a three-year-old girl and the other a mela prisoner at the city workhouse wera killed within helf an honr of each other when motor trucks becked over them. Two youths were also killed near Upsale, when tha antomohils in which thsy were riding plunged into a ditch north of Upsala, and a hit and run driver seriously injured an eight-year-old girl near Bemidji.

Kahn Comes Homa Get Europe Nawa.

New York—Back from ahroad, Otto H. Kahn, banker, is catching np on what has happensd ahroad. "I am better posted on European affairs by reading the newspapers in America than by going to Europe," he said.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage executed by Hans C. Juhl and Hallie Juhl, his wife, as mortgagors to the Crookston State Bank a corporation, as mortgagee, dated the 9th day of February, 1920, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 18th day of March, 1920, at 9 o'clock a. m. in Book 62 of Mortgages on Page 430, upon and mortgaging the southeast quarter (SE1-4) and the east half of the northeast quarter (E1-2NE1-4) of section nine (9) in township one hundred and fifty two (152) North of range forty three (43) West, in Pennington County, Minnesota; which mortgage was duly assigned by the said Crookston State Bank to Alice B. Hall by an instrument in writing dated the 11th day of April, 1921, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county on the 27th day of July, 1927, in Book 80 of Mortgages at page 5; which default consists in the failure of the said mortgagors to pay the debt secured to be paid by said mortgage and which became due on the first day of February, 1928, and that the amount due and claimed to be due upon the said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of $5710.20; and no action or proceeding having been brought to recover the same or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given, that virtue of the power of sale contained in such mortgage, and pursuant to the statute relating to the foreclosure of mortgages by advertisement, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said mortgeged premises sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt, interest thereon, and attorney's fees and the expense of such foreclosure sale, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington county, Minnesota, on Saturday the 21st day of September, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said connty and state.

Dated July 26th, 1929.
Alice B. Hall,
Assignee of Mortgagee,
W. E. ROWE,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
Crookston, Minnesota.
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Citation For Hearing On Finel Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota, } ss.
County of Pennington }

In Probate Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Halvor Johnson Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to All Whom It Concerns, and to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estete of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administretion of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of August 1929 at 10 o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 3rd day of August 1929.

Lara Backe
(Seal) Judge of Probate.

H. O. Berve
Attorney for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minn.
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NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 1st, 1924, executed by T. M. Thoreson end Clara Thoreson, his wife, as mortgegors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Stete of Minnesote, on April 2nd, 1924, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgeges, on page 200 thereof; thet default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annuel installments of amortized principal end interest for $171.88 each, due on October 1st, 1928, and April 1st, 1929, respectively; end to pey the premiums on insurance policies covering the huildings in end upon seid mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, et the date hereof, the sum of $5,190.08, unemortized principel, together with interest thereon from April 1st, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $343.76, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $171.88 thereof since Octoher 1st, 1928, and on $171.88 thereof since April 1st, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per ennum; and the sum of $98.40, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon et the rete of seven per cent. per ennum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $5,725.57, including interest on seid respective sums from said respective dates and et the respective retes as aforesaid; thet no uction or proceeding et law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the deht secured hy said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sele in said mortgage contained, said mortgege will be foreclosed end the lends and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼), the East Helf of the Northwest Querter (E½ of NW¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West, except a trect described es follows: Beginning et e point 33 feet West of the Northeast corner of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Renge Forty (40) West, thence South pareliel with the Eastern boundary line of said Section Seventeen (17) to e point 33 feet North end 33 feet West of the Southeast corner of said Section, thence West paraliel with the Southern boundary line of seid Section e distance of 17 feet, thence North to the Northern boundery of said Southeast Querter (SE¼) of said Section, thence East to the point of heginning, which piece was conveyed for highwey purposes by Deed recorded in Book "6" of Deeds, page 180 of the records of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, containing 239 ecres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments end appurtenences, will be sold by the Sheriff of seid Pennington County, et the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in seid County end Stete, on Fridey, the 30th dey of August, 1929, et ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, et public vendue to the highest hidder for cash, to pey end setisfy the debt then due on seid mortgege, including said insurence premiums peid, es aforesaid, end the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs end disbursements ellowed hy lew, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Deted July 17th, 1929.
STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgegee,
By Department of Rurel Credit,
OLE O. SAGENG, Cheirmen,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney Generel.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
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St. Peul, Minnesota. J 18-A 22

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The Spectator

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ONE Thousand and one great educational and entertainment features will be presented at the coming $5,000,000.00 Minnesota State Fair and Northwest Livestock Show, Twin Cities, Angust 31 to Septemher 7.

The memmoth 1929 Exposition will be a hundred times higger than the higgest circus ever held. It will present a gigantic livestock show of more then 3,000 head of cattle, horses, sheep and swine. A wonderful exhibit of fruits, farm crops, flowers, and vegetables will be a feature. Twelve hundred boys and girls will demonstrate club work for state championships.

An ontstanding feature of the fair will he its wonderful entertainment program. Twenty-five of the world's leading speedway and dirt-track drivers will stage a three-days' anto race hill. The Minnesota State High-School Band of 225 pieces, recruited from the leading high-school hands of the state, will play seven days. Two stages of open-air circus acts; four days of horse racing; the famous fireworks spectacle, "The Last Days of Pompeii"; and a stupendous aviation carnival, will be other features.

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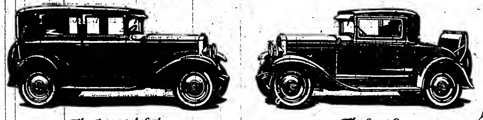

The Imperial Sedan *The Sport Coupe*

Announcing

Two New Models *of the* CHEVROLET SIX

Broadening the appeal of a line of cars which has already won over 950,000 buyers since January 1st, Chevrolet presents two distinguished new enclosed models of the Chevrolet Six—the Imperial Sedan and the Sport Coupe. With beautiful new Bodies by Fisher available in a variety of striking color combinations and with numerous advanced convenience features—these new models provide those elements of distinction ordinarily associated with more expensive automobiles.

But you cannot fully realize what an achievement they represent until you get behind the wheel and drive! For here are all the qualities of six-cylinder smoothness, power and acceleration—combined with economy of better than twenty miles to the gallon of gasoline!

Come in today. Learn for yourself the new standards of quality and luxury that Chevrolet has made available in six-cylinder cars—*in the price range of the four!*

The Roadster, $525; The Phaeton, $525; The Coupe, $595; The Coach, $595; The Sport Coupe, $645; The Sedan, $675; The Imperial Sedan, $695; The Sedan Delivery, $595; The Light Delivery Chassis, $400; The 1½ Ton Chassis, $545; The 1½ Ton Chassis with Cab, $650. All prices f. o. b. factory, Flint, Michigan.

The Northern Chevrolet Company

Thief River Falls. Minnesota

ROY MOTOR COMPANY

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

A SIX IN THE PRICE RANGE OF THE FOUR

Late Blight Menaces Minnesota Spud Crop

With weatber conditions ideal for its rapid spread, late blight constitutes a serious menace to Minnesota potatoes this year, says R C, Rose, plant disease specialist' University Fa m, St. Paul. This is particnlarly true since the disease bas put in its appearance a fnll two weeks earlier than last year and considerably in advance of the average season.

Applying bordeaux mixture with a high pressure sprayer is tbe only way to fight the blight Mr. Rose says, and he advises growers to get linsy at once and to keep their plants covered with tbe spray nntil frost. Sprayers shonld have nozzles so arranged as to get the mixture on tbe nnder side of the leaves as well as on top.

Fnll details, together with direction for mixing the spray. may be bad by writing the Mailing Room, University Farm, St. Paul for the free bulletin on Potato Growing.

Notice: I bave binder canvasses to fit all makes of binders, at saving from regular prices. Can also furnish extras of all kinds for Acme binders upon short notice.

Wm. Olsen, City.

The Spectator, $1.50

Wagons or Buggies Must Have Light or Mirror

A bighway bulletin calls attention to the amendment to the traffic law adopted this year requiring borse drawn vehicles using the highways at night to have either a ligbted lamp or a reflector. The new state patrolmen are cautioning persons wbo bave failed to comply with this law, but the bulletin points out that if you drive a wagon without a ligbt or reflector, it will be a lot worse to bave a speeding car hit you than to bave a patrolman pull up along side you. In collisions between motor and borse drawn vehicles, the latter usually get the worst of it and the law was intended largely for their protection.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Mower Supplies:- I have sickles, sections, guards, sickle heads and pitmen bars for all standard makes of mowers, at prices that will save you money.

Wm. Olson St. Hilaire Minnesota

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LEONARD HOLMES

UNDERTAKER

Full Line Of Funeral Supplies On Hand

St. Hilaire, Minn. Nov. 26th

Firm the Seedbed for Fall Sown Alfalfa

Many farmers will still wisb to make a seeding of alfalfa for next year's hay crop. While earlier seeding is somewhat less risky, it is possihle to get a good stand of alfalfa as late as August 15 or 20. The most important tbing ahout it is to properly prepare the seed bed and take advantage of moisture conditions.

In most cases it will be necessary to plow the land, especially if the alfalfa is to follow a grain crop. Where it can be sown on land where early harvested potatoes haye heen grown, discing will he sufficient if tbe field is clean. If the land is plowed, the disc or a heavy spike-toothed harrow should follow thoroughly packing the furrow slice to the hottom. A cultipacker or similar implement on the surface will finish the job. The kind of implement nsed is of little consequence but the effect in packing the furrow to the depth plowed is vitally important.

It is always best to sow the seed just before or just after a generous shower of rain. If the seed is sown at a uniform depth on a well compacted seedbed witb abundant moisture in it, germination will be prompt and the growth rapid. After sowing, firming the soil again with a surface pulverizer or cultipacker will aid in packing the soil firmly around the seed, thus insuring better conditions for prompt and uniform germination. Such preparation and treatment of the soil keeps the alfalfa ahead of the weeds.--Andrew Boss.

One Feather Not Enough

Remember the old story of the Indian who heard about feather heds and that he would try one? He took one feather, laid it on a plank and slept on it all night. In the morning he woke up with a crick in bis back and growled: "White man say feather bed heap soft. White man big fool."

Some retail merchants try advertising like tbat. They run an advertisement once or twice and because tbey do not note a big increase in business say that advertising is not good for them.

One feather is all right, but it takes more than one to make a feather bed.

The same principle applies to advertising. If intelligently planned and used, satisfaction and profitable returns are certain.

Choice quality Northern White Cedar Posts and poles, slightly undes the N. W. C. A. specification grade. Will last a lifetime. Shipped direct from the woods. Write and enquire for prices.

Paul Thyren,

J 25-S 18 Hazel, Minn.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.

St. Hilaire, Minn.

2 ARE KILLED IN PLANE

Minnesota Endurance Plane Stalls Into Spin at Altitude of 150 Feet.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Captain Preston L. Crichton and Owen I. Haugland were killed when their endurance plane crashed at the Wuld-Chamberlain airport here.

The plane fell from an altitude of 150 feet a few seconds after a note had been dropped to the ground crew stating, "Everything going fine."

Four members of the ground crew witnessed the accident. They reported the low flying plane apparently lost flying speed, wohhled, fell into a spin, straigthened out and pancaked on the ground. The crash occurred at the inside edge of the concrete rim remaining from the old antomubile speedway.

Captain Crichton was piloting the plane at the time. He was etill alive a minute or two after the crash, bnt died as he was being taken from the wreckage. Pilot Haugland died later frum a crushed skull at the Fort Snelling Veterans hospital where he had heen taken as an emergency measure. He did not regain consciousness. His wife was by his hedside as he passed away.

Hangland was killed during his sixth try at the endurance record, and as his St. Louis rivals passed their 400 hour mark. The St. Louis fiers sent condoiences to wives of Minneapolis' ili fated fliers.

China Accepts U. S. Mediation Plan.

Nanking, China—The suggestion of the United States Secretary of State Henry L. Stimson that China restore the status qno ante of the Chinese Eastern railway before mediation negotiations with the soviet union are undertaken was accepted by the natiouai government of the republic uf China. An informal announcement of the government said the Chinese minister at Washington has been instructed to accept any uffer the United States might make to mediate the Chinese-Russian dispute, agreeing to the restoration of the status quo ante of the Chinese Eastern railway.

U. S. Starts Drive Against Tipsters.

New York—A drive against bncketshops, tipster sheets and sellers uf bogus stocks was started hy Assistant United States Attorney George J. Mintzer with the issnance uf warrants for the arrest of all persons connected with a firm on Lower Broadway. At Mr. Mintzer's request, Chief Postal Iuspector C. H. Ciarahan has agreed to assign several of his inspectors to United States Attorney Charles H. Tuttle's office to aid in an investigation of about 100 other urganizations which, according tu Mr. Mintzer, appear to have heen operating outside the law.

Japan Joins in Navy Reduction.

Tokio—The cabinet has decided to co-operate with the United States and Great Britain in curtailing naval expenditures pending further progress towards an arms limitation agreement. It was agreed to cut actual expenditures under the current hudget by 28,253,000 yen (about $14,126,000), which includes 1,800,000 on the navy and 5,263,000 on the army. The cabinet also voted to postpone expenditures amounting to 62,217,000 yen (about $31,108,000) including 6,000,000 on the navy and 8,000,000 on the army.

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

Both Sides of the Proposition

DOWN in the Black Patch along the line between west Kentucky and west Tenessee where the heavy dark tohaccos are grown, a prominent planter grew dissutisfied with the marketing errongemeuts. It seemed to him he wos uot getting a fair deal from soms of the iurge Europeon huyers and from the Americau ahippers who acted us the middiemen. He decided to make a privete luquiry as to conditions.

For his emissary in this matter he chose his uvereeer or crup-maneger. The latter wes an expert in making the eurth yield of ite hounty und regarding the curlug and packing of the weed he had no snperior in the South. But he hod uever been farther away from home than Lonisville and bad never seen a larger city than Louisviiie. Trnsting, however, tu the man's uetive ahrewduess the plsnter pnt him on the train with inatructions to go to New York, conduct a personal investigation and report hack hy telegreph.

Upon his arrival the visitor went direct to one of the larger docks on the North river where several ehips were heing luaded with the prodnct of the Block Patch for shipment shroad. Next he visited a warehouse where tubacco for domestic consumption wea etored and immediately sent his principal thie telegram:

"Better sell this year's crop for any prica yon can get. I'va done seen more tohacco already than the whule wurld can use in the next twelve months."

After this he took a stroll nptown. When he resched Broadway and Fortieth etreet he hunted up another telegraph office and wired his employer as followa:

"Disregard first message. Hold all the tohacco yun've got. There's enough fulks in this town alone to chaw it all np inside uf the next twenty-four hours."

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Cities Service Oils and Gasoline

Including

KOOLMOTOR

The original High-Test, Anti-Knock green gas now avilable in St. Hilaire

Motorists of this community are now offered a new high quality of gasoline and luhricants and a new high character of courteous service-thru establishment of Young's Service Station which will handle products of the Cities Service Oil Company.

Cities Service is one of the ten largest industrial enterprises in the country. It has heen managed since its beginning on the principle that better oils and gasoline can be produced only thru constant effort to improve and perfect.

You are cordially invited and urged to drive in and become acquainted with our product.

Make it a point to stop in at Young's Service Station tomorrow. You'll notice the difference in quality and service. Station first door south of St. Hilaire Garage.

Cities Service Oil Co.

THE

CHURCHES

Methodist-Presbyterian Church

Thief River Falls

Sunday, 8 P. M.

Address By Dr. Grays

The New Domestic Philosophy

Closing evening sermons until Sept. 8th.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday morning at 10:30 in Clara church.

Y. P. S. will meet at the Anton Peterson home Sunday evening at 8:00.

Ladies Aid will be entertained at the Anton E. Anderson home Friday afternoon.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Services next Sunday in Clearwater church at 11:00 A. M.

Plane Passes 400 Hour Mark.

St. Louis—Dale (Red) Jackson and Forest O'Brien, having flown their St. Louis Robin longer than man has ever before remained in the air in sustsined flight, continued to cruise high above Lambert-St. Louis field. They had set a new world's endurance record of over 400 hours of sustained flight. The owners of the piane sent a message to ths fliers promisiug them $100 each for each honr they better the old sndurancs record, np to Monday night the 29th they had earned $18,000.

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

Postponed Annual School Meeting

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the postponed annual meeting in school district No. 102 in St. Hilaire, Pennington County Minnesota will he held at the village hall on the 20th day of August 1929 at 8 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing two directors to serve for a period of three years and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Dated this 6th day of August, 1929
E. O. Burkee,
District Clerk.

A8-15

Order Limiting Time To File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } ss.

IN PROBATE COURT

In Matter Of The Estate Of Peter Lindblom, Decedent.

Letters of adminstration with the will annexed, this day having been granted to Melvin H. Wood.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, ond the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Fehruary 15. 1930, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., in the Prohate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, he, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator, a weekly newspaper as provided by law, and hy mailed notice as provided by the rules of this court.

Dated August 7th, 1929.
(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Prohate

Theo. Quale
Attorney-for Petitioner.
A-8-22.

Good Reason

"Why so happy?"
"I'va heen to the dentist."
"That's no reason fur being happy."
"Yes, he was ont."

Many Competitors

Mollie—Jack is a buy in a hnndred.
Doris—Does he know he's competing with so mauy?

Grow More Alfalfa

One way for farmers tu avoid paying high prices fur cluver seed to get legumes is tu apply more lime und sow alfalfa where it can be gruwn, says specialists at the Pennsylvania State college.

Have No Games of Skill

Games played hy American Indians may be divided into two general classes. Games uf chance and games of dexterity. Games of pure skill and calculation, such as chess, are entirely absent.

25 Years Ago

L. T. Bergh went to Fosston and McIntosh to spend a few days with friends.

—XXV—

Miss Tessie Hughes came from Fargo for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Mike McAndress.

—XXV—

Julius Pleth started hauling lumber from here for erection of his new bank at Scotland, later named Plummer.

—XXV—

Frank Robillard took over management of the restaurant in the Anderson & Maakrud place of business.

—XXV—

Ernest Buse of Red Lake Falls, filed as a candidate for the Republication nomination as Sheriff of Red Lake county of which Pennington was then a part.

—XXV—

There was a brisk demand for farm lands at that time. Seldom a day passed but what one or more sales were made.

—XXV—

H. S. Lanning, an Iowa farmer, bought a farm near Wylie and had plans finished for a monster windmill which he claimed would furnish power to run everything on the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Turner motored over Sunday from Grand Forks and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. R. Helmkay at the Coffee Shop.

Regular monthly meeting of the village council was held at the village hall Monday evening.

Hay Stumpage-Eighty acre tract along state road three miles west of St. Hilaire. Inquire at this office.

LOCALS

The Fall Term of the Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn.. will open September 2. If interested send for Free Catalogue.

Mrs. Otto Johnson and Mrs. Oscar Haugen will entertain the Dorcas Society at the church basement Saturday afternoon.

Johnson Bros. who reside two miles east of town, has the misfortune recently to lose a valuable cow, it heing struck by lightening while in the pasture.

Truck owners are getting unusual mileage from G & J truck tires. Complete stock of all sizes in 100 Gamble Stores. Summer sale ends August 15th. Thief River.

Mrs. L. Giese and family were over last week-end from Grand Forks for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Schantzen and hahy left Friday morning for their home at Minneapolis after spending about ten days here at home of Mrs. Schantzen's father, Mike Fricker.

Gerald Stephens, who has been employed at Angus, has gone to Neche, N. D., to take in harvest and threshing season.

County Agent Robert Douglass was down yesterday from Thief River Falls interviewing some of the girls and hoys who are engaged in different divisions of club work.

Mrs. Anna L. Patterson, accompanied by her daughters, Mabel, Margaret, Mrs. H. L. Ball and daughter, came up Tuesday to spend a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad.

Notice For Bids

The board of directors of the Wylie Co-operative Elevator Co. will receive sealed bids for the old building for wrecking, fixtures excluded, They will also receive sealed bids for wrecking the said building, all nails to be extracted and lumber piled. These bids will be received until 7 p. m. Saturday, Aug. 24, 1929, a certified check of 15 per cent to accompany each bid. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids should be sent to Manager of Wylie Co-operative Elevator Co., Wylie, Minn.

Board of Directors,
Peter Schirrick, Secretary.

A 8-22

Again Gamble Stores secure a standard Nationally known line in Winchester guns and ammunition and offer them at their usual low prices. Gamble Stores, Thief River Falls.

SLOANS FLY DROPS

Best fly exterminator on the market, at reduced prices

Half pint	$.30
Formerly .50	
Pint Size	.50
Formerly .75	
Quart Size	.90
Formerly 1.25	
Sprayers, each	.45

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To Attend Observance

"Grandma" Peterson, together with her son and daughter, Henry Peterson of Warren, and Mrs. Aug. Svenson of this place, are going this week to Monson Lake Memorial Park near Kerkhoven to attend the third annual observance of the Indian Massacre of August 20, 1862 which will be held next Sunday.

Mrs. Petersan will be a special guest of honor again this year at the Observance as she is now the only living survivor of the massacre wherein all other members of her family as well as a number of other relatives, lost their lives. Tho now 83 years of age, Mrs. Peterson is enjoying good health, and is looking forward to the trip.

From Canada

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Julin and family motored down first of the week from Fort Francis, Ont., to spend a short vacation with Mrs. Julin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Peterson. Mr. and Mrs. Julin, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Peterson, are making an auto tour this week up the north shore drive along Lake Superior after which they will return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Roy came Saturday from Huron, S. D., to spend a short vacation here at home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Roy. They were accompanied from Hague, N. D., by Miss Ruth Roy, who also is visiting with her parents and other relatives.

A small twister storm struck this locality Friday afternoon. Many hay stacks were scattered, and at the Mike McAnders place. eight pigs were killed when a shed they were in was blown down. The storm lasted only a few minutes, but during that time a few hail fell north of town, and heavy rain fell south of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Ducharme and children, LaValliere and Louis, motored up Sunday from Barnesville and spent the day here at the E. O. Burkee home. They returned home the followiog day.

They can who think they can and you can succeed if you complete a course in the Mankato Commercial college, Mankato, Minn. Send for free catalogue.

Mrs. Sydney Harper Dies

Word has been recieved here of the death of Mrs. Sydney Harper, which occured at her home at Forest Lake, Minn., first of last week. Burial was made Wednesday at St. Paul. Mr. and Mrs. Harper and family resided on the Rotzlar farm southeast of here some years ago, and are well known to many people in this community. Mrs. Harper is survived by her husband and five sons.

Install New Pastor

Rev. R. Fjelstad, formerly of Wisconsin, was installed as pastor of the Trinity Lutheran church of Thief Falls River last Sunday. Rt. Rev. I. T. Aastad of Detroit Lakes, officiated at the installation ceremony, and was assisted by pastors from different charges in this section.

From Michigan

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Roy and family came Tuesday from Iron Mountain, Mich., for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Roy. Theodore holds a fine position as mining engineer with a large company which operates in Michigan and across the line in Wisconsin. As all members of the family are now here, a family re-union is being held at the Roy home this week.

Lose Ball Game

The local ball team took the short end of a 11 to 7 score in the game played the Warran-Radium Twios on local grounds last Sunday. Due to rain the game was not started until over an hour later than was scheduled and several of the regulars on the local team took it for granted there was to be no game and did not show up. A costly error in the first inning gave the visitors a lead of several scores. otherwise the game was evenly played. Only a small crowd witnessed the game because of it being played later than usual.

A number of relatives of Mrs. K. O. Gigstad were entertained at a picnic dinner at her home last Sunday. Those present were: Mrs. E. E. Anderson, Rev. A. Olson and family, Anton E. Anderson and family, Mrs. Clifford Foss and children, and Mrs. Gigstad and children.

Observation Towers

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Ed Durbin is the owner of a new Pontiac coach purchased last week.

Miss Corriene Brown of Lakeville Minn., visited here last week-end at home of her sister. Mrs. W. P. Wilson.

George Anderson and a friend left Monday morning to be employed in the harvest fields west of Oslo.

Jennings Westphal motored up first of the week from Barnesville for a visit with his folks at the farm northeast of town.

Miss Edith Hanson, of Minneapolis, is here for a short visit at home of her sister, Mrs. Herman Jepson.

Annual school meeting, and election of directors, which was postponed last month, will be held at the village hall next Tuesday eveniog.

Rev. and Mrs. Odell, Ruth and Wilfred Odell, aud Miss Ida Samuelson of Fertile spent a day the home of Rev. Nelson last week.

Miss Laura Almquist, who is employed at Thompson, N. D., spent last Sunday here at home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jens Almquist.

Mrs. Horace Prugh and two children, of Thief River Falls, have been guests recently at home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton E. Anderson.

Mrs. E. E. Lyon left first of the week for her home at St. Paul after spending several weeks here at home of her mother, Mrs. A. Gunstad.

For those who have been wanting the new dynamic speaker radio at a low price. Gamble Stores have a limited number. Special sale ends soon. Thief River Falls.

Ernest, Myles and Harwood Olson, George Biskey Jr. and Arthur Dahle left Sunday for Drayton, N. D. where they will be employed in the harvest fields.

Leo Carpenter and William Engh left Monday for Edinburg, N. D. to take in harvest and threshing season.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Surmo and son, of Holt, were here Monday for a visit with Ole C. Johnson, and to look after matters of business.

Miss Bonnie Barnett of Thief River Falls visited over the week-end at Rev. Nelson's.

Miss Lillian Norman left last week for a visit with her brothers, Geo. and Ed, at Spokane, Wash.

Miss Lilly M. Johnson were to Minneapolis fore part of the week to look after matters of business.

Supt. R. Peterson of the school at Plummer, motored over last week-end from Lakota, N. D., to visit briefly with friends here.

Mrs. Otto Johnson, who makes a specialty of raising fine turkeys, took first prize at the Pennington County Fair on a Bronze turkey tom she exhibited.

NOTE-This station will carry a supply of naptha for cleaning purposes and other uses where a pure, high test gasoline is needed. Young's Service Station.

Misses Marie Cathelineau and Agnes Peterson left Saturday for Brookings, S. D., to join a crew solicating for the Womans World magazine.

Nels Benoit purchased a new Ford last week from a dealer at Red Lake Falls. The new car is a town sedan model, the first of that type to be owned by anyone here.

The ladies aid of the Evang. Mission church will have an ice cream social at the W. P. Wilson home Friday evening August 16th. Everbody cordially invited.

J. E. Shields, of Chicago, arrived yesterday for a three weeks. visit at the home of his nephew, J. Edw. Johnson west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hauge and family motored up first of the week from Bagley to spend a few days with their relatives here. Sam is having his first vacation in years from his duties as manager of the co-operative creamery at Bagley.

Mrs. A. Olson Miss E. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Ries Skaug and family, all of Beltrami, and Aug. Scholin and family were visitors last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Edw. Johnson.

Miss Judith Upgrand, grade teacher in the local school last term, was up Tuesday from her home at Halstad for a short visit. Miss Upgrand plans to resign here, and to locate elsewhere this year.

Drug Store Moved

The St. Hilaire Pharmacy was moved first of the week from the Inperial building to the Farmers State Bank block across the street. Pharmacist Sundholm is busy arranging stock at the new location, and when everythiog is in place, will have neat looking store.

New Settlers

A new family from vicinity of Greenbush has leased the former Edgington place in Sanders, and will occupy it soon. Another family has rented the Stephenson farm, and a party named Nelson has moved on to the Nyberg place northwest of here. Several other new people are expected here in the next month or two to occupy other places. In most instances, these new people are bringing in considerable livestock.

Visitors From Grand Forks

Mr. and Mrs. John Urness, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Horken and son, Miss Ellen Johnson, William Brink, Mrs. Matilda Brink and Clinton Benson motored here last Sunday from Grand Forks and spent the day at the Jens Almquist home. On returning, they were accompanied by Edna Almquist, who will spend a couple weeks at the Forks.

Ice Cream Social

An ice cream social will be held on the lawn of the Norwegian Lutheran parsonage Saturday evening, Aug. 17th, under auspices of the Luther League.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Johnson and family came Monday from Berisford, S. D., for a visit with relatives here. They were accompanied by Axel Johnson of Bemidji, who had visited relatives and friends at Berisford.

Mrs. Anna Patterson, Mabel and Margaret Patterson, Mrs H. L. Ball and daughter, returned Thursday evening to Maple Lake after spending a few days here. Mesdames N. E. Beebe, L. E. Beebe and O. Gunstad, who accompanied them down, returned home the same evening.

NOTE:- L. E. Healy, Special Dep-Examiner, expects to be in St. Hilaire all day Tuesday, August 20th, to look after business affairs of the Farmers State Bank. adv.

New Service Station Open

Young's Service Station, owned and operated by Raymond Young former proprietor of the St. Hilaire Garage, opened for business last week-end. The new station handle the Cities Service brand of gasoline, lubercating oils, greases, etc. A supply of tires and different kinds of accessories will also be carried. While not entirely complete, the new station presents a very attractive appearance, and is. equipped with conveniences for motorists, Mr. Youog has had long experience in service station work and will undoubtedly make a success of his new venture.

Brown To Speak Here

President J. N. Brown of Concordia College at Moorhead, will speak at the local Norwegian Lutheran church at 11 o'clock Sunday morning, September 1st. Mr. Brown will speak on the work being accomplished by the Church. He is a fluent speaker, so no one should miss hearing him on this occasion, his first appearance in this village.

Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Kruse, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Sundholm and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Kruse and and daughter, Mrs. A. W. Howie and childern were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Kruse, Jr.

Selmer Rosette has taken over the St. Hilaire Garage which was recently vacated by Raymond Young. Mr. Rosette is busy making arrangements for the equipment needed for operation of the place, and expects to have the garage in running order soon.

The construction crew of the Red River Power Company. came up again first of the week and are busy at re-stringing of service wires and setting new poles. Practically the entire distribution system within the village limits will be rebuilt.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Ofsdahl of Whitehall, Wis., and Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Lund of LaCrosse, Wis., were here last week for a visit at the O. A. Holmes home while enroute home after a motor trip thru western Canada and North Dakota. Mr. Ofsdahl, who is manager cf the State Hospital for Insane at Whitehall, is a cousin of Mr. Holmes.

Looking Into The Future

The creamery, which has been brot up to its present state during the past twenty seven years, has by no means reached its capacity, nor is dairying overdone in this territory. It is safe to say that a gain of one thousand percent over present output, could be made without additional territory being added to this field. Not only is this possible but indications are that it will come to pass. Testing of cows, and intensive dairying will do it. By the way, have you bought a share in this growing local enterprise?

St Hilaire, Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Making A Start

Look around among the most successful people in your community and you will find practically every one will ascribe his or her success to early training in saving.

Save a part of your income during your productive years. It does not have to be any large amount each month, but save a part.

Independence in later years does not come by wishing for it, but by systematic saving when you are making more than necessary for your immediate needs. Start a savings account.

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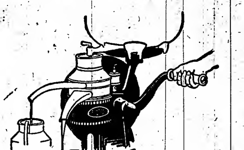

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Apple-on-a-Stick Party

By LEETE STONE

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KITTY GAY laid down the stenographic notebook that represented her living, glanced regretfully at the sheets of rain pelting the window, and rose to answer the telephone at a raucous call from the office boy.

Saturday; nearly noon—George, of course!

"Yes, I know, George, of course we can't hike in Jersey because of the rain. You just come to the house about one-thirty and we'll have a rabbit for lunch and see what the weather does. We may have an inspiration. Bye!"

So George came and Kitty had the rabbit ready. Nice George! In fact, that was the whole trouble with George. He was too nice. Kitty consulted her warm, Celtic heart and found that she was almost in love with George.

Substantial, dependable, kind; but never humoo, was George. Small wonder impulsive, Irish-eyed Kitty Gay hesitated to pin her heart on her sleeve for him.

The rabbit over, out smiled the sun to sponge off the pool-ridden pavements.

"What do you say, George, to some exploration? Don't laugh! I've never been over the river on a ferry. Some New Yorker, eh? Let's take the Christopher street ferry and see what's at the other end of it. Shall we?"

So forth they fared; crossed the ferry, boarded a street car and rode awhile, and finally climbed on foot to where they could see the velvet grass and orderly trees and paths of what was evidently a park.

Venturing boldly in they took possession of a wide iron bench and sat in silence drinking in the severe beauty of Manhattan's jagged skyline across the river.

Just opposite their bench was a drinking fountain, from which a tiny pillar of water spouts unceasingly. One puts one's mouth down over a cup-shaped container for a drink.

Several grimy urchins were engaged in the juvenile sport of clapping a thumb over the spout outlet and spraying each other to the accompaniment of much yelling and ducking.

Presently along the privet-edged path came three neat, perfect children, cleanly and expensively dressed, their hair glistening with fresh combing and all of them bristling with the complete air of just having left the decorous ministrations of the modern home.

The grimy urchins paused and looked. And they were not looking at the three spotless, pressed and laundered little apparitions themselves half so much as at what the passing three were sucking. The clean contingent were all three studiously licking that delightful confection called "apple-on-a-stick."

The penniless, ragged children knew from occasional, joyous bounties what this confectionery marvel tasted like; Kitty Gay knew from memory and intuition. The eyes of the three dirty, wet children nearly popped from their heads as the three little sons of Fortune passed them by without the fraction of a glance.

"Oh . . . oh . . . oh!" thought Kitty. "If only George weren't so . . . so dignified and proper!" Turning, she stole a glance at his cleancut profile and received the surprise of of her life.

The George she knew had vanished. In his place sat a stranger: a man with misty eyes staring at the dirty children who gazed with longing after the three who had flaunted their "apples-on-a-stick." Humanity and the light of human understanding had wiped out every dignified line in George's serious face and touched it with magic for Kitty Gay.

"Kitty," he said, turning to her, "were you ever a poor kid without a nickel to buy candy?" He hesitated and Kitty waited, breathless almost. "Well, I was! Say, Kitty, would you mind if I talked to those youngsters a moment?"

"Mind, George!" Kitty could feel the warm surge of blood clear to her fingertips. "Why—why, you know, I want you to!"

"Hey there, sonny," George summoned the tallest gamin, "d'you know where to get those apple things on sticks?" He displayed five bright nickels on his palm. "Well, get one apiece for yourselves and bring back two for this lady and me."

A burly policeman, strolling through the park a little later, raised his eyes at the sight of a remarkable group consisting of a man and a girl as central figures, with a cluster of three youthful tatterdemalions surrounding them. And each was sucking an apple-on-a-stick with gustatory abandon, chattering now and again, between licks, like so many magpies.

The rich purple haze of an early dusk was touching the peaks of Manhattan's magnificent skyscrapers as Kitty Gay and George pressed against the forward deck chain of the ferry going home.

"Sort of jolly that it stopped raining—Kitty, eh?" George said, scarcely above a whisper.

"Yes, George, if you mean what I mean. . . ."

A reply which encouraged George to fish in his waistcoat pocket for a small, square plush-lined box with a sparkling content.

The Market

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Old Newspaper Squabble

Dickens is said to have found an episode for his future "Pickwick" in an abusive altercation between his paper, the Chronicle, and the Times. The Chronicle having charged that the Times showed "a reckless disregard of dignity and of principle," the Times retorted that Dickens' paper was "an unscrupulous, cowardly, treacherous, ferocious squirt."

Better Organization Of State Sought Now By The Farm Bureau

Seeking to place Minnesota farmers in line to make the most of the new Federal Farm Marketing Act, the Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation during the month of September will carry on statewide activity aimed to largely increase the membership of the Farm Bureau in all Minnesota counties.

In carrying out this program, the Minnesota Federation is acting in unison with the American Farm Bureau Federation, of which Sam H. Thompson, of Quincy, Illinois, is president

The present, Mr. Thompson believes, is the time to capitalize on the national interest in the condition of the farmer, and make completely effective the program of organized agriculture. Success of this program, he says depends on a majority of farm people thinking and acting in unison.

This principal, which has been advocated as Farm Bureau gospil since the creation of the organization, was recently given governmental sanction by Secretary of Agriculture Hyde. Other public men, including senators and congressmen, in disscussing the agricultural situation, have stressed the necessity of farmers being organized to make their demands effective.

To assist in achieving the program of organized agriculture, the American Farm Bureau Federation has aside the entire month of September for a concentrated campaign to present to the farmers of the nation the aims and accomplishments of this organization and to build the membership so that the goal of organized farmers can be mo e quickly reached.

High Spots on Minnesota State Fair Program Aug. 31-Sept. 7

THE Minnesota State Fair and Northwest Livestock Show, Twin Cities, August 31 to September 7, will present the most colossal educational and entertainment program of its history. High spots on the program will be:

Northwest Livestock Show, featuring 3,000 head of cattle, horses, sheep and swine, valued at $3,000,000.

Minnesota State Fair band of 225 pieces in daily concerts.

1,200 boys and girls in State-Wide club contests.

Spectacular fireworks show, "Last Days of Pompeii."

Thrilling Open-Air Circus program in front of grandstand.

Evening Horse Show, September 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6.

Record display of Farm Crops.

Gigantic Exhibit by State Departments and Institutions.

Mammoth Display of Farm Machinery, latest types and models.

Captive U. S. Observation Balloon.

Wild Animal Exhibit by Fish and Game Department.

Four-day's of Horse racing, September 2, 3, 5 and 6.

Northwest Auto Show, featuring latest fall models.

Three-day's of Auto Racing, with 25 speedway and dirt track stars competing.

Woman's Work Exhibit, entire building.

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Hot bran is cleansing and purifying. Mattresses treated with it take on a new lease of life. Sprinkle the bran thickly over one side and leave on for ten minutes or so. Then brush it off and beat the mattress hard. Treat the other side in the same way.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

St. James—The state's new game farm near this city will be handling birds actively September 1st.

Minneapolis—The F. O. E. in national convention here, elected C. J. Cheun of Sacramento as Worthy President.

Schilling of Northfield, W. S. Moscrip of Lake Elmo is the new president of the Twin City Milk Producers association.

Alexandria—The resorters tournament this year was the biggest and fastest in the history of the event. Over 275 golfers registered.

Minneapolis—The annual convention of Eagles, B. O. E. has been held here. A parade of nearly 20,000 was held for two hours in the loop.

Winona—Earl V. Cliff, Ortonville attorney, was elected to the duties of state commander of the American Legion at the closing session of the convention here.

Minneapolis—105,000 persons, one quarter of the city's population flocked to North Commons to attend the North Side picnic and get-to-gether. The crowds over ran 25 acres.

Minneapolis—Kenneth C. Haycraft, Minnesota's most recent all-American football star, and Alberta P. Smith, well known amateur dancer, applied for a marriage license here.

Lake City—Nona Malloy, parachute jumper, and Wallace Seeback of Minneapolis narrowly escaped injury when their plane fell less than 100 feet during the Lake City water carnival.

Winona—Mrs. A. C. Carlson of Willmar was elected an honorary booster member of the 40 and 8, fun branch of the American Legion. She is the first woman in Minnesota to be so honored.

Minneapolis—Believed to have died as the result of taking poison in a suicide pact, the bodies of Helen McGinnis, age 20 and Robin Thompson, 24 years old, were found in an apartment hotel.

Minneapolis—E. A. Cewcutt has been elected president of the Minneapolis Grain Commission Merchants association. Other officers are H. B. Putnam, vice president, and J. H. McEnary, secretary.

Minneapolis—With the unveiling in 50 downtown retail stores of the displays of products of Twin City manufacturers and wholesalers, over 1,500 Northwest retailers attended the Twin City Market week.

Minneapolis—City Engineer N. W. Elsberg has been appointed official weed inspector for the city and has asked the city council for an appropriation of $500 to assist in eradications of weeds here.

Hamlin—The Minnesota Agricultural Experiment station will make its first distribution of new strands of corn produced by inbreeding and crossing, at its "Corn Field Day," at University Farm on Aug. 14.

Blooming Prairie—The body of J. L. Lawrence, farmer of this place, was found hanging from a tree near his home. Lawrence left his home with a rifle, telling his invalid wife that he intended to "go away."

St. Paul—Fake $20 notes are being dumped in the northwest by counterfeiters to get rid of them before the new "half-pint" currency is in general circulation. They are bleached $1 bills, U. S. secret agents have warned.

Winona—1000 delegates to the annual Minnesota department conventions of the American Legion, Legion Auxiliary and the "40 and 8," fun branch of the legion, the state executive committees of the legion and auxiliary convened here for serious business.

Little Falls—Mrs. A. E. Amundsen of Little Falls was elected president of the American Legion state auxiliary after Mrs. Tess Carlson of Willmar refused to accept a second term. Mrs. A. C. Barnes of Fergus Falls was elected first vice president and Mrs. C. O. Bemies of Minneapolis, second vice president.

St. Paul—Efforts to move the headquarters of the American Legion auxiliary from Minneapolis to St. Paul were defeated when a resolution so providing was ruled out as illegal.

Eden Prairie—A posse of 75 men organized by Sheriff John Wall of Hennepin County found the body of J. L. Lawrence, 50 years old, missing Eden Prairie farmer, hanging from a tree in a wooded district a mile from his home.

Minneapolis—Manager Mike Collins announces the official opening of the fall and winter season of the Minneapolis Boxing Club with a show at the Minneapolis Auditorium Friday evening August 16th. Max Shmeling, noted German boxer, who comes to Minneapolis with an impressive record, having scored knockouts in his bouts with Johnnie Risko, Knute Hansen, Joe Sykers, and a fifteen round decision with Paolino Uzcudun, will be the principal attraction. Shmeling will box four rounds with sparring partners. The balance of the program will consist of thirty-two rounds of boxing between contestants to be announced later.

Austin—Peter Capretz, secretary of the Mower County Agricultural society, says that 1,000 cars are wanted to try out the new track at the fairgrounds before the exposition opens August 19. The track has been improved for races during the fair.

St. Paul—An injunction against officers of the Modern Woodmen of America, to prevent a contemplated increase in dues for all members who joined before July 1, 1919, will be filed soon, William A. Anderson, Minneapolis attorney, represents members protesting the increase.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage executed by Hans C. Juhl and Hallie Juhl, his wife, as mortgagors to the Crookston State Bank a corporation, as mortgagee, dated the 9th day of February, 1920, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 18th day of March, 1920, at 9 o'clock a. m. in Book 62 of Mortgages on Page 430, upon and mortgaging the southeast quarter (SE1-4) and the east half of the northeast quarter (E1-2NE1-4) of section nine (9) in township one hundred and fifty two (152) North of range forty three (43) West, in Pennington County, Minnesota; which mortgage was duly assigned by the said Crookston State Bank to Alice B. Hall by an instrument in writing dated the 11th day of April, 1921, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county on the 27th day of July, 1927, in Book 80 of Mortgages at page 5; which default consists in the failure of the said mortgagors to pay the debt secured to be paid by said mortgage and which became due on the first day of February, 1928, and that the amount due and claimed to be due upon the said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of $5710.20; and no action or proceeding having been brought to recover the same or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given, that virtue of the power of sale contained in such mortgage, and pursuant to the statute relating to the foreclosure of mortgages by advertisement, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said mortgaged premises sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt, interest thereon, and attorney's fees and the expense of such foreclosure sale, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington county, Minnesota, on Saturday the 21st day of September, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and state.

Dated July 26th, 1929.

Alice B. Hall,
Assignee of Mortgagee,

W. E. ROWE,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
Crookston, Minnesota.

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Citation For Hearing On Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } ss.

In Probate Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Helvor Johnson Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to All Whom It Concerns, and to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of August 1929 at 10 o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 3rd day of August 1929.

Lars Backe
(Seal) Judge of Probate.

H. O. Berve
Attorney for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

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NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 1st, 1924, executed by T. M. Thoreson and Clara Thoreson, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 2nd, 1924, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 200 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $171.88 each, due on October 1st, 1928, and April 1st, 1929, respectively; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $5,190.08, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from April 1st, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $343.76, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $171.88 thereof since October 1st, 1928, and on $171.88 thereof since April 1st, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $98.40, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $5,725.57, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼), the East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E½ of NW¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West, except a tract described as follows: Beginning at a point 33 feet West of the Northeast corner of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West, thence South parallel with the Eastern boundary line of said Section Seventeen (17) to a point 33 feet North and 33 feet West of the Southeast corner of said Section, thence West parallel with the Southern boundary line of said Section a distance of 17 feet, thence North to the Northern boundary of said Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of said Section, thence East to the point of beginning, which piece was conveyed for highway purposes by Deed recorded in Book "6" of Deeds, page 160 of the records of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, containing 239 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditements and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 30th day of August, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance premiums paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated July 17th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit,
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
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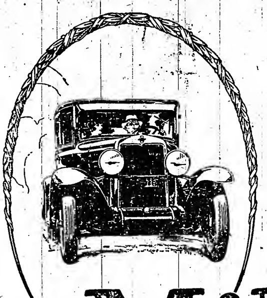

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"Penny" is not the officinl designation of any coin mioted by the United States. The upplication of "penny" to the cent, however, dates hack to the beginning of nur money system.

Until after the Revolutionnry war the English penny circulated freely in this country. Although one-cent pieces had been previously coined by several nf the stotes, the wnrd "cent" did not appear officially in connection with a federal coiu until 1786. August 8 of that yeor the Continental congress passed a law which prescribed "Cents: The highest copper piece, ot which 100 shall be equal to the dollar."

October 16, 1786, it wes ordoined by congress, "Thot no foreign copper coin whatsoever sholl ofter the first day of September, 1787, be current within the United States of America." This inw removed the English penny from circniotion in this country, hut the name "penny" was transferred to nnr cent in populor usage and it has tenaciously clung to it ever since.

After the present Coustitntion was adopted the cent was retnined as part nf nur monetnry system. April 2, 1792, congress pnssed an "act establishing a mint, and regulating the coins of the United Stotes." This nct prescribed "Cents—each tn be of the value of the one-hnndredth part of a dollar, and to contain eleven pennyweights nf copper."

Time Out

Sophamnre—Say, what's nll this I hear nhout Coach outting Bull Fuller on the third team? Bull's the niftiest triple-thrent man in the conference.

Junior—Yon menn "wns." That job ha took last summer as a hod carrier to horden himself just about ruined him.

Sophnmore — How d'ynu mean, "ruinea him?"

Junior — Caach says Bull's mind isn't on the play any more, it's nu the whistle.

25 Years Ago

The Great Northern had rails layed to near Holt on its new extension to Greenbush.

—XXV—

William Ittner, who had spent the summer here with his brother, Arthur, planned to enter the University of Minnesota that fall.

—XXV—

Henry Monson was here from Clarkfield for a visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. Soll.

—XXV—

Emil Brink was up from Crookston for a visit with old friends.

—XXV—

Many loads of lumber were being hauled to the new town of Plummer.

—XXV—

R. Aimer left for points in Wisconsin to attend to business matters

—XXV—

Fred Dahl left to attend the Worlds Fair at St. Louis. He planned to enter the state university that fall.

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Change Made Confnsion

The year 47 B. C. was known as the "year of coufusiou" nn account of tha necessity nf changiug the dates of the mouths and the positions of tha mouths in the year, to revise tha ancient calendar und make it conform with the Julian calendar.

Not Literally

Scriptural injunctions must not ba taken too literally. That which says yon must forgive an enemy "seventy timea seven," does not mean that you are to keep an account and stop at 490. It emphasizes tha patience of forgiveness.

Only So Many

Apropos oi nothing in particular: A great deal of so-called plagiarism is expiained by the fact that there are only about so many plots and situations in the world for a writer to choose from.—Detroit Free Press.

Only Hope

Statistics prova that married men liva longer than bochelnrs. Tha average married man lives on and nu hoping for a chance at the last word.—Brattleborn Reformer.

Natural Reaction

Probably the easiest thing is to praise some nna who isn't quite so good as you are at your specialty, unless it is to criticize some one who is a little better.

"Ancestor" of Wheat

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St. Hilaire. Minn.

FAKE DIPLOMAS IN U.S.

Spurious Medical College Sells Counterfeited Certificates, Seals and Licenses.

Chicago—The inside story of how a diploma and license mill printed spurious certificates and state seals has been told by a man who admitted, state's attorney's investigators said, that he had made photostatic copies of the originals for counterfeit plates.

More new arrests and indictments will follow at once. Several Chicago printing and engraving firms are implicated.

Jacob Crane, formerly a printer of Springfield, Ill., was seized upon information supplied by Albert Carl Barron, one of seven men already indicted in the case.

Crane said thousands of diplomas of the Rush Medical College, the Northwestern University medical school and the University of Wisconsin medical school were forged, as well as interne's certificates from the Cook County (Chicago) hospital, and Illinois state licenses and seals.

So thorough was the mill that applicants without college education could purchase diplomas and state licenses, both apparently bona fide, to practise in Illinois and elsewhere. More than 1,000 fake licenses are said to have been sold for approximately $2,000 each, and diplomas at a still higher price.

Mrs. Snook to Take Stand for Husband

Columbus, Ohio—Mrs. James H. Snook, wife of the deposed Ohio State university professor on trial for the murder of Theora Hix, will be called to testify in her husband's behalf, defense council E. O. Ricketts announced. Mrs. Snook had not appeared in the court room. She has seldom left her home and has granted only one interview to reporters. She has said "the husband she knew could not have done this thing."

Texan Is Named Crime Board Aid.

Washington—Joseph C. Hutcheson, Jr., U. S. judge from the southern district of Texas, has been appointed special consultant and advisor on federal trial courts for President Hoover's law enforcement commission. He will direct a survey of the organization, business and jurisdiction of federal courts. His report will be the basis of recommendations for new legislation to reform court procedure.

Collier's Publisher Sued for Million.

Brownsville, Tex.—Damages totaling $1,000,000 are asked by R. B. Creager, Republican national committeeman from Texas, in two libel suits filed in federal court here against P. F. Collier and Son company, publishers of Collier's Weekly. The suits are based on alleged libelous attacks contained in two articles published in the weekly in which Creager's name was linked with graft and patronage irregularities in Texas.

5 Men Die; 2 Missing in Blast.

Louisville, Ky.—A terrific explosion of oil fumes wrecked a 170-foot steel tank barge moored at Kosmosdale, 20 miles west of here, killing five men instantly. Two other men were missing and are believed to be dead. The eighth man was seriously injured and was expected to die. The blast reduced the big barge to a twisted mass of junk which sunk at its mooring.

Garrett Selected as Envoy to Italy.

Washington—President Hoover has selected John W. Garrett, Baltimore banker, as ambassador to Italy to succeed Henry P. Fletcher, recently resigned. His formal appointment is understood to be awaiting evidence that he is satisfactory to the Italian government. Garrett was formerly minister to the Netherlands and also to Argentina.

Musicians Return After Strike.

Hollywood, Calif.—Musicians of the Hollywood Bowl orchestra agreed with the bowl management to return and present the program rehearsed when 15,000 persons were left sitting in the dark at the outdoor amphitheater by a walkout of the musicians and stage hands.

Convict Killed During Riot at Prison.

Leavenworth, Kan.—Mutiny that cost at least one convict's life and severe injury to several others broke out in the narcotic block of the prison here. The mutinous convicts, armed with forks and spoons from the mess hall, and other improvised weapons, destroyed guard rails and broke windows.

7 Arrested at Red Camp for Children.

San Bernardino, Calif.—Six women and one man were under arrest here on felony charges resulting from an investigation of an alleged miniature Soviet republic summer camp for children, conducted in the foothills of the San Bernardino mountains, and six more were sought.

75-Year-Old Man Kills Wife Long Ill.

Lawrence, Kan.—Fred Erb, 75 years old, shot and killed his bed-ridden wife, also 75, here, explaining he could no longer bear the thought of her suffering. They had been married 58 years.

Three Die in Plane Crash in Wyoming.

Casper, Wyo.—Major D. P. Wardwell, 36; Earl Holtz, 35 and George Cameron, were killed here when their plane burst into flames, and fell several hundred feet.

THE Great Minnesota State Fair and N. W. Livestock Show, August 31 to September 7, will be one of the world's biggest state fairs. It will have:

270 Acres of Ground
200 Buildings
Miles of Streets
6,000 Exhibitors
$127,750 in Prizes
500,000 Visitors.

The most wonderful program in history is being planned, emphasizing all the agricultural and industrial progress of the past twelve months. It's *"The Fair of a Thousand Thrills."*

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

& N-W LIVESTOCK SHOW

Aug. 31 to Sept. 7

Kids Free at State Fair; Thrift Tickets 50 Cents

Children under eight years of age will be admitted free at all times to the Minnesota State Fair and Northwest Livestock Show, Twin Cities, August 31 to September 7, announces Cal Sivright, vice president & general manager.

Children between the ages of eight and twelve years will be given free admission on Saturday, August 31, and Monday, Labor Day, September 2. General admission for children of these ages on other days of the Fair will be twenty-five cents.

The entertainment features of interest to children will include the many rides and shows of the Morris and Castle Shows, auto races, twelve bands, fireworks, open-air circus acts, aviation attractions, and a host of others too numerous to mention.

Fastest Thing on Legs

"The fastest thing on legs" is the title deserved by the whippet, the featherweight, long-legged racing dog that is rapidly becoming popular in America. Over a 200-yard course the dogs will outdistance a race horse, reaching the finish in from 10 to 12 seconds. That is half the time the fastest man would require!

In the Farm Journal, Werner P. Meyer tells how the whippet originated in England. "The breed was built up," he relates, "chiefly by mixing the blood of the greyhound with the terrier family. The result of this interbreeding was a dog resembling the greyhound in physical features, but smaller and lighter of build; and to the speed and stamina of the greyhound were added the daring and gameness of the terrier family."

Gets His Revenge

A contractor received an inquiry from a surgeon who wanted preliminary bids on several different sketches, with alternates for all kinds of materials and finishes, relates a contributor to Architectonics Magazine. The contractor wrote back: "Am in the market for one operation for appendicitis, one, two, or five-inch incision with or without ether; also with or without nurse. Quotations must include putting appendix back and canceling the order if found sound. Successful bidder is expected to hold incision open for 60 days as I expect to be in the market for an operation for gall stones, and I want to save the extra cost of cutting."

THE

CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00

Services at 11:00 and 8:00

The ladies Aid of the Evang. Mission church will have an ice cream social at the W. P. Wilson home Friday evening August 16th. Everyone cordially invited.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle. Pastor.

Sunday, Aug. 18th.

Services in Ebenezer, 11:00 A. M.

St. Pauli, 2:30. Luther League. Services, and refreshments served after.

St. Hilaire, Services at 8:00 P. M.

Ladies Aid of the Nor. Luth. church meets on the parsonage lawn Friday, August 16th. Mesdames M. Dahle and K. O. Gigstad entertain.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Sunday Aug. 18-

Services Black River at 10 A. M. Sunday School follows immediately after services.

Sunday School at St. Hilaire at 10:00 A. M.

Sunday evening at 8:00 the St. Hilaire Y. P. S. meets. in the Hazel Hall with Mrs. Anton Anderson and Mrs. Adrian Anderson as hostesses.

Chinese Elm One of Hardiest of Trees

The Chinese elm, sometimes known as the desert elm, is one of the most valuable contributions to the imported flora of the United States made by the late Frank Meyer of the bureau of plant industry, United States Department of Agriculture, says the American Forests and Forest Life Magazine, official organ of the American Forestry association. Mr. Meyer found the tree growing in the vicinity of Peking, China, and was so impressed with its graceful form and general hardiness that he included seeds in his shipments of new plants from the Celestial Kingdom about the year 1914.

"The seeds," the writer continues, "were propagated at several of the plant introduction gardens of the Department of Agriculture and soon proved their adaptability to a wide range of conditions in America. One of the original trees growing near Chico, Calif., is now about forty feet high and its small leaves and the density and weeping character of its foliage combine to make a specimen of great grace and beauty."

Province a Wasteland

The Russian province of Archangel lies well within the Arctic circle and the furthermost point south is 62 degrees latitude. The total area is six times that of an average American state and it is a cheerless and destitute region. Immense forests of pine and spruce extend for hundreds of miles and there are interminable bogs and swamps when the intense cold has not frozen over the rivers and the lakes.

Postponed Annual School Meeting

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the postponed annual meeting in school district No. 102 in St. Hilaire, Pennington County Minnesota will be held at the village hall on the 20th day of August 1929 at 8 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing two directors to serve for a period of three years and to transact such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Dated this 6th day of August, 1929.

E. O. Burkee,
District Clerk.

A8-15

Order Limiting Time To File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } ss.

IN PROBATE COURT

In Matter Of The Estate Of Peter Lindblom, Decedent.

Letters of adminstration with the will annexed, this day having been granted to Melvin H. Wood.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that February 15. 1930, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid-

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator, a weekly newspaper as provided by law, and by mailed notice as provided by the rules of this court.

Dated August 7th, 1929.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate

Theo. Quale
Attorney-for Petitioner.
A-8-22.

Two-Thirds Majority Doesn't Mean That

A "two-thirds majority" is merely a popular way of saying that a candidate received two-thirds of all the votes cast in an election. Suppose, for instance, 3,000 votes are cast, and one candidate receives 1,000 and the other 2,000. The latter receives a two-thirds majority, namely, two-thirds of all the votes cast. In this case the actual majority over the other candidate is only one-third of all the votes, and literally "two-thirds majority" should mean that the difference between the two figures is two-thirds of the total number of votes. For instance, if one candidate had received 500 and the other 2,500, the difference—2,000—would equal two-thirds of the total. But the term is generally used to express the idea of two-thirds of all the votes regardless of the number received by other candidates.—The Pathfinder.

New Telephone Subscribers

For your convience we are publishing a list of the New Subscribers of the St. Hilaire Telephone Company which have had telephones installed since the last directory was issued.

PLEASE PASTE THIS IN YOUR DIRECTORY

117	Bjerk Martin	Res.	8902	Melvie E. N.	Res.
22	Bobs Coffee Shop	Rest.	9318	Olson Selmer	Farm
70	Gonnering John	Res.	45	Olson Mrs. Anna	Farm
9518	Joppru Oscar	Farm	19	Person Amanda	Res.
9403	Kruse Christ Jr.	Farm	8916	Prestby Erling	Farm
9203	Kees John	Farm	23	Roy Paul	Res.
9711	Lemky J. J.	Farm	9524	Swanson Bros.	Farm
9324	Lindblom Henry	Farm			

Kindly Call By Number

St. Hilaire Telephone Company

CHAS. KUNDERT, Manager

LOCAL

The local school will re-open Tuesday, September 3rd, after the annual summer vacation of three months.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pepin and Emil Just motored Monday to Winnipeg. After taking in sights in the Dominion city, they returned Tuesday night.

Hunters saved $24,000.00 last year on shells purchased at Gamble Stores. Ten carloads for 1929--Winchester 12 gauge repeater per box 98c. Otbers 70c and up Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Harvey Aubol and two children came last week from Crandon, Wis., for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Simonson, and with other relatives and friends in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Finstad and family, of Newfolden, were guests last Sunday at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson, southeast of the village.

Tony Carlson, secretary-treasurer of the Carlson Mercantile Company was down Saturday from Holt looking after business matters at the local store.

For haying and harvest--3 tine hay and bundle forks $1.25--4 tine header forks $1.65--grain scoops--light weight full polished $1.40. Galvanized bushel basket 75c. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls.

Supt. E. N. Reiersgord, who has attended the University of North Dakota during the summer, finished his work there Friday last. He spent last week-end here looking after matters at the school while enroute to his home at Ulen to spend a week or ten days.

Now traded on Stock Exchange--Gamble Stores stock--a 7 per cent investment that can be disposed of at any time thru Minneapolis Stock Exchange, when cash is needed. 434 Stinson Blvd., Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Arne Vik and daughter, Helga, motored yesterday to Warren to consult a physician for the latter who has been ailing for sometime. Examination disclosed that she was suffering from appendicitis as well as infected tonsils, and arrangements were made for her to undergo two operations next Monday. Her sister, Agnes Vik, who is engaged in nursing at Fairview Hospital at Minneapolis, will be home latter part of the week and will act as special nurse for Helga while she is in the hospital.

Patriot's Family

Nathan Hale's immediate family consisted of his father, mother, and sister. He was engaged at the time of his death. Farewell letters addressed to his mother, sister and fiancee were destroyed before his eyes. He was the son of Deacon Richard and Elizabeth Story Hale.

LOCALS

Considerable grain has already been cut in this vicinity, and harvest is now in full blast. While there will be no bumper crop, it is apparent the yield will be good on most farms in this locality.

Rapid progress is being made in construction of the new portion of T. H. No. 8 extending east from Marcoux station south of Red Lake Falls, to Erskine.

Several draglines and horse outfits are working on the road which is beginning to take shape. It is expected the new road will be open for traffic this fall.

Wanted--Place for young girl to work for her room and board while attending school. Anyone in the village having such a place, kindly call at this office.

Hay Stumpage on Shares

Have about 130 acres of wild hay southwest of St. Hilaire that I would like to have put up on share plan. If interested call on

Arne Vik, St. Hilaire.

Notice For Bids

The board of directors of the Wylie Co-operative Elevator Co. will receive sealed bids for the old building for wrecking, fixtures excluded, They will also receive sealed bids for wrecking the said building, all nails to be extracted and lumber piled. These bids will be received until 7 p. m. Saturday, Aug. 24, 1929, a certified check of 15 per cent to accompany each bid. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids should be sent to Manager of Wylie Co-operative Elevator Co., Wylie, Minn.

Board of Directors,
Peter Schirrick, Secretary.

A 8-22

SLOANS FLY DROPS

Best fly exterminator on the market, at reduced prices

Half pint	$.30
Formerly .50	
Pint Size	.50
Formerly .75	
Quart Size	.90
Formerly 1.25	
Sprayers, each	.45

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Swenby--Fricker

The following excerpts from the Chisholm paper will be of special interest to many people here where the groom has grown to manhood:

"One of the prettiest home weddings of the season occured August 14th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Swenby of Balkan township, when their daughter, Miss Ruth became the bride of George Fricker of Holt, Minnesota."

The home was attractively decorated with streamers and garden flowers, plants and ferns. Orchid and green were the predominating colors.

The wedding ceremony was performed before a beautiful alter of flowers. Rev. Ebb of the Immanuel Lutheran Church of Hibbing, officating. Mrs. John Latich, sister of the bride, attended her while Mr. John Latich acted as groomsman.

Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the Nelson hotel to sixty five guests.

The dining hall was prettily decorated with ferns and flowers, orchid and green the outstanding colors. A huge wedding cake adorned the table.

After the dinner Mr. and Mrs. Fricker left on an extended honeymoon motor trip, and upon return will go to Holt, Minn., to reside.

Mrs. Fricker is well known and popular among the younger set of Chisholm and Balken township. She is a graduate of the Chisholm high school and Winona State Teachers College, and has taught the past three years at Holt.

The groom is cashier of the Marshall County State bank at Holt.

Among the out-of-town relatives who attended the wedding were: M. Fricker, father of the groom, Hazel Fricker, sister of the groom, of St. Hilaire, Minn., Mrs. Verner Nelson, sister of the groom, from Tbief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Adolph of Eveleth."

Numerous St. Hilaire friends join in extending congratulations and hearty good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Fricker.

Annual School Meeting

Postponed annual meeting of the local school district was held at the village hall Tuesday night. The usual routine of business was transacted, and V. G. Brink and Paul Roy were re-elected as directors for three year terms.

To Open Branch Shop

Ed Durbin, proprietor of Durbin's Produce Market, has leased a completely equipped meat market at Hibbing and will open a branch shop, there latter part of next week or first of the following. It is Mr. Durbin's intention to use the local shop as a source of supply for meats, poultry, eggs and butter all of which will be called for in considerable amounts. Opening of the branch will create a better market here for all kinds of livestock, and the dressed product will be trucked to Hibbing weekly or oftener if necessity arises. Carl Person and John Gonnering will have charge of the local shop, while Mr. Durbin personally looks after the Hibbing store.

Sacred Progam Tonight

Misses Gudrun Ness and Irene Trygstad, students from St. Olaf College, will give a program of vocal solos, duets. readings and piano selections at the Norwegian Lutheran church this evening. The Mantou Duo, as the young ladies style themselves, have had wonderful success elsewhere in this section, and music lovers can be assured a real treat at the program this evening.

Ball Game Sunday

Arrangments have been made for appearance of the fast Oklee team to meet the local team here next Sunday afternoon at 3:00. The Oklee team has played good ball all season and the locals are scouting around for reinforcements for what will no doubt, be the hardest fought contest on the diamond here this summer.

Miss Inez Patterson, formerly of this village, and for several years employed as field worker for the state Children's Bureau, was recently named assistant superintendent of the Home School for Girls at Sauk Center. The promotion is a well deserved one, coming after many years of successful welfare work in employ of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jacobson and son, of Hibbing, accompanied by Mrs. S. J. Field of Eveleth, motored up Tuesday to spend a week at the V. Brink, A. Jacobson and Gunnard Lindquist homes.

The Spectator, $1.50

Antiquated

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Rick Melin purchased a fine purebred Holstein heifer Friday from the Grue herd north of Hazel.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veterinarian, was down Friday from Thief River attending to several calls in this locality.

Threshing was commenced in different parts of this community this week, and by end of another week is expected to become general thruout this territory.

Members of the different Sons of Norway lodges thruout this part of the state, enjoyed a picnic gathering at Mapel Lake last Sunday.

The commodious new residence on Ole Larson's farm west of here was finished a few days ago, and the family will occupy it in a short time.

Mr. Ward Mahowald of Grand Forks, accompanied by Hazel Fricker and Mrs. Verner Nelson, autoed Friday to Winnipeg and returned Sunday evening.

The Ladies Aid of St. Pauli church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Ole Olegaard at Hazel, Friday afternoon this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Porter of Bemidji, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Boehm, friends of theirs from Iowa, motored up Tuesday afternoon for a brief visit here while enroute on a motor trip to Winnipeg. They passed thru here yesterday enroute home.

Miss Ruth Roy returned Monday morning to her place of employment at Hague, N. D., after having spent a short vacation at home. Paul Roy, Mrs. J. A. Hansen, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Roy motored with her Monday morning to Fargo and returned that afternoon.

Hans Loken is busy with his big tractor smoothing down the ditch grade from Benson's farm east to the Soo where the ditch was deepened recently. Ground excavated from the ditch was used in widening of the grade.

Mrs. Emma Hedblom and daughter, Mrs. Walter Svenson of Detroit Mich., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Soderberg south of the village. Mrs. Hedblom, and Mrs. Soderberg were childhood friends and school mates when their parents lived at Calumet, Mich., years ago.

Good sized crowds attended the ice cream socials given Friday and Saturday evenings at the Rev. Dahle and W. P. Wilson homes.

Mike McAndress shipped a mixed carload of livestock last Saturday to market at So. St. Paul.

L. E. Healy, special deputy examiner, was here all day Tuesday looking after business matters pertaining to the Farmers State Bank.

All interior work is finished at the Norwegian Lutheran church and services were held there last Sunday. With completion of the work, the church now presents a much improved appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hauge and childern returned this week to their home at Bagley after spending a vacation of ten days here, and also at Grand Forks, with relatives

The Luther League of St. Pauli church will give a program is the St. Hilaire chuch next Sunday evening. Lunch will be served after the program.

Mesdames A. V. Jacobson and V. G. Brink will entertain the Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church at the church basement on Friday, August 30. 22-29

Mr. M. Fricker, accompanied by Hazel Fricker, and Mrs. Verner Nelson of Thief River Falls, returned Thursday evening from Chisholm where they attended the Fricker-Swenby wedding the previous day.

Rev. and Mrs. Alex Sand are here from Annandale for a visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Aug. Svenson. On returning home they will be accompanied by their son who has spent the summer here.

Stanly Olson and family returned Monday from Fargo where they have resided during the summer while he was employed at the Armour plant. They will leave soon for Ft. Rice, N.D., where Mr. Olson will serve his third term as superintendent of the village schools.

Mike McAndress had the misfortune to have his car quite badly smashed last Sunday when a North Dakota car collided with it as he was about to turn into his private road at his farm. Tho somewhat shaken up, Mike was uninjured. He purchased another car this week.

A. Flygare Killed

Aug. Flygare, division engineer of the of the State Highway Department with headquarters at Fergus Falls, and his three sons were killed last Sunday in an auto accident near Montevedio. Mrs. Flygare and another child were critically injured. The family was enroute to Winthrop to visit with relatives when the accident occured. Mr. Flygare was well known in this section where he had supervision of all engineering work for the highway department.

Tow Mill To Open

The tow mill at Red Lake Falls, which has undergone repairs the past month, will reopen latter part of the present month for the season's run.

Management of the mill announces that they expect to buy more flax straw this year than was purchased any other year since the mill has been in operation.

Last year the Fiber Products company paid farmers in this section more than $60,000.00 for straw which, previously to establishment of the mill, was as considered a waste product.

Mike Holm Issuing Warning

Secretary of State Mike Holm issued a warning to merchants and other businessmen to avoid buying advertising matter from a solicitor who is representing himself as an agent of the secretary of state, last week. Mr. Holm state that the solicitor has been selling advertising space around a tourist map of Minnesota, which he claimed was published by the secretary of state. --Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Mrs. Tom Mogen is visiting at the former family home at Hartland in southern part of the state.

Mrs. Emma Hedblom and daughter, Mrs. W. Svenson of Detroit, Mich., were guests at the Wm. Olsen home last Thursday.

The Ernest Patnode family entertained a number of guests Sunday, their company including Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Longtin and son, Clifford, of Red Lake Falls, Mrs. Ed Rowe of Brimsmaid, N. Dak., parents, brother and sister of Mrs. Patnode, also Mr. and Mrs. John Keyes of Red Lake Falls.--Gonvick Banner

Mrs. Brandrud Dies

Mrs. Severine Brandrud, an oldtime resident of this community. died Tuesday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Osine Olson, southeast of Hazel, after a lingering illness. Mrs. Brandrud was born in Norway, March 9th, 1860 and was 69 years and six months of age.

She grew to womanhood in the old country, was married there in 1883, and came to this country with husband the same year. They resided at Evansville one year, later moving here to reside on a farm west of town where Mr. Brandrud died some years ago.

Deceased is survived by five daughters and one son. Those of the children residing in this locality are Mrs. O. E. Wilson of Hazel and Mrs. H. C. Swanson who resides west of here. She is also survived by her sister, Mrs. Olson at Hazel, and by a brother in Canada.

Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. M. L. Dahle at the Clearwater Lutheran church at 1:30 P. M., next Sunday.

Hazel Bank Pays Dividend

A dividend of ten percent has been ordered paid to depositors of the Citizens' State Bank at Hazel by the state banking department. This will make the third dividend, twenty five percent having been previously paid. Total amount of the last dividend will be about $5700.00

Gust Person and family left this morning for their home at Duluth after a visit here with Mrs. Person's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Stark Mr. Person came over last week, but the family had visited here a couple weeks previously.

A Ford car was ditched and quite badly smashed near the Aubol farm north of town, Tuesday afternoon.

Selmer Rosette has taken over the St. Hilaire Garage and expects to have it stocked with tools and a line of accessories in a short time.

The Dorcas Society will be entertained Saturday at the church basement by Mrs. M. Highland and Miss Amanda Kalland.

Mechanics Wanted!
Big Demand. Practical Training. Write for catalog. HANSON AUTO & ELECTRICAL SCHOOL, Box 926, Fargo, N. D

Looking Into The Future

The creamery, which has been brot up to its present state during the past twenty seven years, has by no means reached its capacity, nor is dairying overdone in this territory. It is safe to say that a gain of one thousand percent over present output, could be made without additional territory being added to this field. Not only is this possible but indications are that it will come to pass. Testing of cows, and intensive dairying will do it. By the way, have you bought a share in this growing local enterprise?

St Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

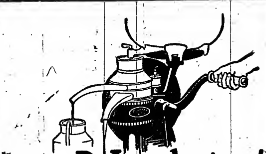
Making A Start

Look around among the most successful people in your community and you will find practically every one will ascribe his or her success to early training in saving.

Save a part of your income during your productive years. It does not have to be any large amount each month, but save a part.

Independence in later years does not come by wishing for it, but by systematic saving when you are making more than necessary for your immediate needs. Start a savings account.

MERCHANTS STATE BANK
St. Hilaire, Minnesota



Is your DeLaval separator in good running order?

If it isn't, then you may be losing butter-fat and shortening the life of the machine; and ninety-nine times out of a hundred it isn't the fault of the machine but due to the fact that it needs attention, adjustment, cleaning, or the replacement of some part.

Bring in your De Laval Separator to us and we will put it in first-class running order. Bring in the complete machine, and in order to save expense clean out the oil chamber and gears with kerosene or boiling water. You can do this just as well as we can.

Carlson Merc. Co., Inc.

O. C. Johnson, Mgr

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Old Companions

One's delight in an elderberry bush overhanging the confused leafage of a hedgerow bank, as a more gladdening sight than the finest cistus or fuchsia spreading itself on the softest undulating turf, is an entirely unjustifiable preference to a nursery-gardener, or to any of those . . . who are free from the weakness of any attachment that does not rest on a demonstrable superiority of qualities. And there is no better reason for preferring this elderberry bush than that it stirs an early memory; that it is no novelty . . . speaking to me merely through my present sensibilities to form and color, but the long companion of my existence, that wove itself into my joys when joys are vivid.—From "The Mill on the Floss," by George Eliot.

Just a Detail

In battle the duke of Wellington overlooked nothing. Baron von Neumann of the Austrian embassy at London in 1840 tells in his recently published diary of an account given by the Iron Duke of the Battle of Vittoria:

That "after the whole of the French infantry had been routed, all the artillery, consisting of 300 pieces of cannon, and all the baggage had been abandoned, the English army considered the battle ended, when the duke stopped the forward movement of the troops and said: 'The battle is not yet won. There is a corps of 10,000 cavalry still intact,' and they thereupon disposed of them."

Legion of Honor

The Legion d'Honneur in France is an order of merit, both military and civil. As at present organized, it consists of five classes—chevaliers, officers, commanders, grand officers and grand crosses. The president of the republic is grand master. In ordinary circumstances 20 years of military, naval or civil service is necessary for eligibility to the rank by chevalier, and promotions can only be made after definite service in a lower rank. Extraordinary service admits to any rank. The word "chevalier" means "knight."

DR. L. R. TWETE
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Spellbound

Ten-year-old Mary had won a scholarship, and was telling her mother about the papers.

The subject for essay had been, "How I spend my Saturday morning," and after discoursing on minding the baby, helping mother wash up, and so on, Mary ended with the amazing statement, "and then I play a game of chess with my brother."

"Chess! But you can't play chess!"

"I know. I wanted to put dominoes, but I couldn't spell it."

Utilizing the Heat of Passion

The Barn Boss—Was there much trouble on the line about the cold cars?

The Conductor—Not much. It seemed warm enough for 'em. Every one who spoke to me about it was het up over it.

Past Hurt

Mrs. Hellefinder was attending her first football game. "Oh, isn't it awful," she cried. "Why, they will kill the poor boy underneath."

"Don't be silly, mother!" exclaimed her daughter. "He doesn't mind it—he's unconscious by this time."—Pathfinder.

Short Time in Canal

A vessel proceeding directly through the Panama canal without delays requires only 10 to 12 hours for passage. Of this time 8 hours is occupied in being lifted and lowered through the locks.

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QUAKE SHAKES N.Y. CITY

Cities Over States of New Jersey, Connecticut and Pennsylvania Report Shocks.

New York—A series of earthquakes, varying considerably in intensity, and length of duration, rocked portions of five eastern states and one Canadian province. Quakes were reported at intervals from as far east as Springfield, Mass., west to Ashtabula, Ohio, south to various points in Pennsylvania, and north to Toronto. Towns in Connecticut also were shaken.

In western New York, where the tremor appeared to have reached its maximum intensity, considerable damage was done. Seismographic readings at Canisius College, Buffalo, fixed the time of the principal shock at about 7 a. m. eastern daylight saving time, the main tremor lasting 17 seconds and being followed by minor shocks at intervals throughout the next six minutes.

Reports from over the four states of New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, and from Ottawa, Canada, tell of serious damage and two injuries.

Most serious damage was reported from Attica, where one of the walls of the Methodist Episcopal church cracked. A huge chimney on an industrial plant at Warsaw, in Wyoming county, collapsed.

Fights Decree Limiting Their Products

Washington—Prospects of another bitter court fight between wholesale grocers and the "big four" packers—Swift & Co., Armour & Co., Wilson Company and Cudahy Packing Company—with farm organizations generally lined up with the packers, were seen when petitions for modification of the consent decree which prevents the packers from dealing in commodities other than meat products were filed in the District Supreme Court. Every attempt to obtain modification of the decree entered by the latter court in May, 1920, has been vigorously opposed by the wholesale grocers.

Doody Hunted in Holdup Killing.

Chicago—Chicago banditry reached a new high for boldness when the quiet of the lake front was disturbed by a murderous train holdup. Three previously obscure men sprang into action as an Illinois Central electric train pulled away from Roosevelt road, intimated the crew and passengers, killed Delbart Sudds, a bank guard, took $4,000 away from the messenger Sudds was guarding, detrained at the next convenient south side stop and escaped in an automobile.

Stocks Plunge Two Billion in Break.

New York—The top-heavy speculative structure, created in the securities markets of the United States by the wild speculation of the last few months, was rocked to its foundations by the bomb shell of a higher New York federal reserve rediscount rate hurled into the financial district. Prices of active issues on the New York Stock exchange tumbled $5 to $30 a share, with one inactive stock dropping $46.

Lindy Tries Hand in Diplomatic Field.

Washington—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh applied his technical knowledge of aerial photographic surveying to an international problem. Before the Bolivia-Paraguay commission of inquiry and conciliation he discussed the feasibility of mapping and surveying from the air the 200,000 square miles of undeveloped country in the Chaco boreal, which is the subject of a historic controversy between the two nations.

Hoover to Relieve Prison Congestion.

Washington—Convinced that the federal government can delay no longer in relieving crowded conditions in government prisons, President Hoover outlined a plan to provide more accommodations for federal law violators in the institutions. When congress convenes for its regular session the President will ask the necessary authority and appropriations for a revision of the federal penal system.

Iowa Town Pays Hoover Tribute.

West Branch, Iowa—Several thousand persons gathered here to honor President Hoover on his 55th birthday anniversary. A marker, presented by the Daughters of the American Revolution was placed in front of his birth place bearing the inscription, "Birthplace of Herbert Hoover, first President of the United States to be born west of the Mississippi river."

Road Patrolmen Kill Police Chief.

Chicago—Chief of Police Theodore Schutte, 45 years old, of Elmwood Park, Ill., a suburb, was shot and killed by county highway police who had been summoned to suppress a disturbance in an inn across the street from their station. Schutte, police reported, was drunk and threatened the highway policeman when they entered the place.

60 Villages Under Water in India.

London—Sixty villages were under water in western India, according to dispatches. All barges and boats in the vicinity of the disaster were sent to rescue the hundreds of persons so marooned.

British Mill Workers Resume Work.

London—A half million cotton mill workers were elated at the news that the mills would resume operations at the wages in effect before they were closed, pending arbitration boards awards.

Newest **Wonders of the Air at State Fair**

HOSTS of the Newest Wonders of the Air, never seen before in the Northwest, will feature the gigantic program of the Minnesota State Fair & Northwest Livestock Show, Twin Cities, August 31 to September 7.

All of the progress made in aviation the past 12 months will be reflected by the wonderful show which is being assembled. One of the features will be a mammoth Observation Balloon, 94 feet long and 28 feet wide.

Fifteen great open-air circus acts; three days of thrilling auto races; four days of horse races for purses of $19,000; the famous State High-School Band of 225 Pieces; and the Morris and Castle Midway Shows will be other features.

The world-famous fireworks spectacle, *"The Last Days of Pompeii"*, known as the greatest spectacle ever built, will be staged each night.

Never in all the history of fairs has such a fair been planned. A new record for crowds and exhibits is certain.

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR
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The Time Test

Two Scots were discussing the domestic troubles of a friend.

"That woman leads puir Sandy an awfu' life," said one.

"Humph! what else could ye expect?" asked the other. "He only coorted her for seven years, an' i hold that nae man can understand a woman in that time. Now I coorted Maggie Deans for twenty-twa years—"

"And did complete happiness follow this lengthy courtship?" asked an Englishman seated opposite.

The speaker was given a scornful glance by the "ardent wooer," who replied: "I found oot at the end o' that time that I didna much care for the women, an' cried aff!"

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Twenty-eight years before George Washington was born, the first American newspaper was established. Increasingly, during the 200-odd years that have intervened, the newspaper has become a matter of course in the American home.

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage executed by Hans C. Juhl and Hallie Juhl, his wife, as mortgagors to the Crookston State Bank a corporation, as mortgagee, dated the 9th day of February, 1920, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 18th day of March, 1920, at 9 o'clock a. m. in Book 62 of Mortgages on Page 430, upon and mortgaging the southeast quarter (SE1-4) and the east half of the northeast quarter (E1-2NE1-4) of section nine (9), in township one hundred and fifty two (152) North of range forty three (43) West, in Pennington County, Minnesota; which mortgage was duly assigned by the said Crookston State Bank to Alice B. Hall by an instrument in writing dated the 11th day of April, 1921, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county on the 27th day of July, 1927, in Book 80 of Mortgages at page 5; which default consists in the failure of the said mortgagors to pay the debt secured to be paid by said mortgage and which became due on the first day of February, 1928, and that the amount due and claimed to be due upon the said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of $5710.20; and no action or proceeding having been brought to recover the same or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given, that virtue of the power of sale contained in such mortgage, and pursuant to the statute relating to the foreclosure of mortgages by advertisement, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said mortgaged premises sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt, interest thereon, and attorney's fees and the expense of such foreclosure sale, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington county, Minnesota, on Saturday the 21st day of September, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and state.

Dated July 26th, 1929.

Alice B. Hall,
Assignee of Mortgagee,

W. E. ROWE,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
Crookston, Minnesota.
A1.S-5

Citation For Hearing On Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota,
County of Pennington } ss.

In Probate Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Halvor Johnson Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to All Whom It Concerns, and to all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, on the 31st day of August 1929 at 10 o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 3rd day of August 1929.

Lars Backe
(Seal) Judge of Probate.

H. O. Berve
Attorney for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minn.
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NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 1st, 1924, executed by T. M. Thoreson and Clara Thoreson, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 2nd, 1924, at 2:30 o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 200 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $171.88 each, due on October 1st, 1928, and April 1st, 1929, respectively; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $5,190.08, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from April 1st, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $343.76, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $171.88 thereof since October 1st, 1928, and on $171.88 thereof since April 1st, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $98.40, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $5,725.57, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼), the East Half of the Northwest Quarter (E½ of NW¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West, except a tract described as follows: Beginning at a point 33 feet West of the Northeast corner of the Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West, thence South parallel with the Eastern boundary line of said Section Seventeen (17) to a point 33 feet North and 33 feet West of the Southeast corner of said Section, thence West parallel with the Southern boundary line of said Section a distance of 17 feet, thence North to the Northern boundary of said Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of said Section, thence East to the point of beginning, which piece was conveyed for highway purposes by Deed recorded in Book "6" of Deeds, page 100 of the records of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, containing 239 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenences, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 30th day of August, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance premiums paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated July 17th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit,
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
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Heroics of Olden Days Are No Longer Possible

Days when a brave women could earn the applause of the country by yanking off her red petticoat and flagging a train just as it neared a broken rail are over, mostly because broken rails are rarer and red petticoats extinct. The New Jersey farmer who saved a train by waving a flag and a burlap bag, the other day, recalled those heroines of the past generation to mind, and, being given to idle speculation, we tried to picture the situation if a modern woman should come across a broken rail. If she removed a garment (any garment) to use as a flag, with the probabilities against her finding one large enough to be seen, the chances favor a horrible wreck, because a really modest engineer could do no less than close his eyes and speed past. Engineers, no doubt, favor a return of the good old days, in the interest of safety. —Columbus Dispatch.

Easy for Woman to Find Parking Space

It was a busy corner and there were parking space for just one car. A gentleman espied the space, counted it his own and proceeded to ease his car into it. To do this be bed, it seems, to back, turn, wheel, run forward, shift gears, and attack on the right and left flanks.

While he was going through this very elaborate maneuvering, a woman driver arrived and cleanly usurped the parking space by the absurdly simple method of driving her automobile straight into it without flourishes or trouble.

A moment or so passed and then the gentleman realized for all his strategy the position was lost. "Say, sister . . ." he began, and he was still talking as the woman snapped the door of the car and got lost in the crowd afoot.—Baltimore Sun.

RECORD EXHIBITS AT STATE FAIR

Agricultural, Livestock and Industrial Resources to be Displayed in "Show Window."

THE Minnesota State Fair and Northwest Livestock Show, Twin cities, August 31 to September 7, will present the greatest educational program in its history, announces Cal Sivright, vice president and general manager.

Enlarged exhibits and new features, more pretentions than ever attempted before, will make the 70th annual fair an outstanding one. It will be a $25,000,000 exposition vividly portraying all the progress that has been made in agriculture, livestock, industry and home-making in the Northwest the past twelve months.

The fair has been aptly called the "Show Window of the State." And why? Because it mirrors a true picture of all of its resources: At no other place can such a clear picture be had of its many varied industries, such as dairying, livestock raising, farming, mining, manufacturing and industrial activities.

New classifications, changes in rules, and increased prizes offered have been contributing factors to the increased interest in this year's big educational program. Premiums totaling $131,035.00 have been set aside for educational features, a sum several thousand dollars in excess of the prize money offered a year ago.

Officials of the Northwest Livestock Show, staged in conjunction with the State Fair, have gone out of their way in an effort to make the livestock show an outstanding one. In the cattle department will be exhibited many of the finest dairy and beef herds of the nation. More than 1,000 head of cattle, valued at $1,000,000.00, will be housed on the main floor of the Livestock Pavilion. Equally as fine exhibits of horses, sheep and swine have been arranged.

Forty counties of the state will have booth exhibits in the Agricultural building, featuring the finest grains, grasses and vegetables grown in their respective counties.

In the horticultural building will be found stupendous exhibits of fruits and flowers, making it one of the most attractive spots on the grounds.

And then there will be the demonstrations of the boys and girls enrolled in club work. Twelve hundred junior farmers, survivors of the 45,000 children who competed in the preliminary contests throughout the state, will meet in the finals to settle championships in the various projects that have been carried on the past year.

Machinery Hill, with its 80 acres of exhibits, showing all kinds of tractors, threshers, combines, and road equipment in action, will present the premier show of its kind in the country this year.

In the Fine Arts building will be a loan collection of canvasses from the leading art galleries of the nation valued at $1,000,000.

Exhibits that will appeal especially to the woman, whether she be from the urban or rural centers, will be featured in the Woman's Activities department. There will be exhibits touching on home-making, child training, food, clothes, art, travel, and politics.

East River Now Heated by Big Power Plants

Back in 1776 the East river at New York city froze sufficiently to allow an army to cross over the ice in safety. But nowadays the stream obstinately refuses to freeze, even when the temperature reaches its lowest extreme.

One reason for the warmness of New York's adjacent waters may be the action of the nine power plants along its shores. For every ton of coal consumed in making steam for the turbines, about 400 tons of water—which is drawn from the river—are needed to condense the steam back into water after it has served its useful purpose. The water is heated about 25 degrees before it returns to its original habitat and at least 400,000 tons of water pass in and out of the power plants every hour. It has been computed that this has the effect of raising the temperature of the whole river at least 10 degrees, in spite of the strong tidal current which changes its waters twice daily by influx from Long Island sound and New York harbor.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Mankato—William Duncan, Jr., banker, was elected president of the Mankato Chamber of Commerce.

Rochester—August Olson, fire chief of Red Wing, died here following an operation. Olson was 59 years old.

Redwood Falls—Of 261 herds of cattle tested in the third tuberculosis retest in Redwood county, only 14 were found to be infected.

Brainerd—Accompanied by his wife, L. D. Bissell, age 80, drove his car 1,900 miles from Bellingham, Wash., to Lake Hubert, near here.

Little Falls—By resolution, the Morrison county commissioners have placed a ban on Sunday night dances in the county outside of municipalities.

Ely—Searchers recovered the bodies of two Chicago youths, believed drowned when the canoe in which they were riding rapids on the Basswood river.

St. Cloud—That St. Cloud will set a new record in 1929 for the number of homes built, appears likely following a survey covering the first seven months.

Albert Lea—Members of the Sons of Norway lodges of Waseca, Emmons, New Richmond and Hartland will join local members at an outing here August 25.

Bayport—Nearly 1,000 members of the Sons and Daughters of Norway in the Twin Cities and surrounding towns gathered here for their annual outing and picnic.

Owatonna—Glenn Mack of the Plainview News was elected president of the First District Editorial Association in business session at the annual outing here.

Rosewood—The Rosewood Farmers Elevator, purchased recently by 25 farmers, opened for grain buying, with Olaf Nerby, former grain buyer at Newfolden, as manager.

Red Wing—Marjoris, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Elander of this city, died from burns received when she fell backward into a pan of boiling water at her home.

St. Cloud—Complete revision of St. Cloud's 250 city ordinances, has been undertaken by the city council, in conjunction with a staff of experts from the Minnesota League of Municipalities.

St. James—Millard K. Hegstrom and Harvey L. Sweunes have sold their interests in the Plaindealer Publishing Company here to Mrs. Will Curtis, J. Harold Curtis and Leslie G. Curtis.

Staples—A new city hall will be built to cost $33,400, the city power building remodeled to cost $5,000, four and one-half block added to the white way, and a new fire truck costing $5,500 bought.

Madison—The city council has organized with L. O. Berg, president, and A. W. Hauck, vicepresident. M. T. Hoff has been renamed as city clerk; Joe Onstad, chief of police, and A. W. Ewing, city attorney.

Duluth—Three young girls were drowned in a county gravel pit near Five Corners, 10 miles from Duluth. They are Lillian Wainola, 16 years old; Edna Sandstrom, 16, and Mildred Anderson, 17, all of Five Corners.

New Ulm—Earlier dates have been selected for this year's show of the Brown County Poultry Association. It will be December 6 to 9. Henry Leitschuh has been named as chairman of the entertainment committee.

Columbia Heights—By a vote of four to one, the county commissioners of Anoka county turned down the request of Columbia Heights to be allowed to withdraw from Anoka county to facilitate its move to be annexed to Minneapolis.

Ellendale—A. M. Lerberg, 70 years old, pioneer merchant of Ellendale and a director of the Ellendale State Bank, died here. He was a brother-in-law of the late A. G. Sorlie, governor of North Dakota. A wife and three children survive.

Northfield—Herman Roe, publisher of the Northfield News and field director of the National Editorial Association, left for Tacoma, Wash., to represent the organization at the annual conference of field managers of state press associations.

Lake City—A bond issue to build a new $130,000 gymnasium and auditorium as an addition to the Lincoln high school here was approved by voters of independent school district No. 4. The old gymnasium was destroyed by fire May 24.

St. James—Operations of an organized band of livestock thieves are being investigated by County Attorney J. V. Bumby and Sheriff J. C. Bermel of Watonwan county, who said their members were making raids in three counties, Watonwan, Blue Earth and Brown.

Hastings—Peter Nelson, Hastings contractor, was awarded the contract for construction of a new concrete bridge at Nininger on county road "D" at a cost of $2,000, by Dakota county commissioners. The grading and graveling contract was given to James Ahern of Nininger for $2,000.

Hamlin—G. A. Pond of the University of Minnesota is one of six agricultural economists of the U. S. chosen to represent it in an international conference in England.

Big Fork—Property worth approximately $75,000 was destroyed in Big Fork in northern Itasca county, when flames swept a block of the business section of the town.

Farmington—The biggest of 15 plants in the Twin City Milk Producers Association will be erected here for the manufacture of condensed milk and milk powder, and will cost $150,000.

Vegetables Easily Stored For Winter

Because of their health-giving qualities, fresh vegetables have an important place in the winter diet and consequently people who depend on a home-grown supply are interested in methods by which vegetables may be stored for winter use. T. M Currence, vegetable expert of the Minnesota Agricultural Experiment station, University Farm, St. Paul, says that a large variety of vegetables may be successfully stored, including several kinds of root crops, potatoes, cabbages, celery, onions, pumpkins and squashes.

The conditions required to keep these different kinds of vegetables vary considerably. Root crops and potatoes are best kept in a cool moist place, such as an outdoor cellar where the temperature does not go lower than one or two degrees above freezing. Onions should be stored in a cool dry place, while pumpkins and squash are best kept where it is warm and dry, the attic being a favorable place for storing such crops. Celery and cabbages are intermediate in their requirements, being best preserved under condition that are moderately cool and moderately damp.

Where it is not practicable to provide separate storage places for these different crops, fairly good results can be obtained by providing a general storage room in the cellar or basement. This should be partitioned off and have an earth floor. Outdoor pits may also be used for storing such vegetables as the root crops, potatoes and cabbages, but these have the disadvantage of being difficult to get at during the winter.

One of the secrets of success in vegetable storage is to have good sound products that are properly matured, and free from insect, disease, or mechanical injury, Mr Currence says.

She Forgot the "R"

The high school teacher was new to the East and the pupils had not yet decided whether to like her or not. They held informal meetings to discuss her from every high school pupil angle. Her clothes, her looks and the way she applied the lipstick all come in for searching analysis.

They had almost made up their minds to permit her to stay when one of the members of the English class raised her voice in protest.

"She dresses fairly well," she said, "and her make-up isn't so bad. But her pronunciation is simply awful. She comes from the Middle West and she never pronounces the 'r' in words like 'ideor.'"

Hint for Dog Lovers

These aristocratic dogs whose prices go up in the hundreds and sometimes thousands of dollars receive the very best of care—and food. The food they eat largely determines their appearance, and their appearance wins them prizes at dog shows. And what do the kennel owners like to feed their dogs? In many cases canned dog foods, the basis of which is usually meat mixed with barley or some other cereal and some cod liver oil. The mixture is put into tin cans, sterilized just as carefully as if it were for human consumption, and then it is ready for the fastidious dog kings.

Where Monks Farmed

The historic estate of Vale Royal, in England, a portion of which is being placed on the market, includes the bulk of the lands anciently farmed by the monks of Vale Royal Abbey, once a mighty house of the Cistercian order. The monks of the Cistercian order, the eight hundredth anniversary of whose coming to England was celebrated, have been called the greatest farmers in medieval England, and no doubt the development of English husbandry was to a large extent due to them. At the dissolution the abbey was laid in ruins.

First Sailboats

The paintings and sculptures in the early records of Egypt show regularly formed boats constructed of sawed planks of timber propelled by numerous rowers and also by sails. These vessels were long galleys with one mast and a large square sail which was sometimes of linen and sometimes of papyrus. The oldest authentic record as to these sailing vessels is the illustration of one of them used as a decoration of an Egyptian amphora (in the British museum), judged to have been made about 6000 B. C. It is noted, however, that these boats could sail only with the wind. The science of sailing against the wind was unknown for thousands of years. They sailed only when the wind was favorable. The oarsmen worked when the winds were unfavorable.

Big Enrollment

Two hundred seventy-five students from fifteen northwestern Minnesota counties have already reserved rooms for the opening of the fall term at the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston. According to E. R. Clark, acting registrar, this advance enrollment represents an increase of ten percent over the all-time record established one year ago.

During the past summer, A. M. Foker, Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, has supervised an extensive program of repairs and improvements that will add to the convenince of students and faculty.

Superintendent A. A. Dowel has announced an extensive building program for the coming year which will include a new physicial education building, complete remodeling of the administration building, and other improvements.

Courses in agronomy, animal husbandery, farm machinery, motors, horticulture, poultry home economics, music, business training and nursing will be offered during the fall term which opens September 30.

Council Proceedings

Special meeting of the village council held at the village hall July 12, 1929 for the purpose of deciding upon a proper drainage in front of lots 16-17 and 18 of Block 38. Meeting called to order by president.

All members were present except Hanson.

On motion duly made and carried the council decided to build a cement curb at a cost not to exceed $25

On motion made and carried, meeting adjourned.

A. Satterberg, Pres.
M. Fricker, Clerk.

Council Proceedings

Special meeting of the village council held at the village hall July 15, 1929, called for the purpose of hearing the sentiment of taxpayers in regard to oiling both sides of Broadway between Second and Fourth streets.

Meeting was called to order by the president, all members of the council, except Hanson, being present.

There being no objection made by anyone present, the council decided, upon motion made and carried, to accept offer made by State Highway Department to do oiling for $200.00.

Upon motion duly made and carried, meeting adjourned.

A. Satterberg, Pres.
M. Fricker, Clerk.

Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council held at the village hall August 5th, 1929 at 8:00 P. M. Meeting was called to order by the president, all members being present except Hanson.

Minutes of last special and regular meeting were read and approved as read.

On motion made and carried, the following bills were allowed as read:

Halvor Gunnofson, gravel	$ 5.00
M. Fricker, bd of equalization	3.50
A. Satterberg "	
and nails	3.75
Ole Nash, labor on well	2.00
Red River Pr. Co, lights	34.20

On motion made and carried, meeting adjourned.

A. Satterberg, Pres.
M. Fricker, Clerk

Choice quality Northern White Cedar Posts and poles, slightly undes the N. W. C. A. specification grade. Will last a lifetime. Shipped direct from the woods. Write and enquire for prices.

Paul Thyren,
J 25-S 18 Hazel, Minn.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.

St. Hilaire. Minn.

THE CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle. Pastor.

Sunday, Aug, 25
Services as follows:
Oakridge, 11:00 A. M. Nor. Lang.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday morning at 10:30 in local church with Sunday school following.

The Y. P. S. meets Sunday evening, Aug, 25th at the P. W. Peterson home southeast of Hazel.

EVAN GELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg. Pastor

Sunday School 10:00
Services at 11:00 and 8:00

Multisyllable Words Feature Some Tongues

Eoglish, os Prof. Otto Jespersen of Denmork recently observed, may be degeneroting into a mass of monoeyllobies, but there are many langueges left over which Mark Twain could hove bod the kind of fun iu which he iodnlged wheu he suggestcd thot German words could he made to serve as suspensiou hridges ecross the widest rivers. There is Finnish; for instonce. While the reader of au American newspoper has had fleshed upoo him the laconic heodline, "Jap Klog Tokes Crown," the Finnish reoder, es the luterpreter pnts it, is still weding somewhere in valtaistulmelleusettomisjubia, which means nothing more than "coronetiou ceremooy" and leeves him still a vast distooce to go in order to learn to whom it heppens. In Danish the old age peosion lew is known as alderdomsuoderstottelsesforordningen and in Italien, as the interpreter remarks neotly, it takes time to rush headlong, es the reader may test for himself, hy tryiog to sey precipeterevolissimevolmente. No wonder that heedlioes in some foreign newspapers hava to he three or four columns wide. Even then, the headline writer must hove his troubles.

Disuse of Mentality Would Mean Idiocy

It is a funny place, this world of cepitalism, with its astonishing spread of ignorance and heipiessness, boasting all the time of its spread of edncotion and enlightment. There stands the thousands of property owners and millions of wage workers, uone of them able to make anything, noue of them knowing what to do until somebody tell them, uone of them having the leost uotion of how it is that they find people paying them money, and things in the shops to huy with it. And when they travel they are surprised to find that savages and Esquimeux and villegers who have to make everything for themselves are more intelligent and resourceful. The wonder would be if they were anything else. We should die of idiocy through disuse of our mental faculties if we did not fill our heads with romantic nonsense out of illustrated uewspapers and novels and plays and films. Snch stuff keeps us alive; but it falsifies everything for us so absnrdly thet it leaves ns more or less dongerous lunatics in the real world. —George Bernard Shaw.

25 Years Ago

Anton Peterson of Wyandotte, lost his barn and four horses by fire that week.

—xxv—

N. G. Otterness bought the land office and real estate business conducted here by Julius Pleth.

—xxv—

R. H. Aimer was back after a trip to Wisconsen points.

—xxv—

Track was being layed for the new Soo line at rate of two miles per day.

—xxv—

Annual ball of the fire department was to be held the following Saturday night.

—xxv—

Alfred Dainard was ill with an attack of appendicitis but was improving.

Order Limiting Time To File Claims, and For Hearing Thereon

State of Minnesota, } ss.
County of Pennington }

IN PROBATE COURT

In Matter Of The Estate Of Peter Lindblom, Decedent.

Letters of adminstration with the will annexed, this day having been granted to Melvin H. Wood.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, ond the same hereby is, limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that February 15. 1930, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator, a weekly newspaper as provided by law, and by mailed notice as provided by the rules of this court.

Dated August 7th, 1929.
(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate

Theo. Quale
Attorney-for Petitioner.
A-8-22.

Largest Electric Lamp

A 50,000-wett experimental hulh mada recently is said to be the world's largest electric lamp. It resembles a wireless valve, and at the top of the bulb a metal fin radiator carries off intense beat generated by the white-hot tungsten filament, which has a temperature of 5,500 degrees Fahrenheit. The lemp is cooled by the circulation of tha nitrogen with which it is filled.

Such hnge lights may ultimately find use in aerodromes and film studios.

ABIJAH PERKINS' AMBREL

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

UNCLE HOSY HEWITT, humped, dripping, on the seat of the old "democrat" wagon, drove moderetely into tha wagon house. With deliberation he descended, anharnessed old Charley, wiped down his shiny rotundity with cotton waste, patted, hlanketed, fed end repetted him, and then proceeded piecidly elong the uneven plank floor of the "weik" into the kitchen.

Aunt Hitty Hewitt, bustling ebont amoog her shining pots and pans, suspended operations, pinmp hands upraised.

"For the land sake, Hosea Hewitt! You look as though you'd be'u ducked in the Peaneeseewassee! You don't mean to tell me you didn't take en ambrel! An' threeten' as it was when you set out this mornin'! You did, Hosy, yon did! I recall puttin' it in the wegon myself!"

Even as she chided, in tones that removed ell sting from her words, Aunt Hitty was hovering about the delinquent, removing his limp old soft felt, eod hanging it on the corner of the clotheshorse, behind the stove, teking his soggy overcoat from bis leisurely moving hands, and disposing of it heside the hnt; hringing dry footweer, and ever and anon bestowing eundry littia pats and smoothings, suggestive of e solicitous tahby, whose irresponsible offspring hed contrived somehow to get itself mussed or messed up.

Uncle Hosy welted, with a twinkia at the heck of his grey eyes, until there wos e clearly defined pause. Uncle Hosy required time and a margin for everything he did, even to mnking e remerk. The psychological moment for speaking did not make itself apparent until he had seated himself before the glowing stove, settled comfortahly into tbe chintz-covered rocker, and stretched chilly, blue-wool-stockinged feet upou the hot etove sheif, elreedy provided hy Aunt Hitty with a shingie of safety-first thickuess and width. Theu with a prefetory twinkie:

"Yes, Mehetsbel, you put it in all right. I lent it to 'Bijah Perkins. You see, he—"

Aunt Mehetabei hed lost the tima required for ooe gasp.

"Lent it to 'Bijah Perkins? Of all things! Where was 'Bije's own ambrel? Thet's what I'd like to know! I never sew him stertin' off to town witbont it—never! He bad it in this morning, when he passed, I'm positive! I c'n shut my eyes an' see thet knuckly old hone handle stickin' out from under the cushion nt the back of the seot. Why thet ambrel is part of 'Bije Perkins! How on earth—"

"Just you wait, Hitty, till I tell ye. Then you'll know all ehout it. This stove-sheif is pesky hot!"

Uncle Hosy hoisted protesting heels, Annt Hitty provided a supplementary shingle ond the story began.

"Well, I was settin' in Bengs' store, long nbout one o'clock or so, waitin'; hopin' the rain 'd ease up a mite. Old Charley wns over across in the Free Boptist horse sheds, all dry'n comforteble, an' I'd be'n puttin' roand pretty hard, with all the arrants I had of my own, en' yourn, an' them the neighbors 'd donated as I druv hy."

"That's yon, Hosee Hewitt—tekin' on arrants for half Hewittville! Here—"

Uncle Hosy lifted anrelnctant heels. Aunt Hitty tucked a third shingia in position, and the story proceeded.

"Ez I wes seyin', I'd be'n puttin' round pretty herd in the rain an' I didn't mind waitin' a while. Beugs is good compo'y, an' I like to eet my lunch there. By the way, Bangs' full-creem cheese was so tasty I hronght home a ponnd. It's in my left-hnnd lower side pocket over there."

Aunt Hitty dove for tha percel, removed the demp wrappings, placed the contents in a covered dish and Uncie Hosy resumed:

"Ez I was sayin', I didn't mind waitin' a while, 'zlong ez 'twas too wet to do anything ebout the farm. Well finally it did ease up hut somehow I kep' eettin'. Bangs was tellin' about his boy at college an' the new-fangled ideas he's gettin'—reel amusin'. All of n sudden the door flies open, an' in busts 'Bijah Perkins. In a turribie stew he is—gits a pound of salaratus an' a hox of toothpicks ou account, an' bee-lines for the door—host of arrants to tend to, ha says.

"Well, it didn't rain any more for quite a spell, but I kep' a settin'—didn't like to hreak in on Bangs. Course of half an hour in busts 'Bijoh.

"'Left my ambrel here!' sezze, lookin' sharp over to where he'd stood at the counter, an' then peerin' round.

"Well, uow, I'd particklerly uoticed that 'Bijah did not hev 'is ambrel with 'im when ha coma in before. An' I'd wondered at it considerable. Told 'Bije so, but it didn't do any good. Said he remembered distinctly of settiu' it down to dreen. Said it must be round there sommers. Peeked back o' the door, an' the cracker harrel, an' the boxes of herrin' an' raisins, that was stacked up there. Then ha hems an' haws, an' asks who's be'n in the store since he was there. Bangs don't tell 'im. Fact is there hadn't nobody be'n in.

"'Sure you ain't left it nowhere?' says Bangs, reel mild.

"'Bijah fairly snorted. 'Course I'm sure!' sezze. 'You know 'Bijah never makes mistakes, an' never forgits.'"

"I know—poor Sary!" murmured Aunt Hitty, peering benevolently though judiciously into the oven. Uncia Hosy sniffed anticipatingly and went on:

"Well, 'Bija he puffed round quite a spell longer, bewailin' the fact that Hewittsville was goin' to the dogs, an' yon couldn't set down anythin' a minnte without havin' it snapped. By that tima it begun to rain again, hard. 'Bijah he's a heap of chores to do, ye know, Hitty, an' reely ueeded to be puttin' along toward home. So natt'rally I offered 'im my ambrel. Ha closed with the offer prompt."

"Oh all the—"

"Wait, Hitty—there's a snapper to this story. Course I was reck'nin' on its holdin' np soon, so's I could git homa all right without it—an' in plenty o' time, not havin' so fur to go, an' uot hevin' be'n pestered ez much ez 'Bijah, an' so uot havin' so many chores to do.

"Well, it didn't 'pear to hold up mnch, an' I was still settin', when the door flies open ag'in, an' in pops little Sammy Perkins, 'Bijah's sou Cy's boy. He had two ambrels—on't he'd be'n holdin'over 'is heed, an' one buttoned up.

"'Ain't Gramp here?' he pipes, ell out o' breath, an' settin' down the huttoned-np ambrel careful. Then Bangs an' me saw 'twas 'Bijah's!

"Seems 'Bija'd bed dinner et Cy's, an' 'twas rainin' when he come but when he went it'd let up; an' with so many arrants on 'is mind, he'd left 'is ambrel behind.

"Seems Sammy'd be'u chasin' ell over the village fo' 'is gran'pa—bleck-smith shop, mill, post office, Boober's meat merket, Tubb's barness shop—fact all tha places where 'is gran'pe'd said ha was goin'. All out o' hrenth Sammy was.

"Weutsd to leave the ambrel there, Sammy did. First off Bangs wouldn't listen to it. Said he couldn't afford to take chances carin' for valnable property. Then all of a sndden thet look of his come into his eyes. 'All right, Sammy—leave it!' seeze, real cordial.

"After Semmy went out, Bangs explained how'd he remembered 'Bije'd said he wes goin' to bring Sary in to do some shoppin' in a day or so. They nius come there to Bangs', course, and Bangs thought he'd eppreciate to see 'Bije's fece when tha embrel was produced, an' expleioed, right front 'o Sery. Professed, Bengs did, to believe 'twas a leedin' o' Providence for him to give Sary the chance for once, to know that folks knew that 'Bijah Perkins could make a misteke. 'Mebbe it'll meke 'Bije a mite easier to live with,' sezze. An' I'm hopin' it will."

Annt Hitty petted the bold spot ringed with grizzied curls. Then she turned to picking up the boked potetoes.

"Mebbe," she sighed as she balanced the last on the fragrant pile—"Mebbe!"

Tragic Drama Marked Disposal of Diamond

The Pigott diemood, weighing 85.8 cerets, and being therefore more than an inch in diometer, was elmost half es hig es the Koh-i-noor—40 per cent. to be exact. This wonderful stone wos originally sold at Christie's, in London, in 1802, for £10,099 to one Porker, a pawnhroker of Princess street, who had his own ideas of how he wes going to dispose of it, Dr. George F. Kunz writes, in the Saturday Evening Post.

He bad conceived the rather unusual and dramotic coup of selling this diamond by lottery, thns assuring himseif of many times what he hed paid for it, and, in fact, considerebly more than its morket value et the time aod severel times what he could have obtained from any privete or public purchoser.

So Pewnbroker Porker sold cheuces ou his diamond as one seils chances on a quilt et a conntry fair, end with no difficulty at eil almost tripled what he had paid for it—totaling £30,000. The lucky wiuner was on nnknown youth, who sold it for a low price to the jewelry bouse of Randell & Bridge. One wonders what the Koh-i-uoor would bring today in a lottery.

I have said that great gems almost never die. But when the Pigott eventually disappeared, it was, we beve certain avidence, forever. I know of no other great stoue which has been thus irretrievably lost. Colossal pride—a potentate's pride—and jealousy destroyed tha Pigott.

Shortly after its sale to the Londou jewelers in 1818 it came into the possessiou of Ali Pasha, khedive of Egypt, who paid £30,000 for it. This and oue thing else were the two most-prized treasures of the Eastern potentate. He carried it always in a little green silk purse attached to his girdle.

Ona day the khedive was mortally wounded by his enemy, Raschid Pasha, and sank ou his divan to die. But before he yielded up his soul be called his most trusted confidant, a certain Captain d'Anglas. Two treasures there were which be swore should uever come into tha hands of his enemy. Two commands he laid upon d'Anglas: First, that his adored wife, Vasilica, should be strangled; and second, that his adored diamond should be laid on a stone and crushed with hammer blows. Thus should tha enemy be cheated.

When Raschid entered Ali's palace, there, escaped somehow from her decreed death, stood the lovely Egyptian queen, but a little pile of glittering dust was all that remained of the great diamond.

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St. Hilaire Aug. 28, P. M.
Plummer Aug. 29, A. M.
Red Lake Falls, Aug. 29, P. M.

Eyes Examined, Glasses Fitted

Pennington C. T. A.

The Pennington Co. Cow Test ing Association which was organized in May and started on June first has now covered nearly forty herds. Mr. Lloyd Johnson tester for the Association reports that the membership quota is now filled and a waiting list is being started. There are between 450 and 500 cows on test in this organization now.

During his visits each month or every other month to the association members Mr. Johnson has been of great help in giving advice on rations to be fed to individual cows animals underfed rather than overfed according to production. One member was well paid for belonging to the association be cause Mr. Johnson on his last call made the discovery that his cream separator was losing $15.00 worth of butterfat each month.

The high herd for the month of July made 39.5 lbs. of butterfat and the high cow in the association produced 207.7 pounds in 92 days. This individual's test was on the averge 3.74 per cent.

The three lowest tested individuals tested 1.7 per cent each which will pay for their keep while they are on pasture but not if they were to be fed in the barn.

A total of fifty seven cows have produced over forty pounds of butterfat in thirty days. In June there were forty-one and in July only sixteen.

As a result of testing records thirteen cows have been culled out of various herds and replaced by young heifers and others superior in production. Also two cows were sold for dairy purposes outside of Pennington County.

The White Front building at Red Lake Falls, occupied by J. Sarvard, was padlocked last week by a United States Marshall for violation of the prohibitiou act.

Plow Lays: I have on hand plow lays to fit most makes of plows. Others not in stock, may be had on short notice.
A22S5 Wm. Olsen, City.

Man Wanted

—Any age is the Age of Chivalry—if there is a Galahad.—American Magazine.

LOCALS

Assurance of security comes with using tires with the double cable bead. This has pleased 250,000 G & J users. The long wearing tire with the Free tube. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls.

He who does not advance recedes, and he who does not prepare is liable to despair. Why not take a course in the Mankato Commercial College? Mankato, Minn.

Mrs. E. J. Erickson of Thief River Falls spent Monday night at the home of her sister-in-law Mrs. Carl Johnson.

Many men have again taken up hunting since Gambles reduced the price of guns and ammunition. Winchester shells 75c to $1.15 per box. Repeater and double barrel guns at real savings. Thief River Falls.

Mrs. Carl Johnson and Misses Eva and Lilly Johnson were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Evenson of Wyandotte on Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Notice For Bids

The board of directors of the Wylie Co-operative Elevator Co. will receive sealed bids for the old building for wrecking, fixtures excluded, They will also receive sealed bids for wrecking the said building, all nails to be extracted and lumber piled. These bids will be received until 7 p. m. Saturday, Aug. 24, 1929, a certified check of 15 per cent to accompany each bid. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Bids should be sent to Manager of Wylie Co-operative Elevator Co., Wylie, Minn.

Board of Directors,
Peter Schirrick, Secretary.

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The Creamery List

Fifty three patrons of the creamery drew checks in amount of $100 and up, and a big number of others got from $50 up to $100 last week for cream delivered during July. Total amount paid out to all patrons during that month was in excess of $14,000.00. This is a remarkably fine record for the month of July, the time when flies are generally bad, and as was the case this year, dry weather prevailed. Here is the list:-

N. E. Beebe	$220.57
C. A. Lindquist	212.62
Novak & Son	210.99
Erickson Bros.	204.56
C. H. Swanson.	193.83
E. H. Stephens	187.01
O. T. Mogen	185.17
H. Holmes	177.25
Gust Larson	176.37
A. Johnson	175.93
Christ Anton	172.56
Ole Larson	166.25
Mrs. H. Thorstveit	165.81
McKercher & Son	163.92
J. Larson	160.40
And. Ortloff	159.45
N. P. Schalz	157.83
And. Erickson	155.60
F. Ulrich	147.60
Wm. Rinkenberger	147.40
Geo. Haupt	145.17
Swanson Bros	141.52
D J. Johnson	141.36
K. T. Dalager	140.36
F. Schmidt	139.28
And Husby	135.45
J. Norman	135.44
F. Anderson	135.02
John Gothia	133.03
R. Melin	132.55
L. Erickson	123.24
Herman Jepson	122.24
B. Walseth	121.32
Emil Larson	116.32
Johnson Bros.	115.77
Mrs. A. Anderson	115.37
J. A. Anderson	155.33
Art Swenson	114.27
Mrs. J. Konickson	112.07
H. Hallstrom	111.75
Carl Zinter	110.45
H. Johnson	109.81
I. A. Rotzlar	108.31
H. Luttmer	106.24
F. Bothman	103.67
V. G. Brink	102.81
A. A. Anderson	102.39
Ole Hagglund	102.02
C. O. Swanson	101.50
E. Hallameck	101.05
Fred Soderberg	101.04
Sig Vik	100.96
O. Larson	100.34

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Birthday Surprise Party

Mrs. Elizabeth Case, who resides in this village during summer months each year, was tendered a surprise party at the home of Mrs. N. E. Beebe on Aug. 23rd, the occasion being her 80th, birthday.

A most delightful afternoon was spent at the gathering, and a toothsome luncheon was served. As a remainder of the occasion, Mrs. Case was presented with a number of gifts.

Amomg those present were Mesdames Geo. Biskey, S. M. Hoff, Carl Johnson, J. S Roy, J. Hanson, D. Patterson, O. Gunstad, H. L. Ball, Wm. Olson, Geo. Wilson, B. E. Burkee, L. E. Beebe and Misses Blancb Hoff, Lilly Johnson, Mabel Patterson and Eva Johnson.

From Minneapolis

Mr. and Mrs. Sig. Engh and baby daughter, accompanied by Mrs. G. Fellman, motored up Friday night from Minneapolis for a visit at the Adolph and Frank Satterherg homes and with other relatives and numerous friends. They returned home yesterday.

They were accompanied on return trip by Mrs. A. Satterberg, who will visit with them and also attend the state fair.

Oldtimers Perform

One of the most interesting features in the ball game here last Sunday was appearance on the diamond of several players who were with St. Hilaire in seasons past. In the game were Sig Engh, Lud. Gullickson, Emil Hallemeck and Al Brink. Officiating as umpire was Dr. J. E. Owens of Red Lake Falls, formerly of this place.

Boys and girls who are enrolled in Minnesota 4-H dairy calf clubs with Guernsey calves and who complete their work and file final reports with their county agents are entitled to receive a fine bronze pin or button, provided by the American Guernsey Cattle Club, Peterboro, New Hampshire. County agents may send lists of eligible boys and girls direct to the association or to state club office, says T. A. Erickson, state 4-H club leader, University Farm, St. Paul.

The local school opens next Tuesday. A big enrollment is expected this year.

Stopped

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Wiley Ewing returned this week after attending a family reunion at his old home in Iowa.

Note:-Anyone in town having spare rooms they can rent out to high school pupils kindly communicate with E. N. Reiersgord, City, before opening of school.

Dr. L. Twete, the veterinarian, spent several days of last week in this locality while attending to testing work west of town, and other calls in this viciuity.

Mrs. Fred Erdmann and her hrother, Fred Seeger of Oklee, motored yesterday to Warren to see their father who critically ill at the hospital there.

Miss Marie Vik left Tuesday for Minneapolis after spending a week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arne Vik at the farm home south of town.

Be up and doing. Devote the next few months preparing for a good business position. Write Mankato Comericial College, Mankato, Minn. for Catalogue.

Mrs. Karl B. Johnson and son of Lancaster, are here for a visit at the Jackson home and also with other relatives. Last week tbey visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hauge and family at Bagley.

Ed Giste, representing the Park, Grant and Morris wholesale house at Fargo, was here last week-end calling on the trade, visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. Carl Johnson and looking afther his real estate interests east of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hahner of Marshall county, Morris and Raymond Hahner of Sanders, were visitors at the Wm. Yonke home Monday evening.

Arne Vik motored yesterday to Warren and upon return was accompanied by his daughters, Helga and Agnes. The former had undergone two operations at the hospital there, and Agnes had acted as special nurse for ber during her illness.

After spending several days here at the O. Gunstad home, Mrs. A. L. Patterson, Mabel Patterson, Mrs. H. L. Ball and baby daughter left Tuesday morning to spend a few days at Maple Lake before going to their respective home at Minneapolis and Omaha.

Ed Durbin left yesterday for Hibbing to make preparations for opening of a braneb meat market which will open next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Olsen motored up Saturday evening from Leonard and spent Sunday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs H. A. Olsen.

Harwood Olson, who has been employed in the harvest fields near Drayton, returned hone Friday, to stay a week while an infection in one of his hands received treatment.

Miss Gunhild Nelson submitted to an operation for removal of her tonsils last Friday. The operation was performed by Dr. O. Engstrand at the Warren Hospital

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter and son, Billy, motored this morning to Grand Forks where the latter will undergo an operation for removal of tonsils.

Labor Day Dance, Legion Pavilion, Red Lake Falls, Monday, Sept 2, 1929, Music by by Fletchers Eight Piece Band, Grand Forks, N. Dak.

Mr. and Mrs. Arne Vik and daughter, Marie, Mr. and Mrs. Sig. Vik and childern motored Friday to Warren to visit with their daugbter and sister, Helga, who was a patient at the hospital there.

Are you satisfied with your old gun? Liberal trade-in allowance on a new Winchesser Repeater--prices $39.38 to $44.88. Shells 74c and 98c per box case lots. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls.

A Ford car belonging to Frank Bothmann, and a Chevrolet belonging to John Mortenson, collided on the state road near the Bothman place last Friday. None of the occupants were injured, hut the Chevrolet was damaged to some extent.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jacohson and son, accompanied by Mrs. S. J. Field left Saturday morning for their respective homes at Hibbing and Eveleth after spending several days here at the V. Brink, A. Jacobson and G. Lindquist homes.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg motored Tuesday to New London for a visit at the home of his parents. They were accompanied hy his sister, Miss Angeline Dahlberg, who had been a guest at their home here for a week.

Drowned In Red Lake River

A young daughter of G. Berggren, a farmer living near the Red Lake River northeast of here, lost her life by drowning last Friday. The girl and her sisters were bathing in the river when she stepped into a deep hole and sank before assistance could reach her.

Local School Opens Tues. Sept. 3rd.

The local school will open Tuesday, September 3rd. Students from outside districts wishing to attend the local high school this year should bring in their credit slips and register as soon as possible.

We hope to see all the students intending to attend school this year present the first day. Every year there are students who are several weeks late in entering school, thinking they can make up the work later, but in many cases they find the work too difficult when they enter, and fail as a result. Our school has made a good record in scholarship and I feel this is due to a great extent to punctual attendance. Let us have 100 per cent attendance on Sept. 3rd.

Children entering school for the first time must be six years of age by January 1st. 1930.

We hope to have a high school hand this year and I hope all the parents of the interested pupils will give them support so our new school activity will be a success.

The new members of the faculty this year are:

Miss Thora Lervold, Halstad, Minn.
First and second grades.
Miss Ruth Frazier, Verndale Minn.
Third and fourth grades.
Mr. John Costain, Moorhead, Minn
Seventh and eighth grades.
Miss Nina Friestad, Tuttle, N. D.
H. S. Enlish and Am. History.

E. N. Reiersgord. Supt.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Anderson and his mother, of East Grand Forks, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rux, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rux and Muriel Lubitz, Martin Rux, Alice, Stella and Melvin Bengtson of Sanders, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Yonke last Sunday.

Ed and Siguard Engh, accompanied by Evelyn and Alice Maakrud, motored Tuesday to Edinburg, N. D., and visited briefly with Sigward Engh and family, and also with Wm. Engh, who is employed there.

Good Ball Game Sunday

The best ball game played on the local ground this year was that played last Sunday between Red Lake Falls and St. Hilaire. The visitors took a lead of two in the first inning, and from then on it was an even match, the locals managing to maintain a lead until latter part of the game. With the score tied 7 to 7 at end of eigth frame, Red Lake got a luckey hit, which coupled with an error on part of the locals gave the visitors the deciding score.

A good sized crowd was out to witness the game which was exceedingly interesting from start to finish.

The Red Lake Falls boys kindly consented to substitute Sunday for the Oklee team which backed out at the last minute after a game with them had been scheduled and advertised.

Here From Chicago

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Olson of Chicago, stopped here for a short time Thursday, and greeted oldtime friends of Mr. Olson, while they were enroute home after a vist with her relatives at Roseau. Mr. Olson was manager of the local lumber yard for many years, leaving here eleven years ago.

Brown Speaks Here Sunday

President J. M. Brown of Concordia College at Moorhead, will speak at the local Norwegian Lutheran church Sunday morning at 11:00.

E. T. Gestie of Fargo, who for some twenty years has made bi-monthly trips to this village, in the interests of a wholesale grocery firm, which he represented, has severed his connections with that firm, and intends to go into business for himself in Fargo.

A. McKercher, his daughter, Muriel, and Miss Smith, of Burlington, Wis., and D. McKercher of Northwood, Iowa left Monday for their respective homes after a visit here at home of their brother, Richard McKercher. On Sunday the visitors and the R. McKercher family were at Grand Forks for a visit with relatives.

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The creamery, which has been brot up to its present state during the past twenty seven years, has by no means reached its capacity, nor is dairying overdone in this territory. It is safe to say that a gain of one thousand percent over present output, could be made without additional territory being added to this field. Not only is this possible but indications are that it will come to pass. Testing of cows, and intensive dairying will do it. By the way, have you bought a share in this growing local enterprise?

St Hilaire, Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Making A Start

Look around among the most successful people in your community and you will find practically every one will ascribe his or her success to early training in saving.

Save a part of your income during your productive years. It does not have to be any large amount each month, but save a part.

Independence in later years does not come by wishing for it, but by systematic saving when you are making more than necessary for your immediate needs. Start a savings account.

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O. C. Johnson, Mgr

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Ants by the Millions Used to Worry Beetles

"Without Black Ants No Cocoa," reads a sign posted at the entrance of a great plantation in Central Java. It does not go unheeded, either, for the natives hand in some 4,000,000 nests of these little creatures every year, and receive payment in return. These black ants live upon trees infested by the white cocoa louse.

Neither the louse nor the ants injure the trees. The real enemy is a certain beetle whose name is Helopeltis, which also attacks the tea plant. It has been found that when the black ants are present the Helopeltis fails to injure the trees. Apparently this sap-sucking pest is disturbed by the activity of the ants, for the latter do not attack the beetle.

This is why the black ants are protected. Food is provided for them by picking the white cocoa louse from the shells of the fruit, where they congregate, and placing them on the cocoa trees to attract the ants and disturb the beetles.

Wave Speed Difference Gives Strange Effects

Sound travels through the air at the rate of one mile in five seconds. Ether waves have a velocity a million times greater. This difference causes some strange effects.

Big Ben, London's famous clock, can be heard to strike four miles from Westminster. Owing to the difference between the speed of radio and air waves, in many parts of London it may be heard to strike 22 times when the 11 o'clock signal is being broadcast from Daventry—through a loud speaker and through the air. There is an interval of four and one-half seconds between each stroke of Big Ben.

At one mile, the first two strokes by radio would be heard before the first by sound waves, and after the last by radio two would arrive through the air. At four miles, five would be heard by radio before the first by sound-waves, and the last by radio would be followed by five carried by air waves.

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Oldest Road in America

The old Spanish road, built across Mexico in the Sixteenth century, is believed to be the oldest road in North America. It was built in the form of a letter "Y" with the lower point starting at Vera Cruz on the gulf. The northern prong touches the Pacific at San Blas and the southern tip at Acapulco. Because of this road the west-bound convoy lines from the Philippines were spared the dangerous navigation around Cape Horn. There still is evidence that this old trail was used by the Indians before the Spaniards broadened it from a pack-mule path to a highway.

Speed Hog

Armed with pencil and notebook, a reporter attended a certain meeting and took up a position below the platform.

He worked very quickly, and occasionally the speaker glanced at him rather nervously, afterwards speaking at greater and greater speed.

But the faster he spoke the quicker the reporter's pencil glided over the paper. Finally, the orator could stand it no longer.

"Not so fast," he shouted; "not so fast! I can't keep up with ye."

Sympathetic Tree

A tree that died with its owner is the subject of a strange story told at La Grange, Mo. When William Quinn was born on a farm 71 years ago his father, Benjamin Quinn, planted a hard maple sapling. The tree thrived as the boy grew. William Quinn was devoted to it.

When Quinn died a few months ago so did the tree. To keep alive the memory of the spot the family left a six-foot stump in cutting the giant maple. A vine was planted at its base.

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Young's Service Station, handling a full line of Cities Service oils, grease and gasoline, is now open and serving the public of St. Hilaire and vicinity.

Next time your gas tank needs refilling, try KOOLMOTOR, the original high-test, anti-knock green gas, and note the improvement in performance of your motor. Once tried, always used.

Cities Service Oil Co.

DARING auto racers, the world's fastest race horses, the pick of America's open-air circus acts, gorgeous fireworks, forty-four great Midway Shows, the Minnesota High-School Band of 225 pieces, and hosts of other attractions will head the entertainment program of the great Minnesota State Fair and Northwest Livestock Show, Twin Cities, from Aug. 31 to Sept. 7.

Twenty-five of the world's champion auto race drivers will try for new records. *"The Last Days of Pompeii"*, the most wonderful fireworks spectacle ever engaged by the State Fair, will be staged nightly.

Four days of the fastest horse racing ever seen in the Northwest will mark the afternoon programs, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday.

Fifteen thrilling circus acts, headed by *"The California Poppies"*; a dozen big bands; and a score of other mammoth attractions make up a bill never equalled at any former Fair, held anywhere in the world.

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

& N·W·LIVESTOCK SHOW

Aug. 31 to Sept. 7

People Must Reform

The people have revolted many times throughout their history, but have never yet revolted against their own worthlessness.

We can never have real reform until the people are somehow made to realize that there is but one reform: for the people themselves to reform; not to glorify their race or pastors, but to make themselves more comfortable.

The one great thing to strive for is to render life as easy, comfortable and successful as possible; to modify savage nature. This can best be done by people behaving better; to help rather than fight each other.—E. W Howe's Monthly.

Mule Always Important

In spite of all the modern mechanical equipment of armies, the mule still remains indispensable to military efficiency. Centuries before Hannibal and his elephants marched on Rome the mule was a military factor of first importance.

Tea First Artificial Drink

Man's first artificially concocted drink, so far as the records can be traced, was tea. Tea leaves were being used to make a beverage in the orient more than 4,700 years ago, reports the Farm Journal.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Lake Crystal—H. G. Sandhoff of Fosston will lead the new agricultural department of the local high school.

Minneapolis—This city will be host to 15,000 delegates to 12 conventions which will meet in Minneapolis in September.

Tyler—Howard M. Fredrickson of Howard Lake has purchased the Tyler Journal and will take possession of the new paper September 15.

Minneapolis—Warrants to the number of 1,222 have been issued to the sheriff for the collection of delinquent automobile taxes in Hennepin county.

Alexandria—Members of the Minnesota Telephone association representing companies in that field of communication were in annual convention.

St. Cloud—Reassessment of real property in the city of St. Cloud is asked of the Minnesota tax commission in a petition signed by 21 citizens.

Grey Eagle—Todd county officers sought the body of Harvey Rausch of Melrose, who drowned in Birch lake near here when his motorboat turned over.

Excelsior—L. V. Wilson, superintendent of Boulder Bridge farm, near Excelsior, is in Springfield, Ill., where he will assist in judging cattle at the Illinois state fair.

Brainerd—Thieves operating with a motorboat, stole four outboard motors from cottage owners on Gull lake near here. Sheriff Claus A. Theorin has offered $200 reward.

Stillwater—Theodore Van Tassell, lawyer and former attorney in Stillwater, died 24 hours after having been shot by Michael Herald, a dissatisfied client in Yonkers, N. Y.

North Branch—William Turner, 60 years old, local potato buyer, died on his way to a Minneapolis hospital shortly after a truck on which he was riding was struck by a freight train.

Winona—More than 10,000 Scandinavians from 15 lodges in Minnesota, Wisconsin and Upper Michigan attended the twenty-first annual convention of the Vasa Order of America in Ashland.

St. Paul—Two new locks on the nine-foot channel basin may be built into the government high dam to replace the present lock which was put out of operation when the lower gates collapsed, it is reported.

Minneapolis — Four Minneapolis stamp collectors won honors in the judging of exhibitions at the National Philatelic display of stamps in the Hodgeon building here. Over $1,000,000 worth were on exhibition.

Chatfield—S. E. Bibbins, former mayor, councilman and school board member here, is dead at the home of a daughter in Pasadena, Calif. His body will be returned here for burial. Mr. Bibbins was mayor in 1906 and 1914.

Duluth—Two-year-old Olive Carlson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carlson, is dead as the result of accidental scalding. The child, frightened, backed into a pail of boiling water, and died in a few hours, at their Superior home.

Minneapolis—The report of the Minneapolis Municipal air port for the week ending August 19, shows that a total of 237 active planes used the field and 1,157 passengers were carried. A total of 43,264 miles were flown by these ships during the week.

St. Paul—W. S. Short of St. Paul, Junior department vicecommander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, is a member of the distinguished guests committee assisting in arrangements for the national encampment, which will open in St. Paul and continue through August 31.

Worthington—Exhibiting the prize dairy heifers and purebred gilts at the Nobles county fair, five boys and one girl will receive free trips to the Minnesota state fair, which opens August 31. Winners of the trip are Howard Gordon, Hersey; Will Elsing, Larkin; Erwin Williams, Worthington township; Walter Kramer, Little Rock; Gerald Oberman, Bigelow, and Agnes Hansen, Worthington.

Red Wing—J. F. Englin of Stillwater was elected president of the State Elks association, which opened its annual convention here. Other officers chosen were O. M. Thurber of Owatonna, first vice president; Dr. B. J. Branton, Willmar, second vice president, and Dr. A. C. Cohn, Brainard, third vice president; Vincent Jennings, St. Paul, secretary, M. F. Sullivan, Mankato, secretary.

Puposky—To study the tuberculosis situation in Beltrami, Hubbard, and Koochiching counties, a survey, the second in two years, began last week, sponsored by the county public health associations. The project is being conducted in the three counties by Miss Mabel Johnson, field nurse for the Minnesota Public Health Association, and is a follow-up on the work done last year. Free chest clinics are being conducted by Dr. R. L. Laney, superintendent of Lake Julia Sanatorium, Puposky, as a feature of the survey. The study forms a part of the anti-tuberculosis work made possible in the counties by the Christmas Seals.

Aitkin—Fire destroyed the F. H. Osterhout mill. For 20 years the mill was engaged in the manufacture of barrel head liners.

Hibbing—At a meeting of members of the Messabe Range Mining Co. Sept. 6 a successor will be named to succeed the late Frank H. Cahoa of Hibbing, one of the manager of the institute.

Hibbing—The Dean iron mine, formerly under lease to the Great Northern iron ore properties, and up to a year ago operated as a subsidiary of the M. A. Hanna Company, is to open on a lease.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage executed by Hans C. Juhl and Hallie Juhl, his wife, as mortgagors to the Crookston State Bank a corporation, as mortgagee, dated the 9th day of February, 1920, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 18th day of March, 1920, at 9 o'clock a. m. in Book 62 of Mortgages on Page 430, upon and mortgaging the southeast quarter (SE1-4) and the east half of the northeast quarter (E1-2NE1-4) of section nine (9) in township one hundred and fifty two (152) North of range forty three (43) West, in Pennington County, Minnesota; which mortgage was duly assigned by the said Crookston State Bank to Alice B. Hall by an instrument in writing dated the 11th day of April, 1921, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county on the 27th day of July, 1927, in Book 80 of Mortgages at page 5; which default consists in the failure of the said mortgagors to pay the debt secured to be paid by said mortgage and which became due on the first day of February, 1928, and that the amount due and claimed to be due upon the said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of $5710.20; and no action or proceeding having been brought to recover the same or any part thereof.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given, that virtue of the power of sale contained in such mortgage, and pursuant to the statute relating to the foreclosure of mortgages by advertisement, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said mortgaged premises sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt, interest thereon, and attorney's fees and the expense of such foreclosure sale, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington county, Minnesota, on Saturday the 21st day of September, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and state.

Dated July 26th, 1929.

Alice B. Hall,
Assignee of Mortgagee,

W. E. ROWE,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
Crookston, Minnesota.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
IN DISTRICT COURT
Fourteenth Judicial District

Farmers State Bank of St. Hilaire, St. Hilaire, Minnesota, a corporation, by A. J. Veigel, Commissioner of Banks of the State of Minnesota

Plaintiff,

-vs-

A. J. Hed, Defendant.

SUMMONS.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT:

You are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the undersigned at his office in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, within twenty days after service of this summons has been made upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid the Plaintiff in this action will take judgment against you for the sum of $800.00 with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum since December 22nd. 1927, together with the costs and disbursements of this action.

Dated July 20th. 1929.

Chas. E. Boughton. Jr.
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota

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According to figures given out a short time ago by the county engineer in regard to cost of operation of the new road building machinery recently purchased by the county, it appears the couty has made a good investment when it acquired the machinry.

The situation at present differs somewhat from that of prevous years. Now the county recieves something like $25,000.00 a year from gas taxes which sum must be spent on county roads. Many of the stretches to be graded or reshaped are so short that it would not pay to contract the work. In many cases it would be necessary to wait several weeks while preliminary work was done before a contract could be let. With the county owning its road building equipment, many of these small jobs could be done without delay.

This is important because all seasons are not equally good for road building, and being able to do work when it should be done, means a big saving.

Such road work as is done by, and under supervision of the various townships, usually consists of short stretches of grading or reshaping. The cost of moving the outfit of a private contractor onto such jobs would be prohibitive. These roads will be constructed by the county outfit at actual cost of operation of the machinery and the townships will benefit thereby.

Purchase price of the new road building machinery does not come from, nor does it cripple, the road and bridge fund as generally supposed. Its purchase price comes out of the gas tax proceeds.

Judging by experience of other counties in this state, which have owned their building machinery long before the gas tax was contemplated, this county will get more roads built, at less cost, in the next five years, than it has in the ten previous ones.

The county board, which consists of men of mature judgment, and who have long resided in the county, bought the road machinery only after exhaustive investigation of results being obtained in other counties, and feel that equally good results can be obtained here if given a fair trial.

Sewing Wanted:

I have the facilities for, and am prepared to do any and all kinds of sewing. If you have anything to be done, kindly call or phone 70.

Mrs. John Gonnering,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

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The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$1.10
Durum Wheat	.98
Rye	.76
Barley	.38
Oats	.30
Flax	2.52
Eggs, cash	.26
Creamery butter	.46

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Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

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The best time to replenish your supply of letterheads, statements, envelopes, memoheads, bill file statements, and other printed matter is right now. Anticipate what you will need for fall use and order it now during the slack summer season. We can give you better service, and, incidentally, better prices on such work when done during the summer.

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This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

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St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

How Long

Though the sales agent may imagine she is impressing us, what we're wondering, as we listen attentively, is how long it took her to memorize the speech.—Toledo Blade.

Keep Watch on Tongue

"If you tells every little thing you knows," said Uncle Eben, "sensible people is liable to see to it dat you don't know much of importance."—Washington Star.

Egyptian Metals Studied

Study of metals used by the ancient Egyptians indicate that the "lost art" of hardening copper and bronze to steel-like strength was not known to them.

White House Paint

The White House proper is not stuccoed. It is painted with a special paint made of white lead, French white zinc and raw linseed oil.

To Clean Clogged Pipe

When a pipe becomes clogged mix equal parts of salt and soda (about a handful of each) and put this down the pipe. Leave it for half an hour, then pour down a large kettleful of boiling water and rinse the pipe with warm water.

Well, What Next?

New York scientist discovers that insects live most happily in glass houses. Now that we know just how to promote happiness among the bugs and the ants and the mosquitoes, what do we do next—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Cleaning Varnished Wood

Varnished wood is best cleaned with cold tea strained from the leaves. If the wood is very dirty, a little warm soap and water may be used, but only to remove the outer dirt; the tea will not injure the varnish.

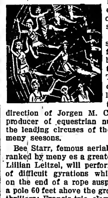
STATE FAIR HAS THRILL PROGRAM

Spectacular Entertainment Features Recruited from Four Corners of the Globe.

THE most gigantic entertainment program in the history of the Northwest, costing more than $100,000.00, will be presented at the coming Minnesota State Fair and Northwest Livestock Show, Twin Cities, August 31 to September 7, announces Cal Sivright, vice president and general manager of the fair.

Feature attractions recruited from the four corners of the globe will provide thrills galore for fair visitors. It will be a program that will be varied enough to please the most exacting visitor. It will include spectacular vaudeville attractions from the leading circuses and theatrical circuits of the country, horse races, auto races, band concerts by famous bands, captive observation balloons, aviation thrillers, a stupendous fire-works spectacle, a big Evening Horse Show, a midway with 25 rides and shows, and a thousand and one other features, all of which spell a good time.

The California Poppies, featuring 12 dancing girls, in amazing contortion feats on a great Spider's Web of glittering silver high in the air, a new sensation in the amusement world, will be one of the dozen big headliners on the vaudeville program to be presented in front of the grandstand.



Another spectacular feature will be Christiansen's Ten Creamoline Stallions, under the personal direction of Jorgen M. Christiansen producer of equestrian numbers for the leading circuses of the world for many seasons.

Bee Starr, famous aerialist acrobat, ranked by many as a greater star than Lillian Leitzel, will perform all kinds of difficult gyrations while spinning on the end of a rope suspended from a pole 60 feet above the ground. Other thrillers: Francis trio, clown acrobats; the Three Flying Sullys, novelty artists on high bars and trampoline; the six O'Reilys, balancing artists; the Barcardle trio, knockabout clowns; the Six Galenos, premier teeter-board performers; Christopher and Columbus, clowning horizontal bar artists; the Van Da Velde troupe; and Krazy Kar, a trick car that goes through all kinds of laugh-producing antics.

More than 200 horses are entered in the 12 harness and nine running horse races for which $19,000.00 in purses have been hung up.

Twenty-five world-famous auto race drivers from the leading speedway and dirt tracks of the country will compete in the three-day auto race program.

The Minnesota State Fair High School band of 225-pieces, the largest band ever booked by the fair management, will give daily concerts.

A captive observation balloon of the type used by the American Army during the world war will be another thriller.

The Evening Horse Show will be staged five nights, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Prizes totaling $12,110.00 will be paid out to owners of winning horses.

"The Last Days of Pompeii", the greatest fireworks spectacle in fair history, will be presented as the feature of the evening show in front of the grandstand.

Has German Name

What is now the Canadian province of New Brunswick was created a separate province in 1784 and given the name it now bears. The name comes from Brunswick, a duchy in northern Germany. Brunswick and Hanover were once united, and in 1714 George, elector of Hanover, a descendant of King James I, became also king of Great Britain.

Okeechobee Ranks Second

The Geological survey says that the area of Lake Okeechobee varies from 710 to 730 square miles, and also that it is the second largest fresh-water lake in the United States. The largest entirely in the United States is Lake Michigan. Lake Pontchartrain is the third in size in the United States.

Delights of Garden

It is doubtful whether ideal happiness can properly be conceived of except in relation to a garden. The human race, as we were once taught to believe, was cradled in a garden, and was happy there as well as innocent. Mahomet's Paradise is a garden.—Exchange.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated July 2nd, 1927, executed by Carl Edwin Crown and Fred D. Lorentson as guardian for Carrie Crown, incompetent, wife of said Carl Edwin Crown, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on July 12th, 1927, at eleven o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 356 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $78.13 each, due on January 2nd, 1929, and July 2nd, 1929, respectively; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,447.98, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon since July 2nd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $156.26, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $78.13 thereof since January 2nd, 1929, and on $78.13 thereof since July 2nd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, and the sum of $12.60, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since May 3rd, 1929, in all the sum of $2,641.58, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-five (45) West, subject to a conveyance for school purposes shown of record in Book "8" of Deeds, page 271, containing 159 acres, more or less, according to Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 11th day of October, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 28th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (A-29—O-3)

25 Years Ago

A. R. Jones went Virden, Manitoba to run an elevator that fall.

—XXV—

Al Edstrom left to attend the state fair, and visit with his folks in Goodhue County.

—XXV—

Chas. Latta was arranging to start a newspaper at Scotland (Plummer) to be called the Scotland Standard.

—XXV—

Fred Diamond, day band sawyer was called to Frazee because of illness of one of his childern.

—XXV—

John Mostrom received a new threshing outfit that week, and was going out as soon as weather permitted.

—XXV—

Two suspects held in jail here since the robbery at Wylie, were released that week because of lack of evidence on which to connect them with the robbery.

—XXV—

Henery Rondorf of this place, drew a lucky number in the Fort Totten land lottery, and was given a chance to file on a first class claim. About 600 quarter sections were disposed of by lottery.

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Paul Thyren,
J 25-S 18 Hazel, Minn.

THE GIRL AND THE MINE

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LANGHORNE, owner, stepped from the dingy little room at the end of the long, black building, dubbed office, and walked briskly to the door of the foundry division. He had come down from the city that morning and was going back by the afternoon train. He took out his watch.

"Allison," he called. "Mr. Allison."

A strongly built young man emerged from the grimy interior. Langhorne looked at him speculatively.

"You will have this lot out by four o'clock, Allison, I think you said?" he asked.

"Yes sir."

"Well, you may draw the fires then and have the men begin clearing up. I shall not be down again."

In spite of its mask of iron black, Allison's face expressed incredulous surprise.

"You don't mean close the furnace, sir!"

"I mean just that," calmly. "I have been experimenting two years and losing money right along. The ore is too poor in quality for profitable working. I shall be sorry to lose your services, but all my other furnaces are fully supplied with managers and foremen. Of course," thoughtfully, "if you should care to commence again as an ordinary workman, we might—"

"I do not wish to leave here," broke in Allison impetuously, "and if you'll excuse me, I think you are making a big mistake in closing the furnace. It will pay well, in time. My experiments—"

"Yes, things have improved since you took charge," interrupted Langhorne. "But you have not been able to eliminate the loss. I can understand your enthusiasm. I was that way at your age. But iron is a plain, hard, practical business. And this is your first command, so to speak." He looked at his watch once more. "Twenty minutes to train time. Suppose we walk back to the office and wait until we hear the whistle. Of course, I shall try to sell and, frankly, I do not expect to find either customers or lessees. I would be glad to lease for a nominal sum, just to have somebody here. But, of course, no one would care to operate the furnace at a loss."

"If I could—" began Allison. Then he stopped abruptly. He was going to say if he could raise the money. But he could not, so what was the use thinking about it. He added, instead, "If I could have charge here, there would be a profit inside of three months."

Langhorne's eyes twinkled, and an odd look came into them. They walked on for some minutes in silence until they reached the office and Langhorne seated himself in the only chair it contained, motioning Allison to a box. He rather liked the young fellow's belief in himself and his determination, and he knew very well what the broken sentence had started to say. If it were not that—

"You'd like to take the plant yourself if you had the money," he said abruptly. "How much would you require to carry the furnace on to what you believe would be expense-making? If I loaned you $10,000, would it be sufficient?"

Allison was on his feet, his eyes wide and looking grotesque in their rims of iron black.

"You don't mean this, Mr. Langhorne," he gasped. "I have no means, no security, not even my college expenses paid yet. Then there's—"

"I've seen your work," curtly, "and am ready to loan you the money until the first of January. Unless you bring the output to a profit by that time, however, I will try to sell. Do you want it?"

"Of course, if you're willing, though—"

"There's the train whistle," interrupted Langhorne, rising from his chair and starting toward the door. "You may draw on me for the money as you need it, up to $10,000. No more. And—er—" as the train curved in sight around a hill and slowed toward the platform, "remember our compact. There's to be no correspondence whatever between you and Helen until you are fully able to support a wife. On my part, I will show equal confidence in my daughter and refrain from sending her to Europe. Good-by."

Allison watched him board the train with conflicting emotions, then went back to the office.

He did not tell the men of the change until the furnace had been emptied and the bars of crude pig iron shipped. That ended his duties as employee; for, of course, with himself as lessee, there would be no need, at least for the present, of cleaning up the plant for inspection. Henceforth he was to be his own master.

First, he made a careful estimate of the coal on hand, charging it against the promised loan, and of the amount of ore at the mouth of the mine, estimating that at the cost of bringing out, then making a list of such other things as he could use and which belonged to the plant. Then he wrote to Langborne, offering him one-half the profits after he had brought the furnace to a paying basis, in the meantime incurring all expenses of running work and improvements himself. That done, he called the men and made them acquainted with the change.

The next day he passed for the most part at the mouth of the furnace, helping with and overlooking the ore as it was poured in. But in spite of his care and watchfulness the result was not satisfactory, and the newly made pig iron was carried round and cast back into the furnace, to be once more melted. Again and again was this done, and though the results were often improvements on the preceding ones, they were not what he hoped and was striving for. So he worked and experimented, the loaned capital growing smaller and smaller until at length he began to discharge the more shiftless of the men. At the end of November his working force had dwindled to ten men and himself, and his money to less than $100. During the last few weeks but little time had been given to sleep. Through the day he had worked with the men, silent, watchful, untiring, and most of the nights were given to study, and the devising of new experiments. Something was lacking, some little point which he had missed. Perhaps it was in the ore, perhaps in the furnace, possibly somewhere else. Only he had missed it. And yet the secret was hovering at his very finger tips. He was sure of that.

The ten men remaining to him were the pick of the neighborhood, in whom he was every day growing to repose more confidence. They were all hard working, and tried to meet his wishes, and in a way they were beginning to understand that he was passing through a crisis of his life. One evening, after an unusually hard day, as Allison almost staggered toward his office, one of the men followed him, laying a detaining hand upon his shoulder.

"Look here, Mr. Allison," he said, anxiously, "you just leave that office alone tonight an' go into your room to bed. You're runnin' yourself out. An'—an'," hesitating a little, "if you don't mind, me an' the men have been talkin' about you some lately. We've been workin' pretty steady an' ain't a bit hard up now, so if it'll be any—any easier you might let our pay lie over a month or two. We don't mind, an'—"

Allison swung round and grasped his hand.

"Thank you for this, Brooks," he exclaimed, his eyes moistening. "You don't know how I appreciate it just now. Tell the men so. But I shall not take advantage of your friendship. It has been something of a strain with me lately, I don't mind admitting that. But another day or two will decide the matter, one way or the other. I was up all last night working and thinking, and am going to make one last trial, a bolder one. I sent my last 50 away this morning and the things will be here on the train tomorrow morning. The next day will decide whether we keep on or close, and whether—But goodnight. Be on hand at daybreak. I shall work in the office tonight, but after this will sleep."

The next morning he was on the little platform when the train came and took his package straight to the office. Soon after he went to the mouth of the furnace where the men were throwing in ore, the package in his arms. All day he worked there with them, feverishly, but the next day when he went below to watch the results, when the molten iron was released, he was calm.

But as he watched a strange light began to glow in his eyes. As soon as the bars were sufficiently cool he took several of them to the station platform, addressing them to Mr. Langhorne. Then he went to the office and wrote a long letter. And it lacked but two days of the year's end.

The first of January the letter was answered by Langhorne in person. His face seemed unusually excited as he swung to the platform, even before the train stopped.

"Are these bars fair samples?" he demanded.

"Yes, sir."

"Well, well, well. I'd never have believed it, never in the world! They are the finest I ever saw, and mean a fortune. But I can't accept your proposition, Allison; to take over the plant with you again as foreman. No, no. We'll run it half and half; my capital against your discovery and services. And I'll increase the capacity, and the working force to three hundred men. You'll want a superintendent now, Allison, and foremen for the different departments. You'd better hire them at once."

"They're already at hand, sir, men on whom I can depend, and who will make our interests their own."

"Good! That's the kind we want. Now let's go into the office and consider plans for the increase. "Why," explosively, "it's a fortune, and the most unbelievable thing I ever heard! Then we'll run up home and see Helen. She'll be glad and—er—I won't say another word."

First Penny Newspaper

The History of American Journalism states that the precursor of the penny press was the Daily Evening Transcript, established in Boston July 24, 1830, by Lynde M. Walter. While this paper was not sold on the streets for 1 penny, it was quoted at the extremely low rate of $4 per annum. Probably the first daily that was actually sold for 1 cent was the Cent of Philadelphia, published in the same year as the Daily Evening Transcript in Boston. In New York city the idea was first conceived by Dr. Horatio David Shepard.

Prize Husband

The prize husband is the one who does not say to his wife "your child" when he's bad and "our son" when he's good.—Woman's Home Companion.

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FOUR HELD IN 3 DEATHS

Prosecutor Opens Inquiry Into Auto Mishap On Bridge.

Minneapolis—Four men are under arrest as investigators of the county attorney's office opened an investigation into an automobile collision which plunged three men 70 feet off the Tenth avenue bridge to their death in the Mississippi river.

The three victims of the accident were: Charles T. Tracey, 42 years old, driver of the machine that plunged off the bridge; Ludvig J. Forsbeck, 24 years old; Clarence W. Score, 30 years old.

The four men held as an outgrowth of the accident are: Walter Story, driver of the second car; Carl E. Anderson, occupant of the second car; Louis Schultz, who had no connection with the accident, but is held as a material witness; and the proprietor of an alleged speak-easy where Anderson says he and Story got liquor before the accident, who also is held as a material witness.

The left front wheels of Story's and Tracey's machine locked together as the cars crashed head-on. The two automobiles spun around like a cracking whip and Tracey's car was thrown backward through the railing to drop 70 feet into the river. Tracey, Forsbeck and Score were drowned. All three bodies have been recovered.

10,000 Russ Reported on Chinese Soil.

London—The first military operations on a major scale along the Manchurian-Siberian border, where the armies of Soviet Russia and China have been facing each other for some weeks, were reported from Mukden and were purported to be based on an official announcement. An army of 10,000 Russians, equipped with machine guns and 30 field guns, was said to have penetrated western Manchuria. Twelve Russians and four Chinese, according to this version, were killed near Dalainor when a troop of 700 Soviet cavalrymen engaged Chinese soldiers in a three-hour conflict. China has mobilized 100,000 men.

Plans to Aid Raisin Growers.

Washington—The Federal Farm board announced that it had authorized stabilization of the California fresh grape and raisin industry and, in conjunction with a financial group in that state, had arranged for a loan of $9,000,000 to carry out its objective. This loan, the first important advance made from the farm relief revolving fund, will be extended to the Sun-Maid Raisin Growers of California, one of the country's oldest and largest co-operatives, and the Federal Fruit Stabilization corporation, a new organization recently created to help stabilize the grape industry.

Dynamite Explosion Shakes 2 Cities.

New Albany, Ind.—A terrific blast rocked this city and the west end of Louisville, Ky., across the river, shattering countless windows, when officials attempted to destroy two tons of dynamite. The blast wrecked the home of Carlson Bell, 300 yards away. No one was in the house. A half dozen workmen and a government inspector had narrow escapes from death.

U. S. Capital in Mexico $1,325,000,000.

Mexico City—As compared with $800,000,000 of American capital invested in Mexico in 1912, approximately $1,325,000,000 is represented by investments here now, the department of industry, commerce and labor reports. The department estimates that this year's exportation of bananas to the United States will total 3,500,000 stalks.

Student Flier Falls to Death.

Atlanta, Ga.—Harry C. Chatham, 32 years old, a student pilot, was killed when he fell from the training plane piloted by his instructor, Beeler Blevins. Blevins had nosed the plane toward the landing field, when he felt a lurch. Looking around, he saw the rear cockpit empty. Chatham fell 800 feet, his body landing in a cemetery.

Hollywood Actor Battle Suspended.

Hollywood, Calif.—The battle of the Actors Equity association to enforce closed shop in the motion picture industry in Hollywood was suspended indefinitely, President Frank Gillmore, of Equity, announced. Equity apparently has lost ground in the fight.

Robber Suspect Digs Way to Liberty.

Oklahoma City—Russell Gibson, being held in connection with the robbery of an Oklahoma City bank messenger several weeks ago, in which $75,000 was taken, escaped from the county jail here. Gibson and two others had dug a passageway out.

Yeggs Overdo in T. N. T. Attack.

Chicago—Too much nitroglycerin applied by yeggmen to a safe they were blowing in the office of the Blue Ribbon Distributing company started a fire that caused $15,000 loss.

Pantages Ordered to Appear in Court.

Los Angeles—Alexander Pantages, 54 years old, multimillionaire theater operator, was summoned to appear in Superior Court and enter his plea to charges of attacking Eunice Pringle, 17-year-old dancer, in his private offices.

Millionaires Plan Colony in Florida.

Miami Beach, Fla.—Construction work on a proposed $10,000,000 millionaire's colony will be started here September 3, Julien Southerland, representative for investors, announced.

The Laundry List

By JESSIE DOUGLAS

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"NEVER," said Kitty sternly to herself, "never shall I have anything more to do with a man!"

The train came along at this minute and she sprang up the high steps and found an empty seat in the day coach.

Helen Saunders had invited her purposely so that she should meet Will Farnsworth.

And at the last moment he had telegraphed that he couldn't come! Which might have been forgiven except for the fact that when they were out snow-shoeing Helen had seen a car flash past and had cried, "I do believe that's Will! Of all the—"

He had never come near them and Kitty knew it was on her account. He was an old friend of the Saunderses, which left no reason for doubt why he had been so careful to avoid them over this week-end.

Kitty opened her bag and drew out a book. A love story.

She lost herself in its pages, lost herself so deeply that she scarcely noticed when the train stopped, was barely conscious when the conductor came down the aisle. She held out her ticket and went on with her story. At Chapter VII, she found her eyes filling with tears—she couldn't go on.

She lifted her head then and saw that some one was sitting in the seat beside her. A man, of course. Kitty turned her face to the window, swallowing her tears as best she could, and hoping the stranger would not notice.

"I think this is yours, the stranger said at last.

"Why, yes," Kitty said, looking down at her laundry list in the young mans' hand. "It must have slipped out of my purse."

The young man said quite gravely, "You held it toward me such a long time that I thought I ought to take it—"

"I don't understand!" Kitty said haughtily.

Then she felt quickly in her bag and found that her ticket was still there.

The young man was smiling frankly. "Perhaps you thought it was your ticket. You see, I had my pass, so the conductor thought you were my—"

"How perfectly awful!" Kitty ejaculated.

"I say," he said suddenly, dropping that tone of amusement. "I know I haven't any right to say it, but I could see you were in trouble. Is there anything I could do to help you?" He felt around in his pocket and drew out a card that bore the name:

"William J. Fransworth,"
General Passenger Agent.

"It's nice of you," Kitty answered, "but the only thing you could do would be to tell me that the heroine lives happily ever after—" she patted the red-covered book.

"Crying over a story!" he ejaculated. "But that's easy enough!" He turned to the last page and began to read the final paragraph in a voice that vibrated pleasantly above the rattle of the train.

"'She held out her hand to him with a little glad cry of surprise. Hugh's eyes met hers with a long look of understanding. "'You forgive me, Soula'" He read the answer in her clear blue eyes, and as he gathered her close into his arms she knew it was for this she had been waiting.'"

"Thank you," Kitty said softly. "I get off the next stop."

"I wish you'd tell me your name. I'd do anything—get people to introduce us properly, if it took weeks, if you only would!" he begged.

Kitty looked at him for a moment. Revenge is said to be sweet. But Kitty Tenant felt its taste bitter in her mouth as she answered, "I think we will say good-by here."

"Good-by, then," he said standing with his hat off and watching her disappear down the aisle.

In the week that followed she found she could not drive him out of her mind. His gray eyes, his engaging smile and his deep voice came back to her again and again.

"It would be so easy to meet him," Kitty thought, "and never shall I do it. He didn't choose to meet me in the first place—" She stood washing out her best silk stockings in her wash bowl and wishing that Mrs. Wiggins gave a little more heat to her boarders.

"And I forgot my laundry!" Kitty said.

She hurried into her things, drew out the folded laundry list that brought back swift pictures of a ride in the train and ran around to the Dupont laundry. Opening the door, her heart seemed to stop and then give a wild leap that sent the blood rushing to her cheeks. For there before the counter was Will Farnsworth!

"'She held out her hand to him with a little cry of surprise. Hugh's eyes met hers with a long look of understanding!'" he quoted. "Do you know I've spent two hours and twenty minutes waiting for you in this laundry?" he asked, and then at the question in her eyes. "You see, I knew from your laundry list it would be ready today. The rest was easy."

As he carried her bundle home, walking beside her, Kitty knew what good friends they were going to be.

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CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services in Black River church at 10:00.

Sunday school following.

Sunday school in local church at 10:00.

Y. P. S. at Charles Erickson Sept. 1st. at 8:00 P. M.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, September 1st

Services in local church at 11:00 A. M. J. M. Brown, D. D.. president of Concordia College, will speak in the American language. This will also be Offering day. Bring the envelopes which have been given you, and place the gift on the alter of the Lord. "Bring in the gift to the house of God that his storehouse may be filled."

Services in Ebenezer church at 11:00 A. M. Rev. P. B. Trelstad of Moorhead will preach. The Y. P. S. meets at 2:00 at the Magnell home.

Y. P. S. of St. Pauli meets at that church at 8:00 P. M. All welcome.

Possibly Rev. Brown and Rev. Trelstad will speak at the Y. P. S. meetings.

St. Hilaire Ladies Aid at the church parlors Friday, Aug, 30th. Mesdames V. Brink and A. V. Jacobson will entertain.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday, Sept, 1st

Sunday school 10:00 A. M.

Services at 11:00 A. M.

Evening services at 8:00.

To Distinguish Sex of Guineas Is Hard

There is no sure way to tell the male guinea fowl from the female by looks. Usually the wattles of the male are a little larger than the female's, but this is not always noticeable—nor is it true in every case.

But their cries are different, and will reveal which is which. The female has a two-syllable cry which sounds like "buckwheat, buckwheat," or to some folks "pot rock, pot rack." Anyhow it's a two-syllable cry. But the male has only a one-syllable sort of shriek. Sometimes too, he makes a chattering noise and often says "quit, quit, quit."

But don't try to tell the two apart when they're frightened or excited. Both the male and female then make the one-syllable cry.

Oats Cause Trouble

The use of ground whole oats containing an abundance of indigestible fiber has caused many losses among young chicks when such material has been included in the home-made starters. A laying mash containing a lot of ground oat hulls has less feeding value than a mash without so much fiber. There should be a good demand for hulless oats for chicken feed if they can be raised as economically and are as good feed as oats which have been hulled.

The Creamery List

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John Sjoberg, $99.48, I. Johnson, 98.63, Mortenson Bros. 97.79, And. Mortenson, 97.21, Wy. Ewing, 99.46 Emil Pearson, 95.55, John Lundberg, 94.48, H. Burstad, 94.21, E. J. Akerlund, 93.25, B. Johnson, 92.45, C. Kruse, 92.22, Joe Patton, 91.22, P. Thyren, 90.16, Swenson Bros., 89 13 Mrs. A. Aubol, 89.10, John Steiger, 89.02. Gust Johnson, 87.92, Iver Iverson, 84.65, F. Landman, 84.06, Wahlback Bros. 83.06, H. Hawkinson, 82.34, Gust Erickson, 81.34, C. Person, 81.30, R. Randorf, 78.63, Merchants State Bank, 76.33, Alf. Dahlstrom, 75.89, A. Loberg, 75.64 John Maakrud, 75.15, John Gunstad, 75.14, Joe King, 74.65, Anton Bros. 73.91, E. Swanson, 73.82, S. M. Sorvig, 72.24, Wm. Randorf, 71.27, Wm. Yonke. 71.13.

A. V. Jacobson 70.58, F. Rux 69.55 J. O. Swanson 68.42 Dan Johnson 67.50 Ed Moren 66.67 T. Sherry, 65.58, F. Erdmann 65.34 J. O. Peterson 64.54 Wm. Palmquist 62.90 J. Hedlund, 62.62 E. Borgen, 61.79, J. Almquist 61.39, Ed. Aubol. 60-12 O. Haugen, 58.97, H. Allen 58.36, F. Grandbois, 58.17, Art Gunstad, 58.14, C. J. Swanson, 55.98, O. Mosbeck, 55.24, J. Johnson, 54.88, Otto Johnson, 54.72, Joe Royal, 54.55, G. A. Lindpuist, 54.39, G. Peterson, 53.82, Mons Svenson, 53.55 E. W. Swanson, 52.37 Chas. Schnider, 51.87 A. Swanson, 51.83, J. Scholin, 50.14.

Ancient Nautical Terms Still Used on Vessels

On all seagoing vessels both merchant marine and men-of-war, men work in shifts; watches is the nautical term. The watch from 8 p. m. to midnight is called the "first watch" since at one time it was regarded as the first watch in the day. Then come the "mid watch," from midnight to 4 a. m., as it comes in the middle of the night. Then followed the "morning," the "forenoon" and the "afternoon" watches. The watch from 4 p. m. to 8 p. m. is called the "evening watch," but it is often divided into two-hour watches and called the "first dog" and "second dog" watches. These were thus named because the sailormen of another day regarded them as so short that even a dog could not catch a nap during one of them. The "second dog" watch is sometimes called the "admiral's watch" since it is the watch the highest in command would choose for himself, in which the officer would relieve after supper and get relieved early with all night left for sleep.

Napoleon's Prophecy

"Not one of my descendants or relatives is capable of regaining the throne of France. So the girls had better marry into the Colonna and Orsini families. These are the families that produce popes," so confided Napoleon to General Bertrand, one of his closest companions. It was known that General Bertrand wrote down the Corsican's last wishes but for many years the manuscript was lost and only recently was published in the Revue des Deux Mondes.

"Some day," Napoleon continued, "there will be a Bonaparte in the chair of St. Peter, and so my name will be revered once more and that all over the Christian world."

LOCAL

Theo. Roy and family left last week for their home at Mountain Iron, Mich., after a visit here with his parents; Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Roy.

Melvin Sherva of Wahpeton, N. D., and Kenard Hovet, who is employed at Ortonville, plan to drive up last of the week for a visit at their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Roy departed last week for Huron, S. D., after a visit here with his parents. Mr. Roy is superintendent of schools at Huron.

Cash Cartier is up from Red Lake Falls today connecting up the Martin Hanson residence for electric service.

Fire, caused by children playing with matches, destroyed a barn at Thief River last Friday.

Miss Lilly Johnson, accompanied by her mother and sister, Eva, leave Friday for Austin where Miss Lilly has been re-elected as supervisor of grades in the city schools for the coming school year.

Plow Lays: I have on hand plow lays to fit most makes of plows. Others not in stock, may be had on short notice.
A22S5 Wm. Olsen, City.

Profit System Ensures Consumer Fair Chance

If your goods are acceptable, or your services useful, you will receive a profit. If, on the other hand, your fellow creatures decide (wisely or unwisely, it makes no matter) that they do not want your goods, or that they will get on better without your services, then you will make a loss. The profit-making system is the only one under which the consumer can be perfectly sure of obtaining the article he wants—any other scheme can only mean that he will have forced upon him the article which somebody else things he ought to want.

Working for a profit on an individualistic system also ensures that the people who receive the goods are the same as those who pay for them—a very important point. Based upon the interests of the consumer, it is the only system under which the consumer can ever stand a chance. We can make no money, we can do no good, unless we can persuade others to accept our services at the value that we and they jointly place upon them.—Ernest J. P. Benn, "The Confessions of a Capitalist."

The Junkman

Consider, sir, the junkman! He is a high commissioned officer in the war against waste. He even merits a medal with palms, for he is daily assisting in the important work of conserving values and, by preventing waste, makes substantial contribution to the world's store of wealth. In recent years, reclamation of basic materials has been so extensively developed as to have attained a high peak of economic prominence. Skilled scientists in the employ of our large corporations give their entire time—long hours every day—to the reduction of waste, thereby swelling surplus profits which otherwise would be forfeited. The junkman, in his own way, is serving the same purpose.

LOCALS

See the world's series and football games over the air. Now is your opportunity to secure a radio at a big saving. Trades and terms. Gamble Stores Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hanson, and the Misses Lilly and Eva Johnson motored to Grand Forks, Saturday, to spend the day.

Mrs. Walter A. Arthur of Snohomish, Wash., a former resident of St. Hilaire, is expected for a visit in this section soon. She intends to visit her sisters at Minot, Portland and Fargo, N. D., and will likely visit the old home town before returning to Washington.

Sudt. E. N. Reiersgord arrived Tuesday from Ulen to make preparations for opening of school next week.

A. P. Gorden and family, who have resided on the former Edgington place west of here, are planning to occupy the A. S. Wilson farm this fall.

Mesdames A. V. Jacobson and V. G. Brink will entertain the Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church at the church basement on Friday, August 30. 22-29

Apples For Sale: Crabs at 50 cents per peck or $2.00 per bushel. Cherry crabs at 25 cents per peck or 75 cents per bushel. Plums 30 cents per peck at the Yonke farm one mile east and mile south of St. Hilaire.

Rev. and Mrs. A. Sand of Annandale, and Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Swenson, daughters, Doris and Margaret, and son, Justin, of Warren, were entertained Sunday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelsons.

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Bengtson-Rux

On Wednesday of last week occured the marriage of two well known and popular young local people, Miss Alice Bengtson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bengtson, to Mr. Martin Rux, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred E. Rux, of Sanders township. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Crawford Grays at the M. E. Parsonage at Thief River Falls, and was witnessed by Miss Ruth Rux and Rueben Rux, sister and cousin of the groom. Following the ceremony, the newlyweds were guests at a wedding dinner at the Bengtson home. They left the following morning for Pelican Rapids, returning here Saturday. On Sunday, they left for Grand Forks where they will make their home. During the past two years Miss Bengtson has been employed at the Carlson Merc. Co, store. The groom has a fine position with the State mill at Grand Forks. Both Mr. and Mrs. Rux were popular members of the younger set here, and both enjoy a wide circle of friends who join in extending congratulations and best wishes to them.

Reception For Pastor

A reception was held last Sunday evening at the Trinity Lutheran church at Thief River Falls in honor of Rev. R. Fjelstad and his family who recently moved to that city from Stoughton, Wis., when Rev. Fjelstad accepted the pastorate of the Trinity Lutheran church. Among the pastors of this circuit who were present at the reception, was Rev. M. Dahle, pastor of the local Norwegian Lutheran church.

W. M. Young was here Monday from Orrin, N. Dak., for a visit at the homes of his daughter and son, Mrs. Chas. Huff and Raymond Young. Monday afternoon Messrs W. M. Young, Chas. Huff and Raymond Young motored to the Narrows of the Red Lakes for a view of that section of the country.

Herbert Nelson left Thursday evening for Minneapolis to spend a few days at the boy's camp at the State Fair, and also to visit with relatives in the Cities.

Hunters-- There's a complete line of hunting supplies at Gamble Stores coats-caps. sporting boots and guns. Trade in your old gun.

A Remarkable Yield

While a number of exceptionally good grain yields have been reported in this locality since threshing started, the best yet is from the Arne Vik farm south of town. From a field of 95 acres seeded to oats, with a mixture of wheat and barley for feed purposes, Mr. Vik realized 6370 bushels of grain by machine measure.

This is an average of better than 67 bushels to the acre by machine measure, and would no doubt be over 70 bushels by weight. Not only was the yield better than ordinary, but the quality was excellent.

P. T. A. Friday

First meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association for this school term, will be held at the school building Friday evening. An interesting program has been arranged, and lunch will be served. A special invitation is extended to parents of ALL pupils attending the local school to be present at this meeting.

The cerfew ordinance which has been dormant for some time, was revived this week with opening of school. All children on school age are required to be off the streets after the bell is sounded at 9:00.

Mrs. Carl Johnson and daughters, Eva and Lilly, left Friday for Austin where the latter will be supervisor of grades in the city schools again this year.

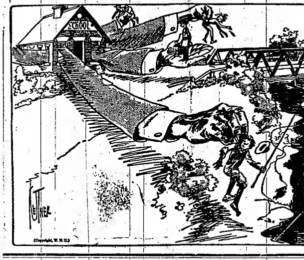
Mr. and Mrs. Chris Stapf and baby, accompanied by Alice Gigstad, are expected up latter part of the week from St. Paul for a short visit at the Mrs. Gigstad home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lyons of Milwaukee, Wis., are here for a visit at the home of Mrs. Lyons' sister, Mrs. Richard McKercher.

Woodrow Wilson left Monday for Thief River Falls to enroll for for the teacher's training course in the high school there.

Carl Surmo of Holt, motored down Friday to look after matters at his recently purchased farm, the former Halverson place south of the village. Mr. Surmo intends to huild a chicken house and make other improvements on the place this, fall hut will not occupy the farm until spring.

Time to Come Back



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mrs. Ludvig Gullickson and children returned Monday after a visit at the home of her parents at Alexandria.

Harm and Dick Bohlen motored up Saturday from Iowa for a visit with their father, J. H. Bohlen, at his farm home across the river from here.

The Milwaukee Giants, a travelling colored team of professional baseball artists, blanked the Red Lake Falls team in a fast game played in that city last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Borgie and family were over during the week end for a visit at the home of Mrs. Borgie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peterson.

Mrs. Ben Lardy and son, Tim, came Thursday evening from Gouveneur, Sask. Canada, for a visit at home of his mother and brother, Mrs. Sam Thompson and Tim Ensrud.

Ed J. Eide, who has been employed the past couple years at Eveleth, has been transferred to Virginia and recently moved with his family to that city.

Albert Berg of Superior, Wis., came up Saturday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Ole Sherva, and at home of his sister, Mrs. O. Seeland at Hazel.

C. R. Peterson, superintendent of the Plummer school, motored over Friday evening for a short visit with his numerous friends in this village.

A hig truck load of fresh and cured meats and other supplies was sent from Durbin's Produce Market here Thursday evening to Hibbing to supply the new Durbin market which opened there this week.

Ed Durbin's new meat market at Hibbing was opened to the public last Saturday. The new place has enjoyed a hig run of business every day since it opened, and Mr. Durbin expects to he able to handle all surplus meats he can buy at the local shop.

Dr. Ed. Giese, former East Grand Forks resident, died Saturday at the U. S. Veterans hospital at Walla Walla, Wash., after an illness of two years, of tuberculosis. Dr. Giese was a brother of Louis Giese of East Grand Forks, who is well known here.

Miss Dorthy Olsen left Monday for Moorhead to enroll at the Moorhead State Teachers College for the school year.

Miss Lilly Gunstad returned first of the week from the Twin Cities where she has visited with her sisters, and attended the State Fair.

Miss Bertha Moses of Pelican Rapids, came last Friday for a visit at the home of her uncle, N. E. Beebe. She returned home Tuesday afternoon.

The ladies Aid of the Mission Church will he entertained by Mrs. H. L. Hanson and Mrs. Halverson at the formers place at 2:30 o'clock. next Friday Sept. 6th. All welcome.

Rupert Nelson, who is employed at Minneapolis, came up Saturday for a visit with his children and with friends in the community. He returned Monday to Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter and son, Billy returned last week-end from Grand Forks where Billy underwent an operation for removal of his tonsils.

Mrs. and Mrs. Ira Carpenter motored up Friday from their home at Isle, Minn., to look after matters at their farm southeast of town, and also to visit at home of their son Leo.

William Engh and Leo Carpenter returned home Thursday after taking in threshing near Edinburg. They state threshing is about finished all the way west as far as Edinburg.

The Montgomery Ward mail order house of St. Paul, will open a retail store at Thief River Falls the coming fall. They have leased the Larson block which will be remodeled for their use.

Miss Agnes Vik, who is engaged in nursing at Fairview Hospital at Minneapolis until called home a few weeks ago hy illness of her sister, left Saturday to take a position with the Bratrud Clinic at Warren.

Mrs. N. A. Carlson and nephew, came last week-end by motor from Kaukauna, Wis., and are preparing to occupy their recently purchased farm, the former Ellison place near Clara church. They motored Friday to their former home in Roseau county for a visit with friends, returning here first of the week.

Forest Fires Break Out Anew

Forest fires which have been burning most of the summer in the The Pas territory in Manitoba, have broken out in a large area due to dry weather, and the situation now is the worst in years. Thousands of acres of valuable timber are being destroyed, and no human power seems to be able to cope with the fires which can be subdued only by heavy rains. A heavy pall of dense smoke hung over this part of the state at present, and has done so for this week. Part of the smoke is due to the forest fires and part comes from peat fires burning northeast of here.

Fire Destroys House

A fire supposed to have been caused by lightening, destroyed the house on the Loringer place east of Hazel last Monday. The house has been unoccupied since the Loringer family moved away last fall. The building was a fairly good one, so the loss will be considerable to the owner.

A. Satterberg motored Saturday to Minneapolis to take in the State Fair. Upon return Tuesday, he was accompanied by Mrs. Satterberg who went down a week previously with Mr. and Mrs Sig. Engh.

Loyd Bilden, who is employed by General Motors at Flint, Mich., came yesterday to spend a vacation of about three weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bilden.

Mr. and Mrs. John Norberg and three sons, of Joliet, Ill., leave today for home after having spent several days here at the Peter Lundberg home. Mrs. Norberg is a sister of Mrs. Lundberg.

The Luther League of the Norwegian Lutheran church will have a meeting Sunday evening, Sept. 8th, at 8:00. A program has been arranged, and Dr. Melby of Thief River Falls will speak. Lunch will be served in the church basement.

The largest, as well as one of the finest, flocks of turkeys to be found in this section is that at the Black farm, northeast of town where about 1100 fine birds are being raised under supervision of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Holmes. The birds have already attained good size, and are a splendid looking lot.

Rain Delays Threshing

Rain here both Monday and Tues. day has served to delay threshing operations somewhat. Threshing in this locality is about half finished, and practically all grains will be threshed in another week of favorable weather. Many farmers have taken advantage of the lull in threshing to start their plowing. With threshing completed so early in the season, it is expected fully as much plowing will be done as in the fall of 1927 when nearly all ground that was to be cropped the following year, was plowed.

Motor To State Fair

County Agent R. M. Douglass of Thief River Falls, accompanied by Mrs. Geo. Wilson, local club leader, and four club boys who won free trips to the State Fair, left Thursday morning for Minneaolis to attend the Fair. Dan Ewing of this place, was among those who were given free trip.

25 Years Ago

Miss Edith Dahl went to Moorhead to enter the State Normal School.

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Geo. Nettland accepted a position to teach at Wylie that year.

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Dr. V. Pleth decided to permanently locate at Crookston. Dr. Pleth had much successful surgical practice in this community.

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Mrs. R. H. Duntly left for Minneapolis to take in the State Fair and to visit relatives.

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Interior of the school building was refinished that week in preparation for opening of school.

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Chicken season was open, and quite a number of hunters from outside points were here to take in the sport.

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Miss Cora Yahr arrived from Minneapolis to resume her duties in our school.

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First new wheat of that season was marketed here from the Kordahl farm. It graded No. 3, and the yield was 15 bus. per acre.

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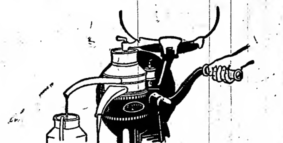

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UP IN MRS. REED'S ROOM

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OLD MRS. REED lay in her mammoth black walnut bed with the carved urns on the headboard. Thick goose-feather pillows in starched covers were under her head, propping her up so she could look over the footboard and see what was going on. An old-fashioned counterpane with a design in candle-wicking covered the bed and across her feet was a handwoven blanket in blue-and-white yarn.

A more comfortable bed than Mrs. Reed's could not be imagined, and the rest of the furniture in the room kept it company. Ponderous and heavily carved, which had been seasoning for a hundred years, it was worth a fortune and looked as if it weighed a ton. Mrs. Reed had furnished her room when she was married fifty years before. She expected to die there, though there was no hurry about that. The doctor said she need not worry, she would be out in a few weeks, but injured hips must take their time. Meanwhile Mrs. Reed lay impatient and unresigned, angry with the whole world and angriest with herself because she had foolishly missed her footing and tumbled downstairs.

Downstairs in the kitchen Mary Searles kept the house, but she only came to Mrs. Reed's room once a day, when she received her orders. Mary Searles had said at the beginning that she could not be expected to fulfill the duties of both nurse and housekeeper. Besides, she knew nothing about nursing. Mary had lived with old Mrs. Reed for years and she knew a thing or two. She stuck to her kitchen with a purpose; she was safe there.

Upstairs a succession of nurses came and went, for no one of them suited Mrs. Reed long. Miss Crane was there now. She was staying into the third day, but she might go any minute. Indeed, Mrs. Reed was making up her mind to this very fact now.

Reaching cautiously, she got hold of the heavy cane that leaned against her bed and pounded upon the floor with it. There was no answer. She pounded again, scowling, and the door opened and Miss Crane entered.

"I want the furniture moved round," Mrs. Reed ordered.

"It was moved yesterday," replied Miss Crane. Her large face flushed.

"I know it was—the day before—and the day before that. But it hasn't been moved today. And I want it moved."

Miss Crane looked into Mrs. Reed's compelling black eyes.

"I got a crick in my back yesterday morning moving this heavy stuff," she said. "I'm sorry, but I can't move it today. It is all nonsense anyway," she added under her breath.

"It is, is it?" said old Mrs. Reed. "I heard what you said, Miss Crane, if I am supposed to be a little deaf. Now here's something that isn't nonsense. You can pack up your duds and go."

Miss Crane stiffened.

"I'm sure I'm very willing," she said, and left the room. Within fifteen minutes she was gone.

Mary Searles took Mrs. Reed's supper up to her on a tray at five o'clock.

"For heaven's sake, Mary!" cried Mrs. Reed in exasperation. "Can't you or the doctor get me a nurse that will stay with me for one whole week?"

Mary Searles' gray eyes twinkled.

"Well, we've been pretty well over the ground," she replied. "Let's see; you hurt your hip three weeks ago yesterday, and you've had five nurses, trained and otherwise. Is that right?"

"I guess it is," agreed old Mrs. Reed, reluctantly.

"There's just one more person I can think of," Mary said. "And she ain't a regular nurse. That's Jenny Fuller."

There was a curious silence. Then—"Jenny Fuller, eh?" said old Mrs. Reed. "Well, get your Jenny Fuller. Get her tonight."

Mary Searles left the room.

An hour later Mrs. Reed awoke from a nap to find that she was not alone. There was a young person in the room with her, a slight, straight girl with red hair, softly coiled, a pointed, pale face and grave eyes. She was dressed in a limp little black dress with white cuffs and collar and a white apron. This young person was trying to do something to the lamp, which would burn too brightly.

"There! Let it alone!" commanded old Mrs. Reed. "I like it the way it is. Now come and snatch this bed into that corner. I'm sick of facing that way."

The girl came obediently. She got behind the bedstead and hoisted and coaxed it forward until it arrived at the proper position. Then she shifted the rest of the furniture into new places as Mrs. Reed pointed. She breathed heavily, but she said not a word. Neither did the old woman, but it was evident each had her thoughts.

"Well, did you move it?" Mary Searles asked as Jenny was eating her supper down stairs.

"Yes," Jenny dimly smiled.

"Are you going to keep on moving it every time she tells you to?" Mary looked skeptical.

"Yes."

Mary slipped an extra bit of chicken upon Jenny's plate.

A week passed and Jenny shifted the furniture every day. She seemed a strong little thing for all her slim hips and shoulders. She neither protested nor commented. Nor did she, after the second day, wait for her patient's order. She merely inquired, "Where would you like your bed placed this morning?" and then proceeded to put it in the spot designated. As there were only four corners to the room there were apparently only four places for the bed to be in, but Jenny invented new places.

"Where did you get that idea of putting everything kitty-cornered?" Mary Searles asked.

The eighth morning when Jenny made her usual query old Mrs. Reed shook her head.

"You needn't change me today," she said. She said the same thing the next day, and the next.

"What's got into her?" Mary wondered. "What have you done to her? You must have done something. She's getting meeker than Moses. Why, you'd think I was offering her nectar and ambrosia the way she took her breakfast this morning."

Jenny could not answer this question.

That afternoon Mrs. Reed called Jenny to her.

"Sit down on the bed," she commanded. "Now tell me about yourself. Where did you start from? Whom do you belong to?"

Jenny told her briefly. Her father had died when she was little, her mother had struggled along, doing everything by which one may live honestly, scrubbing, sewing, washing. At last when she could no longer do such hard work she had taken up practical nursing. This Jenny had learned from her. For the last year she had had to apply her knowledge of taking care of sick folks to her mother. Her mother was gone now and she had gone on nursing as the only way she knew of earning her support. Mrs. Reed was her second "case." The other had been Mrs. Larrabee.

"I've heard she is a mighty good-natured woman," said old Mrs. Reed, watching Jenny.

"Well, she was," Jenny admitted honestly. "But I prefer you. You're not near so—so finicky."

Old Mrs. Reed looked pleased.

"I guess you'll do, Jenny," she said. "I've been looking for somebody just like you. How do you get along with Mary Searles?"

"Fine!" Jenny's eyes sparkled.

"Humph!" said old Mrs. Reed. "That's all now, I guess. But when you go down stairs send Mary up. I want to see her."

Five minutes later Mary Searles appeared.

"What now?" she asked, with that twinkle.

Old Mrs. Reed had a twinkle of her own.

"You can fix up the bay window chamber for Jenny," she said. "She's going to live here for the future. And, Mary, if you don't think ten dollars a week is enough for her give her more. Give her fifteen."

"Ten dollars is enough now she isn't moving furniture every day!" replied Mary. And, bending over, she patted old Mrs. Reed's hand gently and understandingly.

Few Brave Enough to Defy Old Superstition

In the downtown section of Providence yesterday, a window-cleaner pursued his vocation at the top of a tall ladder. At the foot of the ladder was a colleague of the window-cleaner steadying it and casually observing the stream of passersby. Very few of these passers went under the ladder. Some of them approached it as if they intended to do so, but at the last second shifted to the other side. In order to avoid going under the ladder it was necessary for them to crowd through a narrow space between the man who steadied the ladder and an automobile drawn up at the curb. But they preferred this to flouting the old superstition.

This is the Twentieth century and we think ourselves sensible and all that. And to a philosophic observer on the other side of the street it seemed as if the only person in any possible danger was the man at the top of the ladder. But still the crowds refused to go under it. Will somebody tell us why? It is not sufficient answer to say they were afraid the ladder would fall on them.—Providence (R. I.) Journal.

Floral Oracle

In France a curious experiment with another plant that will open for a while and simply live on air is practiced with the common houseleek, which the French call herb of St. John. They drive two hooks or long, projecting nails into a wall about half a yard apart in a horizontal line. Across them in early June they lay a budded stalk of leek. Gradually the leaves along the stalk dry up and fall off at the end near the base and new ones put out near the tip; the flower buds swell and finally open in a pretty rose-colored corymb of blossoms. When the leek is first placed on the wall a wish is made; whether or not it will come true depends on whether or not the leek blossoms before the 24th of the month—the date of the feast of St. John the Baptist.

This floral oracle of St. John was a serious affair, seriously believed a century ago.

Matter of Wave Length

"New York is a blasé city," says a magazine writer. "Proclaim something from the housetops and the man in the street won't even listen." How can he listen to what he cannot hear? It's a long shout from the average New York housetop to the sidewalk.—Farm and Fireside.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Whereas, default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage executed by Hans C. Juhl and Hallie Juhl, his wife, as mortgagors to the Crookston State Bank a corporation, as mortgagee, dated the 9th day of February, 1920, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 18th day of March, 1920, at 9 o'clock a. m. in Book 62 of Mortgages on Page 430, upon and mortgaging the southeast quarter (SE1-4) and the east half of the northeast quarter (E1-2NE1-4) of section nine (9) in township one hundred and fifty two (152) North of range forty three (43) West, in Pennington County, Minnesota; which mortgage was duly assigned by the said Crookston State Bank to Alice B. Hall by an instrument in writing dated the 11th day of April, 1921, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county on the 27th day of July, 1927, in Book 80 of Mortgages at page 5; which default consists in the failure of the said mortgagors to pay the debt secured to be paid by said mortgage and which became due on the first day of February, 1928, and that the amount due and claimed to be due upon the said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of $5710.20; and no action or proceeding having been brought to recover the same or any part thereof:

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given, that virtue of the power of sale contained in such mortgage, and pursuant to the statute relating to the foreclosure of mortgages by advertisement, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said mortgaged premises sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash to pay said debt, interest thereon, and attorney's fees and the expense of such foreclosure sale, which sale will be made by the Sheriff of Pennington county, Minnesota, on Saturday the 21st day of September, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said county and state.

Dated July 26th, 1929.

Alice B. Hall,
Assignee of Mortgagee,

W. E. ROWE,
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee
Crookston, Minnesota.

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STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
IN DISTRICT COURT
Fourteenth Judicial District

Farmers State Bank of St. Hilaire, St. Hilaire, Minnesota, a corporation, by A. J. Veigel, Commissioner of Banks of the State of Minnesota

Plaintiff,

-vs

A. J. Hed, Defendant.

SUMMONS.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT:

You are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the undersigned at his office in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, within twenty days after service of this summons has been made upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid the Plaintiff in this action will take judgment against you for the sum of $800.00 with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum since December 22nd. 1927, together with the costs and disbursements of this action.

Dated July 20th. 1929.

Chas. E. Boughton. Jr.
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota

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Flax	2.69
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ON REARING CHILDREN from CRIB TO COLLEGE

Compiled by the Editors of "CHILDREN, THE PARENTS' MAGAZINE"

How should the mother deal with the child who refuses to obey? First, by understanding the causes of the refusal and then by trying to avoid situations which stimulate the child's tendency to say "No" to a request. For instance, since it is true that the very young child must come to understand his world by experimentation and to a large extent by the exercise of the sense of touch, the wise mother will remove from his surroundings bric-a-brac, perfume bottles and other unnecessary objects dear to adults, and see that in these early years he is allowed the important right to investigate free from constantly inhibiting "Nos!" and "Don'ts!"

That after-graduation slump can be avoided! Parents seem unconscious of the difficulties of readjustment which the boy and girl just out of high school encounter and so fail to offer them the sympathy and understanding as well as the encouragement which they need. Of course, they have plans for the fall, but the important thing is to have definite plans for the summer. Don't let your children feel the emptiness, the overwhelming loneliness that comes when they have before them no definite, vital program. Plan with them and for them a happy constructive summer of growth and achievement and make them feel that graduation is not an end but in a practical sense a commencement.

Shoes for the child who is just beginning to walk are essentially for protective covering only. The normal foot needs nothing more. Learning to walk may take place a few days faster with the steadying influences of stiff-soled shoes, but shoes are not necessary to the learning process. A baby has no foot arches to speak of until the kindergarten age is reached; so arch supports and corrections in any except extreme cases are superfluous. This is also true of supports which are known as "stiff ankles."

Good electric lighting in your home is always the result of careful forethought and plentiful provision for expansion and change. It is better to have a few extra outlets than to have too few.

A psychology professor at one of the biggest universities in the East was asked whether he thought the boy who has been raised on the farm or the city boy better prepared to make the most of his possibilities in life. He replied, "The farm boy is better equipped. He is trained from constant outdoor life to note details—he is keen, he knows and can understand instantly such things as cause and effect. He is resourceful. He has a knowledge of how things work. He isn't afraid of dirt or work, and he has a sound body nine times out of ten."

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Foolish Readers

"Some books are wise," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "bnt they hold no infloence over readers who are foolish."—Washington Star.

Lucky Man

A locky man is one wbo, when he has one foot on a banana peel, has his other foot on a wad of gum.—Watertown Times.

Long Connected

The use of a wedding ring appears to be as old as the observance of a marriage ceremony.

Sing While in Flight

Many birds sing while flying. Among these are the meadow lark, bobolink and goldfinch.

The Pastor Says:

Every prodnctive field is a psalm.—John Andrew Holmes.

About Ourselves

True courage is not incompatible with nervousness, and beroism does aot mean the absence of fear, bnt the conquest of it.

Brings Retribution

He wbo considers himself a parsgon of wisdom is sure to commit aome superlatively stupid act.—Ludwig Fleck.

Bound for Safety

In taking steps to protect himself the pedestrian should always take them as quickly as possible.

Can't Be Both

It is hard to ba interested in politics and also disinterested.—Norfolk (Va.) Pilot.

Signifies Beauty

The name "Rnth" is derived from the Hebrew word meaning "beauty."

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated July 2nd, 1927, executed by Carl Edwin Crown and Fred D. Lorentson as guardian for Carrie Crown, incompetent, wife of said Carl Edwin Crown, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on July 12th, 1927, at eleven o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 356 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $78.13 each, due on January 2nd, 1929, and July 2nd, 1929, respectively; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to he due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,447.98, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon since July 2nd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $156.26, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $78.13 thereof since January 2nd, 1929, and on $78.13 thereof since July 2nd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, and the sum of $12.60, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since May 3rd, 1929, in all the sum of $2,641.56, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the deht secured hy said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-five (45) West, suhject to a conveyance for school purposes shown of record in Book "8" of Deeds, page 271, containing 159 acres, more or less, according to Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 11th day of October, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at puhlic vendue to the highest hidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the deht then due on said mortgage, including said insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and dishursements allowed by law, suhject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided hy law.

Dated August 28th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
810 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (A-29—O-3)

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Adminstration

State of Minnesota, } In Prohate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Gilhert Sandum, Decedent,

The State of Minnesota To Carrie Sandum, Beatrice Sandum, Ruth Sandum, Grace Sandum, Harold Sandum, Ardith Sandum and all persons interested in the granting of Adminstration of the estate of said decedent. The petition of Carrie Sandum having been filed in this court, representing that Gilbert Sandum, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 1st day of August, 1929; and praying that letters of Adminstration of his estate he granted to Beatrice Sandum; and the court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition.

THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are herehy cited and required to show cause, if any you have, hefore this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, on the 28th day of Septemher, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not he granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and Seal of said Court, this 4th day of Septemher, 1929.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Prohate Court

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

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A22S5 Wm. Olsen, City.

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J 25-S 18 Hazel, Minn.

Sodium Chlorate May Cause Cattle Losses

Tests made in the division of veterinary medicine ot University farm show that sodium chlorate, a weed destroying chemical, will cause sickness of cattle if taken in small amounts and death if taken in large qoantities.

Therefore, wben the material is used in pastures for weed eradication it is necessary to fence off temporarily the areas where it is to be applied, says A. C. Arny of the farm crops section of the Minnesota experiment station. "Even if chlorates were not injurious to cattle," he says, "the fencing off of areas to be treated is advisable from the standpoint of using the chemical to the best advantage. Grass to which the chlorate has been applied is eaten greedily by cattle. Any chlorate they may eat is lost as far as bringing about weed eradication is concerned.

"Continded satisfactory use of these chemicals depends on the avoidance of accidents in making the applications and of injury to animals after the applications are made. In no case should a person apply the chlorates without having full directions for their use. These directions shonld be followed in detail whenever the chemicals are handled."

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

For Purposes of Concealment

NOT so very long ago the military attache of one of these flywheel repoblics in Central America, where they are always having ravolotions, came np to New York from the legation at Washington on important officiol bosiness. Calling npon a military tailor on Fifth avenue he explained his mission. There had heen a change of administrations in bis country—the first one, it woold seem, in nearly nine months—and the new government had decided to alter the onlforms of all branches of the national defense.

It was the visitor's purpose to give tha contracts. He had brought with him special designs, hand-colored in the chosen effects. There ensoed a busy time in the tailor shop. It woold seem that the fancy of the Central Americans ran to startling contrasts in color and to mnch use of braid, bnttons, rosettes, festoons and plomage.

Undress and full-dress had been selected for the navy, for the officers and men of the infantry, and for the artillery. Next, the attache prodoced a drawing for a costume more gorgeons than any he already had shown. There was n cocked bat, rather resembling the kind worn by the Knights Templar in this coontry excepting that it was bright red in color witb an adornment of vivid green parrot feathers floatiog oot hehind. There was a douhle-hreasted hine coat heavily emhossed with gold lace on the cuffs, sleeves, breast, collar and skirts. There were haggy, crimson riding-hreeches also, belaced down the seams. There was a pair of shiny hlack, patent-leather riding boots with an adornment of silver spurs and, for final tooches, massive hullion epaolets and white crossbelts finished off with hright bnckles.

"Ah," said the dazzled tailor, "how very striking! I presume this uniform is to be worn hy your cavalry?"

"Oh, no," said the attache. "This is for onr secret service."

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Low Noon

Hearing a reference to "high noon" tbe other day, it soddenly occurred to ns to wonder whnt, indeed, is low noon?—Philadelphio Inqoirer.

LIVE STOCK

HOG WALLOW WILL GIVE PROTECTION

Porkers Need Shade and Cool Water in Hot Season.

While there is nothing esthetic abont a hog wallow, there is satisfaction—for the hogs—and protection for their owner. In hot weather the hog, more than most other animals, is liahle to overheating, likely to be attended by very high mortality. Plenty of shade and cool water, together with freedom from any disturbance, are preventatives against this soorce of losses in the hog lot.

On the John Brown farm near Mechanicshurg, Ohio, there is a hog wallow of concrete which pretty well suits the ideas of J. W. Wuichet, animal hnshandry specialist at Ohio State nniversity, as to what a hog wallow shoold he.

About 25 feet sqnare, the sides of the wallow slope very gradually toward a drain in the center. In one corner there is an automatic drinking foontain, the overflow from which rnns directly into the pool. Over the wallow, there is a roof supported on posts. All four sides are open.

The capacity of the wallow is highly elastic, since every hog whicb grunts his wny into the water, displaces bis own volume in water and raises the level of tha pool. The more bogs in the pool, the more water.

The surface of the water in the pool carries a floating film of crude oil which keeps down insect pests on the hogs and also checks mange among them.

Tibetan Women Bosses

Married women of Tibet plaster their faces with a hlack paste made of blood, for the law is that they mnst not make themselves attractive to men. And they have three or four well-hossed husbands each.

"Manitoba"

The Canadian province of Manitoba was named after the lake bearing that name, the word being derived from two Indian words meaning together "the straits or narrows of the Great Spirit."

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Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

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Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

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BARLEY EMBARGO IS OFF

Seven Railroads Announce All Restriction Off in Duluth And Superior.

Minneapolis, Minn.—The tension in the northwest grain marketing situation, which has lead to an embargo on shipments of barley, rye and oats to Minneapolis and Duluth-Superior, has been relieved to such an extent that the embargo has been lifted, in respect to the movement of barley to the head of the lakes, the railroads will now accept consignments of barley for the terminal elevators at the Twin Ports.

This action was decided upon at an all-afternoon meeting at the Chamber of Commerce. A brief statement, made public following the conference announced the decision.

The seven northwest railways which joined in placing the embargo took official action to permit the resumption of the barley movement, by publishing the necessary supplements to their embargo orders as issued Wednesday the 21st inst. Shipments will only be accepted, however, subject to delay from causes over which the carriers have no control.

Father Leads Officers to Son's Still.

Louisville, Ky.—A 20-year-old boy was in jail here because his father, who had "done time" for making moonshine whisky, led federal officers to his son's still and asked them to arrest him. The father, James Moore, insisted that he was "doing the best thing for the boy" and that "it was the only way to teach him a lesson." The son, William Arthur Moore on the other hand, was bitter, blaming his crime on the father.

One Dead, Another Hurt in Air Crash.

Westwood, Calif. — Fletcher L. Walker, Jr., 25 years old, member of one of the wealthiest and most prominent families in California, was killed, and his brother Kenneth, 23 years old, was seriously injured when their privately owned plane fell 100 feet near the Westwood airport. The brothers recently returned from Africa where they gathered rare ornithological specimens for Stanford university of which they were graduates.

Guerrilla Army Tactics Enrage Chiefs.

Riga—Since General Blucher arrived in Chita, an order has been issued to the red troops to destroy all white Russian guards wherever possible, this irrespective of which side of the Manchurian frontier they may be on. As soon as red troops sight the whites they must follow them up "even as far as Harbin itself, if necessary, until not a man remains alive." There is little fear expressed in regard to the Chinese soldiers but the white guards are recognized as dangerous enemies. They are considered cunning, hardened fighters who must be overcome.

12 American Jews Slain By Arabs.

Jerusalem, Palestine—Rioting which is actually bloody warfare continues between the Jews and the Arabs. At least 12 Americans, all young students, are known to be dead, and a company of South Wales borderers, the first of the troops, rushed here by Great Britain, arrived at Jaffa and went immediately into action. The Americans were all students at Yeshiva college and all were stabbed. An attache of the American consulate accompanied a convoy to Hebron to get the dead and wounded Americans and bring them back to Jerusalem.

Cudahy Convicted, Facing $5,000 Fine.

Los Angeles—Michael J. P. Cudahy, 21 years old, son of the late Jack Cudahy, meat packing official, faced a fine of $5,000 recommended by a jury which found him guilty of driving an automobile while intoxicated. The court is bound to the decision of the jury in fixing the fine. The verdict terminated a trial which lasted two days. Four witnesses testified Cudahy was intoxicated. His mother and his bride of several weeks, the former Murial Evans, film actress, took the stand, denying the charges.

John and Florence to Wed Next Month

New Haven, Conn.—John Coolidge, son of former President Coolidge, announced his marriage with Miss Florence Trumbull, daughter of governor John H. Trumbull of Connecticut, would take place in September. He would not state the exact date, but it was understood that September 15 was the day chosen. Miss Trumbull, his fiancee, is at present spending her vacation at Moosehead lake, Maine, with her father.

Twenty Miners Entombed.

Sofia, Bulgaria — Twenty miners were entombed by an explosion caused by fire damp in a coal mine near Stara Sagora. Rescuers found three miners dead and several others dying.

Plane And Auto Kills Three.

Detroit—Three persons are dead and five injured, two of them seriously, as the result of an airplane crash, followed by an automobile accident, 16 miles north of here.

Forest Fire Nearly Wipes Out Village.

Kalispel, Mont.—Most of the buildings at Apgar, just north of Belton and several houses at Coram and Lake Five, a few miles southwest of Belton, were destroyed by flames of the Half Moon forest fire, reports received here said.

Sinclair Confirms Oil Firm Merger.

New York—Harry F. Sinclair, chairman of the board of the Sinclair Consolidated Oil Corp., stated that negotiations for a merger of his company with the Prairie Oil & Gas Co. were in a state of preliminary discussion.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Fertile—At a special election here, Sunday motion pictures were voted out again by a vote of 202 to 90.

Medford—Medford has a new postoffice. The structure in use 40 years has given way to larger quarters.

Buffalo—With a total attendance estimated at close to 20,000 persons, the ninth annual Buffalo fair and fall festival closed.

Red Wing—Federal agents raided a soft drink parlor on Plum street, seized a quantity of alleged liquor, and took into custody.

Alexandria—County attorneys of Minnesota gathered here for their summer gathering enjoyed a program of golfing and fishing.

Sleepy Eye—T. E. Lewis, superintendent of the Sleepy Eye city schools 10 years, has been named superintendent at Mauston, Wis.

Olivia—Congressman C. G. Selvig of Crookston was principal speaker at the first meeting of the newly organized Community Club here.

Pipestone—Four school buildings in this city were set on fire by persons unknown and two were totally destroyed. A guard has been set.

Kenyon—A Kenyon Commercial Club committee has selected October 4-5 as dates for the annual Kenyon and southern Minnesota corn show.

Nashua—This village has just completed its new $10,000 town hall. Frank W. Murphy, of Wheaton, Minn., will make the address of dedication.

Walnut Grove—Rev. John C. Peters of Mountain Lake has accepted a call to become pastor of the Congregational churches at Walnut Grove and Garvin September 1.

St. Paul—The ranks of the Last Man's Club closed up again and left but two weary old Civil War Veterans to carry on after the death of John S. Goff, 86, St. Paul.

Chatfield—S. E. Bibbins, former mayor, councilman and school board member here, is dead at the home of a daughter in Pasadena, Calif. His body will be returned here for burial.

St. Cloud—The session here of the fifth annual convention of the Loyal Order of Moose of Minnesota and the women of Mooseheart legion was attended by approximately 1,500 members.

Atwater—Rev. N. Nelson, pastor of the Swedish Baptist church of Lake Elizabeth, preached his farewell sermon here. Erick Anderson, a theological student of St. Paul, will succeed him.

Hibbing—At a meeting of members of the Mesabe Range Mining Co. Sept. 6 a successor will be named to succeed the late Frank H. Cahoe of Hibbing, one of the manager of the institute.

Hibbing—The Dean iron mine, formerly under lease to the Great Northern iron ore properties, and up to a year ago operated as a subsidiary of the M. A. Hanna Company, is to open on a lease.

Northfield—The new school year at St. Olaf College, opening September 10, will be marked by a trip of its famous choir to Europe to aid in observing the 900th anniversary of the Christianizing of Norway.

Hutchinson—The fifty-seventh annual McLeod county fair will be staged September 12-15. Everett Oleson is president of the fair association, L. A. Ritter, vice-president, and D. A. Adams, secretary-treasurer.

Little Falls—The city council has voted to sign a contract for installation of a new ornamental street lighting system. Work will be rushed for completion this fall, replacing the five cluster design adopted in 1914.

Minneapolis—This city has for the first time in its history passed the $1,000,000,000 property valuation mark, the city assessor has reported that the city's true valuation, including tax exempt property now is $1,121,572,403.

Minneapolis—A school for grocers, a completely equipped store, will be set up at a convenient downtown point for demonstration purposes for the four weeks session of the institute of Food Merchandising in Minneapolis beginning Sept. 3.

St. Paul—Bids for construction of two coffer dams, one above and the other below the high dam in the Mississippi badly damaged when the lower gates gave way 10 days ago, were asked by the federal district engineer at St. Paul.

Stillwater—Peter O. Hall of Atwater, Minn., 91 years old, and Charles Lockwood of Chamberlain, S. D., 89 years old, the two surviving members of Minnesota's famous Last Man's club, escorted the body of the third member to its final resting place here.

Minneapolis — Student representatives from many Minnesota, Iowa, Wisconsin, North and South Dakota municipal fire departments, anxious to obtain the latest information on how to prevent and fight fires, which annually cost the northwest millions of dollars, will attend the second annual Northwest fire school here, September 16 to 20.

Alexandria—Rev. M. O. Silseth, St. Paul, guest speaker at the Norwegian Lutheran church here, paid tribute to the late Senator Knute Nelson, who lived here. The speaker called Senator Nelson a gift from God to the American people, particularly to Minnesota.

St. Paul—W. S. Short of St. Paul, Junior department vicecommander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, is a member of the distinguished guests committee assisting in arrangements for the national encampment, which will open in St. Paul and continue through August 31.

Prices That Save You Money

10 lbs gran. sugar	$ .62
Crystal White soap, 10 bars	.40
Fancy rice, 5 lbs	.32
Hershey's cocoa, large can	.16
Post Toasties, 2 pkgs	.23
Swansdown flour	.31
Rolled oats	.21
Matches, 6 boxes	.18
Fig bar cookies, 2 lbs	.25
DesArts coffee, lb	.55
Men's overalls, pr	1.20
Plaid blankets, single	.95
Shirts, reg dollar value, now	.85
Shirts and shorts, reg 50 now	.40
B V Ds, reg .95 now only	.70
Bias tape, fast colors, 6 yards	.07
Rubber aprons, big values at 50 and	.25

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

THE

CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Clara church 10:30 A. M., and in local church at 3:00.

Sunday School at 2:00.

Ladies Aid will be entertained at home of Mrs. Swan Wiberg on Fri. day afternoon.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle. Pastor.

Sunday, Sept. 8, services:-

Oakridge, 11:00. A. M. Norw.

Clearwater, 2:30 P. M. Amer.

St. Hilaire Luther League meets at the church at 8:00 P. M.

Confirmants meet at church Saturday morning at 10:00.

Sunday school, Rally Day, Sunday at 10:00.

Dr. Grays

Is Back

Will Speak 7;45

SUNDAY

On

Mussolini

And Gandhi

Startling Contrast

Methodist-Presbyterian Church

Thief River Falls

Light Without Heat

Neon (Greek, "new") light does not radiate heat. It is cold light. Although a "cold light" producing phenomenon peculiar to certain groups of animals, such as the fireflies, glowworms, tree frogs and the so-called luminous birds which give forth light as a by-product of their activity, has long been known to scientists. Prior to the discovery of neon, artificial light without heat was scarcely heard of.

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

LOCALS

Gerald Stephens, who has been employed at Neche, N. D., is now located at St. Thomas, N. D.

Give the "better half" a vacation next Sunday by partaking of chicken dinner at the Blue Parrot Cafe. adv

The local school re-opened Tuesday morning. Enrollment was up to expectations the opening day, and many more students are expected to enroll later on when fall work is done.

John Gonnering returned Tuesday after assisting Ed Durbin with opening of his new market at Hibbing.

Now a known shot gun shell Win chester Ranger at 75c per box- Repeter 98c- All ganges and loads Buy them by the case. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls.

The Ladies' Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained at the church parlors by Mesdames Dave Johnson and K. T. Dalager, on Friday, Sept. 13th. 2T

Scotsmen Fooled

Canny Scotsmen were taken in recently by the shining teeth of a sheep, forgetting that all that glistens is not gold. A sheep's jawbone from the lead-mining district of Scotland was found to contain teeth which had a metallic luster, and it was popularly supposed that the luster indicated a deposit of gold. However, the teeth were analyzed by the British government chemist in London and he found traces of lead but no gold. The metallic sheen appeared to be due to the effect of light on a laminated, or flaked, crystalline structure, mainly calcium phosphate.

Live Stock Items

Knowledge is power in the control of swine diseases.

* * *

Remove sow at weaning time. Allow no other hogs in the pasture.

* * *

Preventive measures to control pig diseases should begin before the litters are farrowed.

* * *

Lack of exercise causes weak lambs, so one should be sure the ewes receive a little exercise each day.

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Like feeding, breeding is not the only thing to be considered in handling live stock; both must go hand in hand if the best results are to be obtained.

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Pigs of all classes respond to good forage. It is especially valuable in the ration of young, rapidly growing pigs.

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Pregnant ewes require a rather liberal supply of protein for developing the foetus and producing wool as well as for body maintenance.

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Spring pigs that are to follow cattle on feed in the fall and winter should not be full fed prior to this time, as they become too fat and inactive to be best suited to the feed lot.

LOCAL

Chicken dinner will be served at the Blue Parrot Cafe next Sunday. Bring the family. adv.

Apples For Sale:- Crabs at 50 cents per peck or $2.00 per bushel. Cherry crabs at 25 cents per peck or 75 cents per bushel. Plums 30 cents per peck at the Youke farm one mile east and mile south of St. Hilaire.

Miss Stella Bengtson has accepted a position at the Carlson Merc. Company store succeeding her sister, Alice, whose marriage occured last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Aubol and children left last week for their home at Cranton, Wis., after visiting with their relatives here. Miss Pearl Simonson, sister of Mrs. Aubol, accompanied them to Crandon.

Bring the family to the Blue Parrot Cafe next Sunday for chicken dinner. adv.

O. E. Reiersgord, publisher of the Ulen Union, was here Friday for a brief visit with his son, Supt. E. Reiersgord.

Mrs. Seebart and son, of Grand Forks, are here this week for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. J. McKercher.

Elmer Johnson, bus driver on the school routes, has a new Chevrolet truck and new bus body for service on the routes this season.

President J. Brown of Concordia College at Moorhead, spoke at the local Norwegian Lutheran church last Sunday morning.

"What will it cost ?" is in the mind of everyone who wants to attend college. It will cost you less to attend Mankato Commercial College than if you go elswhere. Write us for particulars.

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LOCALS

Mr. and Mr. W. F. Strouts of St. Paul, were here last week for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lindquist.

Upon returning home Saturday they were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Lindquist, who will take in the state Fair and visit this week before they return.

For Sale: Fordson tractor with set of plows, all in good order. Call on or address

A. P. Gordon,
R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

Threshing is well under way in this locality, and if favorable weather continues will be finished in a few days. Reports on yield from different places vary considerably, but in most places is very good and of excellent quality. Some of the farmers who got in early with threshing, have commenced plowing.

Attorney W. E. Rowe, of Crookston was the village for a short time Friday while attendingto business matters.

SLOANS FLY DROPS

Best fly exterminator on the market, at reduced prices

Half pint		**$.30**
Formerly	**.50**	
Pint Size		**.50**
Formerly	**.75**	
Quart Size		**.90**
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Sprayers, each		**.45**

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To Gravel Wylie Road

A contract was recently let hy the county hoard for gravelling ot the state road commencing at the county line at Wylie and extending north four miles to connect with the state road west from here.

Has Fine Orchard

One of the most beautiful sights to he found in this section at the present time, is tbe large apple orchard on the Wm. Yonke farm southeast of town. The orchard consists of several acres of full grown trees all of which are fairly loaded with ripening fruit. Mr. Yonke has numerous calls for apples every year, and this year will derive a nice little income from the orchard which is the only one of its kind and size in this county.

Shortens Chicken Season

By executive order issued Monday hy Governor Christianson, season for shooting prairie chickens and white breasted grouse in this district is shortened one week. The season opens Sept 16th and closes evening of Sunday, Sept 22nd.

Scarcity of birds, and a fear that a two weeks season will result in large numbers of hunters coming in from other parts of the state where season is closed, is said to be reason for issuance of the order.

Mrs. O. W. Brink, who came recently from Eight Point, Mont., for a visit at the home of her son, Victor, plans to make her home in this village the coming fall and winter. She finds the high altitude country in Montana does not agree with her, and will permanently stay either here with her sons, or with her daughter in California.

Several hundreds of men have been drafted in the northeastern part of the state to augment the forest fire fighting crews now on the grounds endeavoring to check fires raging in that part of the country. As the present force proved entirely inadequate to cope with the situation, the draft was resorted to to provide additional help.

Clifford Bilden, who is employed in the creamery at Dalton, motored up Saturday for a week-end visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.Bilden.

The Wylie Shipping Association shipped a carload of livestock Saturday to market at So. St. Paul.

SUGAR MILL OPENS SEPT. 28

The beet sugar mill at East Grand Forks will commence this season's run on September 28 and will continue until the sugar beet crop of the Red River Valley is turned into the finished product. Due to dry weather most of tbe season in the beet raising districts, it is not expected the crop will be as heavy as in former years, hut it is stated there is more acreage in beets this year.

From St. Paul

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Stapf and baby, and Alice Gigstad motored up Saturday evening from St. Paul and are visiting until today here at the home of Mrs. K. O. Gigstad. Miss Alice accompanies them hack to St. Paul where she will attend a commercial school this fall and coming winter.

Leaves For Willmar

Louis de Cathelineau, employed by the State Highway Department at Willmar, motored up Thurday for a visit with his mother. Upon returning bome Tuesday, he was accompanied hy his mother and his little nephew who will spend the winter at Willmar.

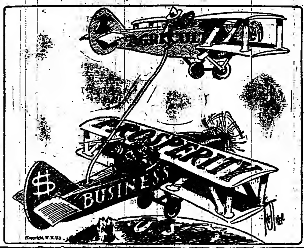
All farm lands in this locality which have heen acquired hy the state Rural Credit Bureau, have heen rented out for the coming year. Some of these farms are to be improved this fall and next spring by erection of new barns and repair of otber buildings.

Mrs. W. A. Arthur of Snohomish Wash, is expected bere last of this week for a short visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad.

R. S. Rosette, proprietor of the St. Hilaire Garage, has secured the services of a competent mechanic from Thief River Falls to take charge of the repair department at the garage. A line of equipment and tools will be put in immediately, and the repair department will be in position to handle all kinds of auto and tractor repair work in a short time.

Sheriff Ira Haaven of Polk County, has the distinction of being the first flying sheriff in the state. He has recently bought a new plane, and plans to use it for making quick trips to different parts of his county.

Refueling



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Ernest Olson and Arther Dahle returned Tuesday from Drayton where they have heen employed in the harvest fields.

Auction bills--the black, attention compelling kind, may be had at reasonahle price at the Spectator office

Mrs. T. O. Mogen of Sanders, is visiting at the former family home at Hartland, Minn.

The Central Lumber Co., which operates the yard here, has bought the Ireland yard at Thief River Falls.

A hig shipment of new fall goods was received last week hy the Carlson Merc. Co., and is now on display.

Henry Olson installed a new Temple electric radio at Tim Ensrud's place of husiness last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rux motored over Sunday from Grand Forks for a visit with their relatives west of town.

Mrs. Mary Sherva returned Saturday evening from Minneapolis where she visited at home of her daughter, Mrs. Carl Nelson.

Vera Almquist returned last weekend after a visit with relatives at Grand Forks, and enrolled in the high school here at opening of school.

Martin Bjerk has leased the Ole Peterson residence on Water street and will occupy it with his family the first of next month.

Local nimrods are polishing up their firearms for an early start Monday morning in quest of the festive prairie chickens and grouse.

Miss Edla Hallstrom came Saturday from Minneapolis for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hallstrom, and also with other relatives in the community.

By the end of this week, threshing will be very near completed in this territory. Considerable flax has already been threshed, and hauling of straw to the tow mill at Red Lake Falls has commenced.

Lumber is being hauled out this week for erection of a combined machine shed and garage on the J. W. Black farm northeast of the village. A fine new granary was finished on the place last week.

The Gunderson family, who have occupied the Ira Carpenter farm this season, are moving soon to the Dr. J. Bowers place in Wyandotte.

Mr. and Mrs. H. World of Huron S. D., were visitors Thursday and Friday at the Harlan Winters home east of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carpenter left this week for their bome at Isle after looking after matters at their farm here.

Ole C. Johnson leaves Sunday to join with others from Holt and Middle River for a duck hunting trip up to Lake of the Woods.

Wm. Engh and Leo Carpenter leave today for Middle River to put in some tile drainage along the new highway for the State Highway Department.

L. E. Healy was up Tuesday from Red Lake Falls checking threshing being done on lands owned by the Farmers State Bank.

Mrs. Ed Knutson, of Hazel, who has been a patient at the hospital at Thief River the past three weeks, is improving nicely and is expected home soon.

Mrs. Ben Lardy suhmitted to an nperation Monday at the hospital at Thiel River in hope of ohtaining relief from a stomach ailment. Sbe withstood the ordeal nicely, and is improving.

Mrs. Hazel Beebe commenced this week teaching a term of school at Hazel. She is substituting for Miss Mae Kinny, who is staying home because of serious illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Early of Detroit Lakes, motored here last week-end and were guests at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Winters, east of the village.

Mrs. R. Wallen and son, Hazen, came Monday evening from Minneapolis for a visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. E. Anderson, and at the homes of her brother and sister, Anton E. Anderson and Mrs. K. O. Gigstad.

Ed. Durbin and son, Verle, motored up Sunday from Hibbing and spent the day here looking after matters of business at the local shop. Mr. Durbin states he is enjoying a fine run of business at his Hibbing branch.

Winter Show, Feb., 10-14

The twentieth annual Northwest School Farmers' Week and Red River Valley Winter Shows will be held at Crookston during the week of February 10-14, 1930, according to announcement made this week by the Board of Managers. Plans are already under way to insure success of this, the twentieth reunion of farmers and towns-people throughout Northwestern Minnesota.

P. T. A. Met Friday

First meeting of the Parent Teachers Association was held Friday evening at the school building. A short, hut interesting program was given hy local talent after which lunch was served.

A committee was appointed to formulate plans for a series of gatherings of high school pupils which are to be held at homes of members of the P. T. A. during the present school year.

Mrs. Clifford Foss and children, who have spent the summer here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton E. Anderson, left Tuesday for their home in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Dahlstrom motored over Sunday from Grand Forks for a visit at the Johnson Bros. farm home. Upon returning home, they were accompanied hy Selma Johnson.

Mrs. Ben Lardy, who came recently from Canada to visit her mother, Mrs. Sam Thompson, was taken ill shortly after arrival here, and is now a patient at the hospital at Thief River.

School Dist. No. 180 in Bray township plans to erect a new school building this fall. A special election is to be held Saturday in the district to vote on honds, and also a new site for the school.

The Savard plane from Red Lake Falls, crashed when making a landind last Saturday at Thief River Falls and was badly damaged. The pilot escaped without injury.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg returned Sunday after spending about two weeks at his parental home at New London.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Satterberg motored Sunday to Cooperstown, N. D., for a brief visit with relatives, returning here Sunday night.

Game Season Opens Monday

Annual season for hunting of small game in this state opens next Monday, Sept. 16th. As shooting of prairie chickens and white breasted grouse is permitted in odd numbered years, season for them will be open this year, but only in this part of the state, halance having heen closed by executive order. Chickens are reported to he fairly plentiful in this section, hut it is not anticipated ducks will he numerous because of dry season.

A numher of local sportsmen are looking forward to the opening day.

New Bank At Erskine

A new hank to be known as the American State Bank of Erskine, was recently incorporated and will open for business at Erskine this week. Prominent husinessmen of Erskine and McIntosh are tbe incorporators.

The new hanking institution succeds a national and a state hank hoth of which closed last year.

N. P. To Build In Montana

Construction of 111 miles of new road in eastern Montana is to begin immediately by the Northern Pacific railway, according to announcment hy executives of that road. One line will be built from Brockway west to Jordan, a distance of 60 miles, and from Jordon south to Edwards, a distance of 27 miles. Another 24 mile branch will connect Woodrow to Bloomsfield. Rapid developement of that section justifies the extensions, says Northern Pacific officials.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in Bray School District No. 180 of Pennington County, at the school building on the Fourteenth (14th) day of September, 1929 from Eight (8:00) P. M. to Nine (9:00) P. M., for the purpose of voting on the proposition of issuing to the State of Minnesota the bonds of said municipality in the aggregate sum of $2,500.00 bearing interest at the rate of 4¼ per cent per annum, the proceeds thereof to be used for the following purpose:

Erecting a new school building and voting a new school site on the S. W. two (2) acres of the S. W. ¼ of Sec. 24, Township 153, Range 45, and to be numbered and to mature as set forth in the resolution now on file in the office of the clerk.

Dated September 3rd, 1929.

SELMER N. OLSON,
Clerk of Bray School District No. 180.

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The creamery, which has been brot up to its present state during the past twenty seven years, has by no means reached its capacity, nor is dairying overdone in this territory. It is safe to say that a gain of one thousand percent over present output, could be made without additional territory being added to this field. Not only is this possible but indications are that it will come to pass. Testing of cows, and intensive dairying will do it. By the way, have you bought a share in this growing local enterprise?

St Hilaire, Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Making A Start

Look around among the most successful people in your community and you will find practically every one will ascribe his or her success to early training in saving.

Save a part of your income during your productive years. It does not have to be any large amount each month, but save a part.

Independence in later years does not come by wishing for it, but by systematic saving when you are making more than necessary for your immediate needs. Start a savings account.

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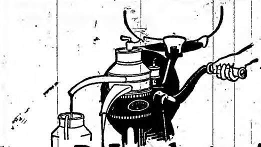
St. Hilaire, Minnesota



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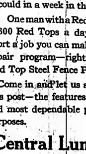

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S. T. Espeland, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Janet Equal to the Emergency

By H. LOUIS RAYBOLD

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JANET had found the long train ride up-state quieting to nerves tired from a strenuous school year and when she stepped out at the small mountain station she breathed the fragrant air delightedly. She looked forward greatly to the coming week of rest at her aunt's at "Pinewood Lodge."

She was about to swing leisurely along the uphill road, leaving her suitcase to be brought up later by the Lodge bus, when a tall young man hurrying toward her held up his hand.

"Sorry to be late," he said briskly. "Car's over here. Too bad about Mrs. Williams, but she'll recover."

"She'll recover!" Janet had stopped short and was staring at this strange person who seemed to know her destination although she had not even written her aunt of her intended time of arrival.

"Didn't they tell you? Well, Mrs. Williams and the cook whose place you are taking were ditched on their way back from the village and the car turned over. Mrs. Williams was taken to the Warburton hospital with a broken leg. Jinny, the cook, was considerably banged up and went home. I took it upon myself to call up the Warburton Employment agency and they promised to send up a cook. And here you are! Hop in and we'll make the Lodge in time for you to get supper. It's too early for many guests but what there are of us are starved!"

While he was talking, the energetic young man had piloted Janet to his roadster, helped her in, flung her suitcase between hood and fender, and climbed in after her.

She smiled a little, presently, when she found herself being driven to the back entrance of the Lodge. Ten minutes later she was settling in grim earnest to the business of preparing supper in a huge, strange kitchen.

After she had superintended the schedule for the two helpers in the kitchen, newly hired that week by her aunt, Janet sought the telephone and called up the Warburton hospital. To her joy she was connected directly with her aunt's room and had talked with her.

"Don't worry, auntie," she said. "Meals are being served regularly and abundantly." She did not say by whom.

Then she got the employment agency and told them that unless an applicant was already on the way, not to send one at all.

It seemed that the one who should have been on her way had changed her mind at the last moment, so Janet felt secure until the return of Jinny, who would surely be on deck in a day or two.

At luncheon, as she herself brought in from the kitchen a platter of creamed pimento and eggs, she fancied that she caught the gray eyes of Mr. William Cleaver—fixed speculatively upon her.

After supper that evening Janet made her way down the road where, in a curve, a rustic seat had been built beneath some slender birches. She was reviewing the day. As far as meals went, she felt sure she had made good. A middleaged couple had complimented her on a salad. Three school teachers had tried to find out if she were a college girl making her expenses by cooking.

Mr. William Cleaver had not shown up at all for supper but, as guests frequently were absent on brief trips, she naturally did not think much about it.

Her reveries were broken by the sound of a car in gear struggling up the grade.

Before she could move, the roadster of Mr. Cleaver swung around the curve, approached her, and stopped a few feet away. Beside him sat a plump negress.

"Mah sakes, Miss Janet! Yo' aunt didn't say nuffin to me about yo' coming. And Mistah Cleaver heah, he tol' me who all the guestses were and never say one word about you!"

"But I'm no guest," said Janet pleasantly. "Mr. Cleaver wanted a cook so badly he just grabbed the first woman he saw and that happened to be me!"

If she had expected the young man to show any sign of chagrin or surprise she was completely mistaken. He merely gestured toward the rumble seat, into which Jinny could never have climbed, and started up his engine.

But when he had an opportunity of talking with Janet alone he made the most of it.

"There is no such thing," he said sadly, "in a summer hotel as a private telephone conversation. By the time you were through with the hospital and the employment agency the whole Rocking Chair Brigade were industriously putting two and two together. I made four sooner than they did and decided that the only worthwhile apology was one which would remove you from the awkward position in which I had placed you.

"Right after lunch I set out for Jinny's home and have been driving for miles and miles. Fortunately, I found Jinny better and very glad to be brought back in style. I don't expect to be forgiven for my utterly dumb mistake."

But Janet forgave him. Oh, yes, indeed. She did more than that. She ultimately married him and, as a honeymoon couple, they spent a glorious month at the Lodge the following June.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Austin—Austin's new $150,000 Paramount theater, will open Saturday, September 14.

Graceville—The newly organized Lions Club here has elected A. W. Magnuson, president.

Hokah—W. E. Quenett, principal of the public school here has gone to Minnesota Lakes to take up similar work.

Austin—Austin police are searching for Albert Hogan, shoemaker, who left his home carrying a large amount of money.

Arlington — Henrietta Schnlenberg observed her 100th birthday anniversary in company with friends and relatives here.

Bemidji—Members of the Northern Minnesota Medical Association attended opening sessions of the two day convention here.

Ivanhoe—Rev. L. W. Yost of Port Byron, Ill., has arrived here to become pastor of the Lutheran churches at Ivanhoe and Arco.

Alexandria—County attorneys of Minnesota gathered here for their summer gathering enjoyed a program of golfing and fishing.

East Chain—East Chain will have a community fair September 13, with Congressman Frank Clague of Redwood Falls as speaker.

Zumbrota—Preston Hale, county agricultural agent of Goodhue county for seven years, has resigned effective at the end of September.

Lake City—The first Lutheran church here plans to observe its sixtieth anniversary October 9. Former members and pastors are expected.

St. Peter—Henry N. Benson, state senator from Nicollet county, has been obtained as speaker for Sauerkraut day at Springfield, Minn., September 12.

Duluth—The first shipment of granite from St. Cloud for the new $2,300,000 federal building and postoffice being constructed in Duluth arrived here.

Stillwater—Modern Samaritans will conduct a district meeting here September 10. Plans call for initiation of new members by a St. Paul degree team.

Alexandria—Miss Emma C. Johnson of Detroit, Mich., will begin work as Red Cross nurse in Douglas county. Miss Johnson will be at work three months.

Bemidji—Dr. H. C. Cooney of Princeton was elected president of the Northern Minnesota Medical Association at the closing session of its annual convention here.

Alexandria — Alexandria public schools opened with a large increase in enrollment. Seven new teachers in the high school and five new teachers in the grades have been added.

St. Peter—Kenneth Mongels, 11-year-old-son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Mongels of Kasota, died of injuries received in an automobile accident near Le Sueur. His mother was paralyzed.

Wells—The Wels Business and Professional Women's Club conducted its annual public meeting here at which Mrs. Grayce T. Halle, president, announced the opening of new club-rooms.

Duluth—George A. Perham, secretary of the Eveleth Chamber of Commerce, has been named executive director of the Minnesota Arrowhead Association, succeeding Fred D. Vibert, resigned.

Northfield—Mrs. Josephine Preston, educator and lecturer, left Northfield after spending the summer as guest of Carleton College. Mrs. Preston is a native of Minnesota and a former student at Carleton.

Owatonna—Rev. Leon K. Hazinski, pastor of St. Hyacinth's Catholic church here, was feted by 300 members of the Knights of Columbus. Father Kozinski has been assigned to a parish in Wells.

Detroit Lakes—George Kohler, 65 years old, former street commissioner of Detroit Lakes, was killed when a grain truck he was driving was struck by a Northern Pacific gasoline-electric bus near here.

Red Wing—James Doyle was named president of the Red Wing Chamber of Commerce. John Dengler was elected first vicepresident; Harris Anderson, second vicepresident, and Maurice McGrew, secretary.

Faribault—The American Legion drum corps has entered the national drum corps contest at the American Legion convention in Louisville in October. This corps won the state contest at Winona last month.

Granite Falls—Three Granite Falls citizens brought action against the city council by filing a petition for a writ of mandamus regarding the council's action in laying aside the plans of carrying out the $90,000 bond improvement at the local municipal power plant.

St. Cloud—George A. Selke, president of St. Cloud Teachers College, has rejected an offer of the presidency of the state normal school at De Kalb, Ill., and will remain at St. Cloud to complete the expansion program. Work on a $200,000 classroom and gymnasium building is started.

Hutchinson—The fifty-seventh annual McLeod county fair will be staged September 12-15. Everett Oleson is president of the fair association, L. A. Ritter, vice-president, and D. A. Adams, secretary-treasurer.

Marshal—Bjorn B. Gislason, for many years prominent in Minnesota politics died here, age 56. Surviving him besides his wife, children and two sisters, are four brothers, District Judge A. B. Gislason of New Ulm, Professor H. B. Gislason of the University of Minnesota, Representative J. B. Gislason of Minneota and W. C. Gislason of Minneota.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Gilbert Sandum, Decedent,

The State of Minnesota To Carrie Sandum, Beatrice Sandum, Ruth Sandum, Grace Sandum, Harold Sandum, Ardith Sandum and all persons interested in the granting of Administration of the estate of said decedent. The petition of Carrie Sandum having been filed in this court, representing that Gilbert Sandum, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 1st day of August, 1929; and praying that letters of Administration of his estate be granted to Beatrice Saudum; and the court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition.

THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, on the 28th day of September, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and Seal of said Court, this 4th day of September, 1929.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate Court

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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STATE OF MINNESOTA
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON
IN DISTRICT COURT
Fourteenth Judicial District

Farmers State Bank of St. Hilaire, St. Hilaire, Minnesota, a corporation, by A. J. Veigel, Commissioner of Banks of the State of Minnesota

Plaintiff,

-vs-

A. J. Hed, Defendant.

SUMMONS.

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANT:

You are hereby summoned and required to appear and answer the complaint of the Plaintiff in the above entitled action, which complaint has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint upon the undersigned at his office in the City of Red Lake Falls, Minnesota, within twenty days after service of this summons has been made upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid the Plaintiff in this action will take judgment against you for the sum of $800.00 with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent per annum since December 22nd. 1927, together with the costs and disbursements of this action.

Dated July 20th. 1929.

Chas. E. Boughton. Jr.
Attorney for Plaintiff.
Red Lake Falls, Minnesota
A29-S12.

Simile

Exchanging wives or husbands for new ones is like exchanging old cars for new ones. Before you make the exchange you find out what you can get on the old one.—Kansas City Times.

Discovery

Tell a man there are 826,578,201 stars in the universe and he'll believe you; but if a sign says, "Wet Paint," he must investigate for himself.—Arcanum Bulletin.

No Sentiment in Business

"Sorry," said the greeting cards manufacturer to his clerk. "Got to let you out. Sentiment has no place in business, you know."—American Legion Monthly.

Why Not Ask Them?

"Feed a cold and starve a fever," say the doctors. What we would like to know is why every girl we take out has a cold instead of a fever.—London Opinion.

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The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

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Duram Wheat	1.05
Rye	.83
Barley	.49
Oats	.38
Flax	3.02
Eggs, cash	.28
Creamery butter	.49

Peplums Gaining Favor as the Season Advances

If anything peplums are shown to a greater degree than was predicted earlier in the season. They are executed in unique ways, as, for example, in box-plaited form on a navy georgette frock from Martial et Armand. The peplum is slightly lengthened in back and two tie-back sashes are pieced from the side seams.

Fan plaits are yet another characteristic with several houses. Skirts are set with box plaits from a hip yoke, but each plait flares out at the hem in a tiny fan shape.

Short sleeves certainly have been revived, reaching midway between the underarm and elbow, set in, but occasionally cut kimono fashion.

Printed Chiffon Gown in Black, White and Red

An attractive street gown that will appeal to many women at this season is of printed chiffon in white, black and red, featuring the Patou "lingerie touch" in white georgette.

Valuable Supplement to Corn in Feeding

Soy beans are a very valuable supplement to corn in feeding steers and hogs. They are about equal in feeding value to either linseed meal or cottonseed meal and can be substituted for the mill feeds to balance corn when feeding steers or hogs. From 2.5 to 3 pounds per head per day should be fed.

However, soy beans are very rich in oil and this will have a tendency to throw both hogs and steers off feed if the beans are fed for a long time. If hogs follow steers that are fed soy beans instead of linseed or cottonseed meal the hogs should have some tankage in addition.

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Now is the best time to anticipate your needs in stationery and ruled forms for fall use. Don't wait until the fall rush is on.

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St. Hilaire Spectator

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St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

Not Contagious Diseases

Dr. Ray M. Balyeat, anthority on the subject, says: "Empbatically neither hay fever nor asthma is contagious. Unless an individnal bas been born with the ability to become sensitive, it is practically impossible for that individnal to become sensitive to any protein."

Stock Exchange Term

The term "preference shares" is used in England as the equivalent of the American preferred stock. These rank ahead of the ordinary sbares, besides very often being entitled to a cumulative dividend.

Soviet Official Flag

The state flag of the Soviet union is of red or scarlet cloth—length to width, 2:1. In the left upper corner are a golden sickle and hammer, surmounted by a five-pointed red star with a golden border.

Lake Dwellers' Abodes

The name "lake dwellers" is applied to hnman babitations built usnally upon foundations of piles or posts, bnt also constructed of trunks of trees, brush, earth or stone and erected on the shallow borders of lakes, rivers and other inland waters. These structures abounded in Switzerland and adjacent parts of Italy, France and Germany in the Stone and Bronze ages, but are known to have existed in many parts of the world.

Beggars' Own Newspaper

The beggars of Paris bave their own trads paper, known as the "Journal de Mendiant." It gives an up-to-date list of baptisms, marriages, and funerals to be solemnized in the principal Paris churches during the week, and which promise a good harvest for beggars. Further, it gives with the utmost candor a list of benevolently disposed people, their addresses, and the best times to see them.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated July 2nd, 1927, executed by Carl Edwin Crown and Fred D. Lorentson as guardian for Carrie Crown, incompetent, wife of said Carl Edwin Crown, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, cn July 12th, 1927, at eleven o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 356 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $78.13 each, due on January 2nd, 1929, and July 2nd, 1929, respectively; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,447.96, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon since July 2nd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $156.26, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $76.13 thereof since January 2nd, 1929, and on $76.13 thereof since July 2nd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, and the sum of $12.60, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since May 3rd, 1929, in all the sum of $2,641.56, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-five (45) West, subject to a conveyance for school purposes shown of record in Book "6" of Deeds, page 271, containing 159 acres, more or less, according to Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 11th day of October, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 26th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (A-29—O-3)

ANNUAL STATEMENT

Annual statement of receipts and disbursements by treasurer of Consolidated School Dist. 102, St. Hilaire, Minn., for year ending July 15, 1929.

Receipts	
Cash on hand	$ 1,876.83
Apportionment	1,162.00
Special State Aid	7,018.87
Special taxes	8,844.89
Local Mill Taxes	72.68
Sale of books, etc.	27.60
Interest and Sinking Fund	244.63
Other Receipts	22.53
Total Receipts	$19,270.03
Disbursements	
General Control	$ 62.00
Instruction:	
Teacher's Salaries	7,602.50
Books and supplies	652.64
Library	72.70
Operation	1,888.60
Maintenance	23.07
Transportation	1,058.67
Other expense	531.99
Total	$16,349.49
Transferred to Sinking Fund	$ 119.00
Cash on hand	2,801.54
Total	$19,270.03

Audited and found correct this 15th day of July, 1929.

Paul Roy
Mrs. Eleanor Hansen
M. H. Jackson
Auditing Committee.

Gift of Gab

Americans are probably the poorest listeners in the world as any man who bas traveled much in other countries will testify.—American Magazine.

Degrees of Madness

There are two kinds of madness. One prodnced by human infirmity, the other by a divine release from the ordinary ways of men.—Plato.

Virtue Above Riches

That is not riches, which may be lost; virtue is our true good and the true reward of its possessor.—Da Vinci.

Jungle Sees Future

A French company is reclaiming the jungles of the Marqnesas islands for the growing of coconuts.

Population's Increase

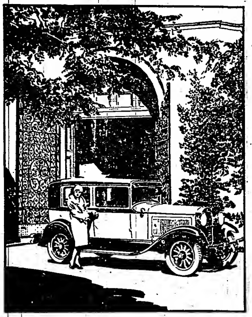
It is estimated that in the world the births average 150,000 a day and the deaths 100,000.

One Point of View

If we must focus on miseries, we shall do better to choose the miseries of somebody else.

Compare its *beauty* with costly cars

SMART, GRACEFUL LINES MAKE THIS LOW-PRICED CAR A STYLE LEADER



ONLY among cars of much higher price can you find any adequate comparison with the modish design of the new Superior Whippet. Mechanically, too, Whippet offers many features found on cars costing two and three times as much. Whippet is the only low-priced car with *all* these important advantages: Full force-feed lubrication, silent timing chain; higher compression engine for more speed, power and pick-up; invar-strut pistons; extra long wheelbase; "Finger-Tip Control" and in the Six, a seven-bearing crankshaft.

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DOWN PAYMENT ONLY

Balance in 12 easy monthly payments. Line includes Sedan, Coupe, Roadster, 1½-ton Truck Chassis. All Willys-Overland prices f. o. b. Toledo, Ohio, and specifications subject to change without notice.

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WHIPPET
FOURS AND SIXES

Whippet Four Coach, Coupe, 4-passenger Coupe, Sedan, De Luxe Sedan, Roadster, 4-passenger Roadster, Collegiate Roadster, Commercial Chassis.

Sold By
R. A. Young
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

LOCALS

Clifford Bilden returned last evening to Dalton after spending a week here with his parents and visiting with his brother, Lloyd, who is home for a vacation.

Mrs. Arthur Eid and baby came first of the week from Gary for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Loberg.

Albert Nash, who has been ill since early spring, is gradually growing weaker and at present is ina state of coma.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Services at 11:00 and 8:00.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Lamps of all sizes from 10 to 60 watt can also be had at 20 cents each at the Spectator office

Choice quality Northern White Cedar Posts and poles, slightly under the N. W. C. A. specification grade. Will last a lifetime. Shipped direct from the woods. Write and enquire for prices.

Paul Thyren,
J 25-S 18 Hazel, Minn.

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing
Block North from Post office

Plow Lays: I have on hand plow lays to fit most makes of plows. Others not in stock may be had on short notice.

A22S5 Wm. Olsen, City.

SCHOOL PROCEEDINGS

Meeting of directors of Independent School District 102 held August 27th, 1929.

Members present: Hansen, Larson, Brink, Jackson, Roy and Burkee.

On motion made and carried Eleanor Hansen was elected chairman for the coming year.

On motion made and carried E. O. Burkee was elected Secretary for the coming year at a salary of $35.00 per year.

On motion made and carried Richard Larson was elected Treasurer for the year at a salary of $15.00 for the year.

On motion made and carried the Treasurer's bond be placed at $5,000.00 and a surety bond be ordered for that amount.

On motion made and carried Eleanor Hansen was elected as school custodien for the year at a salary of $10.00 for the year.

On motion made and carried the regular meetings of the school board be held the fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

On motion made and carried the St. Hilaire Spectator be designated the official paper and the School District and said Spectator will be allowed $25.00 for the publication of all school proceedings together with the annual report of the treasurer.

On motion made and carried children who will not have attained their sixth birthday on or before January first will not be permitted to begin school the current year. No new classes in the Primary Department shall be organized after the opening of school.

On motion made and carried the Chairman appoint a committee of three to meet with the village council relative to the curfew.

No further business, motion for adjournment carried.

E. O. BURKEE,
Clerk.

Hotel Man Nicked

A stranger called at the Moberly (Mo.) hotel and told the proprietor that he was broke and hungry. The proprietor ordered a good meal for the man. When he arose from the table a $20 bill dropped from his handkerchief. A waiter picked it np and handed it to the proprietor, who got angry and took out 75 cents for the meal, returning $19.25 to the stranger. Later the proprietor discovered the bill was counterfeit.

Successful

Old Doctor—Is the new doctor successful? Got many patients?

Druggist—Oodles of them. Got the latest movie magazines in the waiting room, and his patients can't get in quick enough when the latest copy comes out.

In the Sanctum

"I have here a poem."

"I'll take it," said the office boy.

"But this is valuable."

"G'wan. We ain't got no receiving teller."

SCHOOL PROCEEDINGS

The postponed regular meeting of Directors, Independent School District 102 held August 27th, 1929.

All members present.

On motion made and carried the resignation of Thora Lervold be accepted.

On motion made and carried Edna Hovie was elected as third and fourth grade teacher at a salary of $95.00 per month for a period of nine months.

On motion made and carried Elmer Johnson be re-hired as bus driver for both south and west routes at a salary of $115.00 per month for a period of nine months.

On motion made and carried that a contract be entered into with A. Satterberg for three cars of coal at a price not to exceed $9.00 per ton delivered in the bins at the school building.

On motion made and carried the typewriter at the school building be purchased for $45.00.

On motion made and carried the following bills be allowed:

Northern School Supply Co.	$ 2.83
W. M. Welch Mfg. Co., supplies July 11, 1929	30.87
Standard Oil Co., floor oil	36.50
M. Highland, freight and drayage	10.61
First National Bank, interest on bonds	700.00

No further business, motion for adjournment carried.

E. O. BURKEE,
Clerk.

Chemicals Lay Coal Dust

By the application of certain chemicals coal is being made dustless not only at the time of delivery but it remains so after storage in the bins.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.

St. Hilaire. Minn.

THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nslson, Pastor

Confirmation services next Sunmorning at 10:00 in the Black River church.

Communion services, Rev. Aner Bloom officiating, will be held in Black River church at 3:00 P. M.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Sept. 15th.

Services in Norwegian at St. Hilaire church at 11.00 A. M.

Services in American at St. Pauli at 2:30 P. M.

Sunday school immediately before these services.

The Ladies' Aid of the St. Hilaire church meets in parlors of the church. Friday, Sept, 13th.

Ladies' Aid of St. Pauli meets at that church Thursday, Sept, 12, at 2:30.

LOCALS

The Ladies' Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained at the churcb parlors by Mesdames Dave Johnson and K. T. Dalager, on Friday, Sept, 13th. 2T

Getting High Hat

A man in this neigbborbood bss acquired the reputation of bovlug a great deal more money thsn be really bss just by belug extremely dilatory nbout paying his bills, like most of the rich people.—Ohio Stote Journol.

Two in One

A Boston man soys his wife first "took a bammer tu bim" aud then kicked bim ont of the bonse. She seems to be hoth a knocker and booster.—Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

Where Good Bunnies Go

"Animols," soys a naturalist, "don't know how lncky they are." Does a fomily of rabbits, for instance, realize that tbey are running about in a beautifnl sealskin coat?—London Opinion.

For Speed Power and Pick-up . . .

a six without a rival at its price

Without n single exception, the Pontiac Big Six is the fastest, most powerful eix of its price available today. Its sturdy, 200 cubic inch, L-head engine develops 60 horsepower nt moderate engine speed. Its speed and accleration are the fastest to be found in any low-priced six, according to the "fifth wheel"—the most accurate epeed measuring device known to automotive engineere. Unquestionably, today's Pontiac Big Six is the performance leader of its price field—and the style and value leader as well. 230

PONTIAC BIG SIX at $745

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Consider the delivered price as well as the list (f. o. b.) price when comparing automobile values . . . Oakland-Pontiac delivered prices include only authorized charges for freight and delivery and the charge for any additional accessories or financing desired.

Pontiac Big Six, $745 to $895, f. o. b. Pontiac, Mich., plus delivery charges. Bumpers, spring covers and Lovejoy shock absorbers regular equipment at slight extra cost. General Motors Time Payment Plan available at minimum rate.

Sold By

Roy Motor Company

St. Hilaire, Minn.

TRI-MOTORED AIRPLANE MISSING

Craft Downed in Desert by Storms with Eight Passengers Aboard.

Winslow, Arizona—The big tri-motored passenger ship with aight passengers aboard is down in the desert wilds near here. No trace of the ship has yet been found. It is thot that the big plane was struck by lightning at that all on board hava perished.

The seven mall plana and a number of commercial and private planes are searching. Fifty thousand square miles of the most sparsely populated wildsrness of the United States are the scene of the most spectacular hunt the west have ever seen. Indian runnere and scouts, tribesmen from the Zuni, Apache, Navajo and Hopi resorvations, afoot and un horse, prospectors and motorists, are trekking into all sections of Arizona and western New Mexico.

Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh cams tu Winslow, to aid in ths search for the missing plans.

Sept. 23 Coolidge-Trumbull Nuptials.

Hartford, Coun.—Formal announcement was mada that the wedding of Miss Florenca Trumbull and John Cooildge would take place Monday, September 23, in the Plainvills Congregational church. Invitations have heen sent ont. Tha Rev. Keuneth Welles of Albany, N. Y., former pastor of the Congregational church in Northampton, Mass., will officiate and will he assisted hy the Rev. J. Roy Wilkerson, pastor of the Plainvills Congregational church. After tha ceremony a reception will bs held at the home of Govsrnor and Mrs. Trumbull on Farmington avenne. After a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Cooildgs will live in New Havsn.

U. S. Company Will Build Soviet City.

Nishni-Novgorod, Russia—American engineering skill, ingenuity and ensrgy have been called into play hy soviet Russia in thme building of a grsat new modern industrial city north of here, between the Volga and the Oka rivers, with modern workmen's bomes, schools, theaters, clubs, parks, recreational centers, streets, sewers, railroads, terminals, warehouses and docks, beside the antomobile plant. This city building awarded a U. S. firm in competition with Europesn firms involves the expenditures of $40,000,000. The principal prodncts will be automobiles and motor trucks.

U. S. Foils Plot to Faks New Bills.

Washington—Frustraiting the first attempt to counterfeit the government's new currency, the secret servics bas wrecked a conspiracy to issue spurious notes in Iowa. Conntsrfeits of a $10 note on the federal reserve bank of Kansas City, poorly executed by a photo-mechanical procsss, first appeared in Council Binffs, Iowa, at the end of August. Julius P. Ries, giving Omaha as his address, was arrested in Cedar Rapids with $320 of the bad paper in his possssion.

British Fail to Chsck Arab Hordes.

Jerusalem—The situation throughout Palestine rsmains grave in the axtreme, with bloody clashes being reported between British troops and nomadic Arab bands. Heavy lossss bave been snstained by both sides in the fighting between British forces and a largs band of Bsdouin Arabs at Gass, 60 miles southwest of Jerusalem. The Gaza engagement threatens to develop into the worst battle in ths entira conflict. The fighting has assumed a genuine warlike stage, with airplanes and armored cars aiding the Britisb

Typhoon Sinks Ship; 28 Drowned.

Manila, P. I.—The steamer Mayon, owned by the Manila railroad, was reported to have foundered in a typhoon off the Pasacao Ragay gulf. Of the 37 passengers aboard the steamer, ouly nine were reported to bave been eaved. No mention of members uf ths crew was contained in brief dispatches received here hy railroad ufficials.

Ssnate Calls Farm Board for Hearing.

Washington—The agricultural committee of the senate, to wbom has been referred the President's appointments to the federal farm board, is to hold hearings beginning soon. Each proposed member is to be snmmoned hefore the committee and qnestionsd as to his interpretation of the agricultural marketing act.

Films Shipped to Lepsr Colony.

New York—The army transport Grant, sailing from hsre for the far east, will carry 778,000 feet of motion picture film, a gift from seven producing companies, to the Culion lapar colony in the Philippina Islands.

Hoover Attacks Navy Lobbying.

Washington—Presldsnt Hoovsr served notice on shipbuilding corporations that he would not tolerate interferenca by them in tha international negotiations for naval disarmament.

Bohemian Club Gets Application.

San Francisco—Will Rogers, cowboy humorist is an applicant for msmbership in San Francisco's exolusive Bohemian clnb. Marshal Dill, secretary and Haig Partigan, sculptor are spensors.

Havana Closes Dance Academies.

Havana—The capital uf Cuba is virtually danceless following nrders issued by tha interior department to close immsdiately all dancing academies in Havana, on charges of immorality.

FARM POULTRY

EARLY MOLT NOT RIGHT FOR EGGS

Careful Feeding Will Encourage Hens to Lay More.

Poultry keepers who fed a wet masb in addition to the regular grain and dry mash kept their hens laying heavily last year, says L. M. Hurd of the New York state college of agriculture. Hens should be kept in production throngh careful feeding during the summer and early fall so that they will molt rapidly and soon return to producing.

Records of the Missouri College of Agriculture show that early molting hens lay fewer eggs during the following winter than those hens wbich molt late.

In the summer and fall, hens should have an abundance of tender, leafy green food, shade, and fresh clean woter at all times. Hens that do not respond to good treatment should be removed so as to give the others a better chance. Skim milk or semisolid buttermilk, at the rate of one or two pounds to a hundred birds should be used. A good plan for feeding this, is to mix it and enongh water with the regular dry mash. This mash should be fed in the afternoon, just before the night feeding of grain. The hens should bavs ouly what they can eat np in twenty minntes.

If milk is not available, fill a pail half-full of dry oats, fill it np with water, and let it stand from one afternoon nntil the next. Then add enongh of the regular dry mash to take np the remaining moisture, and feed as described above.

After September 1, poultrymen have bad good results from using lights to prolong the laying season. Lata in tha fall this should be discontinned to give the bens an opportunity to molt before cold weather, and rest for the breeding season.

Avoid Changes in Feed for the Pullet Flock

It is surprising how important some poultrykeepers are when endeavoring to secure eggs from the pullet flocks. Uuless the yield goes np by leaps and bounds, they imsgine that there must be something wrong with the feeding, aud forthwith begin to changa the rations.

This happens at irregular intervals, and in consequence the birds never have an opportunity of getting accustomed to any particular ration. There is nothing more detrimental to egg prodnction than these freqnent changes. Of course, it wonld be nnwise to persist in feeding a ration which bad proved to be nnsuitable, bnt until such unsuitability hss been definitely established changes sbould bs avoided.

Duck and Goose Eggs Require Much Moisture

It depends pretty much on the operator whether dnck and goose eggs hatch as well in an incubator as nnder bens. They require more moisture than hens' eggs and nsually need to be "fairly drowned" tbe last two weeks. It would not be practical to try to batch hens' eggs with goose eggs in the ordinary small incubator, owing to the difference in size which would givs a sligbtly different degree of heat on the small and large eggs.

Poultry Facts

Spade up the yard frequently.

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Fowls stand cold better than dampness.

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Provide a nest for each four or five hens.

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Make the bouse dry and free from drafts, bnt allow for ventilation.

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Get the hens out in the sunshine and feed plenty of oyster shell to get good strong eggsbells.

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Market eggs at least twice a week in summer.

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Build the self-feeder so that it protects feed from rain.

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Select the best growing and most vigorous cockerels for breeders.

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Old hens are the most common spreaders of poultry tuberculosis.

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Send your big fluffy boarder hens to market. This is one way tu relieve your farm of loss.

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A flock of 50 ducks can be kept on many farms without materially increasing the labor needed in caring for the poultry.

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Ducks do not require a large investment for houses or equipment. A tight shelter that will protect them from the weather is satisfactory.

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Planer shavings give very satisfactory results when used for litter in poultry honses. Cut alfalfa, cut clover, or cut straw also give good results when used as litter.

25 Years Ago

Joe McCaffery left that week to engage in the real estate and insurance business at Warroad.

—XXV—

Effects of the Mercbants State Bank were being moved into the new brick building then completed for its use.

—XXV—

Tbos. Sbevlin, president of the Crookston Lumber Company, was bere looking after business matters at tbe local plant.

—XXV—

Bill Ford, formerly foreman of the river crew here, was down from Rainy River for a visit with old friends.

—XXV—

Norman Aimer left that week for Hamline to attend school the coming winter

—XXV—

A four months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Jos, Demers died after a brief illnesss

—XXV—

No. 1 hard wheat was worth $.1.14 in local market. That price was the highest paid here in years.

LOCALS

Dortby Anderson of Bowbells, N. D., came Monday to spend the fall and winter at home of her aunt, Mrs. K. O. Gigstad.

"Ain't that Sumpin!" Radiotron tubes 20la 79c - Prepare now for the radio season- Prices on "B" Batteries are lower. Gamble Stores.

Services will be conducted by Rev. O. Lundell at the Eastside school house Tuesday evening. Sept. 17th at 8:00.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson, accompanied by H. Kalland and daughter, Amanda, and Mrs. R. L. Hauge, spent last Sunday at the W. Janda home at Mahnomen. Mr. and Mrs. Janda have charge of the turkey raising at the Schermerhorn farm at Mahnomen.

Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Stapf and son Mrs. K. Gigstad and daughter, Evelyn and Mrs. B. E. Burkee were guests Tuesday evening at the farm bome of Mr. and Mrs. Leo. Holms west of town.

J. Bohlen, Norman and Lester Holmes, Tom Larson, Paul Roy and Hans Folstad motored Tuesday to Gary to witness the ball game between the colored House of David team and Gary. Tbe game was a very interesting one, and was won by Gary by a score of 5 to 4.

William Kruse, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Chr. Kruse, Sr., and by Mrs. A. W. Howie and three children, motored Saturday ty Fargo for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Golden. Mrs. Howie and cbildren, who have spent the summer here, leave today for their bome at San Francisco, Calif.

The Spectator, $1.50 A Year

TIRES

Blackbird balloon cords	
29 x 4.40 size	$5.60
Kelly Springfield Balloon Cords 29 x 4.40	$6.00
Simmons Cord Tires	
30 x 3 1-2 size	$4.75
Used Balloon tires	
29 x 4.40, with tubes	$2.50

St. Hilaire Garage

R. S. Rosette, Prop.

LOCAL

Miss Lilly Gunstad commenced teacbing a term of school Monday in the Nettland school in Rocksbury.

Mark North!! Shells for the opening day loaded with No. 2 Dupont powder 71c per box. Dupont Oval powder 92 cents per box. Case lots. Gamble Stores. Tbief River Falls-

Mrs. Alfred Jenson and childern of Warroad, visited recently at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Gilbertson south of Hazel.

Miss Effie Frederickson commenced teaching a term of school this week in the Aug. Svenson district.

For Sale: Fordson tractor with set of plows, all in good order. Call on or address

A. P. Gordon,
R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

A. V. Jacobson and family, C. Lindquist and family spent last Sunday at the Jepson home southeast of town.

Harm and Dick Bohlen left Saturday for their homes in Iowa after a visit here with their father, J. H. Bohlen.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lindquist returned Thursday from the Twin Cities where they visited relatives and attended the State Fair.

Now traded on Stock Exchange - Gamble Stores stock - a 7 per cent investment that can be disposed of at any time thru Minneapolis Stock Exchange, wben cash is needed. 434 Stimson blvd-, Minneapolis.

Apples For Sale

Crabs at 50 cents per peck or $1.75 per bushel. Cherry crabs at 25 cents per peck or 75 cents per bushel. Plums 30 cents per peck at the Yonke farm one mile east and mile south of St. Hilaire.

Herman Anderson, who has visited here several weeks at the H. O. Jackson and Mrs. A. P. Anderson homes, left Monday evening for his home at Devils Lake, N. D.

Mrs. Anna S. Peterson has been at Thief River the past week because of serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. James Kinney.

Worth makes the man and want of it the fellow. Likewise a business training makes for success and the lack of it failure. Write Mankato Commercial College, Mankato Minn. for Catalogue.

Since opening of the new retail market at Hibbing, a big increase in the wholesale department has been noted at Durbin's Produce Market. Besides supplying tbe Hibbing shop, the local market supplies several road construction camps, hotels and markets in nearby towns with fresh and prepared meats.

SLOANS FLY DROPS

Best fly exterminator on the market, at reduced prices

Half pint	$.30
Formerly .50	
Pint Size	.50
Formerly .75	
Quart Size	.90
Formerly 1.25	
Sprayers, each	.45

St. Hilaire Pharmacy

E. Sundholm, Prop.

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From Washington

Mrs. W. A. Arthur of Snohomish, Wash., came Saturday and spent until first of this week here at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad, and with other friends in this community. The Arthur family were residents of St. Hilaire during mill days at which time the operated restaurants, and also the Hotel Markham. After leaving here they followed the same line of business at Prince Albert, Can., Rose Lake, Idaho, Seattle, Wash. and lastly at Snohomish where Mr. Arthur died last spring. Mrs. Arthur recently sold the business at Snohomish and will visit her sisters at Fargo, Portland and Minot, N. D., and The Pas, Manitoba before deciding upon a future location. She left yesterday afternoon for Portland.

New Mechanic

Albert Aase, formerly with the Reliable Motor Company at Thief River Falls, came down this week to take charge of the repair department of the St. Hilaire Garage. Mr. Aase has had many years experience in his line, and comes well recommended as an efficient repairman. He expects to move his family here in a few weeks.

Nothing is difficult to the brave and nothing will be difficult to you if you attend Mankato Commercial College. If interested send for free catalogue.

A Mr. Rude, who was employed in the Rapp and Post store here about thirty years ago, and was later in the cafe business at Minneapolis was here Friday for a call on old friends and acquaintances.

NOTE: L. E. Healy will be in St Hilaire on Monday, Sept 23rd, to attend to business matters of the Farmers State Bank.

A trip out thru the country reveals that there are more turkeys being raised this year than usual. A number of extra fine appearing flocks were noted and if fair prices prevail this fall, considerable money will come into this territory from that source.

L. E. Healy and son, accompanied by a party of the friends of latter, were up yesterday from Red Lake Falls for a hunting trip west of town.

Auction Tuesday

An auction sale of horses, cattle, machinery and houshold goods will take place Tuesday, Sept. 24th, at the Mrs. Chas. Walton, Jr., farm three miles southwest of this village. Among the property to be sold are a span of mules, one horse, three cows, machinery, household effects and some hay and feed. The sale starts at 1:00 P. M.

Wm. Eukel will cry the sale, and the Merchants State Bank of St. Hilaire will act as clerk. After death of her husband, Mrs. Walton has decided to sell all the personal effects, and will leave to make her parents in Iowa.

Auction Wednesday

An auction sale of various kinds of personal property will take place Wednesday, Sept. 25th., at the J. W. Denhart farm southeast of Hazel. Mr. and Mrs. Denhart and family plan to leave for some of the western states in the near future. Among the property to be sold are five horses, four good cows, a complete set of farm machinery all in good condition, some hay and feed, all household goods, small tools and such other articles as are usually found on a well equipped farm. Free lunch will be served at noon, and the sale starts immediately after lunch. V. C. Noper of Thief River Falls will cry the sale, and E. O. Burkee will act as clerk. The terms of sale are cash because the owner is leaving this section of the country.

Mrs. Ben Lardy, who submitted to an operation last week at the hospital at Thief River, is progressing at a satisfactory rate.

Lieut. H. D. Wegner, in charge of the Salvation Army unit at Thief River Falls, accompanied by his father, D. T. Wegner, passed thru here Tuesday enroute to Richland Center, Wis., to spend a couple weeks with relatives.

Hunting season opened Monday morning, and in case of prairie chickens remains open until next Sunday evening. Open season for ducks and other migratory fowl is same as formerly.

Now-inside house paints are in stock in all Gamble Stores-flat wall, semi gloss, floor paint and Spar varnish. Thief River Falls.

Good Bye

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Andrew Anderson and Leonard Jenson return Saturday from Dakota.

Rupert Nelson came up fore part of the week from Minneapolis and is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Wash Adams.

Martin Bothun, the Thief River florist, was in the village Tuesday afternoon attending to business matters.

Henry Burstad is hauling out lumber to be used in erection of some new buildings on his place southeast of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Oslund of Wannaska were week-end guests at home of A. Aug. Erickson.

Faville Halverson had the misfortune of breaking his arm Sunday while cranking a car.

Selma Johnson returned Thursday fram Grand Forks where she visited the past week with her sister.

Mr. Cornel Aubol has returned from Dakota where he has been employed.

Laurine Bjerk student at Red Lake Falls high school normal training department spent the weekend at her home here.

Dr. L. Twete, the veterinarian of Thief River, attended to some calls in this locality yesterday while enroute to vicinity of Highlanding to bo some testing work.

Miss Grace Dahle of this village, and Oscar and Morris Odegaard of Hazel left fore part of the week for Moorhead to attend Concordia College this year.

Hans Folstad bas had charge of the Carlson store this week during absence of Ole Johnson, who went up to Lake of the Woods on a duck hunting trip.

Margaret, daughter, of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jepson, was operated upon Monday at the hospital at Thief River for appendicitis. She withstood the operation nicely, and is improving.

The Dollar hill is smaller but it buys more tires today than ever before-New lower prices at 102 Gamble Stores-29x4.40 $6.70. Tube Free. Thief River Falls.

First frost of any account this fall occured Monday night when some garden truck was frosted.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rux of Grand Forks came over Sunday for a visit with relatives.

Two auto loads of hunters from Red Wing arrived here Sunday evening to hunt chickens in this locality.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Olsen motored up Sunday from Leonard and spent the day with relatives.

The southbound passenger was several hours late Saturday due to derailment of the gas electric car at Greenbush.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Surmo motored down Monday to look after matters at their farm, the former Halverson place south of the village.

John D. Porter, of Bemidji, motored up Sunday evening to take in first of hunting season here with friends.

Merle Johnson of Kennedy and Nora Lindquist of Black River were guests at Theo. Skatrud home on Sunday.

Supt. R. Peterson of the school at Plummer, motored over Saturday afternoon for a brief visit with friends.

Lloyd Bilden accompanied J. D. Porter on his return Monday night to Bemidji, and went with him from there the following morning to Duluth to bring up a couple new cars.

Leo Carpenter and Wm. Engh, who are employed at some tile drainage work at Middle River, motored down Sunday and spent the day at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erdman motored Monday with their daughter to Moorhead where the latter enrolled at Concordia College for the school year.

Tony Carlson, secretary-treasurer of the Carlson Merc. Co., was down Thursday evening from Holt looking after business matters at local store of the company.

Anton Anderson, of Wylie, has leased the Ole Anderson residence on Water street, and his daughters will occupy it the coming winter while one attends school here and the other teaches southeast of town.

Spud Crop Light

Reports on the potato crop from different parts of the Red River Valley are that the crop will be light in most places because of dry weather during the growing season. At present Red River spuds are quoted at $1.50 a hundred, and chances are they will be worth better than a dollar a bushel on local market.

Auction Sale, Sept 27th

Due to ill health, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Loberg, pioneer residents of Rocksbury township, have decided to quit farming and will sell their personal property at public auction at the farm north of this village, on Friday, September 27th.

Among the effects and farm equipment to be sold are listed three horses, three cows, a set of farm machinery, some household goods, poultry, hay and other articles

It is intention of Mr. and Mrs. Loberg to make their home with their daughter, Mrs. W. Klint, at Willmar after their sale. The sale starts at 12:30, and free lunch will be served at noon.

School Parties Soon

As planned now, the first of a series of parties to be given for high school students this year will be an all high school party Wednesday evening, Sept. 25.

This gathering will be held at the homes of Gunnard Lindquist, V. G. Brink, E. D. Jensen and Harry Winter. The parties are sponsered by members of the P. T. A., to provide clean enjoyment for our young people.

Mrs. Nels Carlson and son, Raymond, returned Friday from a visit with relatives and former neighbors in Roseau County, and are now busy getting settled on their newly acquired property, the former Ellison place near Clara church south east of here.

The large gas-electric car which was substituted for the steam engine in pulling the passenger train on this line, has been taken to another line farther west. A smaller car of the same type is now doing duty on this line.

Charley Young came over last week from Dakota for a visit at home of his brother, Raymond Young.

State To Build Barns

The State of Minneasota by the Department of Rural Credit is advertising for bids on erection of sixteen new barns on farms acquired by the state thru operalion of the Rural Credit Bureau. Most of the farms to be thus improved, are in this section, one or two being tributary to this place, others being near Thief River Falls and Goodridge.

In many cases where the State has acquired farm lands, buildings have been in poor condition, especially the barns, which is a serious handicap in this section where dairying is the main industry. In order to attract buyers, or to get suitable renters for such places which otherwise are desirable farms, the Bureau has decided to erect the necessary barns. This action on part of the Bureau is a most commendable one, and meets with approval of everyone in this section,

25 Years Ago

E.T. Harting, station agent here, left that week for St. Paul.

—XXV—

Chas. Latta went over to the new town on the Soo with material for his new newspaper office.

—XXV—

C. A. Skeie returned from the Rainy River country where he filed on a claim.

—XXV—

C. E. Higbie and and A. F. Lang started fixing up the bowling alley and expected to have it in operation in a few days.

—XXV—

The Crookston sawmill was shut down because of blowout of a cylinder head on the new steam engine recently installed.

—XXV—

The new town of Scotland on the Soo was renamed Plummer because there was a town named Scotland, Miss., and mail had already commenced going wrong.

—XXV—

A large force of surveyors left Thief River Falls that week headed west. It was rumored the Soo was contemplating building a new line to tap the wheat district along the Canadian line in Dakota.

Mechanics Wanted!
Big Demand. Practical Training. Write for catalog. HANSON AUTO & ELECTRICAL SCHOOL, Box 926, Fargo, N. D

Looking Into The Future

The creamery, which has been brot up to its present state during the past twenty seven years, has by no means reached its capacity, nor is dairying overdone in this territory. It is safe to say that a gain of one thousand percent over present output, could be made without additional territory being added to this field. Not only is this possible but indications are that it will come to pass. Testing of cows, and intensive dairying will do it. By the way, have you bought a share in this growing local enterprise?

St Hilaire, Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Making A Start

Look around among the most successful people in your community and you will find practically every one will ascribe his or her success to early training in saving.

Save a part of your income during your productive years. It does not have to be any large amount each month, but save a part.

Independence in later years does not come by wishing for it, but by systematic saving when you are making more than necessary for your immediate needs. Start a savings account.

MERCHANTS STATE BANK
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Is your DeLaval separator in good running order?

If it isn't, then you may be losing butter-fat and shortening the life of the machine; and ninety-nine times out of a hundred it isn't the fault of the machine but due to the fact that it needs attention, adjustment, cleaning, or the replacement of some part.

Bring in your De Laval Separator to us and we will put it in first-class running order. Bring in the complete machine, and in order to save expense clean out the oil chamber and gears with kerosene or boiling water. You can do this just as well as we can.

Carlson Merc. Co., Inc.
O. C. Johnson, Mgr
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Cities Service Oils And Gasoline
Including
KOOLMOTOR

Young's Service Station, handling a full line of Cities Service oils, grease and gasoline, is now open and serving the public of St. Hilaire and vicinity.

Next time your gas tank needs refilling, try KOOLMOTOR, the original high-test, anti-knock green gas, and note the improvement in performance of your motor. Once tried, always used.

Cities Service Oil Co.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.
St. Hilaire. Minn.

SENATE ORDERS INCOME DATA

Twenty-one Republicans Join With Democrats in Routing Protectionists.

Weshington—By a vote of almost two to one the eenata voted to adopt the Simmons resolution directing its financa committes to secure from the U. S. treasury data from capital stock and incoms profits returns for nse in the consideration of ths tariff hill.

The vote revealed a hig split in ths republican hiock on ths principls of puhlicity of tax returns from hig corporations. 21 repnhlicans and 30 democrats voted for the adoption of the resointion and 27 repnhlicans against. The democrats voted solidly for its adoptioa. The tariff itself was not a matter of consideration.

The reeolntion was offersd hy Senator Simmons of North Caorlina, ranking democratic head of the senate finance committee, and calls for report of profits, lossss, officers' salarles, costs of prodoction and wages, as well as other related statistics.

Spoosors of the resolution assured its opponents that no abnss would he made of the privllega thus accorded, such as hroedcasting the information to the country, hut that it would he utilized only when it was deemed neceesery to provs the justification of an increase or decreass in a tariff rats.

British Plans Hits 6 Miles a Minuts.

Coishot, Eng.—A. H. Oriebar, sqnsdron leeder, captain of the British Schneider cup tesm, set a nsw world's speed record of 368.8 miles an hour when he mede for four successful deshes over a three-kilometer conrse here, a record of more than six miles per minuts. Orlehar's avsrage for four coneecntive dashes over the couree on Southempton water was 368.8 miles an hour, or 34.81 miles an hour hetter than the new world record estahlished hy R. L. Atcherley, flying officer in the Schneider cup racs.

Cisims First Incsndsscent Light.

Honover, Germany—Edison's claim to having invented ths incandsscent lamp ie now challenged by the Electro-Technic Soicety of Hanover, which alleges that 25 yeers before the Americen's invention was made known, Heinrich Gohel of Springe, near Hanover, conetructed and sxhibitsd a lamp consieting of a carhonized threed encased io a highiy vacuumatsd hulh which gave a hright light.

Thers Abduhted and Bestsn by Mob.

Cherlotte, N. C.—Exhibiting marks on their hodiee as proof thsy had heen spirited awoy from Gestonia and heaten hy an anti-commnnist moh, three men returned to Charlotte. According to the story told hy them they were corried to the lonsly spot and while they were heing heeten, a group of hunters peeeed, frightening the mob. The moh immediately dispersed.

Dry Agents Jail Justics of Pesce.

Chicago—Henry F. Behlman, a Wili county justice of the peece, has been arrested hy federal agents for violation of the prohihition law. In a raid ot hie home, agents reported seizure of a considerahls quantity of Canadien whisky, moonshine, alcohol and raw whisky aging in harrels, as well as counterfeit Canadian and American revenue stamps.

Plane Dives Into Bathsrs; 2 Dis.

New York—A hig seven passenger monoplane, equipped with pontoons, come swooping out of the fog which veiled the sea at Coney Island, skipped from wave to wave among the bathers off shore end then charged np on ths crowded heach, moving down more than a dozen persons, and turned over. Two children were killed and a dozen or more persons injnred.

Okishoma Gsis Wrecks Housea.

Norman, Okla.—A tornado and cloudhurst swept northward from Weyne, 25 miles sonth of hers, struck Normaa, ripping roofs off six houses and dameging four eirplsnes et the municipal airport. A small tornado nlso censed injury to five persons and destroyed several houses in Albia, Iowa.

Border Gsng Murders U. S. Patrolmsn.

Presidio, Texns—Ovsrwhelmsd hy a gang of ontlaws presumably ellens seeking illegal entry into the United Statee, Miles J. Scannell, assistant chief inspector of the border patrol, was ehot and stabhed to death at a lonely spot on ths Rio Grande, 15 miles east of here.

Lake Superior Tug Believsd to Bs Lost

Ashland, Wis.—Fear that ths tug Conmee, which cleared Port Arthnr for Ashland, towing a $100,000 pulpwood raft, has heen lost with all hands in the storm raging on Lake Superior is expressed hers hy marins anthorities.

Lsrgs Iowa Bsnks Join Msrgsr.

Des Moines, Iowa—Ths Iowa-Des Moines National Bank of this city and the Live Stock National Bank af Sioux City, resources approximately $50,000,000, hava joinsd ths Northwest Bancorporation.

Pilot and Girl Die in Plane.

Carroll, Iowa—Tomy Craig of Des Moines, pilot, and Miss Faith West of Farlin, Iowa, was burnsd to death when a plana in which they were flying crashed and caught fire near the airport here.

At the River Bridge

By LILLIACE M. MITCHELL

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ELEANORA had picked np her overnight hag and suitcase the instant the train had left Morristown. It would he ten minntes before the train reached Windemere.

She had carefully looked at all of the other passengers when they had left the city. Perhaps, she hoped, George Tsylor wonld go out on the same train. Surely he wonld not mise this fifth annnal reunion of their class at the Windemere high school! Bnt no George wes in sight.

In their school days, Delia and Eleanora bad heen inseparahle companions. Delia had invited her to stay at her home for the reunion aad Eleanora looked forward eagerly to half-the-night talks in the old parsonage.

"Did yon see George?" was almost Delia's first word.

Eleanora tried to keep ber voice steady and her cheeks from coloring: "Why no. Did he come?"

"Did ha come!" echoed Deiln, dimples dancing in and oat of her cheeks. "Oh, did he come! And how! In a car that wonld just meke your mouth water. He'e heen moking his pile."

Eleanora's mind ran swiftly to her suitcase that was empty save for the rose chiffon dress that had cost her sixty-nine and a balf the day before. No matter how well-to-do George might he, thot rose chiffon would match him.

"If the hanqaet's going to he ot balf-pest six os nsnal," Eleanore said, flushiag, "we'd better start dressing."

"I'll help you get ready," Delia said. "I'm—not going."

"Not going?" demanded Eleaaora. "And yon the secretary of the class? Why not?"

"Becense I havea't a rag to weer," simply answered Delia. "I eent my one and only pretty dress to the cleaner and it shrank so much thet I can't get into it."

"Yon'll wear the rose chiffon I broaght," said Eleanora.

Back and forth they argued the matter.

"Whether yon weer it or don't," said said Eleanora firmly, "I am going right in this bine ensemble. Entirely suitable since I juet come in on the train whereas you—right in town—wonld have to wear a fluffy affair. Matt's going to be here tonight?"

Delia in turn flushed and nodded. When nothing more was eoid, Eleonora understood well eaough thot Matt bad not said the words that Delia had longed to hear. Eleonoro scowled. She hadn't seen George for five years ond had beard from him in only occasionel letters. Delia had seen Matt almost every dey.

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Old Professor Myers wae still to give his long talk of the evening when Delia slipped np to Eleanora with shining eyes. "Mott—Matt eaid he never knew I was so pretty—" she whispered, "and he—he—oh, Eleanora! He—"

"Eleanora," came George's voice interrnptiog, "I've got to leave again tonight ond I'll have ao other chance to tolk to you. Will you drive down to the river hridge with me?"

In the luxurlons little four-passenger cor, George talked swiftly. Eleanora looked at the car. Expensive, beantiful, comfortable.

"I'm not going to mince motters with yon, Ellie," he said, when he had pnlled the car np in a moonlighted potch of grass at the side of the river bridge. "They all think back there," he weat on with a aod toward the town, "that I'm a rich man. I'm not," he continned with a short iongh. "I've some good clothes and this car and a few hundred in the bank. In real estate, a fellow has to be well-dressed and be has to have a good car to take ont hie prospecte. And—and—Ellie—are yon golag to marry me anyhow, even if I haven't anything to offer you?"

Eleanora stsred at him.

"I've enough to start the furniture and I have a dandy little honse in view for us. I—I took an optioa on it earlier in the week so thnt if you liked it—I woald bave made a down payment, only I thonght if you were dressed wonderfully and hod made a wad of money in the city, it would be useless to osk yon—"

"And if I hed worn a beantifnl gown—" said Eleanora.

He laughed. "Well, figure it oat for yourself! If you'd been frilled out like Delie, for instance. I couida't afford gowns like that yet. In o few years, yes. Bnt why waste all of your youth, Ellie—what say, Ellie?"

"And if I'd worn that rose chiffon that Delia is wearing!" Eleanora kept saying over and over again when his arms were aronnd her so tightly thot she could hardly catch ber breath. "Why, Matt asked her to marry blm because she wore that dress!"

"Well, Matt's in the bank," langhed George. "And if yon want to get married tonight—Chesswell will fix np a license for us and Delia's father's a preacher—we could drive right through tonight and be—home in the morning. Ellie. The house—oh, you'll like it, Ellie—".

"I'd like any house—with you," said Ellie, her mind's eye still dwelling on that rose chiffon frock. "And if Chesswell—"

"I told him I'd probably be aronnd," said George, stepping on the starter and snapping on the lights. "He's waiting up for us."

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, }
County of Pennington } ss.
State of Minnesota }

TO Anna Isrealson.

You are herehy notified that the following pieces, or parcels of land situated in the county of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known end described as follows to-wit:

Lots 13 and 14 in Bothun's Addition to the Townsite of Fairfield an Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls.

That on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1926 at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and hy the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 18th dey of March, A. D. 1926 in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon reel cstate for the year A. D. 1924 for said County of Pennington the ahove described piece or parcel of lend was sold for the sum of Nine and 86|100 Dollars.

Thet the certificate of sele for seid piece or parcel of land executed and delivered hy said County Auditor upon said sale last ahove mentioned has heen presented to me at my office hy the holder thereof for the purpcse of having notice of expiration of time for redemption from said tax sale of said property given and served; and thet the amount required to redeem said piece or percel of lend from said tax sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon said notice, is the sum of $9.88|100, together with interest thereon at the rate of twelve per cent per annum from the 10th day of May A. D. 1926 until the day such redemption is mede.

And the further sum of $9.50, heing the emount of the delinquent taxes for the yeer 1925, upon said premises paid hy the owner of seid tax certificate together with interest on seid last named amount at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the 31st day of March A. D. 1927 until the dey such redemption is mede.

And the further sum of $9.82, heing thc amount of the delinquent taxes for the yeer 1926 upon said premises peid hy the owner of said tax certificate together with interest on seid last nomed amount at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the 18th day of May A. D. 1928 until the dey such redemption is mede.

That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from seid tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after service of this notice and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hend end seal of office this 17th day of August, A. D. 1929.
(Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota
(S-19-O-3)

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

State of Minnesota, } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Gilbert Sandum, Decedent,

The State of Minnesota To Carrie Sandum, Beatrice Sandum, Ruth Sandum, Grace Sandum, Harold Sandum, Ardith Sandum and all persons interested in the granting of Administration of the estate of said decedent. The petition of Carrie Sandum having been filed in this court, representing that Gilbert Sandum, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died intestate on the 1st day of August, 1929; and praying that letters of Administration of his estate be granted to Beatrice Sandum; and the court having fixed the time and place for hearing said petition.

THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, on the 28th day of September, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, the Judge of said Court, and Seal of said Court, this 4th day of September, 1929.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate Court

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$1.17
Duram Wheat	1.02
Rye	.82
Barley	.47
Oats	.37
Flax	3.15
Eggs, cash	.28
Creamery hutter	.49

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New Velvet Hats Make Appearance

Lightweight and Are to Be Had in Variety of Bright Colors.

Velvet heodgear hos made its appearance much eorlier then usual—jost when the foshioo world is tired of straw. Velvet is given o werm welcome ond many little bots in thie moteriol ore oddiog chorm to tho late summer outfits for which the majority of women ore olwoys glad to heve a chenge in millioery style.

Delightful things they are, too. Nearly all ore made on heret style, Chanel's traosporeot velvet scerf nod heret set hovlog started the thiog off. They ore light and to he had in a host of hrillieot colors to motch or contrast with your costume. Two of the oatstanding velvet heret saccesses ore ehown here.

One is a heret ond scorf in seashell transparent velvet lined with chiffon. The ecarf is most chic when worn in Ascot style. The heret is

Beret and Scarf and a Bandana-Liks Turhan Mads of Velvet.

modeled after the seme simple model os the first herets which were shown several eeosons ogo.

Agnes has voried the beret theme a trifle in the little bondana-like turban which she hes designed in velvet. Knotted ends give an interesting heck line to this.

Still another velvet beret is modeled on close-fittiog lines like a tem. It comes in plaid velvet with grosgrain ribbon band.

These are worn with a great deal of chic hoth with the very informol sports clothes and those of dressier

Third Dimension

The eestern man who hos ened on aviotor for demaglag an oak tree in which he leaded with e perochate hee introdaced the third dimension io the law of trespass.—Louisville Courier-Journel.

Early Mention of Potato

Potatoes were first seen by Europeans in Peru ohout 1531. Early Spanish writers, who were with the conquerors, reported that the natives cultivated several varieties of potatoes.

First Preyers in English

The First Book of Common Prayer, which was printed in 1549, in the time of Edward VI, suhstituted the English language for the Latin, in which all other service books had been written.

Beyond Praise

Doth perfect beanty stand in need of proise at all? Nay; no more than lew, no more than truth, no more than loving klodoess, nor than modesty.—Morcus Anrelins Antoninus (121-180 A. D.), "Meditations."

Znlu Prestige Waning

Znins are inhahitants of Sonth Africa, where the most extensive occupotion by civilization has been made. There are some still there, but they are not organized in such strong tribes as they were formerly.

Mother Natura's Wisdom

A strange provision of nature protects the knob-cone pine of the Pacific coast. Seeds of the cones are rarely discharged until the tree bas been destroyed hy a foreet fire, when the heat liberates the seeds to establish new growth.

How Times Changa

Formerly it was the general idea thot men ployed golf not hecanse they liked tbe game bnt becanse it was nccepted as indicating they conld afford to meet people who professed to like it.—American Magazina.

COAL

Place your orders now for hard coal, soft coal and briquettes. We have a supply on hand and can deliver it at once while the weather is good.

Don't wait until the last minute in hope there will be no winter. We will guarantee there will be one.

C. Roe Grain Co.

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Gave Name to County

The Moryland Historical society says thot Anne Arundell conaty is named nfter Lady Anne Arundell, daughter of Sir Thomas Arundell. Lord Arundell of Wardour castle, who married Cecil Calvert, second Lord Baltimore ond founder of Maryland.

Sound Asleep

In eight honrs of normal sleep, the second is the soundest. Tha muscular system has then adjusted itself to e recumhent position. From the fonrth honr onwards sleep hecomes progressively lighter. One wakes becausa the brain is tired of inaction.

Speeds Slate Quarrying

Tha wire ssw has revolntionized slate qnarrying in Pennsylvania. The general average of cutting is sbout twenty to twenty-five sqnare feet per honr. The traveling speed of the wire is about fifteen feet per second.

Tornado "Season"

Tornadoes are more nnmerons in May and Jnne than nny other time of the year in the Middle West, according to records of the United Stotes Weather burean.

Halt Evil Progress

No man can ba stark nanght ot once. Let us stop tha progress of sin in our soul st the first stage, for the farther it goes the faster it will increase.—Fuller.

Trait of Modest Man

An egotist will always speak of himself, either in praise or censure; bnt a modest man ever shnns making himself tha subject of his conversation. —Bruyere.

Embarrassing Moments

Among life's perplexing situations is that of being in a position where you're expected to say something and have nothing to say.—Toledo Blade.

BARNS—BIDS CLOSE OCTOBER 1, 1929.

THIEF RIVER FALLS
ST. HILAIRE
GOODRICH
STEPHEN
STRANDQUIST
WARREN
WAUBUN
AVERILL
EUCLID
DE GRAF

Sealed proposals will be received hy Mr. H. W. Austin, Commissioner of Purchases, in his office, Room 10, State Capitol Building, St. Paul, Minnesota, until 3 P. M., October 1, 1929, for the erection on farms owned hy the State of Minnesota of sixteen harns to be huilt in accordance with plans snd specifications of the same prepared hy the Department of Rural Credit. Tbe nearest towns to which said farms are located are Thief River Falls, St. Hilaire, Goodridge, Stephen, Strandquist, Warren, Waubun, Averill, Euclid and DeGraf.

Bids will he received only on the form of bid supplied by the State. Bids shall be accompanied by a certified check (not an indemnity bond) for 5% of the amount of the hid, payahle to the State of Minnesota. In case the successful hidder fails or refuses to enter into contract for the performance of the contract and to give hond ns required by law, such check shall he forfeited to the State as liquidated damages.

Copies of the above plans and specifications may he seen at the following places: At the offices of Mr. Austin; Department of Rural Credit; F. A. Green, Stephen, Minnesota; John L. Wold, Twin Valley, Minnesota; Teo Hafdahl, Beltrami, Minnesota; J. D. Ross, Ortonville, Minnesota; F. F. Haynes, Thief River Falls Minnesota and at the St. Paul and Minneapolis Builders Exchanges. Copies of plans and specifications may be obtained hy contractors on application to any of the above named persons hy submitting a certified check in the amount of $10.00 drawn to the order of the State of Minnesoto, which check will be returned to tbe hidders when a bona fide bid is filed with the Commissioner of Purchases and tbe plans are returned. Failure to comply with the above conditions forfeits the cbeck.

Successful hidder must furnish an approved surety bond in tha full amount of the contract.

The right is reserved to accept or reject any or all hids, or parts of hids.

H. W. AUSTIN,
S 19-26 Commissioner of Purchases.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has heen made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated July 2nd, 1927, executed by Carl Edwin Crown and Fred D. Lorentson as guardian for Carrie Crown, incompetent, wife of said Carl Edwin Crown, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on July 12th, 1927, at eleven o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 356 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $78.13 each, due on January 2nd, 1929, and July 2nd, 1929, respectively; ond to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the huildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date bereof, the sum of $2,447.98, unamortized principal, togetber with interest thereon since July 2nd, 1929, at tbe rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $156.26, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $78.13 thereof since January 2nd, 1929, and on $78.13 thereof since July 2nd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, and the sum of $12.80, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon nt the rate of seven per cent. per annum since May 3rd, 1929, in all the sum of $2,641.56, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and st the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has heen instituted to recover the debt secured hy said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the lands and premises therein descrihed, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-five (45) West, subject to a conveyance for scbool purposes shown of record in Book "8" of Deeds, page 271, containing 159 acres, more or less, according to Government survey thereof,

with the bereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold hy the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 11th day of October, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue, to the highest hidder for cash, to poy and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and dishursements allowed hy law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 28th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (A-29—O-3)

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Dainty Lingerie Made for Little Girls' Wear

Underthings for the small girl are most attractive for snmmer, whetber they are made at home or honght ready made. Pajomas are classed with underthings, for they are the accepted night weor of most little girls.

Some of the new pajamos are mode of colored dimity, some ara mode of flowered cotton crepe. Some are all in one piece, some have separate jsckets. Blazer stripes in cotton materiol are also used for the little girl's pajamas.

Combinations consisting of waist and drawers ore worn hy many youngsters. They are imported in finest French handiwork, they are made in good American factories and they are made at home by many mothers who like to sew such small garments.

Fine scalloping is sometimes used as edging for these combinotions, as well as for tha combination consisting of underwaist and petticoats—or slip. Lace is also used, and sometimes jnst a neatly sewed-on binding takes the place of either lace or scalloping.

Some of the little petticoat slips have a narrow ruffle around the lower edge to give a slight swirl nnder the flaring frock, and these little ruffles are either scalloped or loce edged.

Washable Crepe, Cotton, Flannel Are Favorites

While cotton is in the spotlight in all sports wear collections, and women hither and yon are appearing in cotton sunback sleeveless frocks, washable crepe manages to hold its own. Designers no longer hesitate to combine silk and cotton, ond mony a good-looking cotton frock is worn with a silk coat or the other way obout. Speaking of sports coats, there is s lively interest in flannel. White flannel smartly tailored ond nnlined is one expression of this, bine another. There are also interesting uses of gray flannel for sports purposes and such coats ara selected to be worn over either cotton or silk. While fnr from heing a novelty, Chinese damosk because of its excellent performonces in the laundry remains a desirable material for summer frocks.

Boudoir: Sulking Place

Most of us refer to the dictionary only when doubt about the meoning or spelling of a word compels ns; yet, picked up at odd moments, o good dictionary can he very entertaining. It answers many interesting qnestions. Why, for example, does a woman retire to her bondoir? is it simply to be alone? The dictionary soys no—for boudoir, a word of French origin, means a sulking place!

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WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Beginning of the End

A man moy he down, hut he isn't out unless he had rather tolk abont his ill fortnne thon his prospects.—Capper's Weekly.

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

Paris Porch Frock Is Dainty for Home Wear

Topped with a white pique epaulet collar, a cotton print is a chearful picture over a cup of breakfast coffee, says tho Woman's Home Companion. The collar, pockets and plaits of tha dress havo particular style, Paris style. Collar edgas, pockat edges, plait edges repeat tha smart diagonal. With each diagonal edge a true straight line, tha cutting and running together is accomplished spaedily. The front is made with tha upper straight and tha skirt slightly circular. Pockets lap over and plaits ara inset. The back is in three parts, the uppar, the yoke and tha skirt.

Light Belt in Sky

The milky way is tbe great belt or zone of light which stretches across tha sky at an angle of ahout 63 degress to the equinoctiol and extends from horizon to horizon. It is prodnced by hlended light of myriods of stars, thongb when viewed with unsided eya it appears as a great exponse of diffnsed light. Stars are not distribnted uniformly throughout the milky woy and many of them, it is thonght, ore suns, tha centera of planetary systems.

Auction Sale

The following property will be sold at auction at my place three miles southwest of St. Hilaire, on

Tuesday Sept. 24th

Sale Starts at 1 o'clock

HORSES - Mules

1 Black Horse, age 10 yrs.
Team Black Mules, ages 10 & 12

3 CATTLE 3

Red and White Cow, age 8, milking
Brindle Cow, 7, freshens Oct. 4
Holstein Cow, age 8, now milking
—Cattle are T. B. Tested—

Household Goods

Brass Bed — Iron Bed
Iron Cot — Bed Spring
2 Rockers — 6 Dining Chairs
4 Kitchen Chairs — Table
High Chair — Cupboard
3-Burner oil stove, oven
Dishes and cooking utensils
Wringer — Washboard
Clothes Basket — Pails
Melotte Cream Separator
15-gal. Crock — 3-gal. Jar
Wood Heater — Flour Can
9 x 12 Linoleum Rug
9 x 12 Rug — Wash Stand
3 Lamps — 2 Tubs
Garden hoes — Stone hoat

MACHINERY

McCormick Binder, 6-ft. cut
Champion Mower — 1 Disc
Sattley Sulky Plow
Defiance Gang Plow
International Drill
High Wheel Wagon with box
3-Section Drag — 1 Jumper
Saw Rig — Hay Stacker
Forks, Shovel, Spade
4 Log Chains
Wire Stretcher — 60-ft. Rope
Set Light Work Harness
Set Breeching Harness
Buggy — Hay Knife

MISCELLANEOUS

Hog and stock troughs
150-feet Steel Cable
Some potatoes
1 Chicken Coop
1 New Storm Window
16-gauge D. barrel shotgun
32-ft. Chicken wire
Some Hog wire
Mail box — Grindstone
Sweet clover hay
Feed barley — Speltz

Terms: Cash. No Property to be removed until settled for

Mrs. Agnes Walton - - - - Owner

Wm. Eukel, Auctioneer — E. O. Burkee, Clerk

AUCTION SALE

The following will be sold at auction at my place one mile east and a half mile south of Hazel, on

Wednesday, Sept. 25th.

Sale starts at 1:00

5 HORSES 5

Brown Gelding, age 5, wt. 1,500
Bay Gelding, age 11, wt. 1,400
Brown Mare, age 11, wt. 1,350
Bay Mare
Shetland Pony

4 CATTLE 4

Black Cow, age 7, hred June 15
Red Cow, age 7, fresh in Jan.
Roan Cow, age 8, fresh in Dec.
Red Cow, age 8, now milking

MISCELLANEOUS

30-30 Winchester Rifle
12-gauge Shotgun
1 3-hbl. cooling tank
15-hbl. Galvanized Tank, new
Set good hreeching harness
Set 1½-inch harness — 6 Collars
Dehorning clipper
Emery Tool Grinder
Tank Heater — 100 Posts
Barb wire — Roll Woven wire
Scales — Tools
American gas lighting plant
Sheep shearing outfit
4 Tons of hay in barn
10 Tons of hay in stack
Heater — Majestic Range
2 Congoleum Rugs
Dishes — Washing Machine

MACHINERY

Minnesota Binder, 8-ft. cut
Deering Mower, 5-ft. cut
McCormick Mower, 5-ft.
8-ft. Single Disc Drill
John Deere Manure Spreader
Hoover spring tooth drag
2 Riding Corn Cultivators
8-ft. Disc — 26-ft. Drag
D. Bradly 16-inch Sulky Plow
Hay Rake, 10-ft.
Narrow Tired Wagon
Wide Tired Wagon
2 Boh Sleighs
1 Good wagon hox
Melotte Cream Separator, 700-lb. capacity

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Phonograph
2 Library Tables
2 Tubs and stand
Book case and writing desk
4 Rockers — Book Rack
2 Small Tables
Dresser — Pedestal
3 Beds — Steel Cot
Chiffonier — Table
6 Chairs — 2 Kitchen chairs
2 Cupboards — Oil Stove

Terms: Cash. — Free lunch at noon.

J. W. Denhart, Owner

V. C. Noper, Auctioneer — E. O. Burkee, Clerk.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Buhl—The First National Bank of Buhl has taken over the Kinney State Bank of Kinney, Minn.

Dslevan—Clarence Asmundson has been held to the grand jury on $1,000 bonds as the hit-and-run driver.

St. Paul—Contracts totaling $275,000 have been let on trunk highways by Commissioner C. M. Babcock.

Wayzata—This cities $75,000 waterworks system was formally opened by a celebration. Business hoases closed.

Minneapolis—The 46th annnal convention of Laundrymen from Canada and the U. S. will be held here Oct. 14 to 19.

Lakeville—An antomobile, the driver of which disappeared, was wrecked near here killing a man and injuring two girls.

St. Paul—The offer of $700,000 for the site of the present city hall and courthouse has been epproved for acceptsnce by the city council.

Minnsapolis—Air mail business over the Twin Cities-Chicago ronte increased greatly in July and August far in excess of any other ronte in the conntry.

Mendota—A tablet in honor of Major Lawrence Taliaferro was unveiled at the site of the old Indian agency at Fort Snelling, near the Mendota bridge.

Northfield—The twelfth annual conference of committeemen of the Y. M. C. A. was condncted at Carleton college here. Seven branches were represented.

St. Paul—By executive order prairie chicken and grouse shooting is probibited except in 16 counties, where the season runs one week, Sept. 16 to 22.

Duluth—Killing of black bears in Dnlnth broaght protests from District Game Warden H. E. Statler when two more were killed within a week inside the city limits.

Columbia Heights—The Columbia Heights council is holding speciel meetings in an ettempt to take action on Anoka county's refusal to permit its annexation to Minneepolis.

Albert Lsa—Clab work of 4-H boys and girls formed an important part of the exhibit program at the Freeborn county fair. More than 400 boys and girls accompanied their exhibits.

Owatonna—The pastorship of the First Baptist church of Owatouna will be offered to Rev. C. T. Isley of Augusta, Kan. Rev. Arthur C. Smith, former pastor, resigned to become field secretary of Pillsbury Academy.

Plainview — Premiums exceeding $4,800 will be awarded exhibitors at the Wabasha county fair here September 11-14. The Pleinview Poaltry Association will have its annual show in connection, offering $500 more.

Milaca—Following the receipt of a petition by the county board asking for the area tubercnlosis test of cattle in Mille Lecs county, the commissioners have set October 2 as time for a pnblic meeting to discuse the proposal.

Red Wing—Work is expected to be completed this fall on rebailding the linseed oil plant and setting storage tanks of the Pittsburgh Plete Glass Company bere. The tanks will have capacity of 80,000 gallons, while tha rebuilt structure will be of five stories.

Lake Elmo—Fate of the Ten Thousand Lakes Fur Farms corporation, with maskrat farms near here will be decided by investors in the company, according to W. E. G. Watson, attorney for investors, following appointment of O. A. Dahlberg, of Wayzate, as temporary receiver.

Benson—Congressman O. J. Kvale, from this district was burned to death in the destruction by fire of bis cottage, 28 miles north of Fergus Falls, on Otter Tail lake. He was apparently alone in his cottaga at the time the fire of unknown origin broke ont. He was the only Farmer-Labor incnmbent in Congress.

Minnsapolis—William H. Badeeux, Execative Secretary of the Northwestern Lumbermens Association for the past eight years, has resigned effective October first. He will be snceeded by C. O. Lance former secretary of the Northwestern Retail Coal Dealers Associetion. Wesley E. Keller, Traffic Maneger was elected execative secretary to snceeed Mr. Lance.

Minnsapolis—Twin Cities and the Northwest will have their first opportunity to see a dirigible airship of the type which has jast completed the world's cruise at the second annual Military Show at Fort Snelling September 20th, 21st and 22nd, it was announced by Col. W. C. Sweeney, commanding officer. While smaller than the Graf Zeppelin or the Los Angeles the U. S. TC-11-271 is the latest model of non-rigid dirigible, nearly 200 feet long, and capable of making a speed of 65 miles per hour. Lt. Colonel J. A. Paegelow, Air Corps, will bring the ship here. The ship will remain at the Fort three days participating each afternoon with a flight of army planes and more than 1000 tronps in the re-enactment of tha bettle of Chateau Sainte Germaine.

Sauk Rapids—August Agather, 59 years old, pastor of the Sauk Rapids Trinity Lntheran church for 38 years, dropped dead bere of heart disease in church while the congregation waited for services to begin. He is survived by his wife and 10 children.

Staples—The first of the groap meetings arranged by the Minnesota Editorial Association will take place here with L. A. Rossman, president and Sam S. Haislet, exective secretary of the state association, presiding. Newspapermen from Otter Tail, Becker, Hnbbard, Todd and Wadena counties will attend.

POULTRY

RIGHT FEEDS AND GOOD MANAGEMENT

Fowl That Consumes Most Rations Is Best Layer.

Have the early hatched pnllets started to lay on the range? This is the qnestion that leading ponltrymen in New Jersey are asking themselves, as the method of handling these birds has everything to do with their prodaction record this fall.

The men know that the expected molt can sometimes he evolded if the weight of the pallets after they come into prodnction is maintnined by feeding plenty of scratch grain. Jnst before the pnllets hegin to lay or when they are laying ahoat 10 per ceat on range, they are removed to their permanent laying qnarters. Here the ponltryman endeovors to get them in prime condition and, once he does so, trys to maintain it.

Proper feeds and a good system of maaagement have heen foand essential if maximum feed consamption is to he secared. To lay eggs, feed is needed and the bird which coasumes the largest qnantity of a well-balanced ration, lays the most eggs.

Some poultrymen will he disoppointed in the early-hatched pullets nnless the birds hove been cerefully managed daring the growiag period, asserts L. M. Block, poaltry speci st. It takes from five to six months to grow a Leghorn pnllet properly. Longer than this is required for heavier breeds. According to Mr. Black, birds starting to loy at o yoanger nge are often small and undersized and their eggs are likewise small. "Give the birds time to develop, fornish them with the necessities for proper development," he says, "nnd then have pullet eggs which can he sold as extras."

Deformed Baby Chicks Caused by Incubation

Sprsddle legs aad deformity among baby chicks are usually a resnlt of the eggs having heen kept too long hefore incnhation. Eggs are at their hest when only foar days old and depreciate at a rate of approximotely 5 per cent daily after they ure one week old.

Another coadition often responsibic traces back to the health ond vitnlity of the hens in the hreeding flock. If there had heen some disessc in the flock or if all of the birds were not in the hest of physicol condition the conseqnent lock of vitality often results in an unusaally large number of deformed chicks.

Muscle-Building Food of Greatest Importance

Many losses in raising chicks resnlt from failure to furnish an adequatc amount of the right kind of protein feed. If chicks are to moke a profit for the poaltryman, their growth mnst he rapid. This requires a large amount of mnscle-hailding moterlol. Therefore, the ration should consist of an adeqaote supply of either milk or meat scraps.

Milk is regorded as the most efficient form of protein that can be given to chicks. If it is nvailable, it shonld he kept before the birds all the time. Semi-solid and dried buttermilk are good substitutes for liquid milk.

Poultry Hints

Feed table scraps and kitchen waste.

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Also feed grain oace or twice a day.

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Parchase well-matured pullets rather than hens.

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Eggs shonld he marketed at least twice a week.

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Watch growing pullets for intestinal parasites.

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Oats are not at all snitable feed for geese or dacks.

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Keep hens free from lice and the bouse free from mites.

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The oftener one can get the eggs to the market the hetter.

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The requirements of incnhation for turkey eggs are the same as for the incahation of chicken eggs.

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Adopt a definite program of sanitation on your farm to rednce the loss of chicks. Ahont half the losses of young chickens occur during the first four weeks.

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A good market egg shonld he fresh, clean, have a good strong shell, and he a good size. Infertile eggs are hetter, as they keep longer at high temperatures than fertile eggs.

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As soon as an egg becomes dirty it goes into the lowest fresh egg grade. To get clean eggs supply plenty of nests, at least one nest for every five hens. Construct your nests so the hens cannot roost on them. Keep plenty of litter on the floor. Clean the dropping boards daily or cover them with 2-inch mesh wire.

THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Communion services next Sunday morning at 10:30 in the local church, Sunday school following.

The Y. P. S. will meet Sunday afternoon at 3:00 at the home of Mrs. A. P. Anderson, southeast of St. Hilaire.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00
Services 11:00
Evening Service 8:00

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Sept. 22 Services as follows:-

Ebenezer, Mayfield, 11:00 A. M.
Clearwater, 2:30 P. M.
St. Pauli, 8:00 P. M.

The St. Olaf Duo will sing at these services. Come and hear them Services in Oakridge at 2:30 P. M.

LOCALS

An epidemic of whooping cough seems to prevail in this locality and at least one school is closed because of a number of cases of it.

The creamery has fixed up a workshop in its basement wherein plumbing and other similar work may be done, and also for storage of extras of of various kinds.

A heavy frost Tuesday night did considerable damage to garden truck and flower gardens in this vicinity. Since the frost there has been a rise in temperature.

Those farmers who were so fortunate as to put in an acreage of flax this year, stand to reap a good aeward from that crop. Reports from flax threshing already done indicates it is yielding well, and the price is now over $3.00 a bushel.

Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained at the church basement by Mrs. E. O. Burkee and Mrs. Theo. Skatrud, on Friday, Sept. 27th. S19-26

Forest fires raging in Oregon, Washington and Idaho have already destroyed more than 15,000 acres of valuable timber, and continue unchecked. A small army of fire-fighters is employed in endeavor to check the flames which are destroying some of the best timber tracts in those states.

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Mrs. M. McAndress Dies

Mrs. Mary McAndress, age 92, a resident of this section for over thirty years, died at 9:45 Tuesday evening at the home of her son, Mike, north of town. Death was due to infirmities incident to advanced age.

Mrs. McAndress was born in New York state and spent her early years there. After her marriage, she and husband lived some years in Fillmore County, this state, later moving to St. Thomas, N. D., in 1882, being among the first settlers in that locality. In 1898 the family moved here. After residing on their farm property immediately north of town for several years, Mr and Mrs. McAndress moved to Thief River Falls to reside. After death of her husband several years ago, Mrs. McAndress lived at Thief River until she came to make her home with her son three years ago.

She was a kindly woman and was held in high esteem by all who knew her.

Mrs. McAndress is survived by eight children, four others having preceeded her in death. The children are-Mike and Martin of this place, William and Pat of Minneapolis, Walter of California, and Joe of Montana, Mrs. Hannah Sullivan of Detroit Lakes, and Mrs. Julia O'Toole of Sask, Canada. She is also survived by a number of grand children and great grandchildren, and by a sister in California.

Funeral services will be held at St. Bernard's Catholic church at Thief River Falls at 10:00 this forenoon. Interment will in the cemetery near that city, where Mr. McAndress is buried.

Sympathy of numerous friends in this community is extended to the hereaved family.

Patnode At Red Lake

Ernest Patnode who has been operating a barbershop at Gonvick, sold out Tuesday to Rufus Patnode, a cousin, of Coleraine, formerly of Oklee. Ernest came to Red Lake Falls the same evening and bought hack a half interest in the shop of Leonel Riendeau which he sold two years ago. Mr. Patnode expects to move his family here from Gonvick within the next two weeks.:Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained at the church basement by Mrs. E. O. Burkee and Mrs. Theo. Skatrud, on Friday, Sept. 27th. S19-26

Farewell Party

A farewell party was given last Thursday evening at the Hazel Hall for the J. W. Denhart family who are removing from that community. Nearly three hundred people were present at the gathering and a fine time was enjoyed, lunch heing served at a late hour. Mr. and Mrs. Denhart were presented with a suitable reminder of the occasion as a mark of esteem by their many friends in the Hazel community.

Suffers Fractured Leg

N. E. Beebe suffered a fracture of his right leg below the knee Monday evening as result of being kicked by a young colt he was driving in from the pasture. He was taken to the hospital at Thief River Falls to have the fracture reduced, and now is getting along nicely.

Undergoes Operation

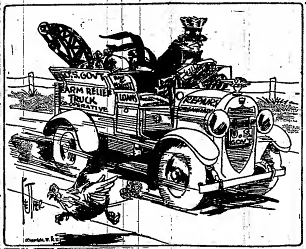
Miss Anna Rosette was taken last week to the hospital at Thief River and Saturday submitted to an operation for relief of a stomach trouble of long standing. She withstood the operation nicely, and is getting along as well as could be expected.

The Ladies' Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will serve chicken dinner at the Odd Fellows hall on Friday, October 4th.

In connection with open season on chickens and grouse last week, it was interesting to note that a good percentage of birds hagged were chickens-the barred hreasted variety. For many years past it has been a rarity to get even one specimen of real prairie chicken in a days hunt, practically everything shot being white breasted grouse. What has caused the change, is hard to say, but the fact remains there are more real chickens here this year than at any other time during the past twenty years.

Driven out of their natural habitat in the swamps and timber in eastern part of this county and in Beltrami by forest fires, deer have now come this way in increasing numbers to seek new feeding grounds. Several full grown specimens as well as many fawns have been seen in this community lately, especially where there is plenty of brush.

Ding, Ding, Ding



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

After spending a couple weeks here with relatives, Mrs. R. Wallen left Sunday for her home at Minneapolis.

Rev. C. E. Anderson of Fertile, visited Monday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. Dahlberg.

Manford Dahle left Monday for Forest River, N. D., to take in spud picking in that vicinity.

Rupert Swanson has leased the former E. H. Fallman farm, adjoining the village to the north, for the coming year.

A vast amount of hay and some farm buildings were destroyed in the bog fires in vicinity of Grygla and east of there last week-end.

Miss Edith Lindquist, who is engaged in nursing at Minneapolis, came up last week-end for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lindquist.

L. E. Healy, special deputy examiner in charge of the Farmers State Bank, was here Monday looking after business affairs of that institution.

100 Carloads of 188 proof denatured alcohol allows us to continue our 59c price per gallon-the distillery price has advanced considerably. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls.

All that time is lost which might be better employed. Your time can be best employed by attending Mankato Commercial College. Mankato Minn. Send for free catalogue

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Johnson and son, Mrs. Chas. Bengtson and children, Stella, Evelyn, Gladys and Melvin, motored to Grand Forks last Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rux.

Bog fires in the country around Gatzke and Grygla, which have smoldered there most of the summer, broke out afresh last Saturday during the high wind. A heavy pall of dense smoke hung over this section Monday morning when the wind was northeast.

Mrs. O. W. Brink has moved into the Cathelineau residence on Minnesota avenue and will occupy it the coming winter. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brink and son will occupy the place with her until they leave to spend the winter in Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erdmann and son were visitors at the Elmer Johnson home Friday evening.

Ole Johnson and Art Hendrickson motored Sunday to Holt where the former enjoyed a chicken hunting trip with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Golden of Fargo are the parents of a baby son born Sept, 13th. Mrs. Golden is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Kruse Sr., of this place.

An auction sale of horses, cattle, farm machinery and household goods takes place tomorow at the Ole Loherg farm two miles northwest of here.

A new press was installed at the Spectator office last week which will permit us to give faster service on auction bills and similar printing.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ortloff are moving in from northwest of town to occupy their newly acquired property, the T. M. Brevik and Lanis properties across the south bridge.

A. P. Gordon has leased the former A. S. Wilson farm inside the village limits, and will occupy the buildings as soon as he finishes fall work on his present place in Sanders.

Two auto loads of hunters from here went out Sunday morning to vicinity of Neptune on edge of the Reservation in quest of ducks. They had fair luck, and a very enjoyable trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Phillips motored up Thursday evening from Bemidji and spent until Sunday evening at the R. L. Hauge and Otto Johnson homes. Mrs. Philips was formerly Gladys Vigen, a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hauge.

A successful auction sale is reported from the Mrs. Agnes Walton sale which took place Tuesday. Everything offered was sold at fair price. Mrs. Walton and children are going to Iowa to reside with her parents.

A fire alarm was sounded at about 9 o'clock Saturday evening when Art Hendrickson's ice house was discovered afire persumably from embers blowing over from Ensrud' shed which burned that afternoon. A few minutes work with pails put out the fire before any damage was done.

Lindquist - Johnson

A pretty home wedding occured Monday at 5:00 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lindquist when their daughter, Nora, became the bride of Mr. Merle Johnson, son of Prohate Judge L. Johnson of Hallock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. F. Nelson in presence of relatives and close friends of the contracting parties. The young couple was attended by Miss Edna Anderson and Gleen Lindquist, the latter a brother of the hride. After the ceremony a sumptuous wedding dinner was served at the Lindquist home.

The bride, a most popular member of the younger set in this community, taught in the local school three years ago, and since in the school at Kennedy. The groom, a highly respected young man in his community, is engaged in the cafe husiness at Kennedy. After a short trip, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will be at home, after October 1st, at Kennedy. A host of friends in St. Hilaire and vicinity join in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Johnson lifelong happiness.

Fire Destroys Shed

A fire of unknown origin destroyed the woodshed and ice house in rear of Tim Ensrud's confectionery store Saturday afternoon. When discovered, the blaze was beyond control, and the shed hurned to the ground. With help of several citizens who arrived on the scene early, a large pile of wood was saved, and an adjoining ice house was kept from taking fire. Part of the hose was in poor condition preventing getting any pressure which made fighting the fire more difficult. The loss will probably amount to about $200.

Rain Helps Plowing

A fine rain fell over this section commencing Monday morning and continuing nearly all day. The moisture will be of great help for those who have plowing to be done the ground heing so dry and hard in places that it was immpossible to get a plow into it.

For Sale:- Hickory range stove, with reservoir and high warming shelf, in fine condition. Will sell at $30 if taken soon. Call at, or address.

415 Atlantic Ave. No.
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Albert Nasb Called

Albert Nash, resident of this village for twenty eight years, died at his home Friday afternoon after an illness of more than a year, of cancer.

Deceased was born in Norway, June 14th; 1867 and was 62 years and three months of age. He came to this country with his parents when eight years old, settling in Iowa.

They later moved to North Dakota where they resided several years hefore moving to this community in 1901. Mr. Nash was employed at the sawmill for some years, and also engaged in logging work in the woods. He was a capable worker, and was well liked by all with whom he associated. After death of his parents some years ago, he and brother, Ole, kept bachelor quarters in the house they own in south part of town.

Mr. Nash is survived by two brothers, Ole, of this village, and Knute who resides in Alberta, Canada. He is also survived by an uncle in North Dakota, and by an aunt, Mrs. T. M. Brevik, who resides in California. He is also survived by several cousins in the Brevik family.

Albert was held in high esteem here, and his many friends are grieved at his passing.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. Dahlherg from the Holmes undertaking parlors Monday afternoon, and interment was made in the cemetery east of town where his parents are buried.

Sympathy of numerous friends is extended to the bereaved relatives.

Freshmen Initiated

Initiation ceremonies for the freshman class of the local high school were held by the upper classes, with the graduates of last year as guests, at the school building last Friday evening. After a most interesting program, lunch was served in the domestic science room.

Two million Winchester and Gamble shells have already brought home the birds this season-This indicates that hunters appreciate the savings on shells at Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls.

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Looking Into The Future

The creamery, which has been brot up to its present state during the past twenty seven years, has by no means reacbed its capacity, nor is dairying overdone in this territory. It is safe to say that a gain of one thousand percent over present output, could be made without additional territory being added to tbis field. Not only is tbis possible but indications are that it will come to pass. Testing of cows, and intensive dairying will do it. By the way, have you bought a share in this growing local enterprise?

St Hilaire, Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Making A Start

Look around among the most successful people in your community and you will find practically every one will ascribe his or her success to early training in saving.

Save a part of your income during your productive years. It does not have to be any large amount each month, but save a part.

Independence in later years does not come by wishing for it, but by systematic saving when you are making more than necessary for your immediate needs. Start a savings account.

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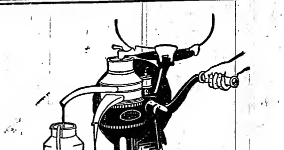
St. Hilaire, Minnesota



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Marvelous Workmanship

A French ustronomer states that Cheops' pyramid was so precisely coustructed by Egyptian workmen thut there is a mean error of only three-fifths of an inch in length and twelve secouds in angle from a perfect square.

Egg Mystery

An English woman who bought an imported egg foand ou breaking it open that it was full of sand aud small pieces of paper printed in a foreign language. When she bought the egg the shell seemed quite intect.

Another Myth?

It is usually believed that our troops in the Revolution wore no uniforms or if they did they wera always in rags. It is unother of the myths thet have become oar heritage. —Woman's Home Companion.

The Easiest

A motiou picture actress says there are a bundred weys of mukiug the human form iook fat. Probably one of them is letting uature take its course. — Rochester Democrat aud Chronicle.

Selling Father a New Car

By WILLIAM MARSH

(Copyright.)

"ABSOLUTELY nothing doing!" Father banged his fist down on the table with such vehemence thst the breakfast dishes rattled. "I'm perfectly satisfied with my old car and will not be bulldozed into buying a new one!"

Bill was ashamed of the "family bus," as he derisively termed it. More ashamed than ever, now that he had a peach of a girl to take riding. It didn't matter so much about his sister Corinne.

When she went out somebody else supplied the conveyance, and every time that Bill saw her depart in young Doctor Jordan's smart roadster or tha Whipple boys' limousine, he felt a twinge of envy—not for himself, but for Dot—thut peach of a girl.

Bill finished his poached eggs morosely and departed for the warehousa of Sanders and company, whose rising youag shipping clerk he fondly fancied himself to be. His way led him past the showrooms of tha Berwick Super-Eight und according to custom he paused and gazed covetously through the plate-glass window at the polished, shining model.

"Beauty, isn't she?" said a pleasant voice. And Bill turned to see oue of tha salesmen he had frequently spotted showing off tha beauty's fine points to possible purchasers.

"I'll say so!" declared Bill fervently.

"Interested in cars?" esked the other.

"Well, uot exactly," gulped Bill. "Thet is, my fether—"

"Thinking of buying, is he? Fine. What make has he uow?"

Bill named it, inwardly cursing it for being the uuobtrusive species it wus.

"Good little cur in its dey," said the salesman kindly and, thanks be, thought Bill, uot ut all coudescendingly. "But uot, as you can see, to be mentioned in the same breath with this. Now, step in a moment—"

When Bill stepped out again, he had all the talking points of the Berwick at his tongue'e end; he was late for work und he hud given Mr. John Wildmau his father's uame, address aud probable hours et home. Not thet he expected it would do any good, remembering his father's face eud fist et the breakfast table. But it seemed a smull return for the twenty minutes of the salesman's time.

Mr. John Wildman came thet evening. As it chanced, his prospect hud gone up to tha corner drug store for cigars und had remained to chat with the proprietor. Corinne, answering the doorbell and finding thut her father's caller was a singularly attractive, ulert lookiug yoang man, took it upon herself to see that the moments spent waiting huug not too heevily ou his hands.

In the course of polite couversatiou they discovered two mutual ecqnaintauces und severul commou interests, so that by the time his prospect's pungeat cigar smoke in the frout hall heralded the arrival of business and end of sociability, young Wildmeu hed registered a silent resolution not to take "no" for un unswer—from Corinne's futher, of course.

But in tha days thut followed Bill knew no peace. "Set him on my trail!" his father burst forth frequently, "and we'll see who wins in the end. Oh, I'll graut he's all right as young fellows go and knows his business, but no young whippersnapper can foist off anything on me that I don't want!"

Not only to his father was Bill persouu uon gruta, but yonug Doctor Jordan and the older Whipple boy casi frosty eyes npou him wheu they met.

Without doubt they held him responsible for the fuct thut their cars no longer drew up at the door of his home to tuke riding his sister. If Bill had set the salesman on his father's trail, so also hud he provided a suitor for Corinne who won out over all rivuls.

In fact, John soon ceased to worry about disposing of a Berwick Super-Eight. His thoughts and ambitious centered alone on the winning of Corinne. Although he still maintained a pretense of regarding her father as a probable purchaser, both he and Corinne—and the probabla purchaser—knew the bluff for what it was.

Only Bill remained unobserving. Thoughts of the Berwick Super-Eight crowded his vision to the exclusiou of all else. Spring was approaching, when he would want to take Dot riding. Another season in the old bus was more than he could stand.

"Dad," he broke out desperately oue evening, "do we, or do we not, gat a uew car this year?"

His father regarded him over his glasses. "I guess you win, William," he said resignedly. "John informed me last night thet he wants to marry Corinne. Your sister informed me this morning the least I could do in the wuy of a wedding present would be a car. So I shall purchase a Berwick. Yes, you win."

But his sou's face was long. "Dou't see how thst helps me any—giving it to Corinne," he said glumly.

"You don't get me at all, William," retorted his father. "We get the Berwick, they get the 'bus.' Good Lord, William, your mother and I didn't start with even a flivver! You young folks—"

But Bill was at the telephone to date up Dot for a ride.

POULTRY

COCCIDIOSIS ONE CAUSE OF LOSSES

Protect Pullets From Parasites and Various Ills.

(By M. A. SEATON, Extension Poultryman, Kansas State Agricultural College.)

Young pullets will develop into efficient egg machines if precaations are taken to protect them from parasites und diseases during the summer moaths and if proper feed is supplied for their development.

Coccidiosis is oue of the enemies that must be conquered. It usually appears when the chicks are five to teu wecks old. Symptoms are blood in the droppings. Upon internal examination, the blind intestines are enlarged and filled with a grayish, bloody exudete. Often the liver is spotted. This disease is cansed by au organism that tends to destroy the lining of the iutestine. It is passed out in the droppings and carried over from year to year in the buildings and ground.

To preveut coccidiosis, move the brooder houses each year and brood on clean ground or nse a sanitary platform and keep the chicks confined on the platform until teu weeks old. Keep the young and old stock separated. These precautions will usually prevent the disease.

In outbreaks of coccidiosis, the best-known treatment is to move the brooder house if possible, clean the honse often, and feed larga quantities of milk. If an all-mash system of feeding is being nsed, remove the meat-scrap from the mash and substitute 25 per cent dried buttermilk or dried skim milk. Feed this for aboat two weeks. Large quantities of milk solids in any form will be beneficial.

Value of Sulphur and Charcoal for Fowls

Sulphur is a medicine, and not a food. True, small quantities of it may be found in all our grains, as well as in some other articles of feed. But sulphur as found iu graiu is combined with some other substance which counterbalances it.

There are times when sulphur is beneficial if judiciously administered, writes Michael K. Boyer in the Farm nnd Ranch. It mnst not ba recklessly given, and never during wet or damp weather, as its use ut such times is upt to cause rheumatic troubles or a stiffeniug of the joints.

Sulphur is a blood purifier, aud often wards off diseasa und invigorutes u run-down system. In such cases u teaspoonful, once a week, mixed with the mash, for about twenty heus, would be nbout right, but even so small e quantity as this should be given only during a dry period.

Churcoal cousists ulmost entirely of carbon. It is prepared by heating wood so as to expel all the gaseous matter it contains. Ammonia is a geseous compound-ulkaline like potassa, and is often termed spirits of hertshoru.

When charcoal is properly treated thera will uot remaiu sufficient ammonia to ba injurious to snimal life. Any impurities that charcoal might contain wonld be absorbed through atmospheric couditions.

Do Not Force Pullets Into Premature Laying

It is nsually considered better not to force pullets into premature laying by feeding large quantities of mash. Insteud, limit the mash uutil pullets are quite ready to lay and, by feeding n greater amonnt of grain, to get them fat. Snch a ratiou emphasizes the fat making material and, by withholding tha egg-making materials, removes the danger of a too early matnrity. Mash should uot be entirely elimiuuted, as it coutains materials needed for building up the muscles of yonng fowls. Too mnch of it, however, may precipitate egg laying before it is desirable. Give the developing pullets all the grain they will eat during early fall and after they come into uormal laying, gradually decrease grain with a correspouding increase iu mash feeding.

Turkey Production

The most important discovery in turkey prodnction has been on the line of sanitation. If the turkeys are kept on ground that has uot been used for poultry for a year or more, they will likely escape without any trouble similar to the old blackhead disease. Chickeus are known to be carriers of the insect thut causes bluckhead. If you keep your turkeys uway from chicken yards and where turkeys have not been the year before, they will uot cause you any trouble.

Gains for Chicks

Chicks make the cheapest and most rapid gains when they are young. It is therefore essential that an ample amount of good wholesome food be kept constantly before the birds. Mash hoppers should be of sufficient siza so that a large majority of the chicks can eat at the same time, thereby avoiding the coustant fighting for room to eat. Tha ontdoor mash hopper of adeqnate size is very desirable for developing the young stock. All feeding utensils should be kept clean.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington State of Minnesota } ss.

TO Anna Isrealson.

You are hereby notified that the following pieces, or parcels of land situated in the county of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Lots 13 and 14 in Bothun's Addition to the Townsite of Fairfield an Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls.

That on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1926 at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1926 in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year A. D. 1924 for said County of Pennington the above described piece or parcel of land was sold for the sum of Nine and 86|100 Dollars.

That the certificate of sale for said piece or parcel of land executed and delivered by said County Auditor upon said sale last above mentioned has been presented to me at my office by the holder thereof for the purpose of having notice of expirntion of time for redemption from said tax sale of said property given and served; and that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon said notice, is the sum of $9.88|100, together with interest thereon at the rate of twelve per cent per annum from the 10th day of May A. D. 1928 until the day such redemption is made.

And the further sum of $9.50, being the amount of the delinquent taxes for the year 1925, upon said premises paid by the owner of said tax certificate together with interest on said last named amount at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the 31st day of March A. D. 1927 until the day such redemption is made.

And the further sum of $9.82, being the amount of the delinquent taxes for the year 1926 upon said premises paid by the owner of said tax certificate together with interest on said last named amount at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the 18th day of May A. D. 1928 until the day such redemption is made.

That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after service of this notice and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 17th day of August, A. D. 1929.

(Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota

(S-19-O-3)

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Foreign Will.

Estate Of John R. Fate, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of John R. Fate, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Neva P. Fate, Mayme H. Fate, Lena Fate, C. Ivan Fate, Grace Fate, Francis A. Fate, Marian Louise Fate, Wilbur George Fate and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent.

The petition of C. Ivan Fate, representing that John R. Fate then a resident of the County of Peoria, State of Illinois died on the 23rd day of October, 1927, testate and that his will has been allowed and admitted to probate in the Probate Court in and for the County of Peoria, State of Illinois, being filed in this court, together with authenticated copies of said will and of the probate thereof in the court above named, and praying that said Will be admitted to probate in this State, and that letters testamentary be thereon granted to him.

NOW, THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of October, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS The Honorable Lars Backe, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 25th day of September, 1929.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate Court

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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25 Years Ago

Fred Stapleton had a finger amputated as result of an accident at the mill.

—XXV—

John Maakrud returned after spending a week at his old home at LaCrosse, Wis.

—XXV—

Johannes Bengtson, an old resident of this community, died Sept. 24th., at his home in this village, at the age of 69 years.

—XXV—

H. D. Pettebone left for a week's inspection tour of logging operations in the woods.

—XXV—

L. T. Bergh and I. Dahlin returned from a land and chicken hunting trip out on the Reservation.

—XXV—

Considerable building activity was going on out on the Reservation. Hundreds of new familes were settling on the lands that were opened for settlement that year.

—XXV—

Nels Otterness took over the real estate business here that was formerly conducted by Julius Pleth.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Kenyon—Mrs. R. Leland has been elacted president of the pareut-teachers association hera.

Avoca—Tha First National Bank of this place has declared a eecond dividend of 20 per cent.

Arlington—Mrs. Herman Wiamann, 62 years old, mother of six, committed suicide here by hanging.

Sauk Center—A one-armed baudit held up the Meira Grove bank near here and eecaped with $1,000.

Fergus Falls—The Fergus Falls post of the American Legion will eponsor nirport day here September 23.

Brainerd—Recorde at the tourist camp here show tourist travel through here little different than 1928.

Atwater—Rev. T. O. Carletrom, for three years pastor here, has accepted an appointment at Two Harbors.

Zumbrota—Mrs. C. R. Sandberg wae elected president of the woman's auxiliary of the Zumbrota American Legion post.

Dodgs Centsr—Funeral sarvices for Ezra Gee, 93 yeare old, one of Dodge counties oldest residents, wera conducted here.

Minneapolis—Oscar Martinson, former police chief here, resigned in 1900, is uow a Salvation Army captain in Los Angeles.

Mankato—Mankato Teachers College will ba host to former studeuts at its second annual homecoming celebration, October 26.

Benson—Paul Kvale has indicatsd be will be farmer-labor caudidata for congrassman from tha seventh district to succeed his father.

Kaswaten—Maurice Cadotte, young Bennett miner, missing some time, has uot yet beeu located. His automobila was found abandoned.

Duluth—The last obstacle to a central heating plaut has bean removad aud work on this city's new $1,250,000 plant is being rushed.

Waseca—The annual meeting of the Wnman's Foreign Missionary Federatiou of tha Albert Lea Circuit will he held here Sept. 25th.

Breckenridge—F. O. Pierce has haen appointed postmaster hare to fill ths vacancy causad by tha death of Colonel Mattisou last apring.

Duluth—Theodore Peterson, 27, convictsd as the driver of a death automobila was senteuced tn the raformatory for uot more than 16 years.

Soudan—Mrs. John Lilya, 69 years old, of Soudan, died at a hospital here of injuries received when sha was thrown from a car driven by har son.

COAL

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St. Hilaire Spectator

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St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

Old Educational Idea

One of the first records we have of tha student exchanga idea among tha universities of tha world is dated 1343, at which time a homa was established at Boiogna for tha Spanish atudents attending university there. It was a common custom during the Fonrteenth, Fifteenth and Sixteenth centuries for all of tha larger countries to esteblish residences in Roma for their respective students.

Mediterranean Climate

The climate of tha Mediterranean region is warm, almost tropical. Tha mean temperature for tha year is 57.5 degrees Fahsenheit. Tha winters are mild, but tha summers ara hot and almost rainless. The heat of tha summer, however, is tempered in many localities by tha sea breezes. It bas been said that the climata of tha Mediterranean resembles most closely that of southern California.

Minnsapolis—Dr. William Watts Folwell, first prasidsnt of tha Univarsity of Minnesota, and noted as a Minnesota historian and educator, died at his homs here following an extended illnsss, aged 96. Intsrmant was in Lakewood cemstsry, the funeral haing privata with no floral wreaths as requestsd by the daceassd.

Proctor — Jarome McCarthy, 37 yaars old, of Minong, Wis., a railroad brakaman was killed here. He fall henaath a moving train.

Rsd Wing—With Congrassman W. I. Nolan giving ths principal address, Rad Wing and Goodhns county dedicated Sorin's bluff and park as a mamorial to tha county's soldiers, sailors and marinss, living and daad.

Osakis—Tha new Catholic church of ths Immaculats Conception known as "Tommy Gibhon's church,, becauss the one-time boxer and wifa providad a large share of tha funds for its building, was dedicated here.

BARNS—BIDS CLOSE OCTOBER 1, 1929.

THIEF RIVER FALLS
ST. HILAIRE
GOODRICH
STEPHEN
STRANDQUIST
WARREN
WAUBUN
AVERILL
EUCLID
DE GRAF

Sealed proposals will be received by Mr. H. W. Austin, Commissioner of Purchases, in his office, Room 10, State Capitol Building, St. Paul, Minnesota, until 3 P. M., October 1, 1929, for the erection on farms owned by the State of Minnesota of sixteen barns to be built in accordance with plans end specifications of the same prepared by the Department of Rural Credit. The nearest towns to which said farms are located are Thief River Falls, St. Hilaire, Goodridge, Stephen, Strandquist, Warren, Waubun, Averill, Euclid and DeGraf.

Bids will be received oniy on the form of bid supplied hy the State. Bids shall be accompanied by a certified check (not an indemnity bond) for 5% of the amount of the hid, payable to the State of Minnesota. In case the successful hidder fails or refuses to enter into contract for the performance of the contract and to give hond as required hy law, such check shall be forfeited to the State as liquidated damages.

Copies of the ahove plans and specifications may be seen at the following places: At the offices of Mr. Austin; Department of Rural Credit; F. A. Green, Stephen, Minnesota; John L. Wold, Twin Valley, Minnesota; Teo Hafdahl, Beltrami, Minnesota; J. D. Ross, Ortonville, Minnesota; F. F. Haynes, Thief River Falls Minnesota and at the St. Paul and Minneapolis Builders Exchanges. Copies of plans and specifications may be obtained by contractors on application to any of the ahove named persons by submitting a certified check in the amount of $10.00 drawn to the order of the State of Minnesota, which check will be returned to the bidders when a bona fide bid is filed with the Commissioner of Purchases and the plans are returned. Failure to comply with the above conditions forfeits the check.

Successful hidder must furnish an approved surety bond in the full amount of the contract.

The right is reserved to accept or reject any or all hids, or parts of bids.

H. W. AUSTIN,
S 19-26 Commissioner of Purchases.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated July 2nd, 1927, executed by Carl Edwin Crown and Fred D. Lorentson as guardian for Carrie Crown, incompetent, wifa of said Carl Edwin Crown, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on July 12th, 1927, at eleven o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 356 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $78.13 each, due on January 2nd, 1929, and July 2nd, 1929, respectively; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and cialmed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,447.98, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon since July 2nd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $156.26, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $78.13 thereof since January 2nd, 1929, and on $76.13 thereof since July 2nd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, and the sum of $12.80, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since May 3rd, 1929, in all the sum of $2,641.56, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has heen instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the lands and premises therein descrihed, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), in Township One Hundred-Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-five (45) West, subject to a conveyance for school purposes shown of record in Book "8" of Deeds, page 271, containing 159 acres, more or less, according to Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will he sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 11th day of October, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 28th, 1929.
STATE OF MINNESOTA Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (A-29—O-3)

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Freak Cats

Ring-tail cats ara cats baving crooks in their tails. They are freaks and in tha United States cat shows are penalized. Such frenks appear often in Siamese cats, and it is claimed in Sium that these taila are produced through inbreeding.

Kerosena Shuts Off Air

When kerosene is ponred on the top of stagnant water in a pond, it kilis ths wiggietaiis nnder the surfuce because the air suppiy is cut off. Thia aventually kills the insects in the wuter.

Lonasoma Individual

Aside from 12 officiai dioners, the President of tha United States is not permitted by custom to accept any invitations to dinners, iuncheons or other social events.—American Magazine.

Must Ba

Tha insurance companies sey that tha suicida rate in the conntry is showing a steady increase. Mnst be that a lot of foiks ara running out of places to go.—Los Angeles Times.

Naw Beet Dish

An extra fina way to cook beets is to baka them on the grate in tha oven lik. potatoes. So cooked they are delicious and nona of their food value is lost—Woman's Homa Companion.

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

St. Cloud—O. J. Jerde of St. Cloud has been named president of the ninth district congress of parents and teachers at an organization meeting here.

Zumbrota—Construction of a bass breeding pond in the Zumhro river near hera is proposed hy members of the Izaak Walton leagucs of Rochester and this city.

Glenwood—Julius O. Grove, of this city, has filed for congressman, on the Republican ticket, from the seventh district, to succeed O. J. Kvale, recently burned to death.

Little Falls—Six children of the Alhert Albrecht family enroute to their new home in Minneapolis and two St. Panl residents were injured in a auto crash south of here.

Pipestone—Gerrit DeVries has been named commander of the local American Legion. A. G. Port and G. R. Tatman are vicecommanders and Howard R. Alton is adjutant.

Brainerd—Carl Graiger of Pine Island and Ed Brown, captured hy R. L. Parks as they entered his garage at Nisswa, have heen hound over to district court, where they have indicated thay will plead guilty to third degree hnrglary.

Waseca—County Agent Martin Hansan has recaived information from the Minnesota state livestock sanitary hoard that the first area retest of Wasaca county dairy herds for eradication of bovine tuherculosis would begin Septemher 30.

Long Trip Across State

Tha longest distance by direct rail roed route between the two farthest separated points in Texes is on the Southern Pacific between Orange on tha Texas-Lonisiena lina and El Paso on tha Texas-Arizona line, a distance of 537 miles.

Pickup Worth While

If the paper that is taken ont hy perforating stamps so that they will separate easily were sold for a whole year at the present contract price, tha government would receiva $5,500 for tbia paper.

Damage hy Tornadoes

Tha weather bureau seys that more than a bundred tornadoes per year on the average reported to the burean result in about $12,000,000 damege. Some years are more serious than others.

Regular meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire, Minn., held at the village hall Sept. 4th at 8 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present except Simonson.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read approved.

On motion duly made and carried the follwing bills were allowed as read.

Red River Power Co., lights	$34.30
Nels Pearson, cutting weeds	5.50
Mrs. M. Volden, account of Ole Nash	21.15
O. Gunstad, 3 proceedings	4.25

On motion duly made and carried John Forseen was hired to ring the cerfew bell at 9 o'clock p. m., salary to be fixed at the next council meeting.

On motion duly made and carried the council decided to levy $2500 for the coming year; viz $1500 for general purposes and $1000 for roads and bridges.

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjourned.

M. Fricker, Clerk. A. Satterberg, President.

The Market

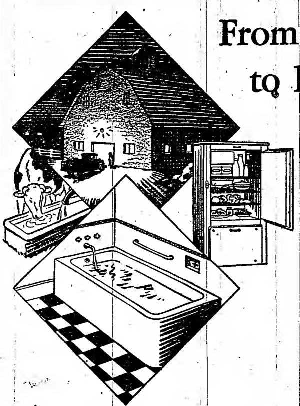
(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Whaat	$1.13
Duram Wbeat	.99
Rya	.80
Barlay	.47
Oats	.34
Flax	3.08
Eggs, cash	.30
Creamery butter	.49

Lamps of all sizes from 10 to 30 watt canalso be had at 20 cents each at the Spectator office

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

From BARN to BATH TUB



A farmer friend who owns two General Motors cars went to the city the other day and stopped in to see some cousins. They showed him around their new roof garden apartment, eighteen floors above the street, and proudly pointed out their Frigidaire in the pantry.

"Well," chuckled our farmer friend, "Mother has a garden full of old-fashioned flowers that she'd never trade for theirs . . . and as for the refrigerator, we have a bigger Frigidaire than they have!"

He also mentioned his Delco-Light power system and his DL water pump, which give him every other city convenience. As he often says himself, his farm is "General Motorized from *barn to bath tub!*"

It is perfectly true that General Motors, through its various units, offers even more to the farm family than to the city family. By applying methods of automobile production to home electric lighting and power plants, water pumping systems, and automatic refrigerators, General Motors can make the reliable kind of product that a farmer wants, at a price he can afford.

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CHEVROLET. 7 models. $525—$695. A six in the price range of the four. Smooth, powerful 6-cylinder valve-in-head engine. Beautiful Fisher Bodies. Also sedan delivery. Light delivery chassis. 1½ ton chassis and 1½ ton chassis with cab, both with four speeds forward.

PONTIAC. 7 models. $745 — $895. Now offers "Big six" motoring luxury at low cost. Larger L-head engine; larger Bodies by Fisher. New attractive colors and stylish lines.

OLDSMOBILE. 8 models. $875—$1035. The Fine Car at Low Price. Now offers further refinements, mechanically and in the Fisher Bodies — also eight optional equipment combinations in Special and De Luxe line.

MARQUETTE. 6 models. $965—$1035. Buick's new companion car, designed and built by Buick. Six cylinders. Fisher Bodies. Its price puts Buick quality and craftsmanship within reach of more families.

OAKLAND. 9 models. $1145—$1375. Oakland All American Six. Distinctively original appearance. Splendid performance. Luxurious appointments. Attractive colors. Bodies by Fisher.

VIKING. 3 models. $1595. General Motors' new "eight" at medium price. 90-degree V-type engine. Striking Bodies by Fisher. Unusual appointments. Also optional equipment combinations.

BUICK. 14 models. $1225—$1995. Three new wheelbases, 118-124-132 inches. The greatest Buick of them all. Many new mechanical features. Fisher Bodies with new lines.

LaSALLE. 14 models. $2295 — $2875. Companion car to Cadillac. Continental lines. Distinctive appearance. 90-degree V-type 8-cylinder engine. Striking color combinations in beautiful Bodies by Fisher.

CADILLAC. 26 models. $3295 — $7000. The Standard of the World. Famous efficient 8-cylinder 90-degree V-Type engine. Luxurious Bodies by Fisher and Fleetwood. Extensive range of color and upholstery combinations.

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GENERAL MOTORS

TUNE IN—General Motors Family Party, every Monday, 8:30 P. M. (Eastern Standard Time) WEAF and 37 associated radio stations.

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Demonstration and Sale

Saturday September 28th

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Uncle Eben

"Findin' fault," said Uncle Eben, "is a job dat's too easy to git you any credit as a discoverer."—Washington Star.

Islands and Canals

Amsterdam is cut by canals into 90 islands.

Easily Overlooked

In contemplating what he has done for others the average man is apt to overlook what others have done for him.—Washington Post.

Tell 'Em, Chef

Is cooking unmanly? No! Cooking is an art. And as with the other arts, the greatest artists have been men.—Farm and Fireside.

Money In Sweet Clover.

Sweet clover seems to be an exceptionally good money crop in this locality this year. At present the seed brings around 5 cents per pound. One party east of Hazel is reported to have received over $1400 for seed, and several others have sold for $500 and better. Many farmers here have drawn good sized checks both for sweet clover and flax, the price being above average on both.

Season for shooting of prairie chickens and grouse in this part of th state, closed Sunday evening after being open one week. While there were some hunting parties in from other sections where the season was closed, they were by no means as numerous as was at first anticipated. Both grouse and chickens were quite plentyful in this locality, and enough were left to insure sufficent increase for hunting two years hence.

Florida's Entry Into Family

By treaty of 1819 Spain ceded Florida to the United States on July 1, 1821. This came as a result of many long controversies between the two countries in regard to Florida. Civil government was not established until 1822.

Capacity for Learning

Formerly it was accepted that the apex of mental receptivity was passed somewhere around the age of twenty. Educators now agree that adults learn more easily, with more interest and greater profit than do children.

School Boys Wreck Train

The gas-electric train running thru here was derailed at Greenbush Saturday evening on its way back to Crookston. Three school boys up there had broken two switch stand locks and had left two switches half open in the east end of Greenbush yards. No one was hurt in the wreck but, several dollars worth of damage was done to the train.

The three boys were arrested Monday.—Holt News

P. T. A. Notice

An invitation is extended to every man and woman in this community to become members of the Parent-Teachers Association of St. Hilaire. Meetings are for all grown-ups, whether married or single, who are interested in children's welfare. A ruling excludes children unless specially invited, EXCEPT small children whose parents find it inconvenient to leave them at home.

Next meeting will be Friday evening, October 4th at 8:15 P. M. Come and spend a social time with your neighhors.

The program committee promises much fun and laughter, and that you will feel ten years younger when you leave. Be sure to be present Oct. 4th.

Mrs. O. Gunstad,
Chairman.

Forty Winks

Why "forty winks"? The number is taken from the Scriptures, where it occurs frequently—from the forty days of the flood, onwards.

FIRE DEVASTATES VAST OIL FIELDS

Several Dead and 90 Oil Wells Destroyed in $3,000,000 Fire.

Santa Paula, Cal.—The Ventura oil field fire after heing snbdued over most of the Santa Paula, Ojai-Ventura triangle went out of control again in the hills and additional men were called to the scene.

The brush and forest fires in the triangle at Ventura had ocst several lives, after destroying 120 oil wells and other property estimated at $3,000,000, and adding 10,000 acree to the 30,000 or more in Oregon and Washington, bring the total loss by fires to well over the $3,000,000 estimate.

A change in the winds directions saved the city of Estacada, Oregon, from destruction, as a terrific wall of flame ten miles across bore down upon it, advancing to within five miles, before the wind slackened and chnnged, permitting the fire fightere to take a fresh etand and save the city.

Forty miles south and east of Portland 20,000 acres of the Mount Hood national forest reserve was burned over, with a loss of five homes, a hotel and two school houses, while in Clark County, Wash., Yacolt, a lumbering town of 200 was fighting desperately for its existence and asked for the assistance of 900 troops in barracks at Vancouver Highway leading out of Yacolt were packed with trucks and autos conveying household goods women and children from the stricken community.

The communities of La Barre, Garfield, Ledee and Fenton were hard hit by the same fire that menaced Estacada. Property damage estimated at $120,000 was done by the finmes to lumber camps, ranches, homes and schoolhouees.

Philip Rowe, 65 years old, a rancher, was burned to death in the Bell Mnuntain fire, 30 miles northeast of Vancouver, Wash., and his wife and son were seriously burned in a fire that destroyed their homes.

Kidnapsd Youth Chained Six Days.

Detroit—Chained to a bed in an apartment where he was held prisoner for days by kidnapers who received $5,000 for his release but were unable to free him bscause they were captured by police, Mathew Holdreith, Jr., 24 years old, son of a restaurant proprietor and a student in Notre Dame University at South Bend, Ind., was found and released by police, acting upon a tip. The youth's release was prevented by the inadvertent capture by police of two of the kidnapers as they left the rendezvous where the elder Holdreith was eald to have turned over ths money.

Judge Assesses Blackmer $60,000.

Washington—Judge Siddons assessed $60,000 in finee against Hnrry M. Blackmer, retired oil man now in Paris, who was sought in the Tea Pot Dome oil trials. Battle, attorney for Blackmer, immediately noted an appeal, and bond of $1,000 was deposited. Meanwhile the $100,000 in Liberty bonds seized from Blackmer's deposits in a local bank will remain in custody of the United States marshal.

Three Killed, Five Injured in Crash.

Peru, Ill.—A mother of 10 childron was critically injured along side of three of her brood, also in serioue condition; a fourth child is dying, and two otbers and a neighbor are dead as the result of a collision between a New York Central locomotive and an automobile at a crossing near McNabb.

Kansas Police Chief Killed by Burglars

Florence, Kan.—Chief of Police A. J. Eichenherger of Florence was slain here, presumably in a pistol fight with bnrglars in front of a department store. His slayers, believed to number three, escaped. The door of the store had been "jimmied" but the building had not heen entered.

13-Year-Old Enrolls at N. W. "U."

Evanston, Ill.—Harold M. Finley, 13 years old, of McConnelsville, Ohio, enrolled as a freehman at Northwestern univeristy, as one of the youngest college students in the country. He won high honors as a high school student and orator at home.

3 Ranchers Killed as Car Overturns.

Helena, Mont.—Three persons lost their lives in the overturning of an aotomobile abont 12 miles east of here. They were William French, 34 years old, of Nelson; John Crockett, 70, of Winston and Fred Kremer, 35, formerly of Laramie, Wyo.

Long Leap Fatal to 'Chute Jumper.

Oneota, N. Y.—Kenneah Smith, 27-year-old parachnte jnmper of Stamford, N, Y., was killed in a 3,300-foot leap at the airport here. Witnesses said his parachute did not open until he was within 60 feet of the ground.

Violent Storm Hits Salvador.

San Salvador—Telegraph and railway communication was disrupted here by a series of violent rain and wind storms raging throngh Salvador. Many persons were forced to abandon their homes.

Wiesbaden Celebrates Evacuation.

Wiesbaden, Germany—The population of Wiesbaden held a jobilation as the evacuation of the British occnpational forces got fully under way. Authorities were informed only one French company would be left.

THE

CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Sept. 29th.
Services as follows:-
Clearwater, 11:00 A. M. Norw.
St. Pauli, 2:30 P. Norw.
St. Hilaire, Luther League program at 8:00 given by the young men of the church. Refreshments also will be served by them after the program.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Sunday, Sept. 29.
Sunday School in local church at 10:00.
Services in Black River church at 10:00 with Sunday school following.
Y. P. S. at Black River church at 8:00 P. M.
The Ladies' Aid will serve a chicken dinner at the Odd Fellows hall Friday, October 4th.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday, Sept. 29
Sunday school 10:00.
Morning Services 11:00.
Evening service 8:00.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our most heartfelt thanks to all friends and neighbors for their many kindness to us during the last illness and after death of our brother and cousin, the late Albert Nash. We also wish to thank all who assisted with the funeral, and all who contributed flowers.

Ole Nash
Bernt Brevik
Mrs Helen Landis

Operator Part of Machine

That a typist is n part of a typewriter was decided by a Vienna conrt. The conrt ruled that, if a person writes n libelous letter to nnother person and dictates it to a typist, there is no criminol libel, since only two persons bave knowledge of the letter's contents, namely, the writer and the recipient, the typist being merely a port of the typewriter.

International Scholarships

The Dovison scholarships, which enable three undergroduates from Oxford nnd tbree from Cambridge nniversity (Englnnd) to ottend the universities of Harvard, Yale and Princeton in tho United Stotes were founded in 1923 by Mrs. Henry P. Davison of New York.

Making the Grade

"And I thought my son, Haok, wos doing so well, too," said the disappointed parent of the yonth who failed to groduote. "The teocher told mo only recently that if Hank bod only a little more sense he would be a moron."—Pnthfloder Magazine.

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Grandbois-Roy

"A pretty wedding took place at St. Mary's church in this city at 9 o'clock Monday morning when Miss Alice Grandbois, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Grandbois of Brown's Creek, became the bride of Paul J. Roy, son of Jos. Roy of this city. Rev. H. Pelger performed the ceremony.

Following the ceremony, a wedding dinner was served at home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Grandbois, and a supper was served to the wedding party at home of the bridegroom's father, Jos. Roy in this city.

The newlyweds will make their home in this city, the groom being employed with his father at contract work".

The above taken from the Red Lake Falls Gazette of Sept, 26th., will be of interest to many people in this community where the bride is very well known.

Steel-To-Wheat Highway

A meeting was held at Cook, St. Louis county, September 22nd, to effect an organization the purpose of which is to secure construction of a State Trunk Highway from Ely on the range, west to Northome, along south shore of Red Lake and thence west to, probably Red Lake Falls. A route committee was appointed to select the most feasable route. Such a road would be a shortcut to the Range district, and would undoubtedly prove a popular route to the wonderful summer playgrounds in the Arrowhead district.

After spending a vacation of several weeks here with his parents, Lloyd Bilden left Saturdy to resume his work with General Motors at Pontiac, Mich.

Twenty person were killed and a vast amount of property damage done last Wednesday and Thursday in a hurricane which struck the south part of Florida. Ample warning of coming of the storm by the government weather bureau, was the means of saving hundreds of lives that undoubtedly would have been lost otherwise.

A big transfer truck belonging to a company at Little Falls, broke down south of town Saturday noon and had to be towed into Thief River for repairs.

Building New Barn

Foundation has been poured, and material is being taken out for a new dairy barn to be erected this fall on the farm occupied by Louis Westphal, northeast of here. William Bothman has leased the farm for the coming year, and will occupy it as soon as the barn is finished so he has room for his stock. The farm is the former Hagglund place in Rocksbury, it being now owned by a party in Illinois.

Brother Dies

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erdmann and children, Maria and Fred, left Sunday by car for Goodrich, N. D., being called by sudden death of Mr. Erdmann's brother, William. While enroute they visited briefly with their daughter, Helena, who is a student at Concordia College at Moorhead. They returned yesterday morning.

Spud Harvest On

Spud picking is under way thruout this section. Tho the acreage is not large, the crop is very good. Due to dry weather, the spuds are coming out of the ground with little or no soil adhering to them which makes handling much easier. Price at present is around 90 cents a bushel.

Leo Carpenter and William Engh returned home Saturday after finishing a contract for some tiling for the State Highway Department along the new road thru Middle River.

George and Aleck Anderson left last evening for Arlee, Mont., to spend the fall and winter at timber work with their brother Arthur. Their father Ole Anderson, is moving in from the farm to stay during the winter at home of his sister, Mrs. Sam Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Smith, Mrs. Chas. Smith and son, Martin, all of Holt, visited here Saturday at the Ole Johnson home.

A large amount of flax straw is being hauled daily from this vicinity to the Fiber Products Company plant at Red Lake Falls.

Cows are bringing exceptionally good prices at the auction sales around here this fall. Prices for cows have ranged from $100 to$130.

The Exterior Decorator

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Chicken dinner at the Odd Fellows Hall tomorrow. Served by Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church. Come!

Frank Johnson, who is employed at Flint, Mich., is here for a visit with his relatives.

John D. Porter, Bemidji auto dealer, motored up Sunday to look after business matters in his line, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henery Rux motored Sunday to Grand Forks for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rux.

"Awake, arise, or be forever fall'n." Let the day decide you to send for Mankato Commercial College catalogue, Mankato, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fallman have rented the former Engh house in south part of town and are moving into it this week to spend the winter.

L. E. Healy was up Monday afternoon from Red Lake Falls looking after business matters in his capacity as special deputy examiner in charge of affairs of the Farmers State Bank.

Supt. E. Reiersgord, John Costain Misses, Freistad, Lee and Frazier motored Saturday to Fargo to see the Concordia - N. D. A. C. football game which was won by the latter.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennet Johnson moved their household goods and livestock Friday to the Magnueson place north of Hazel where they will reside.

N. E. Beebe, who suffered a fractured leg last week when kicked by a horse, is getting along nicely. Aside from enforced idleness for a few weeks during a normally busy season, he will suffer no ill effects.

J. W. Denhart and family left Thursday following the sale at their place, enroute to California to join other members of the family who are there, and possibly to make their future home in that state.

Word has been received from Mrs. L. de Cathelineau, who moved to Willmar a short time ago, that she is now nicely settled down there, and anticipates spending a pleasant winter with her family, several members of which have resided at Willmar for some time.

Don't forget the chick.n dinner at the Odd Fellows Hall tomorrow.

The Ladies aid of St. Pauli, will be entertained at the Martin Loken home Thursday, Oct, 10th.

Miss Selma Johnson, who teaches Oklee, spent last week-end here with her brothers.

Roy Sumpter and family have moved into the house vacated last week by Mr. and Mrs. Bennet Johnson.

Rupert Swanson, who has leased the Fallman farm north of town, is moving on to the place next week.

Margaret Jepson, who has been a patient at the hospital at Thief River following an operation, returned home Thursday. She is convalescing rapidly and expects to be back at school soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Loberg sold their farm equipment at auction last Friday, and are going to Willmar to make their home with their their daughter, Mrs. W. Klint.

Carl Surmo, owner of the Halverson place south of town, came down Tuesday from Holt with some materials and will build a new chicken house on his place this fall.

Albert Aase, the new mechanic at the St. Hilaire Garage, has leased the ground floor of the Ole Anderson house on Water street, and moved his family down from Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Olsen motored over last week from Leonard for a visit with their parents. Mr. Olsen is manager of the co-operative creamery at Leonard.

Mrs. Agnes Walton and children left this week to make their home with her parents in Iowa. Mrs. Walton has made many friends during her residence here who wish herself and family well in their new place of residence.

Rev. Albert A. Odegaard of Aneta, N. D., was here Thursday and Friday for a visit with his father and with his brother, Ole, at Hazel. Rev. Odegaard is one of the many St. Hilaire boys who are doing well in their chosen fields, he having splendid success in Dakota.

Turkey Thieves Busy

Turkey stealing, one of the lowest forms of human endeavor, seems to have started in this community. Last Thursday night thieves visited the Otto Johnson place southeast of here and got away with twenty three mature birds. Fresh auto tracks thru the yard the next night indicated that the same parties had visited the place again. This is one form of thievery that seems hard to guard against, and despite all precautions succeeds at times. The only method is to keep a good dog and a shotgun loaded with buckshot.

Shoot first, and inquire the mission of night prowlers afterward, is the best method to rid the community of these pests who are too lazy and shiftless to raise turkeys themselves, but who want to live on efforts of others. It will be well for all turkey raisers to keep close watch on their flocks from now until the birds are safely marketed.

Repairing Bridge

The north bridge, which has been in bad conditton because of its poor floor, is being replanked. Repairs are also being made on the railing which have been delapidated condition all summer.

Hog Cholera Spreading

Hog cholera, said to have originated with a bunch of feeder hogs shipped into Polk county, is reported to be spreading in the territory around Crookston. Continued dry weather is favorable for its spreading, and hog owners are taking precautions by having their animals vaccinated, which seems to be the only method yet discovered for controlling the disease and preventing it becoming widespread.

After spending his summer vacation at home, Paul Erickson has returned to his studies in the medical school at the University of Minnesota.

Crookston is to have a sawmill again. It will not be a large one, but it will furnish employment for quite a few men. The mill expects to get its timber from native growth along the Red Lake River.

Aside from one or two places which will be occupied within a week, there is no vacant residence property of any kind in this village at present.

Much Building Activity

There has been more building on farms in this immediate vicinity this year than for several seasons past, and more is to be done before snow flies. Ole Larson has just finished and moved into a fine residence; the Black farm had recently completed a new machine shed and granery, new barns will be built this fall on the former Fred Dammen and Westphal farms, Henry Burstad is hauling out material for a residence, and Walter Swenson is building on his place.

There are also a number of places where buildings are to be remodeled and repaired either fall or next spring. In addition to the above, a new school building is to be erected in Dist. 180 in Bray township.

Farewell Party

A farewell party was given Saturday afternoon at the B. E. Burkee home in honor of Mrs. Ole Loberg, who is leaving this week to make her home with her daughter at Willmar. A large number of old friends were present at the gathering, and a very pleasant evening was spent after which lunch was served. Mrs. Loberg was presented with a suitable reminder of the happy occasion as a mark of esteem from her many friends.

Motor To Fargo.

William Kruse, Mrs. E. Sundholm and Loretta Kruse motored Sunday to Fargo for a short visit at home of their sister, Mrs. O. Golden. Upon returning that evening, they were accompanied home by Mrs. Chr. Kruse, Sr., who has visited at the Golden home. They were also accompanied by Mrs. S. Vickyard and little daughter, who visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ortloff.

Martin Bjerk and family moved this week from the Dahl residence to the Ole Peterson place on Water Street.

A coffee demonstration was held Saturday at the Carlson store. A showing of suits and coats which was to be held at the same time failed to materialize because of nonarrival of factory representative.

Mechanics Wanted!
Big Demand. Practical Training. Write for catalog. HANSON AUTO & ELECTRICAL SCHOOL, Box 926, Fargo, N. D

Looking Into The Future

The creamery, which has been brot up to its present state during the past twenty seven years, has by no means reached its capacity, nor is dairying overdone in this territory. It is safe to say that a gain of one thousand percent over present output, could be made without additional territory being added to this field. Not only is this possible but indications are that it will come to pass. Testing of cows, and intensive dairying will do it. By the way, have you bought a share in this growing local enterprise?

St Hilaire, Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Making A Start

Look around among the most successful people in your community and you will find practically every one will ascribe his or her success to early training in saving.

Save a part of your income during your productive years. It does not have to be any large amount each month, but save a part.

Independence in later years does not come by wishing for it, but by systematic saving when you are making more than necessary for your immediate needs. Start a savings account.

MERCHANTS STATE BANK
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

JUST HUMANS

By Gene Carr

SLIM ONE—"KIN YAMAGIN' DOIN' THAT STUNT EVERY NIGHT, MRS. BROOKS?"

Mother's Cook Book

The sweetest music is not in oratorios, but in the humao voice when it speaks from its instant life, tones of tenderoess, truth and courage.—Emerson.

CAKES AND COOKIES

THE smoll cake is so mnch liked for teas, luncheons aad, some kinds for tba children's parties, that the following may be found helpful in planning for varions occasions:

Toasted Coconut Balls.

Toke one-half cupful of shortening, one snd one-half cupfuls of sngar, cream well. Sift two and one-half cupfnls of flour with two teaspoonfuls of boking powder, one-half teaspoonful of salt. Add to the creamed butter snd sugar with one cupful of water very grodually. When well blended ndd the stiffly beaten whites of four eggs and a tablespoonful of lemon juice. Bake in small muffin pans in o moderate oven. When cool cover with s powdered sugar icing, holding the cakes on a toothpick or smoll skewer. Now roll in coconut und place on n baking sheet to brown under the broiler, turning until well browned oll over. The following quick icing is used for the above cakes:

Quick Icing.

Take one and one-half cupfuls of sngar, one-half teaspoonful of cream of tartar, six tablespoonfuls of water and two egg whites. Put oll the ingredients into a double boiler and hove the water in the under port hoiling. Beat until the mixture is fluffy. Remove from the heat and continne beoting until cold.

Ice Box Cookies.

Toke one cupfnl each of brown ond white sugar, one and one-holf cupfuls of softened shortening, one cupful of chopped nuts, three well beoten eggs, one teospoonful of sodo, one teaspoonful of cinnamon or other mixed spices, one-half teaspoonful of salt, sift thoroughly with five cnpfuls of pastry flour and roll into smoll rolls. Place on ice over night. In the morning slice very thin and bake in a quick oven.

Celery Paste Salad.

Take equal parts of tart apple and hearts of celery nnd half the quantity of green or red sweet pepper nnd mince the whole finely. Make o paste combining chopped dates, raisins and creom cheese, or a bit of apple butter. Serve the short stoiks of celery filled with this mixture.

Nellie Maxwell

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What Does Your Child Want to Know ?

Answered by BARBARA BOURJAILY

WHY DO WE SNEEZE?

The jar will help to kill off germs,
Or keep the dust away—
Or help to bring blood to the nose—
So sneezing isn't play

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SOMETHING TO THINK ABOUT

By F. A. WALKER

HEAVEN

CONSIDERABLE newspaper space was recently given to a description of heaven fnrnished by a college professor who during on automobila wreck, in which his wife was killed, believed that he snw the celestiol city and conversed with a white-haired and long-heorded mon whom he took to be Saint Peter.

There has been considerable discnssion by specialists in mental conditions and students of psychology os to what caused the professor to so sincerely believe that he had viewed the locality of post-mortem existence.

The majority concinsion seems to he that the professor ns n result of the occident lost consciousness, but that just hefore his powers of reoson lapsed he was impressed with the thought that his wife had been mortally injured nnd that in that mysterious part of his mind, which goes on working after volnntory thought has ceased, the doctor constrncted, to the point of what seemed renlity to him, the golden city which be later fully described.

The professor is not the first to have visited heaven ond to have furnished o description of whot he sow.

Mahomet wrote of seven different heavens which he visited, mounting to their heights on his steed, Al Borak, furnished him hy Gabriel. This animol hos the foce of a mon, the wings of an eagle and the body of a horse, with cloven hoofs, and he spoke high-class Arobic.

The territories visited hy Mahomet comprised seven oreas nnd he sow heings there with faces so lorge that it was a doy's journey from one eye to the other. He heard choruses of mnsic porticipoted in by millions of voices ond the distances which he troveled were quite beyond comprehension.

Yon will say that such a story is foolisb, but there are 227,000,000 followers of Muhomet who believe nil that he wrote nnd thot be really saw nll that he says be sow.

Confncius, whose followers nnmber more than 300,000,000, left for bis believers no very definite iden of the hereofter or where or how it woald be spent.

Christians who number abont 600,000,000 accept the Book of Revelotion and the vision of St. John os the only definite description of whot heoven is to be like.

But is beoven, after all, a ploce?

Are not the peorly gates ond the golden streets of St. John and the vast exponses of Mohomet only symbols intended to express the sotisfaction of spiritnol ospiration in terms of moterial things and glorics?

Would we after all find great sotisfaction in forever wolking on precions metol or viewing a continuoua exposition of flashing jewels?

Is not the surest beoven after all in our hearts?

There ore moments in the life of every mon and womnn when the soul knows esctosies to which there is no limit, happiness which is without hounds. Could there be a more resl heaven than those moments provide?

And if the afterlife con be filled with such delights do we need to hava it embellished with trappings of gold and silver or decorated other than with the sweet ond good thonghts which hove made even this side of the grove seem for s moment like Elysium?

Is not heaven after all only another nnme for hoppiness?

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Esther Ralston

Charming Esther Louise Raiston, popular "movie" star, was practically brought up in the theater. Her parents wers of ths stage, and at ths age of two years Esther mads her debut in an act with her parents. She was born in Bar Harbor, Maine. It was only a few years ago that she entered motion pictures and shs was a success from the start. This is her latest photo.

THE WHY of SUPERSTITIONS

By H. IRVING KING

PLANTING BY THE MOON

DWELLERS in cities do not reolize how importont n part the almanac plays in the growing of crops. In sll countries the widespread belief is smong farmers that, in order to do well, crops should be plonted immediotely nfter the new moon. All except tubers—they should be planted in the dark of the moon. This idea runs back to the time when man first constructed for himself n moon-goddess out of the earth's satellite. In fact, the anderlying idea is older thon the mythologies, being the first attempts of primitive mon to comprehend and connect np the notural phenomena by which he was surrounded.

The ancients regarded the moon ss the source of moisture, and the nltimate cause of the growth of plants, as the sun was the source of heat. They evolved the "doctrine of lnna sympotby" hy which tbe waxing and woning of the moon offected vegetahle life. Therefore, seeds planted at the time o' the new moon got a good stort, woxing in vitality as the moon waxed in size.

This for oll crops which prodnced ahove ground—got out of dorkness sa the moon did. Bat for the tubers, which increosed in darkness nnderground, they shonld be plsnted when the moon also was in darkness, thns getting the full benefit of the "lans sympsthy." This theory runs hack through the whole history of agricnlture—the writings of the great Roman anthora ara full of it. In the mythologiea the most ancient moon-goddesses were intimately connected with ngriculture. It was Isia who first discovered whest and barley and instructed her brother-hushand, Osiris, in their cultivation.

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SAWS

By Viola Brothers Shore

FOR THE GOOSE—

WHAT a simple world thia wonld be without gestures; and how coloriess.

No matter how much yon love yonr sister, you can't help hein' happier the doy yon get yoar proposal than the day she gets hers.

If women was runnin' the country It'd be every womsn for berself and men for us all.

FOR THE GANDER—

The woman that can be won with a Rolls-Royce can be lost with a yacht.

If yon really want to know a lot about a womon, get her to write you a letter.

Yoa get more credit handin' hack an old glove with s smile than givin' sway ten dollars with s long face.

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THE ROAD OF OTHER MEN

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

OH, WHAT road sholl ws travel, friend,
Whst higbway sball we cboose,
Thnt has contentment at the end,
Whntever else we lose?
Well, I wonld say, it's not the high road,
It's jnst a trail, it's jnst a byroad,
A rood so rough, a psth so lowly,
That those who travel travel slowly.

Yon'll try a dozen roads that wind,
And then the right rosd miss;
For oll your life yon'll never find
A better road tbon tbis:
A rood that bas some rosea by it,
A cottoge, not s castle, nigh it,
No stormy height, some vale or hollow
Where Christ is easiest to follow.

Oh, whot road sholl we joarney then
The joy of life to see?
We'll wolk the road of other men,
Of men like yon and me—
Some fellows who are worth the knowing,
Going the same woy we ore going,
The bsppiest road in any weather
The road that mortals walk together.

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Why We Do What We Do

by M. K. THOMSON, Ph. D.

INTERESTED IN DREAMS

PEOPLE have alwsys been interested in dreams. From time immemorial dreams hove played an importnnt part in ths life of tha individual and the race. Tbs destiny of nations bos hinged on tha interpretation of some dresm. Josepb's interpretotion of Phoraoh's dreom is typical.

Tbe dream is a cnrions pbenomenon. Why is it that n sleeping person csn do such wonderful things in so many possible and impossible connections? He goes out bunting with some friend who lives mony miles nway or who is octually deod. Tbe sovoge wos mystified ond looked npon the dream as a means of separating the soul from the body. He thonght that during sleep the soal of the sleeper went on excursions with other sonls or spirits. Hs believed that when hs swoke it meont that his spirit wos through wandering and had come back to tha body. He carried the ides to its logical concinsion in tbe belief that when some one died it simply meant thot the spirit was nnoble to find the body; hence he placed food and weapons heside tbe corpse to be used in csse the spirit should retnrn.

Since the spirit of a man could talk in dreams to other spirits the savage sssumed thot these communicstions were significont as to ths fnturs of the dreamer.

The Freudians have s good deal to soy abont dreams. They tell ns that dreams are very important, not so much in predicting the fature as in shedding voluahls light on the present ond post; thot the strong fears nnd wishes which we suppress in the woking moments come to light in dreoms. They claim that every dream is important in revealing some hidden wish, thst every detail of tha dream has soma meaning.

Whether with the savage we regord the dreom ss a means of foretelling futare events, or with ths Freudions as revealing hidden wishes and fears, or with the psychologist who soys the dream is merely disconnected brain activity during sleep, the dream remains an interesting phenomenon of noture. We cannot help hut be interested in dreams jnst as we are naturally attracted by the weird fontosy of a novel or any work of fiction. It is a foscinating pasttime for the imagination.

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SUPERSTITIOUS SUE

BROTHER BILL SAYS—

If a guy gets a hand of "Jacks and sevsns," for tbs lovs of mud throw it away, for it is known as ths "dead man's hand" and will bring him bad luck even though he makes a killing with it.

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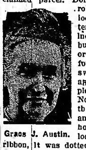
Dame Fashion Smiles

By Grace Jewett Austin



Grace J. Austin.

It wos only a little left-behind, unclaimed psrcel. Doms Fosbion unrolled it idly, and looked at the contents; a yard of inch-wide elastic, but with nothing ordinary aboat it, for it was for away from 20-year-ago plain block or plain white elsstic. No, indeed; it had tbs modern brilliance of color, it hod tiny edging loops of narrow ribbon, it was dotted at short intervols with tiny silk rosebnds. Oh, yes; it was elsstic pins ond glorified.

As it lay there it seemed qnite s motto or n slogan of modern femininity; elasticity and beauty combined. Some one remarked the other day that tbs author of the now fsmous "fow down ond go boom" wos undoubtedly over fifty yeors of oge, with a middle-oged person's ideo of a foll. A moture falling mortal is opt to hit the floor or the ground hard—s "boom," in short; but the tumbles of most children are as elostic as the bounds of a rubber boll. Keep elasticity and yoa are bouud to keep yonthful attributes and beauty.

Populor novels of ten years ago would tell of how the "heroine comes swimming ocross the floor." This wearisome figure of speech hos happily departed, but the trnth of the idea remoins. Just for this important reason Dame Fosbion bas faith to believe thot long, clinging skirts for day and street weor will not returu. Does a swimmer ever chose them? The ramrod bockbone was the ideol for women in the days of multitudinous skirts ond three-yard trains, but the groceful Greeks of the time when women are supposed to hove reoched tbe peak of beauty knew better. True to Greek lore nnd this new dictnm tbot the more good sun rays bit ns the better off we sholl be, all signs point to the weoring of more sleeveless dresses tbis snmmer thon for yeors post.

Sleeveless dresses to fur neckpieces is something of a jump, but both are bound to be foshionoble. As a club group wos nbont departing ths otber day, Dome Fashion accidentally dropped s memher's fur scarf. Having a great eye for "little beasties," ss the Scotch say, she called oat, "Oh, wbat is this animal? Is he a sshle?" For truly he looks sahle-y, nnd oll the world bas a tremendous reverence for sobles.

Ths owner laughed snd sold, "He is a muff." This caused more excitement than if he had been a sable right from imperiol Russio. For be bad a nice hesd and hright eyes; he had good paws ond s tail. And tbe entertaining part was thot this literory woman, wbose carefully prepared papers shome lozier members, had mads him berself. He was, she said, an ancestrsl muff, with identity of the fnr nnknown to her. She had shsved a bit of fnr to make his nice little nose, which sn ambrella tip helped to shape; sbe hod added hlack wox to glass beods for his eyes; she had stuffed his tail and made his paws. Altogether, he was a creotion. Whether from muffs, shops or cold storage, fnr scarfs are sure to be in evidence this yeor.

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Dainty Paris Creation Chic for Little Girls

Here is a smart party dress for ths littls miss. Ths model fsatures creps ds chins flowsrs appliqued on cerise velvet.

Dressmaker Look Used to Mark Individuality

Individnolity is one of tbe notable virtues of the new aeason frocks corefully softened at tha neckline by having one of the various dressmaker touches which proclaim them from the hands of a skilled seamatress. This is the desired impression in the successful dress of 1929, and one also evolved through complicated seamings or lines or some intricacy.

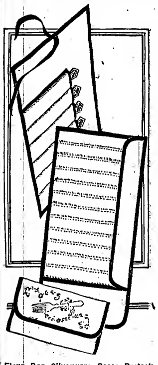
Empty Flour Bags Make Good Silverware Cases

Whether it's sterling or plated, good silverwsrs deserves good care, and this means being kept in proper coses to protect it agsinst scratching and tarnishing. Two proctical styles are sbown here.

In the first style, the back of the cnse is folded over the silver, the cuse is rolled and tied around with a piece of tape or ribbon stitched to one edge. For silver in ase three times a day, the cases may be fostened down flat to the drawer witb thumh tscks and the silver eosily slipped in and out.

The second hos o small flop covering the ware, and is then folded into three, with an outer flap thot is embroidered and closes with o snap fastener.

In either cose, the moterlols required are an empty flour bag, a small omonnt of conton flannel and a few yards of bias tape. Any baker will



Flour Bag Silverware Cases Protect Against Tarnishing.

sell yon the bag for a few cents if yen do not happen to have ony in the house that come with flour for home hsking. The stamping is removed hy covering the inked places witb lord or soaking tbem in kerosene for a few hours ond then washing in worm wnter. Javelle woter is olso used for this purpose.

In muking the folding case, nse the material in its noturol color and bind with some dark color tape, such os red or navy. The knife ond fork cases ore eoch 6 by 11 inches closcd, ond the spron case is 5¼ hy 7½ inches closed. The emhroidery is a combination of outline and lazy-daisy stitch. This should bc worked before the lining is pat in.

For the rolling case, try dyeing ths flonr hag some dark color, and bind with blus tspe to match. No embroidery is ueeded for this type of case although s row of feather stitching might he used with good effect.

Remember thot a small piece of comphor put in tbe drawer with tbe silver will prevent further tarnishing.

On Rearing Children from CRIB to COLLEGE

Compiled by the Editors of "CHILDREN, The Magazine for PARENTS"

Children often receive a stimulus to individnol gardening if a small hut supplementary model community plot is planned in a central part of the town. Groups of children under the direction of older people msy be delegated to take care of this gorden, planting it ond keeping out the weeds. In one town an alternating vigilonce committee of four children working for two hours a week kept the plot the shining example thot it should have been to the tourist and the stoy-at-home.

Madome Maria Montessori, world-fomous edncator, soys in the current issne of Children, the Mogozine for Porents, "The teocher must stond oside and not let the child notice his presence; he mast abdicota the permsnent snpervision which represses and oppresses the child. He must observe the child with the humility of trne reverence, refusing to assert his personality."

Iron is the distinctive mineral contribution mude hy the egg. One yolk contains about the same omount of this element as two-thirds cupful of fresh peos, one-fifth capful of steomed spinach, one and one-half cupfuls of diced carrots, one-eighth pound of lean heef or one nnd one-half ounces of liver. Many physicinns suggest giving egg yolks to little children.

There is a weoith of materiol at hand for every child—clay, cement, musical instruments, paints and colors of every kind, foods, textiles, hnilding materials, tools, chemicals, the world of animol nnd plont life—all wa need are the adults who will recognize the necessity for opening np these possibilities to little children if they sre to develop the hases for liking to work and live in an adult world.

Sandman Story About the Blossoms

"GREETINGS," cried Mistress Springtime, and as she spoke the air seemed to be just a little warmer, a little softer, a little fresher.

For when Mistress Springtime spoke it seemed to change the whole air about.

"Greetings," cried the buds and the early blossoms and the little tiny bits of green things which would before long be leaves.

"Greetings," called Mr. Sun from on high.

And Mr. Sun shone down upon Mistress Springtime and made everyone around say:

"What a delicious day! So sunny and warm and beautiful. Spring is really here."

And of course Spring really was. For Mistress Springtime had arrived.

She had arrived in all her glory. She was not wearing her best dress yet—she had a number of lovely dresses to wear, but she had worn her very pale, olive green traveling suit and a pale-green bonnet to match with a wreath about it of tiny spring flowers hidden under their leaves.

Mostly they were little violets and trailing arbutus flowers.

"I am going to talk to the fruit trees today," said Mistress Springtime. "I'm going to tell them about the spring styles in blossoms for fruit trees—the latest and newest spring styles."

"Will they be different this year?" asked the fruit trees, and their branches shivered a little in the breeze.

They were always just a trifle nervous that the styles might change, and they did love the old ones best.

That is, they liked to wear fresh, new copies of the old styles.

That was what they liked.

"Just the same," said Mistress Springtime. "Just the same but everything will be new.

"The pear trees will have lovely new blossom costumes—following the good old custom of what is most becoming to pear tree beauty.

"And the apple trees will have their new blossoms and the wild cherry

"Greetings," Cried the Buds and the Early Blossoms.

trees, the plum trees and the peach trees, too—all will wear their loveliest costumes. They will be their favorite costumes, but everything will be new.

"Years ago, when some one said:

"'Will the fashion in fruit blossoms ever change?' I said:

"'No, for we know what each fruit tree likes and what blossoms will be the most becoming.'

"Then, too, I said that we wanted to have friends and because we did not have faces which they could tell apart, they would at least be able to know all of the Apple Blossom family all of the Pear Blossom family, and all the Peach Blossom family, and all of the Wild Cherry Blossom family, and all of the Cultivated Cherry Blossom family, and all of the Plum Blossom family.

"So it is they know you, or if they do not know you some friend can introduce you.

"Some one, perhaps, will say:

"'What are those blossoms?'

"And another will answer:

"'Oh, don't you know? Those are Apple Blossoms.'

"So they are introduced.

"That is the way," the fruit trees said. "Ah! Mistress Springtime, we can hardly wait until you unpack."

Mistress Springtime laughed.

"I wonder if people know," she said, "that we call the ripening of the different fruits the Great Fruit Parade. Just as there is a procession of flowers right through the spring and summer, so is there the Great Fruit Parade of blossoms, and later of fruit."

The fruit trees around bent a little in the breeze, as though to answer "Yes" to what Mistress Springtime had said.

And then Mistress Springtime unpacked!

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THE ROAD OF OTHER MEN

By Douglas Malloch.

OH, WHAT road shall we travel, friend,
What highway shall we choose,
That has contentment at the end,
Whatever else we lose?
Well, I would say, it's not the high-road,
It's just a trail, it's just a byroad,
A road so rough, a path so lowly,
That those who travel travel slowly.

You'll try a dozen roads that wind,
And then the right road miss;
For all your life you'll never find
A better road than this:
A road that has some roses by it,
A cottage, not a castle, nigh it,
No stormy height, some vale or hollow
Where Christ is easiest to follow.

Oh, what road shall we journey then
The joy of life to see?
We'll walk the road of other men,
Of men like you and me—
Some fellows who are worth the knowing,
Going the same way we are going,
The happiest road in any weather
The road that mortals walk together.

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Making Small Cakes and Cookies

By NELLIE MAXWELL

THE small cake is so much liked for teas, luncheons and, some kinds for the children's parties, that the following may be found helpful in planning for various occasions:

Toasted Coconut Balls.

Take one-half cupful of shortening, one and one-half cupfuls of sugar, cream well. Sift two and one-half cupfuls of flour with two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, one-half teaspoonful of salt. Add to the creamed butter and sugar with one cupful of water very gradually. When well blended add the stiffly beaten whites of four eggs and a tablespoonful of lemon juice. Bake in small muffin pans in a moderate oven. When cool cover with a powdered sugar icing, holding the cakes on a toothpick or small skewer. Now roll in coconut and place on a baking sheet to brown under the broiler, turning until well browned all over. The following quick icing is used for the above cakes:

Quick Icing.

Take one and one-half cupfuls of sugar, one-half teaspoonful of cream of tartar, six tablespoonfuls of water and two egg whites. Put all the ingredients into a double boiler and have the water in the under part boiling. Beat until the mixture is fluffy. Remove from the heat and continue beating until cold.

Ice Box Cookies.

Take one cupful each of brown and white sugar, one and one-half cupfuls of softened shortening, one cupful of chopped nuts, three well beaten eggs, one teaspoonful of soda, one teaspoonful of cinnamon or other mixed spices, one-half teaspoonful of salt, sift thoroughly with five cupfuls of pastry flour and roll into small rolls. Place on ice over night. In the morning slice very thin and bake in a quick oven.

Celery Paste Salad.

Take equal parts of tart apple and hearts of celery and half the quantity of green or red sweet pepper and mince the whole finely. Make a paste combining chopped dates, raisins and cream cheese, or a bit of apple butter. Serve the short stalks of celery filled with this mixture.

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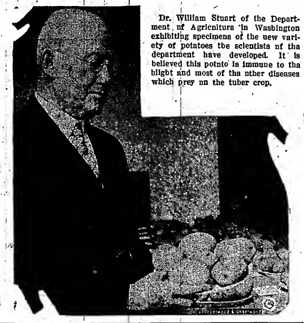
CHOICE LIQUORS FOR FOREIGN EMBASSIES

Many hundreds of cases of choice liquors for the foreign embassies in Washington were brought to Baltimore and transported to the capital unmolested by the prohibition officers, who merely protected it from hi-jackers. The photograph shows the British embassy's supply being unloaded.

DEVELOP POTATO IMMUNE TO DISEASES



Dr. William Stuart of the Department of Agriculture in Washington exhibiting specimens of the new variety of potatoes the scientists of the department have developed. It is believed this potato is immune to the blight and most of the other diseases which prey on the tuber crop.

Heaven Another Name for Happiness

By F. A. WALKER

CONSIDERABLE newspaper space was recently given to a description of heaven furnished by a college professor who during an automobile wreck, in which his wife was killed, believed that he saw the celestial city and conversed with a white-haired and long-bearded man whom he took to be Saint Peter.

There has been considerable discussion by specialists in mental conditions and students of psychology as to what caused the professor to so sincerely believe that he had viewed the locality of post-mortem existence.

The majority conclusion seems to be that the professor as a result of the accident lost consciousness, but that just before his powers of reason lapsed he was impressed with the thought that his wife had been mortally injured and that in that mysterious part of his mind, which goes on working after voluntary thought has ceased, the doctor constructed, to the point of what seemed reality to him, the golden city which he later fully described.

The professor is not the first to have visited heaven and to have furnished a description of what he saw.

Mahomet wrote of seven different heavens which he visited, mounting to their heights on his steed, Al Borak, furnished him by Gabriel. This animal has the face of a man, the wings of an eagle and the body of a horse, with cloven hoofs, and he spoke high-class Arabic.

The territories visited by Mahomet comprised seven areas and he saw beings there with faces so large that it was a day's journey from one eye to the other. He heard choruses of music participated in by millions of voices and the distances which he traveled were quite beyond comprehension.

You will say that such a story is foolish, but there are 227,000,000 followers of Mahomet who believe all that he wrote and that he really saw all that he says he saw.

Confucius, whose followers number more than 300,000,000, left for his believers no very definite idea of the hereafter or where or how it would be spent.

Christians who number about 600,000,000 accept the Book of Revelation and the vision of St. John as the only definite description of what heaven is to be like.

But is heaven, after all, a place?

Are not the pearly gates and the golden streets of St. John and the vast expanses of Mahomet only symbols intended to express the satisfaction of spiritual aspiration in terms of material things and glories?

Would we after all find great satisfaction in forever walking on precious metal or viewing a continuous exposition of flashing jewels?

Is not the surest heaven after all in our hearts?

There are moments in the life of every man and woman when the soul knows ecstasies to which there is no limit, happiness which is without bounds. Could there be a more real heaven than those moments provide?

And if the afterlife can be filled with such delights do we need to have it embellished with trappings of gold and silver or decorated other than with the sweet and good thoughts which have made even this side of the grave seem for a moment like Elysium?

Is not heaven after all only another name for happiness?

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GABBY GERTIE

"Her baring may be worn way down but her cash will not pay all the bills."

SAWS FOR GOOSE AND GANDER

By Viola Brothers Shore.

FOR THE GOOSE—

WHAT a simple world this would be without gestures; and how colorless.

No matter how much you love your sister, you can't help bein' happier the day you get your proposal than the day she gets hers.

If women was runnin' the country it'd be every woman for herself and men for us all.

FOR THE GANDER—

The woman that can be won with a Rolls-Royce can be lost with a yacht.

If you really want to know a lot about a woman, get her to write you a letter.

You get more credit handin' back an old glove with a smile than givin' away ten dollars with a long face.

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The Reward for Creating New Ideas

By LEONARD A. BARRETT

BIOGRAPHY contains no more pathetic chapters than those which record the defeated purposes and unrewarded skill of creative genius. The life story of the late David D. Buick is no exception to the almost general rule that the ability to create a great idea is no guarantee of a life of pecuniary ease. Very early in the automobile industry David Buick toiled at the plumbing trade. It was while thus engaged he worked out his idea of an automobile engine which later became the engine of the automobile which now carries his name. In the reorganization of interests, through which his car was being developed, Mr. Buick was given a block of stock which, had he held it, would have made him financially independent. But, fate seemed to lead him to further ventures which required cash capital, so the stock was sold for $100 a share which at the present time is worth 60 times that amount. The adventure proved a failure; and the founder of the Buick car died penniless, while cars which bore his name were furnishing pleasure to many, and making millions of dollars for invested interests.

Seldom is an inventor rewarded for his invention. Why? Is it fate? Not so much that, as it may be that the genius which creates something knows little or nothing about business management. If every successful inventor could have had a business manager, biography might record fewer tragedies like that which came to David Buick.

There is, however, another side to the picture. The car bearing the name of this inventor still rolls on and will doubtless continue to do so for many years to come. Is there not an unconquerable satisfaction in having imparted to the world something really worth while? While ideas like ideals may not bring expected rewards in terms of financial gain, they do bring a satisfaction for having accomplished a very definite result. Something like this must have come to David Buick; for those who knew him best testified that no word of complaint, criticism or regret ever passed his lips; that his life was calmly and quietly lived. He had a merry twinkle in his eye and a cheery greeting for all his friends. Some sustaining power must have been responsible—The realization of the Conquest of an Idea—perhaps is what should be sold.

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Origin Lost in Antiquity

The martial air for song, "The Campbells Are Coming" is described as being very old. Music authorities say that this piece is simply regarded as an old Scotch folk song, and no one knows the origin of the music, so far as authorship is concerned.

Cop Goes to Cell in Girl's Place

Pittsburgh.—Patrolman Fahart Saba wasn't quite clear as to just what law was being violated when a young girl resisted his wooing, but he was sure it either was against "the law or ought to have been." So when Miss Katherine Certich rebuffed him after the two returned from an automobile trip he arrested her.

He took her to the North Side police station and then encountered an obstacle. Saba never had heard of the crime "lese majeste" and wasn't sure if it was on the statute books, even if he had heard of it. He took his problem to Captain Block in order to find out with just what crime the girl should be charged. Captain Block listened to the patrolman, he listened to the girl and then he ordered the cop locked up. Saba was fined $10.

"RED" CAGLE FINDS HE'S ONLY CADET

Football Star Must Pay for Breaking Rules.

West Point, N. Y.—Back of the grim gray quadrangle in West Point Christian K. ("Red") Cagle, the army's great all-American halfback and the cadet corps' hero, must do a dreary penance with the nimble feet that won him fame. Every Wednesday and Saturday he must march, strictly at attention, until he has hammered out his penalty on the hard gravel for 22 hours.

He does it on his own time and he does not complain, although it bars him from track competition this year. All his extra and precious minutes must be spent marching up and down a 100-yard stretch of gravel, because he broke the inflexible regulations of West Point.

The captain of next fall's Army football team owes his dilemma to missing a boat at Hoboken. He was supposed to catch it. It was a breach of discipline. In the eyes of the West Point faculty, there is no "Red" Cagle, meteoric football star. There is only Cadet Cagle, second classman, Second battalion.

As he strides, hour after hour, executing a snappy "to the rear march!" at each end of the 100-yard stretch, his bearing is a little proud, for he is proving that he is fit to be an officer and a gentleman, as he will become by act of congress when he is graduated. He is proving that a potential officer of the United States army can accept harsh discipline as unflinchingly, as later he may pass it out.

"Red's" offense was comparatively trivial, if any offense can be so regarded in West Point. Cagle came to New York city recently with a party of cadets on an educational trip. This particular mission was a visit to the Museum of Natural History. The cadets on the party were dismissed late in the afternoon. They were granted their freedom until 11:45 p. m., when they were to board the 11:45 p. m. Weehawken ferry for transport to Jersey in time to catch the midnight train for West Point.

What the dashing football star did with his liberty is not known. But it seems that he left himself too little time to reach the ferry.

Refused Divorce, Man Kills Sweetheart, Self

Columbus, Ohio.—E. E. Welsh chose death for himself and his young sweetheart rather than continue the four-year illicit love affair which he believed never would be legalized.

Welsh's body and that of his stenographer sweetheart, Eleanor Porter, were found in his motor car near New Albany.

On her finger—the engagement finger—was a cameo ring he had given her. In another box in his pocket was a gold wedding band, which he could not legally give to the girl because he already was married and his wife refused to divorce him.

Welsh, forty-three, was auditor and secretary of the Gwinn Milling company. He had a fifteen-year-old daughter and up to four years ago the family had appeared happy.

Several months ago Welsh and his wife separated.

A farmer discovered the two bodies in Welsh's motor car. Coroner Joseph Murphy said there was no question that Welsh had killed the girl and then committed suicide.

Bandit Kills Victim; Car Driven by Woman

Chicago.—A bandit with a blond woman chauffeur stepped out of a sedan on the South side and aimed a sawed-off shotgun at Harry Winters and Arthur Leland as they drew up in another car with a payroll for the H. E. Robinson Roofing company. Winters made a move as though to resist and the bandit killed him. He then took $780 away from Leland and re-entered the sedan, which sped away.

May Try Plane Next

Bournemouth, England.—Mrs. Julia Hames, a grandmother, has celebrated her ninetieth birthday anniversary by learning to drive an automobile. She learned to ride a bicycle when she was sixty-two.

COAL

Place your orders now for hard coal, soft coal and briquettes. We have a supply on hand and can deliver it at once while the weather is good.

Don't wait until the last minute in hope there will be no winter. We will guarantee there will be one.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Cities Service Oils And Gasoline Including

KOOLMOTOR

Young's Service Station, handling a full line of Cities Service oils, grease and gasoline, is now open and serving the public of St. Hilaire and vicinity.

Next time your gas tank needs refilling, try **KOOLMOTOR**, the original high-test, anti-knock green gas, and note the improvement in performance of your motor. Once tried, always used.

Cities Service Oil Co.

25 Years Ago

Higbie and Lang opened their new bowling alleys that week.

—XXV—

The sale of Reservation lands which was started at Thief River in June that year, was resumed at Crookston that week.

—XXV—

The First State Bank of Plummer with Henry Enderle as cashier, was to open for busines the following week.

—XXV—

Emil Brink of Crookston, was appointed manager of the Minneapolis Brewing Company branch at Cass Lake.

—XXV—

Bray postoffice was discontinued by the postoffice department as that territory was being served by the rural route from Wylie.

—XXV—

The Great Northern was planning an extension of its line from Red Lake Falls to connect with the Duluth line at Tilden Junction.

—XXV—

J. P. Glemaker of Grand Forks rented the Arthur building and was put in a stock of general merchandise here.

John Coolidge Marries Miss Trumbull.

Plainville, Conn.—Florence Trumbull, dangbter of Gov. Trumbull, of Connecticnt, became the bride of John Coolidge, son of former president Coolidge, in a brief simple ceremony here. The ceremony was attended by senators and simple home folks. Two ministers assisted in performing the wedding ceremonies. It is believed that tbe young couple's honeymoon plans embrace a tour of New England. Half of the Connecticnt police force was necessary to direct the traffic. Ex-President Coolidge gave the couple $50,000 while Mrs. Coolidge gave them money and furniture to help set np their home.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

Estate Of Gilbert Sandum, Decedent

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Gilbert Sandum, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Beatrice Sandum, It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Tuesday the 1st day of April, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and in the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator as provided by law and by mailed notice as provided by the rules of this court.

Dated September 28th. 1929.

Lars Backe
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
O-3-17

Twenty Dead In Fire.

Detroit, Mich.—Final check np of the disastrous night clnb fire and riot here showed a casualty of twenty burned to death or suffocated and forty-six injured in the Study Clnb, a cabaret on the east Venor higbway, ane one of the bright sports in the night life of Detroit. Ten men and eight women made np the death list. The injured are being cared for in a half a dozen hospitals. Six separate investigations are under way by state and city departments, bnt the cause of the fire that started the riot still is undetermined.

LOCALS

Mrs. Mary Sherva and granddaughter, Grace Calsness, spent last weekend visiting relatives at Hazel.

Detlef Dau, Sr., of Germantown, visited this week at the Mrs. Chr. Bothmann and Chr. Kruse homes.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Olson are the parents of a daughter born Monday at the hospital at Thief River.

Clifford Lindquist left Monday for Crookston to enter the Northwest school of Agriculture for his senior year.

Paul Thyren, who sells cedar fence posts in carlots, will have a carload on the track here soon. Anyone wanting posts for fall or spring delivery can see class of stock when this car comes.

For the hunting trip--New tires for the car--Winchester or Gamble's shells for ducks--New low prices on tires-Shells 71c and up. Gamble Thief River Falls

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Seibel of Elgin, N. D., is here for a short visit at home of his uncle, Fred Ulrich, and with other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maakrud motored Friday to Bemidji where they visited until Sunday with their daughters, Mrs. Clayton LaCore and Evelyn Maakrud, the latter attending school there.

Summer brightness in the home thru the long winter--Gamble's guaranteed inside house paints--Simi Gloss $2.65 Flat Wall $1.94 per gal. Gamble Stores.

The Dorcas Society of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained by Mesdames Arne Vik and John Maakrud at the church parlors Saturday afternoon.

School Proceedings

Regular meeting of directors of Ind School Dist. 102 held September 24th, 1929.

All members present except Brink and Larson.

The minutes of last regular meeting approved as read.

On motion made and carried the following bills were allowed:

Red River Power Co. Lights and Power	$ 26.43
Bergh Hardware Co.	9.63
Alice Skottem and Valerie Olsen-Patching Books	6.00
M. Highland-Frieght and Dray-age	8.41
St. Hilaire Telephone Ex. To 6-1-29	13.45
Postmaster-Stamped Envelopes	5.62
National Surety Co-Treas. Bond	25.00
Northwestern Trust Co-Interest Bonds	1500.00
Echo V. Burkee-Taking school census	2.22
Northwestern Blaugas Co	4.45
St. Paul Book and Stationery Co-9-16-29	10.50
Educational Test Bureau-8-30-29	1.80
Millar-Davis Co-Bill 7-28 and 8-15	11.15
The Macmillan Co.Bills 9-11 and 8-15	36.08
Thief River Falls Times-Gummed cloth	2.00
Scott-Forseman & Co- Bills 8-15 and 9-9-29	78.30
American Book Co--Books 9-3-29	19.34
Ginn and Co.-Books 9-16-29	17.23
Allyn and Bacon 9-18-29	7.60
Chas. Scribner & Son-Balance account	3.05
Northern School Supply Co. Bill 8-22-29	21.65
Colborn School Supply Co. Supplies 8-29-29	53.50
Beckley-Cardy Co-Supplies	21.20

On motion duly made and carried the bond of Richard Larson as treasurer was approved.

E. O. Burkee
Clerk.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, }
County of Pennington } ss.
State of Minnesota }

TO Anna Isrealson.

You are hereby notified that the following pieces, or parcels of land situated in the county of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Lots 13 and 14 in Bothun's Addition to the Townsite of Fairfield an Addition to the Original Townsite of Thief River Falls.

That on the 10th day of May, A. D. 1926 at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 18th day of March, A. D. 1926 in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year A. D. 1924 for said County of Pennington the above described piece or parcel of land was sold for the sum of Nine and 86|100 Dollars.

That the certificate of sale for said piece or parcel of land executed and delivered by said County Auditor upon said sale last above mentioned has been presented to me at my office by the holder thereof for the purpose of having notice of expiration of time for redemption from said tax sale of said property given and served; and that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon said notice, is the sum of $9.86|100, together with interest thereon at the rate of twelve per cent per annum from the 10th day of May A. D. 1926 until the day such redemption is made.

And the further sum of $9.50, being the amount of the delinquent taxes for the year 1925, upon said premises paid by the owner of said tax certificate together with interest on said last named amount at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the 31st day of March A. D. 1927 until the day such redemption is made.

And the further sum of $9.82, being the amount of the delinquent taxes for the year 1926 upon said premises paid by the owner of said tax certificate together with interest on said last named amount at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from the 16th day of May A. D. 1928 until the day such redemption is made.

That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after service of this notice and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office this 17th day of August, A. D. 1929.
(Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota
(S-19-O-3)

P. T. A. Notice

An invitaion is extended to every man and woman in this community to become members of the Parent-Teachers Association of St. Hilaire. Meetings are for all grown-ups, whether married or single, who are interested in children's welfare. A ruling excludes children unless specially invited, EXCEPT small children whose parents find it inconvenient to leave them at home.

Next meeting will be Friday evening, October 4th at 8:15 P. M. Come and spend a social time with your neighbors.

The program committee promises much fun and laughter, and that you will feel ten years younger when you leave. Be sure to be present Oct. 4th.

Mrs. O. Gunstad,
Chairman.

Shearer Hired by 3 Ship Firms.

Wasbington—A senate investigating committee was told by Clinton L. Bardo, president of tbe New York Shipbuilding Corporation, that three American shipbuilding concerns entered into a verbal agreement to send William B. Sbearer, naval propagandist, to the 1927 Geneva naval limitatious conference as an "observer." Bardo, the first wisness, said an agreement was entered into in New York in March, 1927. It provided that Shearer was to go to Geneva an "an observer and report proceedings and the trend of events and give such information as was not in the newspapers which would be of interest to the ehipbnilding companies." For this service he was to receive $25,000.

Crashss at Auto Races Injure 15.

Mineola, L. I.—Fifteen persons were injured, five of them seriously in two antomobile accidents here in the annual races at the Mineola fair. The first accident occurred when a racing car driven by James Gleason of Philadelphia was attempting to pass another driven by Villy Arnold of Indianapolis. The two machines were almost even at a curve when Gleason's car went ont of control, swerved and struck the bales of hay at the turn. Physicians say his injuries probably will prove fatal. The second accident occurred when another car driven by Gordon Condon plunged through the fence at a turn and plowed through tha crowd of spectators at the side of the track

Direct Airline Plannsd.

San Francisco—Plans for a direct tarnscontinental air service between San Francisco and the east, independent of rail connections, and construction of a $1,000,000 airport and factory at Burbank, is announced here.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated July 2nd, 1927, executed by Carl Edwin Crown and Fred D. Lorentson as guardian for Carrie Crown, incompetent, wife of said Carl Edwin Crown, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on July 12th, 1927, at eleven o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 356 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $78.13 each, due on January 2nd, 1929, and July 2nd, 1929, respectively; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,447.98, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon since July 2nd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $156.26, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $78.13 thereof since January 2nd, 1929, and on $78.13 thereof since July 2nd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, and the sum of $12.60, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since May 3rd, 1929, in all the sum of $2,641.56, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed, and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-five (45) West, subject to a conveyance for school purposes shown of record in Book "8" of Deeds, page 271, containing 159 acres, more or less, according to Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 11th day of October, 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 28th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
G. A. Youngquist, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (A-29—O-3)

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Foreign Will.

Estate Of John R. Fate, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of John R. Fate, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Neva P. Fate, Mayme H. Fate, Lena Fate, C. Ivan Fate, Grace Fate, Francis A. Fate, Marian Louise Fate, Wilbur George Fate and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent.

The petition of C. Ivan Fate, representing that John R. Fate then a resident of the County of Peoria, State of Illinois died on the 23rd day of October, 1927, testate and that his will has been allowed and admitted to probate in the Probate Court in and for the County of Peoria, State of Illinois, being filed in this court, together with authenticated copies of said will and of the probate thereof in the court above named, and praying that said Will be admitted to probate in this State, and that letters testamentary be tiereon granted to him.

NOW, THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of October, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS The Honorable Lars Backe, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 25th day of September, 1929.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate Court

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H. O. Chommie
Attorneys fnr Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday, Oct. 6
Sunday school 10:00.
Morning Services 11:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services in Clara church at 10:30 A. M.

The Womens' Missionery Society of Black River will have a "fest" at that church Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Lunch will be served. Rev. Aner Bloom of Thief River Falls will speak.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, October. 6th.
Services as follows:-
Oakridge at 11:00 A. M.

The harvest offering will be taken, this to cover the budget apportionment. Remember the prophet said " Bring the whole offering, that the Storehouse of the Lord may be filled"

St. Hilaire, services at 8:00 P. M. in American language.

All are welcome.

State Auditor Ray P. Chase announced this week that the state tax levy for 1929 would be 6.43 mills, the lowest it has been in any odd numbered year since 1921. The levy will slightly higher than last year. Invariably, after a legislative session the levy increases to raise money to meet appropriations made by the Legislature.

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G. Austad Called

Gronde Austad, prominent Mayfield farmer, died Oct. 4th at the University Hosital at Minneapolis after an illness of two years. He was born in Norway, Sept, 14, 1863 and was 66 years of age. He was a graduate ot the normal school at Christiansand, and also of the military academy in tbat city.

He came this country in 1882, settling at Fisher where he taught parochial school for five years. He returned to Norway in 1887 and remained there until 1896. He married in 1897 and took a homestead at Wanke. After a few years residence there, he and family moved into Mayfield township where he operated a store, and the Malone post-office, until 1907.

Mr. Austad held different township offices; and was one of the organizers of Ebenezer Lutheran congregation.

Deceased is survived by his widow and seven children, the latter being Mrs. O. Myrum, Mrs. H. Cousins, Anna and Engeborg Austad, Danial, of Great Falls, Mont., Ole and Gunder Austad, who reside at home. He is also survived by a brother and sister in Norway.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon from Ebenezer church Rev. M. Dahle of this village, officiated, and was assisted by Rev. Lerohl of Oklee, former pastor at Ebenezer. About 400 people from a dozen or more different towns in this section, were present at the funeral to pay their last respects to the deceased who was well known all over this section.

Ben Lardy, who farms near Gouveneur, Sask, Canada., came down Friday for a visit with relatives. His wife and son came a few weeks ago and are visiting at home of her mother, Mrs. Sam Thompson.

Rev. H. P. Johnson of Portland, Oregon., a former resident of this place, is at Minneapolis this week, and will be here latter part of the week for a visit with his father, Nels Johnson, and at home of his brother, J. Edw. Johnson. He will conduct services in the home church at Black River both morning and afternoon next Sunday.

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Missing Man A Suicide

The body of Alfred Backstrom, 22 year old bookkeeper at a Thief River Falls bakery, who disappeared in that city September 20th, was found Monday by a nurse at the Oakland Park Sanatorium in a patch of brush along the Red Lake river south of that city. A pistol with one shell fired was found under the body. Circumstances indicate the young man committed suicide and verdict of the corners jury was to that effect. No reason can be found for the young man taking his own life. His home was at Alverado near Warren.

P. T. A. Met Friday

Regular monthly meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association was held at the school building Friday evening. First part of the evening was given over to the business session after which all adjourned to the school gym where entertainment was given. Lunch consisting of pumpkin pie with whipped cream, and coffee was served at close of the program.

N. M. E. A. Next Week

The Northern Minnesota Educational Association convenes in annual session at Thief River Falls next week, Oct. 16-18. Opening meeting will be held Wednesday evening at 7:45. Teachers from all over this section will be present, and schools will be closed both Thursday and Friday. A number of well known speakers, some of the nationally known, are on the program for this year's meeting.

To Let Paving Contract

As announced earlier in the season, the State Highway department has decided to pave next year, sixteen miles on T. H. No. 8 from Crookston east to the junction with T. H. No. 32 at Marcoux station. Bids will be opened on this project as well as on 120 miles of other paving in different parts of the state, on October 29th.

Sunday dinner guests at the Richard Larson home were: Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Berg and daughter Clara and son Glyndon from Crookston, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sandberg and son Bobbie and Mrs. E. Anderson from Holt.

The World Series

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mrs. Mary Sherva and granddaughter, visited relatives at Hazel last week-end.

Mrs. Ora Vandergrift and daughter, and Mrs. Fred Staley of Huron, S. D., arrived Monday for a visit at the Harlan Winters home.

Rev. and Mrs. M. Dahle and family motored Saturday to Drayton to be present at the funeral of a former neighbor and old friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rux of Grand Forks spent last week-end here with relatives and friends.

Paul Roy and Frank Johnson motored last week to Fosston and visited with Joe Hauge and family.

Henry Olsen installed a new Atwater Kent radio set at the Martin Mathson farm home, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Dahlstrom and baby daughter, of Grand Forks spent last week-end with her brothers at their farm east of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Miller, accompanied by her mother and sister, of Milwaukee, were guests here Sunday at the Robert Helmkay home.

Ole Anderson motored Saturday with Pete Johnson of the Crookston Granit Company, to Crookston for a week-end visit with relatives.

Mrs. J. D. Turner and sons, Jack and Lyle, and Mabel Hagness of Grand Forks, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rob't Helmkay.

Lawrence Wilson and family motored down Sunday from Warren and spent the day at the George Wilson home.

Rev. W. Erickson of Hallock, and Rev. Dahlgren of Lancaster, were guests at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson from Tuesday until Wednesday.

Mrs. Geo. Wiese and son, Lawrence, and Geo. Griffner of Maulen, Neb., came Thursday for a visit with Mrs. Wiese' sister, Mrs. Chr. Bothmann. They returned home Tuesday.

W. M. Young came over first of the week from Orrin, N. D., for a short visit at the homes of his son and daughter, Raymond Young and Mrs. Chas. Huff.

Sam Mygland, Chas. Young, Han and Lawrence Harder left Monday for Hibbing where they will be employed.

Mrs. A. J. Larson returned home yesterday after spending several days with relatives and friends at Crookston.

Mesdames E. D. Jensen, M. H. Jackson and O. Gunstad attended a meeting of the Women's Club at Thief River on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arne Vik, daughters, Anna and Helga, and son, Lars, motored Sunday to Winnipeg to view sights in the Dominion city. They returned Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter motored over to Grand Forks Tuesday afternoon for a visit with relatives, returning that evening.

Myles Olson returned Sunday from Drayton, N. D., where he has been employed during the fall months.

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N. E. Beebe, who has been a patient at the hospital at Thief River for two weeks since suffering a fractured leg, was able to return home last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jackson motored here last Thursday from St. Paul for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson, and at home of his brother, Myles Jackson.

Ed Durbin and son Verle, motored here Sunday from Hibbing to look after business matters at the local shop. Mr. Durbin is enjoying a good run of business at Hibbing where he opened a branch shop about a month ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carpenter motored up from Isle, Minn., for a visit at home of their son, Leo, and to look after matters in connection with their farm property southeast of the village.

Max and George Wilson, who are employed at Plainview, Minn., motored up Thursday evening for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wilson. They returned to Plainview this week.

Lower Electric Rates

Rate reductions amounting to estimated savings of $1,250,000 annually to the people of the Central Northwest are to be made soon by the Northern States Power Company.

This follows reductions aggregating $1,215,000 made during the past 21 months, and is the largest and most sweeping cut in the price of electric light and power ever made by the Company.

Three-fourths of the present reduction will go to the 400 cities, towns and villages served by the Company outside the Twin Cities, in most of which all classes of customers--residential, commercial and power--will benefit. In Minneapolis and Saint Paul, which received the big end of the 1928 reduction, residential rates will not be reduced, but rates for commercial lighting and small power will be cut substantially.

The new schedules, to apply on bills rendered after December 1, are possible owing to increased operating efficiency on the part of the Company and increased use of the service by customers.

Electric light and power users may expect further reductions in the future as the present cut is but one step in the general rate reduction and business building policy of the Company.

H. S. Parties Next Week

The second of a series of parties for the high school pupils, which parties are sponsered by the Parent-Teachers Association, will be given Tuesday evening next week. The Freshman class will be entertained at Bilden's the Sophomores at John Gunstad's, the Juniors at A. V. Jacobson's, and the Seniors at the Gigstad home. Change of day is made because the teaching staff will be in attendance at the N. M. E. A. meeting on the usual day set for the parties.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Hanson and family of Red Lake Falls and Mrs. Wilcox of Norecross were Sunday dinner guests at the Dalager home.

The Hanson and Dalager families were both at Herman, Minn., before coming here.

Ole Larson, well known Sanders dairyman, was taken ill again last week and for a time his condition was serious. Mr. Larson has suffered spells of illness several times the past year. He is reported to be somewhat improved at this time.

Collides With Train

Andrew Erickson, well known Black River farmer, suffered a broken collar bone and cuts about the head Monday forenoon when his auto collided with the northbound passenger train on the state road crossing north of town. Mr. Erickson was coming in with his cream, and it is thought side curtains on his car obscured his vision and prevented his seeing the train until too late to avoid the collision. The auto struck toward rear end of the back coach as it was about to clear the crossing.

Mr. Erickson was taken aboard the train and was taken to the hospital at Thief River for surgical treatment. Both front wheels of the car were broken, and it was considerably damaged otherwise, Mr. Erickson being thrown out thru one side. From appearance of the car after the accident, it would appear the occupant was fortunate in not suffering greater injury than he did.

Turkey Raisers Organize

A number of turkey raisers in this vicinity have for med a little protective orginization, and it is expected all raisers will join, to protect themselves against thieves who prey on flocks at this time of the year. Altho forbidden by law, at least four places have equipped with set guns, others are relying upon shotguns loaded with buckshot to keep sneak thieves at a safe distance. A reward of $25.00 is be ing offered in the county for apprehension of turkey thieves.

Motorists traveling late at night should be careful not to drive into farm yards for any purpose least they be mistaken for turkey thieves aud treated accordingly.

Motor To Dakota

John Gunstad and family, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Johnson and daughter, Mrs. A. Gunstad, Mrs. K. Enger. Chr. Molstad, Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad, Miss Lilly Gunstad and Frank Peterson motored Sunday morning to Cummings, N. D., and spent the day there with relatives. They returned Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Claus Westberg and daughters, Meda and Lorna, Misses Huldah Gigstad and Sophia Johnson, all of Moorhead, motored here Saturday for a week-end visit at the Gigstad home.

Looking Into The Future

The creamery, which has been brot up to its present state during the past twenty seven years, has by no means reached its capacity, nor is dairying overdone in this territory. It is safe to say that a gain of one thousand percent over present output, could be made without additional territory being added to this field. Not only is this possible but indications are that it will come to pass. Testing of cows, and intensive dairying will do it. By the way, have you bought a share in this growing local enterprise?

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MINNESOTA NEWS

Granite Falls—Work on the new $2,000,000 hridge being huilt here in tha city limits has hegun.

Stillwater — Funeral services for John Ogren, retired lumherman wera condncted at the family bome here.

Internatinnal Falls—Forest fires which have devastated large tracts nf timher have heen hronght nnder cnntrol.

Prescntt—Linas Witthecker nf St. Paul will direct a school band here with grade and high echool etudents as members.

Wells—The Wells council, Knights Knights of Columhas, elected Andrew Schultz grand knight at its annual meeting bere.

Eveleth—Fonr persons were asphyxiated end a fifth is in serioas condition from escaping gas in a summer cottage et Evelsth leke.

Red Wing—Two of Red Wing'e oldest pioneere, H. P. McIntire, 85, and Mra. T. K. Simmons, 92, died here within 12 hours of each other.

Hastings—Mrs. Lydia Bleck of Cottage Grove, 81 years old, died here. Mrs. Bleok was horn in England and lived in Cottage Grove more than 50 years.

Madisnn—L. S. Sjoiseth bas resigned his poeltion as treasurer of Lac qui Perle county. Sjoiseth'e accounts were recently charged to ehow a ehortege of $5,000.

Little Falls—Rev. P. J. Bockoven, who came here in 1923 from Ortonville, will leave next month for Great Bend, Ken., where be bas accepted a Congregetional pastorate.

Wabasha—Ninety-five rural teachers from Webasha county were here for the annael county inetitnte. Miss Fern Kennedy of the etate department of edncation was instrnctor.

Owatnnna—Miss Edythe Merchant ie the new preeident of the Owatonna Dramatic Ciah. Other officers are: Viceprssident, Walter T. Bruzk; secretary, Miss Lucille Kiley; treasurer, Mise Ade Nelson.

Le Sueur—Del Mais day, a yearly commnnity celebration was held and wae a big eaccees. Sponsoring the event wae the Le Sueur Commercial Clah, with the Minnesota Valley Canning Company co-operating.

St. Peter—C. E. Spostrand, treasurer of Guetavus Adolphus Collage bere, will remain in that capacity. He hae declined a call ta hecome executive secretary of the Lutheran hrotherhood of the Augustana synod.

Stillwater—Organization of a "buying pool" for farmers of this section was plenned at a meeting held here. It is planned to pool orders for flour, feed, fencing and other articles and to huy them at wholesale or dealers' rates.

St. Paul—General Welter F. Rhinow, superlatendent of the Minneeota hureau of criminel epprebension, announcee his department is prapared to co-operate with the netional crime reporting system heing organized in Washington.

Minneapnlis—Thirty minieters and delegetes from seven states met at Bloomington Temple here, for the annuel meeting of the Western Evangelical Churcb Associetion. R. Berntsen, Honston, Miun., president of the essociation, presided.

Ada—The hoard of county commissioners rejected the application of the Normen County Farm Bureau for an eppropriation of $2,000 to continue county agent work. J. J. McCann, county egent two years, has hecome school instructor at Gilhert.

Albert Lea—Rev. I. Fredmund has reeigned as pastor of Calvary Baptist churcb, effective Novemher 1. He will become snperintendent of missionary work in Cnnede for tbe Danish Baptist general conference of America. Calgery will hs bis heedquarters.

Hastings—With the pouring of the iest concrete in lock walls of the government dem, the lock is ready for installation of steel gates. Prediction that the dam would be ready hefora Jan. 1, 1931, was made todey by W. D. Feirchild, engineer in charge of the conetruction.

Alexandria—At the annnel election of local American poet, H. H. Kramer was elected commander for tbe ensuing year. Other officers are J. E. Mode, A. W. Peteraon, A. C. Schneiderhan, C. F. Hanson, M. T. Tollefson, Dr. L. W. Lyons, A. M. Oeborne and Guy T. Preston.

St. Paul—The Rnral Credit Burean is in no way involved in the farm credit situation in Koochiching county, the credit bureau having an interest in only two farms in the connty.

Blnoming Prairie—Mrs. Sam Rask of this village has been chosen president of the Minnesota Federation of Women'e clabe.

St. Paul—The Junior Livestock show will he held here November 11 to 14. The sbow, which will he held at the barns and pavilion at the South St. Paul yards, will sponsor contests of 4-H cluh work in the fattening and marketing of haby heeves, market hogs and fat lamhs and poultry. The annual dinner will he held at the St. Paul ohtel Octoher 14th.

Two Harbnrs—Constructjan of a new hridge over the Pigeon river an trunk highway No. 1 at the Canadian horder is expected by the state highway departmant and the province of Ontario. A survey af sites is being made.

St. Paul—The Minnesata supreme court today upheld for the second time a law empowering the state to create the 660,000-acre Red Lake game preserve and wild life reguse. On the hasis of this decision, the state will immediately begin paying off delinquent ditcb bonds in St. Louis, Koochiching and Lake of the Woods counties.

Test of Her Character

By ADELAIDE D. HUFF

(Copyright.)

"JUST to think," Constance Mason whispered in Paul's ear, "just to think that eix weeks ago we had never even seen each other, and now . . ."

Paul Forestor's arm tightened around the girl and he kissed her soft brown hair gently.

"It was the megic of the sea," he said, "and we were both in holiday mood. When people go vacationing . . ."

"Aren't you glad?" asked Constance, looking up quickly and trying to ecan his features in the soft moonlight. "Don't ynn helleve you'd have l-loved me wherever you had met me? Did it take the sea and holiday?"

"Hush, dear," he said almost irritably.

For the twentieth time in their short acqaaintance Constance wisbed that ehe did uot love him. He was eo moody and eo difficult to underetand and always he eeemed to be afraid of love, suspicions of her sincerity or eomething. What was it? she woadered, nneasily.

"Do you really love me?" he asked after a moment. "Would yon etick ta me throagh thick and thin—no matter what you beard aboat me?"

"Forever," the girl answered solemaly, but Forestor continued:

"What would you advise a man to do who had m-married the wrong woman?"

"You—married" she exclaimed, her voice breaking on a eob, as she wrenched berself away from him.

"Coastance, don't," ha pleaded. catching her by the wrist. "Yoa must hear me. Sappoee the man hed never loved that woman. What then?"

"Any children?" ebe asked after a momeat in a tone quite devoid of emotion.

"One," be answered, dully.

"I'd tell him to go back and do his daty; if there had been no child I ehould have said the same thing, bat since there is I eay it with ten timea the emphasis. Goodhy, Paul. Let me go, please."

She freed herself and ran swiftly into the bouse, slamming the door behind ber.

Late that night the doorbell rang and a messenger broaght a special delivery from Forestor.

"Take it away. I don't want to eee it," ehe told ber astonished mother.

"Why, Constance, what'e happened?" Mrs. Maeon exclaimed in enrprise. "I thoaght you and Paul were out somewhere and now here I find you—"

"If you love me, mother, do go awny," the girl pleaded, her voice hreaking.

"I will if you'll promise to read that letter," sha said.

With a jerk of impatience Coastance took the envelope in her hands and ripped it open as Mrs. Mason quietly ieft the room. Only her eense of honor made the girl unfold the pages and glance at them.

"My own precions girl" (it began).

"It was a borrihle test, bat I had to do it, to satisfy myeelf that you were really true and eplendid. But Constance, I am not married and never have been. It was my fool, idiotic wey of testing yonr charncter. I've heea caught once, and I've heen afraid of everyone eince then.

"When I was twenty-five I met a girl in the Adirondacka whom I loved deeperately and it was not until nfter we were eagaged that ehe told me thet ehe wee married and hed a hneband and child in New York city. She waated to put them aside like tossing off an old dress, hut I knew only too well that later she would be willing to shed me in tbe same lighthearted fashion.

"After that I concluded that all girla were alike. Tben when I met yon some devil made me test yon in the way I did. But Constance, you came np to the mark. I edore yon more than I ever did and now if I can only win you hack I ehall heve no fear of losing you for I know how truly fine you are. All my donhts died when you sent me packing.

"Won't you let me come hack? If I have been crnel, forgive me. You don't know the years I've auffered and brooded over this thing and I'll spend a lifetime making it up to you. I could be ao happy with you aow. I don't think I ahall ever be the same person again now I've found a girl I can trust. Whatever you do to me I shell always love you. PAUL.

"P. S.—I shall be in the swing on your porch at eight o'clock tomorrow evening. If ynu don't want to see me I have only myself to hlame, hut if you ahould bave enoagh mercy you'll find a new man awaiting you."

When Constance had finished reading the letter her emotions went into reverse and ehe danced around the room like a yonng iunatic. Bat it was a rather enhdued Constance who met Paul the next evening.

"If yon ever try a stunt like that again," she warned him, hut he was too irrestibly joyful to listen to her.

"I was certain I'd lost you," he said as he held her in his arms.

"You came terribly near it," Coustance returned soberly. "If I hadn't I-loved—"

But she got no further, for with bowed head Paul sealed her words with a kiss and all the misery of the previaus evening fled away on the wings of love.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

Estate Of Gilbert Sandum, Decedent

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Gilbert Sandum, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Beatrice Sandum, It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Tuesday the 1st day of April, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and in the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator as provided by law and by mailed notice as provided by the rules of this court.

Dated September 28th, 1929.

Lars Backe
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.
O-3-17

POULTRY • FACTS •

TURKEYS PAY IF GIVEN GOOD CARE

Attempt to Keep Them With Chickens Causes Failure.

Turkey raising is passing from a generul farm eide line to a commercial enterpriee, as more farmers hegin to epecielize in tbe haeiness.

"The coastal nnd monntain sectione of North Carolinn nre rnpidly hecoming centers of en important epecialized turkey-growing industry," seys C. F. Parrish, extension poultry specinlist et the North Carolina State college. "Theee two eections are taking the lead in prodnction. The growers ere finding thnt where they hendle the birds with care, excelleat profite may he made. One of the greatest rensons for fullure is thnt some growers ettempt to keep the tnrkeye with chickens end nsnnily do not provide the turkeye with a home, with feed and care."

To hegin with, the turkey grower must get eterted right, eays Mr. Parrish. He needs to use only strong, henltby birds es breeders nnd to plnce these on clenn, well drained, dry soil, where chickens have not been kept. Tnrkey eggs mny he hatched in an incuhntor, under the turkey hen or under a chicken hen. Where the hen method is used, the mother hird must he dasted with sodium fiuoride to control lice. This dusting should he given during the first week and again in ten or fnurteen days. Use only e emall pinch of the mnterial for ench hea or serious reeulte may follow with the poults.

When the poults hetch, they should not he fed until forty-eight hours old, a little milk and green feed, snch es short tender grees, lettuce or onion topa might be givea. When feeding hegins, the poults mnst be fed often, aa much aa five timee a day in amall amounts. The scratch grain is given when the poults are aboat oae week old. Feed the mesh, scretch feed end greene until the young turkeye are three weeks of ege, generally increaslag the ecratch and getting it finally to two good feeds eech dny.

Early Roosting Habit Is of Great Benefit

Chicks that get the roosting habit early in life will nenelly grow into hetter chickens than those thet are allowed to caddle la crowded hoaeee throngbont the eummer. Early roosting nsed to be considered the caaee of many of the crooked hreasthones in chickens. Results of proper feeding have shown thnt this trouble is more often ceused from a deficiency of minersie in the ration or from a leck of sunsbine.

With thie false notion of crooked breasthones ont of the argument, practically all of the benefits lie with the early training of the cbicks to roost. Such chicke will ba eaeier tn hendle in the feil when they nre pnt into laying houses. They will also be less apt to crowd and hecome overheated, in addition to heing easier to care for.

In training chicks to roost, it is a good plan to have the roosts iow. Often it is neceseary to piace the chicke npon the rooets once or twice. Snon they will find that each rooets are much more comfortahie thnn mnddling around the hover, and they will quickly adopt the roosting habit.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Foreign Will.

Estate Of John R. Fate, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of John R. Fate, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, To Neva P. Fate, Mayme H. Fate, Lena Fate, C. Ivan Fate, Grace Fate, Francis A. Fate, Marian Louise Fate, Wilbur George Fate and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent.

The petition of C. Ivan Fate, representing that John R. Fate then a resident of the County of Peoria, State of Illinois died on the 23rd day of October, 1927, testate and that his will has been allowed and admitted to probate in the Probate Court in and for the County of Peoria, State of Illinois, being filed in this court, together with authenticated copies of said will and of the probate thereof in the court above named, and praying that said Will be admitted to probate in this State, and that letters testamentary be thereon granted to him.

NOW, THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of October, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS The Honorable Lars Backe, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 25th day of September, 1929.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate Court

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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The Market

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Poultry Notes

Keep hoaee end yerd cleaa.

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Build a good hoase or ebelter.

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Provide roosts ead dropping boards.

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Grow eome greea crop in the yard.

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Keep the hene confined to your own land and off the roed.

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Don't keep e male hird. Heae ley jast as well withont a male.

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Kamnie is a good remedy for tepe warms in poultry end nicotine snlphate e good remedy for other intestinal worms.

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Uniess eggs ere produced by healthy bens aader sanitary conditioas, tho chicks prodnced will he iiehle to the diseasea of the preeent flock.

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If yoa cannot get your cockerels on the merket early enongh to get the top broiler prices for them, caponize some of them end eee what they will bring yon next epring as capons.

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Bright green alfelfa is a very valnable addition to the metare ducks' ration and they will relish a little of it.

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Keep the hens confined to the hoases wben the yards are mnddy; this helpe to keep the hens' feet clean. Gether eggs often.

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My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

The Purification of Johnson Sides

JOHNSON SIDES, official peacemaker of the Piutes in Nevada, one cold January night got lost in a snowstorm and was induced by a cowboy who found him to take a long swig out of a whisky bottle. This was Johnson's first offense and it tipped him over completely. In a delirium he walked into a burial place and staggered through the musty portals of an ancient and abandoned tomb. There he lay down to sleep it off. The chilly temperature sobered him up. He returned to Carson the next morning penitent and terrified at having broken the law.

The legislature happened to be in session. A humorously inclined member got hold of the Indian, heard his story, and drew up a bill as follows:

"SENATE BILL 6521.

"Section I—Be it enacted that the drink taken by Johnson Sides in the Carson City graveyard Monday night, January 3rd, be hereby declared null and void.

"Section II—This act shall go into effect immediately upon its passage and approval by the governor."

With much pomp and panoply and with great wads of red sealing wax and a mass of red ribbon affixed to the document, this hoax was solemnly passed by the senate without a dissenting vote, then was taken to the assembly and there passed unanimously, and after the governor had signed it the precious paper was bestowed upon Johnson with an elaborate speech. He took the document to the outskirts of the town where his tribe was encamped, translated it and announced that the White Father had called the big souse off.

The next morning 36 drunken Piutes were gathered up out of the cemetery by the local constabulary.

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Comet's Transit

The Naval observatory says that Halley's comet crossed the face of the sun May 18, 1910. This is known only by the computed positions of the comet in its orbit as no evidence whatever of the transit was observed on the sun's disk.

Days of Slow Travel

Traveling certainly had its drawbacks 125 years ago. A person desiring to go from New York city to Buffalo must first wait for several days until a sailing vessel left for Albany. The trip required from two to five days, depending on conditions. At Albany the passenger took a stage coach and rode overland to Schenectady, 17 miles, where he could get an occasional boat on the Mohawk river. The trip required another week, sometimes more. From Utica to Oswego it was possible to get a boat for Lewiston, from where the rest of the journey was by stage. The whole journey, with good connections, required about a month.

Vatican in History

The name Vatican is believed to have come from an old Etruscan settlement, Vaticum, on the right bank of the River Tiber. At any rate in Roman days before the Christian era, this district was known as Ager Vaticanus, and as the years passed the name came to be attached specifically to Vatican hill, or Monte Vaticano. The region was not considered to be a portion of ancient Rome, but was recognized as a district apart from it.—National Geographic Society Bulletin.

Old Legal Expression

The expression, "hue and cry," is a legal one, the name given to the shouting raised when a criminal is pursued. Under the old law, all who heard the hue and cry were compelled by law to take up the chase. In later usage the name was applied to a proclamation calling for the capture of felons or return of stolen goods. The official gazette of wanted criminals, published in England, is known as the Hue and Cry. In general, it means any loud outcry, especially of alarm or fright.

Finding Blood Pressure

It is 100 years since the first device for determining the pressure of blood was called to the attention of the medical fraternity. It was invented by Leonard-Marie Poiseuille of Paris. The cause of blood pressure is not known, but it is more likely to occur in men than in women. Of persons dying after forty-five years of age, approximately one in three dies of one of the terminal complications of high blood pressure.

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FARM STOCK

IN MAKING AND FEEDING SILAGE

Best and Cheapest Form in Which to Store Feed.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Some important points to observe in the making and feeding of silage are discussed by live stock specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture in a revised edition of Farmers' Bulletin No. 578-F, "The Making and Feeding of Silage," which is now ready for distribution to interested persons.

"Silage," the authors of the bulletin say, "is the best and cheapest form in which to store succulent feed. Many forage crops can be made into silage; but corn, where it can be grown successfully, makes the best silage.

"Silage is suited for feeding to all live stock. Dairy cows, not on good pasture, need it perhaps more than other classes of animals, because the succulence it supplies is helpful in the production of large quantities of milk. It is a cheap and economical feed for beef cattle, from breeding cow to fattening steer. Sheep like it and it is well suited to their needs. Even horses and mules may be fed limited quantities of good silage with good results."

A method of making silage, known as the Ronning method, has come into use in the last few years and is considered the easiest known method of making silage. The standing corn is harvested and cut into proper lengths for the silo by a machine drawn and operated by a tractor. The cut corn is delivered to a wagon box drawn alongside. It is then hauled to the silo and pushed off into a blower which elevates it into the silo. When a pit silo is used the work of filling is still less. Making silage by the Ronning method requires approximately the same size crew as when a harvester and bundle elevator is used, but the advantage lies in saving the labor of handling the heavy bundles.

A copy of the bulletin may be obtained by writing to the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

Practical Methods of Destroying Hog Mange

(By J. W. Lumb, Extension Veterinarian, Kansas State Agricultural College.)

Crude petroleum will turn itself into a money maker when used as a destroyer of mange of swine.

The three most practical methods of destroying mange are hand applications, spraying and dipping.

Hand applications may be satisfactorily provided if only a few hogs are treated. The hogs are confined and applications made with a brush or cloth. Petroleum should be rubbed over the entire hog, including inside the ears.

Spraying, if carefully carried out, will destroy mange. The hogs should be confined in a small pen, bedded with clean straw. A spray pump or sprinkling can may be used. The hogs' ears should be lifted so that spray material will coat the lower side. They should be left in the pen for an hour to become well saturated by contact.

Dipping is the most effective way of applying material to hogs for controlling mange. Concrete or galvanized iron dipping vats are more or less permanent and not prohibitive in expense for the large hog raisers.

Swine should be dipped at least twice, 12 to 14 days apart, and old beds burned. The house and sleeping quarters should be thoroughly cleaned and disinfected.

Lofty Mountains Passing

The Ozark mountains or Ozark plateau, belong with the oldest mountain regions of the world, and denudation is slowly and surely removing the last remains of once lofty mountains. A small area of pre-Cambrian rocks is exposed in the St. Francois mountains. The remainder of the plateau consists of Cambrian and Ordovician age.

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Put Guard Over Tongue

The tongue is, at the same time, the best part of man and his worst; with good government, none is more useful, and without it, none is more mischievous.—Anacharsis.

Has Its Uses

"The appendix is the only part of the human body that is of no use," says a writer. For the medical profession, however, it is a very profitable side-line.

Mankind's Failing

The fatal tendency of mankind to leave off thinking of a thing when it is no longer doubtful is the cause of half their errors.—Mill.

Moon Has Little Effect

The naval observatory says that the direct effect of the moon on the temperature of the earth is entirely inappreciable.

Blue Sky Only Limit With Chilean Gamblers

The Mapuche tribes of Chile, have a very peculiar game which is very popular, and is called "rum." A wager is made between two competitors as to which will be the first to break silence. They sometimes remain silent for whole days, until finally the man with the weaker will speaks and loses his bet! This is but one of the many interesting sidelights on the Chilean people in Augustin Edwards' "Peoples of Old." In another game of the "dice" sort with colored beans, the players propitiate their luck by talking to the beans and magically invoking disaster for their opponents. To "gamble your shirt" is no mere metaphor with these people; they gamble their knives, clothes, weapons, blankets—any thing; and frequently the game ends in a general fight!

Temporary Fences Save Time, Labor and Money

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For Sale: Seventeen head of sheep for sale at the Wash Adams faam, one mile south of St. Hilaire. Adv.

Estray: Two spring calves, one Guernsey and one red. Strayed from my place Oct. 4th. Finder kindly call, or notify Joe King, R1. St. Hilaire, Minn.

Miss Anna Rosette, who has been a patient at the hospital at Thief River following an operation, is expected home today.

Mechanics Wanted!

Big Demand. Practical Training. Write for catalog. HANSON AUTO & ELECTRICAL SCHOOL, Box 926, Fargo, N. D

Paul Erickson, who attends the medical school at the University of Minnesota, arrived home yesterday being called because of serious injury of his father, Andrew Erickson.

Do you want the latest in Radio? Screen grid tube- Phonograph pick up- Hear the Colorado Dynamic, $114.95 - Radiatron tubes - 79c. Fresh "B" Batteries. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls

Lorraine Bjerk, who attends the normal department of the high school at Red Lake Falls, was home Sunday for a visit with her parents.

Joe Torstveit's Pontiac car sustained some damage Saturday night when a car from near Dorothy smashed into it on the state road east of here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carpenter, who have resided at Isle, Minn., the past few years, have decided to move back here next week and will occupy the buildings on their farm southeast of town. They intend to rent out the fields but retain the buildings for their own use.

Regular monthly meeting of the village conncil was held Monday evening. At this meeting it was decided to put a new curbing around the well on north Water street so there would be a snpply of water in case of fire.

Ancient Brnoch Found

Workmen qnarrying at lime kilns at Creenagho, Ireland, fonnd an ancient Irish broocb in a crevice of soft rock two feet below the surface of tbe ground. Dating from tbe Seventh century, it is of bronze, and consists of the ring and a pin, tbe back of the pin being coated with enamel of a light green color and the front of tha pin of dark green enamel.

Old Custom Survives

In eome of the small villages of Great Britain, it is said, the ministers etill adhere to the age-old custom of reading each verse of the hymn before the congregation sings it. Tbis custom is a snrvival from the time wben the majority of the congregation conld not read. It is strange that it ehould etill survive after so many years of compulsory edncation.

Loug Speakership Terms

Heury Clay was speaker of the honse of representatives longer than any other man. He wns elected six different times, althongh he did not serve ont six fnll terms or congresses. He resigned the speakership twice. Joeeph G. Cannon and Champ Clark each served as speaker of the house eight years.

Wisdom From Plutarch

Perseverance is more prevailing tban violence, and many things which cannot be overcome wben they are together yield themselves up when taken littla by little.—From Dryden's translation of Pintarch's Lives Plutarch (46-120 A. D.) (?), in "Life of Sertorius."

St. Hilaire Telephone Company

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Shearer Hired to Secured Parity.

Washington—William B. Shearer told a senate committee an entirely different story of bis mission abroad at the Geneva naval conference from that hitherto related to the committee by the ship building officials who employed him to represent them at Geneva. All of the ship bnilding officials testified that Shearer was employed merely to "observe and report" ths trend of the conference, but when Shearer himself got on the witness stand, be said be was to go to Geneva to see that the United States would get our side of the story—and to see to it that we got a treaty or parity with Great Britain, and if no parity, no treaty.

Newton's Son Leaves Hospital.

Minneapolis, Minn.—John Marshall Newton is home after nearly three and a half months in Eitel hospital where be was taken on June 20 after his leg was crusbed wben he fell from bis bicycle nnder a street car. Later it was necessary to amputate the leg. The 9-year-old son of Walter H. Newton, who is administrative secretary to President Hoover. John is reportsd as feeling fine. He gets about in a wheel chair.

Fliss Plane Under Rockst Power.

Frankfort, Germany—Fritz Von Opel, the wsalthy young automobile msgnate has succeeded in rising in an airplsne propelled by rockets instead of by a motor. Van Opel bas been planning to attempt a flight across the English cbannel in bis plane, the pressnt flight being a preliminary test. Von Opal, after two failnras, rosa in the air and attained a heigbt of 170 feet. He landed after flying six miles.

Two Kilisd in Georgia Storms.

Atlanta—Excessivs rainfall, high winds and two deaths msrked the progress of the tropical storm which squirmed northeastward through Georgia, after entering the state throngh the Gulf of Mexico. Shorn of their hurricane force by contact with land, the 30 to 50-mile gales accompanying the storm took one life at Albany and one nt Blackshear.

Five Bandits Rob Bsnk of $40,000.

Cadillac, Mich.—Five robbers held np the People's Savings bank bere and escaped with a sum of money sstimatsd by Alfrsd Chapman, cashier of the bank, to be between $40,000 and $50,000, together with some securities. The robbers entered jnst before closing time and forced half a dozen patrons to lie face down on the floor.

Fivs Children Killed at Crossing.

Westfield, N. J.—Three boys and two girls, all of high school age, were killed as their antomobile was struck by a Lehigh Valley railroad express train. The mother of one of the victims, became deranged when shs was taken to the scene of the accident. Police were forced to place her in a straigbt jacket.

Suspect Confsssss Messenger Holdup.

Boston—Police searching for the slayers of Samnel Reinstein, New York racketeer, took into cnstody Carl Forman of New York, who, they said, admittsd that he was sought for implication in the theft of more than a half millilon dollars in bonds from a msssenger boy in New York, September 20.

W. White, Auto Builder, Crash Victim.

Cleveland—Walter C. White, 52 years old, president of the White Motor company, died in a hospital bere [illegible] injuries snstained in a collision [illegible] his car with another while driving from his [illegible] to his office. Mr. White auffsred fractures of the right leg and left thigh and internal injuries.

Half-Hour Quaks Awaksns Hawaiians.

Hilo, Hawaii—Earthquakes continued to rock ths island of Hawaii. The populace was awakened by a quake lasting half an bour and reported strong all over the island. Ths volcann observatory reported 25 tremors in seven hours, one whicb dismantied part of the instruments.

25 Years Ago

Chas. Fellman and I. Dahlin filed on claims in Mayfield township.

—XXV—

J. P. Glemaker shipped in a lot of merchandise, and was opening a store in the Arthur building.

—XXV—

Henry Peters came from New York to spend the winter with his father, O. H. Peters.

—XXV—

The G. N. depot at Thief River was to be moved from the main line to a new location on a spur downtown.

—XXV—

John Larson attended the land sale at Crookston and bought a claim he thought would make a valuable farm.

—XXV—

The local creamery was getting shipments of cream from Red Lake Falls from former patrons of the creamery there.

—XXV—

Frank Boutin, tail sawyer at the mill at Crookston, was instantly killed when carried into the band saw by accidental starting of the carriage.

KELLOGG GETS CROSS

Former Secretary of State Is Awarded French Emblem of Legion of Honor.

Washington—Award of the grand cross of the Legion of Honor, the bighest decoration of France, to Frank B. Kellogg of St. Paul, Minn., former secretary of state, is announced by the French embassy. The proposal for tho award was made to President Doumergue by Premier Briand, who collaborated with Mr. Kellogg in the accomplishment of the general pact for the renunciation of war, and the decree awarding the medal was signed by the French president on the anniversary of the signature of the pact in Paris. The former secretary of state will receive the decoration at a ceremony at the French embassy here the first of November with French Ambassador Claudel acting in the name of the French president.

Indiana "U" Power Plant Lost In Fire.

Bloomington, Ind.—Fire bas destroyed the Indiana university power plant with a loss estimated at $200,000, leaving tbe state institution with its 4,000 students without light, heat or water.

$11,000,000 Fund Created for Anne.

New York—Ambassndor and Mrs. Dwight W. Morrow have established a $11,000,000 trust fund for the benefit of their daughter, Anne, wife of Colonel Cbarles A. Lindbergh.

Poor Humanity

What a chimera, then, is man! What a novelty, what a enbject of contradiction, what a prodigy! A jndge of nll things, feeble worm of the earth, depository of the truth, cloaca of uncertainty and error, the glory and the sbame of tha nniverse!—Blaise Pascal (1623-1662).—"Thoughts."

Must Be Nn Stops

The contest board of the A. A. A. says that a nonstop run means a run where the car does not stop. If a tire blows out or is pnnctured, the run is finisbed and it is necessary for the person wbo is making the record to make a new start.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday, Oct. 13
Sunday school 10:00.
Morning Services 11:00.
Evening service at 8:00.

The Tuesday evening Bible class will be held this week Friday evening at 8:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services Sunday morning at 10:00 in Black River church with Sunday school following.

Chicken dinner will be served in the Black River church at noon. Rev. H. P. Johnson of Portland, Oregon, will conduct the morning service in Swedish, and will speak in American after the dinner.

The Y. P. S. of Clara church will meet at the A. P. Sandberg home Sunday evening at 8:00.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday Oct. 13 Services as follows:

Ebenezer, Mayfield, 11:00 A. M. Harvest festival. Offering to the budget. Dinner served at the church by the joint Aids. After dinner, devotional meeting led by Rev. B. I. Lund. American and Norwegian language.

Morning service by Rev. I. L. Lassison of Thief River Falls.

Services in St. Hilaire at 7,45. American.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to all St. Hilaire friends who assisted during the last illness of our nephew, the late Albert Nash. We also wish to thank all who assisted with the funeral, and those who contributed flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Brevik
Modesto, Calif.

Rat Population

Of conrse there is no way to take a censns of the rata in the United States, bnt the public bealth service estimntes thnt there are probably 120,000,000 of these animals in this country.

New "Big Stick"

In studying measnrements of strength, the "yardstick" comes into attantion as a pleasing successor to that once celebrated instrument of discipline, the "big stick."—Exchange.

Heigbt of Durability

There is nothing in thia world so durable as the paper you sign promising to pay two dollars a week for a hundred and forty-four weeks.—Woman's Home Companion.

Must Import Soft Woods

Forests of eqnatorial Africa nre so largely compoeed of hard woods that when soft wood is needed for building pnrposes it bae to be shipped from Europe or Amerca.

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St. Paul, Minn.
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Mrs. O. O. Maland Called

Last Friday at the hospital at Thief River Falls occured the death of Mrs. O. O. Maland of Rocksbury township, north of here. She had been ill the past ten years, and for two years had been bedridden, so death came as a blessed release from furthur suffering.

Mrs. Maland was born in Hardanger, Norway on Dec, 6th, 1868, and was 60 years, 10 months and five days of age at time of her death. She came to this country at an early age, and was married to Mr. Maland at Radcliffe, Iowa on August 18th, 1894. They resided at Radcliffe several years, moving here in 1906 to make their home on the farm in Rocksbury.

Deceased is survived by her husband, three daughters and one son. The children are Julius, of St. Paul, Mrs. Selma Jackson of this village, and, Gladys and Adelia of Thief River Falls. Another son, Oscar, died in service during the World War in 1918. She is also survived by a brother and two sisters who reside in Iowa, and by her mother, a brother and a sister, who reside in Norway.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. M. Dahle from the Norwegian Lutheran church Tuesday afternoon, and interment was made in the Lutheran cemetery north of town where Oscar Maland is buried.

Heartfelt sympathy of numerous friends in this community is extended to Mr. Maland and children in their sad loss of wife and mother.

The Fairmont Creamery Company one of the largest purchasers of poultry in this section of the country, expects to enter the local field for purchase of turkeys and other poultry in a couple weeks.

Anna and Agnes Vik left Saturday for Minneapolis for an indifinate stay.

Notice:- L. E. Healy, special deputy examiner in charge of the Farmers State Bank of St. Hilaire, will be in St. Hilaire all day Monday, Oct. 21st, to attend to business of the bank. All persons owing the bank are urged to come in on that day and make payments, or settlement in full. Adv.

Mechanics Wanted!
Big Demand. Practical Training. Write for catalog. HANSON AUTO & ELECTRICAL SCHOOL, Box 926, Fargo, N. D

Auction Sale Oct. 24th

In accordance with an order of the Probate Court, the Administrator of the estate of Peter Lindblom will sell the personal property belong to the estate at public auction at the farm in Sec 23 of Bray township on Thursday, Oct, 24th. The property to be sold consists of ten head of work horses, nine head milk cows, 5 head young stock, seven pigs, set of farm machinery, some household goods, 3 shares of stock in the Wylie elevator company and other chattels. The sale will start at noon, lunch to be served at 11:30. V. C. Noper will cry the sale, and Att,y Theo. Quale will act as clerk The sale will be for cash, and everthing will be sold to highest bidder without reserve.

Awarded Barn Contract

Henry Gunstad and A. Bilden were awarded a contract last week by the Rural Credit Bureau for erecting a new barn on the former Dammon farm, now occupied by John Gunstad, two miles southeast of town. Material is being taken out and construction work will be rushed so the new structure will be ready before winter sets in.

Named Seal Sale Manager

Miss Ruth O. Lee has accepted the appointment of local manager for the Christmas Seal Sale this year, according to announcement made by the Minnesota Public health Association.

The campaign, which raises funds to carry on the fight against tuberculosis, opens Thanksgiving Day and continues until Christmas.

Chicken Dinner, Oct. 30th

The Aid of the Evang. Mission church will serve a fried chicken dinner at the Odd Fellows Hall on Wednesday, October 30th, starting at 5:30 P. M., and continuing until all are served. Everybody welcome.

Mr. Martin Holland and son, Melvin of Laurens, Iowa., Misses Margaret Skare and Ida Lunning of Radcliffe, Iowa., Severt Skare, his son and daughter, Sivert and Selma Skare of Halstad, and Sam Skare of Crookston were the out-of-town relatives here Tuesday to attend the funeral of the late, Mrs. O. O. Maland.

Rah Rah Rah-ah-h-h!

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

The new barn being built on the Westphal farm northeast of town is nearing completion.

Sell your old leaky radiator to Gamble Stores for $1.50. Radiators for all pouplar cars. New Super radiator for Fords $8.89 exchange.

Ralph Darling and son, Ronald, of Grand Forks, motored here Saturday and visited until Sunday at the Earl Jensen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard and Mabel Seeland, of Hazel, accompanied by Mrs. K, Steenerson of Crookston, motored Sunday to Gully and spent the day there with friends.

Mrs. H. Lappegaard of Thief River, visited several days last week at home of her mother, Mrs. Martin Lokken, near Hazel.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roy, Mrs. Otto Johnson and Frank Johnson motored Sunday to Fosston for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hauge and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hage of Fargo, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hanson, returning home Monday. Mr. Hage is a brother of Mrs. Hanson.

Frank Johnson leaves this week to resume his work at Flint, Mich., after having spent a couple weeks here with relatives.

Mrs. Mathilda Brink, Erick Brink Mrs. Henry Benson and, son, Clinton, of East Grand Forks, and Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Johnson and family of Hazel, spent last Sunday at the Jens Almquist home.

A Sock Social will be held Friday evening, Oct, 25th, in the school house in Dist. No. 106, Miss Edna Anderson teacher. Girls please bring socks. Everybody welcome.

The local school will be closed both today and Friday to permit the teaching staff to attend the Northern Minnesota Educational Association being held at Thief River Falls.

Martin Erickson, who left a few weeks ago to take treatments at the sanitorium at Hot Springs, S. D., is showing some improvement since entering that institution.

His numerous friends back home are pleased that he is getting some relief, and hope he will continue to improve.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ortloff of Sanders, are the happy parents of a baby daughter, born October 6th.

A large amount of potatoes is being marketed here this week. At present the price paid is hetter than a dollar per bushel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jackson returned Tuesday to their home at St. Paul after spending a couple weeks here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Myles Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jackson motored Sunday to Bagley and visited that day at the Sam Hauge home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jackson motored Monday to Grand Forks and visited until Tuesday at the Alton Jackson and Louis Giese homes.

The Dorcas Society will be entertained Saturday at 2:00 P. M., at the Norwegian Lutheran church parlors by Mesdames G. B. and Miller Peterson.

William Engh has been seriously ill the past few days since returning from his work at Middle River At present there is a little improvement. His illness appears to be pneumonia and tonsilitis.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Jensen and son, G. Lindquist and family, A. V. Jacobson and family were entertained at the L. Gullickson home Saturday evening.

The Ladies Aid of the Evang. Mission church will be entertained by Mesdames J. Hedlund and F. Dobson at the Hedlund home Wednesday afternoon, Oct, 23rd. All welcome.

Hard Coal:- The C. Roe Grain Co. will have a carload of hard coal on track here Friday. This will be the only car shipped in this season. Kinly place order now and take delivery from the car thus saving handling expense.

Henry Braaten and family, Knute and Dorothy Braaten and Effie Halverson of Manville, N. D., Mr, and Mrs. H. Winters, Selma and Harvey Johnson, John Gunstad and family and Stella Bengtson were Sunday dinner guests at the Elmer Johnson home, the occasion being Mr. Johnson's birthday anniversary.

Auction Oct. 22nd

An auction sale of horses, cattle and farm machinery will be held at the John O. Carlson farm in Mayfield township, east of here along the state road, on Tuesday, October 22nd.

Among the chattels to be sold are three good horses, ten head choice milch cows, four head young stock, set of farm machinery, all in good condition, gas eng.ne, saw rig and other property. Wm. Eukel will cry the sale, and Henry Enderle of Plummer will act as clerk. The sale starts at 10:00, and free lunch will be served at noon.

In Ton Litter Contest

Howard Frodahl, a 4H Cluh member from Goodridge, has a litter of 12 pigs, whicb he is entering in the ton litter contest this year. This litter was shown at the county fair this year and received a special prize. 187 days after farrowing, the litter weighed 3100 lbs, and the boy's feed cost records show they have cost him $174.05 thus far, including feed for the old sow.

Young Frodahl won a free trip to the state fair with the sow in 1928, and won another trip this year with his showing of one gilt from the litter.

Three of the gilts from this litter have been placed with boys in club work who plan to enter the ton litter contest next year. It is expected some local prizes will be given in this work. These will he for the total pork produced from each sow, and also for average weight at close of the contest. This will give the boy having the smallest number of pigs a chance at the largest average weight at 180 days.

Mrs. T. M. Skatrud and children left last evening for Minneapolis for a visit with relatives and friends.

Chicken Dinner

The Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will serve a chicken dinner at the church parlors on Friday, Oct. 25th.

Menu

Creamed Chicken

Meat Balls — Mashed Potatoes

Cabbage Salad

Cranberries — Pickles

Bread and Butter

Apple Pie — Coffee

Adults 35 — Children 25

Free Clinic

A free Chest Clinic will be held at the school building in St. Hilaire, Monday morning Oct, 21st, starting at 9:00. Dr. B. C. Bernard of the Oakland Park Sanitorium at Thief River Falls will conduct the examinations.

W. M. F. Meeting Oct. 22nd

A meeting of the Northern Minnesota district W. M. F. is to be held at the Trinity Lutheran church at Thief River, October 22nd, beginning at 10:30 A. M. A splendid program has been arranged for the occasion to be given by representatives from several towns in this district.

Announce New Rates

P. J. Montgomery, Division Manager for the Northern States Power Company, makes public the new reduced electric rate schedules promised last week by R. F. Pack, Vice President and General Manager in a statement in which he declared that the company was about to install lower rates throughout its entire system benefiting its electric customers to the extent of approximately $1,250,000.

The new rate schedules are effective on bills rendered after December 1st and comparison of these new rates for St. Hilaire with the present rates reveals the following changes:

The present Residence Rate starts in at 12.6c and drops down to a low step of 4.5c. The new Residence Rate starts in at 10.9c and drops to a low step of 3.8c.

The present Commercial Lighting Rate is 12.6c for all energy used. The new Commercial Rate starts in at 10.9c and drops to 5.2c.

The present Power Rate starts in at 6.9c and goes down to 3.6c while the new Power Rate starts at 6.2c and drops to a bottom step slightly lower than 2.9c.

"Every city, village, town and hamlet served by the Northern States Power Company in the several states in which it operates gets some benefit out of this rate reduction," said Mr. Montgomery. "Those communities which obtain the least are the ones which for one good reason or another have been enjoying slightly more favorable rates in the past. Our rate experts strive constantly to maintain schedules equally fair to all communities and in determining this reduction have coupled with it further standardization of rates.

"It is our confident belief that this announcement does not end rate cuts. Our studies on which this present reduction is based demonstrate again two fundamental truths. One is the customers themselves can contribute largely toward cheaper electricity by increasing their use, as increased business makes for volume production and volume production makes possible lower rates. The other is that usually a large interconnected power system can serve at a much lower cost than a small individual plant with local distribution system.

"Our customers by increased use of electricity have helped to make this cut possible and it is our hope that they will further test the soundness of this theory by using electricity for more and more purposes. They may rest assured that if this is done, the company will respond with additional reductions."

Looking Into The Future

The creamery, which has been brot up to its present state during the past twenty seven years, has by no means reached its capacity, nor is dairying overdone in this territory. It is safe to say that a gain of one thousand percent over present output, could be made without additional territory being added to this field. Not only is this possible but indications are that it will come to pass. Testing of cows, and intensive dairying will do it. By the way, have you bought a share in this growing local enterprise?

St Hilaire, Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Making A Start

Look around among the most successful people in your community and you will find practically every one will ascribe his or her success to early training in saving.

Save a part of your income during your productive years. It does not have to be any large amount each month, but save a part.

Independence in later years does not come by wishing for it, but by systematic saving when you are making more than necessary for your immediate needs. Start a savings account.

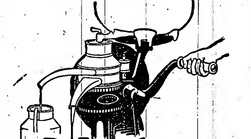
MERCHANTS STATE BANK
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Notice to Taxpayers

Last half of real estate taxes for the current year must be paid before November 1st, 1929 to avoid penalty for non-payment.

John Gullingsrud, Co. Treas

Pennington County, Minn.



Is your DeLaval separator in good running order?

IF it isn't, then you may be losing butter-fat and shortening the life of the machine; and ninety-nine times out of a hundred it isn't the fault of the machine but due to the fact that it needs attention, adjustment, cleaning, or the replacement of some part.

Bring in your De Laval Separator to us and we will put it in first-class running order. Bring in the complete machine, and in order to save expense clean out the oil chamber and gears with kerosene or boiling water. You can do this just as well as we can.

Carlson Merc. Co., Inc.

O. C. Johnson, Mgr

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.

St. Hilaire. Minn.

In Terms of Bridge

At cords when you nre denlt the ace, kiog, queen, tbe two, three and four-spot, yon discard the two-spot, three-spot nnd fonr-spot. But when the Lord denle yon the same sort of a hand ynu prohobly discard the ace, king and queen.—Woman's Home Companion.

Ideal Game Refnge

A game refuge shonld be comprised of ehout 60 forties sorronnded hy some 200 forties of pnblic hnnting grounds. A good game refuge must have cover, water, food producing vegetation, and he constantly gnarded against predatory birds and animals.

Speed of Ostrich

A full-grown mole ostrich stands some eight feet high, from the crown of its head to the ground, and weighs abont 300 ponnds. Its speed, when running "all ont," is eaid to attain 26 miles an honr. At such times it is generally helieved to derive no small help from its wings, used as snils.

Morganatic Union

A morganatic marriage is one hetween a man of rank and a womun of inferior position, in the terms of which it is etipnlated that the woman and her children shall not enjoy the rank nor inherit the titles or possessions of the man. The children are considered legitimate.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Austin—Rev. Rodney F. Cohh, rector of Christ's Episcopal church here, has resignsd.

Belgrade—A two-day community fair will open here Octoher 15. Four-H Cluh exhihits.

Luverne—Carl Buns was killed and his sister Eetella critically injured in an antomobile crash here.

Clara City—The new church of St. Clara, wae dedicated here with Rev. Thos. A. Welch, of Dulnth, in charge.

Willmar— Representatives from twenty-inne counties attended the annual state conference of the Red Cross here.

Dassel—Dassel's annual street fair with exteusive exhibits and entertainment program drew a large attendance.

Norwood—Glen Bovey, 7-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bovey, was injured fatally wben struck hy an antomohile.

St. Peter—The new $20,000 Gastavus Adolphus stadium was dedicated, with special exercises, a football game and fireworks.

Winona—J. P. Rivers, 60 years old, lifelong resident of Winona county and a prominent husiness man in Winona, died here.

Virginia—Matt Peryanovich is being held here pending charges as a reeult of the fatal shooting of Rudolpb Champa, Aurora, miner.

Rochester—Mrs. John P. Scott of Faimouth, Ind., committed suicide hy drowning in the Zumhro river here. She was ahont 60 years old.

Pipestone—Tbe Pipeetone County Poultry Association has decidsd upon January 2-4 for the annnal ponltry ehow here. T. E. Cross will he jndge.

Austin—Fred Smith, a farmer near here, was compelled to sit quiet and watch thieves steal his oats, hecause he had no means of driving them away.

Minneapolis—A concerted drive to interest 200 Twin City memhers of ths Third U. S. Pioneer infantry in a peramnent organization of that body has been etarted here.

Laks City—The sixtieth anniversary of the founding of the First Luthersn church here was commemorated hy a celebration, former paetors and members from Minnesota and Wisconsin attending.

Windom—Boy Scont exectives of Cottonwood county have organized with A. H. Eese of Jeffers as president, E. E. Lala of Storden as vicepresident and S. E. Moore of Storden as secretary and treasurer.

Hastings—Hastings business men were urged to work for a nine-foot chaunel in the Mississippi river hy John A. Fox, representing the Mississippi Valley Association. Mr. Fox spoke at n pnhlic meeting.

Hastings—Pleading guilty to a charge of third degree arson for hurning his farm home near Inver Grove in August, Edward Menger, 47, of St. Paul, was sentenced to serve four years in the state prison.

Windom—At a meeting of tbe local post of the American Legion, Leonard Baker was elected commander. Other officere are John Sanger, vicecommander; D. L. Keith, finance officer, and M. B. Severson, service officer.

Duluth—The seventy-first annnal synod meeting of Minnesota Presbyterians was held here with 200 in attendance. Churchmen of national importance attended. Rev. Alexander Patterson was elected moderator.

Rochester—E. H. Schlitgus, former secretary of tbe Olmsted Connty Businesemen's Association, was elected president of the Rochester Commercial Club by the hoard of directors. Arthur Reiter was named vicepresident.

Thief River Falls—The body of Alfred Backstrom, 22, local hookkeeper, who dieappeared Sept. 20, was fonnd near here, a revolver under his hody, which had a hullet wound. At an inqnest a verdict of suicide was returned.

St. Paul—The Cstholic diocese of St. Paul was awarded the estate of William G. Riley amounting to at least $500,000, according to Mr. Riley's will, after the death of various heirs who are to receive incomes totaling $21,000 a month.

Littls Falls—Memhers of the state commission of administration and finance inspected the 22,000 acre tract, proposed site of a large airport and National Guard training camp, which would replace the training field at Lake City.

Hutchinson—Word has heen received here of the death in Spokane of Mrs. H. W. Greenberg, oldest danghter of the late W. W. Pendergast, former state snperintendent of pnhlic instruction and first principal of the Minneeota School of Agriculture.

Austin—Hog and cattle thieves are bnsy in Mower county, according to reports reaching Sheriff Ira Syck. In the face of his announcement that he would give a $25 reward for information leading to the arrest of the rustler, six more pure blood hogs were stolen.

St. Petsr—The new dormitory for men at Gnstavus Adolphus College here will be dedicated Homecoming day, Novemher 2.

Thief River Falls—J. E. Nelson, formerly engineer on the Soo Line, was appointed city treasurer to succeed E. D. Evenson. Dr. Evenson resigned and plans on spending the winter in South Dakota.

Stillwater—Stillwater's barge terminal on the St. Croix river, was formally opened here at a banquet attended hy 150 citizens and delegations from Minneapolis, St. Paul and towns along the river.

FORFEITED TAX SALE

Notice of Expiration of Redemption

Office of County Auditor,
County of Pennington
State of Minnesota

TO J. W. Kolp Estate.

You are herehy notified that the following piece or parcel of land, situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Lot 17 in Block 1. Townsite of Hazel, Minnesota.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

That on the 8th day of May, A. D. 1922, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 17th day of March, A. D. 1922, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year A. D. 1920, for said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was duly offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer an amount equal to that for which said piece or parcel was subject to be sold, to-wit, the sum of Seventy nine cents, the same was duly bid in for the State of Minnesota for said sum.

That thereafter, and on the 12th day of August, A. D. 1929, the said piece or parcel of land, not then having been redeemed from said sale, and having then become the absolute property of the State of Minnesota, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County pursuant to the order and direction of the State Auditor of the State of Minnesota, and in accordance with the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided, for the sum of One Dollar and 34 cents duly paid to the County Treasurer of said County.

That the certificate of sale for said piece or parcel of land executed and delivered by said County Auditor upon said sale last-above mentioned has been presented to me at my office hy the holder thereof for the purpose of having notice of expiration of time for redemption from said tax sale of said property given and served.

That the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale, at the date of this notice, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon said notice, is the sum of One Dollar and 34 cents (and interest as provided by law to the day such redemption is made).

That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after service of this notice and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS, my hand and seal of office this 24th day of September, A. D. 1929.

(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor, Pennington County, Minnesota.

(O-17-31)

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, } ss.
County of Pennington
State of Minnesota

TO D. S. B. Johnson Land Company.

(1) You are herehy notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Lot 7 of Block 2. and Lots 1 to 10 inclusive of Block 4 and Lots 18 and 19 of Block 4, and Lots 25 to 32 inclusive of Block 4 all in the Townsite of Hazel Minnesota.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1922, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 15th day of March, 1922, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1920, for said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said piece or parcel, was bid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($14.22), Fourteen and 22|100 Dollars..

(3) That thereafter, and on the 9th day of September, 1929, the said piece or parcel not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Eighty six and 48|100 Dollars and forty eight cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($88.48), Eighty six Dollars and forty eight cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($88.48), from said 9th day of September, 1929, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me hy the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service at my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 24th day of Septemher, 1929.

(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor, Pennington County, Minnesota.

Approved July 13, 1925.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. (O-17-31)

Ultra Modern Grandmother

A mother told her children to refrain from nsing slang while their grandmother from a distant city was visiting in the home. In the conrse of the first dinner hour all were trying to be sedate. The college student of the family told a joke and grandmother said: "Well, Jo, that's a 'wisecrack.'"

Order Limiting Time to File Claims and for Hearing Thereon

Estate Of Gilbert Sandum, Decedent

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Gilbert Sandum, Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Beatrice Sandum, It Is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Tuesday the 1st day of April, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and in the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator as provided by law and by mailed notice as provided by the rules of this court.

Dated September 28th, 1929.

Lars Backe
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.

O-3-17

STATEMENT

of Ownership, Management, Circulation Etc. Required by the Act of August 24, 1912

Of St. Hilaire Spectator published weekly at St. Hilaire, Minnesota, for Oct. 1st 1929.

State of Minnesota
County of Pennington—ss.

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared O. Gunstad, who have been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher-owner of St. Hilaire Spectator and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, circulation, etc, of the aforesaid publication, required by the Act of August 24th 1912, to-wit,

That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:

Publisher, O. Gunstad, St. Hilaire, Minn.

Editor- O. Gunstad, St. Hilaire Minn.

Business Manager, O. Gunstad.

That the owner is: O. Gunstad.

That known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: None.

O. GUNSTAD

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1st. day of October 1929.

(Seal) FRED BISKEY

Notary Public, Pennington, Co., Minn.

My Commission Expires Jan. 29 1935.

Farmers Hold Half of N. W. Crop.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Estimates that more than half of the northwest's grain crop is being held on farms are borne out by September car loading reports issued by the Great Northern railroad. The grain shipped over that road was 24,000,000 bushels less than the amount for September of last year. The decrease is partly accounted for by the lighter crop this year, but there would have been a mnch heavier movement of grain if the growers were not keeping a large portion of it in home storage, officials of the road pointed out.

Dry Agent, Deputy Killed in Gun Duel.

Nacogdoches, Texas—Believing his honor as an officer had heen questioned hy Federal Prohibition Agent L. Chance, Depnty Sheriff Claude King avenged the snpposed insult with a ready pistol and Chance replied in kind. Using the office of Sheriff Eugene Turner se the dneling ground, they shot it out, Chance falling dead instantly, under the fire of King, who died a few hours later after an unsuccessful operation.

Understanding From Sorrow

That which thon dost not understnnd when thon readest, thon sholt nnderstand in the day of thy visitation; for many secrets of religion are not perceived till they be felt, and are not felt but in the day of a great calamity. —Jeremy Taylor.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday, Oct. 20
Sunday school 10:00.
Morning Services 11:00.
Evening service at 8:00.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Oct, 20, services as follows:-

St. Pauli, 11:00 A. M. Amer.
Oakridge, 2:30 P. M. Amer.
Clearwater, 7:30 P. M. Amer.

Ladies' Aid of St. Pauli will serve supper and have sale of fancy articles at that church Friday evening, Oct, 18th, at 7:30.

St. Hilaire Confirmation class, Saturday at 10:30 A. M., and Oakridge class at 2:00 P. M.

Receipts at the Harvest Festival in Ebenezer Luth. church was approximately $160.00.

Yearly meeting of Thief River Falls Circuit will be held in St. Pauli church, Oct, 29-31, with sermon at 10:45, Oct, 29th. Rev. B. Olson, of Pine Creek will preach. Rev. I. L. Lasseson of Thief River Falls, introduces the subject: John 10:11-18. Confessional by the local pastor. Evening services in American language beginning at 7:45. Come to these meetings and be blessed.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday morning at 10:30 in the local church with Sunday school following services. Communion services in Clara church at 3:00 P. M.

LOCALS

O. Reiersgord, publisher of the Union at Ulen, motored up Sunday for a brief visit with his son, Supt. E. N. Riersgord.

The second of the series of high school parties sponsered by the P. T. A., was held Tuesday evening. The Freshmen were entertained at Bilden's the Sophomores at John Gunstad's, the Juniors at A. V. Jacobson's, and the Seniors at the Gigstad home. A fine time was reported.

Rev. H. P. Johnson, a former resident here, now located at Portland, Oregon., came last week-end for a short visit with his father, Nels Johnson, and his brother, J. Edw. Johnson. Rev. Johnson conducted services last Sunday at the Black River church in which community he formerly resided.

The Spectator, $1.50

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$1.11
Duram Wheat	1.00
Rye	.79
Barley	.40
Oats	.32
Flax	2.97
Eggs, cash	.32
Creamery butter	.49

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

DR. L. R. TWETE

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Thief River Falls, Minn.

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Now is the best time to anticipate your needs in stationery and ruled forms for fall use. Don't wait until the fall rush is on.

The Spectator is equipped to print your letter-heads, envelopes, statements, sales slips and pads and anything else you may need.

Look up Now what you will need, and let us have your order.

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We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

Statement of the condition of

Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire, Minn.

at close of business on October 4th, 1929.

Bank No. 447 RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$85,577.99
Overdrafts	None
Securities, Bonds, etc.	91,933.82
Banking House Furniture and fixtures	7,800.00
Other Real Estate owned	5,100.00
Cash on hand and due from Banks	31,274.07
Cash Items and checks	39.68
TOTAL	$221,725.56

LIABILITIES

Capital	10,000.00
Surplus	3,000.00
Undivided-Profits (net)	1,405.46
Savings Deposits	15,661.89
Time Certificates	102,139.41
Cashiers checks	164.30
Deposits subject to check	89,354.50
TOTAL	$221,725.56

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. ss

We, J. W. Black, President and Fred Biskey, Ass't Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to our knowledge and belief.

J. W. Black, President
Fred Biskey, Ass't Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of October 1929.

Verner Nelson
(Seal) Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission expires Nov. 30th 1929.

Correct Attest (Two) Directors: E. O. Burkee, Tbeo. M. Thronson

State of Minnesota
County of Hennepin } ss.

On this 14th day of Oct. A. D. 1929, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County, personally appeared J. W. Black to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instru ment, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

E. G. Austin
(Seal) Notary Public, Hennepin Co, Minn.
My commission expires Dec. 3, 1932

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U.S, WILL HELP CO-OPS

Minnesota Livestock Leaders Plan Trip to Chicago for National Conference.

Washington—Heads of co-operative livestock marketing associations are to meet in Chicago October 23, for a conference under the auspices of the federal farm board. The Conference is for the purpose of suggesting plans for a federation to include all of the co-operative livestock marketing organizations in ths country.

Minnesota leaders in the co-operative livestock industry will take part in this conference and although they bave no information of the board's plans tbey are ready to co-operate in any sound plan, manager Joseph Montgomery of the Central Co-Operative Association said, calling attention to tbe fact that in most livestock centers, strong co-operative organizations are functioning, handling a considerable part of the livestock bought and sold there.

At South St. Paul, the Central Association is handling more than 30 per cent of total volume at the market this year and doing an annual business of $40,000,000. St. Louis has a strong co-operative, the St. Joseph market has a good one, Indianapolis is strong, Chicago has a co-operative that does not handle as large a percentage as the others, while Kansas City has a comparatively small organization, but each market is pretty much an independent unit, with its own problems, but there are undoubtedly some things that can be done by a nationwide organization to help the entire industry," Mr. Montgomery said.

Grain Co-Ops Made Public.

Chicago—Owned and controlled by three types of farm agencies a huge Grain Co-operative organization has been launched. Form grain sales agencies, farmer owner grain elevators and farmer grain pools will go to make up the farmer combine. The elevators includes several hundred institutions controlled by local farmers. Representatives of grain areas and types of member agencies is provided for as follows: hard winter wheat district, five directors; soft winter wheat and hard spring wheat districts, three directors each; Pacific coast district, one director, and the corn belt states, four directors. Liberal credit arrangements for the purchase of stock in the corporation have been provided. Stock can be purchased with grain or cash. One million shares at $20 par value will be authorized. Federal farm board funds are to available at 4 per cent interest, according to the Chicago Tribune.

Great Birtain has officially informed the Japanese, French and Italian governments that the Anglo-American negotiations on naval limitations have reached "a stage at which it is possible to say that there is no point outstanding of such serious importance as to prevent an agreement."

This declaration is contained in the invitation to a five power conference at London next January which was handed to the Japanese, French and Italian ambassadors at London and made public simultaneously at Washington, Tokio, Paris and Rome.

Bill to Punish Liquor Buyer Offered.

Washington—A bill to make the buyer of liquor equally guilty of a felony with the seller was introduced in the senate by Senator Morris Sheppard, Democrat, of Texas, so-called "Fother of the Eighteenth amendment." Sheppard sponsored his bill as an amendment to the Volstead act.

Colonel Roosevelt Off for Porto Rico.

New York—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, new governor general of Porto Rico, sailed to assume office. He was accompanied by his wife but their four children remained behind to complete their schooling.

New 2-Ton Bombing Plane Meets Test.

Washington—Practice flights with the new Curtis Condor bomber by Major Frank H. Colsman, on which he successfully launched bombs weighing 4,000 pounds, are described as satisfactory.

Detroit Mayor Beaten in Primary.

Detroit, Mich.—Mayor John C. Lodge was defeated for renomination by former Mayor John W. Smith and Charles W. Bowles, former judge of the recorder's court, in the Detroit municipal primaries.

Auction Sale

The undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Peter Lindblom, Deceased, will sell at public auction sale, at the old Peter Lindblom place in Section 23, Bray township, commencing at 12:00 noon, the following personal property, on

THURSDAY, OCT. 24, 1929

The Court has made an order directing that this property be sold, and it will positively be sold to the highest bidder.

HORSES

Ten head of work horses, of various sizes and age, all in good shape.

CATTLE

Nine milch cows, of different ages, all in good flesh. One fresh now, others to freshen soon. One grade Holstein bull. Four two year old heifers.

HOGS

One brood sow, six spring pigs.

MACHINERY

Manure spreader, gang plow, mower, wagon, truck wagon, Fordson tractor, disc harrow, tractor plow, spring-tooth harrow, lever harrow, grain drill, 2 sets bob sleighs, gas engine, platform scale, fanning mill, cultivator, spring wagon, 2 sets of work harness, hay rake, etc.

MISCELLANEOUS

Some household goods. Three shares of stock in the Wylie Co-operative Elevator Company.

FREE LUNCH AT 11:30

TERMS: Cash. No property to be removed from premises until settled for.

Melvin Wood, Administrator of the estate of Peter Lindblom, Deceased.

V. C. NOPER, Auctioneer.
Theo. Quale, Clerk.

Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire, Minn., held at the village hall Oct. 7tb at 8 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved.

On motion duly made and carried the president was authorized to buy a 16 ft. steel curbing for the well on Waterstreet.

Motion duly made and carried that the application of C. R. Huff for two pool table licenses be granted.

Motion duly made and carried that the salary of John Forseen, for ringing the cerfew bell be $7.50 per month.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed as read.

Mrs. M. Volden, board for Ole Nash	$22.30
L. Holmes, casket, robe and attendance for Albert Nash	58.00
W. S. Nott & Co., 1 bbl soda	14.00
Miller-Davis Co., 500 village orders	5.20
Central Lumber Co., lumber	3.30
Mike Highland, draying	17.20
M. H. Jackson, attending fire	25.50
Sever Skottem, Man and team, 5 hours.	3.50
P. Simonson, labor 8 hrs. 6 months salary	7.80
H, F. Hanson, labor 7 hours, 6 months salary	7.45
A. Satterberg, 6380 lb. hard coal, labor 2 hrs. 6 months salary	62.25
Tom Larson, 6 months salary	5.00
E. O. Burkee, 6 months salary	20.00
M. Fricker, 6 months salary	30.00
O. Gunstad, Council proceedings for September.	2.25
Johbn Forseen, salary for Sept.	7.50

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjourned.

M. Fricker, Clerk — A. Satterberg, President.

Unable to Stand Frost

Cotton can stand a very slight frost if only of a short duration. A certain subspecies of orange trees likewise can stand a slight frost, but the banana and watermelon would be instantly killed by frost.

Power of Journalist

A journalist is a grumbler, a censurer, a giver of advice, a regent of sovereigns, a tutor of nations. Four hostile newspapers are more to be feared than a thousand bayonets.—Napoleon.

COAL

Place your orders now for hard coal, soft coal and briquettes. We have a supply on hand and can deliver it at once while the weather is good.

Don't wait until the last minute in hope there will be no winter. We will guarantee there will be one.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

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Young's Service Station, handling a full line of Cities Service oils, grease and gasoline, is now open and serving the public of St. Hilaire and vicinity.

Next time your gas tank needs refilling, try **KOOLMOTOR**, the original high-test, anti-knock green gas, and note the improvement in performance of your motor. Once tried, always used.

Cities Service Oil Co.

25 Years Ago

Neil Demer of Crookston, and Mrs. M, A. Twing of this place were married Oct, 17th at Red Lake Falls.

—XXV—

The Crookston mill was forced to close again because of breaking of a large shaft.

—XXV—

Guthrie and Co., railroad contractrs commenced building at Red Lake Falls to connect this line with the N. P. at Perrault station.

—XXV—

I. Dablin went out to the Reservation with lumber and bousehold goods for his claim.

—XXV—

George Crocker. well known former resident here, came from California to call on old friends.

—XXV—

Henry Enderle left that week for Plummer where he was to be cashier of the bank opening that week.

—XXV—

Hokan Johnson, the Wylie heavyweight was looking after business matters bere that week.

Leo Carpenter and Ben Lardy have gone to Middle River to complete the ditcbing work which the former and Wm. Engh started there some weeks ago.

Mrs. Herman Jepson is expected home last of this week from the St. Vincent hospital at Crookston where she recently underwent an operation.

A case of hog cholera is reported from northwest of Thief River Falls. Whether or not there will be other outbreaks depends a good deal on precautions taken. A number of cases exist in vicinity of Crookston.

LOCALS

Mrs. John P. Olson came down last evening from Baudette for a visit at the Kalland home and with old friends in the village. Mrs. Olson resided here during mill days, and wil be recalled by those who were here at the time.

Andrew Erickson, who was injured and quite badly brusied last week when his car collided with the passenger train north of town, is improving steadily at the hospital at Thief River, and expects to be home last of this week.

Purebred Mammoth Pekin ducks, also Buff geese for sale at John Steiger, Wylie, Minn. Geese $2.50, Ducks $1.50 if called for before Nov, 1st. O17tf

Cedar Fence Posts- Am unloading third car of posts at St. Hilaire, and will have another in soon. Anyone wanting posts from the next car, at saving from usual prices, kindly communicate with Paul Thyren, R1. Hazel, Minn. O17-31pd

Arvin heaters assure winter comfort-Heaters for all cars. Anti-frost-er feltmats and other winter necessities. Alcohol 59c per gal. Prepare now for pleasant winter driving. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls

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Here are the new *Electric Rates*

which mean

CHEAPER ELECTRICITY

for St. Hilaire

Effective on Bills rendered on and after

DECEMBER 1st.

As part of its general rate reduction program, the Northern States Power Company is placing in effect new schedules which we estimate will save the people of the Northwest $1,250,000.

Previous rate reductions since January 1, 1928, aggregate $1,215,000 thus making a total reduction of $2,465,000 in less than two years.

In making the reductions we have aimed to apportion most equitably the cost of service as among communities and various classes of customers.

Here are the new rates effective locally on bills rendered on and after December 1, 1929.

For your convenience we have described below the principal changes in the new schedules compared with the rate now in effect.

We want you to know and understand the new rates, realizing that it is through the co-operation of our customers in further utilizing the service, that future reductions will be accelerated.

NEW RESIDENTIAL RATE

	Gross	Net	
First 3 kwh. per room per month @	11.5c	10.925c	per kwh.
Next 3 kwh. per room per month @	9.0c	8.55c	per kwh.
Excess kwh. per room per month @	4.0c	3.8c	per kwh.

Prompt Payment Discount: 5% from Gross rate.
Minimum Charge: $1.00 net per meter per month.

OLD RATE

	Gross	Net	
First 3 kwh. per room per month @	14.0c	12.6c	per kwh.
Next 3 kwh. per room per month @	10.0c	9.0c	per kwh.
Excess kwh. per room per month @	5.0c	4.5c	per kwh.

Prompt Payment Discount: 10% from Gross Rate.
Minimum Charge: $1.00 net per meter per month.

The Residential Rate, as its name indicates, applies only to current consumed in dwellings.

Upon comparison with the present rates, it can readily be seen that the new reduced rates offer a definite saving to every householder whether a large or small user—a reduction having been made in each of the three steps of the rate.

If you wish exact information concerning the effect the new reduced electric rates will have upon your electric bill—we shall be glad to fully explain if you will call at, or write our nearest office.

NEW COMMERCIAL RATE

	Gross	Net	
First 50 kwh. per month @	11.5c	10.925c	per kwh.
Next 100 kwh. per month @	9.0c	8.55c	per kwh.
Next 350 kwh. per month @	6.5c	6.175c	per kwh.
Excess kwh. per month @	5.5c	5.225c	per kwh.

Prompt Payment Discount: 5% from Gross rate.
Minimum Charge: $1.00 net per meter per month.

OLD RATE

14c Gross—12.6c Net Per Kilowatt hour.
Prompt Payment Discount: 10% from Gross Rate.
Minimum Charge: $1.00 net per meter per month.

The Commercial Rate applies to stores and commercial establishments. The new reduced Commercial Lighting Rates benefits all users and offers substantial savings.

Not only has the rate been reduced, but the number of kilowatt hours on the first step has been cut to 50. This presents a better opportunity for the small commercial lighting customer to reach the second step and thus fully participate in the savings made available by this new rate.

Full particulars concerning the application of this new Commercial Lighting Rate to your particular business, will gladly be given if you call at, or write our nearest office.

NEW POWER RATE

	Gross	Net	
First 200 kwh. per month @	6.5c	6.175c	per kwh.
Next 300 kwh. per month @	5.5c	5.225c	per kwh.
Next 500 kwh. per month @	4.5c	4.275c	per kwh.
Next 1,000 kwh. per month @	3.5c	3.325c	per kwh.
Excess kwh. per month @	3.0c	2.85c	per kwh.

Prompt Payment Discount: 5% from Gross rate.
Minimum Charge:
First 10 H. P. of connected load @ $1.00 net per month per H. P.
Next 20 H. P. of connected load @ $.75 net per month per H. P.
Excess H. P. of connected load @ $.50 net per month per H. P.
No minimum less than $1.00 net per month.

OLD RATE

	Gross	Net	
First 200 kwh. per month @	7.3c	6.935c	per kwh.
Next 300 kwh. per month @	6.3c	5.985c	per kwh.
Next 500 kwh. per month @	5.5c	5.225c	per kwh.
Next 1,000 kwh. per month @	4.5c	4.275c	per kwh.
Excess kwh. per month @	3.8c	3.61c	per kwh.

Prompt Payment Discount: 5% from Gross rate.
Minimum Charge:
First 10 H. P. of connected load @ $1.00 net per month per H. P.
Next 20 H. P. of connected load @ $.75 net per month per H. P.
Excess H. P. of connected load @ $.50 net per month per H. P.
No minimum less than $1.00 net per month.

A large portion of this $1,250,000 electric rate reduction benefits the small power users—that is, power customers having up to 50 horsepower installed.

To this class of service, the new power rates shown above offer a considerable saving over the old rates. This rate reduction is the direct result of a steadily increasing demand for electricity as the most dependable and satisfactory source of power.

To any power customer wishing a detailed explanation of these new reduced rates as applied to his particular requirements, full information will be cheerfully given at our office.

NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

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The Creamery List

The list of checks in amounts of $50 and over, issued hy the creamery for the past month, is published herewith. The month of September is generally considered one of the lightest months in matter of cream production, and this year was no exception. The list shows however some good sized checks for that month. Here is the list:

Anton Bros.	$202.81
C. H. Swanson	190.20
Christ Anton	172.81
Fred Ulrich	166.26
N. E. Beebe	157.25
O. Mogen	157.17
J. Larson	148.97
O. Larson	135.06
And. Erickson	134.30
E. Stephens	118.80
Swanson Bros.	116.65
A. Ortloff	109.85
Wm. Rinkenberger	107.65
Erickson Bros.	106.88
L. Erickson	104.72
George Haupt	103.16
Gust Larson	102.05

A. Anderson, $97.10, J. Norman, 95.44, McKercher and Son, 94.98, Johnson Bros. 93.31, Ole Hagglund, 91.93, F. Anderson, 91.74, K. Dalager, 89.97, H. Burstad, 89.69, Mrs. I. Konickson' 87.89, Novak and Son, 83.71, A. Johnson, 83.42 D. J. J. Johnson, 85.40, N. Schalz, 82.11 John Gothia 81.70 Art Swenson, 81.41, E. Larson 81.25, B. Johnson, 81.11, H. Holmes, 80.33, J. Anderson, 80.22, Wm. Palmquist, 79.73, E. Hallameck, 79.37, H. Luttmer, 79.20, Fred Soderberg, 78.86 Roy Randorf 77.52, H. Jepson, 76.86, I. Johnson, 76.25, Svenson Bros. 73.46, F. Landman, 72.66, C. A. Lindquist, 72.15, Merchant State Bank, 70.44, John Steiger, 69.57, Mrs. A. P. Anderson, 68.91, Dan Johnson, 68.73, R. Melin, 68.48 E. Akerlund, 67.85, F. Schmidt, 67.79, Sig. Vik, 67.79, C. O. Swanson, 67.12, H. Hawkinson, 66.68, C. Zinter, 65.80, Mortenson Bros., 65.49, O. L. Larson, 65.47, H. Hallstrom, 65.24' V. G. Brink, 64.57: P. Thyren 63.11, F. Bothman, 62,92, A. Husby 62.55, F. S. Erdmann, 62.41, J. Patten, 58.97 F, Rux, 57.69, Alf. Dahlstrom, 56.98, And. Mortenson, 56.36 Mrs. A. Aubol, 56.11, Wm. Ewing, 56.01 Gust Erickson, 55.41; Ed. Moren, 23.64, J, Hedlund, 52.71' J. Lundherg. 52.70, A. Sorvig, 50.29.

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Homecoming At A. C.

Faculty and students of the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, have extended a most cordial invitation to all friends of the institution to attend the Annnal Home Coming Celebration and Reunion, Saturday, October 26. A large delegation of alumni and former students are expected to arrive in time for a special assembly scheduled for 11:10 A. M. and to remain for the get-together dinner and the all school party in the evening.

Coach R. J. Christgau's fighting Aggies will meet the Park Region Luther College team from Fergus Falls at 2:30 P. M. in what is expected to be the most thrilling football game ever played hefore a home homing crowd. Unusual interest centers around this game as it will be the first clash between the Luther College and the local Aggies.

T. H. No. 8 Being Graveled

Gravel in heing spread on the new part of Highway No. 8, from Marcoux station south of Red Lake Falls to Erskine. The new road, which was built this summer, has been open for traffic for some time but gravelling was delayed to permit the grade to settle.

Halloween Social

A Halloween Social is to he held in the church basement of the Norwegian Lutheran church Thursday evening, October 31st. After a social hour, lunch will be served. Everybody welcome.

The Fairmont Creamery Company will purchase poultery in St. Hilaire this fall, according to statement of their traveling representative. This decision on part of the company was reached after their representaive had traveled thru most of the rural community and found there was more poultry being raised tributary to St. Hilaire than any other similar community in this part of the state.

John D. Porter, auto dealer at Bemidji, was up last week for a short business trip and to call on friends. Mr. Porter and family expect to leave Bemidji in a short time to locate in one of the southern states, posshly Arizona, where he will again engage in the automobile business.

Indian Summer

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Ed Roy returned Saturday after a trid to Rochester to seek medical advice at the Mayo Clinic.

A successful auction sale is reported from the John O. Carlson farm in Mayfield where a sale was held Tuesday.

A carload of sweet clover seed was shipped out here Saturday hy the C. Roe Grain Company to a seed house at Fargo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eide and family motored up Thursday from Virginia and spent until Sunday at the home of Mrs. Eide's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Aug. Erickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carpenter came up this week from Isle and will make their home the coming winter on their farm southeast of here.

Dr. and Mrs. S. W. Swenson of Warren, were guests Friday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Haugen and family motored during the week-end to Glenfield, N. D., and visited until Monday at the home of Mrs. Haugen's brother, E. O. Johnson.

Mrs. M. Bjerk and daughter, Laurine, went Friday to Holt and visited until the following day with their daughter and sister, Bernice, who is employed there.

Ed Durbin and son, Verle, motored up Sunday from Hibbing and spent until Tuesday afternoon here attending to business matters and visiting with friends.

Again tbe Middle West benefits-- One hundred carloads 188 proof denatured alcohol 59c gal. Actually below wholesale--Weed chains $1.69 and up at 102 Gambe Stores in 8 states.

Chas. Seeger of Red Lake Falls, returned home Friday from the hospital at Warren where he had been a patient for ten weeks. He feels considerably improved, and hopes to eventually regain his usual good health. Mr. Seeger is the father of Mrs. F. S. Erdmann.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gunstad and family, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Johnson and daughter, Mrs. A. Gunstad, Arthur Gunstad and Frank Peterson motored Sunday to Leonard and spent the day there at the Falconer home.

Mrs. N. Lovness of Stranquist is visiting this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hauge.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Beehe motored Sunday to Wannaska and spent the day there at the Oslund home, returning that evening.

The C. Roe Grain Company unloaded a carload of hard coal first of this week and distributed it among their customers around town.

Mrs. T. Skatrud and children returned home Monday morning after a visit with relatives in Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Olsen motored up Sunday from Leonard and spent the day with his parents here and with relatives in Thief River.

William Engh, who has heen quite ill the past two weeks, is able to be out again. He is gaining strength rapidly and hopes to he his usual self in a short time.

Rev. A. Bloom and familv, of Thief River Falls, accompanied by Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson motored yesterday to Winnipeg to see the sights in the Dominion city.

Foundations have been poured, and construction work was started this week on the new stock barn to he erected on the former F. Dammon place east of here.

For Sale:-5 lamhs, 14 ewes, 10 cows, some ready to freshen, and 6 head of good farm horses. Wish to dispose of the ahove before cold weather sets in. Call on
2c Wash Adams, City

James Kinney of Thief River, and Ferdle Swenson returned Monday from St. Paul where they visited with Mrs. Kinney, who is a patient at a hospital there. The latter is improving steadily, and hopes to be home soon.

Mrs. E. H. Stephens has been seriously ill the past week from an attack of pleurisy. She is reported to be improving at this time which will be welcome news to her many friends.

Mike McAndress shipped a carload of stock from here Saturday to market at So. St. Paul. The stock train Saturday carried the largest number of carloads of stock it has handled in any one day this fall.

Surprise Party

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Starken were pleasantly surprised by a number of friends last Friday evening on occasion of their wedding anniversary. A very pleasant evening was spent and at midnight a bountiful lunch was served by the self-invited guests. Mr. and Mrs. Starken were presented with a purse of money and a number of pretty gifts as reminders of the happy occasion. Those present were:- Mr. aud Mrs. J. Gauthier and sons, Clifford, Wilmer and Chester, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hallemeck, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Knott and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Raller and daughter, and Mrs. Chas. Laungman of Thief River Falls, Mrs. Mary Schenke and sons, Ed, Paul and Herman of Resewood, John Mortenson and son, Elton, and Denn, Duane and Phillip Ewing.

P. T. Meeting Nov. 1st

Next regular meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held at the school huilding Friday evening, Nov. 1st. A fine program will be given, and lunch will be served.

Miss L. Jerpe, who taught in the local school a few years ago, and is now teaching at Bemidji, visited at the Harry Winter home and with other friends here last week end after attending the N. M. E. A. meetings at Thief River Falls.

An auction sale of the personal property of the late Pete Lindblom, consisting of horses, cattle, hogs, farm machinery, etc., will take place at the Lindblom farm in Bray township, northwest of here, today.

Mr. and Mrs. Aryid Johnson leave latter part of this week for Wichita, Kansas., where they will make their home.

Chicken Dinner

The Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will serve a chicken dinner at the church parlors on Friday, Oct. 25th.

Menu
Creamed Chicken
Meat Balls Mashed Potatoes
Cabbage Salad
Cranberries Pickles
Bread and Butter
Apple Pie Coffee
Adults 35 Children 25

Injured In Auto Spill

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kundert of Red Lake Falls, the former being manager of the telephone system in this village, were injured Thursday evening last when their car struck loose gravel and turned over near Madison while they were enroute to Montevedio to visit relatives.

Mrs. Kundert was the more seriously injured, she suffering a fractured arm and other injuries, which will necessitate her staying in a hospital for at least two weeks Mr. Kundert's injuries were not so serious, and he was able to return home Sunday. Their car, a newly purchased Ford sedan, was quite badly smashed.

Bratrud Buys Farm

Dr. Theo. Bratrud, nationally known surgeon residing at Warren, has demonstrated his faith in this section of Minnesota by his recent purchase of the former Spaulding farm, a 1500 tract of land adjacent to the city of Warren. The farm, which is exceptionally well improved, was sold recently at auction, and the price paid by Dr. Bratrud was approximately $50,000.00.

Chicken Dinner

The Aid of the Evangelical Mission church will serve a fried chicken supper at the Odd Fellow hall starting at 5:30 P. M., Wednesday, October 30th. All welcome. Adults .35, Children .25

R. Gordon and family have moved in from the former Edgington farm, which they occupied the past two seasons, and are now nicely settled at the former A. S. Wilson farm across the tracks.

Winter Oil that will allow you to start your car easily in freezing weather--yet gives proper lubrication on warm days--flows at 20 below zero. 59c gal. can. Gamhle Stores.

The outbreak of hog cholera, reported last week on a farm northwest of Thief River Falls, resulted in the death of all hogs on the place. Farmers thruout this territory are taking precautions against an outbreak by having their hogs vaccinated. At present prices being paid for hogs, it does not pay to take chances.

Save A Little

The old saying that "anyone can make money, but it takes a smart man to save it" is just as true today as ever.

It requires a certain amount of gumption and spirit of "get there" to save. A small amount deposited in savings account each week, will soon grow into a considerable amount. The Old Reliable, "time tried and panic tested" stands ready to help you. Lets Co

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Co-operation

Co-operation means more than just a word. It means help one another, or working together. In affairs of the creamery, it means the farmers in this community have banded together to own and operate the plant.

By hauling your cream to the creamery, and inducing others to do likewise, you are not only helping yourself, but your neighbors and the whole community.

If you are not already a share holder, co-operate with your neighbors by buying at least one.

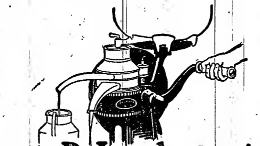
St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Notice to Taxpayers

Last half of real estate taxes for the current year must be paid before November 1st, 1929 to avoid penalty for non-payment.

John Gullingsrud, Co. Treas

Pennington County, Minn.



Is your DeLaval separator in good running order?

If it isn't, then you may be losing butter-fat and shortening the life of the machine; and ninety-nine times out of a hundred it isn't the fault of the machine but due to the fact that it needs attention, adjustment, cleaning, or the replacement of some part.

Bring in your De Laval Separator to us and we will put it in first-class running order. Bring in the complete machine, and in order to save expense clean out the oil chamber and gears with kerosene or boiling water. You can do this just as well as we can.

Carlson Merc. Co., Inc.

O. C. Johnson, Mgr

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.

St. Hilaire. Minn.

World Rolls On

When I was a young fellow, I predicted rather frequently that the world was going to the devil; and the world hasn't gone to the devil yet . . . I believe everyone may confidently plod along with the comforting certainty that the stars will not break loose and smash this little old world into dust. The world takes good care of itself; if you take as good care of yourself as the world does, you'll be voted a wonder. Every little while a human skull is found thousands of years old. No doubt the skull was formerly worn by a man who worried constantly about the world going to the devil.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

Darwin's Evolution Theory

The Darwin theory undertakes to explain one phase of evolution. It is the theory of the origin and perpetuation of new species of animals and plants. The theory maintains that organisms tend to produce offspring varying slightly from their parents and that the process of natural selection tends to favor the survival of individuals whose peculiarities render them best adapted to their environment; also that chiefly by the continued operation of these factors, new species not only have been and may still be produced, but organisms of widely differing groups may have arisen from common ancestors.

POULTRY

VITAMINE NEEDED IN CHICK RATION

Liberal Use of Milk Quite Essential for Chickens.

A vitamine required by poultry and hitherto unrecognized, has been discovered by L. C. Norris, G. F. Heuser and H. S. Wilgus, Jr., of the Cornell university agricultural experiment station. This vitamine which is contained in milk is essential for the growth of chicks and for the prevention of a peculiar type of paralysis which may result in incurable deformities.

The discovery was in part accidental and resulted from an attempt to get a chick ration low in calcium and phosphorous, which would be suitable to study the requirements of chicks for these minerals. Casein, a purified milk protein, was used as the main source of protein in the experimental ration. When it was used in place of milk the chick ration was found lacking in this vitamine which prevents paralysis.

The experiment demonstrates that the use of liberal quantities of milk is essential where chicks or mature birds are confined indoors and are not provided with succulent green feed. To conclude from this experiment that milk should invariably be used in all poultry rations would be unwise, they say, as good chicks have been reared in the past with little or no milk and good winter egg production has also often been obtained with rations which contained no milk. It is probable, therefore, that this unknown factor is present in slight amounts in meat products, cereals and cereal by-products, and in large amounts in succulent leafy green feeds.

Barred Plymouth Rock Favored to Caponize

One of the best breeds of poultry for caponizing is the Barred Rock as the sex can be determined at an early age. The cockerels will be light and the pullets dark and when the chicks are about six weeks old and weigh close to one and a half pounds each, the poultryman can go into his colony houses with a spotlight and collect cockerels as fast as he can pick them up.

In caponizing such breeds as Rhode Island Reds or White Wyandottes, it is more difficult to pick out the male birds at an early age, says a writer in the Michigan Farmer. Considerable accuracy is possible by studying the heads. The male birds soon appear more coarse and have a harsher voice than the pullets. Pullets of any color soon develop what might be called the feminine type of head. It is smaller and more refined than the head of the male bird. The heads, beaks, and even the undeveloped combs on male chicks have a different appearance from pullets.

Some breeders caponize White Leghorn cockerels and make them weigh as much as six pounds but in general the caponizing is confined to the heavier meat breeds like the Barred Plymouth Rock, Jersey Black Giant or Light Brahma.

Various Good Points of the African Goose

The African goose has had at different times several names, among which were China goose, swan goose, Chinese swan, Guinea goose, Spanish goose and others. Its origin is unknown, but it is quite probable that it originated in a cross between the goose we now call the China goose and the Toulouse, and from this cross was perfected until it is now an enlarged kind of a Brown China goose.

The African goose lays better than any of the other larger breeds and it grows to be as large as any other. Specimens that were given the best care have grown to weigh 25 pounds, but the standard weight for a full-grown African goose is 20 pounds. They are very hardy and easy to raise. They are very watchful and know strangers from those whom they see every day. When a stranger comes among them they set up a clamor that notifies every one within hearing that something out of the ordinary has happened.

Plenty Good Features

Poultry houses that are built today are sensible; though they have plenty of fresh air, they have no draughts, though they contain more hens to the square foot, there is no dampness which is so fatal.

Two essentials that can be had for the taking are provided—sunlight and fresh air—and with these there is no reason why we should not have the healthiest race of fowl found on the face of the globe, and as a result an increased production of eggs.

Ventilation Essential

Ventilation is another essential of modern poultry housing. A good ventilation system supplies fresh air in the poultry house without making it subject to sudden temperature changes. Ventilation removes dampness and eliminates foul odors, making the flock healthier and more comfortable. Automatic ventilation systems are now on the market which consist of intake flues in the back of the house and a cupola on the roof to carry out foul air.

FORFEITED TAX SALE

Notice of Expiration of Redemption

Office of County Auditor,
County of Pennington
State of Minnesota

TO J. W. Kolp Estate.

You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land, situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Lot 17 in Block 1. Townsite of Hazel, Minnesota.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

That on the 6th day of May, A. D. 1922, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 17th day of March, A. D. 1922, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year A. D. 1920, for said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was duly offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer an amount equal to that for which said piece or parcel was subject to be sold, to-wit, the sum of Seventy nine cents, the same was duly bid in for the State of Minnesota for said sum.

That thereafter, and on the 12th day of August, A. D. 1929, the said piece or parcel of land, not then having been redeemed from said sale, and having then become the absolute property of the State of Minnesota, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County pursuant to the order and direction of the State Auditor of the State of Minnesota, and in accordance with the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided, for the sum of One Dollar and 34 cents duly paid to the County Treasurer of said County.

That the certificate of sale for said piece or parcel of land executed and delivered by said County Auditor upon said sale last above mentioned has been presented to me at my office by the holder thereof for the purpose of having notice of expiration of time for redemption from said tax sale of said property given and served.

That the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale, at the date of this notice, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon said notice, is the sum of One Dollar and 34 cents (and interest as provided by law to the day such redemption is made).

That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after service of this notice and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS, my hand and seal of office this 24th day of September, A. D. 1929.

(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor, Pennington County,
Minnesota.

(O-17-31)

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, } ss.
County of Pennington
State of Minnesota

TO D. S. B. Johnson Land Company.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Lot 7 of Block 2. and Lots 1 to 10 inclusive of Block 4 and Lots 18 and 19 of Block 4, and Lots 25 to 32 inclusive of Block 4 all in the Townsite of Hazel Minnesota.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1922, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 15th day of March, 1922, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1920, for said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said piece or parcel, was bid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($14.22), Fourteen and 22|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 9th day of September, 1929, the said piece or parcel not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Eighty six and 48|100 Dollars and forty eight cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($86.48), Eighty six Dollars and forty eight cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($86.48), from said 9th day of September, 1929, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service at my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 24th day of September, 1929.

(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor, Pennington County,
Minnesota.

Approved July 13, 1925.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. (O-17-31)

Probably Egyptian

Geometry and algebra probably originated in Egypt. It is said that geometry was invented because of the need of surveying lands inundated by the Nile floods. The oldest manuscript treating of algebra is that of Ahmes, an Egyptian, who about 1700 B. C. copied a treatise dating probably from 2500 B. C.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. J. P. Glemaker came from Grand Forks to join her husband, who had opened a store here.

—XXV—

W. A. Arthur went to Crookston and exercised his homestead right by filing on a quarter section in Mayfield.

—XXV—

Dave Turner, the veteran traveling man, of Crookston, was calling on the trade here that week.

—XXV—

I. Dahlin and Chas. Fellman had houses completed on their claims on the Reservation.

—XXV—

Bob Fritz drove down from Thief River for a visit with his numerous friends among the mill men, and about town.

—XXV—

Nels K. Anderson, prominent Sanders farmer, was a candidate for Judge of Probate a election that fall.

—XXV—

The case of Hokan Johnson vs. the Crookston Lumber Company was being tried at Red Lake Falls that week. Mr. Johnson was suing for $2,000.00 damages for injuries received by his son, Walter, who lost several fingers while knot-sawing at the mill.

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

Dust to Dust

IN THE Pineunt mining region of Nevada during the early nineties, rich gold-bearing veins were discovered in the foothills. Coincident with this discovery came the development of placer claims in the beds of some valley streams. There was a tremendous rush of prospectors from neighboring mining towns, and Pineunt became the center of much activity. Unfortunately, it proved to be a superficial bonanza and petered out in a short time. A few fanatics still lingered on, hoping that a sharp pick in hopeful hands would open a new Golconda at an unexpected moment.

As Robert H. Davis tells the story, one of the "hangers on" had the bad taste to die. It was the custom in new mining camps for the district recorder to perform the services of the church and to lay to rest those who expired with or without their boots on. The ceremony was the same for both.

This particular funeral took place in the dry bed of the creek. A hole 6 by 2 by 3 had been scooped from the gravel. The body reposed in a rude coffin.

The recorder, from the Book of Common Prayer, read the service in a solemn voice:

The coffin was lowered by horny hands.

"Ye brought nothing into this world and ye shall take nothing out."

"The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away. Blessed be the name of the Lord Dust to dust."

Reaching down he gathered a handful of dirt and gravel which sifted through his fingers and fell with a rattaplan upon the wooden box.

"Ashes to ashes."

But instead of either dust or ashes the gleam of a nugget flashed back from the coffin lid. There it lay, resurrected from the eternal glacier while the lamented was being returned to the mold.

Without a moment's hesitation the recorder dropped his prayer book jumped into the grave, heaved the deceased out of the property and exclaimed in a loud voice:

"I claim everything 750 north and south and 600 feet east and west. Everybody get off these premises!"

With that, he pulled out two six-shooters, cleared his estate of spectators and put up his location notices without delay.

The interment took place the following day in a vegetable garden.

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British Postal System Has Many Conveniences

The British post office officials are capable and obliging and if anyone should lose himself, he can go to the nearest post office and mail himself home. An express messenger is sometimes given charge of a person and takes him to his destination, where he obtains a receipt. The charges, based upon the distance traveled, are quite moderate. If you merely wish to prove that a letter has been posted, there is no need to register it. The post office will supply you with a "certificate of posting" for a cent. If you miss the last collection of letters and have an urgent communication to send, ring up the head post office of the district, tell them your plight, and dictate the letter. It will be written out and sent off with the night mail. The charge is six cents for the first thirty words, two cents for every ten afterward, and the ordinary postage and telephone fee.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday, Oct. 20
Sunday school 10:00.
Morning Services 11:00.
Evening service at 8:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Black River church at 10:00 with Sunday school following.

Sunday school in local church at 2:00, and services at 3:00.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Services in local church Sunday morning at 11:00, Norwegian. Rev. I. B. Land of Oklee will conduct services in St. Pauli church Sunday morning at 11:00.

Oak Ridge Luth. 2:30.

Circuit meetings will be held at St. Pauli church Oct. 29-31.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our most heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all who assisted us during the last illness of our beloved wife and mother. We also wish to thank the quartette, which sang at the funeral and the American Legion, the Auxiliary and others who contributed flowers.

O. O. Maland and family.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of our dear father:
One year has passed since that sad day,
The one we loved was called away.
But in the light of God we see
you each night as we lay down.
We hear your voice as when on earth, and see each smile and frown.
Farewell dear father, sweet be thy rest.
And tender memories of thee we keep.
Yet again we hope to meet thee,
When the day of life has fled.
And in Heaven with joy to greet thee
Where no farewell tears are shed.

Mrs. John King and family.

G. O. P. Leaders Vote Night Sessions.

Washington—Mindful that President Herbert Hoover wants the tariff out of the way when the regular session begins, republican leaders mapped out a program to expedite the measure through the senate at the earliest possible moment. Three steps were agreed upon: First—The finance committee republicans to meet daily and decide on what amendments might be accepted without debate. Second—To propose night sessions. Third—Convene the senate at 10 instead of 11 a. m. each day if night sessions should not be possible.

The Spectator, $1.50

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$1.07
Duram Wheat	.98
Rye	.79
Barley	.41
Oats	.33
Flax	2.96
Eggs, cash	.32
Creamery butter	.49

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

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The Spectator is equipped to print your letter-heads, envelopes, statements, sales slips and pads and anything else you may need.

Look up Now what you will need, and let us have your order.

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See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

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MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Owatonna—The 1930 Steele county fair will be conducted August 25 to 28.

Gaylord—The Norwegian Grove Lutheran congregation dedicated its new church near here.

McIntosh—Fred Idtse, agricultural agent of the eastern Polk county, has resigned, effective December 1.

Owatonna—Bids for a cottage at the State School here have been rejected and work will be delayed until spring.

Sauk Rapids—E. Schorey of Sartell is the new commander of the Frank Heinzel post of the American Legion.

Red Wing—Fifty-four cases were on the calendar for the fall term of court, of which 24 have been disposed of out of court.

Ivanhoe—The annual Lincoln County Farm bureau banquet is scheduled for Saturday, November 9, at the Ivanhoe high school auditorium.

Moose Lake—Minnesota paid tribute to the victims of the disastrous forest fire of October 12, 1918, at memorial exercises in Riverside park here.

St. Charles—The new Methodist church here will be dedicated October 27, with Dr. Alfred Hughes, president of Hamline University, as speaker.

Red Wing—A baby was fatally burned and its mother, Mrs. Henry Hanson, seriously hurt in an explosion at their home at Eggleston, 10 miles north of here.

New Ulm—Brown county's champion corn husker will be picked November 7, to represent the area in the state contest to be conducted later in November.

St. Paul—More than 1,000 boys and girls are attending the four state schools of agriculture, according to R. M. West, registrar at the University of Minnesota.

Hutchinson—Rev. Emil Becker of Ableman, Wis., is the new pastor of the German Baptist church. He succeeds Rev. C. M. Knapp, who went to Wishek, N. D.

Red Lake Falls—Rural school teachers of Red Lake county held their twelfth annual institute here, Miss Erbe E. Pouliot, county superintendent, presiding.

Rush City—Frank W. Hanson, assistant fire chief here for many years, has been appointed chief to succeed P. W. Smith, who retired after 29 years of service.

Minneapolis—W. D. Washburn, long a prominent figure in civic and state affairs died here, age 66 years. He was a house member during eight legislative sessions since 1901.

Minneapolis—John Blackburn, 39, former Minneapolis printer, ended his life, according to a report received from Havana by jumping into the ocean from the liner Magnolia.

Montevideo—Ralph Baumhofer has been appointed scoutmaster in charge of local Boy Scouts. W. J. Austin, has been named as assistant scout commissioner for this section.

Gaylord—At the annual meeting of the local American Legion post, Judge E. A. Rogstad was elected commander. The post is planning to entertain the third district convention next June.

Willmar—M. E. Chambers of Kerkhoven was named zone governor at an organization meeting of cream and produce buyers here. G. J. Hanson of Willmar was elected secretary-treasurer.

Mankato—The seventh annual Minnesota Baptists' Convention came to a close here, after a three-day session, with a large attendance. P. H. Timmins, of Minneapolis, was re-elected president.

Minneapolis—Two city officials were instructed by the city council to draw up plans for acquisition of block 20 in the Gateway district as a public square. This block will front on the new postoffice.

Rochester—Residents of communities along the route of federal highway No. 55, intent on making it a leading thoroughfare between Chicago and the Northwest, held their second annual meeting here.

Pine Island—Arthur A. Reddetz of Minneapolis, former cashier of the Farmers State Bank here will be sentenced in District Court at Red Wing November 15, following his plea of guilty to a charge of second degree larceny.

Hamlin—Professor A. C. Smith, chief of the division of poultry husbandry at University farm, has been appointed to edit the 1930 edition of the Standard of Perfection, which is published by the American Poultry association.

Benson—Paul J. Kvale of this city was elected congressman from the seventh Minnesota district to complete the unexpired term of his father, the Rev. O. J. Kvale, who was burned to death in his summer home in Otter Tail county a month ago.

St. Paul—A. Wittbecker for 12 years, state hotel inspector was removed from office and Donald Smith of St. Paul recommended as new department head. Advanced age was given as the main reason for Wittbecker's removal. Mrs. Mary Krispel, chief clerk for 11 years and Wittbecker's step-daughter, is now awaiting hearing on $5,000 bail on a charge of falsifying accounts.

Owatonna—Robert Rowell of St. Paul will lead the Pillsbury Academy crack military squad during the 1929-30 school year.

Litchfield—The city council will consider the application of the Willmar Gas Company for a franchise here at a meeting, October 31. A petition bearing 500 names favoring the project is before the council.

Owatonna—Buttermakers of the ninth district, by two-tenths of a point, won out over the tenth district buttermakers in a butter scoring contest here conducted in connection with a joint session of the two districts.

HOTEL FIRETRAP KILLS SEVEN

Clues Point to Incendiarism; Terror Crazed Guests Fight For Exit.

Seattle, Wash.—Seven are dead and 15 injured as a result of a fire which broke out in an old firetrap hotel in the "skid road" district of this city, trapping guests at the head of a stairway, the only exit. Some of the injured are expected to die.

The hotel was an old three-story structure tenanted by loggers and laborers. The fire, which is now believed to have been of incendiary origin, broke out on the second floor and those on that floor were unable to reach the stairway which was roaring like a draft furnace. There they piled up, screaming and fighting, some dying in the tangled mass of legs, arms and bodies. Others had jumped, some dying in the attempt to escape.

When the firemen arrived the wooden hotel was a mass of flames, but which was soon brought under control. That there was no further loss of life was a miracle in which the firemen contributed much as three of them were overcome and one injured in a fall.

It is believed that a number of Japanese were also burned to death in the living quarters of the Japanese proprietor.

Senate Votes Farm Board Confirmation.

Washington—Present members of the farm board appointed by President Hoover have all been confirmed, though confirmation was accompanied by a spirit of criticism that indicated that the majority view of the senate was that the present federal farm bill is not the proper remedial measure. The members confirmed as appointed, but receiving adverse votes were: Chairman Alexander Legge, former Governor S. R. McKelvie of Nebraska, in charge of wheat and Carl Williams of Oklahoma, in charge of cotton. There were 13 votes cast in opposition to the nomination of Chairman Legge. 27 votes in opposition to Gov. McKelvie, in charge of the wheat problem and 7 against Carl Williams. Senator Wheeler enlivened the finale by demanding the same treatment for the farmer as for any other industry.

Smith, Coolidge Form Trust Pact.

New York—Alfred E. Smith has confirmed a story that he, Calvin Coolidge and Julius E. Rosenwald, Chicago multimillionaire merchant, are administering a huge trust fund for the benefit of humanity. It is, Smith declared, "a labor of love for us three." The trio of famous men, representing, respectively, the Catholic, Protestant and Jewish faiths, are known to have had four meetings at monthly intervals since last July in connection with the administration of the fund, left by Conrad Hubert, known as "the father of the electric flashlight," who died last March.

Coinage of Cents

Indian cents were coined from 1858 to 1909 inclusive. A few rare ones, made of nickel, aluminum or unusual alloys are at considerable premium, but they are never seen in circulation. The Lincoln cents were first issued in 1909. Some of those of that year bear on the reverse the initials of the designer, Victor D. Brenner. These were removed before the end of the year. Under the date on many Lincoln cents appear the letters "S" and "D," indicating that they were made at the San Francisco or Denver mints. The 1922 cent is the rarest of all modern ones. It sells at a premium of a few cents, and is seldom to be seen in circulation. Only a few more than 90,000 of that date were issued.

Pothooks and Hangers

By M. E. MARCH

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JIMMY had come early. It was regular lesson night, but the Shark wouldn't appear for perhaps half an hour. Plenty of time for Jimmy in which to learn his fate.

So he sat in the little parlor of Louise's home and waited. Presently she would come in briskly, her brown eyes demure, her lips smiling. And Jimmy, young lawyer though he was, knew that his heart would skip a beat and his ruddy face take on a still deeper hue as he faced her.

In that room he had sat three nights a week with Louise and—yes—Terry Gerard, the Shark—who was the particular fly in Jimmy's ointment. Why did he need a commercial education, anyway? His business didn't require it. Jimmy's did; at least, so he had represented to Louise when he had begged her to teach him the art of shorthand.

So around this table the three had sat—Louise and her two mismated pupils. Both had invented their need of a knowledge of shorthand in order to be near the object of their affections.

His heart skipped a beat as Louise entered.

While he was holding her hand, which had been extended in welcome, he looked at it idiotically, as if he had never seen it before.

"Why, Jimmy," said Louise, looking at him in surprise.

"You promised to write my answer. Today."

"And so I have."

"Didn't get it," gasped Jimmy. "Mail service punk. Was it yes or no?"

"Silly," she answered, diving into her pocket. "I didn't say I'd mail it to you. Weren't you to come this evening to take your lesson? Well!"

She handed him a notebook.

"That is my answer," she told him sweetly.

He looked at it helplessly. "Jehoshephat!" he exclaimed. For the first time he envied that Shark. He could have read those marks.

It was at "recess" the night before that it happened. The Shark had left early, Louise had told him good night in what seemed to Jimmy a most unnecessarily interested fashion, and Jimmy had forthwith laid his heart and fortune at his teacher's feet. In a sweetly businesslike manner she had promised to write him her answer.

"That is your answer," repeated Louise.

Jimmy set his teeth and began to study those awful marks with a vengeance.

A gasp escaped him. There was a familiar chicken track in that first line. It was the one phrase he had learned very early in the course, thinking some time to use it craftily—"I love you!" He recognized that when he saw it. It was there but what was that silly little mark preceding the word love?

"Teacher," he said in a wheedling tone which he sometimes used teasingly, "teacher, you made this character a little lame. I can't quite make it out." He held his breath.

"That," answered Louise, turning to him patiently and spelling the word phonetically, "is 'd-o-n-'-t'—half length, you know, to add 't'."

Jimmy stiffened and the notebook fell to the floor. When Louise left it there and turned away again he exploded.

"I hope you're satisfied," he said thickly. "You've made all kinds of a fool of me—deliberately, too."

Louise raised her finger warningly and listened. "I think Terry's coming," she said. "He's early."

Jimmy swallowed and looked for his hat. He was certain now—the Shark had won. Louise's smile showed that. It was radiant and her face was shining with a glory that only love can bring.

"Can't stay for lesson," he mumbled, cramming the letter into his pocket and making for the door.

"It was a false alarm," said Louise after a moment of looking toward the door.

"That shark—" began Jimmy angrily.

"Isn't he a wonder?" asked Louise. "He can read shorthand like print."

"Good night," said Jimmy thickly.

"But," said Louise, innocently, "have you read all the letter Jimmy? There are some good phrases there and you should study—"

"I know one of them," thundered Jimmy, "and that's enough. "I don't love you'—in the first line—that's enough. I can read that."

The doorbell rang jarringly.

Jimmy gave a farewell backward look, saw her brandishing another paper before his eyes, felt her hand upon his arm. But he jerked away angrily from those fingers he had so loved to touch, accidentally, of course, at their tasks.

"I'll read no more fool marks," he said.

"But this is a typed transcript of the fool marks, Jimmy," she explained.

"I knew you were a fraud and prepared this for you," and suddenly her arm went about his stubborn neck, tightened, and brought his eyes down within range of the typewritten words:

"I don't love you half as much as I'm going to—"

"Jehoshephat!" Jimmy waited to read no more, but blinking at the heavenly light that enveloped him, he kissed his teacher, and together they went to the door to let in the Shark.

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Hoover Agrees to Armistice Speech.

Washington — President Herbert Hoover has agreed to make an Armistice day speech in Continental Memorial Hall in Washington at a meeting under the auspices of the American Legion.

Accident Specialist Doctors Predicted.

Chicago—Dr. D. P. D. Wilke, professor of surgery, of Edinburgh, who is attending the clinical congress of the American College of Surgeons, has predicted another class of specialists—the accident doctor.

Six Countries Send Dairy Visitors.

St. Louis—Twenty-eight states and six foreign countries were represented in the crowd of 50,000 persons who thronged the arena and exhibition building at the National Dairy show here.

"Shorthand"

The origin of brief writing, or "shorthand," is clouded in mystery. No authentic record exists establishing its practical use much before the first century B. C. From that period until about 300 A. D. the art flourished throughout the Roman empire. The secretary and librarian of Cicero, Marcus Tullius Tiro, was the pioneer of Roman shorthand. The chief use of shorthand in Roman times was made by the leaders in the church and by government officials. Church dignitaries who made conspicuous use of shorthand were St. Augustine, Origen and St. Jerome. All the Roman emperors employed shorthand secretaries. Several emperors attempted to learn it.

Thankful for That

A little girl who disliked milk puddings had been made to finish her portion before leaving the table.

"Now may I get down?" she asked, with a sigh of relief.

"When you've said your grace," nodded her mother.

"But I've nothing to give thanks for," answered the child.

"Then you'd better stay there."

This was too much for the little girl, and putting her hands together, she murmured:

"For what I have received I'm truly grateful, and I thank heaven I wasn't sick."—Weekly Scotsman.

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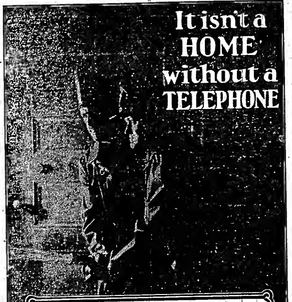
Canadian Indicted in Rum Syndicate.

Washington — Assistant Secretary Seymour Lowman, in charge of prohibition, announced that Captain John McLeod, of the Canadian ship Shawnee, has been indicted by a federal grand jury on a conspiracy charge in connection with a rum smuggling syndicate. The Canadian legation has asked the state department for a report on the action of a coast guard boat in stopping and firing on the Shawnee on the night of September 11 off New York harbor.

Federal Drys Raid Two States.

New York—Striking suddenly along the front extending from Atlantic, N. J., to the east tip of Long Island, an army of federal agents and New Jersey state troopers conducted one of the most elaborately planned offensives which netted one liquor fort armed with machine guns and a secret radio broadcasting station which was used in communicating with rum ships. Thirty-five separate raids were conducted over the wide front.



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Holding Their Claim

By FREDERICK HART

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"I'VE never eaten such delicions waffles!" exclaimed Stephen Hortridge as he gazed regretfully at a clean-swept plate. "Do tell me, Mrs. Ward, how you get them so crisp!"

Mrs. Ward beamed on her prize boarder. Stephen Hartridge was a young mining engineer, and there had been some competition among the keepers of boarding houses for tha honor—and profit—of his trade. Stephen had tried them all, and after one trial at Mrs. Ward's hod remolned as n permanent guest. He lived down at his little shack, where he spent his time making ont reports and testing soils and unpromising looking rocks; but for his meals he never failed to report to Mrs. Ward promptly on the dot.

"Bless you, Mr. Hartridge, I don't make them waffles. I'm no hand to cook. I just run the place and see that everybody gets served. It's my daughter Mary that's the cook. She can take a little flour and some milk and an egg or so and make you think you're sittin' right at your mother's own table!"

"Really? Why haven't I met this paragon of the kitchen?"

"You just set where you are, sir, and I'll ask her to come in," she replied genially. Then, calling to tha back of the house:

"Mary! Oh, Mary! Come here a spell!"

"Yes, mother," replied a voice. In a moment the door swung open and Mary entered. Stephen rosa from his seat and waited expectantly.

"Mary, this is Mr. Hartridge, the engineer down at the river shack," beamed Mrs. Ward. "An' this is my daughter, Mr. Hartridge—the one that makes them waffles you like so much."

Mary blushed and laughed delightfully. Stephen Hartridge looked et her more closely and said:

"I liked your waffles so much that I couldn't resist the temptation to cry, 'Author! Author!'"

"Just so you don't osk me to make a curtain speech," she laughed. "I'm sure I don't mind appearing and bowing." And she suited the action to the word.

Stephen was delighted. He would have said more, but that she fled to the kitchen to attend to the wants of something or other that was in tha oven.

"Mrs. Ward," he said, "you must let me call some evening."

"I'd love to have you," replied tha mother. "And I'm sure Mary'd lika it, too. You come right along any time you feel lika it."

That was the beginning of their acquaintance—an acquaintance that quickly ripened into warm friendship. Stephen found Mary delightful in every way, and she in turn learned to think often of the bronzed young engineer who spoke so quietly and moved so gracefully.

Then one day Stephen failed to appear at mealtime. The day passed, and another, and still no Stephen. Mrs. Ward, anxious, made inquiry and discovered from some grizzled miners that Stephen was holding a claim he had located for his company—a job that necessitated his staying on tha land night and day till tha proper papers could be made out.

"But he hasn't anything to eat!" cried Mary in dismay.

"Oh, he'll git along somehow er other," replied one miner. "I see him cookin' onct er twict as I passed his shanty. Got ony more o' them griddle cakes, Mis' Ward?"

That night—tha fourth of Stephen's absence—a cold rain set in. After clearing the supper table Mary stood looking out at the gray swirls of water thot swept across tha valley. She thought of Stephen in his cheerless little shack, eating food he had cooked himself—he hated cooking, he had said once. She looked and saw no light in the shack. She darted into the kitchen and returned with a well-stocked basket. Throwing a shawl over her head she began the slippery descent to the cabin in the volley.

She was drenched when she got there. Her rap was answered by Stephen's voice, unexpectedly harsh.

"Who's there?"

"It's only Mary," she replied. Instantly the door opened.

"Come in; you must be soaked! I haven't any fire; used my last match yesterday. Why are you here?"

"I—I knew you couldn't get awoy, and so I brought you something to eat—and I have a match." In a moment the fire on the hearth was blazing, and Mary dried herself as best she could while she watched him attack the food.

"Ye gods, but that was good!" he exclaimed, as he finished the last bite. "But you, why did you risk your neck coming down here?"

"Why—why—because I knew you were hungry," faltered Mary, hardly knowing what she said. Stephen Hartridge rose and came to her and took her in his arms.

"Wasn't it because you love me—and you know I love you," he asked. Mary could only nod her head.

Outside the step of a horse was heard, and there entered the man with tha papers that freed Stephen from his imprisonment.

"Well, Steve, the company's proud of you for holding this claim!" he cried.

"I guess I located another claim at the same time," replied Stephen Hartridge with a grin.

Violin East and West

A leading music house says: "We have no record of ever hoving heord of the Chinesa making a violin, and tha instruments made by the Japs are of tha very cheap commercial quality. Tha violin took root in Jopan during tha World war. Since the peace Germany and France have furnished practically all of the cheap instruments for America, and the Japs ere out of the picture. We have no records of any well-known Russian makers. However, the violin is an extremely popular instrument all through eastern Europe, and doubtless thousands of them hava been constructed in Russia, and perhaps thera are some good makers there. None of them, however, seeme to hava been outstanding."—Washington Star.

Art's Definition

Shakespeare had not art? He was had by art; compelled and held by it. And by that holding and compulsion wa get a vision of what art is: not a system, not a set of rules which perchance Aristotle might teach us, or another Greek, but a changing, growing form-compelling power that is individual, but at its greatest expresses an age. This was tha great aga of English, never repeated in its aggregata of color, wealth, diction and power of words.—Henry Chester Tracy, in "English as Experience."

Novelty Social

There will be a "Novelty Social" at the Daisydale school, Dist. 194, 7 miles northwest of St. Hilaire, on Saturday, October 26th. Lunch will be served by the district. Fish-ponds, fortune telling booths, and other attractions. Thelma Anderson, Teacher.

Halloween Social

A Holloween Social will be given Friday evening, November 1st, in the school house in Dist. No. 154 northeast of here. Lunch will be served by the district. A good program has been arranged.

Parcel Social

A Parcel Social will be given in Dist. No. 69, know as the Chas. Lindquist school, Saturday evening Oct 26th. Girls are requested to bring parcels. A good time is in store for all who attend.

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Raymond Fadeen of Milwaukee, Wis., came Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. Helmkay.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Turner, Mrs. Hagness and Jack Turner of Grand Forks, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Helmkay.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Winters motored last week to Detroit Lakes and visited at home of his sister.

Gerald Stephens, who has been near Blackduck, came home this week for a short stay.

L. E. Healy was here all day Monday attending to business affairs of the Farmers State Bank.

Dr. L. Twete, the veterinarian, was down Monday from Thief River attending to a number of calls in this immediate vicinity.

Regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the creamery was held Monday afternoon at the creamery building.

Attorney Theo. Quale of Thief River Falls, was in the village Friday looking after matters of business.

County Treasurer John Gullingsrud was in the village Friday while enroute home after a brief visit with relatives west of town.

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Da Vinci, Man of Science

The spiral spring hinge that shuts your screen door was invented by Leonardo da Vinci, the Fifteenth century painter, whose "La Belle Ferroniere" was the subject of an extended lawsuit. Leonardo's fame as a painter has obscured his reputation as an inventor end a trail blazer of science. Yet he stated scientific laws that four centuries of experiment have not altered and many of his simplest inventions have become part of our daily lives. He devised the wheelbarrow, the rotating smokestack that turns with tha wind, and the flexible roller chain used on bicycle sprockets.—Edwin W. Teele in Popular Science Monthly.

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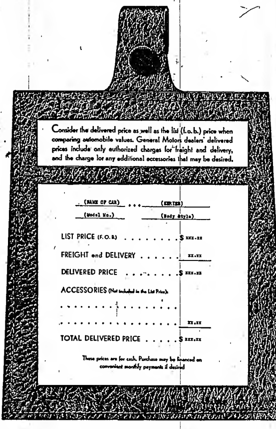

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Down in Rio

That a Frenchman in a new country will open a cafe, a German a general store, and a Briton a bank, has long been an axiom regarding the men of those races in foreign lands. That regarding the Briton might be amended by stating that along with tha bank goes the Church of England. Here in Rio, says a correspondent, which is a city of churches, an English church has been the meeting place for the British community for 110 years.

Singing Promotes Health

"If you want to be healthy sing as often as possible," advises a French doctor, who has experimented with cases of overexcitement and sympathetic nerves. He says that when patients were kept in a cheerful mood, singing gay music, the equilibrium of the nervous system was restored in a few weeks, and badly damaged appetites began to reappear with full force.

Sheepherder Yarn Has No Foundation in Fact

There is an ever-recurrent story that tha laws in certain states compel a sheepman to keep two men with the sheep all the time, one to herd them and the other to keep the herder from going crazy.

What would happen if the ovine influence should upset the mental equilibrium of both of them at the some time is a matter for conjecture. Speaking merely for myself, the sight of someone watching ma from day to day for signs of incipient madness would be tha surest and quickest way to call to life tha germs of that disease which is supposed to lia latent in the herder's calling.

And if, in addition, I had to do all the work, while tha other fellow confined his labors to his optic nerve, there would inevitably steal into my consciousness the thought that insanity is a valid as well as popular excuse for several major crimes.—Archer B. Gilfillan in the Atlantic Monthly.

Deportment and Thought

Some say that holding oneself erect induces pleasant thoughts, that a slouching deportment breeds evil thoughts, and sitting down means third-rate thinking.

True to Life

Many a wifa has helped her husband to the top of the ladder—and then left him thera while she decided where else the picture would look good.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Lucky Stones

Stones with a hole through them hold just the same amount of luck as others—nil. The "luck" superstition goes back to tha time when coins were holed.

Man Worth While

The man that counts is the man who makes himself felt as a force for decency, a force for clean living, for righteousness.—Roosevelt.

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Mrs. M. Winge Dies

Mrs. M. Winge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Holmes of this village, dies Tuesday evening at a hospital at Sioux Falls, S. D. after a long illness. Her parents, and sister Mrs. Chas. Connor of Thief River, were called to her bedside Thursday last when her illness took a critical turn.

Mrs. Winge and children spent the summer here three years ago after her death of her husband, and she was well known to many local people. She is survived by three minor children, her parents, three brothes and several sisters. Message to the family here appraising them of their sister's death did not state where burial was to be made, but it will likly take place at Canton, S. D., where Mr. Winge is buried.

Heartfelt sympathy of numerous friends in St. Hilaire and vicinity is extended to the bereaved relatives in their time of trial and sorrow.

Accidently falling from a wagon and landing on the wagon pole between his team, Robert Collins had a narrow escape Tuesday from serious injury when the horses became frightened and ran away. He managed to retain his hold on the pole, and was able to check the team after a mad run of several blocks. Aside from a wrenched ankle, Bob escaped without injury.

Arne Vik, well known farmer southof town, is one of several in this vicinity who have made well with spuds this year. From a small tract of less than ten acres, Mr. Vik has marketed spuds for about $1500.00.

Mrs. May Moses came Saturday evening over the Soo from Pelican Rapids to spend a few days at home of her brother, N. E. Beebe. Mrs. Moses is the owner of a large dairy farm near Pelican Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erdmann, accompanied by Mrs. M. Dahle, motored Friday to Moorhead to visit with their daughters who are attending school there. Helena Erdmann came home with her parents to spend a day, and Mrs. Dahle returned with them when they made the trip again Sunday.

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Surprise Party

A number of friends of John Maakrud surprised him at his home last Friday evening, the occasion being his birthday anniversary. A most enjoyable evening was spent, and Mr. Maakrud was presented a number of fine gifts as reminders of the happy occasion. The present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. Hallemeck, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erdmann, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mc Kercher, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bilden, Mr. and Mrs Otto Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. M. Highland, Mrs. C. Halverson, Virginia Thurston, Emil, William, Celia, Amelia and Agnes Hallameck, Marie Helena and Frederick Erdmann, Arthur Hendrickson, Frank Johnson, Irvin, Kenneth and Russel McKercher, Faville, Grafton and Mancel Halverson, and Ronald Nelson.

Necktie Social

A necktie social will be held in District 166 Saturday night Nov. 2, three miles west and one half mile north of St. Hilaire. Ladies please bring neckties. Lunch will be furnished by the district.

Ida Swanson teacher

Circuit Meeting Ended

The annual meeting of the Thief River Falls Circuit of the Norwegian Lutheran church which was held this week at St. Pauli church, ended yesterday. Eleven pastors from the different charges in the Circuit, and some over sixty delegates were in attendance. The meetings were some of the most successful as well as best attended of any held in this section.

While returning home last week from a trip to his former home in Iowa, Jake Bohlen ran into a snow and sleet storm in the southern part of this state. This was a part of the same storm which swept thru Michigan an Wisconsin, and over the lake region last week doing millions of dollars worth of damage.

With favorable weather continuing so long, there has been more plowing done this fall than for many years past. At present, practically all ground that is to be cropped next year, has been turned. If spring comes on at all favorable, indications, are that seeding will be finished earlier than usual next season.

Good Morning

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

A social will be given by Dist. No. 6 in the Hazel hall Friday evening this week.

A Halloween Carnival will be held at the Norwegian Lutheran church basement this evening. All welcome.

A large crowd attended the chicken dinner given last evening by the Aid of the Evang. Mission church at the Odd Fellows hall.

About 250 people partook of chicken dinner served by the Ladies Aid at the Norwegian Lutheran church last Friday noon.

Mrs. A. Stennes and family of Oklee, motored over last Sunday and spent the day at the Mrs. A. H. Gunstad home east of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid Dahlstrom motored Saturday to Thorholt, Minn., returning here first of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lappegaard of Thief River Falls, visited Sunday at home of her mother, Mrs, M. Lokken, near Hazel.

Nels Benoit has been nursing a very sore eye the past week due to getting a sharp piece of cinder into it.

Construction work has started on widening and shaping of the road running east from the Black River church.

A number of golf enthusiasts have constructed a four hole course for practice purposes. The new ground is at the north end of the farm occupied by R. Gordon.

Annual busines meeting of the Evang. Mission church, and also annual business meetings of the Ladies' Aid and Sunday school, will be held at that church at 1:00 Friday afternoon, November 1st.

Local friends have received word that Mrs. O. S. Werner is a patient at the Midway hospital at St. Paul where she was recently op rated upon for gall stones. She is reported to be getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Larson, Rev. and Mrs. C. Dahlberg, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson, Hattie and Alvin Dahlstrom and Mrs. Amanda Pearson were at Viking last Saturday to attend the yearly conference of Mission churches, and meeting of the Ministeral Association.

Light flurries of snow fell in this part of the state Monday afternoon and during the night.

J. Gonnering and family motored Sunday to Newfolden and spent the day at home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gast.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanson were down Sunday from Thief River for a visit with their parents.

Wm. Young of Orrin, N. D., visited Sunday at the C. R. Huff and Raymond Young homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rux motored over Sunday from Grand Forks and spent the day with their relatives.

A new galvanized iron curbing was put down around the village well at the Carlson corner on north Water street, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gonnering motored Wednesday evening to Argyle to attend a farewell party for some friends who are leaving for Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McAllister and daughter motored over Sunday from Grand Forks and spent the day at home of Mrs. McAllister's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Fellman motored up Saturday from Minneapolis and spent a couple days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Satterberg, and with other relatives in this community.

Mrs. R. McKercher and son, Irving, left this week for a visit with relatives in Iowa. They expect to be gone for about two weeks. Mrs. Effie Rolland is assisting at the McKercher home until they return.

Some suspicious appearing characters visited the Black farm last Thursday night persumably for the purpose of carrying away some turkeys from the flock there, but were frightened away before accomplishing their purpose.

Mrs. John O. Carlson and family, who have resided in Mayfield township for many years, departed recently for Detroit Lakes and are nicly setteled there. The Carlson family have a host of friends in this community who regret exceedingly to see them leave, but all join in wishing them prosperity in their new home.

From Wisconsin

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Pautz, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Schwanke, motored up last week from Quarry, Wis., and spent until Saturday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Anderson south of town. Mr. and Mrs. Pautz resided here a few years ago before going to Wisconsin.

Ladies' Aid Sale, Nov. 6

The Ladies Aid of Clara Swedish Lutheran church will have its annual sale of fancy and other articles at the Hazel hall Wednesday evening, Nov, 6th., starting at 8:00. Supper will be served at the hall. Everybody cordially invited to attend.

Birthday Party

A number of neighbors and friends tendered John Gonnering a surprise party at his home Monday on occasion ot his birthday anniversary. A very pleasant evening was spent.

Those present were:- Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pearson, Tom Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Melin, Mrs. P. Ortloff and daughter, Pearl, Mr. and Mrs. G. Bergland, Fern Hawkinson and Helen Olson.

Social Postponed

The Halloween social advertised to take place Friday evening, evening, Nov, 1st., in Dist. No. 154 northwest of Hazel, has been postponed to a week later, Nov. 8th. Lunch will be served by the district as first advertised, and a good time is in store for all who attend. Miss Lily Gunstad is teacher in that district.

Hardware Social

A hardware social and program will be given in Dist. 99, Friday evening, November 1st. Girls are requested to bring an article of hardware. Dorothy Biskey, Teacher.

Last half of real estate taxes for 1928, which are payable this year, must be paid not later than today to avoid penalty for nonpayment. In all cases where the real estate tax is more than one dollar, one half of the may be paid before June 1st, and remainder before November 1st., without penalty.

Band Concert Friday

Through kindnesss of L. E. Healy of Red Lake Falls, the Juvenile Band of that city, considered the best juvenile musical organization in this part of the state, will aopear in concert at the Parent-Teachers Association meeting here Friday evening, under direction of their leader, Mr. Smith. The Band, which consists of nearly fifty pieces, is an exceptionally well drilled organization, and their appearance here will be a rare treat for all lovers of good music.

Attorney Paul Lundgren, prominent member of the bar at Thief River Falls, will be speaker of the evening. Mr. Lundgren is well qualified as a public speaker, and he will have a message of special interest to parents and teachers. Other numbers also have been provided for on the program, and lunch will be served as usual.

Owing to limited seating capacity of the school auditorium, it will not be possible to extend a general invitation to the public for this meeting. However, all who are interested in becoming members of the Association and will help with its maintenance, are cordially invited to be present. The meeting opens promptly at 8:00 tomorrow (Friday) evening.

School Party Nov. 7

The next of the high school parties being sponsered by the P. T. A. will be held November 7th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike McAndress. This will be a combination party to which all high school students and faculty members are invited. The gathering will be held Thursday evening because some members of the teaching staff will be out of town the following evening.

Guess It If You Can

We are about to offer readers of The Spectator something upon which to exercise their wits in a very agreeable manner. We refer to the splendid serial story, "The Desert Moon Mystery." Everyone will be trying to guess the ending, besides getting some unusual excitement from the episodes of the tale. It has been much talked about and critics have proclaimed it one of the most original and remarkable detective stories of recent years. It is at once a challenge and an adventure for the readers. You must not miss it. It begins next week.

Save A Little

The old saying that "anyone can make money, but it takes a smart man to save it" is just as true today as ever.

It requires a certain amount of gumption and spirit of "get there" to save. A small amount deposited in savings account each week, will soon grow into a considerable amount. The Old Reliable, "time tried and panic tested" stands ready to help you. Lets Go.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Co-operation

Co-operation means more than just a word. It means help one another, or working together. In affairs of the creamery, it means the farmers in this community have banded together to own and operate the plant.

By hauling your cream to the creamery, and inducing others to do likewise, you are not only helping yourself, but your neighbors and the whole community.

If you are not already a share holder, co-operate with your neighbors by buying at least one.

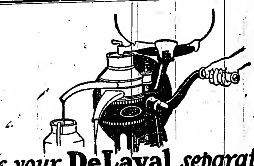
St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Notice to Taxpayers

Last half of real estate taxes for the current year must be paid before November 1st, 1929 to avoid penalty for non-payment.

John Gullingsrud, Co. Treas

Pennington County, Minn.



Is your DeLaval *separator in good running order?*

IF it isn't, then you may be losing butter-fat and shortening the life of the machine; and ninety-nine times out of a hundred it isn't the fault of the machine but due to the fact that it needs attention, adjustment, cleaning, or the replacement of some part.

Bring in your De Laval Separator to us and we will put it in first-class running order. Bring in the complete machine, and in order to save expense clean out the oil chamber and gears with kerosene or boiling water. You can do this just as well as we can.

Carlson Merc. Co., Inc.

O. C. Johnson, Mgr

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.

St. Hilaire. Minn.

Second Tallest Shaft

The tallest shaft in the United States next to the Washington monument is the Jefferson Davis memorial monument at Fairview, Ky. It is 351 feet high.

Fruit Grower

Pomology is the science and practice of fruit growing—horticulture dealing with the caltivation of fruits. "Pomnm" is the Latin word for "fruit."

Society's Value

Snciety has this good at least, that it lessens onr conceit hy teaching us our insignificance and making us acquainted with our betters.—Thackeray.

Never Resident of Capital

George Washington had much to do with the selection of the site for the National Capital, and bought some property there but never resided in Washington.

Of No Real Worth

"A pretense of authority," said Hi Ho, the Sege of Chiuatown, "is of no more real advantage than the possession of counterfeit money."—Washington Star.

Life's Philnsophies

Wear your learning like a watch, in a private pocket; and do not pull it out and strike it, merely to show that you have one.—Chesterfield.

THE LONG AND SHORT OF IT

"Name this child," said the minister, preparing to baptize the twins.

The proud father threw out his chest, "George Theodore Andrew John Lincoln Carnegie Jones!"

The minister gasped.

"And the other?"

The meek, nervous mother in a scarcely andihle voice answered:

"Maude."

Crescendo.

An absent-minded pianist bought an nntomohile, and, after the salesman had given him two lessons, decided he conld rnn it withont assistance.

When he awoke in the hospital the first thing he said was: "I thought that was the loud pedal I pressed with my right foot."

"It was!" said the uurse with a smile.

Alsn a Riot of Colnr.

They were watching a gorgeous sunset.

"Did you ever see such a wonderful displny of color?" exclaimed the poetic one.

"Nowhere, except on a flapper's face," replied the other.

USING HER VOICE

Mae—I always lower my voice when I nsk huhby for money.

Amy—And raise it if you don't get it, eh?

Mary's Lamb.

Mary had a little lamb
And had it trained just so;
It paid whever Mary went,
To dinner or the show.

The Workless Worker.

The White-Collar Man—A skilled worker, nre you? Where are your tools?

The Other Fellow—Sold 'em to an odd job mnn. What does a skilled worker want with tools?

No Sympathy.

"I've no sympathy for the man who beats his wife," said a passenger in the smoker.

"Well," said another, a timid, undersized fellow, "a man who can beat his wife doesn't need sympethy."

That's Right.

She—But will you love me in cold December as you do in balmy June?

He—More, darling.

She—More?

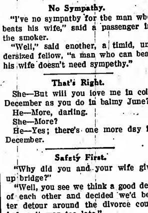
He—Yes; there's one more dsy in December.

Safety First.

"Why did you and your wife give up bridge?"

"Well, you see we think a good deel of each other and decided we'd better detour around the divorce court before it was too late."

NOT TEMPERATURE FALL



Son (guilty)—Dad, the thermometer has fallen.

Dad—How many degrees, son?

Son—I wasn't speaking of the temperature, sir.

A Rare One.

The queerest girl I've met
Is pretty Anna Mary Jane MacBeth,
Who does not think her nose
Needs powder every time she takes a
breath.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

In the Year 2000.

Inhabitant of Mars—Who's that lady I've seen you with lately?

Earth Dweller—That's no lady, that's my mechanical, electric-driven combination housekeeper and playmate.

FORFEITED TAX SALE.

Notice of Expiration of Redemption
Office of County Auditor,
County of Pennington
State of Minnesota

TO J. W. Kolp Estate.

You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land, situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows to-wit:

Lot 17 in Block 1. Townsite of Hazel, Minnesota.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

That on the 8th day of May, A. D. 1922, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington, on the 17th day of March, A. D. 1922, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year A. D. 1920, for said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was duly offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer an amount equal to that for which said piece or parcel was suhject to be sold, to-wit, the sum of Seventy nine cents, the same was duly hid in for the State of Minnesota for said sum.

That thereafter, and on the 12th day of August, A. D. 1929, the said piece or parcel of land, not then having been redeemed from said sale, and having then become the absolute property of the State of Minnesota, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County pursuant to the order and direction of the State Auditor of the State of Minnesota, and in accordance with the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided, for the sum of One Dollar and 34 cents duly paid to the County Treasurer of said County.

That the certificate of sale for said piece or parcel of land executed and delivered by said County Auditor upon said sale last above mentioned has been presented to me at my office by the holder thereof for the purpose of having notice of expiration of time for redemption from said tax sale of said property given and served.

That the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale, at the date of this notice, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon said notice, is the sum of One Dollar and 34 cents (and interest as provided hy law to the day such redemption is mede).

That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after service of this notice and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS, my hand and seal of office this 24th day of September, A. D. 1929.

(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor, Pennington County,
Minnesota.

(O-17-31)

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, } ss.
County of Pennington
State of Minnesota

TO D. S. B. Johnson Land Company.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known end described as follows to-wit:

Lot 7 of Block 2. and Lots 1 to 10 inclusive of Block 4 and Lots 18 and 19 of Block 4, and Lots 25 to 32 inclusive of Block 4 all in the Townsite of Hazel Minnesota.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1922, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and hy the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 15th day of March, 1922, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1920, for said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was offered for sale, and no one hidding upon said offer, said piece or parcel, was hid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($14.22), Fourteen and 22|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter. and on the 9th day of September, 1929, the said piece or parcel not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Eighty six and 48|100 Dollars and forty eight cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said pieces or percels of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($86.48), Eighty six Dollars and forty eight cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($86.48), from said 9th day of September, 1929, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (80) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service at my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 24th day of September, 1929.

(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor, Pennington County,
Minnesota.

Approved July 13, 1925.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. (O-17-31)

Ancient National Dance

One of the oldest known netional dances is the phyrric dance of Albania. It interprets the story of s thousand years of combat, victnries and defeats—danced by the native men in colorful and picturesque costumes.

Smut Loss Continues

"For a fifth year grain smut has levied a huge tax on the wheat crop of the central northwest", declares H. R. Sumner, Executive Secretary of the Northwest Crop Improvement Association. "Farmers, grainmen and millers have been confronted with this loss ever since 1925 when sixteen percent of the wheat receipts in Minneapolis graded smutty. Last year, 1928, fourteen percent of the wheat receipts graded smutty. Reports from the Office of Grain Investigations, U. S. Department of Agriculture in Minneapolis, for August and September of this year, indicate that an equal loss will be sustained on the 1929 crop."

"Smutty wheat cannot be used for the manufacture of the wonderful flour for which the states of Montana, North Dakota, Minnesota and South Dakota are famous until it undergoes a special and expensive process of washing and scouring. For this reason the wheat buyers for the mills are obliged to discount smutty wheat from two to sometimes as high as fourteen cents a bushel."

"We are perplexed to find so much smutty grain", continues Mr. Sumner, "when we consider the hundreds of meetings held by county agents, the many warnings given by State Agricultural College workers, the tons of literature distributed to farmers and the splendid news articles carried by the newspapers. The grain producers are enduring a severe loss. We are unable to understand why seed treatment to prevent smut is not more generaly practiced".

"A special study of the reasons for failure to eliminate smut is being made by authorities of the state and federal governments and our association. Perhaps this investigation will throw light on the subject."

Cedar Fence Posts:- Am unloading third car of posts at St. Hilaire, and will have another in soon. Anyone wanting posts from the next car, at saving from usual prices, kindly communicate with Paul Thyren, R1. Hazel, Minn.

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MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Lindstrom—Nels Carlson is the new commander of the local American Legion post.

Alden—Five year old Shirley Nelson was burned alive in a fire which destroyed the Nelson home here.

Duluth—The fall meeting of the Northwest Shippers Advisory Board will be conducted here October 29.

Lake Elmo—Burglars who entered the Lake Elmo post office, failing to open the safe stole an adding machine.

Elk River—Edwin Freude is the new commander of the Paul Corey Davie post of American Legion Post No. 112 here.

St. Peter—The annual Nicollet County Poultry Association show will be here for four days opening November 28.

Duluth—While hundreds of persons looked on, engineers moved the 410-ton overhead of Duluth aerial bridge 42 feet.

Minneapolis—A merger of the Marquette National bank and the Brotherhoods National bank of this city is announced.

Hastings—Dakota county commissioners rejected all bids on trucks and snow plows. New bids will be opened November 18.

Owatonna—John Lynard, president of the Steel County Agricultural Society and local produce merchant, died at his home here.

Princeton—Plans for a year of activity are being made by the local American Legion post. D. J. Olsen is the new commander.

Fergus Falls—Mrs. Ferdnanid Peters, 60, was chocked to death here when a scarf she wore caught in a washing machine wringer.

Waseca—Emerson C. Ward of Waseca, was re-elected president of the Waseca County Bankers Association at its annual meeting held here.

Dresbach—New paving on trunk highway No. 3, along the Mississippi, between Winona and La Crosse was opened officially, following ceremonies at Dresbach.

Annendale—Elmer Campbell, 20, was exonerated as an intentional "hit and run" driver because of blending headlights. He had struck and killed two women.

Musical Notation

The earliest attempt at notation to music was probably made by the Hindus and Chinese at a very early date Notation was also known to the Greeks. The modern system was devised by the Italian Guido of Arezzo.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday, Oct. 20
Sunday school 10:00.
Morning Services 11:00.
Evening service at 8:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Clara church at 10:30 A. M. Services in local church at 3:00, and Sunday school at 2:00 P. M.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday Nov. 3.
Services as follows.
Ebenezer Mayfield Luth. 11:A. M
Communion Services.
Clearwater Luth. 2:30 Norw.
St. Hilaire Luth. 7:45 Amer.

The Spectator, $1.50

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$1.10
Duram Wheat	.99
Rye	.83
Barley	.43
Oats	.34
Flax	3.01
Eggs, cash	.35
Creamery butter	.49

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

DR. L. R. TWETE
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Tuberculin Testing

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Wabasha—A bill by Thos. D. Schall, rep., extending the time for completion of the bridge across the Mississippi at this point, three years, was passed by the house and sent to the senate.

St. Paul—P. L. Klyver, Minneapolis, has been appointed manager of the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank here, and P. C. Kremer, assistant manager, F. H. Klawon, president, announced.

Northfield—Dr. Donald J. Cowling, president of Carleton College, left for Jacksonville, Ill., to attend the 100th anniversary exercises of Illinois College. The college conferred the honorary degree of LL.D. on him.

Delano—The 400th anniversary of Luther's catechism was observed here with Lutheran congregations from Delano, Greenwood, Monticello, Rockford, Buffalo, Crawford's Lake, Montrose and Pelican Lake participating.

Northfield—Dr. F. Melius Christianson, director of St. Olaf Lutheran choir, is preparing the choir of 60 for its winter tour into the south as well as for northwest appearances and a trip to Europe next summer.

Owatonna—Hoover bass pond here was completed by the local Isaak Walton League club, the broad bass heing transplanted to the St. Peter state hatchery where they will be wintered to prevent freezing up in the bass pond.

St. Peter—Albert Robbins and F. P. O'Malley, two officials of the bankrupt Ten Thousand Lakes Fur Farms Corporation, were freed when the prosecution asked the cases against them be dismissed shortly after their trials opened here.

Minneapolis—The purchase of 132 acres in Brooklyn Center, three miles from the city limits, to be converted into an airport, involving an expenditure of $1,000,000, was announced by William S. Brock, president of Canadian Airlines, Inc.

Peynesville—Within three hours after holding up the bank at Meire Grove two men were captured and returned to the Stearns county jail at St. Cloud.

Rochester—Acceptance of the resignation of W. K. Foster, for years instructor of gymnastics at U. of M., took place at a meeting of the University of Minnesota board of regents here.

Red Wing—The Security Bank & Trust Co., of this city has joined the Bank Shares Corporation of which the merged Marquette-Brotherhoods National banks of Minneapolis are the head.

Your Stationery Needs

Now is the best time to anticipate your needs in stationery and ruled forms for fall use. Don't wait until the fall rush is on.

The Spectator is equipped to print your letter-heads, envelopes, statements, sales slips and pads and anything else you may need.

Look up Now what you will need, and let us have your order.

St. Hilaire Spectator

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This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

Landmark of Virginia Is Old Church Tower

The traveler who wanders into Jamestown, in Virginia, will see there the ruins of an old brick tower, surrounded by a wire fence, and having the appearance of an ancient age. And it is ancient, too, for it has stood on this spot for almost 300 years. It was not always so lonely, though, for when it was erected it was part of a church, one of the first churches erected in America by English settlers in the New world.

It was erected in 1635 by the early Virginia settlers and was built on the very spot where Capt. John Smith, that famous explorer, had built a wooden one some years previous. This earlier church was the one in which Pocahontas, the Indian maid and daughter of Powhatan, was married to John Rolf in 1614. The new church was a large one for the times. It was built entirely of brick and of wood taken from the dense forests, and the tower that stands there today was placed at the entrance.

The times were troublous in the Virginia of 300 years ago, and when the white men were not fighting the Indians they would often fight among themselves. And so about 25 years after the church had been completed Nathaniel Bacon and his soldiers rebelled against the authority of the governor, marched on Jamestown and burned the town and the church. Nothing of the latter remains today except the ruined tower, an object of beauty in its old age, and one visited by thousands of people every year.

Frog Barks Like a Dog

A horned Brazilian frog which barks like a dog when it loses its temper, is one of the latest arrivals at the reptile house of the New York Zoological park.

The strange frog is five and a half inches long and green-bronze in color. The keepers were warned that the animal was dangerous, but they were inclined to disregard this on account of its small size until they saw it aroused. Apparently averse to publicity, the frog made as if to attack a photographer who had come to take its picture shortly after its arrival. It jumped at the man, snapped its jaws, and barked furiously, in much the same manner as does an angry dog.—Popular Science Monthly.

School Proceedings

Regular meeting of directors of Ind. School Dist. 102 held October 22nd 1929.

All members present except Burkee.

The minutes of last meeting approved as read.

On motion made and carried the following bills were allowed:-

Central Lumber Co. As bill 10-19	$ 1.00
A. Satterberg, Coal	273.15
Ginn and Co, Books as bill 9-27-29	29.90
A. W. Brink, Boiler Inspection	4.00
Larson Bros. As per bill	24.69
W. M. Welch Mfg. Co. Supplies as bill	192.02

On motion made ande carried the bond of Elmer Johnson be approved.

No further business motion for adjournment carried.

M. H. Jackson
Secretary Pro-tem.

Olive Needs Special Soil

The region in which the olive may be successfully grown for the commercial production of fruit in the United States is not as great as for most frost-hardy fruits, and has been confined to portions of California and Arizona, although the trees will live and bear some fruit in portions of all the southern tier of states of this country.

Date Differentiation

Samvat is an abbreviation of the Sanskrit word "Samvatsara," which means "year." Samvat is the method of reckoning time used generally in India, save in Bengal. Christian dates are reduced to Samvat by adding 57 to the Christian year.

Education's True Purpose

The aim of education should be to teach us rather how to think than what to think—rather to improve our minds, so as to enable us to think for ourselves, than to load the memory with the thoughts of other men.—James Beattie.

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South River Falls

Mrs. Aug. Erickson and son, Leonard, were guests Sunday at the A. P. Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Aleck Erickson and daughter, of Crookston, spent Sunday here with relatives.

The Aid which was entertained at the Hedlund home last week was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Peterson and children, Gladys, Dale and Joseph visited Sunday last at the John Gunstad home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Walseth, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Peterson motored Saturday to Warren where Mrs. Walseth received medical treatment. They returned the same day.

Mrs. J. Konickson and daughter Mabel, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Larson, motored last week to Moorhead and other nearby points, returning home Saturday evening.

Fijians Convinced of Devil in Automobile

Although the automobile is steadily gaining in popularity in the Fiji islands it encountered great fear and superstition on the part of the natives when first introduced. The first self-propelled vehicle was used in the colony in 1905 by an American, who was touring the islands. This car was viewed with awe by the inhabitants, being considered the contraption of a madman, and conservative residents suggested that the owner be deported as a dangerous character.

The second car made its appearance in 1907, destined for the wife of the mayor of Suva. A liveried chauffeur was provided, and it is not known which created the greater stir, the vehicle or its driver. One day the owner found under the machine several bushmen, poking about and exploring the mysteries. Explanations revealed that the Fijians had held a conference about the new vehicle that lacked visible means of locomotion and had concluded that the affair was nothing less than a devil wagon; therefore, partly out of kindness to the owner and partly to prevent the escape of the devil into the bush and into the villages, the "devil doctors" constituted themselves a committee to study this weird thing and to exterminate its concealed monster.

Secret of Composition of China Long Sought

The making of China is an intricate and long-drawn-out process. It once required 25 different operations and four weeks' time to make even the clumsy white plates which are found in cheap restaurants. The finer chinas require the highest of skilled labor and materials, and their decoration is an art in itself. Many tried in vain to discover the secret of the composition. Eventually various attempts were attended with success in Italy and France. In 1709 a German alchemist named Boettger discovered the process after years of study. By the end of the Eighteenth century Germany had not less than seventeen potteries. It was, however, the Oriental and East India companies that placed the charm of chinaware, which for centuries was so rare that only princes, kings or nobles could possess a piece of it, within the common reach of the average family.

Fire-Fighting Relic

The oldest known fire "engine" in England has found a home at the London museum. It is a large oval wooden tub, and water was pumped through an iron pipe in the middle. It rested originally on a carriage with solid wooden wheels, but these have disappeared. The "engine" was made in London in 1678 for a town in Bedfordshire.

FLIER BRAVES ATLANTIC LOST

Montana Cowboy Tells No One But Wife Before Starting Hazardous Trip.

New York—Urban F. Dittman, a Montana cowman, 40 years old, a flier of only two years experience took off from Harbor Grace, Newfoundland and with only 165 gallons of gas, essaying to fly from Harbor Grace to London without a companion pilot, has apparently sacrificed himself to his dreams of trans-oceanic flying. The plane with which he attempted his "lone eagle" flight was a small monoplane, not designed especially for long flights, having an open cockpit and a regular 25-gallon capacity.

Dittman took off without advance announcement and in the presence of about 100 spectators who just happened to be on hand. His wife back in Billings, Mont., was the only person who knew of the planned adventure. Many days have now elapsed since Ditman left Harbor Grace on his ill fated flight. He should have arrived in London noon Wednesday the 22nd.

Only the faintest hope is held for the inexperienced pilot. That hope is based mainly on the possibility that the Golden hind, romantically named after the famous galleon of Sir Francis Drake, to whom Dittman claimed kinship, might have been located by a vessel without wireless or landed in some out of the way place where news of his safety could not be immediately flashed to the outside world. His brave little wife back in Billings, Montana, still professes to believe that he is not lost.

Life Saved After Nine Hours.

New York—Henry S. Black, head of the United States Realty & Inv. Co., was found face down in the tub by his valet. The hotel physician called the emergency inhalator squad, which was successful in bringing the nearly drowned man out of his coma by the prone pressure method after which the inhalator was used for eight and a half hours at 15 minute intervals before the physician announced Black recovered and out of danger. Black, who was recovering from a recent illness, suffered a fainting spell as he turned on his bath water and fell into the tub. Black is widely known and controls a chain of some of the largest hotels in the world.

Mrs. Coolidge's Mother Dies.

Northampton, Mass.—Mrs. Elmira Goodhue, mother of Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, wife of the former president, died at the Cooley-Dickinson hospital here of influenza complication and old age, she was 78. Since her return to Northampton, Mrs. Coolidge has spent two hours daily with her mother. She was at the bedside when her mother died, having been at the hospital since the afternoon. The former President was also at the hospital.

Plunges 60 Story to Death.

New York—An unidentified man fell or jumped to his death from the sixtieth story of the new Bank of Manhattan company building in course of construction here. A. J. O'Keefe, foreman of men employed in construction of the building, said none of his crew was missing. Hence it is believed the victim of the highest death plunge on record climbed to the sixtieth floor for the express purpose of committing suicide.

Seven Are Killed by Gas.

New York—A father and his six children, three daughters and three sons, were suffocated by gas while they slept in their West Forty-sixth street apartment. Police said they believed a pan of water which boiled over and extinguished the jet on the kitchen stove was responsible for the deaths. There is only one surviving daughter, the mother having died 7 years ago.

$8,000,000 Railway Liner Wrecked.

Seattle, Wash.—The $8,000,000 Canadian Pacific Railway liner, Empress of Canada, largest passenger vessel of the Pacific, piled up on the jagged race rocks of Albert Head, which the ship struck when groping its way in a blinding blanket of fog and smoke. The passengers were all removed from the vessel without any confusion. Damage to the ship is estimated to be $1,000,000.

Car Upsets, Kills Mother, Daughter.

Topeka, Kan.—Two prominent Kansas women, mother and daughter, were killed near here when their automobile skidded and turned over. They were Mrs. H. W. Wagner, wife of the chief engineer of the Santa Fe Railroad, and her mother, Mrs. L. H. Reedar, 75 years old. Fred Wagner, son of Mrs. H. W. Wagner, was driving the car. He was slightly injured.

3 Arrested in K. C. Milk Strike.

Kansas City—With three farmers under arrest, state and county officials and civic organizations moved in a determined drive to end the three weeks strike of Kansas City milk producers.

3 Killed in Train Collision.

Cincinnati—Three men were killed and several train passengers were injured when L. & N. passenger train No. 1 plowed through a lumber truck near Walton, Ky., and was wrecked.

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Alaska May Be Dubbed Original Ellis Island

It is now evident that America was originally peopled by immigrants from Asia and it is probable that Alaska was the first scene of human history on this continent. Edward M. Weyer described at New Haven the relics yielded by prehistoric villages discovered during his explorations in Alaska. "The American continents are younger with regard to human occupation than the Eastern hemisphere," according to Weyer. "The very first immigrants to them, the forerunners of the American Indians, doubtless came from Asia. Thus Alaska, which lies much closer to Asia than any other part of America, probably was the gateway through which passed these early Asiatic immigrants.

"The northwestern corner of North America, therefore, can be regarded as the first scene of human history in America. No aborigines of Arctic America, so far as is known, ever used a written language. Consequently the mute relics of material culture are the only source of historical information here. Nevertheless the buried prehistoric villages of Alaska yield secrets to the archeologist."—Pathfinder Magazine.

Quite Different

"My dear," said a man to his newly married wife, "where did all these books on astronomy come from?"

"A pleasant little surprise for you," responded the wife. "You know, dear, you said this morning we ought to study astronomy; so I bought every book I could on the subject."

It was some minutes before he spoke.

"My dear girl," he said, slowly, "I never said we must study astronomy; I said we must study economy!"

Hard of Seeing

Alice is the only member of a certain north side family who enjoys house cleaning. She had an especially happy time on the day the paper hangers were at work in her home.

One man was having difficulty in pasting a strip of paper on the ceiling correctly. He had to peel it off and readjust it several times.

Finally Alice could not withhold her disgust longer. "Well," she said saucily, "you must be hard of seeing!"—Indianapolis News.

Famous Carnac Stones Puzzles to Scientists

The Stones of Carnac in Brittany are one of the wonders of the age. Nobody knows when they were erected, or why. Nowhere throughout Europe can there be seen such perplexing evidence of an early race combining the most primitive simplicity with indications of a profound knowledge. Vast alignments of huge stones attract the eye, headed or terminated by circles or dolmens (table stones commonly called cromlechs) extending at intervals as far as seven miles to Locmariaquer and bulging out in all directions to Erdeven, St. Barbe, Kermario, Kerlescan and the Quiberon. Intersected among these are tumuli, menhirs, tolmen (holed stones) and engraved stones.

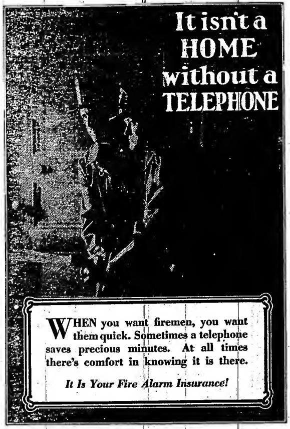
To the casual visitor they are remnants of stone worship, burying places or records of conquered foes and victories past. Their strange markings are exactly similar to the thumb marks of the human hand, but done on a large scale and with wonderful accuracy. The height of the Egyptian columns and obelisks is almost exactly the same. What relation has Carnac with Egypt?

Five-Eyed Insects

All insects, with few exceptions, have five eyes. Two of these are the compound eyes, which are situated one on each side of the head. The three remaining eyes are of the ordinary kind and are found on top of the head. These are usually clustered closely together in the form of a triangle. The compound eyes are for normal vision; the three simple eyes, being more light sensitive, are able to distinguish between light and darkness. This is very important, especially for the night flying insects.

Radio Tends the Baby

An eastern mother whose husband is a radio expert, makes her radio set tend the baby. When she puts him in his crib upstairs she places the loud speaker near him. By turning the loud speaker into a microphone, by use of an adapter, when the baby wakes up and cries mother gets the signal by radio wherever her household duties may take her. This is done by reversing the radio set. No nursemaid was ever more watchful and unfailing.—Capper's Weekly.



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LOCALS

People are thrilled when they listen to the amazing reception of the new Screen Grid Coronado-How smoothly it glides from Radio Reception into the Electrically reproduced Phonograph music. Gamble Stores, Thief River Falls.

Jennings Westphal motored up first of the week from Barnesville for a couple days visit with his folks on the farm northeast of here.

Train yourself to master every situation you meet. You can do it in no hetter way than hy attending Mankato Commercial College, Manato, Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Hagen of Fargo, motored here Sunday and spent the day at home of his sister, Mrs. H. Hanson.

Fifty thousand hunters have taken advantage of the low prices on shotgun shells at Gamble Stores --This has done much toward lowering shell prices in the entire middle west. Gamble Stores, Thief River Falls.

For Rent:-320 acre farm in Black River township, 7 miles west of St. Hilaire. Good buildings and good well. Inquire of Fred D. Lorentson, Thief River Fall, Minn.

One regular one way fare of $10.82 will apply for the round trip St. Hilaire to Minneapolis for the Indiana-Minnesota football game Nov. 2nd.

Tickets will he on sale Nov. 1st with final return limit Nov. 4th.

This low rate will also apply during the Michigan-Minnesota game Nov. 16th, and the Wisconsin-Minnesota game Nov. 23rd.

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25 Years Ago

Dr. Higbie and B. B. Penner left for Roseau county where the latter had a claim.

—XXV—

The new Soo line from Minneapolis to the Canadian line at Emerson, was finished that week.

—XXV—

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Pleth left that week for their new home in Plummer.

—XXV—

Rev. Alex Sand went to Kennedy to assist at the dedication of three new Lutheran churches which had been built that fall.

—XXV—

Martin Hoff, Jens Nelson and Andrew Levig went out to Goose Lake to spend a few days hunting.

John Danielson, a laborer employed on the Soo Line near Thief River Falls died as result of a gunshot wound. The wound was received when Danielson resisted arrest by an officer at Thief River.

—XXV—

The crew at the mill was figuring on at least two more weeks of sawing. The pond was full of logs and plenty were up river to keep mill going a month.

—XXV—

Piano Tuner Coming

A. E. McIntyre, the old reliable piano tuner, who comes to the Thief River Music Company four times a year, will be in St. Hilaire soon to tune and repair any and all makes of pianos.

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When Betty Steps Out

By DUFORD JENNE

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SO HAPPY that she almost felt as if she wanted to cry, Betty Lane sat down in the only chair that graced her hall bedroom and re-read the note that she had found under her bedroom door.

It read: "Brown Eyes—Will you go to the Blair dance with me? Please. Tom Hyland."

Then she stopped to think. Why should he ask her? She glanced at her mirror. Her eyes might be pretty; but her hair she never seemed to be able to make attractive, and her nose—she turned away. Anyway, he had asked her, and he had always smiled at her when she happened to see him at the house where he was a popular caller.

A knock on the door, and pretty little Dolly Murdock looked in. Before she could speak, Betty told her the good news: "Dolly, Tom Hyland has asked me to the Blair dance.

Dolly's eyebrows went up. "Lucky kid. Tom can give a girl a happy time if anyone can." Dolly's eyes grew serious. "Betty, you come home early, and let me get at that hair of yours. I'll—"

"Oh, Dolly, will you?"

The older girl smiled a little. "And why don't you get a cute dress I saw at Claire's?"

Betty thought of her small savings. Then she remembered: it was one chance at a happy time; she must not lose it. She nodded, "I'll get it, Dolly, I'll get it."

Betty knew that Dolly was an expert hairdresser in a downtown establishment and quite an expert on dresses within the range of limited pockethooks.

The next day Betty came home with the treasure under her arm, purchased with Dolly's guidance. She tried the dress on and paraded around the room; and there Dolly found her and looked at her a bit wistfully.

"Honey, it makes you look—" Then she paused. How could she describe the odd quality of loveliness the simple dress gave the slim girl in front of her. "Tom will be proud of you. Now for the hair; let's get busy," Dolly added.

When Dolly's skilled fingers had done their best and she had gone, Betty once more rushed to the mirror. She gasped. "What a difference knowing how to fix yourself up makes!" she exclaimed. She danced across the floor.

A quick rap on the door caught her attention. She answered, and in came Blanche Benton. Blanche stared at her, then said briefly:

"Betty, I just heard about your note that you think was from Tom. That green maid shoved it under your door, but Tommy intended it for me."

The room seemed to revolve around Betty. She sank down. Blanche's eyes were brown. Tom had often taken her, and the new maid may have mixed up the rooms. Suddenly the room seemed to grow dark. An idea trembled to life in her mind, then grew to a cry.

"Oh, Blanche, I thought it was for me—and I bought a new dress—and I haven't been to a dance for months —and I just love to go—can't you—can't you just make believe—fix it with Tom—so I can go? Please do that!"

Blanche's somewhat cold, hard eyes softened. "Well, if you are crazy about it, perhaps I can."

There was more talk, but Betty hardly heard it; she was going, any way.

Later on she had her minutes of despair. She thought of calling Tom and telling him. But she could not bring herself to the step; so in the end she was ready when she was called downstairs. She went with trembling feet, her face flushed, to the small parlor. Tom's hearty, generous greeting saved her.

Outside, he tucked her into a taxi, and they were off through the gay streets to the dance hall. She thought of telling him how she felt, but his pleasant chatting gave her no chance; and she was on the dance floor, her light feet circling with the music before she had another chance. And then it was too late, for he said softly in her ear: "Little girl, you dance beautifully—and you certainly look beautiful!"

She knew his words were probably the flattering ones he may have spoken before to other ears, but they had a happy sound just the same—and it was the first time she had ever heard such words.

The last dance came after happy hours, and the music died in her heart and the lightness passed from her feet. She would have to explain. She was silent on the ride home. Tom looked at her curiously, she knew, but she was wondering what to say to him. She said it, haltingly. She heard him laugh, and a new firm note came into his voice. She began to tremble. He sensed her emotion, and put his arm gently around her:

"Listen, Brown Eyes, I meant that note for you. I've been watching you at the house. Blanche hasn't the sweetest disposition in the world, I am sorry to say, but I've tried to be nice to her. She may have been a little 'sore,' but we'll let her. The main thing is, I'm dating you for the dance next week, if you want to go?"

She hardly knew what she said, but she felt Tom's comforting arm tighten about her, and she knew he understood—no more was needed.

How "Teddy Bears" Got Their Well-Known Name

About 1888 Margarete Steiff, a crippled dressmaker living in a little village in Germany, used some left-over material to make a toy bear for a child. The bear was popular and other children in the community immediately wanted rag bears. Margarete's brother, Richard Steiff, later saw the commercial possibilities of these toys and put them on the market. George Borgfeldt & Co. of New York imported some in 1902. At that time, of course, they were not called teddy bears and nobody thought of associating them with Roosevelt. It so happened, however, that President Roosevelt went on a hunting trip to Mississippi that same fall. The public was amused when a news dispatch stated that "Teddy" had refused to shoot a small bear brought into camp for him to kill. This inspired Clifford K. Berryman, the cartoonist, to draw a cartoon picturing Colonel Roosevelt in his hunting outfit with his back to a man who is dragging in a small cub with a rope around its neck. Roosevelt, with his gun in his right hand, has his left hand raised after the fashion of a traffic cop to indicate his objection to the procedure. The cartoon is labeled "Drawing the Line in Mississippi." It was a popular hit and Berryman adopted the bear as his cartoon mascot.—Pathfinder Magazine.

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

Practically No Reason for It

THERE once was a clerk of the hotel in a small Maine town who had a unique way of keeping a diary. Each evening he wrote on the bottom lines of the page of the register for the current date brief account of the principal daily doings in the community, usually coupled with a summary of his own personal reactions to them. Sometimes his phraseology was unusual but always it was amply descriptive.

A friend of mine was stopping at the hotel, having gone up to Maine on a fishing trip. He fell into the habit of glancing through the back pages of the register, more from the enjoyment he got from the quaint language of the entries than because he was interested in bygone neighborhood history.

On succeeding pages of the book for a week of the early spring of the year previous, he found these progressive records of a local tragedy:

Tuesday—"While fishing through the ice yesterday, Henry Whippet fell in the Sac river up to his neck. He was drawed out and took home."

Wednesday—"Henry Whippet is in bed with a powerful bad cold. His folks are thinking some about calling in a doctor."

Thursday—"Henry Whippet rapidly continuing to get no better. It now looks like he is fixing to break out with the pneumonia."

Friday—"Henry Whippet is sinking rapidly."

Saturday—"At nine o'clock this morning our esteemed fellow-citizen, Henry J. Whippet, Esq., went to his Maker entirely uncalled for."

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No Cause for Worry

If all of your acquaintances seem hateful and dumb, don't worry. Maybe you are destined to be an author.—Roanoke World-News.

Resent Whites' Curiosity

The tribesmen of Africa know that the white persons they come in contact with view their rituals and ceremonies with curiosity and are not duly impressed with the significance and for this reason an impenetrable veil of secrecy surrounds most of these occasions, according to a returned traveler who spent many months in Nyasaland, hoping to learn something of an authoritative nature about these customs.

Success and Cheerfulness

Cheerful people invariably have the most courage. They meet misfortune face to face. and smile their way through. Successful men seem always to be cheerful.—Capper's Weekly.

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

Sneeze Once Welcomed as Harbinger of Luck

Xenophon, addressing his newly elected generals, pleaded with them henceforth to wage implacable war with the enemy, "We have—the gods willing—many fair hopes of deliverance." As he spoke this last word a man sneezed. When the soldiers heard it, with one impulse they all made obeisance to Zeus. "I move, gentlemen," spoke Xenophon, "since at the moment when we were talking about deliverance an omen from Zeus the savior was revealed to us, that we make a vow to sacrifice to that god thank-offerings for deliverance as soon as we reach a friendly land. All in favor of this motion will raise their hands." We read in the Anabasis that every man in the assembly raised his hand. Thereupon they made their vows and struck up the paean, prepared to face the perils of the celebrated retreat.

This seems strange to us who have lived to see the sneeze of epidemics destroy more men than were killed in all the wars of Greece. So we fear the drafts of alternating warm and cold days.—New York Times.

Cocoa Cause of Dispute

A Florentine who had resided in the West Indies introduced chocolate into Italy, whence its use gradually spread through Europe, though not without opposition.

Its introduction into Prussia was prohibited by Frederick the Great. A famous Paris physician, Bachot, on the other hand, proclaimed cocoa as one of the most noble of discoveries, far more worthy to be the food of the gods than nectar and ambrosia, and Linnaeus, noted Swedish botanist, who gave cocoa its scientific christening, coined a name "Theobroma" from two Greek words meaning "food for the gods," which remains its scientific name today.

Solitary Meals Chief Cause of Indigestion

Unmarried men and women between the ages of thirty and fifty suffer more from dyspepsia than the married folk of similar age.

This discovery has followed a Berlin physician's laborious investigation of cases of stomach trouble. It is one that cheers the heart of the young wife, whose culinary efforts are often made the subject of mirth. Her husband, for all her novice cooking, will be more likely to have a good digestion than his unmarried friends. Bachelors eat alone, and consequently eat too fast, owing to the fact that they have no one to talk to.

The unmarried woman, says the professor, usually eats the wrong things. She will eat only what can be prepared with the least trouble, or what can be eaten unprepared. She, too, like the bachelor, is apt to bolt her meals. The solitary person, in fact, male or female, just eats because he or she must, and gets it out of the way as quickly as possible. Hence indigestion and a bad temper. The married have with their food the best of all sauces—casual and cheery conversation.

Early Umbrellas Clumsy

The first fashionable sunshades imported into England were luxurious affairs, composed on the outside of bird feathers. During Queen Anne's reign a more practical oiled silk came into use and umbrellas began to be used as much on rainy days as they were under the summer sun. These early English specimens were clumsy affairs made of heavy waxcloth with cane ribs. When wet, the material stuck together and opening or closing them was a job for a superman. It was not until 1852 that Samuel Fox invented the modern type.—Detroit News.

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A Splendid Meeting

A good sized crowd attended meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association at the school building Friday evening despite unfavorable weather at that time. The Red Lake Falls Juvenile Band of 45 pieces, under direction of their leader, Bandmaster Henry Smith, rendered a fine program of hand music which was greatly appreciated, to put it mildly.

Attorney Paul Lundgren of Thief River Falls, gave a very interesting address, calling attention to duties of citizens to their fellowmen. Mr. Lundgren's address contained much food for thought, and was well received.

Among the other, entertainment were two fine vocal selections by a quartette consisting of Misses Launa and Hovie, Ole Johnson and Art Hendrickson.

Several new memhers of the Association signed up at this meeting.

The P. T. A. is especially grateful to the good folks at Red Lake Falls, who assisted so materially in making this meeting a big success. The Band was exceptionally good, and will be more than welcome should they have opportunity to come again at some future time.

School Carnival, Nov. 15

A carnival will be held at the school building Friday evening, Nov, 15th. In addition to the usual carnival attractions such as booths, etc, a play entitled "The Old Maid's Convention" will be staged. There will also be other plays and different forms of entertainment. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend.

The county commissioners recently contracted for a truck and snowplow to he used for removing snow from the state aid road system of county.

You may save your life with a set of Weed Chains. You will save money on them at Gamble Stores. 29x4.40 and 30x4.50 $3.25. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Thomas Hovet returned home this week after having spent the summer in Dakota west of Fargo.

Mechanics Wanted!

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Accidently Shot

While out hunting with some young companions Sunday afternoon, Donald, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Ludvig Gullickson, was shot thru the fleshy part of one leg above the knee when the small calibre rifle he carried was accidently discharged. The hoy was taken at once to a physician to have the wound attended to so there would be no danger of infection setting in. At present he is getting along nicely.

Turkey Tour Saturday

The annual turkey tour of this county will take place next Saturday. The tour of inspection will start here at 9:20 Saturday morning. The flocks at the J. Bohlen, Otto Johnson and J. Black farms will be those visited in this locality and three others will he visited near Thief River. About 2500 birds, will he viewed on the tour and instructive talks will he given at each stop. All interested are invited to take part in the tour.

Closed Bank Statement

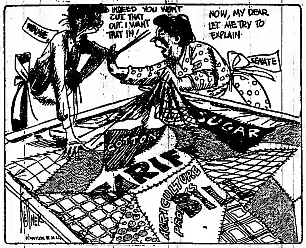
In this issue will be found a statement, as of October 1, 1929, of condition of affairs of the closed Farmers State Bank.

Under management of Special Deputy Examiner L. E. Healy, fifty percent of deposits at time of closing has already been returned to depositors, and there is a sizeable cash halance on hand which means further dividends will likely be paid in the future. The Farmers State Bank was in much better condition than many other banks when it closed, and prospects are that net loss to its depositors will he small when its affairs are finally closed.

M. S. Nordine, publisher of the Strandquist Press up to a short time ago, has bought the Record at Middle River and takes over that publication this week, according to the Strandquist Press.

The annual Elks Charity Carnival will be held at the Auditorium at Thief River Falls on Nov, 13, 14, 15, and 16 this year. In addition to the many attractions usual at previous carnivals, an Essex coach will he given away the closing evening this year.

Still Wrangling



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Another little flurry of snow fell here Sunday night but it melted as fast as it fell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gonnering visited Sunday at the J. Davison home at Thief River.

Agnes Peterson went Sunday to Grand Forks to visit at home of her sister, Mrs. O. Borgie.

Ole Larson, who has heen seriously ill, is reported to be on the mend. His numerous friends in the community sincerely hope for his recovery.

A combined school party, for members of all classes in the high school, takes place this evening at the Mike McAndress home north of town.

Leo Carpenter and Ben Lardy returned last week-end after finishing a tiling and ditching joh along the new grade on T. H. No. 32 north of Middle River.

Well here Christmas comes again! Animals that walk and talk--Don't expect to find ordinary toys at Gamhle Stores. Useful gifts for every memher of the family.

Highway maintenance crews have heen husy the past week erecting snow fences along curves and other places where snow generally drifts along T. H. No.32.

Peter E. Bergh was called last week-end to southern part of the state by serious illness of a sister. The store here was in charge of Paul Roy during his absence.

Augustus Roese, former resident southeast of here, and later a resident of Plummer, died early last Thursday morning at the home of his son, W. E. Roese.

J. W. Black, president of the local hank, as well as the First National at Thief River Falls, and the Marshall County State Bank at Holt, was here Sunday looking after his banking interests and also his fine farm northeast of town.

A new Delco light plant was installed this week at the home of Mrs. S. Hoff and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter at north edge of town. They were too far from the high line to get service at a reasonable figure, so decided to install a plant of their own.

Mr. and A. Olson of Vang, N. D., visited at the Elmer Johnson home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruggeman and daughter, and Selma Johnson, from south of Hazel, were guests Sunday at the Harlan Winters home.

John R. Larsen, treasurer of the Hazel Co-op creamery, was in the village Saturday attending to business matters.

The purpose of education is to enlarge life. You will enlarge yours if you attend Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn.

Annual husiness meetings of the Evang. Mission church, the Ladies Aid and Sunday school, which were held at that church last Friday afternoon, were very well attended.

Mrs. Ole Johnson, who has spent part of the summer on her farm southeast of her, leaves this week for Chicago to make her home with her son, Francis.

Dr. Geo. Spofford the Long Prairie optometrist, was here yesterday on one of his regular calls. Dr. Spofford has travelled thru this section for twenty rears or more.

Paul Thyren finished unloading his third carload of cedar fence post here last week. By taking delivering from the car a nice saving was made by purchasers.

After spending a few days at home, Paul, Ortloff left Sunday evening for Detroit Lakes where he is employed as foreman with a large road construction company.

Alta Wickwerth and Earl Peterson, who attend the N. W. School of Agriculture at Crookston, spent last week-end at their respective homes east of here.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Holmes and daughter, Mrs. Chas. Conner of Thief River Falls, returned home this week from Sioux Falls, S. D., where they were called hy critical illness of their daughter, Mrs. M. Winge, who died a few days after their arrival there.

Among the Red Lake Falls folks who came up Friday evening with the Juvenile Band were noted, Mrs. Chas. Fellman and daughter, Sam Hunt, Dr. Ostendorf, Ernest Buse and others. L. E. Healy had intended to come also, but was prevented hy illness.

G. A. Youngquist Named For Government Position

Attorney General G. A. Youngquist of Minnesota, a former resident of Crookston, was appointed United States Assistant Attorney General in charge of prohihition and taxation matters, hy President Hoover a few days ago. This is another step upward for Mr. Youngquist who has rapidly come into prominence during the past few years.

Attorney Henry N. Benson of St. Peter, former state senator, was appointed this week hy Governor Christiansen to succeed Mr. Youngquist as Attorney General of this state.

Mrs. Aug. Moren Called

Mrs. August Moren, pioneer resident in the community south of Wylie, died yesterday afternoon at about 5 o'clock. She was well known hy everyone in the territory west of here, having resided there many years. No funeral arrangements were made at time of this writing.

New Serial Story

Starting with this issue we are giving readers of the Spectator the opening episode of that splendid serial story "The Desert Moon Mystery." The story is full of thrills from start to finish, and will prove very interesting reading for our readers during the winter months. There will be other interesting reading also in the eight page paper we will give our readers for some time to come.

Accepts New Position

S. T. Espeland, manager of the lumber yard the past ten years' has accepted a position as manager of a yard helonging to the Weyerhauser Lumber Company at Moscow, Idaho., and expects to leave with his family in a short time.

Axel Westerlund, accompanied hy a son, motored up first of the week from Duluth to look after matters of business in connection with his property here. While here, Mr. Westerlund is re-shingling the house occupied by Arthur Hanson which is owned hy O. B. Soderling of Duluth Mr. Westerlund and family were residents of this village some years ago.

Raises Fine Turkeys

Mrs. O. A. Holmes who has in charge of the turkey raising industry at the Black farm, recently received an order from a customer in Wisconsin for a turkey tom. The letter stated in part" The Mammoth Bronze turkey tom purchased from you last year has proven a good individual both as a hreeder, transmitter of type and size, and in the show ring. He took first prize in his class at our county fair, 7 competing and he was the best bird there of all hreeds. One of the Bronze hreeders in this county, who showed at the fair with stock purchased of me last year, has asked for your address and will write you for a tom also, which simply proves that good stock is a sellers best adv."

Mrs. Holmes has this year, not only one of the largest, hut one of the finest flocks of Mammoth Bronze turkeys in this section of the country. The letter of commendation, reproduced in part above, is hut one of many she has received from turkeys hreeders all over the country who have purchased foundation stock from her excellent flock.

Rev. Lunde At Crookston

Rev. and Mrs. A. M. Lunde, formerly of Paulsho, Wash., recently moved to Crookston where Rev. Lunde has been appointed general manager of the Bethesda hospital. They are making their home at the hospital, while a daughter, Helen, is staying at the home of Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Holte, while another daughter, Lenore, is a freshman at St. Olaf college, Northfield, Minn. Rev. Lunde is Mrs. Holte's brother. Twenty years ago he served several pastorates in the Valley.- Polk Co, Leader.

Rev. Lunde was pastor of the United Lutheran church in this village twenty-five or more years ago, and will be recalled by all who were residents here at that time.

Armistice Day, Monday

Next Monday is Armistice Day It will then he eleven years since the World War came to an end. While no special observance of the day has been provided for locally, do not forget to honor those who "went west" by joining the whole nation in the two minutes of silent prayer starting at 11:00 A.M.

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They Bring Results

Save A Little

The old saying that "anyone can make money, but it takes a smart man to save it" is just as true today as ever.

It requires a certain amount of gumption and spirit of "get there" to save. A small amount deposited in savings account each week, will soon grow into a considerable amount. The Old Reliable, "time tried and panic tested" stands ready to help you. Lets Go.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Co-operation

Co-operation means more than just a word. It means help one another, or working together. In affairs of the creamery, it means the farmers in this community have banded together to own and operate the plant.

By hauling your cream to the creamery, and inducing others to do likewise, you are not only helping yourself, but your neighbors and the whole community.

If you are not already a share holder, co-operate with your neighbors by buying at least one.

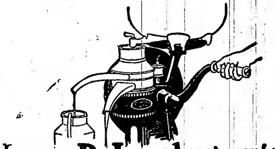
St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Cedar Posts At Wholesale

Will have on track in St. Hilaire on or about Nov. 20th, a carload of straight 6 in. top, 7 foot, cedar fence posts.

Anyone wanting posts of this size, and at a very low price, should communicate with

Paul Thyren,
Hazel, Minn.



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Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

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TEN ARE KILLED IN SHIP WRECK

Unconscious and Maddened Victims Taken from Lake Michigan Near Kenosha, Wis.

Kenosha, Wis.—Sailing from Chicago into the teeth of a fiercs gale whipping Lake Michigan, the vateran steamer Wisconsin ran into disaster four miles off this city and sank with loss of from 10 to 15 ilves. Twenty-one men were rescned from bobbing liferafts on the stormtossed lake. More than two scora of the crew and three passengers were rescued from lifeboats and brought ashore by coast guard craws before tha steamer went down, making the total of known rescued 44.

Fifteen of ths rescned sailors who ciung to a raft as tha steamer rolled over nnd sank were picked np by ths fishing tug Chambers Brothers. Ths other eix were saved by coast guards. Many of the rescusd are in danger of death from the horror and the exposure of the storm.

Captain Dougel Morrison, hound to his duty and true to the tradition of the sen, remained aboard his ship to the iast and went down with a score of shipmates for whom the rescuing coast guard vessel came too late. His body was picked up later.

Most of the 21 broognt ashore last were maddened by the frightful exposure. Three attempts had bean made to drag from the water the chief engineer, Judns Buschmann of Manitowoc, Wis., but each time Buschmann, crazed, fought off rescuers. They were forced to desist and crept ashore with the 15 they had saved. The engineer went to his death. The Wisconsin, its hoid fuli of weter, fioally settied back on ita stern and with the impact of a terrific weve rolled over and vanished. There were still 12 to 15 men still on the ship.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Duluth—The Twin Ports anticipate breaking tha lake tonnage mark this season.

Ls Sueur—A new high school will be erected here at a cost of approximately $150,000.

Hastings—Bids on coostruction of a new municipal well here will bs opened November 18.

Maplaton—A Boy Scont has been orgaoized here under the diraction of the American Legion.

Madison—The annnal fall meeting of editors of tha Seventh district will be conducted here November 8.

Faribault—Paranta of cadets at Shattuck School were guesta of hooor at Dads and Mothers day here.

Wabasha—Represeoting 28 states and four Canadian provinces, 810 tourists registered at the local camp this year.

Bird island—Svenning Vefeld, early resident of Renville couoty, died here nt the age of 71. He cama here in 1871.

Bsnson—Kvale polled 24,774 votes, against 9,085 for J. C. Morrison, his opponent for a seat in coogress, a final check showed.

Faribault—W. E. Rnmbls of St. Paul was principal speaker at a district meeting of tha Land O'Lakes Creameries, Inc., here.

Lake City—Lake Pepin was incinded in territory elong the Mississippi river in four states which is proposed as a national park.

Stiliwatar—Two of four barges of sisal to be brought hare bafora tha eod of river navigatioo seeson arrived at the state prison.

Wabaeha—The fail term of District Court here will open Novembar 4. The names of jurors have been drawn, including eleven woman.

Blooming Prairie—Mr. and Mrs. Erick Easton, long time resident, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their farm home here.

Brainard—The Crow Wing County Poultry Association will sponsor a ponitry show December 4 to 5. A prize list of $300 is being arranged.

Fairweil—The First National bank of Fairweli, was merged with the Fairwell State Bank and tha two have combined deposits of $236,000.

Fergua Faiis—Fergus Falls' park system was inspacted by Minneapolis officials who were guests of the Commerciai Cinb here Novamber 1.

Minneapnlis—A resideot of Minneapolis for nina years, P. L. Kiyver has become maneger of the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of St. Paul.

Faribault—Cash prizes and throphies will be awarded exhibitors of the best displays at tha annual Tri-County Crop Show here December 3, 4 and 5.

Excelsior—Six dams will be built acrosa Minnehaha creak, between Lake Minnetonka and Minneapolis, to form a naw string nf lakes, it is announced.

Wayzata—The volunteer fire department from this village, with tha assistance of the prisoners extinguished a $1,000 fire at tha workhouse at Parkers Lake.

St. Paul—The Minnesota Grange, farmers organization, was reorganized with Alice Oberholt, Edina Mills, secretary, and William Riggs, Austin, treasurer.

Red Wing—Plans for mnre than 1,000 farmers are bsing made here for the annual maeting of the Goodhue County Farm Bureau, Wednesday, November 13.

Minneapolis—Georga L. Adams, formsr building snperintendent of the Minneapolis anditorium, was appointed manager of tha anditorium at a salary of $4,800 a year.

Medford—Thirty-fiva livastock farm meetings will be condncted in Taylor county the first two weeks in December undar direction of Daniei A. Schaffer, county agent.

Dassel—Harry Boiin of Litchfield won the corn husking championship of Meeker county. Ha wili compate at the northwest contest November 5 near Vernon Center.

Spring Vaiisy—Temperance problems, child welfare, mission relief and legislation were discussed at the district institute of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union hald here.

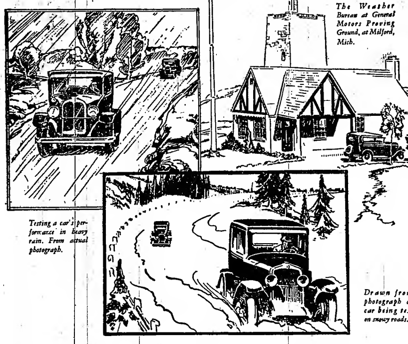
New Prague—Casper Doles canght his hand in a belt in a local flonr mill, wrenching off the arm below the shoulder, and breaking several ribs and collar bone and fracturing a leg.

Mankato—Mrs. Thomas P. Ryan, chairman of the Junior Catholic League, was unanimously elected president of the Minnesota Council of Catholic Women at the closing session here.

Northfisid—Work is proceeding in building a new athletic fieid at St. Olaf coiiege. The new fisid will incinde piaying fields for all outdoor sports, and extensive seatiog faciiities mada possibie, by alumni, stuftant, and friende gifts.

Owatonna—Robert Rowell of St. Paul and Kennedy Graham of Raymond, Wash., have been appointed to captaincies in the Piilsbury academy cadet corpa, by First Lieutenent J. C. Jones, infantry reserve, United States army, commandant.

"What! A weather bureau?"



The Weather Bureau at General Motors Proving Ground, at Milford, Mich.

Testing a car's performance in heavy rain. From actual photograph.

Drawn from a photograph of a car being tested on snowy roads.

VISITORS to General Motors' 1268-acre Proving Ground marvel at the sight of a complete weather bureau and ask what it is for.

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Names of Cloud Formations

The idea of giving nomes to verions kinds nf cloud formation was first nttempted in the early part of the Nineteenth centnry by a men nnmed Lamorck, hut his terms were not well choseo. A simpler form was devised abont 1803 by Lnke Howard, which eeemed to answer the pnrpoee and wns generally accepted. Hnward classified clouds sccording to their appenrance, recognizing three primary types—cirrus, cumuins sod etratus—nnd fonr derivative, or compound forms—cirro-cumuins, cirro-stratns, cumulo-stratus and cumnlo-cirro-stratns, or nimbus. Thus, he defined seven varieties.

Bad News

Jeokins married, aod in dne conrse his wife presented him with a son. His friends flocked rouod to teoder their coogratulations and, incidentally, smoke Bill's cigars.

Jooes wos oo his way to the house when he met Browning returning.

"Where ere you going?" asked the latter.

"Oh, I'm just going ronnd to see Bill and wish him lnck with that youngster of his."

"Then yoo're too late."

"What?" Snrely it hasn't died?"

"Nn, the ynnngster's all right, hnt the cigar box is empty."—Pittsburgh Sun Telegraph.

In the Rear to Stay

Be on time in iife in both small and large things. Keep np to date. Don't limp into line after everybody else has arrived.—American Magazine.

The Tima Trap

On a 50-mile road in India a motorist is given a timed strip eod ie forbidden to complete the journey in iess than four hours.

Should Learn First

"One who assumes to be a teacher for a year," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "should reqnire himself to spend 20 years previonely in an effort to iearn."—Washington Star.

Uruguay's Good Fortune

Uruguay, while the smallest of the Sonth American repnblics, is the most fertile, as, aside from its sandy coast and a few barren hilltops, there is practically no waste land.

The Talkie

Many a fellow has married a girl whom he thought as pretty as a picture to find ont after the honeymoon that at best she was only a talking picture.—Hndson Star.

Wanted, a New Blotter

The office cynic is rather hoping an insurance agent will drop in before long, his present blotter having reached the saturation point.—Detroit News.

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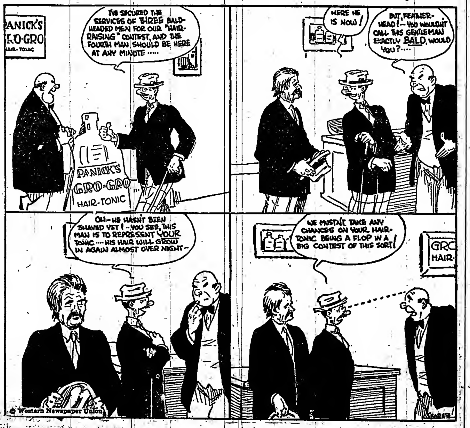

Man Hooks Fish as It Is Eating Bird

Garden.—Earl Ansell did not kill two birds with one stone but he has a recent accomplishment that rivals it. While fishing he landed a nine-inch trout which had a bird in its mouth, the wing of which was still protruding. The fish's appetite was sufficient to cause it to grab the worm before it had disposed of the bird, a small one which had not yet fully feathered out.

WIFE IS SILENCED BY COURT DECREE

Forbidden to Speak to Husband Seeking Divorce.

Des Moines, Iowa.—A wife's tongue was stilled by court order recently. The decree was meted out by Judge Lester L. Thompson, who decided that if Mrs. Josephine Hawkins had any more talking to do she must direct her remarks at somebody else besides her husband, Nelson Hawkins.

The order was issued by Judge Thompson on application of Mr. Hawkins who filed suit for divorce a short while before. Hawkins' counsel complained that Mrs. Hawkins had threatened her husband with death and had made abusive remarks that "shook" his nervous system.

The application asked that Mrs. Hawkins be restrained from speaking to the plaintiff or molesting him in other ways. Mrs. Hawkins was further ordered by the court to allow Hawkins to "pack his trunk in peace" without interference from Mrs. Hawkins.

Hawkins declared that he wanted to leave the premises he and his wife occupied, and that she had prevented him from obtaining his belongings.

In his divorce petition, Hawkins charges his wife with cruel and inhuman treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins were married at Baltimore, Md., July 21, 1924, the divorce petition stated. Both have been residents of Des Moines for more than a year.

Storm Produces Miracle When Lightning Strikes

Budapest.—During a recent thunderstorm, lightning played havoc in a wayside calvary in O-Buda, a suburb of the city. The station representing Christ on the cross between the two thieves was struck. Although the figure of the unrepentant thief was smashed to fragments, the figure of Christ was unharmed, and the lamp burning perpetually beneath it remained alight.

The incident, which is regarded as little short of a miracle, is attracting crowds to the spot to search in the bushes for fragments of the smashed figure. The finders are confident that they will be preserved from being struck by lightning—a commoner form of death in Hungary than in countries farther west.

Rooster With Freak Bill Upsets Thieves

Canton, Ohio.—Four men made the mistake of stealing a young rooster with a deformed bill.

Sheriff Ed Gibson of Stark county was baffled by a series of chicken thefts until Ben Sterner, a farmer residing near Smoketown, reported that a rooster whose beak was twisted until the upper part formed a circle was among twelve stolen from his coop.

Deputies saw the missing fowl on a meat stand here and learned James Merritt, thirty-one, had sold it to the dealer. With Merritt the deputies arrested Sherman Schilling, thirty-one, and Jess and Delbert Deardorff, brothers, age twenty-one and seventeen.

The four men confessed.

Bedtime Tale—Bunny Bit Naughty Python

Lincoln, Neb.—When he was turned by mistake into a pen with rattlesnakes and a 15-foot python at the state fair here, a little white rabbit cowed the rattlers in one corner and then bit the python. Since he already had dined, the python overlooked the insult and the rabbit swaggered out of the cage into the hands of an astonished keeper.

Dog Goes to Jail With Master; Escapes Fine

Kansas City.—Arrested on a charge of driving while intoxicated, Pearl Couch was protected by his bull dog, Prince, who defied police, refusing to be separated from his master. They occupied a cell together.

Appearing for trial without the aid of Prince, Couch was fined $25, sentenced for 30 days on the municipal farm.

Kills Giant Rattler

Lynchburg, Va.—Mrs. Lucy Sün nette recently killed a rattlesnake on Chestnut mountain, which had 23 rattles. She brought the rattles to Lynchburg as proof of the age of the snake.

Uncle Saves Niece

New York.—Her uncle, Lawrence Decker, twelve years old, saved the life of Lorraine McGinn, four, when her skirts caught fire from the sparks of a bonfire

Needless Suffering

The next time a headache makes you stay at home—

Or some other ache or pain prevents your keeping an engagement—

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For your own protection, buy the genuine. Bayer is *safe*. It's always the same. It never depresses the heart, so use it as often as needed; but the cause of any pain can be treated only by a doctor.

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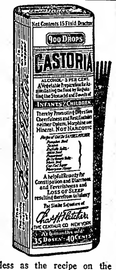
Fortunate are they who are run down only by elevator men.

Ambition begins with a wish, but it never stops there.

An Ailing CHILD



Are you prepared to render first aid and quick comfort the moment your youngster has an upset of any sort? Could you do the right thing—immediately—though the emergency came without warning—perhaps tonight? Castoria is a mother's standby at such times. There is nothing like it in emergencies, and nothing better for everyday use. For a sudden attack of colic, or the gentle relief of constipation; to allay a feverish condition, or to soothe a fretful baby that can't sleep. This pure vegetable preparation is always ready to ease an ailing youngster. It is just as harmless as the recipe on the wrapper reads. If you see Chas. H. Fletcher's signature, it is genuine Castoria. It is harmless to the smallest infant; doctors will tell you so.

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THE ROAD THAT'S HARD TO FIND

By Douglas Malloch.

THE road was rough and hard to find,
And dark as dark could be,
And I have troubles on my mind,
A way as hard to see.
But I remember I kept on,
And I remember night brought down,
A little later, I recall,
I found the right road, after all.

I walked, I recollect, a wood,
A wood where trails were few.
I stumbled on the best I could—
That's all there was to do.
That's all there is to do right now,
Is just to stumble on somehow.
To do the best I can, and pray.
And 'wait the breaking of the day.

I'm walking some such road tonight,
A road as hard to grope,
But I keep watching for the light,
And won't let go of hope.
For I remember I kept on,
And I remember night brought dawn,
A little later, I recall,
I found the right road, after all.

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THE PUFFBALL FAMILY

By JEAN NEWTON

MOST of us have learned that the plant we call a puffball derives its name from the fact that while it looks substantial enough, it collapses at the slightest touch.

The plant is easily recognized. Not so, however, the human of the puffball species. Indeed their appearance is frequently deceptively substantial and they sometimes do great hurt before their true nature of an air inflated shell is discovered.

One of the puffball family is the friend who professes great affection, who is the jolliest company when you're having fun together, but who grows absent-minded when you speak of your aims, your aspirations, your troubles or your children.

Another of the puffball family is the woman who tells her friends' affairs, the most intimate details of their family and business matters, not in the spirit of gossip, understand, but just because it makes an interesting story. These things are secrets, of course, and she wouldn't tell them to another soul, but they are a case in point of something you were discussing. Of course you'll never repeat. . . . That particular woman is not vicious, nor false, as far as intentions go. She is just—a puffball.

Prominent in the puffball family is the man or woman, since we're speaking particularly of women, who expects to get by on her charm, who even wants you not to expect too much of her. With her an appointment is something to be kept if convenient, a promise something to be fulfilled if possible without too much trouble, a loyalty to be clung to as long as the world doesn't make this too difficult for you. This type of woman would never get into a fight for a friend, will never get gray hair over other people's trouble or pain even her nearest and dearest, will never make bad friends by telling too much truth. She'll never get very angry at you—nothing could make her care enough. She's just a puffball.

We all have special favorites in the puffball family that we should like to see extinct. What's yours?

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Canaries from the Canary islands were introduced into Italy in the Sixteenth century.

To the Editor:

By Fred Barton.

TODAY we went through a town that wasn't very prosperous. You can imagine how poor they are—they only had three traffic lights.

Downtown was a billboard listing the contributors to a new cotton glove factory. Amounts from $3,000 down to $60 were listed. "Local boosters," the signboard read.

What in the world does a town want a cotton glove factory for?

Today we passed through the heart of the corn starch region. Thousands of standing ears are on their way to become chocolate pudding or boiled shirts.

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SHE HAS BEEN TOLD THAT—

If a Jane drops her comb while giving her thatch the once over and picks it up—oh my, oh my, she's headed for a disappointment before the sun goes down.

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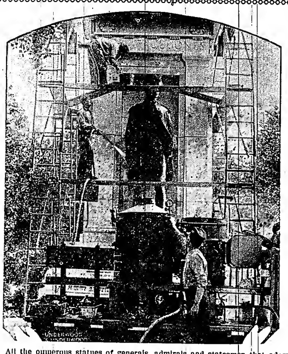
Capital's Statues Get Cleaning



All the numerous statues of generals, admirals and statesmen that adorn the parks and avenues of Washington have been getting their annual cleaning. The photograph shows workmen polishing up the statue of John Paul Jones.

The Children's Corner

Edited by DOROTHY EDMONDS

A VERY OLD ART

The big touring car in which the children and Uncle Fred were riding came to a stop and they made their way on foot to the Indian camp where they would meet Sally Owl who made pottery for the reservation. Sally Owl could speak very good English, Uncle Fred had said, so the children could understand all the interesting things she had to tell them.

Sally Owl was delighted to meet the American children and she smiled her brightest Indian smile as she bowed to them. "I tell you how pottery made," said Sally Owl. "Very easy."

First she took some large lumps of hard clay and with a rude stone instrument she hammered and pounded until the lumps of clay had quite disappeared and in their stead was a big pile of soft powder.

"Now I put in water," said Sally Owl, kneading the water into the clay

powder—with her feet. "Pure clay no good," said Sally Owl when she had finished this. "I put in some powdered shell and rock to keep from cracking or shrinking, and maybe—a little sand."

When this was done, the next step was to make that pile of moistened clay dough into the pretty shapes of real Indian bowls and vases. "Indians do this for hundreds years," said Sally Owl, moving her quick fingers gently but firmly over a clay lump and gradually changing it from a round unlovely thing into a small graceful bowl like those the children often used for their cereal. Other bowls that Sally made were not entirely shaped by her fingers. She used pieces of gourd shells, shallow woven baskets or scooped out pieces of wood to shape them as she wished.

"No done yet," said Sally Owl. "Now I make them pretty. See!"

And before the children's wondering eyes, she took a piece of fabric that looked like an old flour sack, and gently wrapping the fabric around a bowl, she pressed it into the soft clay by means of cords wound round and over it in fancy designs. When she cut the cords after a minute or two, and again unwrapped the fabric, lo and behold there was a very lovely pattern clearly imprinted. Sally Owl laughed as she saw the children's surprised faces.

"Is it not easy?" she said. "Some tribes do not make their pottery pretty that way, but in others. Some in long ago times, used their finger nails to make the pictures; some big sharp pointed tools or spoon-like things or funny things called discs but I—I like to make them pretty with my cords and cloth. Tomorrow, when the bowls are dry, I show you how to put the color on. Will come tomorrow?"

"Oh yes," said the children eagerly.

And when the sun came out next day the children were again at Sally Owl's.

Sally Owl took a large smooth pebble, and picking up one of the bowls she had made, which was now dry, began rubbing it quickly and lightly with the pebble. This she kept up for nearly half an hour, to polish it.

"Now," she said, "we paint it." She had a paint brush made of horse hair and some paint that was a mixture of red clay with juices from berries and herbs added to give different shades. It was not long before Sally Owl had made her bowls very beautiful with soft rich tones of reds and oranges and greens and browns.

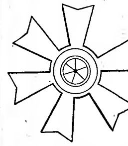
The next step was the baking process. Just as her grandmothers had done before her, Sally Owl, suspending her bowls one after the other in a shallow pan by means of a wooden tripod of poles tied together with vines and cords, over a low but very hot bed of coals, began to bake them slowly. "This our way," said she with that same merry twinkle in her eye, "other tribes do other ways. Some dig hole in ground and cover fire carefully so direct heat will not strike clay bowl; some put bowls in heap of coals and cover all over with red hot ones and leave long time! Firing, white people call it. Now pottery all ready for market!"

"Oh!" sighed the children. "Isn't it wonderful? But they thought it still more wonderful when Sally Owl gave one bowl to each to take away for keeps.

—Irene Armstrong.

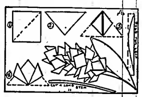
THE GAME OF TWIRLS

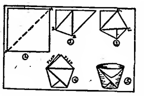
This game requires quick thinking and running. Copy this diagram of the twirl, making it about six inches in diameter, then from it as a pattern make as many as ten. Cardboard that is pliable is the best to use. Color the twirls different colors and place on each a different number. These are for scoring. The captain, chosen by your players, throws all the twirls in-



to the air, cutting them through the air towards the other players who are lined up at a given distance away. The one who catches the greatest number or whose total score is highest wins the game. The game is most fun played out of doors on a windy day.

—Irene Armstrong.





FUN WITH PAPER FOLDING

Tiny inch squares of purple colored paper and some green paper are all you need for this lovely hyacinth. The dotted lines show you where to make your folds in the squares and when you have folded both corners and center as they tell you to, the completed fold makes one of many petals for the flower. Make a lot of these and cut a long green stem and leaf and you will make the hyacinth cluster. It is very pretty and lots of fun.

Then a larger square (about six inches) of heavy waxed paper or brown paper will make first, a drinking cup, and next, if a much larger square (about twenty inches) is used, a handy sack to carry things from the woods. Here again the pictures tell you where to make the folds.

—Elsa Gorham Baker.

Some Pudding Recipes

By NELLIE MAXWELL

PUT a dozen small home-canned pears into a stewpan with enough water added to their juice to make three cupfuls and a half; add one cupful of sugar, a piece of whole cinnamon and the rind of half a lemon; simmer until the pears are well heated. Remove the fruit, reduce the sirup, put the pears back into it and keep warm. Butter a border mold and fill with boiled rice. Cover and steam for fifteen minutes. Turn out the border on a hot dish, fill the center with the pears. Decorate with cherries and candied peel. Strain the sirup and pour it around the rice and serve.

Blueberry Pudding.

Sift together one cupful of flour, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, a salt spoonful of salt and half a cupful of sugar; stir into it two well-beaten eggs and two cupfuls of milk. Mix a pint of drained blueberries which have been dredged with flour and pour into a well greased mold; cover and steam two hours. Decorate with whipped cream. Serve with vanilla sauce.

Orange Souffle.

Butter a pudding dish and tie a band of buttered paper around the outside to come up two inches above the top. This is to keep the pudding from rolling over the top while cooking. Scoop out the pulp from six oranges, melt two tablespoonfuls of butter in a saucepan, add two tablespoonfuls of flour and cook until thick; remove and cool. Beat three egg yolks and three tablespoonfuls of sugar, one at a time; add the beaten whites lightly folded in. Fill the pudding dish and sprinkle over the top a tablespoonful of grated orange rind. Cover with buttered paper and steam in a steamer for thirty-five minutes, or it may be placed in the oven in water and baked. Serve with the sugared orange and whipped cream.

Swiss Snow Pudding.

Put one quart of milk, one-half cupful of sugar, one bayleaf and the grated peel of half a lemon in a saucepan; when boiling stir in one-half cupful of tapioca and cook fifteen minutes. Remove the bayleaf and add the well beaten yolks of two eggs. Pour into a buttered baking pan, set in hot water. Arrange three tablespoonfuls of preserved peaches over the top, cover with a meringue made from the egg whites and a tablespoonful of sugar and brown in the oven. Serve with fresh green peach leaves for a garnish if possible.

Gingerbread Pudding.

Heat one cupful of molasses, one cupful of brown sugar and three tablespoonfuls of butter; remove from the fire, add one teaspoonful of soda dissolved in a quarter cupful of boiling water, three cupfuls of flour, one-quarter of a nutmeg grated, one teaspoonful of ginger, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, two well-beaten eggs, one cupful of chopped prunes or raisins and four pieces of preserved ginger. Steam for three hours in a melon mold. Serve with whipped cream.

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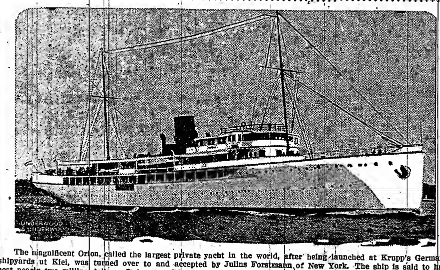
LARGEST PRIVATE YACHT IS BUILT FOR AN AMERICAN



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What Does Your Child Want to Know ?

Answered by BARBARA BOURJAILY

WHY DO THINGS LIKE MOUNTAINS LOOK BLUE?

The air is blue and colors things
With its own natural hue,
So if we're far enough away
A mountain will look blue.

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Curious Old Beliefs

In Sweden a book is placed beneath the head of a newly born child so that he may be quick at reading. They say, too, that so long as a child is unchristened, the fire must never be extinguished lest evil spirits come, and no one must pass between the fire and the child whilst it is being fed by the mother.

That Was That

"I think you should show your parents some respect and ask them if you can do things before you do them," said her dad sharply.

"Be a waste of time, dad," retorted his modern daughter, "you'd say no, and I'd do them anyway."

Jud Tunkins

Jud Tunkins says he never lost a friend, but he has met several folks who started in friendly, for business purposes, and afterward strayed off on their own account.—Washington Star.

Took It as a Compliment

"Miss, you have dazzling lamps."

"Thanks for noticing my eyes, officer. Now may I drive on?"

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The Desert Moon Mystery

by Kay Cleaver Strahan

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CHAPTER I

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The Cannezianos

I knew, that evening in April, when Sam got home from Rattail and came stamping snow into my kitchen, his good old red, white and blue face stretched long and wide in its usual grin, that he had brought some bad news with him.

"I had a letter today," he said, "from the Canneziano twins."

I am like a lot of folks who say that they are not superstitious, who just happen to think that it is bad luck to walk under a ladder. More than likely the shivery, creepy sensation I felt when Sam said that, was due to the cold he brought in with him, and was not due to the fact that those words of his were the forerunners for all of the grim mysteries and the tragedies that made the Desert Moon ranch, before the end of July, a place of horror.

"How much do they want?" I questioned.

"No, Mary; they want to come here to live. Danielle wrote the letter. She says they want to come here and rest, indefinitely. She says she longs for it with all her soul, or something like that."

"Danielle," I said, "always was the best of the two. You going to let them come, Sam?"

"Anything else for me to do?"

"Not a thing—for you. There'd be plenty of others. Those girls are no kin of yours. Let me see—eight years old when they were here in 1909, makes them twenty-four years old now, according to my figures. Why a couple of women twins, aggregating forty-eight years, should decide to come here and rest their souls, at your expense, is beyond me."

"I have plenty."

"So has Henry Ford. Why don't they go rest their souls with him? They've got as much claim on him as they have on you. None. Leave those girls rest their souls right there where they are, Sam."

"No—I don't know, Mary. I guess I'll write them a letter and tell them to come along. Lots of room."

I didn't argue any more about it. For twenty-five years I had been housekeeper of the Desert Moon ranchhouse, and I had learned, during that time, that there was only one subject, concerning Sam, or the place, on which I could never hope to have any say-so. Trying to argue with Sam about anything that had to do, in any way, with Margarita Ditsle, when she was Margarita Ditsle Stanley, or when she was Margarita Ditsle Canneziano, was about as sensible as hoisting a chiffon parasol for protection in the midst of one of our Nevada mountain cloudbursts.

Margarita Ditsle was of French-Canadian parentage; a dark-haired, big-eyed beauty. Her father kept a gambling hole in Esmeralda county in the early days. Her mother had run away from a convent, after she had become a nun, to marry him. The girl had some of the nun, some of the runaway, and some of the gambling house proprietor in her. It made a queer combination.

When she was eighteen years old she came from Carson to visit Lily Trooper, over on the Three Bars ranch, about sixty miles from here. Sam met her there. She and Sam were married two weeks later. She was a lot younger than Sam; but, even then, he was the richest man in the valley, with every unwedded woman for a hundred miles around setting her cap for him.

Whether Margarita married him for his wealth, or whether it was to spite the other girls who would have liked to marry him, I don't know. All I know is that Margarita never had a mite of love for him. She stayed with him, though, and acted decently enough for two years, until Dan Canneziano came to the ranch and got a job on it as a cowpuncher.

It was during those two years that Sam built this ranchhouse for her. Sam's lead and silver mine had just come in, and there was not anything, from Italian marble fireplaces to teakwood floors, that was too grand for what Margarita called the Stanley mansion. She left it, all the elegance and the luxury, and she broke her marriage vows, for love of this wop cowpuncher. That, I guess, is fair and full enough description of Margarita Canneziano.

I don't blame her. I quit blaming folks for things a good many years ago when, after firing three Chinese cooks in six weeks, I decided that, if we were to live healthy and wholesome, I'd have to take over the job of cooking as well as housekeeping for the Desert Moon ranch, and set about it, and learned to cook. In other words, when I became a creator myself, I got to know creations and so quit blaming all of them.

If I forget to put the soda in the sour milk pancakes, it isn't their fault if they don't rise. They are as I made them. Margarita was as the Lord made her. He, I suppose, either had His own good reasons for turning out such a mess, or else He was tired, or flustered, or maybe was just experimenting on the road to something better when He did it.

I should explain, I suppose, wishing to be as honest as possible in spite of the fact that I am writing a mystery story, that Canneziano had a good education; he talked poetry, and played the violin. Margarita heard him playing, down in the outfit's quarters one day, and had Sam invite him up to the house to play. She accompanied him on the grand piano that Sam had bought for her.

Before long, Dan Canneziano was spending a good part of his time at the ranchhouse. Sam, being nobody's fool, soon saw how the land lay; but he, according to his custom then and now, kept his mouth shut and his eyes open. Sure enough, one evening they tried to elope together. Sam went after them and brought them back. The three of them had about half an hour's talk together. Then Sam herded Canneziano down to the outfit's quarters and, I suppose, told the men to keep him there, for there he stayed until Sam was ready for him again.

The next morning Sam started to the county seat. He reached there that evening. The following morning he got his divorce. He came back to the Desert Moon on the third morning, with his divorce and with a preacher. He sent for Canneziano, and stood by, while the preacher married Margarita Stanley to Daniel Canneziano, decent and regular, according to the laws of Nevada.

There it should have ended. It didn't, because Sam never got over loving Margarita. So when, nine years later, she came back to the Desert Moon, with twin girls, Danielle and Gabrielle, and said that Canneziano had deserted her and the children Sam took them all right in. I don't know, yet, whether or not they took him in.

Certainly he did not show much surprise when, in about ten days, Canneziano put in an appearance. Sam allowed him to get a good start with his threats, and then he took him across his knees and gave him a sound spanking, and passed him over to Margarita to dry his tears, and washed his own hands and went fishing.

That evening he had one of the men hitch up and take the whole kit and caboodle of Cannezianos to Rattail in time to catch the east-bound train. I am ashamed to say that Sam gave them money. I don't know how much. A tidy sum, I'll be bound, for shortly after we heard that Canneziano had opened the finest gambling house south of the Mason and Dixon line, in New Orleans.

Sam wanted to keep the children. He offered to adopt them. Margarita would not consider it.

When Margarita died, in France, seven years after she had paid us her blackmailing visit, Sam, the ninny, wrote to Canneziano and again offered to adopt the girls and give them a good home on the Desert Moon. He got a few insulting, insinuating lines for an answer. Canneziano had his own plans for his daughters, who had developed into rare beauties.

But, if Sam was soft with the women, he was not soft with Canneziano. He had showed up here, beaming and broke, about three years ago. He had left, suddenly, after having seen Sam and no one else, less beaming but quite as broke as he had been when he had come. I thought, maybe, Sam was forgetting that side of the family, and that this might be a good time to remind him.

"Is Canneziano planning to come on later, too, and rest?" I asked.

"Just at present he is in San Quentin, serving a three years' term. Danielle didn't say for what deviltry. His term's up this summer. Poor little girls," Sam went on, "I reckon we haven't any idea of what they've been through, all these years."

"I reckon not," I agreed. "But they aren't little girls any more. Seems queer to me, with all the beauty their father was bragging about, that neither of them has married. Twenty-four is getting along."

"I'll bet," Sam answered, "it is because they have never had any decent opportunities. Considering the life that they've had to lead, and all, I think it speaks pretty well for them that they have come through straight and clean."

Instead of asking him how he knew that, I said, "You'd be willing, then, to have John marry one of them?"

John, Sam's adopted son, was the apple of Sam's eye. He would have the ranch, and Sam's fortune, other dependents provided for, when Sam died. Whether or not the girl he married would be contented to live on the ranch, and help John carry it on and keep up its traditions, making it one of the proudest spots in Nevada, was a mighty important thing to Sam.

He waited so long before answering my question that I was sure I had hit the nail on the head.

"John," he finally said, "is old enough to take care of himself."

With that he turned and went out of my kitchen, not giving me a chance to say that, though I had lived through fifty-six years, I had never yet seen a man at the age he had just mentioned. I knew that if these Canneziano girls came to the Desert Moon, they would bring trouble with them. I was right. A merciful Providence be thanked that, for a time at least, the knowledge of how terribly right I was, was spared me.

I am not an admirer of men. Looking at most any man, I find myself thinking what a pity it was he had to grow up, since as a little, helpless child he would have made a complete success.

Sam Stanley is different. There is some of the child left in Sam, just as there is, I think, in any good man or woman—a little seasoning of simplicity, really, is all—it amounts to—but there is a quality about Sam that makes a person feel that he set out, early in life, to follow the recipe for being a man, and that he has made a thorough job of it.

Why he, as a young man, with a pretty fair education and a tidy sum of money left him by his father, who had been a well-thought-of lawyer in Massachusetts, should come out here to Nevada, take up his homestead land, and settle content for the rest of his life, has always been more or less of a mystery to me, unless you take Sam's explanation of it.

He says that, when his father died, it left him without a relative, whom he knew of, in the world. He was twenty years old, and he owned a set

He Left Suddenly After Having Seen Sam and No One Else.

of roving toes and an imagination. So he went to California, seeking romance and gold. Finding neither, he came down here to Nevada.

He staked out his hundred and sixty acres with Boulder creek tumbling and roaring through them. He built his cabin. He hired help, and built fences, and dug ditches, and planted crops, and bought stock. He bought more land. He hired more help, dug more ditches, planted bigger crops, bought more stock. He has been doing that regularly ever since. And, of course, he located the lead and silver mine, on his property, that made him millions if it made him a cent, before it played out. But, in spite of the money that "Old Lady Luck," as he called his mine, made for him, Sam never gave his heart to it. It was the Desert Moon ranch that he loved, and the money he made from it that he was proud of. That was why, when the honor of the ranch went under, during those terrible weeks last summer, Sam all but went under with it.

After Margarita left the place from her visit of 1909, taking the twins with her, Sam went around for a week or two, with his head cocked to one side as if he was listening for something. I knew what he was missing, and I was not surprised when, one day, he told me he had decided to send to San Francisco and get a couple of children and adopt them.

He wrote to a big hospital in San Francisco and got in touch with a trained nurse who would be willing to come up and live on the ranch and take care of the two children. He had her go to an orphan's home and select the children and bring them with her when she came.

The nurse came early in September with two brown-eyed children, named Vera and Alvin. Sam at once re-named them. John, he said, was the only name for a boy, and Mary the only name for a girl. But since my name was Mary, he would let the little girl have Martha, which meant, according to Sam, "Boss of the Ranch."

The nurse's name was Mrs. Ollie Ricker. I don't know how old she was then. I don't know how old she is now. She never talked. I do not mean that she never chatted, or gossiped. I mean that she never said one word if she could possibly avoid it. At the end of sixteen years of daily association with Mrs. Ricker, that is, up to the time of the second murder on the Desert Moon, I knew exactly as much about her past life as you know at this minute.

John, at that time, was nine years old. He was as bright, and as upstanding, and as handsome, as any little fellow to be found anywhere. I may as well say, now, that this description of John, at nine years old, is as good a description as I can give of John at twenty-five. If you will draw his height up to six feet, and put on weight accordingly.

The papers from the orphanage gave Martha's age as five years; but even I, who knew less about children than it was decent for any woman to know, soon saw that something was wrong. She walked well enough, but she could scarcely talk at all. Her ways and her habits were those of a two-year-old infant, yet she was far too large for that age. Before she had been with us a week I knew that Martha was not quite right in her mind.

Mrs. Ricker knew it, too. Her excuse was, that she had chosen Martha because she was so pretty; that she had had no opportunity to judge her other characteristics. She insisted that she thought, with proper care, Martha would develop normally.

I knew better. Sam knew it, too. But, when I begged and besought him not to adopt her, he brought out an argument good and conclusive for him.

"If I don't adopt her, and take care of her," said Sam, "who the heck would?"

So adopt her he did. And he spent a small fortune on doctors, specialists, for her. None of them could do anything. It was, they said, a hopeless case of retarded development. So, at twenty-one years of age, Martha, though the care and doctoring had given her a fine healthy body, had the mind of a child of five or six years—not too bright a child, either. That was at best. At worst—Well, no matter. Entirely harmless, the doctors said; but I always had my doubts.

CHAPTER II

Arrivals at the Ranch

It was three years after Mrs. Ricker came to the ranch, bringing John and Martha, that Hubert Hand put in his appearance. He had got Mr. Indian Chat Chin, as everybody called him, to bring him up from Rattail in his old surrey.

Mr. Indian Chat Chin stopped his old nag at the entrance to the driveway, and Hubert Hand climbed carefully down and came up the road, swinging a walking cane like he was leading a parade.

Sam and I, as was our custom, went walking down to meet him.

He took off his hat to me, and said to Sam, "I wish to see the owner of this ranch."

"Nobody ever mistook me for a fairy before," Sam said. "But go ahead. Your first wish is granted. What are the other two?"

Hubert Hand got out his card then. Besides his name it had "Clover-blossom Creamery," and the San Francisco address printed on it.

Hubert Hand explained that he had an up-and-coming creamery business in San Francisco, but that his physician had told him that he had to live in a high, dry climate with plenty of sunshine and no fog. He had, after inquiries and investigations, decided that the Desert Moon ranch, altitude seven thousand feet, sunshine three hundred and sixty-five days in the year, to say nothing of the marvelous view of the Garnet mountains, the hunting, the fishing, and the pure snow water, would fill all his requirements.

His proposition was that he start a creamery, on the Desert Moon ranch, and supply the valley with ice cream, butter, and other dairy products. Sam had the ranch, the cows, the big ice plant. Mr. Hubert Hand had the knowledge and the equipment. They could divide the profits.

Next to sheep men, I guess there is nothing that cow men hold in lower contempt than they hold dairy farms. Sam was too much disgusted to swear very long.

"Listen, stranger," he said. "I wouldn't turn the Desert Moon into a place to slop milk around in if the entire valley had to depend on Hong-kong, China, for its ice cream cones. Forget it, and come in now and have some supper."

To my knowledge, Hubert Hand, from that day to this, has never again mentioned, on the Desert Moon, anything that had to do with creameries. Neither, from that day to this, has he been off the ranch for more than a couple of weeks at a time.

"By the way," he began, trying to make it sound unimportant, when we had finished supper, "I heard, in Telko, that you were something of a chess player."

"I am, when I can get a game," Sam said. "But chess players, in these parts, are as scarce as hen's teeth."

"I play a little," Hubert Hand produced, right modestly.

Sam jumped up and got out his chess table.

Hubert Hand beat him the first game in about half an hour. They set up their men again. It took Hubert Hand over an hour that time to beat Sam, but he did it.

"Heck!" Sam said, at the end of that game. "You're hired."

"Hired for what?"

"For whatever you want to call it, except the slopping of milk around. Send for your trunk and name your pay. Why didn't you say, in the first place, that you were a blankety blank crack chess player?"

Hubert Hand accepted Sam's offer, then and there. The next day he titled himself assistant ranch manager, and named his salary at two hundred and fifty dollars a month. Sam paid it without blinking; and kept right on managing the ranch, and everything on it, except, perhaps, myself, without any assistance, the same as he had always done.

Chadwick Caufield, the other member of our household, who was present on the Desert Moon ranch at the time of the first murder, came only two years ago last October.

He was wearing white corduroy trousers, a long yellow rubber raincoat, and a straw hat tethered to its buttonhole with a string. He was carrying a ukulele under his arm and a camera in his hand. He took off his hat, displaying a head full of pretty yellow curls. He smiled, displaying a sweet, gentle disposition. (If there is any better index to character than the way a person smiles, I have never found it.)

"How do you do?" he said. "I have come to visit you."

By the time Sam got his pipe picked up, John had got down the forty-feet length of living room and had Chad by both hands, and was introducing him as the friend he had told us about, the friend he had made at Mather's field, during the war.

The way of that was, John had saved his life for him down there, and had never since been able to get out from under the responsibility of it. John had found a job for him, after the armistice, and when Chad lost it, John had loaned him money to start out in a vaudeville act. He did fine with that for three years, and was making good money, when he got into an automobile accident in Kansas City and was laid up for months in the hospital there. John had wired money to him, and had asked him to come for a visit to the Desert Moon. But, since he had had a standing invitation for years, and since he had sent no word that he was coming, John was as much surprised as any of us that evening.

Chad was a little, pindling fellow. Around Sam and John and Hubert Hand he looked about as dainty and trifling as the garnish around the platter of the Thanksgiving turkey. He seemed kind of like that, too; like the extra bit of garnishing that makes life's platter prettier and nicer—absolutely useless, maybe, but never cluttery.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Phrase "Stone Age" Not Literal in Application

The Stone age is a term commonly used to denote the earliest recognized stage in the development of human culture as defined by the materials used by man for weapons, utensils, etc. The phrase is somewhat misleading, since it is probable that primitive man made use of wood and other perishable materials to a far greater extent than of stone, and consequently the stage is defined by the prevailing material of the relics, not by that of actual implements in common use. The term "Stone age" represents in no sense a chronological division of human progress, but is a loose equivalent for a stage of cultural development varying widely in duration in different parts of the world. There are, e. g., tribes still in the Stone age, while, on the other hand, some groups had outgrown it before the dawn of history. It is also worth noting that some tribes commonly classed as belonging to the Stone age produced objects of a superior artistic and industrial merit to those who had advanced to the use of metals. The evidence for the existence of such an age in most parts of the world is conclusive, but it is from the prevalence and character of the relics in certain parts of Europe rather than in America that the idea and term have come into general use.

Recipe for a Perfect Day

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She writes: "1. I woke up. Stretch. 2. Get a cheerful frame of mind. 3. Drink a glass of cool water. 4. Take ten minutes setting-up exercises. 5. Take a shower—warm, then cool. 6. Don't eat too much breakfast. 7. Refuse to rush. 8. Walk part way to work. 9. Don't worry while in your office. 10. Rest before your dinner and don't work evenings."

Famous Song Not Burns'

Although the words of the song "Auld Lang Syne" appear in Burns' works, he himself, admits that he wrote only the second and third stanzas. A song of the same title can be traced to the latter part of 1600. In a letter to George Thomson, September, 1793, Burns says "One song more I have done, 'Auld Lang Syne.' The air is but mediocre but the following song, the old song of the olden times, and which has never been in print nor even in manuscript until I took it down from an old man's singing, is enough to recommend any air."

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WORLD'S HOPE IN SCIENTISTS

By PROF. J. McKEEN CATTELL, Formerly of Columbia University.

THE objects of the sciences are more ideal than the objects of the churches. Their sacrifices are more Christian. When, in the fullness of time, there is a family of the nations, when each will give according to its ability and receive according to its needs, when war among them will be as absurd as it would now be for members of this (psychology) congress to begin murdering one another, this will be due in no small measure to co-operation among the scientific men of all nations in their common work. And it may be that psychology, the child among the sciences, and the United States, the child among the nations, shall lead them.

We can as they say, "point with patriotic pride" to James, Hall, Royce, Dewey and Santayanna as five writers of psychology, approaching it from the philosophical side, but with full appreciation of scientific method, such as would be difficult to parallel in any other country. It seems, however, that the chief contribution of America to psychology has not been large philosophical generalizations, but the gradual accumulation from all sides of facts and methods that will ultimately create a science.

I have found the center of productivity of scientific men to have moved westward from New England to the central states and onward to Missouri and Nebraska. In the production of psychologists the Universities of Indiana and Nebraska stand high.

INERTIA HURTS COLLEGES

By REV. DR. BELL, Warden St. Stephen's College, New York.

American higher education, professional schools and graduate schools as well as American life in general, are suffering from a lack of men and women emerging from the colleges with any unified concept of life or any perception of what is needed in cultured living. We are suffering from an insufficient training, preparatory to specialization in the understanding of life as a whole, in perception of human values, in estimation of the human problem as a unit.

In our colleges there are four conflicting desires. One is the old one of turning out balanced and thoughtful people. A second is, by premature specialization, to turn out technicians in scholarships. A third is to fit men to earn a living rather than to live, to make the college into a trade school. A fourth is to provide four years of pleasant, social experience with a veneer of polite accomplishment, with athletics and "student activities" bulking very large in the life of the undergraduates as they gently submit to be sprayed with culture.

There can be little of renewed effectiveness until purpose is redefined along the first line. This is hard to do, because inertia has carried the colleges far into evil ways.

The only solution to the problem is the revival of the small, resident college connected with a university, where older and wiser men can talk casually, intimately and informally with the younger men in the undergraduate body.

INDIVIDUAL LIBERTY IN DANGER

By GOV. ALBERT C. RITCHIE, Maryland.

Rights and liberties that are guaranteed to us by charter and tradition are being lost and sacrificed in the flux of events, and democracy itself is being put to the test. The masses are becoming conscious of the appalling growth of the federal government and of its overriding centralization. They are beginning to see the danger to their individual liberty from the decay and apathy of the states and from the encroachments on the right of self-government.

In the presence of a government with a big business complex, the ordinary man loses interest in his national government because it is too remote and loses interest in his local government because its functions are diverted. He lets rights guaranteed to him and his state sink into innocuous desuetude.

He falls an easy victim to the propaganda and the programs of energetic minorities and to extra-governmental groups and hierarchies which know what they want and descend upon the central government for it.

There is only one way to get the people back into their government. That is to give them the largest possible measure of self-government, individually, in their business and in their political life.

SOCIAL LIFE NEEDS ATTENTION

By JUDGE GEORGE E. KIMBALL, Kansas City.

America must face the fact that all is not well with its social life if it is to do its duty to mankind and apply the teachings of God's universal love. It has been said that nearly 1 per cent of the population of continental America is confined in penitentiaries, insane asylums or supported in institutions by public taxation.

We should seek to give every child a chance. We have the ability and the resources to face this problem. The federal government might create a commission to study these problems, learn the causes that lead to the loss of the battle of life by so many people and recommend plans for relief. Our public schools should begin to teach the child, from its entrance in the schools to graduation, the deep reverence each should have for the law of our land. It should be pointed out that crime does not pay and brings only suffering to the violators.

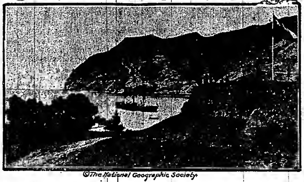
MACHINERY AND UNEMPLOYMENT

By GERARD SWOPE, President General Electric Company.

The increasing scope of industry, through the development of new crafts and sciences, will counteract whatever unemployment is caused by the growing use of labor-saving machinery. The development of labor-saving devices apparently reduces employment, but in reality this is not so. The field of industry is becoming so much larger that men who are replaced by machinery in one job are needed in another.

As an example, before machinery took the place of men to the extent it has today, 36,000 more men were needed to make incandescent lamps than are needed today. But these 36,000 men, and many more, are now being used to make radio tubes.

Robinson Crusoe's Isle



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Harbor of Juan Fernandez.

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IF YOU board a "wind jammer" at Valparaiso, Chile, and sail almost due west, on the eighth day out, you will sight an island that has been read about by more people than has any other little island in the world. It is Juan Fernandez, Robinson Crusoe's isle.

Strangely beautiful is this island. Climbing 3,000 feet up from the sea, its woody ridges lie wreathed in fantastic lacy patterns of silvery fog. As one rows ashore, the landscape rolls down like some giant theater's drop curtain, its green ferns, forests and streams painted by nature's own hand.

Now, where Crusoe hunted, huddles a hamlet of Chilean fisher folk, with the boats and sheds of a lobster-catching industry. Delicate, delicious lobsters they are, but the men who catch them will clamber over a whole boatload to quarrel about a can of American salmon!

Mas-a-Tierra (Landward) is the correct name of this island on which Alexander Selkirk, reputed hero of Defoe's romance, was put ashore.

Near by is Santa Clara, or Goat Island, and about 100 miles westward lies Mas-a-Fuera, or Further Out Island. These three form the Juan Fernandez group, named after the Spaniard who discovered them in 1563. Now they belong to Chile—in law; but in imagination every school boy on earth claims a proprietary interest here.

High up the side of Mas-a-Tierra stands a tablet which reads:

In Memory
of
Alexander Selkirk,
Mariner,

A native of Largo, in the county of Fife, Scotland, who lived on this island in complete solitude for four years and four months. He was landed from the Cinque Ports galley, 90 tons, 16 guns, A. D. 1704, and was taken off in the Duke, privateer, 12th Feb., 1709. He died Lieutenant of H. M. S. Weymouth A. D. 1723, aged 47 years. This tablet is erected near Selkirk's lookout, by Commodore Powell and the officers of H. M. S. Topaze, A. D. 1868.

To day on this island one hears much talk about lobsters, but little of Robinson Crusoe. The easy-going, Spanish-speaking inhabitants, shut off from the world and the scores of books describing their island, do not suspect how famous it is. Nearly all its 287 people make a living in the lobster trade.

Huge Lobster Industry.

Here is one of the most extraordinary shellfish industries in the world. In one year 80,000 or more lobsters are caught, not counting the small ones thrown back. Time was when these creatures swarmed the shores in such armies that the islanders had only to strew bits of meat along the beach, then walk about with a stick and tip the lobsters over on their backs.

Due to wise conservation methods of the Chilean government, island waters still abound with lobsters; but now they are caught with hoop nets set off shore and baited with stale fish. The fishermen go out, long before dawn to tend the traps. Over a charcoal stove astern they make coffee and broil fish for breakfast, but nobody ever eats a lobster.

To keep the catch alive, buckets of sea water are dashed over the crawling creatures and a tarpaulin is used to shade them from the sun. No lobster remains long in good health and spirits out of salt water. So, usually within 24 hours after catching them, the Crusoe Island fishermen try to get their lobsters to port and into the "live cars." These are scows made of slats, floating half-submerged in Cumberland bay, in which the lobsters are held captive.

Twice a month a boat sails from the island. It carries the scant mail, any passengers, and a load of lobsters, which are often two and a half feet long and weigh as much as from ten to twelve pounds. On the island the price paid the fishermen is but nominal; yet in the market at Valparaiso a live Crusoe Island lobster may bring the equivalent of from three to five dollars. On a cafe table in Buenos Aires the same lobster, after his trans-Andean trip, sells for more.

The lobster of Juan Fernandez (Palinuistas frontalis (Milne Edwards)) is minus the large claws which distinguish the lobster of our North Atlantic waters (Homarus americanus). It is a close relative of the American crawfish known as the spiny lobster in Florida.

Besides wild goat shooting, fishing around the island's rocky shores affords all the amazing luck that anglers' tales are spun from. Here are the big morays, or wolf fish, fierce and voracious; then the fighting vidriolo, or what we would call amber jacks, or yellowtail, which occur all up this coast. Around Juan Fernandez the latter often weigh 100 pounds or more.

Many kinds of sea bass also abound, with no end of delicate pan fish—the furel, corbins, weakfish or croaker, the pompanito and palometo, the smelt, the jerguilla. Here, too, the flying fish is eaten.

Storehouse of Fiction.

There is probably more excuse for fiction about Juan Fernandez than about any other place its size on earth. For 360 years pirates, earthquakes, whalers, penal colonies, battle, and political storms have swept this now calm and dreamy island. In the hillside above Cumberland bay one sees the tiers of cells, like the Roman catacombs, dug to hold prisoners when Chile used the island as a penal colony. Out in the harbor lies the hulk of the German cruiser Dresden, sunk during the World war.

Once vast packs of sea lions haunted the island rocks. Anson, English buccaneer, wrote home that there were so many of these creatures here that he couldn't move a ship's boat without putting a man in her bows with an oar to drive them aside. Traders slew them for oil, and wild dogs killed their young on the beaches; so now the sea lions seldom frequent these waters.

To kill off the wild goats, and thus cut off the fresh meat supply for the English and Dutch pirates who plagued the coast, Spanish rulers of Chile long ago sent bands of dogs to this island; but the plan failed. The dogs couldn't catch the goats among the rocks.

There may be buried pirate chests on this island. Quien sabe? But priceless treasure, indeed, was left by Anson and other early explorers. They planted vegetables and fruit seeds, and let loose pigs, cows and horses.

It was an unwritten law, tradition says, that every ship calling here in old days, whether merchant, whaler, or buccaneer, should leave animals or plants, and thus help stock the island for the common good. In consequence the variety of useful plant life here is unparalleled in the Pacific. Cows, pigs and horses are plentiful also. Boys chase wild horses around the grassy canyons where Crusoe and Friday hunted goats.

In a single garden, a spot of dazzling beauty, belonging to a Frenchman shipwrecked here more than thirty years ago, is an astounding grouping of exotic and native plants and trees. Here grew, among other things, the botanically famous chonta palm, of which highly polished walking sticks are made. The creamy-white wood feels like satin and is marked with glistening black lines.

Many Wrecks on Its Shores.

Far up the moist island slopes are giant green ferns, bizarre and outlandish, like the fantastic plant life pictured to us as shading the earth in the time of mud and reptiles. Except where trails have been cut or fires have burnt them off, these ferns are so big and thick that it is hard to walk among them.

Juan Fernandez has a few good beaches, but mostly its shores are rocky, rough, or steep, with swift currents whirling past towering volcanic cliffs. Many a stout ship has piled up here as can be seen from moss-grown remains of forgotten wrecks.

Long ago Captain Shelvocke's Speedwell went to pieces on these rocks. At that time cats, multiplied from a few left ashore by earlier ships, fairly overran the island. Shipwrecked sailors from the Speedwell lived for weeks on cat meat. Their hunger found more substantial relief from one meal of cat meat than from five meals of seal or fish, wrote Shelvocke in his journal.

There are no wheeled vehicles on the island, and nowhere on its whole 40 square miles is a road—only paths. There is a school and a seldom-attended church, but there are no places of amusement. No stores; just one room in the lobster factory at Cumberland bay, open twice a week, where natives may buy articles from the mainland through an agent of the lobster-catching company.

Community Building

Industrial Center Made Into City of Gardens

Essen, the city of smokestacks, the iron and steel center of Germany, has been converted into a city of gardens by a system which has aroused the envy of many other towns and made it the antithesis of the general conception of what a mill town looks like.

Careful city planning has been partly responsible for this result, but a forsighted policy by Alfred Krupp, founder of the famous steel works, is also entitled to much credit. Decades ago Herr Krupp set aside comfortable one-family houses for his workers, and the city has been laid out in such a way that the mills are confined to one section, business houses and office buildings to another and residences to a third.

In this third section gardening has become the favorite family sport. The municipality has encouraged this by setting aside tracts of land and any citizen can lease a plot with a tool shack on it for a ridiculously low rent. There has grown up a wholesome rivalry as to who among the 480,000 inhabitants can produce the best flowers or vegetables.

A garden fair was laid out in a tract of 57 acres. Some 70,000 rose bushes, 30,000 dahlias, uncounted thousands of other flowers and shrubs in profusion were planted there. Artistic skill was used in the grouping, but the scientific gardener's craft also was used to create an object lesson for other cities.

Ugly Wayside Stands Should Be Abolished

Signboards are not the only nuisances which may destroy the beauty of a scenic route. In the western states, where distances are great between towns, it is almost necessary that there be wayside stands where motorists may purchase supplies en route. Many of these stands are ugly shacks, hastily thrown together for summer use only.

In 1926, during a visit to the national parks, Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., was impressed with the need of beautifying American roadsides, especially those leading to the national parks. Accordingly she organized a contest, with an annual prize of generous proportions, for the most attractive wayside stand. She also established a plan board of architects, which will furnish plans and designs for wayside stands without cost. This is an entirely new approach to the problem—one which appears to be effective in several areas. I note from reports of state highway commissions of several eastern states that they believe the tendency is in the direction of more attractive and well-kept wayside stands.—Horace M. Albright, in the Saturday Evening Post.

Proper Tree Protection

Not long ago a tree lover in Missouri took out $500 in insurance on a fine old tree that stands in his yard. He values that tree highly.

But there is another form of insurance that probably would be of more real benefit to the tree. That is an investment in the tree which will insure its longer life and make it possible for the tree to withstand the elements against which it must fight for existence.

Many trees are structurally weak. Usually the greatest danger is with trees which have sharp forks. The upper branches get heavier and heavier as the tree grows older. Finally the weight is too much and during a storm, or even on a still day, the branches will snap or the fork split down, leaving the tree disfigured and permanently ruined as a thing of beauty.

Duties Before Architect

"The architect is a citizen who is respected in his community, who uses not only his brain but his eye and his hand, and he has numberless opportunities to help bring the kingdom of heaven to help upon earth," says Frederick P. Keppel, president of the Carnegie corporation.

"He can do it by the creation of beauty, by participation in community enterprises such as town and regional planning and the development of parks and parkways. He can do it by seeing that the elements of the art are not neglected in the schools.

"He can do it by organizing groups of people to create objects of beauty, and there are many more groups of this sort than is generally realized."

Beautify the Highways

"Make Missouri Beautiful" wouldn't be entirely satisfactory as a slogan for beautifying the paved highways that now cross the state. Missouri is beautiful, but its roadways might offer opportunity for beautification. Trees may be planted and at many points, flowerbeds laid out. This example should induce thousands of private property owners to beautify their own frontage.—F. H. Collier in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

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Editor Edmunds shooks his head.

"And looking for trouble," he concluded, "is like looking for Pike's peak in Teller county, Colorado—you can't miss it."

Miniature Town

A remarkable model of Devon, England, and the surrounding country is being made by a resident of the place. He is using only simple hand tools, and when completed the model will be thirty feet in length.

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St. Hilaire Spectator

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See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

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St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

Order Limiting Time to File Claims within Three Months and for Hearing Thereon

State of Minnesota, }
County of Pennington } ss.

Estate Of John R. Fate, Decedent.

IN PROBATE COURT.

In the matter of the Estate of John R. Fate, Decedent.

Letters Testamentary this day having been granted to C. Ivan Fate, and it appearing by the affidavit of said representative that there are no debts of said decedent:

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, he, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Thursday the 6th day of February, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator as provided by law.

Dated November 4th, 1929.

Lars Backe

(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.

N-7-21

Citation for Hearing on Petition for License to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Gilbert Sandum, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, }
County of Pennington } ss.

In Probate Court

In The Matter of the Estate of Gilbert Sandum, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Carrie Sandum, Beatrice Sandum, Ruth Sandum, Grace Sandum, Harold Sandum, Ardith Sandum and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said decedent. The petition of Beatrice Sandum, as representative of the above named decedent, heing duly filed in this court representing that it is necessary and for the best interest of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be sold and praying that a license be granted to her to sell the same.

NOW, THEREFORE, You and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 30th day of November, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 2nd day of November, 1929.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe

Judge of Probate Court.

Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Chommie

Attorneys for Petitioner.

Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

N7-21

DR. L. R. TWETE

Licensed Veterinarian

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Tuberculin Testing

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

The Spectator

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South River Falls

Mrs. K. T. Dalager and sons, Horace and James, Mrs. Aug. Erickson and son Leonard, spent Sunday afternoon at the G. Peterson home.

Mrs. E. H. Stephens, who has been confined to bed by illness the past two weeks, is up again and improving rapidly.

A number of young men of this community were entertained at the Art Swanson home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Dalager, Mrs. G. B. Peterson and Mrs. Miller Peterson attended the circut meetings held last week at St. Pauli church.

Ernest Erickson returned home last week after visiting a few days with relatives and friends at Minneapolis and Willmar.

Evelyn and Gladys Peterson and Annie Walseth spent the past weekend at their respective homes.

Planes With 6 Lost in Storm.

Albuqnarqua, N. M.—An aerial search, the second in two months, was in progress in western New Mexico and eastern Arizona for a missing Western Air Express trimotored plane missing in a storm with five persons on hoard. The giant tri-motored plane disappeared somewhere along the 180-mile stretch of the air route hetween Navajo, Ariz., and Albuqnerqne. It is hailieved to have heen forced down hy hitter weather which swept the Rocky monntains. A mail carrier at Mt. Vernon, Ohio, defied the had weather and was hurned to death in his wrecked plane.

Burton, Ohio Senator, Dies.

Washington—Senator Theodore E. Burton of Ohio died here after an illness of several months, sinking quietly into unconsciousness. From time to time, the President had called on the 77-year-old legislator to keep in close personal touch with his condition. Among the last visitors to the hedside were Senator Fess of Ohio and Bishop William T. MacDowell of the Methodist Episcopal chnrch. Miss Grace Bnrton, a niece of the senator and a nephew, William Burton, were with him throngh the last hours. He had been unable to take nonrishment.

Air Liner Lost With 5.

Albnquerque, N. M.—An easthound Western Air Mall passenger liner with two passengers, two pilots and a steward ahoard, bound from its western terminus at Alhambra, Calif., to Kansas City, was lost somewhere in eastern Arizona or western New Mexico. In Eugene, Oregon, Miss Edyth Rose, Portland aviatrix, and two men fliers were killed when their large monoplane crashed near Cottage grove and hurned.

Pair Stall Car Before Hoover Train.

New Alhany, Ind.—Two negroes were arrested here hy department of justice agents who caught them in the act of placing an antomohile on the Pennsylvania tracks at Sidney crossing a few minntes hefore the special train of President Hoover was dne. They claimed they were trying to get insurance on the car. President Hoover was kept unaware of the incident.

Indian Superstition

The Seminole Indians, like all of the trihes of Redmen, are extremely superstitious. They believe that the havoc wrought hy hurricanes across Florida is dne to vengeance of their god on the white man for irrigation work at Lake Okeechobee and otherwise changing the face of nature.

Another Name for "Pal"

The nickname "Buddy" is not an abbreviation or diminutiva of a proper name, but appears to be the diminutive of the term "brother." It was much used among the soldiers during the World war. It has the meaning of the term "pal."

FARMERS STATE BANK

St. Hilaire, Minn.

October 1, 1929.

Statement showing Assets & Liabilities at the time the bank closed on August 29, 1927, and Receipts and Dishursements from time of closing to October 1, 1929.

Assets—Time Of Closing	
Loans and Discounts (including notes pledged)	$ 68,304.14
Other Real Estate	10,400.00
All Other Assets	24,528.12
Stockholder's Liahility	12,000.00
Total	$115,232.26
Liabilities—Time of Closing	
Deposits	$ 73,408.12
Deposits secured hy bonds	10,053.63
Bills Payahle	7,046.00
Total	$90,507.75
Bills Payable	
Notes pledged to secure Bills Payahle	$ 26,438.50
Collections on pledged notes to reduce Bills Payahle	5,939.67
Advance on Bills Payahle to redeem collateral	1,106.33
Bills Payahle unpaid—Octoher 1, 1929	None
Claims	
Preferred claims allowed	$ 333.68
General claims allowed—less withdrawals	72,699.68
Receipts and Dishursements	
Receipts	
Cash on hand at time of closing	$ 968.64
Due from banks at time of closing	1,000.20
Collections — Stockholder's Liahility	6,460.00
Interest on daily halances	393.82
Collections—pledged assets	5,939.87
Collections--unpledged assets	37,299.97
Sale of bonds and interest	11,159.96
Sale of Bank Building	1,500.00
Total	$66,722.26
Dishursements	
Bills Payahle hy collateral	
Bills Payahle hy collateral collections	$ 5,939.67
Advance on Bills Payahle to redeem collateral	1,106.33
Preferred claims paid	333.68
Deposits secured hy bonds	10,053.63
Taxes, redemptions, interest, insurance and expenses on real estate	3,189.69
Salary of Special Deputy Examiner, fuel, mileage, repairs and ether expenses at the hank	3,066.92
Attorneys fees and expenses	230.76
Office Expense—Liquidation Department	599.62
Dividends paid to creditors 50 %	36,353.16
Balance—Cash on hand October 1, 1929	5,868.80
Total	$68,722.26

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Thirty-eight Hundred Sixty and 40-100 ($3660.40) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered hy Karl A. Sundahl and Anna Sundahl, his wife, Mortgagors, to First and Peoples State Bank, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 18th day of November, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of November, 1920, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 13 of Mortgages, on page 629, and no action or proceedings having heen instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the deht secured hy said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That hy virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed hy said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Seven (7) and Eight (6), of Block One (1), of Connelly's First Addition to Red Lake Rapids, (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls), according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and

Lots Four (4) and Five (5), of Block Nineteen (19), in the Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls), according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and

Lots Thirty-four (34), Thirty-five (35), Thirty-six (38), Thirty-seven (37) and Thirty-eight (38), of Block Ten (10), in the Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls), according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and all of said property situated in Pennington County and State of Minnesota,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made hy the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 21st day of December, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest hidder for cash, to pay said deht of $3860.40, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney s fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the dishursements allowed hy law subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 6th, A. D. 1929.

FIRST and PEOPLES STATE BANK, Mortgagee,

Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Chommie

Attorneys for Mortgagee,

Thief River Falls, Minnesota. N7-D12

The Spectator, $1.50

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Place your orders now for hard coal, soft coal and briquettes. We have a supply on hand and can deliver it at once while the weather is good.

Don't wait until the last minute in hope there will be no winter. We will guarantee there will be one.

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Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Best Winter Service

To get the best service out of your car during the cold winter months, perfect lubrication is very essential. We have oils and grease suitable for all makes of cars, and will be glad to assist you in selecting the oil and grease best suited for your car.

Snappy gas, the kind that makes your motor go into action the minute you touch the starter, is our

KOOLMOTOR

Try a thankfull next time you fill--you'll be agreeebly surprised at the way your motor will perform.

Young's Service Station

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday

Sunday school 10:00.

Morning Services 11:00.

Evening service at 8:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Black River church at 10:00 A. M., with Sunday school following.

Sunday school in local church at 2:00, and services at 3:00 P. M.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Nov. 10

Oakridge, 10:00 A. M. Norw.

St. Pauli, 2:30 P. M.

Business meeting of St. Pauli congregation will be held Nov. 15 at 10:30 A. M.

Annual meeting of St. Hilaire church will be held in the church Nov, 14 at 7:30 P. M.

As suffrage will be granted to women of the church, we expect all of them to be present.

Th eDorcas meets at the church parlors Nov, 9 at 2:00 P. M., Berl Burkee, Donna Brink, Vivian Lindquist, LaVaughn Skatrud. Margaret Dahle and Evelyn Gigstad will entertain. All who have articles for the sale, bring them to this meeting. Sale will be held Friday the 22nd, at 8:00 P. M.

25 Years Ago

The weather that fall was far better than the average. There was no snow, and no indication of early freezeup.

—XXV—

Mike McAndress announced he would have his annual turkey raffle the 10th. The raffle was a regular affair at Mike's in those days.

—XXV—

Publication day of the Spectator was changed from Wednesday to Saturday, and two papers were issued that week.

—XXV—

H. D. Pettebone returned from Frazee where he went to see a resaw recently put in. A similar saw was to be installed here.

—XXV—

L. T. Bergh and I. Dahlin came in after erecting buildings on their claims.

—XXV—

G. H. Sandum returned often a business trip to southern Minnesota.

—XXV—

Ray Collins, setter at the mill, was called to Frazee because of illness in his family.

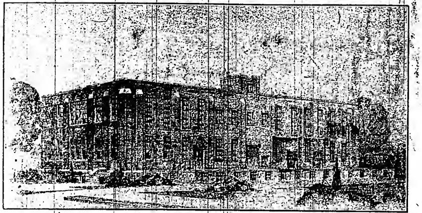
Madams Curie to Get $50,000.

Washington—A draft for $60,000 to purchase a gram of radium for her valorous researches awaited Madame Cnrie when she arrived at the White House for a visit with President and Mrs. Hoover. Encased in silver, it was presented to her at the national academy of sciences, at ceremonies which included an address hy the President.

40 Co-eds Injured in Porch Collapse.

Blne Mountain, Mass.—More than two score young women students of Blne Mountain college here were injnred, 12 severely, in the collapse of a second floor porch of a dormitory on which a numher of the stndents had gathered here. None was believed to be fatally hurt.

Official Opening of Land O' Lakes Poultry Plant Will Be Celebrated at Thief River Falls Saturday, November 9th



The formal opening and dedication of the new egg and poultry plant built by the Land O' Lakes Creameries in Thief River Falls will take place on Saturday, November 9th. The announcement of the opening of this new plant is of unusual interest to the poultry producers of Northwestern Minnesota as this institution represents more than a mere place for farmers to deliver their eggs and poultry. It is the outgrowth of many years of effort on the part of the producers in this territory to establish an outlet for their eggs and poultry through an institution owned and controlled by farmers. This plant will become the service unit for the creameries in this northwest section and brings to this territory an institution that will give farmers the most direct outlet for their egg and poultry products. Long hauls of both eggs and poultry are not economic both from the standpoint of cost of transportation and condition of product at the time of delivery, and it is through this new institution that the farmers bring to their doors the service of dressing and packing plant operations, as well as a point from which such feeds as they will need to purchase can be distributed at lowest cost. The plant is undoubtedly a beginning of a chain of service units that will be established by the Land 'O' Lakes Creameries through which producer and consumer will be brought closer together, and is an advance move in the solution of the agricultural problem.

The dedication program, to which the public is invited, will begin with the opening of the plant for inspection at 9:30 to 12:30. Afternoon program of speaking and entertainment will be held at the auditorium commencing at 1:30. The evening program will be in charge of the Thief River Falls Commercial Club. A dinner will be served at 50 cents per plate. This will be followed by an interesting program.

This plant is, without question, one of the finest and most up-to-date plants of its kind in this state. The entire second floor is taken up for the 120 battery feeding room. The first floor contains the office, receiving rooms, egg candling room and warehouse space for feeds, poultry and egg supplies. The egg candling room is insulated and equipped with cooling and ventilating equipment, permitting eggs to be handled under the most ideal conditions.

The basement contains the poultry killing and picking room which is being equipped to handle 5,000 birds per day; a battery wash room and two battery sterilizing rooms. All batteries after being once used, are taken to the washroom and thoroughly washed, after which they are placed in the sterilizing room and steamed before being put into use again. A feather washing and drying room; all feathers that are saleable will be washed, dried and sacked, ready for sale. Egg breaking room, where eggs will be broken, canned and frozen, ready for sale. A large cooler room, as well as a sharp freezer, which will permit the handling of poultry and eggs under ideal conditions. Boiler and engine room contains refrigerating machinery and boiler which is equipped with oil burner. Basement also has a well lighted storage room, and is so arranged so that a second killing and picking room can be had during the rush season when both turkeys and poultry are marketed.

St. Hilaire Telephone Co.
Chas. L. Kundert, Manager

Piano Tuner Coming

A. E. McIntyre, the old reliable piano tuner, who comes to the Thief River Music Company four times a year, will be in St. Hilaire soon to tune and repair any and all makes of pianos.

Kindly leave orders at Henry Olsen's radio shop and receive expert repairing, and beautiful tone quality of piano tuning absolutely guaranteed to all.

Country orders given prompt attention if phoned in or left with Henry Olsen, St. Hilaire.

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MEET THE GANG
-AT-
Bob's Coffee Shop
If you can't eat at home. eat with us
R. Helmkay,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

LOCALS

Oscar Seeland, of Hazel, is at the hospital at Thief River suffering from an infection.

The C. Roe Grain Company handle the famous Gold Seal flour. Order a sack of this excellent flour—it will be sure to please you. Adv.

Mrs. M. H. Jackson and Mrs. O. Gunstad attended a meeting on Tuesday of the Arts and Crafts division of the Womans Club at Thief River of which they are members.

Estray: Large, brown water spanial who answers to the name of Mack. Disappeared from St. Hilaire about three weeks ago.

Anyone knowing his whereabouts or having him in possession, kindly notify this office.

Boys' Capital

Tha best advantage any boy can have is a desire to do useful work in tha world and the companionship of a good father.—American Magazine.

LOCALS

There will be a basket social at the Hazel Hall, Friday evening. Everybody welcome.

H. Olson of Thief River, was a visitor Sunday at the E. Jensen home.

Miss Martha Swenson returned recently from Minneapolis where she had visited with her aunt, Mrs. J. Kinney who is a patient at one of the hospitals there.

Attorney Paul Lundgren of Thief River, and O. Gunstad motored Monday to Grand Forks and Hillsboro, N. D., to look after business matters.

Ant Hills a Nuisance

When they want to clear a piece of ground in Africa to make a landing field, they must take the ant hills into consideration. In northern Rhodesia recently it was necessary to remove 25,000 tons of ant hills and this work required tha services of 700 natives for a period of five months.

Family Party

Mr. and Mrs. John Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Johnson of Oklee, Chr. Person, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Melin and family, Carl and Axel Swanson of Black River, Carl Person and family and Sam Person were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nels Person.

Sig Lands Cash Prize

Sig Engh, former local man, who is now employed by the street car company at Minneapolis, and who was captain this year of one of the basebaII teams in the league maintained by the Twin City Rapid Transit Company, was recently awarded one of the $25 cash prizes given personally each year by President H. Lowry of the company to the outstanding player in each team in the League. Election of the person in each team to receive the prize is made by members of the team. Sig's numerous friends here are pleased that he was given this recognition for his efforts this year, and hope that he may have the same good fortune in future years.

Candy Social

A candy social will be given in Dist. No. 133J, 7 and a half miles southeast of St. Hilaire, Friday evening November 8th.

A short program, contests, fish pond and other entertainment will be provided. Pearl Anderson.

All materials have been taken out, and construction work is now being rushed on the new stock barn being erected by the Rural Credit Bureau on the former Fred Dammon farm two miles east of town. The barn will be fully enclosed this week, and interior work will probably be finished in another week or ten days.

A heavy fall of snow Thursday at Winnipeg blockaded trains and caused havoc with telephone and telegraph communications. During the same time, heavy snow fell in parts of North Dakota, southwestern Minnesota, and down to the Twin Cities. The storm, which passed in a southeasterly direction, did not hit this section of the state and fall weather continues here.

For Sale

Am leaving for Idaho and will sell the following articles which are too bulky to ship.

Kitchen range.
Ice box. Wood box.
Atwater Kent Radio.
Fordor sedan car, in fine shape.
Ash and poplar wood.
Rocker. Few chairs.
Meat jar. Other jars.
Bedroom dresser.
Wash tubs. Barrel.
Davenport.
Feeder for No. 18 Round Oak Stove.

Everything will go at low price for quick sale.

S. T. Espeland,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

RUPTURE EXPERT HERE

H. M. SHEVNAN—F. H. SEELEY CO'S EXPERT of Chicago and Philadelphia will be at the Brumund Hotel, Thief River Falls, Wednesday only, Nov. 13, from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Mr. Seeley says:

"The Spermatic Shield will not only retain any case of rupture perfectly, but contracts the opening in 10 days on the average case. Being a vast advancement over all former methods—exemplifying instantaneous effects immediately appreciable and withstanding any strain of position no matter the size or location. Large or difficult cases, or incisional ruptures (following operations) specially solicited This instrument received the only award in England and in Spain, producing results without surgery, injections, medical treatments or prescriptions, with distinguished personal patrons of all nations." "His method has always been most satisfactory."—Late Dr. Edward Shippen, former Medical Director, U. S. Navy.

"If you want done what the rest cannot do—See Seeley."

Mr. Shevnan will be glad to demonstrate without charge or fit them if desired Business demands prevents stopping at any other place in this section.

N. B.—Every statement in this notice has been verified before the Federal and State Courts.—F. H. SEELEY.

Home office: 140 N. Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill.

TURKEY DAYS
Nov. 12 and 16

Turkeys will be received at the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery on TUESDAY NOV. 12 and on Saturday, Nov. 16th.

Bring the birds in at any time from noon until 5 o'clock.

Remember the dates, and bring birds as early as possible to facilitate quick handling.

Speed Spirit Stamina

CHIEF OF THE SIXES

beyond anything you have ever known at its price

Watch the Pontiac Big Six on the open road, revealing top speeds such as no other car in its field can match. See it leap eagerly ahead at a green light, accelerating with unrivaled snap and spirit.... Pontiac is equally far ahead of its field in stamina and long life, due to many wear-resisting features such as crankcase ventilation which prevents dilution of engine oil—positive full pressure lubrication at all speeds—and the Harmonic Balancer which counteracts torsional vibration in the crankshaft. . . . Come in today. Learn how easily you can own and enjoy the finest car the market affords at its low price.

Pontiac Big Six, $745 to $895, f. o. b. Pontiac, Mich., plus delivery charges. Bumpers, spring covers and Lovejoy shock absorbers regular equipment at slight extra cost. General Motors Time Payment Plan available at minimum rate.

Consider the delivered price as well as the list (f.o.b.) price when comparing automobile values . . . Oakland-Pontiac delivered prices include only authorized charges for freight and delivery and the charge for any additional accessories or financing desired.

ROY MOTOR CO.
St. Hilaire, Minn.

PONTIAC
(248)
BIG SIX $745
PRODUCT OF GENERAL MOTORS

2-Door Sedan f. o. b. Pontiac, Michigan

Wouldn't It Look Awful?

A certain noble woman is considerably alarmed by tha prevalence of burglars in this part of town, especially dreading tha way the veins of her jewels would look in tha paper.—Ohio State Journal.

Middle Age

Middle age is that period in a sensible man's life when he likes a medical adviser who tells him that there's more danger in exercising too much than there is in exercising too little.—Ohio State Journal.

Finds Buried Gas Mains

Successful application of the magnetic compass, the type that has been used by mariners for hundreds of years, has been made by a gas company in finding gas mains, the exact location of which was not known, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. By holding the compass at the surface the deflection of the needle aided the engineers in finding the mains.

The method is practical when tha pipe is buried not more than two feet and in finding piping hidden in house walls.

Age Not Determined by Number of Years Lived

I must confess that I have arrived at the time of life when I do not like to be asked how old I am. What in the dickens do the number of years matter?

Many of us old-stagers are really as young as the lads in tha air force. At least, that's the way we feel.

Youth is not a time of life. It is a state of mind. It is determined by how you think and how you feel.

Recently, I met a young man of twenty-eight who was full of fears. His brain had become static. He seemed to be vaccinated against new ideas. I am twice his age, but I contend that I am younger than he is.

A few gray hairs don't matter. A few wrinkles don't matter, especially if they are around the eyes, and not around the mouth.

Tha main thing is not to have wrinkles on your brain.

Nor your heart.

Nor your soul.

As long as a man keeps going and jumps out of bed every morning with a smile, he is young.—Herbert N. Casson in Forbes Magazine.

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Dedicate Poultry Plant

Impressive ceremonies marked the dedication last Saturday of the new Land O' Lakes poultry concentration plant at Thief River alls. Morning was given over to the annual turkey tour in which some over forty auto loads of people participated. During the afternoon the new plant was opened for inspection to the hundreds of visitors who were present for the dedication. Each department of the new plant was in operation to show the visitors how poultry, eggs, etc., were handled.

Officials of Land O' Lakes, Inc., as well as district officers were present on the programs at the auditorium, which occupied most of the afternoon.

Final number on the day's program was a turkey banquet given at the Trinity church parlors which was attended by several hundreds of representative people from all parts of the district, and by the association officials who were present for the dedicatory ceremonies.

Those who viewed the new plant in operation, state it is modern and up-to-date in every respect, and large enough to handle the poultry and egg business of this section for some years to come.

This section of the state is enjoying the finest fall weather it has had in years. There is no snow and the temperature is above normal for this time of the year.

Aside from a few cold days while snow storms were passing both east and west of here, this section has had fine weather all fall.

John Gonnering shipped in this week a pair of ferrets to be used for clearing out rats and mice around the meat market building and nearby places. As these animals are valuable, Mr. Gonnering asks people not to set out traps or poison, and, not to shoot at them thinking they are weasles. They resemble the latter somewhat, but are light yellow color instead of white.

NOTICE: I will be in St. Hilaire on Wednesday, November 20th, all day. Those owing the Farmers State Bank are urged to come in on that day and make payment.

L. E. Healy,
Spec. Deputy Examiner

Mechanics Wanted!

Big Demand. Practical Training. Write for catalog. HANSON AUTO & ELECTRICAL SCHOOL, Box 926, Fargo, N. D

Advertising Pays

As result of some well distributed advertising when the Turkey Tour visited his farm last Saturday morning, J. H. Bohlen sold 25 hens and 10 toms that day. Since then he has had a number of inquiries from different points and expects to sell fully that many more birds. The only way to create a demand for anything one has to sell, is to tell people about it. Mr. Bohlen believes in telling people about his turkeys and there is a regular demand for them. This week he is shipping one of his prize toms to head a flock in Kentucky.

St. Hilaireites Have Party

A group of former St. Hilaire people, who now reside at Minneapolis and St. Paul, were guests Saturday evening, November 9th, of Miss Lulu Beebe and Mrs. Chris Stapf at a "get-together" party given at the home of the latter at St. Paul. Among those present were Hazel Wallen, Gudrun and Agnes Grimsrud, Agnes Vik, Mrs. Carl Nelson and Mrs. Nels Nelson of Minneapolis, Dorothy Martz, Mrs. E. E. Lyon, Mrs. O. Gigstad, Myrtle and Alice Gigstad, Lulu Beebe and Mrs. Chris Stapf of St. Paul. A very interesting evening was spent in talking over old times when all present were residents of the "old home town."

George W. Olson of Little Falls stopped here Saturday evening for a brief call on his brother, H. A. Olson, while enroute home from a business trip to Thief River.

Ed. Durbin and son, Verle, came Sunday from Hibbing to look after matters at his local store. Verle commenced school here Tuesday morning.

V. L. MacGregor, secretary of the Crookston Building and Loan Association, was here for a short time yesterday looking after matters of business.

Some over fourty carloads of people took part in the annual turkey tour in this county which was held last Saturday. The tour commenced at Thief River but the first flock visited was at the Bohlen farm here. From there the party went to the Otto Johnson and J. W. Black farms near here. The party also viewed the Hunt flock and one other near Thief River before finishing the tour.

The Melancholy Days

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Olson motored up Monday from Leonard for a visit with their relatives.

Laurine Bjerk, who attends the normal department of the high school at Red Lake Falls, spent last week-end here with her parents.

John Gonnering motored yesterday to Argyle with Mrs. Gonnering's parents, who had visited here this week.

Little Donald Gullickson, who was shot through one leg by accidental discharge of a rifle a short time ago, is nearly recovered from the wound.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Hagen motored up Sunday from Fargo and spent the day here at the home of his sister, Mrs. H. F. Hanson.

The Aid of Clearwater church will have their annual sale at the church, Saturday evening, Nov 16 at 8 o'clock.

S. T. Espeland and children are getting their affairs in readiness and expect to leave soon for Moscow, Idaho., to make their future home.

A gravel hauling crew of about ten men arrived here first of this week and are preparing to gravel the state road from Wylie north four miles.

Remember the school carnival will take place Friday evening this week. Preparations are being made for a big time, and everyone in this community is invited to attend.

Save money on your Farm Plant Batteries. Standard units to fit your plant. Ten months to pay. $ 10.00 allowance on your old battery. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Supt. E. N. Reiersgord, Misses Lee and Frasier left Friday by car to witness the Concordia-St. Olaf football game which was played at Northfield on Saturday. Miss Frasier took opportunity, at the same time, to visit at her home at Verndale.

Dumping of hot ashes close to the building, very near caused a fiire at the local garage Saturday morning. When discovered, a pile of refuse was ablaze close to the rear wall. No damage resulted, but had the fire remained undiscovered a little longer a serious fire might have started.

Heavy express shipments of turkeys for eastern Thanksgiving market, are leaving here this week and and first of next.

Mrs. Henry Rux returned Saturday from Grand Forks where she had spent two weeks receiving medical treatment.

George Johnson and Arvid Dahlstrom motored Sunday to Minneapolis to spend a few days visiting the latter's father.

Mrs. O. W. Brink is spending the winter at home of her son, Mauritz, at Thief River while recuperating from another siege of illness.

The Dorcas Society of the local Norwegian Lutheran church will have their annual sale of fancy and other articles at the church Friday evening, Nov 22nd.

O F. Post, who has spent the fall with relatives near Steiner, came down Monday for a brief visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. Forseen, and with friends. He returned to Steiner the same day.

The Ladies Aid of the local Swedish Lutheran church will have their annual sale of fancy and other articles on Friday, November 29th. The sale will be held at the Odd Fellows hall starting at 8:00 P. M.

A number of people from this locality took part in the annual Turkey Tour last Saturday, and later witnessed dedication of the new Land O'Lakes poultry plant at Thief River Falls.

Melvin Sherva, employed by the Globe-Gazette Printing Company at Wahpeton, and Kenard Hovet, who is employed in a newspaper office at Ortonville, motored up Sunday for a short visit at their respective homes. They returned Monday afternoon.

Funeral services for the late, Mrs. August Moren of Wylie, who died Wednesday evening last week were held from the Swedish Lutheran church at Black River on Saturday, Rev. A. F. Nelson officiating. Interment was made in cemetery adjoining that church.

John D. Porter was up Sunday from Bemidji for a call on friends, and to look after business matters. Mr. Porter and family are leaving soon to visit with Mrs. Porter's parents in Iowa after which they are going to Arizona to locate.

Ships Turkeys To Michigan

J. V. Patton, local turkey fancier, this week shipped a dozen of his fine toms and hens to parties in Michigan who will use them for breeding stock. Mr. Patton, who uses the range method of raising turkeys, has some exceptionally fine birds this season, and has calls for breeding stock from many widely separated points in the Northwest.

In addition to this lot of breeding stock, Mr. Patton commenced this week making shipments of dressed birds to a Chicago firm which has taken his entire output for some years past, at premium above prevailing market price.

Heavy Snow In Montana

According to radio reports, a heavy snow storm passed thru part of Montana and thru other states this side of the Rocky Mountains on Tuesday. Snow to depth of four feet fell in some places. A temperature of 20 below zero is reported as prevailing in parts of Montana yesterday.

Potato House Burned

A fire of unknown origin, destroyed the potato house at Mentor last Sunday. When discovered, the blaze had gained such headway that all efforts of the local firemen to save the building were in vain. The house was full of spuds, and loss on both building and contents is estimated to be nearly $20,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rotzler leave today for a visit to his boyhood home at Freeport, Illinois. Mr. Rotzlar was first at Freeport over seventy years ago. Although he has visited there since, it is now over twenty years since he was in the old home town.

A big basement barn, chicken house and another building on the Pete Matties farm between here and Red Lake Falls was burned to the ground recently. There was no insurance on the buildings, consequently the loss was a heavy one.

F. Stebbins, veteran druggist at Thief River, has sold his stock to W. Lake of Crookston who took over the place last week. Mr. Stebbins has been in the drug and jewelry business at Thief River since 1891.

Attend Junior Stock Show

Donna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brink, Glenn, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wilson, Vivian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gunnard Lindquist, and Hazel daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rick Melin left Sunday with Mrs. Robert Douglas to attend the Junior Livestock Show at St. Paul. All the young folks have taken a keen interest in club work this year, and were selected from this community to attend the show, because of the outstanding success they have had in the work. Donna Brink went to exhibit her baby beef, Glen Wilson had a sheep, Vivian Lindquist had a pen of geese, and Hazel Melin took her turkeys to the Show. The animals and birds were shipped down the previous Saturday. As the Show is not over until today, it is impossible to learn what success the the young people had with their exhibits. The party was to have gone in charge of County Agent Douglas but he was taken ill Sunday and was unable to go.

SCHOOL PARTY THURSDAY

All classes of the high school were guests last Thursday evening at a party given by Miss Mary Whalen at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Mike McAndress. Among the entertainment features provided for the evening were a dialogue, a "kangaroo court," a mock wedding, a talk by Miss Whalen, games, contests, etc. A very enjoyable evening was spent by the young people and faculty after which a dainty luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Rotzler motored Sunday to Fertile and spent the day there at the home her parents.

The Campfire Girls would like to repair toys to give to some children's home or hospital at Christmas time Will anyone having toys to donate please notify Beryl Burkee? The girls will go to the homes and collect the toys.

For Sale: Mammoth Bronze turkey toms weighing up to 20 lbs, $7.50 each. Others weighing 21 lbs and over, at $8.50 each. Call before Nov. 20th. Phone 9208

John Steiger,
Wylie, Minn.

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They Bring Results

Save A Little

The old saying that "anyone can make money, but it takes a smart man to save it" is just as true today as ever.

It requires a certain amount of gumption and spirit of "get there" to save. A small amount deposited in savings account each week, will soon grow into a considerable amount. The Old Reliable, "time tried and panic tested" stands ready to help you. Lets Go.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Co-operation

Co-operation means more than just a word. It means help one another, or working together. In affairs of the creamery, it means the farmers in this community have banded together to own and operate the plant.

By hauling your cream to the creamery, and inducing others to do likewise, you are not only helping yourself, but your neighbors and the whole community.

If you are not already a share holder, co-operate with your neighbors by buying at least one.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Cedar Posts At Wholesale

Will have on track in St. Hilaire on or about Nov. 20th, a carload of straight 6 in. top, 7 foot, cedar fence posts.

Anyone wanting posts of this size, and at a very low price, should communicate with

Paul Thyren,
Hazel, Minn.

NEW YORK CITY ELECTS WALKER

John G. Pollard Chosen Governor of Virginia in Democratic Triumph.

New York—James J. Walker, encumbent, was swept back into the office of Mayor of this metropolis for another four year term on the crest of a Democratic tidal wave of great proportion in states of the east and southeast. He defeated Congressman Fiorello H. La Guardia, candidate of the Republicans and Fusionists by a plurality of 500,000. Aside from the Democratic sweep, the feature of the election was the heavy vote polled by Norman Thomas, the highest total ever polled for a Socialist here. The only grain of comfort left for the Republicans was the re-election of George U. Harvey as borough president of Queens.

The regular Democratic organization in the old dominion replied to a challenge from the coalition of anti-Smith Democrats and Republicans by sweeping John Garland Pollard into the governorship of Virginia with a majority of more than 50,000.

Mayoralty elections in 50 upstate New York cities resulted in the Democrats capturing 10 offices from the Republicans while losing four to them for a net gain of six, with six districts missing.

Nine Minnesotans in Administration.

Washington—Announcement of G. A Youngquist, present attorney general of Minnesota, to be assistant attorney general of the United States, in charge of prohibition enforcement calls attention to the important place Minnesota has in the affairs of the government in Washington. Pierce Butler of St. Paul is associate justice of the United States Supreme Court. William D. Mitchell of St. Paul, formerly of Winona, is attorney general of the United States. George Akerson of Minneapolis is President Herbert Hoover's personal secretary. Walter H. Newton of Minneapolis is the President's private secretary and political adviser. Arch Coleman of Minneapolis, former postmaster, is the first assistant postmaster, is the first assistant postmaster general. W. F. Schilling of Northfield is dairy representative on the federal farm board. Dr. John L. Coulter, although appointed from Fargo, is a Minnesota man, and is chief economist of the tariff commission. Dr. James Doran of St. Paul is at the head of the prohibition enforcement department. Mr. Youngquist's duties will be to have charge of tax and prohibition cases. He will rank third in the attorney general's department, being outranked only by the solicitor general and the assistant in charge of trust cases.

Chicago New Civic Opera House.

Chicago—In a blaze of light and color, Chicago formally opened its new $20,000,000 Civic Opera House with eight famous singers presenting "Aida." Three thousand, four hundred and seventy-one men and women paid $16,500 for the privilege of being part of last night's spectacle. Twenty-five thousand other men and women tried unsuccessfully to buy tickets to hear passionate Rosa Raisa sing the role of the dusky Ethiopian slave girl and to see the opera house on the night when it was first opened to the public gaze. Those 25,000 were turned away during the last three months since the house was entirely sold out for the first night's performance.

2 Drown at Corpus Christi.

Corpus Christi, Texas—While Lieutenant James Flannery, Brooks field aviator, swam a quarter of a mile to shore to seek aid, his two companions, Clifford West, 27 years old, advertising manager for La Prensa, Mexican daily newspaper, and J. C. Brim, both of San Antonio, drowned. The three had come to Rockport, 25 miles from Corpus Christi, for a week-end fishing and hunting trip.

Nightmare Ends in Death of Girl.

Santa Cruz, Calif.—A nightmare that became a tragic reality was blamed by police here for the death of Miss Doris McConnell, 19, of Oakland. The girl was found dead in her bed in a friend's week-end cottage with a bullet wound in her head. Under the pillow was a revolver with one cartridge fired. The girl had apparently discharged the weapon in her sleep.

Military Service Issue is Settled.

Washington—The Italian embassy has issued a statement indicating settlement of the debated question of military service of Italians naturalized in the United States and persons born of Italian parents. According to the statement such Italians in both North and South America are free to return to Italy for visits in time of peace with exemption from military service.

S. D. Bank Robbers Get $4,000.

Aberdeen, S. D.—A posse headed by Marshall county officers are searching for the two bandits who held up and robbed the First National bank of Eden of $4,000, after locking two employes in the vault.

1 Dead, 19 Hurt in Blast.

Orange, N. J.—An explosion during an experiment in the laboratory of the Kessler Chemical company here cost the life of a fireman and resulted in injury to 19 other firemen and a chemist.

RECORDING

The chauffeur was holding forth in the village inn.

"Yus, my young guv-nor rowed for Hoxford a little while back, 'e did."

His audience stared.

"Yus, 'e wins 'undreds of races," went on the chauffeur, warming to his task. "And 'e always 'as the name an' date painted on 'is scull."

But this was too much for one listener.

"On 'is skull?" he echoed indignantly. "Lumme, 'e must 'ave an 'ead like an elephant."—London Answers.

Own Representative.

"You will want to enter something for the county fair, I suppose," said the chairman of the agricultural society to Mr. Timothy.

"Waal, yas," was the reply. "You may put me down for the biggest hog in the country."

DIDN'T MIND IT

She—You're nothing but a "yes" man.

He—You don't seem to mind it though—when you ask me to take you to dinner.

Hide Your Troubles.

If you hide your troubles
From other's sight,
You'll soon find
Your troubles are light.

Plenty to Talk About.

Brother—I trust you are happy with your husband, Maud?

Maud—Oh, yes; as happy as one can expect to be with a man who is talking of himself half the time and of his first wife the other half.

Nothing New to Him.

Fortune Teller—And, above all, sir, you must beware a tall, heavy set lady with blue eyes—

Client—A white hat and blue dress—thank you, I knew that beforehand—that's my wife.

Works Both Ways.

"These rich people make me sick. What's the use of having money if you don't know how to enjoy it?"

"Well, what's the use of knowing how to enjoy it if you haven't got it?"

COMING EVENTS

Mrs. Newwife—Why Tom! And this is the first $5 extra I've asked you for. What if it was $100?

Hubby—That's what I'm practicing for now.

Intentions.

Not in our plans, but in our deeds,
A judgment must be found.
There's many a garden filled with weeds
Where flowers should be found.

Cause and Effect.

"You look in the pink of condition," remarked the old friend.

"I ought to," he replied, "my meals now are cooked on a pink range, all our food is kept in a pink icebox and I take my baths in a pink tub."

Takes No Time to Put on Nothing.

"It says here a style dictator declares a modern woman can dress in 50 seconds," remarked Mrs. Gronch.

"I saw one on the street today who looked like she had done it in three," grinned her husband.

A Difference.

She—Marriage does change a man.

He—In what way?

She—Well, for instance, you used to offer me a penny for my thoughts, and now you offer me a pound to keep still.

He Was a Canary.

Kind Old Lady—You say you were locked in a cage for ten years? Were you in prison, my good man?

Tramp (sarcastically)—No, mum; I was a canary.

Out of the Frying Pan.

"Doesn't Joe ever get tired of his wife's continued sulkiness?"

"I think not. He says when she's good natured she sings."

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

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St. Hilaire. Minn.

Dame Fashion Smiles

By Grace Jewett Austin

Dame Fashion had the good luck this week to spend a whole day in the company of three pretty little children; a girl of seven, a boy of four, and a nine-months-old girl baby. Besides the pleasure of watching their entertaining ways and manners it was also a delight to meditate on the beauty and sense of Twentieth century clothes for children.

Grace J. Austin.

It is not necessary to go back as far as the fussy, collared "Lord Fauntleroy" suits for little boys, and the "Kate Greenaway" dresses for little girls, with skirts almost ready to trail on the ground, and productive of many bumps. There have been even later years that had superfluous ruffles and extra amounts of trimming for the small folk. But this is not true of 1929.

Simplicity of line is just as good for children's clothes as for the sports dresses of the elders. If an ensemble is good wear for mother for shopping, motoring or even more extended travels—so an ensemble suit is unusually good, often combining a figured cotton or linen goods with a plain color, for little girls almost from two years of age and upwards.

One does not have to be on a beach this summer to see on a hot day groups of children wearing the garb that used to be supposed to be sacred to the seashore; little suits mostly suspenders and the most abbreviated of trunks. Whether or not it was learned Oxford university which set the fashion for wide-flowing trousers, certain it is that the small boy profits by that style. Not a little knee must have a tight covering.

There has been one eleventh commandment added for mother: Thou shalt never say, "Don't get your clothes dirty." All the inventors went to work in behalf of little children, to make the washing of such little suits a pastime or an inexpensive matter. Also, while we no longer think dirt is a means of grace, by itself, for children, yet the sunshine and fresh air and lung-filling shouts of happiness that go with it surely make its presence no particular cause of alarm.

With mothers, as well as children, one of the greatest blessings and aids to beauty is found in sports wear. Not bathing suits and so on, are meant, but plaited skirts, jackets, becoming scarfs, simple little hats—close fitting—and the amazingly appropriate wooden jewelry. Dame Fashion met a friend the other day returned from Caribbean traveling and she seemed a perfect poem to her. One pretty shade of blue—a bit darker than the Liberty blue that appears in the stars and stripes, and still not a navy blue, dominated her costume. Blue plums in a cluster adorned her shoulder instead of flowers, while her blue and white wooden jewelry, bought in some exotic region, just completed the effect.

One thing is certain, women of mature years in evening dress may look dignified and beautiful—one state president of a national organization was described to Dame Fashion the other day as looking "like a lady on a cameo"—but their years are clearly revealed. While the same grandmothers, on a country club lawn in sports wear can scarcely be told from their granddaughters. The moral—well, it might be not to mourn if you do not get invited to White House dinners!

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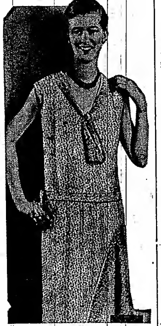
Printed Rayon With Dot Treatment in Evidence



Showing an attractive frock of soft printed rayon, featuring a modernized dot treatment. The dress has short sleeves, V-neck with scarf effect.

No Prize Offered for "Mare's Nest" Discovery

"Mare's Nest" is a phrase which we occasionally hear and which we understand to refer to almost any sort of a discovery which upon its face and at first sight seems to be of considerable importance, but which subsequently is ascertained to be a hoax. By inference, therefore, a "mare's nest" has acquired the meaning of something that does not exist.

Just how the expression originated is not clearly established. However, it is authentically conceded that it was first employed over 300 years ago by John Fletcher and that he himself probably adapted it from an earlier phrase, "horse's nest," which, in the then vernacular, referred to any story worn threadbare by constant repetition. This latter is said to have been first used by Stanyhurst at the end of the Sixteenth century.

The line, "He's come upon a mare's nest and is laughing at the eggs," is frequently heard in Ireland to express derision at somebody who thinks he has discovered something startling when it is in fact something known to all.—Kansas City Times.

The Foods We Eat

A commission man, "shopping" in New York city found spinach from Mexico, honeydew melons from South Africa, fresh almonds from the Holy land, new potatoes from Florida, green peas and asparagus from California, butter from Denmark, eggs from China, meats from New Zealand and Argentina.

That's what modern transportation and cold storage refrigeration does for us.—Capper's Weekly.

For a Pie

Buddy, not quite three, is exceedingly fond of pie. One day his mother remarked that she just didn't know what to have for dinner.

"I know," said Buddy, "have pie."

"Well, I don't believe I have anything to make pie with," answered mother.

"Oh, yes, mother, you have a receipt," was the response.

POULTRY

GET CHICKS OUT OF WET HOUSES

Muddy Runs and Yards Encourage Parasites and Ills.

Get the chicks out of the mud.

Long-continued sloppy weather, muddy runs and yards, furnish ideal conditions for the parasite which causes the disease coccidiosis, as well as making things unpleasant around the brooder houses for the owners who take care of the flocks.

"The brooder houses ought to be moved to grass sod," says E. L. Dakan, head of the poultry department of the Ohio State university. "Even if the chicks are moved only 50 feet, from bare, muddy soil to grass, they will miss a lot of the infestation of parasites which have made their homes in the old runs where the grass has been destroyed."

Coccidiosis or white diarrhea results from the activities of a parasite which will infest the soil where chickens have been kept for a year or more. Sanitary measures which include moving the flocks away from the infested soil, have been found more satisfactory control measures than trying to treat the disease with medicine after it has started in a flock. Under the conditions which have existed for a month or more, the parasites have been flourishing.

For late chicks which are showing signs of rickets because it has been impossible on account of weather conditions to get them outdoors as much as they should have been, should have their cod-liver oil ration increased to 2 per cent of their feed, Dakan says, in order to counteract the lack of sunlight.

Quality Eggs Can Be Produced on Any Farm

Eggs unfit for food cost farmers from one to three cents per dozen. Approximately 17 out of every 100 eggs marketed are unfit for human consumption, according to the United States Department of Agriculture. This means a loss of about $4,000,000 annually to farmers. An egg buyer of Clinton county, Indiana, recently reported to Purdue university that one-half of the eggs delivered to him were not good enough to eat.

Two principal causes for the large volume of inedible eggs are as follows: Improper care of eggs at the farm, and neglect in marketing them more frequently, according to E. R. Menefee of Purdue.

Quality eggs can be produced on corn belt farms if producers will follow the suggestions which he makes.

Remove all the males from the flock immediately. Males are not necessary for egg production and fertile eggs will not keep their quality in warm weather.

Remove all broody hens from the nests promptly. The body temperature of a hen is 106 degrees and will reduce the quality of the egg in a few hours' time. Gather the eggs twice a day in hot weather and place them in a cool room promptly. A basement or cellar if not moldy or containing any peculiar odors furnishes about the best place on the farm for holding eggs.

Congressional "Pairs"

When a member of congress desires or is obliged to be absent, and the vote is expected, he seeks some member of the opposite party who would vote differently and makes an arrangement whereby neither will cast his vote on the question. This nullifies the effect of the member's absence and is called "pairing."

Hazel News

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard and sons, Rueben and Harvey, motored Sunday to Moorhead and Fargo to visit relatives.

Thorvald Torkelson returned home Sunday from Middle River, where he has been employed several months.

Oscar Seeland, who is a patient at the hospital at Thief River, suffering from an infected hand, is reported to be improving, but recovery is slow.

Naomi Johnson is reported to be getting along nicely after having suffered a fractured arm.

Miss Anna Alberg left Friday for Thief River to spend a few days with friends.

Andrew Widme came Saturday evening from Grafton, N. D., for a brief visit with his family north of here. He is employed at carpenter work at Grafton.

Elizabeth Evenson was a visitor Saturday evening at the Seeland home.

Mrs. M. Loken spent Saturday visiting with her relatives at Thief River.

Hermina Halverson returned Sunday to Thief River, where she is employed, after having spent the week-end at her parental home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Alberg and family, Minnie Stenne, Thelma Torkelson, Hermina Halverson, Anton Torkelson and Ernest Haagenson were guests Sunday evening at the M. Lokken home.

A large crowd attended the program and social given at the Hazel Hall, November 8th. The program was greatly enjoyed by all present.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson and family, L. Lokken, Mrs. F. Fredrickson and son, Alfred, were Sunday dinner guests at the A. Widme home north of Hazel.

Gasoline Expansion

Gasoline expands or contracts approximately 1 per cent of its volume for every 17 degrees Fahrenheit increase or decrease of temperature.

Livingstone Memento

The shawl in which David Livingstone, the explorer, was christened, is in the Livingstone Memorial museum at Blantyre, Scotland.

Sales Silence

The first thing for a man to do if he wants to sell, is to train himself to become a good listener.—American Magazine.

Gold Lines the Hills

Of all the gold mined in the history of the world, one-eighth has come from the Black hills of South Dakota.

United States Gypsies

It is estimated that there are about 5,000 tribes of gypsies in the United States.

A Sour Stomach

In the snme time it takes a dose of sada to bring a little temporary relief of gaa and sonr stomach, Phillips Milk of Magnesia has acidity campietely checked, and the digestive argana all tranqnilized. Once yon have tried this farm af relief yan will cease to warry abant yonr diet and experience a new freedam in esting.

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PHILLIPS Milk of Magnesia

Den tobak Deres far likte

Monge ting hor forondret sig siden far bar gut, men der er en ting som ikke kunde farbedres; det er True Smoke. Det er en god, ærlig, belsmokende røketobok nu—sam da. Den tredje generation ab røkere synes endnu at True Smoke fremdeles er den bedste røketobak sam findes.

I mange, mange aar har „True Smake" bæret friluftsmandens ben. Hvert nyt slegtled opdager snart at ingen anden tobok er saa opmuntrende — ingen anden tobak er saa tilfredsstillende som „True Smoke." Skaf Dem litt selb, og se hvor meget bedre pipen smaker. Tilberedt ab Christian Peper Tobacco Co., St. Lauis, Mo., fobrikanter ob god tobak siden 1852.

Wamen muy be able to make cake according to directians, bat they caa't manage hushaads that way.

Can one pnrsue righteousness without being a little Puritanical?

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FIND "FRIEND IN NEED"

Mother and Daughter Praise Vegetable Compound

Johnsan City, N. Y. —"My daughter was only 20 years old, hnt far two years she warked in misery. She was all run-dawn, narvous, had aches and pains and na appetite. I was taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound with good results so she decided to try it. Before she had taken two bottlas har appetite was better, she was mare cheerful and was ahle to work. I cannot praise yanr madicine too highly. It is wonderful for mathers and for daughters. It's surely 'a friend in need'."—Mrs. L. E. Hall, 228 Floral Avenue, Johnson City, N. Y.

Community Building

Builders Must Guard Against Fire Menace

In making awards in the national fire-waste competition among American cities it was developed that the average decrease in fire losses in the more than 200 cities participating exceeded 20 per cent. Finally it seems thst America is gradoaily awakening ta the fire menoce, which bas increased snnually for the last quarter century, last year being the first to show a substontial decrease from the record af its predecessar.

Future hame construction is certain to give mare cansideratian than ever befare ta fire danger and depreciatian. The two ga hand in hand ss the chief menuces ta hame ownership. And both are being appased vigarously, the ane by the variaus agencies seeking ta reduce fire lasses, the ather by the men who dictote to wham maney shall he leat for the huilding af homes. In their respective fields bath are influentini and powerful.

The fire-protectian agencies are nrging mare fire-safe constructian, declaring rightly that the place to provide against fire is st the draughting board. The bonkers aod building and loan ossociations are scanning with increasing care the plans submitted for the hames upan which they are asked to make laans. They, toa, are insisting upon more precautian against fire and ars urging mare permsnent types of canstructian.

Some Suggestions for "Fire-Prevention Week"

Business men wha hold a meeting of their emplayees during 'Fire Preventioo Week" ond draw up rnles to guide the arganization to greater safety from fire, will beaefit themselves as well as the commuaity. This shauid be fallawed by the use of self-inspection blanks, which the Natianol Board of Fire Underwriters will provide an request. At regular intervsls n compentent emplayce shauld inspect the premises and record oll hazardaus conditions disclosed by the self-inspection blank. These blanks should be filed and the canditians carrected. Business mea can alsa be af assistance by hanging fire-preventian pasters in their offices, putting stickers on packages and letters, and insertiag nn appropriate message in their advertising. Gaod use can be made af display windows. In ane town several downtown stores cantnined exhibits shawing the causes of the warst fires thst have accurred in the last ten years.

Rust Ravages Costly

The fnct that rust costs home awners af this country same $575,000,000 a year, or about five times as much as their lass thraugh fire, is cansing mare and mare people to seek protectian ngainst this drain. Bnilders and owners who averlook the rovages which rust will wrenk upon corradible metals eveotually find themselves noder a mortgage not anticipated. Wise builders and owners are on guard against whot has been called the faurth martgage that rust will crente.

The present cast of a house will be propartionate ta its size, its materinl, the cost of labor and its excellence of detail. The ultimate cost, by far the more important of the two, depends upon the wise choice of the materials used in what may be termed the vitals af the hame; in the raof, sheet metal work, plumbing and heating plant.

Garden City of Future

Same day, no donbt, the garden city of the future will be born in some American subdivision. The atreets will be wide and clean, but they will be mere highways far traffic. The dwellera will turn their hacks to the tharoughfare, and direct their attention to the lawns, the gardens, the playgrounds, the tennis courts, the bowling greens, the putting greens af the central park toward which the bouses will face. The garage will he where it aught to be—an the street, instead of behind the bouse. This will help solve the parking problem. The children will no longer play in the streets.

What's the matter with snch a scheme? Think it aver.—Konsas City Times.

Town Forest Big Asset

In Europe town forests bave existed for many years. In same instances the forest yields have been a material help in reducing the town taxes says the American Tree associatian. Mnny eastern states have apecial legislation regarding municipal foresta. These include Massachnsetts, Minnesata, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Vermant. With the large amannt of cheap land adjacent to many of the Pacific Northwest towns which is not aulted far agriculture the apportnnitiea for establishing tawn forests are exceptionnlly goad. The idea of town forests is just beginning to receive attention among the people of the West.

Hedge Always Attractive

Where there is a formal terrace adjacent to the house, a hedge planted along the edge of this terrace will greatly enhance the appearance of thia terrace. Often, in the case of amall bouses, a terrace with hedge planting is all that is needed to tie the house to the graunds.

TRUE RELIGION NOT DOCTRINAL

By REV. DR. HARRY EMERSON FOSDICK, New York.

DISCARDING a religian does hat necessarily mean that one discards religion, and many who regard themselves as atheists are in reality of the most prafound religious nature. My advice is to break away from a religim to keep religion. Far religian is not a set of theological doctrines, but a profound, nstive reaction of the human organism ta the warld in which it lives, and is a living, ever-changing reality.

The mistaken concepts of religion are the causes of many breaking away from the church. Religian is not an explanation of the universe. Na one can explain the universe. Even Christ on the cross asked "Why?" It is a continnstion of a childhood practice for one to believe that everything can be explained by one set of rules. Religion, as in acience, is not final. There are many things ta be learned in science—there are many things to be learned in religian.

I've often been confronted with stndents who boldly declare themselves atheists. One in particulor I remember waa taking his Ph. D. at Colnmbia. After telling me that he had no belief in God he unconsciously canfessed that he had acquired the very root of religion. He had discarded one religion, but in its ploce he hod acquired that greater religion that enables one to rise above the plane of ordinary life.

MODESTY LARGELY PRUDISH

By PROF. ABRAHAM MYERSON, Tufts College.

Modesty is on overvalued quality, largely sexual and prndish in origin, where it does not represent taboa. The advance to a freer, more buman personolity is worth the cost in immorality and the loss of the so-called feminine traits.

The intelligence of the averoge woman is equol to that of the average man, but the capacity of the exceptional woman can not as yet be stated to be equol to the capacity of the exceptionol man. Discovery of the fact thot waman is a human heing has mode it possible far man to understand her. The attitude thut she is an inferior, semi-diabolical creature has been accepted as o standard fact handed down thraugh the ages. Men, as the writers of the roce, have made part of the psychalagy of woman in occord with their desires or beliefs.

NEED FOR INDEPENDENT THOUGHT

By DR. JAMES A. COUSENS, President Tufts College.

Cultivate the babit of independent thought instead of accepting withaut challenge every printed statement you see. Words on poper are prane to toke an themselves an undeserved verisimilitude. The solution rests in the student's ability to think things aut.

Sociol values are in a canstant state of change and adjustment. It is impossible for youth and age to observe these chonges from precisely the same viewpoint. . . . Whatever defects in the oncoming generation mny seem to oppear, the net bolonce must register odvance, otherwise human progress is not to be accounted for. . . . On the foundation laid and left by the previous generation youth erects the relatively tiny structure which may constitute at best an infinitesimal addition to the vast building eons in the making called progress.

LEISURE IMPROPERLY EMPLOYED

By REV. DR. JOHN F. CASKEY, St. Louis (Methodist).

People never in the histary af the world had so much leisure os now. If you were a city postar, you would knaw. Try to telephone a group of women, and yau will find hordly any of them at home. They are not doing one-tenth of the work that their grandmothers did. It ia the same with men. The "tired bnsinesa man" ia a myth. When you call up a man's office and the answer comes that he is "in conference," the probability is that he is playing galf or is at the club having a good time.

My paint is that since modern inventiona give humanity aa much ease from hard labor, peaple should aee to it that all thia extra time is employed for their own good. If we have electric lights, immeasurably hetter than the ald caal-oil lamp, what is the purpose of it? That we may dance langer, ar read more?

CRIME BEGINS WITH TRUANCY

By STATE SENATOR WALES, Penologist, New York.

The United Statea hamicide rate is nine times that af England and Walea. For every rabbery in Landan there are thirty-six rabberies in New York city and one hundred in Chicago. In 1921 one large American city had twelve times as many robberies as England and Wales, and in 1923 twelve times as many rabberies aa all Canada.

The first indication of crime is truancy at school. I do not speak of the accasianal truancy af the healthy mischievana boy, wha haa skipped school to go to a ball game, but af the truant wha ia ant af adjustment with his schaol life. It may be becanse he has fallen a grade or two behind othera. Such a bay is adapted ta something useful in life hut no ane has ever found out what it was.

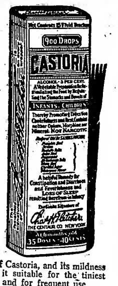
WORLD FAVORABLE TO PEACE

By CHARLES EVAN HUGHES, Ex-Secretary of State.

The natiana could not have established an institution like the World conrt if public opinion bad been controlled by an unruly and truculent apirit. The secure basis of international peace mnst be found, if at all, in the reasanableness which underliea good will and makes possible the former institutions af peace.

Ta one who laoks beneath the snrface, however, the establishment of the World court is the expression of confidence in internatianal jnstice, in the existence of sufficient reserves of learning and fairness to secure final determinatiana which governments may respect, even when they are defeated. No international police force could keep the peace if there were a general disposition to fight.

If Baby has COLIC



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Money in Trees

In the Black forest of Germany same towns collect no taxes. The farest reveaue pays all expeases, and in same case a dividend ta the citizeas.—Farm aad Fireside.

They Were Noisy

He—I see Schorcham was excused from corrying a bell an bis bicycle.

She—Why the exceptiaa?

He—Judge said it wasn't necessary; his checked pants were loud enough.

Goes to Hospital to Learn Beauty Aid

"THE first time I heard af it," writes Mrs. E. Whitney af 35 Parker Street, Bangar, Msine, "was when I was at ths Hospital. I was very nervaus and run dawn and after my hsby daughter was harn the doctar hegan giving ms samething. In ahout ten days I felt like a new persan. Befare then, I was miserahle. My skin was in very bsd conditian snd I cauld not understand what msde it clear up sa quickly.

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Doctor laughed when asked "What cleared my skin?"

Crowd to Lincoln Memorial

Since June 1, wheo the Lincala memorial, in Washingtan, was first kept open st night, records kept by the United Stotes park paiice show it to be the most attractive to sightseers. Betweeo the hours of 4:30 and 9:30 p. m., guards reported the doily average number of visitors exceeded 800, and the record high wss reached August 17 when 1,200 viewed the impressive stotue of Abraham Lincoln.

Bath for Both

He—If you don't marry me, I'll plunge inta the sea!

She—Wait till I get my bathing suit and I'll came with you.—Answers.

Wells Cool Oregon Theater

Nature'a awn cooling system hos been harnessed hy a Portland (Ore.) theater which drilled artesan wells tapping subterranean lakes 150 feet beneath the surface, to obtnin a supply of water which is consistently 52 degrees, says Popular Scieace Monthly. Thia naturally caaled water supply is pumped to three banks of sprays.

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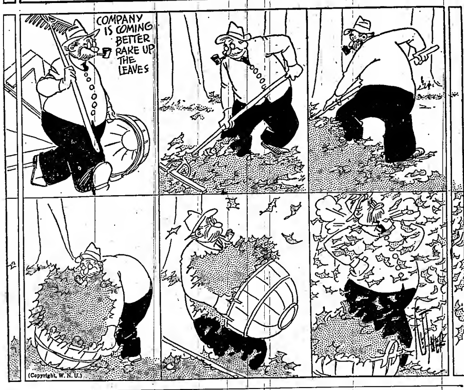

FINNEY OF THE FORCE

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THE FEATHERHEADS

The Hero Jumps His Contract

Flaming Worker Leaps in Barrel

Tuxedo, Md.—Transferred into a human pillar of fire when a bucket of gasoline exploded, William H. Qneen, colored, twenty, of this place, saved his own life by leaping into a barrel of water. He was seriously burned.

Qneen was cleaning an automobile motor with a wire brush and a bucket of gasoline in a lumber yard at Nineteenth street and Benning road northeast. The brush, scraping the metal, sent forth sparks, which ignited the gasoline.

The youth's clothing immediately went up in flames, but Queen had the presence of mind to leap into a barrel of water nearby. Qneen was taken to Casualty hospital and treated by Dr. J. Rogers Young for serious burns about the arms, back and body. A small fire developed and was confined to lumber.

FINDING OF BONES SOLVES MYSTERY

Case Had Puzzled Police for Seven Years.

Winnipeg, Man.—With the discovery of a man's skeleton at Paradise Hill, near Turtleford, Sask., by a farmer's wife, a seven-year-old murder mystery has been solved and the disappearance of the alleged slayer cleared up by the Northwest Mounted police.

A jury brought in a verdict that the bones were those of Charles Taylor, for whom a nation-wide search was carried on in the fall of 1922 following the murder of Taylor's cousin, Charles Curre, bachelor homesteader of Paradise Hill. Currie was found dead outside his shack with two shotgun wounds in his body.

The coroner's jury further decided that Taylor, who disappeared immediately after the murder, had met his death by his own hand.

Police authorities in Canada and the United States searched for Taylor and the mystery might never have been solved but for the discovery of the skeleton by Mrs. Frank Klein, who came upon it while picking berries 200 yards from her home. She discovered the skull and notified Royal Canadian Northwest Mounted police. Constable Streeton found the complete skeleton, a watch, a ruby set gold ring, some coins, fragments of clothing, and a large butcher knife.

The clothing, the watch, and ring were definitely identified as Taylor's. At the inquest Mrs. John Dahl of Paradise Hill said she had known Taylor when he worked for her husband. She added that the man had tried to commit suicide and that he had begged her husband to kill him.

"Murder" Fails as Way of Getting Divorce

Berlin.—Herr Landwehr and his wife found a brief experience of marital felicity more than sufficient. But their effort to regain freedom has ended disastrously.

The couple live at Premnitz, in the province of Brandenburg. The husband is only twenty-three and the wife thirty-three. Whether this disparity of years has had anything to do with the mutual dislike that followed their marriage is not disclosed.

On one point only could they agree—that separation was essential. As neither could accuse the other of actual cruelty or infidelity, and as neither had any desire to create the necessary evidence, they languished chained together in despair.

Then one day smoke was seen issuing from their bedroom window. Neighbors broke in, to find the bed ablaze—and Herr Landwehr sleeping peacefully upon it. The apparently unpenitent wife freely acknowledged that she had sprinkled benzine on it and then set it on fire, and was arrested for the attempted murder of her husband.

Now, however, she has been released and the couple are condemned again to live together. For investigation of the crime revealed that the "murder" was planned with the assistance of the husband, it being hoped in this way to obtain sufficient evidence for divorce proceedings.

New Englander, 43, Arrested 43 Times

Worcester, Mass.—George Brannigan, forty-three, saw his name written for the forty-third time in the last eighteen years in a police blotter when he was booked for attempted larceny. Brannigan was charged with having tried to take money from a register in a Front street department store. Detective Lieut. Otis H. Pineo was in the store at the time and arrested Brannigon.

Man Carries Stone in Forehead for 25 Years

Aggnrp, Sweden.—Unwittingly, Hans Nilsson of this place carried a stone in his head for 25 years.

That was disclosed recently when an old scar on his head began to bleed and out came a small finely polished pebble. Nilsson now remembers that in his teens he fell and received a deep cut on his forehead. He thinks the stone lodged in the wound then.

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The Desert Moon Mystery

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SYNOPSIS

Sam Stanley, wealthy owner of the Desert Moon ranch, informs his housekeeper, Mary Magin, who tells the story, that his former wife's twin daughters, Danielle and Gabrielle, are coming to the ranch to live, their mother being dead and their father, Daniel Canneziano, who had been the cause of Sam's divorcing his wife, in the penitentiary. Sam has adopted a boy, John, now grown to manhood, and a girl, Martha, twenty-one, physically healthy but weak-minded. Mrs. Ollie Ricker, Martha's nurse, lives with them. Hubert Hand, a wanderer, and Chadwick Caudeld, John's wartime buddy, are the other members of the household.

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Until after he came, I had not realized how little real laughing any of us had done. We had been happy enough, and content; but we had never been much amused. He amused us. He made us laugh. He took the mechanical player off the old grand piano, and played it as we had never before heard it played. He spoke pieces and sang funny songs until we held our sides with laughing. He was a ventriloquist, and a mimic besides. He could imitate all of our voices to a T.

Martha adored him. He played with her by the hour. He made two dolls, Mike and Pat, for her, and he would let them sit on her knees while he made them talk for her.

At the end of November, when he began to talk about leaving, Sam offered him a hundred and fifty a month to stay on. He said, like Hubert Hand had said, "What for?"

"For living," Sam said.

Chad laughed and shook his head.

"Double it, then," Sam urged. "I wouldn't have you leave the place, and Martha, for three hundred a month; so why shouldn't I pay it to have you stay?"

Chad never would take any regular money from Sam. But he stayed on. He called himself the "Perpetual Guest—P. G." for short, but some of the others said it stood for "Pollyanna Gush" and called him "Polly" to twit him. Pollyanna may not be literature, I don't know; but a person of that nature is most uncommonly pleasant to have around the house.

The girls got here on Friday, the eighth of May. Sam and I rode down to Rattail in the sedan to meet them, and John took the small truck down to bring up their baggage.

I don't know what there is about riding in a train that turns folks haughty and supercilious; but there is something that does. A person who would be right hearty and human on his own two feet, sits in a car window and looks out at the platform people as if they were something he wanted to be careful not to step on. By the time I had passed fifty or more windows, and had reached where the girls were standing, I was so heated up I couldn't find a word to say but, "Pleased to meet you," which was not the truth.

One of them smiled real sweet, and said, "Mary! Upon my soul you haven't changed at all in sixteen years," and made as if to kiss me; which I did at once.

The other one gave me a jerky nod, and stood there, watching the train pull out, until Sam, who had been poking along behind me, managed to catch up.

"Uncle Sam," she exclaimed, laughing and standing on tiptoe, and putting her hands on his shoulders, and tipping her pointed chin up to him, "you dear, to have us! I had always remembered that you were the biggest man in the world, and now I see that I was right about it."

Sam didn't kiss her, as she had expected him to. He patted her hands, took them down off his shoulders and held them a minute before he dropped them and reached to shake hands with the twin who had kissed me.

"Well, now," he said, "this is sure great. Little girls all grown up to ladies, and coming to see their old uncle." (He had hitten on that uncle bait, though he was no more their uncle than I was.) "Which of you is which, now? Let's get you sorted out, so I can call you by name. I used to get you all mixed up, when you were little tykes—couldn't tell one from the other."

"You won't have that trouble any more," said the one who had nodded at me. "I am Gabrielle, and that prim little puss is Danielle. People never get confused about us any longer."

The population of Rattail had come running to the depot, of course, when the train stopped; and, at last, swaggering his way among males, females, Indians, cowpunchers, and dogs, here come John.

"La-la!" exclaimed Gabrielle, when she caught sight of him. "Who is this picturesque man thing coming toward us?"

John did look pretty fine, wearing his new corduroy suit, and his shining new leather puttees, and his new sixteen-dollar sombrero. He had even gone so far as to button up the collar of his brown flannel shirt.

"He," Sam answered, beaming with pride, "is my boy, John."

"How thrilling!" chirped Gabrielle. "It is like living in a cinema, isn't it, Danny?" And off she went, sort of skipping along the tracks, to meet him.

When they met, John gave her about the same attention that a passenger gives the ticket chopper at the gate, in a city depot, when he sees the train he is trying to catch moving slowly out through the yards. He pulled off his hat with a bow, but he passed her, walking very fast. I thought that he was so flustered that he did not know what he was doing. He knew. He was headed straight for Danny. He had been in the freight house since long before the train came in, sizing up from a safe distance the girls' arrival. Then he had sneaked out the back way, up past the station house, and around it and back again, to give the appearance of having just that minute got into Rattail.

"John," I said, when he reached Danny and me, and stopped short, like he had just been lassoed from the rear, "this is Danielle Canneziano."

John dropped his hat in the alkali dust, his new hat, and reached out and took both of Danny's hands in his. Falling on his knees in front of her would not have been much showier.

"I—" he produced, "I—I heard you laugh."

To me, it barely made sense; but she seemed to find it interesting and important.

"Really?" she said, and sort of trilled it full of meaning.

Rattail's population was beginning to close in around us. I pulled at John's sleeve; but I declare, if a freight hadn't come along, forcing those two to get off the tracks, they might have been standing there yet, gazing into each other's eyes.

I was halfway home, riding beside Danny in the sedan, when Gabrielle's laughing out again, at some remark of Sam's, made me remember that she had been the only one who had done any laughing when we had met. Danny had only smiled. So, if that laugh was what had put John clear off his head, he had picked the wrong twin.

CHAPTER III

The Secret

The first minute I heard that the Canneziano girls were coming to the Desert Moon, I questioned my self as to what reason any Canneziano ever had for coming to the ranch, or for writing to the ranch. The answer was, to get money. I tried to think that they would stay a few months, long enough to put themselves in Sam's good graces, ask him for a tidy sum, and leave. But they had not been on the place two days before I knew that there was something far less simple, something, probably, treacherous and sinister at the root of this visit of theirs to the Desert Moon.

On the evening of their arrival the girls had unpacked their trunks in their bedrooms. The next morning

Sang Funny Songs Until We Held Our Sides With Laughing.

the boys carried their trunks to the attic. Going through the upper hall, later that same morning, I saw one of the empty drawers that had fitted into their new-fangled trunks, lying beside the door to the attic stairway.

I hate clutter. I picked it up and carried it upstairs. I went in all good faith: but I wear rubber-soled shoes around the house, and the stairs are thickly carpeted; so the girls, who were up there, did not hear me coming. Just before I got to the turn in the stairs, I heard one of them say:

"I am sure that there is no use in searching the house. In the first place, he never could have gotten it into the house without being seen."

"You are too sure of everything, when you are unsure of anything," the other girl answered, and I thought, since the voice was louder and, somehow, richer, that it was Gaby's. "Stop being sure, and try being sensible. We must find it. We have very little time. How do you know whether he could have brought it into the house or not? There is a back stairway."

Fool that I was, I kept right on going up the stairs. It took me a while to develop the poll-prying, eavesdropping, sneaking, and generally despicable character that I did develop later.

"Did you girls lose something?" I asked.

Danny jumped, from being startled, but Gaby never turned a hair.

"Only a trinket of Dan's," she said. "Possibly she never packed it at all."

I gave them the trunk drawer and came back downstairs, wracking my brain with questions.

Who was the "he" who had, or who had not, gotten something into the house? The something that they must find, and had very little time in which to find it. And, land's alive, what was the something?

I resolved to say nothing, but to watch those two girls, like a hawk, from then on. I did so. But it was three weeks before I heard anything more at all, though I saw a great deal.

It was during these three weeks that Danny and John announced their engagement. My own opinion is that they got themselves engaged the first five minutes they were alone together; but that they had gumption enough to wait for ten days before telling it.

Sam gave them his blessing. That is to say, he said that any agreement they wanted to make was all right with him, if Danny was sure she would be satisfied to live on the Desert Moon, and if they would wait a year to be married. They agreed to this, the year of waiting, reluctantly. The only people who were downright pleased with Sam's decision were Gaby and myself. I, for certain reasons of my own. Gaby, because she was choosing to consider herself also in love with John.

She made no bones about her feelings. I did not do as John did, and set all of her open advances toward him down to sister-in-lawly affection. Still, I didn't believe that she really thought she was in love with John, until I hid in the clothes closet that evening and heard Danny and her talking together.

Gaby's actions, that evening, toward John had been so downright disgusting, sitting on the arm of his chair, and trying to coax him out of the house to see the mountains by moonlight, and hanging herself around his neck when they danced together, and so on, that I had a notion Danny might have a little conversation ready for her when she could get her alone.

I had waited about ten minutes when I heard the door of Gaby's room open. I was so tickled I all but squealed, when I heard that Danny had come in with her, instead of going on down the hall to her own room. Evidently they had begun their conversation in the hall, for Gaby's first words were, "Jealous, my dear Dan?"

"I don't know. But it is silly for you to act as you do. John is in love with me. Why should you try to take him away from me, when you don't want him yourself?"

"Are you sure of that?"

"Yes, I am. His good looks fascinate you, and so does his unsophistication. You'd like the fortune he is to inherit. But you would never be satisfied to marry him and live right here for the remainder of your life."

"No, I would not. I'd marry him, if he didn't have a penny—it is you who are always thinking about his fortune—but I wouldn't allow him to bury himself, and his beauty, and charm in this Godforsaken country. I'd get him out into the world, and have him take his place there. With his ability and energy, and with me to help him, what a place it might be! For you to have him is—waste. Waste. You don't know anything about love. You'll never learn. I—I tell you I can't bear it. It isn't fair—" She began to cry, hollow sounding sobs, that seemed to catch in her throat and wrench free from it.

"I am sorry, Gaby. I love John. He means to me peace, and security, and decent living—the things I want most for my life. Why should I risk it all?"

"Coward! Coward! Peace and security! He means life to me. All of it; full and complete. Love, and passion, and adventure and attainment, for him and for me, too. Do you think I'll stand by, and allow you to bore him, to bury his wonder in your peace, and smother his possibilities with your security and decent living?"

"I think," Danny answered, "that you will have to. John and I love each other; and we are going to keep each other. You, nor anyone, can change that."

"Suppose I should tell John why we came here?"

"You won't do that. You can't harm me without harming yourself. But, if you threaten that, just once more, I will go straight to John and tell him the truth—"

"You promised—"

"I haven't broken my promise. I shan't, if you don't. But you must know that I haven't any interest left in the thing."

"What about your desire for revenge?"

"That desire was yours, not mine. I never considered that side of it at all."

"Coward! Quitter! Stool-pigeon—"

"That isn't fair, Gaby. I'll help if I can. I have been helping, haven't I? I won't hinder in any way. But the time is short now. Remember that."

"Danny—" There was a new tone in Gaby's voice, sweet like, and appealing. I did not trust it for a minute; but I think Danny did, for she answered, gently, "Yes, dear?"

"Forgive me. Let's be twinny again. Friends?" I could hear the treachery in that as plainly as I could hear the words. I think Danny did not hear it, for she answered, "I do want to be friends, Gaby. I do, truly. Only—please, dear, won't you leave my man alone?"

"And you'll help me. And you won't tell him—anything?"

"Of course I won't tell, Gaby. It is really your secret, now; not mine. And I'll help you all I can."

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Revenge. Out of all that crazy conversation the one word kept pestering me like a leaking faucet. Did people revenge other people, or have revenge on them, or—what? I looked it up in the dictionary. "Malicious injuring in return for an injury or offense received."

I got a piece of paper and wrote it down. "The Canneziano girls want to injure, maliciously, some one on the Desert Moon ranch, in return for an injury or an offense received." I crossed out "The Canneziano girls," and wrote, "Gabrielle Canneziano," since Danny had said that she had never considered that side of it at all. It did not help any. It did not make sense.

Since Sam and I were the only people on the ranch they had known before they came here this time, it seemed as if they had come to injure, maliciously, one of us. I had never done either of them a mite of harm in my life. Sam had never done anything but good for them. Of course, Sam had not been very gentle with their father. But, as I took pains to discover, neither of them had any kind feelings for their father. Both of them laid their mother's death at Canneziano's door. They thought that his cruelty and his neglect had killed her. It was senseless to suppose that they were harboring a grudge against Sam for anything that he had ever done to Canneziano.

The Desert Moon was like a three-ring circus during the months of May and June. There were the girls, everlastingly searching for something: leaving the house shortly after the men left it, each morning; returning, tired out, just in time for dinner; off again for the afternoon, and coming home just in time to pretty up for supper. After a while, I began to lose interest in that; and, being a woman, I allowed my attention to become distracted by the center ring where all the love interest was going on. Most of my attention I gave to the clown in the ring,—to Chad.

I cannot explain it, now or ever; but Chad, from the very first, was head over heels in love with Gaby. He had no more chance of winning her, penniless, funny, kind little fellow that he was, than an amateur has of riding an outlaw pony.

She never gave him two looks. He couldn't even make her laugh with his jokes and his songs, as he could the rest of us. But he followed her about, and waited on her. He brought her pony up to the house, instead of allowing one of the outfit to do it. He brought her desert flowers, which she tossed away to wither. And Martha was half mad with jealousy.

Right at first, I think that some of the others thought that Martha's jealousy was something of a joke. I never did think so. Before long we all began to feel that it was more than a little serious. Sam talked to Chad, and to Gaby about it. Chad did the best he could, after that, to be as attentive to Martha as he had been before; but if he so much as opened a door for Gaby, Martha would go into temper fits, and sulking spells.

As for Gaby, Sam's talk with her made things worse. She had never noticed Chad at all, so she had not noticed that Martha was jealous of him. She welcomed the news as another tool she could use to tease and torment the poor girl. All along she had delighted in teasing and tormenting Martha, though she had not dared do it when Sam was present.

One of Gaby's pleasant little ways was to refer to Martha as an idiot, right before her face.

"La-la!" Gaby exclaimed one evening, when Martha was wandering about. "The idiot gets on my nerves. Can't you make her keep still, Mrs Ricker?"

"She isn't harming anyone," I said, since Mrs. Ricker, as usual, said nothing. "You leave her alone, and stop talking like that, Miss."

"I'm not harming anyone, now," Martha piped up. "But some day I might. I'd like to : won't, though,"

There Were the Girls, Everlastingly Searching for Something.

she walked over close to Gaby, "if you'll give me the gold monkey. I'll be good then, for always."

It was a bracelet charm of Gaby's, a gold monkey, about the size of a large almond, with jade eyes. The minute Martha had seen it she had begun to beg for it. Gaby would not give it to her; would not so much as allow her to wear it for a few hours at a time. As usual, this evening, she refused to let Martha touch it.

"Yes, and you'll be sorry," Martha threatened.

Just as she had hated Gaby from the start, Martha had loved Danny; but she could not tell them apart. It seemed incredible that even Martha could be confused about the two girls; because, if ever girls were opposites, those girls were. Their faces, just their faces, did look alike. They both had large brown eyes, straight noses, small mouths, pointed chins, and complexions the color of real light caramel frosting. Danny's cheeks showed a faint pink, coming and going. Gaby painted her cheekbones, clear back to her ears, with deep orange-pink color. They both had wavy, dark brown hair, cut just the same in the neck, real close fitting and down to a point. But Gaby brushed her hair straight back from her forehead, and put varnish stuff on it till it was as sleek and shining as patent leather. Gaby's clothes were all loud colored, or seemed to be—black turned gaudy when she put it on—and they were all insecure appearing, too defiant of paper patterns to be quite moral. Danny's clothes were as neat and quiet as a pigeon's.

Since Hubert Hand was too selfish ever to love anything that his nose wasn't attached to, his carryings on with Gaby should be classed, I think, not in the center ring, but as the main attraction of the third ring. And he almost old enough to be her father, with white coming into his hair at his temples!

To this day I have never understood those two, during those months. Gaby was in love with John. Hubert Hand was in love with Hubert Hand. Yet they hugged and kissed, and seemed to think that calling it "necking" made it respectable. It wasn't a flirtation, with them. It was more like a fight, where each of them was fighting for something they did not want. A perfectly footless, none too wholesome performance.

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Baboon Formidable Foe When Incited to Fury

At night the South African baboon is a timorous creature, and as its sight in the dusk is far inferior to that of the leopard, the latter sometimes steals up to where the troop is sleeping, makes its pounce, and escapes with a shrieking victim. But the leopard does not invariably have the best of it. There are several well-authenticated instances of such a night marauder being surrounded and torn to pieces. Another enemy much dreaded by baboons inhabiting the warmer localities is the rock-python. But there are instances of even the python being destroyed by the combined fury of a troop. All snakes, whether poisonous or not, are equally feared by baboons. This is somewhat strange in view of the circumstances that the latter can at once distinguish between berries that are wholesome and those that are poisonous, even though they may never have seen them before. The hiss of a snake will reduce the most enraged baboon to a state of abject terror, and a dead snake placed in the vicinity of one will drive it almost distracted.

Light Rays

Ultra-violet is described as that portion of the light spectrum beyond the violet zone.

Adrift With Humor

WITH PLEASURE

Young Oswald was surely an officious young man, as every one in the firm's employ agreed.

He was always horning in where he was not wanted, and he had a highly exalted opinion of himself.

There were two partners in the firm, and one of them happened to pass on. The young man approached the surviving partner with whom he was not exactly what you would call a favorite.

"I am so sorry, sir, to hear of Mr. John's demise, and I have come to ask if you would like me to take his place."

"Yes, I should, very much," was the reply, "if you can get the undertaker to arrange it."

Didn't Wish to Be Quoted

A customer in an animal store was contemplating the purchase of a parrot, which so far had evinced no signs of life other than to cock a malevolent eye at her. Finally she asked:

"Does he talk? And what does he say?"

The salesman looked embarrassed.

"Yes, madam, he talks," he replied, "but he doesn't wish to be quoted."—American Legion Monthly.

WATCH AND CHAIN

Host—Yes, he's rather fierce, but keep him as a watch dog.

Visitor (shying off)—Shouldn't he have a chain attached?

Barbara Frietche Up to Date

"Shoot if you must
This old gray head
But spare my permanent wave,"
She said.

Puzzle

"This card you have hung in the kitchen, mum," said the suburban cook, "is too much for me. I can't make out what my nights off are."

"And no wonder, Nora. That's a time-table of suburban trains."

Had Many Candidates

Mistress (to new maid)—I don't object to a follower, but I don't want to see too much of him in the house.

Maid—Very good, madam—you need not worry. I change quite often.

HOT WORK

"Does it make you red in the face and sweat like that when you call on a girl you knew years ago?"

"Not necessarily, but it's hot work rekindling an old flame."

Bang

Johnny was a chemist
But Johnny is no more
For what Johnny thought was H_2O
Was H_2SO_4.

The Disturbance

"Don't you think Miss Brown is an excellent pianist?"

"What did you say?"

"I said, don't you think Miss Brown an excellent pianist?"

"Sorry, I can't hear a word. That girl at the piano is making such a din!"—Pearson's.

The Easiest Way

Justwed—Do you give your wife an allowance or does she ask you for what she wants?

Longwed—Neither. She takes it all.

Welcome Assured

The Collector—I shall call again next week and, remember, I shall expect you to pay at least half of this bill.

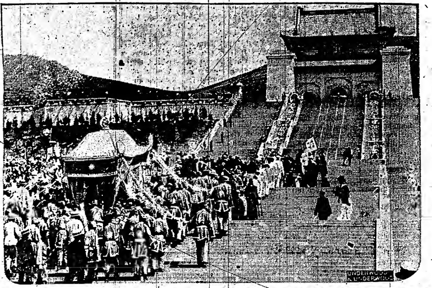
Mr. Everbroke—I'll be delighted to have you call. It will be a pleasure to entertain an optimist like you.

Obscured

"Everything is on the menu today, sir."

"Yes, there is so much of everything that I can't read it. Bring me another."

REMAINS OF SUN YAT-SEN REMOVED TO NEW TOMB



This photograph from Nanking shows the solemn removal of the casket containing the body of Dr. Sun Yat-Sen, hero of Nationalist China, to the recently completed tomb built for the remains of the statesman.

Under Social Pressure

By M. K. THOMSON, Ph. D.

THERE is a lot of hard work and dirty work that is classed as drudgery. No one would do such work were it not for the force of necessity and social pressure. The same is true regarding certain parts of almost any task. There is some drudgery and hard work in connection with the most desirable positions.

We naturally shrink from what is too difficult for us or is decidedly distasteful. It requires some special force to keep us at it. And this force is social pressure.

Social pressure is the force that society exerts over the individual to make him toe the mark, to make him a good social animal. For example, because society places a premium on education the boy is sent to school and kept there despite his desire to be out playing. Later on the same force keeps him to his college course or working hard to make himself master in some trade or profession to follow in the future.

None but the social outcasts, such as tramps and bums, escape social pressure and even these are not altogether free. They must obey the laws of the state. The man who violates the rules of polite society is ostracized. And if he violates the laws of the state he lands in jail. On every hand the social screw tightens on every one who would in the least evade the social code.

Social pressure functions through rewards and punishments. These may be in the form of material things such as money, gold, medals, prizes or they may be honors, social recognition, position of trust and responsibility, power over others, etc.

The remarkable thing about social pressure is that it operates against the great and good as well as against the criminal. Every one who undertakes to do things in his own way is likely to feel the force of social pressure. Society is suspicious of all innovations.

We are subject to social pressure because we cannot help ourselves. We are born in it. The individual is helpless against society. There is no way of avoiding the ever-present social pressure.

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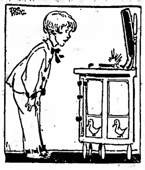
What Does Your Child Want to Know ?

Answered by BARBARA BOURJAILY



DO I GROW WHEN I'M ASLEEP?

You grow the most when you're asleep
And settled safe at rest,
Your body uses up its food
And grows its very best.

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TO ME AND YOU

By Douglas Malloch.

FULL many a toast
Good men declare
To royal host,
To lady fair.
So here's a line
To some one, too;
But I'll drink mine
To me and you.

The ladies sweet
Get toasts enough.
So why repeat
A lot of stuff?
Their goose is cooked,
You'll all agree,
If no one looked,
Like you and me.

What makes a host,
With all he spends?
What does he boast
About? His friends!
Without a guest
What would he do?
So here's his best
To me and you!

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A Test for a Prospective Wife

By JEAN NEWTON

FROM Switzerland we have a new way of testing the character of a prospective wife. It is a savant in Geneva, the home of the League of Nations, who shares with the young men of today his secret for choosing the right kind of a wife. He reveals for them a test by which they can be certain of marrying the right girl, an infallible protection against those who would not make them good wives.

Ah, the test. Is it for the quality of their love, the strength of their backbone, the kindliness of their spirit, the possession of a brain, a sense of beauty or a sense of humor?

Nay, nay. The test is one in preparing potatoes!

If, says the Swiss savant, a girl peels the potato, cutting thick rinds, she is extravagant. If she leaves the eyes she is lazy. If she uses a great deal of fat while frying them she is greedy, and if she lets them burn she is negligent!

If, on the other hand a girl performs the test of peeling a potato without falling into any of these revealing traps, the man should marry her whether she is rich or poor, ugly or pretty, for she will prove a good friend and wife and bring him prosperity and happiness!

It reminds me of a certain old lady's test of housemaids who applied to her for a place. She always left a broom on the floor across their path as they entered the door. If they fell over the broom they were too stupid to even consider. If they stepped over it they were too lazy to be worth their salt. If they picked it up they were pretty sure to be good housemaids!

But, all joking aside, if we are to accept the standards of the Swiss savant who would judge the character of a woman and her value as a wife by the way in which she peels a potato, we may judge the character of a man and his eligibility as a husband by the way he blocks his hoots! And that's all wrong. Most girls would prefer men who patronize a bootblack!

What you want, Mr. Swiss Savant, is not a wife but a good kitchen maid.

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France Honors Pigeon for World War Service

The President of the French Republic recently unveiled a memorial to a carrier pigeon. On June 4, 1916, Commander Regnal, in the field, released his last carrier pigeon, bearing an urgent call for reinforcements, and the pigeon safely reached its destination. Reinforcements were sent and victory assured, and for this achievement the pigeon was awarded the Legion of Honor. Although the flying powers of pigeons are well known, few realize the amazing speeds at which they travel. In one case at Dundee during the war a pigeon flew 22 miles from an airplane in 22 minutes and enabled help to be given to a badly damaged machine. In the Crabtree flying race from Lymington the winning pigeon flew 2,748 yards a minute, or 100 miles an hour.

Domesticated birds are not generally as far-sighted as wild birds.

SUPERSTITIOUS SUE

A FRIEND TOLD HER THAT—

You must be careful not to step on the cracks in the sidewalk, because if you do—oh, oh, black, black woe—something terrible is liable to happen to you.

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TO THE EDITOR:

By Fred Barton.

TO ENTER Memphis from the north or west you cross the Mississippi on a high steel bridge. That's all right, but there's also a two-mile wood toll bridge that's more perilous than the Bridge of San Luis Rey.

However, Memphis is worth the trip. There's an atmosphere of politeness here. Men doff their hats even in office building elevators. The taxi driver thanks you for a dime tip. And eating breakfast in the hotel lunchroom is like dining with intimate friends. Here friendliness is prevalent all about one.

It's interesting to me to see how people can make a living and still remain courteous. Perhaps northern people can learn something from southerners if they try.

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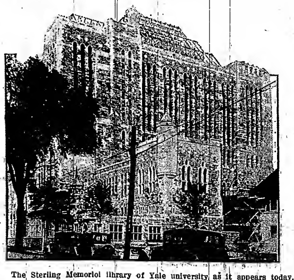
May Be Eye Teeth

Joe Jenkins told his friends recently that his new set o' teeth are giving him the first enjoyment he's had out of food in several years. "It's funny," mused Joe, "that it should take false teeth to make me see food in its true light."—Farm and Fireside.

Yale's New Library One of Finest



The Sterling Memorial library of Yale university, as it appears today. When completed it will be one of the finest and best equipped libraries in the world.

The Children's Corner

Edited by DOROTHY EDMONDS

SAILING THE SEAS

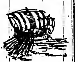
Big Paulo and little Gretchen ran up and down the beach, for salt breezes from the ocean would have nipped their hands and faces quickly enough had they stood still.

Suddenly Gretchen saw out over the ocean, a group of moving, glimmering lights.

"See, Paulo!" she shouted. "Lights! Is it a ship passing?"

"Aye," answered Paulo. "Would you like to pretend something, Gretchen?"

"Oh, yes, Paulo."

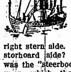


"All right, lass. We'll make believe many, many years have slipped away. We'll journey back thousands and thousands of years and look at ancient ships of many lands. Already now? All aboard!"

Paulo had been to sea once upon a time. He knew much of ships and sailor men, and as he stood pointing outward over the dark night sea he told Gretchen of the ships that you find here.

"See, Gretchen," began Paulo, "for out there on the sea, sails an ancient Grecian warship. One great orange-and-yellow sail in the center, one small one over the bow and one middle-sized one over the stern, carry it swiftly on its destructive errand. See the two sharp points on its bow. Those are to ram an enemy ship. Down inside the vessel, where you cannot see, are more rowers, all slaves chained to their places and forced to work hours without rest. A man with a whip walks back and forth among the slaves watching for any slow or lazy ones.

And what a strange, fantastic vessel is this next one! A Viking ship!



In one of these ships it is said, very daring adventurers journeyed even before Columbus was born. See, it is steered by a huge oar fastened to the right stern side. You've heard of the starboard side? Long years ago it was the "steerboord" side or the side upon which the steering oar was placed. How splendid are the warriors' shields hanging in rows over the side of the ship! They look like large round buttons from a distance, but close by, you can see their beautiful designs.

"Go on, Paulo," whispered Gretchen, "oh, please go on. What ship is next?"

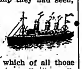
"Just appearing above the horizon," continued Paulo, "if you watch closely is a more splendid ship, the Venetian Argosy. It is built of rarest woods and rigged with silken sails of gay and varied colors. Rich nobles and merchants spend hundreds of dollars trying to outshine their fellows in magnificent riggings.

Galley slaves are again at work, not because their strength is needed, but because the merchants think that the more oars they can display, the finer will be their ship. On the forward deck we see a striped tent in which, perhaps, the merchant displays his most valuable wares or the nobleman who sails grandly in this, his floating palace, finds a pleasant shelter.

"What is this beautiful vessel sailing so swiftly, with sails full set, toward us? An American clipper, noted the world over for speed and dazzling spread of sails! Not silken sails, not painted ones, but plain, strong, white ones of canvas that will catch and hold the most fickle breeze. See, Gretchen, this ship has cabins and it is built to cut through the water in record time. No make-believe splendor about this one, but only strength and swiftness like the wind itself—one of the first ships to be built for long voyages.

"How different it is from the little Chinese Junk with awkward matting sails and low sides inviting every wave to dash over them. John Chinaman doesn't care about his sails, however. They are quite all right to carry his cargoes up and down the rivers. The breeze makes a strange musical sound as it plays against the strips of matting, and such heavy loads are carried that the little low ship travels very slowly and lazily along its way.

"And now comes a strange sight, indeed! The little sails over bow and stern are not in use at all. They seem to be there only in case they should suddenly be needed. A large wheel at one side of the boat turns over and over, pushing it on its way. Smoke rises in black clouds from a smokestack. It is the brave little Clermont, plying its way along the river. Its steam power is so new and untried that it could not venture on the ocean, but it is proud to show this much of change and progress. Sometimes it must use its sails when the engine won't work just right, but wait, Gretchen, a few more years pass by and another ship looms before us.



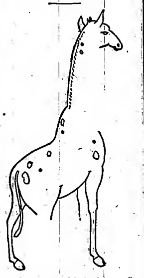
"After thousands of years, the greatest ship of all comes gracefully steaming across the vast sea. It is big enough to carry five thousand people back and forth across the ocean. No sails can be seen on this great giant of today, for its engine power is great enough and sure enough to need no further help. While it used to take several months in a sailing vessel to cross the sea, it takes now only six or seven days, and sometimes less than that."

As Paulo finished talking, the moving lights of the ship they had seen, passed from view. The ocean was once more dark as far as he could see, and the wind was cold.

"Well, Gretchen, which of all those ships do you think you really saw sailing across the sea?" he asked.

But Gretchen was fast asleep, dreaming, no doubt, of them all, just as Paulo had told of them.

HOW GOOD IS YOUR MEMORY?



Here is an unfinished picture. Can you finish it accurately?

—Harvey Peake.

ONLY A DOCTOR KNOWS WHAT A LAXATIVE SHOULD BE

Danger lies in careless selection of laxatives! By taking the first thing that comes to mind when bad breath, headaches, dizziness, nausea, biliousness, gas on stomach and bowels, lack of appetite or energy warns of constipation, you risk forming the laxative habit.

Depend on a doctor's judgment in choosing your laxative. Here's one made from the prescription of a specialist in bowel and stomach disorders. Its originator tried it in thousands of cases; found it safe for women, children and old folks; thoroughly effective for the most robust man. Today, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, as it is called, is the world's most popular laxative. It is composed of fresh herbs and other pure ingredients. You can get it, in generous bottles and ready for use, at any drugstore.

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Same Price for over 38 years

25 ounces for 25¢

You save in using it. Use *less* than of high priced brands.

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That Settles the Matter

Blinks—"Do you ever admit you are wrong?" Jinks—"It isn't necessary if my wife says I am."

Cole's Carbolisalve Quickly Relieves and heals burning, itching and torturing skin diseases. It instantly stops the pain of burns. Heals without scars. 30c and 60c. Ask your druggist, or send 30c to The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill., for a package.—Advertisement.

It is estimated that the United States will have a population of 180,000,000, or even 200,000,000 by the year A. D. 2000.

To live is to do battle.—Seneca.

Cold in Head, Chest or Throat?

RUB Musterole well into your chest and throat — almost instantly you feel easier. Repeat the Musterole-rub *once an hour for five hours* ... what a glorious relief!

Those good old-fashioned cold remedies—oil of mustard, menthol, camphor —are mixed with other valuable ingredients in Musterole.

It penetrates and stimulates blood circulation and helps to draw out infection and pain. Used by millions for 20 years. Recommended by many doctors and nurses. Keep Musterole handy—jars, tubes. All druggists.

To Mothers—Musterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole.

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BETTER THAN A MUSTARD PLASTER

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Nature's warning—help nature clear your complexion and paint red roses in your pale, sallow cheeks. Truly wonderful results follow thorough colon cleansing. Take NR—NATURE'S REMEDY—to regulate and strengthen your eliminative organs. Watch the transformation. Try NR instead of mere laxatives. Mild, safe, purely vegetable—at druggists, only 25c

FEEL LIKE A MILLION, TAKE

NR TO-NIGHT
TOMORROW ALRIGHT

Your Stationery Needs

Now is the best time to anticipate your needs in stationery and ruled forms for fall use. Don't wait until the fall rush is on.

The Spectator is equipped to print your letter-heads, envelopes, statements, sales slips and peds and anything else you may need.

Look up Now whet you will need, and let us have your order.

St. Hilaire Spectator

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

Order Limiting Time to File Claims within Three Months and for Hearing Thereon

State of Minnesota, } ss.
County of Pennington }

Estate Of John R. Fate, Decedent.

IN PROBATE COURT.

In the matter of the Estate of John R. Fate, Decedent.

Letters Testamentary this day having been granted to C. Ivan Fate, and it appearing by the affidavit of said representative that there are no debts of said decedent:

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Thursday the 6th day of February, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator as provided by law.

Dated November 4th, 1929.

Lars Backe

(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.

N-7-21

DR. L. R. TWETE

Licensed Veterinarian

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Tuberculin Testing

Citation for Hearing on Petition for License to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Gilbert Sandum, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, } ss.
County of Pennington }

In Probate Court

In The Matter of the Estate of Gilbert Sandum, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Carrie Sandum, Beatrice Sandum, Ruth Sandum, Grace Sandum, Harold Sandum, Ardith Sandum and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said decedent. The petition of Beatrice Sandum, as representative of the above named decedent, being duly filed in this court representing that it is necessary and for the best interest of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be sold and praying that a license be granted to her to sell the same.

NOW, THEREFORE, You and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 30th day of November, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 2nd day of November, 1929.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate Court.

Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
N7-21

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

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South River Falls

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thyren and family visited Sunday afternoon at the B. Walseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Dalager motored Sunday to Thief River and returned.

The social held in Dist. 133J was very well attended. A fine program was given which was greatly enjoyed by all.

A party was given Saturday evening at the Carl Sorenson home in honor of Andy Horn.

Oscar Burnquist, who has spent the past month in Minneapolis, returned home this week.

Sivert Anton, Nels Mickelson, Clarence and Gust Kraft and George Christianson visited Sunday afternoon at the Miller Peterson home.

Ruth and Reuben Anderson were visitors Sunday evening at the B. Walseth home.

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

Two With a Swedish Background

PERSONALLY, I do not know a great many persons of Swedish birth. But those Swedes I have met struck me, nearly always, as being unusually keen-witted. Nevertheless, it is customary among after-dinner speakers, when telling a yarn purporting to deal with slow thinking, to make the central character of it a Swede, and preferably a Swede farmer.

For instance, there is the classic of the Wisconsin politician who, in the Presidential campaign of eleven years ago, toured the back districts of his native state to electioneer for his party. In a remote neighborhood he came upon a tall Scandinavian sitting on a log in a clearing. The stranger hauled up his team and greeted the resident, who replied with a nod.

The politician explained that he was sounding out the sentiment in the district.

"What do you think about Wilson?" he asked.

"Aye don't know," drawled the other.

"Well, how about Roosevelt?"

"Aye don't know."

"Maybe you like Taft?"

The alien shook his tawny head, dumbly.

"Well, now, look here then, you must have some opinion," said the visitor. "You and your neighbors must have talked things over among yourselves. Who do you think has the best show?"

The simple Swede gave this question lengthy consideration. Then, with a faint tinge of expression, he said:

"Aye tank Ringling Brothers got the best show."

Then there is the time-honored yarn of the Swede farmhand up in Minnesota who, on the witness stand, was called upon by the attorney for the railroad to furnish details touching on the tragic death of a companion.

"Aye tell you," he answered. "Me and Ole, we bane walkin' on railroad track. Train come by and aye yump off track. By and by, when train is gone, aye don't see Ole any more. So aye walk on and pretty soon aye see one of Ole's arms on one side of the track and both Ole's legs on other side of the track. And then pretty soon again aye see Ole's head, but Ole's body is not there. So aye stop and say to myself, 'By Yupiter, something must a' happened to Ole!'"

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Fighters' Headquarters

There are four regiments in the French foreign legion, and the headquarters are at the following places: Sidi-Bel-Abbes, Algeria; Meknes, Morocco; Fez, Morocco, and Marrakech, Morocco.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Thirty-eight Hundred Sixty and 40-100 ($3860.40) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Karl A. Sundahl and Anna Sundahl, his wife, Mortgagors, to First and Peoples State Bank, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of November, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of November, 1920, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 13 of Mortgages, on page 629, and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), of Block One (1), of Connelly's First Addition to Red Lake Rapids, (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls), according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and

Lots Four (4) and Five (5), of Block Nineteen (19), in the Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls), according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and

Lots Thirty-four (34), Thirty-five (35), Thirty-six (36), Thirty-seven (37) and Thirty-eight (38), of Block Ten (10), in the Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls), according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and all of said property situated in Pennington County and State of Minnesota,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 21st day of December, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $3860.40, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 6th, A. D. 1929.

FIRST and PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Mortgagee,
Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. N7-D12

The Spectator, $1.50

At the Ball Game.

Lady Visitor—I see they've got the police here.

Dear Old Soul—I'm not surprised, dear; I overheard some one speaking about stealing runs as we came in.—Passing Show.

That's Settled.

Wife—I think we should have a new car.

Husband—I'm perfectly satisfied with the old one.

Wife—Fine! Then I can have the new one.

The Days of His Youth.

Miss Gushmore—Only twenty years old! How you must enjoy the heyday of your youth.

Sim Grassneck—Nothin' to it! Hay days is hot, sweaty days. Gimme the fishin' days.

Won at Bridge.

Lulu—So all you won at the bridge was the booby prize?

Lola—Oh, I don't know; I carried off my partner's heart and he gave me a diamond.

DIVORCE EVIL

She—Say, Tom, what is meant by the "divorce evil?"

He—Alimony, undoubtedly.

Efficiency.

Efficiency I must admire,
It satisfies a deep desire
To let some others do the work
While I around the golf course lurk.

It Depends.

Real Estate Agent—It's a quiet residential section only a stone's throw from the nearest busy thoroughfare.

Shrewd Customer—Who'll throw the stone?

Gold Seal Flour

We are handling the well known Gold Seal fancy patent flour again. This flour has always given satisfaction to all users.

Try a sack the next time you order flour.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Best Winter Service

To get the best service out of your car during the cold winter months, perfect lubrication is very essential. We have oils and grease suitable for all makes of cars, and will be glad to assist you in selecting the oil and grease best suited for your car.

Snappy gas, the kind that makes your motor go into action the minute you touch the starter, is our

KOOLMOTOR

Try a thankfull next time you fill--you'll be agreeebly surprised at the way your motor will perform.

Young's Service Station

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday,

Sunday school 10:00.

Morning Services 11:00.

Evening service at 8:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services Sunday morning in local church at 10:30 with Sunday school following.

Services in Clara church at 3:00.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Nov, 17. Services as follows:

St. Hilaire, Cummunion services in Norwegian language at 11:00 A. M. Communion services in American language at 7:45 P. M.

Communion in Clearwater church at 2:30 P. M.

The annual business meeting at St. Pauli, Nov. 15th., at 10:30 A. M. Ladies Aid of St. Pauli have their meeeting at the same time.

World Using Old Truths

The modern world is using, and using up, the truths that remain to it out of the old treasury of Christendom; including, of course, many truths known to pagan antiquity but crystalized in Christendom. But it is not really starting new enthusiasms of its own. The novelty of modern ideas is merely a matter of names and labels, like modern advertisements; in almost every other way it is negative.—G. K. Chesterton in the Bookman.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all who so kindly assisted us during our recent bereavement in death of our dear mother; and to those who sent the beautiful floral offerings.

Special thanks to Rev. A. F. Nelson for his comforting words, and the choir for its beautiful songs.

The Moren family.

25 Years Ago

J. J. Soll and B. B. Penner left on a deer hunting trip out on the Reservation.

—XXV—

Otterness and Edstrom put in a gas lighting system at their store and had the best lighted place in town.

—XXV—

Bill Bramsness returned after taking in threshing over in Dakota.

—XXV—

H. D. Pettebone and Fred Stapleton were at Crookston conferring with Mr. Shevlin regarding proposed alterations in the mill here.

—XXV—

Gust Nelson returned after spending the summer cooking at a ditch construction camp near Neilsville.

—XXV—

Tollef Thompson was home after having spent the summer at Rainy River.

—XXV—

Dr. C. Higbie went to Crookston to file on a piece of land in Roseau county if it was still open.

Well Supplied With Teeth

There is one species of slug with 30,000 teeth. The common variety of snail has over 14,000 teeth, arranged in 130 rows, while another variety has 21,000 teeth in 140 rows.

Camels are for knowing smokers!

It's just too bad if any smoker because of misinformation denies himself or herself the pleasure of CAMELS.

New smokers are not always in a position to have a real preference in cigarettes. But when they acquaint themselves with Camels they develop that sense of discrimination that leads to real smoking pleasure. Camels are made so carefully and of so good a blend of choicest cigarette tobaccos that even those with inexperienced smoking taste quickly recognize their superiority. They are for those who appreciate the taste of choice tobaccos, the fragrance of a perfect blend and the soothing mellowness of a really satisfying cigarette.

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The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$1.01
Duram Wheat	.87
Rye	.71
Barley	.40
Oats	.29
Flax	2.73
Eggs, cash	.38
Creamery butter	.46

For Sale

Cow, to freshen in December
1 team work horses 10 yrs. old
Large buffet
Gang plow
Mower Hay rake
Drill Hay rack
Hay

Reasonable if taken at once. Call or see

Mrs. C. A. Halvorson.

For Sale:- 1922 model Ford touring car with starter and good tires. In good running order. Very reasonable for quick cash sale. Inquire at the Spectator office. N12tf.

Piano Tuner Coming

A. E. McIntyre, the old reliable piano tuner, who comes to the Thief River Music Company four times a year, will be in St. Hilaire soon to tune and repair any and all makes of pianos.

Kindly leave orders at Henry Olsen's radio shop and receive expert repairing, and beautiful tone quality of piano tuning absolutely guaranteed to all.

Country orders given prompt attention if phoned in or left with Henry Olsen, St. Hilaire.

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MEET THE GANG
-AT-
Bob's Coffee Shop
If you can't eat at home, eat with us
R. Helmkay,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

LOCALS

Joe Hauge and family are here from Fosston for a visit with his parents and other relatives.

Mrs. Martin Rux came Saturday from Grand Forks to spend a week here with her relatives.

S. T. Espeland and children, Ruth and Hans, were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Maakrud.

Mr. and Mrs. Halmer Gergner of Argyle, are visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. John Gonnering.

Mrs. Fred E. Rux had the misfortune to suffer a fractured arm last Thursday.

"I ain't goin do it" said Amos That's what you'll say too when asked to buy any radio except the "Coronado" after comparing it with others. Gamble Stores.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Halverson family are leaving this week for Minneapolis where he has employment, and where they will make their home.

It is a life study to learn how to live, but you need only a few months' training in the Mankato Commercial, Mankato, Minn, to fit yourself for a good job.

Theo. Skatrud and family motored Sunday to Karlstad and spent the day there at the home of his parents.

In another column is a call for a public meeting in regard to establishing a skating rink. The proposal is a good one, and should be given encouragement.

Camels in Australia

Many camels are used in Australia as beasts of burden. For instance, from Wyndham in northwestern Australia the cattle stations are served by camel trains which carry supplies for hundreds of miles into the interior. "The camels are driven by Afghans," says the National Geographic society. "Camel teams are familiar sights in the streets of the little township, hauling in the great wagonloads of firewood from the outlying district. The first camels were brought to Australia for the use of the early explorers. Later a fine type of dromedary was imported for breeding purposes."

PROPOSES SKATING RINK

"During the long winter months it seems as though all pleasure and mirth is lost to us—especially to the young people. As good exercises in the open air is necessary to maintain good health, I think we should endeavor, to establish a skating rink both as means for providing exercise and for healthful pastime.

"We have several good locations for a rink, and believe one can be established and maintained. I am convinced the young people of the village and surrounding territory would hail establishment of a rink with a hearty welcome. For that reason I invite everyone, young and old, to a meeting at the Norwegian Lutheran church parlors on Monday, November 18th, at 8:00 o'clock to discuss the matter, and to formulate plans for a rink.

"Your for welfare of the young people.

—Rev. M. L. Dahle."

Jungle Monarchs Lose Ferocity in Daylight

Many of the jungle animals bearing reputations for ferocity are exceedingly timid during the daytime. A resident of India studying in this country is authority for this statement and he says that he has repeatedly approached lions or tigers at a distance of 50 yards and instead of attacking him they have slunk away. At night, however, the situation is quite different. These animals seem to become emboldened by the dark. Elephants rarely attack a man unless provoked. A native forester riding over one of the paths through a jungle accidentally collided with a cub elephant, whereupon the enraged mother seized the forester and literally tore him to pieces. Ordinarily the elephants will flee at the approach of a human or even if they detect the odor of a human. The elephant's eye is poor, but his sense of smell is marvelously keen.

Flags of the Confederacy

There were four Confederate flags. The first was selected by a committee of six persons of the Confederate congress. This flag did not meet with the approval of the people, as it too closely resembled the Union emblem. The second flag was designed by Edward C. Hancock in October, 1861. But as this was a battle flag it was not satisfactory, as the people wished a national emblem in addition to one for battle. On May 1, 1863, the Confederate congress selected the third flag. This also was disapproved for two reasons: The first, because it had too much white and resembled the flag of truce; and second, because it was too similar to the English white ensign. Finally on May 4, 1864, the national Confederate flag was approved.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Minneapolis—A. J. Schunk has been appointed postmaster here.

Edina—The Country club house here burned down leaving only one wing, loss $60,000.

Melrose—Graduates of the local high school were guests of the institution at a homecoming program.

St. Paul—Value of all dairy products in Minnesota increased $3,000,000 in 1929 over 1928, with total set at $190,231,459.

St. Paul—G. A. Youngquist, attorney general, has been selected by President Hoover as assistant United States attorney general.

Minneapolis—A. J. Schunk, prominent in politics, has been appointed new postmaster for Minneapolis by President Hoover.

Wabasha—William Snyder, 43 years old, an automobile mechanic, of Hastings, was killed near here when an automobile overturned.

Alexandria—A corn show will be conducted here November 16, under sponsorship of the local advertising club. Entries are being received.

Paynesville—A survey is being made in this vicinity prior to establishment of a pickle factory. Contracts with cucumber growers are being made.

Minneapolis—A total of 86,537 pupils in Minneapolis schools have saved more than $700,000, the Farmers and Mechanics Savings bank announces.

Minneapolis—September volume of business in 1929 was greater than that of September, 1928, according to the Ninth District Federal Reserve Bank.

Hamlin—Forty-five breeders realized a total of $38,230 for 116 head of cattle at a sale of Holstein cattle of the Ormsby breed at the State fair grounds here.

St. Peter—Henry N. Benson, former state senator of this city was appointed attorney general of Minnesota by Governor Christianson to succeed G. A. Youngquist.

Owatonna—Members of the Steele County Guernsey Breeders' Association will have their annual banquet and business meeting here Wednesday, November 13.

St. Paul—The sixty-third annual meeting of the Minnesota State Horticultural Society will begin in the Hotel Lowry here, November 19, continuing for three days.

Brainerd—The Russell Creamery Company of Brainerd has purchased the Brainerd Pure Milk Company. More than $15,000 will be devoted to remodeling the Russell plant here.

Cannon Falls—The alumni of the Cannon Falls high school have chosen Armistice day, November 11, for their homecoming day. The big feature will be the football game between Hastings and Cannon Falls.

Stillwater—Mr. and Mrs. John L. LaPare, farmers living near here, were notified that their son, Dudley J., 26 years old, was washed overboard from the U. S. S. Tracey off the coast of Shanghai and drowned.

Fairmont—Martin county farmers here have decided that seven and eight cents per bushel is too high for corn picking wages. Complaints of the present high wages have come to the local farm bureau office.

Grand Rapids—Itasca county farmers spent a few hours at North Central School of Agriculture here for the annual meeting of the county farm bureau association and the Itasca County Sheep Breeders' Association.

Minneapolis—The W. B. Foshay company, Public Utilities Consolidated corp., and the Foshay Building Corp. went into receivership. Joseph Chapman was appointed receiver. The second Foshay State Bank in St. Paul closed.

Minneapolis—Dr. William J. Byrnes, for 70 years a resident here, former Hennepin county coroner and president of the Hennepin County Medical society from 1889 to 1890, died at his home, 118 Rustic Lodge avenue of a heart attack.

Minneapolis—Appointments of Donald Dunton and Everett Drake of Minneapolis as assistant managers in baseball and hockey, respectively have been announced by Fred W. Luebring, director of athletics at the University of Minnesota.

Duluth—The Great Lakes shipping fleet is making its final spurt of the season before navigation closes early in December. Coal and ore are being shipped briskly but grain remains sluggish. Shipments of automobiles, stone, sand and other commodities also are moving rapidly.

St. Paul—O. P. B. Jacobson, chairman of the Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission, confirmed his appointment by President Hoover as a commissioner to attend in 1930 the one thousandth anniversary of the founding of Iceland's parliamentary government, the Althing.

Duluth—With an enrollment of less than 25 men students, the Duluth State Teachers' College is making plans for an athletic team. A call has been made by Frank Kovack, athletic director, for candidates for the college's first basketball team, while a series of cage games with junior colleges in northern Minnesota is being arranged.

St. Paul—The state let $2,300,000 in road paving contracts, the largest lump of contracts ever let at one time.

Anoka—This city dedicated its new $365,000 bridge across the Mississippi river, with an "all city" Hallowe'en party.

Taylors Falls—A report of a survey of potential tonnage for barge transportation on the upper St. Croix river between Stillwater and Taylors Falls was presented at a meeting of the St. Croix River Improvement Association here. Copies of the survey are to be sent to Minnesota and Wisconsin congressmen.

TURKEY DAY

Saturday, November, 16th

Turkeys will be received at the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery on

Saturday, Nov. 16th

A grader will be at the creamery all day, and birds may be brought in at any time.

Bring your birds as early as possible, however, and you will not have to wait any longer than necessary to have them graded.

Remember its Saturday, Nov. 16

Wondrous Irish Eyes

By LEETE STONE

(Copyright.)

JACKSON GAIGE, head of Gaige, Talmadge and Gaige, was obviously worried and flurried. Something was wrong.

To Kathleen Callahan, his secretary, he represented all that was noble, honorable and brilliant in the legal profession. She noticed her employer's sudden abstractions in the middle of dictation, watched him gaze wistfully out of the window, saw his fits of fidgeting—and she felt very sorry for him; she wished she could help unravel the tangle.

His pretty little secretary blamed Jackson Gaige for only one thing; namely, that he had recently discharged William. William was bookkeeper, cashier and purveyor of pay envelopes.

Still, Kathleen knew her worthy chief was not really the one at fault. That cat, Irene French, had done it. She wore her heart on her sleeve where William was concerned, and he made no secret of his preference for Kathleen. In spiteful retaliation Irene had carried untrue tales of William's omissions and shortcomings to the office manager, who, in turn, had at once requested the chief for permission to let the young man go.

Kathleen was sitting in her small office next to Mr. Gaige's spacious room one morning when she heard two men who had just come in talking loudly and earnestly to her chief. The two men finally left and she could hear Jackson Gaige pacing up and down his office.

At last he pressed the buzzer that summoned her and Kathleen hurried in with her notebook. As she seated herself at the glass-topped desk, the manager stepped hastily in, excitement written in his eyes and a letter crushed in his hand.

"Here's another letter from them, Mr. Gaige. They won't wait but four days longer. If they push the case before that bill goes through, our goose is cooked. What did you tell those two chaps from the district attorney's office, who left?"

Kathleen hated the manager with Celtic fervor. He had dismissed William, and now he was taking an insolvent tone with her kind boss.

"You've got to fight them with their own weapons," continued the manager. "If we can't persuade Kelly to defer that case until after election; if we can't get a satisfactory interview with him—well, we must try other means. I know you're dead against a bribe; but if two or three hundred dollars slipped to Jenkins, who needs it badly, will straighten matters out . . ." He shrugged eloquently.

"I used every argument in the world with those two men," Jackson Gaige replied. "They held out against me, saying the only possible delay would be if Kelly himself postponed the case. Guess we're at the end of our rope. Kelly won't give me an interview. If he would see me I'm sure I could straighten out the whole business; but he won't. I was about to try him once more with a letter when you came in, though I'm afraid it's useless—take this, please, Miss Callahan!"

"Mr. Patrick J. Kelly,
"99 Nassau street,
"New York.
"Dear Sir—"

"Please, Mr. Gaige, I'd like to say something," said Kathleen.

The kind boss and the hated manager turned impatiently to the trim little secretary.

"If you'd like an interview with Patrick J. Kelly of 99 Nassau, I'm sure I can arrange it. You see, he is my stepfather. He'd do almost anything in the world I wanted him to because he's very fond of me. He's never been keen about my being in business—doesn't see why I should want to be independent when he loves to give me everything I wish—so we don't talk much about it at home. I don't suppose he even remembers where I'm working."

"Well, I'll be darned!" said the kind boss to the unkind manager.

Unique situation! Kathleen Callahan, secretary, of wondrous Irish eyes, solving a situation that had nagged the brains of men for days.

The interview was arranged for the next day.

Everything was adjusted and settled amicably, after which Jackson Gaige asked Kathleen what she would like as a token of appreciation for her valuable service.

Kathleen reminded her chief of one, William, former bookkeeper, cashier and purveyor of pay envelopes. Had Mr. Gaige any direct knowledge of the slightest defection on William's part? . . . Ah—no indeed! He had simply been told by the manager, who had been informed by Miss French that William paid too much attention to some one in the office, and neglected his work. . . . Then, if the kind boss had no objection, could not William be reinstated? . . . Well—ah, of course the manager had charge of these minor matters; but if injustice had been done, certainly he, Jackson Gaige, would see that William returned.

"Which means, I presume," Kathleen's employer patted her shoulder, a world of understanding shining in his smile, "that I shall be getting a good bookkeeper, perhaps—and losing a good secretary, surely. However, a fair exchange is no robbery—eh?"

Irish eyes looked up at him and smiled.

Swedes Lovers of Beauty

To keep the Swedish railroad stations cheery, the state-owned railroads maintain a special flower garden and hothouse outside of Stockholm. About 50,000 potted plants and 100,000 perennials are annually distributed to the stations of the Stockholm district alone, and the big central station in Stockholm gets not only huge potted laurel trees for the summer season, but fresh cut flowers every day. In the country practically every railroad station has its own flower beds, cared for by the personnel between trains and like the spotless buffets or restaurants inside, they add considerably to the joy of travel. Such refinements the Swedes call "trafik kultur."

Spilling the Salt

Salt is the ancient symbol of friendship. Hence the belief that it is unlucky to spill it in a friend's house.

Has to Be Very Funny!

As a rule, a long collect telegram, sent as a practical joke, has to be very funny to be funny.—Detroit News.

First Necessity

The keystone of the career of any really important man is soundness of judgment.—American Magazine.

Bananas Banned in Italy

Bananas are banned in Italy because they do not grow in that country or in any of its colonies.

Minn. Historical Society St. Paul, Minn.

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Return From Junior Show

The youngsters from this county who won free trips to the Junior Livestock Show at St. Paul last week for their proficiency in Club work, returned home Friday evening.

Hazel Melin daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Melin, took first prize at the Show with her Mammoth Bronze turkeys. At the sale of exhibits following the show, her birds were sold for 75 cents a pound to the Veterans of Foreign Wars at St. St. Paul.

Donna Brink made a very good showing with her steer which was sold for over a hundred dollars.

Glenn Wilson took 8th place with his sheep out of a big exhibit, and realized 17 cents a pound from the Cudahy Packing Company.

Vivian Lindquist's pen of geese netted her a neat sum at the sale, her's being sold by group lot.

Freeman Allen, Jr., of Thief River, got 13th. place with his pen of lambs out of 25 pens competing., and Richard Allen won tenth prize for individual lambs out of class of nearly one hundred.

The young folks had a wonderful time at the Show, and learned many points tnat will be valuable to them at future expositions in which they all hope to compete.

Carnival A Success

One of the largest crowds that has turned out for a school affair for some years past, was that which came out for the school carnival last Friday evening. A couple little plays by youngsters of the grades were very good as also was the "Old Maids' Convention" staged by members of the school faculty. Among the booths were a fortune telling one, a fish pond, beauty parlor, keno game, etc. Last but not least, was the refreshment room where attendants were kept busy serving lunches as fast as they could handle them, for more than two hours. Everyone of the big crowd that thronged the halls of the building seemed to enjoy themselves with the entertainment provided, and net result of the affair was a neat sum added to the school treasury.

Mechanics Wanted!
Big Demand. Practical Training. Write for catalog. HANSON AUTO & ELECTRICAL SCHOOL, Box 926, Fargo, N. D

Four Boys Drown In Creek

Four young boys, ranging in age from 6 to 8 years, sons of two farmers residing in Bygland township near Fisher, were drowned last Thursday afternoon while on their way home from school. The lads attempted to cross a small creek, where they had been warned not to go, and the ice gave way as the four boys were some feet out from shore. Companions of the unfortunate lads summoned help from nearby homes, but it arrrived too late to rescue any of the victims. The boys were Erling and John Johnson, Clifford and Melvin Jenson. It is estimated that nearly three thousand people attended the joint funeral services which were held last Sunday.

Sunday School Institute

A Sunday School Institute will be conducted in the Thief River Falls Circuit of the Norwegian Lutheran Church of America on November 24th.

The Northern part of the circuit will meet in Greenbush, Minnesota, in the afternoon. Evening session is to be held in Thief River Falls in order to more easily accommodate those living in the Southern part of the circuit.

The leader of the institute is Rev. J.N.Anderson of Minneapolis, Executive Secretary of Elementary Christian Education. Rev. Albert Stortroen of Middle River and Rev. O. G. Birkeland of Roseau will be present as speakers.

The gas-electric car on this line proved inadequate for handling the heavy poultry shipments the past several days and the old steam engine was again placed in service.

To Creamery Patrons;-

All cream must be delivered at the creamery not later than 11:00 A. M., on Wednesday, Nov. 27th. This is to allow time for pasturizing and churning that day as the creamery will be closed all day the 28th.

Its easy to buy your Xmas gifts at the Friendly Store. During their travels our buyers have gathered an outstanding assortment of useful gifts. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls; Minn,

For Sale:- 1922 model Ford touring car with starter and good tires. In good running order. Very reasonable for quick cash sale. Inquire at the Spectator office. N12tf.

Thanks

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

About an inch of soft, slushy snow fell over this section of the state Monday morning.

Supt. R. Peterson, of the Plummer school, motored over Friday evening last to attend the school carnival, and to visit with friends.

Miss Emma Anderson, who is employed at the Blue Parrot Cafe, spent Sunday with her parents at Goodridge.

Olaf Bergland. who had visited here with his brother and sister,G. Bergland and Mrs. M. Volden, left Sunday for Annandale where he will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Turner of Grand Forks, motored over Saturday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Helmkay.

S. Bergland, of Thief River Falls, was here Tuesday for a brief visit at home of his daughter, Mrs. M. Volden.

L. E. Healy, special deputy examiner in charge of the Farmers State Bank, was here all day yesterday looking after collections and attending to other business matters connected with the bank.

As will be noted elsewhere in this issue, the Carlson Merc. Company will have a coffee demonstration at their local store tomorrow and Saturday. Everybody is invited to call and have coffee.

Mrs. R. McKercher and son, who left two weeks ago to visit relatives in Iowa are spending this week with relatives and friends in Wisconsin.

Albert W. Brink, district boiler inspector in this district, left Friday morning for Eight Point, Mont, to spend the winter on the ranch belonging to himself, his father and brothers.

Axel Westerlund and son, who came up two week ago from Duluth to look after some repair work to be done on his residence property here, returned home on Friday morning,

John Mortenson had the misfortune of ditching his car Monday morning when coming into town with his cream. Slippery roads, due to snow that morning, was the cause of the accident.

Aside from a dented fender and a damaged radiator, no damage of any extent was sustained.

A Thanksgiving carnival dance will be given at the Hazel Hall, Saturday evening, Nov, 23rd.

Mr. amd. Mrs. Arvid Dahlstrom left Tuesday for Wichita, Kansas where they will make their home.

Ford, Chevrolet heaters, regular $6.00 values, now special at $3.00 each at the St. Hilaire Garage.

Andrew Hanson, of Baudette, a former resident of this village, is a member of the crew hauling gravel on the Wylie road west of here.

Ed Durbin returned this week from Hibbing and will devote his time to looking after business at his local shop this winter.

Hans Folstad has accepted a position as clerk at the Carlson Merc. Co., store. At present he is on duty cream days, but will be on full time later.

Mr- and Mrs. N.E. Beebe motored Sunday morning to Pelican Rapids and visited until the following day at the home of his sister, Mrs. May Moses.

George Wilson, who has been employed at construction work at Anoka, returned home last week-end for the winter.

The Dorcas Society of the Norwegian Lutheran church will have their annual sale, and lunch at the church basement Friday evening this week. All are welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Early motored up Saturday from Detroit Lakes spent until the following day visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Winters east of town.

Frank Johnson, Ferdie and Elmo Swenson and Ben Johnson motored Saturday to Annandale and Minneapolis for a short visit with relatives and friends.

The Ladies Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will have their annual sale of fancy and other articles at the Odd Fellows hall Friday evening, Nov, 29th. Lunch will be served at 15 cents per plate, after the sale. All welcome.

Repair work was started this week on the buildings on the former E. D. Jensen farm north of town. A basement is to be put under the house and other improvements made for the tenant who will occupy the place the coming year.

Farewell Party

A farewell party was given Saturday evening by the Ladies Aid of the Evangelical Mission church, and other friends, at home of Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Halveraon and family who left the following day to make their home at Maple Plain near Minneapolis. A very enjoyable evening was spent at the gathering and the honor guests were presented with suitable reminders of the occasion. The Halverson family have made many friends during their residence here in St. Hilaire who regret to see them leave, but all join in wishing them prosperity in their new home.

Thieves Get Turkeys

S. E. Hunt, prominent turkey raiser residing on east side of the river between here and Thief River Falls, lost about 200 birds from his flock of turkeys a few days ago where thieves visited his farm. Mr. Hunt had guarded his flock all fall, and was absent only a matter of two hours when the miscreants took advantage of his absence to make away with the greater part of his flock.

M. S' Nordine former publisher of the Strandquist Press, has bought the Record at Middle River and published his first issue last week.

The Ladies Aid of the Evangelical Mission church will meet this afternoon at the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg.

The mercury dropped to 5 below zero here last night. This is the coldest recorded thus far this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Breneman, of Brainerd, are expected here in the near future to spend a couple months or more at home of her mother, Mrs. O. Sherva.

A huge amount of dressed turkeys, geese and ducks were marketed at the local creamery on "turkey day" last Saturday.

Why crank your car in zero weather? The Super Tiger is built for winter driving-- 1-2more power.- 17 percent oversize plates- rubber insulators. Guaranteed 2 1-2 years, $1.50 allowance for your old battery. Gamble stores.

Will Have Skating Rink

At a meeting held Monday evening at the Norwegian church basement, it was decided to have a skating rink the coming winter. It was decided upon to have the rink on the river below the old mill race which is sheltered somewhat by high banks to the west. A warming house will be erected in the near future, and a system of lights installed. Boys who happen to be at the site, are requested not to throw sticks or stones on the ice as they would spoil it. The fee for using the rink was fixed at $1.00 for a family, and .50 cents each for individual permits, payable to Fred Biskey, who was elected secretary-treasurer of the association.

Less than half the licensed chauffeurs in Minnesota have neglected to renew their licenses altho the law states this must be done before December 1st, according to report issued by Mike Holm, secretary of state. By applying before date stated above, the chauffeur avoids necessity of taking another examination, and also the expense of going either to the State Capitol or office of some deputy registrar. As blanks have been mailed to all registered chauffeurs, its easy to avoid this extra trouble by mailing it with the fee of $1.00 before December 1st.

County Agent Robert Douglas was in town Tuesday looking up matters in his line. Mr. Douglas has fully recovered from his recent illness.

Mesdames Martin Bjerk, H. O. Jackson, R. Larson and A. F. Nelson were entertained at the M. H. Jackson home yesterday afternoon.

Clarence Halverson shipped a carload of horses, cattle, machinery and household goods Saturday to Maple Plain. He and family have since departed by car for that city where he has employment, and where they expect to make their future home.

The Junior Camp Fire Girls are serving lunch at Carlson Mercantile store on Friday Nov. 29 from 8:30 A. M. to 2:30 P. M.

Lunch consists of:

Sandwiches — Pickles
Cake — Coffee

Price 15c
Everbody welcome

Save A Little

The old saying that "anyone can make money, but it takes a smart man to save it" is just as true today as ever.

It requires a certain amount of gumption and spirit of "get there" to save. A small amount deposited in savings account each week, will soon grow into a considerable amount. The Old Reliable, "time tried and panic tested" stands ready to help you. Lets Go.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Co-operation

Co-operation means more than just a word. It means help one another, or working together. In affairs of the creamery, it means the farmers in this community have banded together to own and operate the plant.

By hauling your cream to the creamery, and inducing others to do likewise, you are not only helping yourself, but your neighbors and the whole community.

If you are not already a share holder, co-operate with your neighbors by buying at least one.

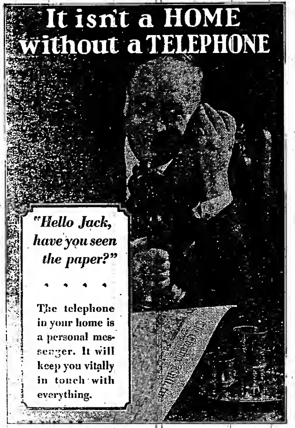
St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Cedar Posts At Wholesale

Will have on track in St. Hilaire on or about Nov. 20th, a carload of straight 6 in. top, 7 foot, cedar fence posts.

Anyone wanting posts of this size, and at a very low price, should communicate with

Paul Thyren,
Hazel, Minn.



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Chas. L. Kundert, Manager

Overhaul Now=Save Money

During the winter months we give special rates on car overhaul jobs in order to keep the shop busy. You can make a saving of 25 to 50 percent over summer prices by having your work done now--and we can assure you a more thoro job.

Come in and tell us what you want done, and we will quote you prices.

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"A dependable Garage Service"

RAIDER GIVEN 50 YEARS

Shooting of Unarmed Farmers Was Inexcusable Judge Declares.

Chandler, Okla.—Jeff D. Harris, 65-year-old specially deputized federal dry raider, was sentenced to serve 50 years in the state penitentiary by District Judge Hal Johnson for the killing of a farmer during a liquor raid, who said the "crime was inexcusable."

The dry raider was convicted of first degree manslaughter for killing Oscar Lowery, July 4 on a farm near Tecumseh, during a search of the premises for liquor which was not found. Judge Johnson in district court denied a motion for a new trial and Harris' attorney said he would appeal the case. Harris was placed in jail.

Harris, with W. W. (Snake) Thomason, federal prohibition officer, who deputized him, is charged also with murder in connection with the slaying of James C. Harris, Lowery's brother-in-law, while the search was in progress. Lowery and James Harris were shot to death on the latter's farm. Thomason faces trial in United States district court on a charge of killing James C. Harris. The federal court refused to take jurisdiction in the Jeff Harris case.

In passing sentence, Judge Johnson said he did not agree with the jury in reducing the charge from murder, under which Harris went to trial, to manslaughter. The state had asked the death sentence. Lowery, in an alleged deathbed statement, said the deputy shot him as he fled unarmed from the porch of the Harris home.

100-Ton Metal Dirigible Planned.

Detroit—Plans for construction of a 100-ton metal clad dirigible for commercial service are announced by Edward S. Evans, president of the Detroit Aircraft corporation which built the "flying tin can" recently accepted by the navy. The airship will be 520 feet long and 115 feet of beam, Evans said. Engines totaling 4,800 horsepower will drive it through the air at 100 miles an hour. There will be sleeping accommodations for 50 passengers. In addition to 50 passengers, the all metal airship will be able to carry a large quantity of mail and express for distances up to 2,000 miles. Its gross lift of 100 tons compares with a lift of 85 tons for the dirigible Los Angeles.

Congress to Get Seaway Bill.

Washington—Chairman Snell of the house rules committee, announced he would sponsor at the regular December session a bill to authorize the canalization of the St. Lawrence river connecting the Great Lakes and the Atlantic to cost between $225,000,000 and $300,000,000. Snell said that with the completion of the Welland canal July 1, 1930, and with the disapproval of the deepening of the New York barge canal by the army engineers, the only hope for the midwestern states to get direct outlet to the sea would be through the construction of the St. Lawrence waterway.

Factory Explosion Kills 6.

Elyria, Ohio—Three men and one woman were near death in a hospital here burned and battered in an explosion which wrecked the plant of the Timms Spring Company and killed five men. Bricks, laths and machinery of the plant flew in all directions when a workman lit a cigaret in the building filled with leaking gas, there was nothing left of the plant but a hashed scattering of debris.

Grain Co-Op Sets Up Agency.

Minneapolis—The way was cleared to establish a sales agency in Minneapolis and Duluth to handle all grain for co-operative organizations of the northwest. It is definitely established the Farmers National Grain Corporation, backed by the federal farm board, will open a sales agency in these cities to step into the grain market.

Texas Panhandle Buried by Snow.

Dallas, Texas—The Panhandle and north plains sections of Texas were covered with a blanket of snow, while other parts of the state shivered under near freeing temperatures. Four inches of snow fell at Perryton, in the extreme north end of the Panhandle, while one to two inches fell at other points in that area.

I. C. C. Permit to Sell Bonds Askd.

Washington—The Wisconsin Central Railway company applied to the interstate commerce commission for authority to sell for $8,000,000 in cash to the Minneapolis, St. Paul & Sault Ste. Marie the $10,000,000 of mortgage bonds now pledged as collateral for notes of the Central which fall due Jan. 1, 1930.

Mrs. J. A. O. Preus Heads Church Club

Chicago—Mrs. J. A. O. Preus of Minneapolis, wife of former Governor Preus of Minnesota, was elected president of the Lutheran Ladies Seminary club of Chicago here. Thirty members of the club were former students of the girls college at Red Wing, Minn., which burned in 1919 and they plan to rebuild it.

A Plane to Carry 500 Planned.

New Haven—Harry R. Westcott, engineer, says someone is planning a carry 500 passengers and a crew of $500,000 transoceanic plane that will 104. His firm has been asked to bid on construction.

Life Term Given for Shoe Theft.

Columbus, Kan.—Charged with the theft of 22 pairs of shoes, Norman Bonner, 39, of Joplin, Mo., pleaded guilty and was sentenced to a life term in the state penitentiary under the habitual criminal act.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE IN DISTRICT COURT FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

State of Minnesota }
} ss.
County of Pennington }

B. C. Bernard—Plaintiff,
—vs.—
Louis Feragen—Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court of the State of Minnesota for the Fourteenth Judicial District, in the County of Pennington, upon a judgment rendered in said Court in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendant, I have levied on all the rights, title, interest and estate of said defendant in and to the real property lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

The South Half (S½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-four (24), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing eighty (80) acres more or less, according to the Government survey thereof.

And that I shall, on Saturday, the 4th day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the rights, title, interest and estate of said defendant in and to said real property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Four Hundred Forty and 14|100 ($440.14) Dollars, with interest thereon from the 29th day of June, 1929, at the rate of six per cent per annum, plus three dollars accrued costs on said judgment and together with all accruing costs of sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 15th day of November, 1929.

O. L. IHLE,
Sheriff of Pennington County,
Minnesota.

Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Plaintiff,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. N21-D26

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated November 15th, 1923, executed by Elias A Peterson and Mabel A. Peterson, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on November 17th 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 74 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $118.75 each, due on May 15th, 1929, and November 15th 1929, respectively; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due, on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $3,536.00, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from November 15th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $237.50, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $116.75 thereof since May 15th, 1929, and on $116.75 thereof since November 15th, 1929 each at the rate of seven per cent per annum; in all the sum of $3,760.47, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates, as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

Lot Five (5) of Section Six (6), and Lot One (1) of Section Seven (7), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-two (42), containing 89.39 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 3rd day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 20th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman
Attest. H. H. Flowers, Secretary.
(Department Seal)
Henry N. Benson Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. N21-D26

Leprosy Fearful Scourge

During the Middle ages no scourge was so widespread as leprosy. There were some 19,000 lazar houses scattered over western Europe, nearly 100 of them being in Great Britain. One occupied the site of St. James' palace, and the dates of their foundation covered a period from 1096 at Canterbury to 1472 at Highgate.

The disease diminished with remarkable rapidity during the next century, though the reason still is something of a mystery. Drastic segregation counted for much, no doubt, but so great an authority as Sir Leonard Rogers held that the chief cause of the decline was yet another plague the Black death of 1349. But it was a dreadful remedy, for the Black death itself slew nearly half the population of Europe.—Detroit News.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.
St. Hilaire. Minn.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, }
County of Pennington } ss.
State of Minnesota. }

To D. S. B. Johnson Land Company.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 1 to 10 inclusive in Block 4.
Lots 16 and 19 in Block 4 and lots 25 to 32 in Block 4 all in the Townsite of Hazel, Minn.
Is Now Assessed in Your Name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1922, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 15th day of March, 1922, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1920, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land was offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said pieces or parcels, was bid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($7.64), Seven and 64|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 9th day of September 1929, the said pieces or percels not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Sixty three Dollars and Ninety cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($63.90), Sixty three Dollars and Ninety cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($63.90), Sixty three and 90|100 Dollars from said Ninth day of September, 1929, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 4th day of November, 1929.
(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County,
Approved July 13, 1925 Minnesota.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. N21 D5.

Belated Honors Paid First British Aeronaut

In honor of James Sadler, the first British aeronaut, a memorial tablet has been erected at Oxford.

On October 4, 1874, he "did astonish the people by ascending into the atmosphere with firmness and intrepidity." His balloon was 170 feet in circumference, and carried a small brazier, suspended under the envelope, in order to maintain heated air to give the power of ascension. It shot up to a height of 3,600 feet, and was blown northwest.

Unfortunately, Sadler dropped the fork used to handle the fuel, and it is said he avoided coming down in a wood by using oars. Eventually, after half an hour's flight, he had traveled about six miles. In his second flight he used hydrogen, and in three minutes was lost to sight in the clouds. Twenty minutes later he came down near Aylesbury, 14 miles away.

For 25 years Sadler worked as a chemist, engineer, and inventor, but when fifty-seven he returned to ballooning. In 1814 he ascended from Burlington house, Piccadilly, before a huge crowd. Subsequently, however, he failed in an attempt to cross from Ireland to England.

Relief From Windstorms

Swinging windows, hinged skylights or roof panels in buildings located in storm-swept areas will prevent much of the damage resulting from tornadoes. By placing the automatic air vents in from 10 to 15 per cent of the walls and roof, the explosive effect caused by the sudden lowering of the air pressure outside of the structure will be robbed of much of its destructive force.

Hazel News

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Snyder came Sunday from Rochester to visit with the latter's mother, Mrs. M. Lokken.

Mrs. M. Lokken, Margaret and Beatrice Lokken, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Snyder were guests Sunday at the Henry Lappegaard home at Thief River.

The Choir of St. Pauli church practiced at the Carl Finstad home last Saturday evening.

The. St. Pauli church congregation had its annual meeting last Friday. The following were elected officers of the Ladies Aid for the coming year:-

Mrs. Ole Lien, president
Mrs. E. Thune, V. Pres.
Mrs. C. Alberg, Secretary
Mrs. O. Odegaard, Treas.

Lunch was served by the Ladies Aid at the close of the meeting.

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

A Personal Interpretation

YEARS ago, when I was a reporter for a New York evening paper and covered trials at the criminal courts building, there was an elderly and very devout Irishman, called "Mac" for short, who had a job in part two of general sessions. It was his duty to keep order and to act as doorkeeper, on occasion, and sometimes to serve as a sort of usher. But he particularly shone on those occasions when he was called upon to aid in taking the so-called "pedigree" of a newly-convicted defendant.

In this matter a certain routine invariably was followed. The prisoner would be arraigned at the bar. Mac would station himself alongside and in an undertone put to him certain questions, and then call out the answers to the clerk, sitting fifteen feet away, who duly would record them on the back of the indictment. This ceremony was more or less automatic, since from long experience the old man knew exactly what facts regarding the prisoner's past life he must ascertain. As the convicted man usually made his responses in a low tone, only the functionary's booming voice would be heard as he chanted his own version of the disclosures just made to him.

One day a youth of most forbidding appearance, who had been found guilty of attempted highway robbery, was brought up. Mac ranged up to him and in a friendly, confidential, half-whisper asked him for his right name.

"Henry Smith," returned the youth, in a surly grumble, out of one corner of his mouth.

"He says 'Henry Smith,' Mr. Clerk," called out Mac. He turned again to the malefactor:

"Born in the United States?"
"Sure—Brooklyn."
"Native-born, Mr. Clerk."
"Any religious instruction in your youth, young man?"
"No!" shortly.
"Protestant, Mr. Clerk."

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Islands Well Wooded

The area of the six islands of the Samoan Archipelago belonging to the United States is 60,000 acres, says the American Tree association. The forest area is perhaps 70 per cent of this, or 42,500 acres.

The Desert Moon Mystery

by KAY CLEAVER STRAHAN

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SYNOPSIS

Sam Stanley, wealthy owner of the Desert Moon ranch, tells his housekeeper, Mary Magin, that his former wife's twin daughters, Daniella and Gabrielle, are coming to the ranch to live, their mother being dead and their father, Daniel Canneziano, who had been the cause of Sam's divorcing his wife, in the penitentiary. Sam has adopted a boy, John, now grown to manhood, and a girl, Martha, physically healthy but weak-minded. Mrs. Ollie Ricker, Martha's nurse, lives with them. Hubert Hand, a wanderer, and Chadwick Caufield, John's wartime buddy, an expert ventriloquist, are the other members of the household. The girls arrive. Mrs. Magin has cause to believe there is a sinister motive in the twins' presence at the ranch. John becomes engaged to Danielle. Caufield shows a pronounced liking for Gabrielle.

CHAPTER IV

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The Cabin

The girls had been on the Desert Moon a little better than six weeks when, one evening, Sam came out into my kitchen where I was setting bread. "Mary," he began, real solemn for him, "the ancients used to have cities that they called cities of refuge. No matter what a fellow had done, if he could get inside into one of those cities, he was safe. Your kitchen always kinda seems like that to me—a city of refuge."

"Lands, Sam," I said, "what have you been up to that you are heading this safety first movement?"

"I haven't been up to anything," Sam answered, "and I don't aim to be. But, Mary, some time ago you came to me with some suspicions. I laughed them off. I am not laughing now. I'm worried. Queer things are going on around here. What I want to know, now is what do you know?"

"Nothing. What do you know?"

"Nothing."

"What do you suspect, then, Sam?"

"Nothing. What do you?"

"Nothing."

That, I see now, wouldn't have been a bad place for us both to laugh. Neither of us did.

"Have you any idea," Sam questioned, "why the girls go prowling all over the place, afoot and horseback, daytimes, and nighttimes, too, when they should be in their beds?"

"Well, all I know is just what I've known all along. They are hunting for something."

"Sure they are hunting for something. But what?"

"I don't know. But whatever it is, they are going to use it to get revenge, to injure maliciously somebody."

"Revenge, h—l!" Sam said.

"Have it your own way. Only I happened one night to hear Gaby say to Danny that they had come to this ranch for the purpose of revenge."

"Revenge, h—l!" Sam repeated himself. "Unless they are sore at me about Canneziano. What else did they say, when you happened to overhear this revenge remark?"

If he was ready, at last, to listen, I was more than ready to tell what little I knew. I told; even to confessing about hiding in the clothes closet.

"Well, well," he drawled, when I had finished my story, "we are probably making a mountain out of a molehill. I wouldn't go pussy-footing around after them, any more, if I were you, Mary. There's a screw loose somewhere, that's sure; but it is not in the Desert Moon's machinery. We've got nothing on our consciences. We don't need to worry."

Don't need to worry! Sam and I, sitting in that peaceful kitchen, talking so smart and frivolous, and deciding that we did not need to worry is a memory I could well be shed of. We didn't need to worry a bit more than if I'd used arsenic in my covered pan of bread; not a bit more than if there had been a den of rattlesnakes in the cupboard under the sink, or gasoline instead of water in the tank on the back of the stove. That is how safe and peaceful we really were, at that minute, if we had had sense enough to know it. When I realize that four weeks from that very evening, three people—

But I guess it would be better to tell things straight along, as they happened. It seems to me a good book cannot be hurried, any more than a good cake can. "Mix and sift the dry ingredients," is the way all recipes for cakes begin.

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For three days, beginning with the Fourth of July, there was to be a big celebration and rodeo at Telko.

Sam suggested at noon on the second of July, while we were at dinner, that maybe all of us would like to go; all, that is, except Martha and himself. Celebrations were never good for Martha.

I spoke right up and said to count me out. I know the deserts in July. But the boys were enthusiastic about it, and Danny was interested. Gaby, coming in late, greeted the idea with the same enthusiasm with which a woman greets moths in the clothes closet.

"Whence the crave for a Fourth of July celebration?" she asked.

"We have never seen a rodeo," Danny answered.

"Go, by all means," Gaby said. "Buy pink lemonade. March in the parade. Ride in the Liberty car. Mrs. Magin would be stunning as the goddess of Liberty, with—"

"Don't let my stunningness stop anything," I said. "I am not going."

"We'll think it over," Danny said. "It would be a long, hot ride. Probably we should all have a pleasanter time, right here at home."

But there was something in the way she had said it, too quickly in answer to a look from Gaby, that made me think there was more to her backing out of the plan than had appeared on the surface.

Gaby had just begun her dinner. The rest of us had finished; so, according to our custom, we excused ourselves and went our ways. Chad tried to stay with Gaby, but Martha fussed and insisted that he come with her.

I had a sure feeling that Danny would return, and that she and Gaby would have something to say to each other. I went into the kitchen, stepped back into the pass-pantry, and opened the pass-window a crack.

Just as I opened the window I heard John say, "I thought Danny was in here."

"No," Gaby said. "But won't you come in and talk to me?"

"What about?"

"About—this."

I dared not peek, so I did not know what she meant until she said, "Why won't you kiss me?"

"Shall I say, I don't want to pick flowers in Hubert Hand's yard?"

"I hate you!"

"Don't be sore at me, Gaby," John said. "But I'm telling you, that's a lot nearer the truth than—than what you usually say."

John was one of the poorest talkers ever heard. One of those strong, silent men supposed to abound in the West, and who are likewise supposed to make every word that they say count. If John's did, they counted backwards.

"My dear, haven't I proven over and over again that I love you? In every way. I have made myself ridiculous, here, because I haven't been able to conceal my feelings for you."

"I think," John said, "that most of that stuff you pull is just to spite Danny. It doesn't spite her, though. She knows she's the only girl in the world for me. I wish you'd cut it out—all of that, Gabby. Won't you, and just be good friends?"

"You'd not want me for an enemy, would you?"

"Getting at anything, going any place, Gaby?"

"Perhaps. If Danny should hear that you have made love to me—"

"I have never made love to you. It would be your word against mine. I think Danny would take mine, if it came to a showdown. Listen here, child; don't you try to make trouble between Danny and me."

"Meaning?"

"Nothing. Except that it wouldn't be healthy for anyone who tried it."

"Boo-oo! Dangerous Dan McGrew stuff? Out where men are men? Killer loose tonight—all that, eh, Johnnie?"

A door opened. "John," came in Danny's voice, "uncle is looking everywhere for you."

"What," Danny questioned, when the door had closed behind John, "made you both look so angry, just now?"

"Never mind. Are you going to that fools' celebration, with only a day or two left, now?"

"I suppose not, if you don't want me to. I'd love going. I know there is no use in staying here."

"In other words, you would sacrifice my future for a rodeo? I more than half believe that you know—"

"What possible object could I have?"

"Many, my dear. Very many. Though I think that getting rid of me would outweigh the others. Listen to me, Danielle Canneziano, if I thought that you were keeping this from me, in order to bury me alive in this God-forsaken hole, and force me to watch you and John—"

"Gaby!"

"I've been a fool! Why can't I learn to take into consideration your d—n moralities? Understand this, Dan. Don't fancy for one instant that failure is going to keep me here. Did you think, with a weapon like that in my hands, that I'd stand for anything less than a fifty-fifty proposition? Our original plan would have been better—easier, simpler. But I'll have my share out of this, anyway. So, if you do know—"

"Gaby, I don't know. I'll swear that I don't. How could I? But surely you wouldn't—wouldn't attempt—"

"That is for you to say, darling."

Darling, as she said it then, was as wicked a word as I had ever listened to.

"For me to say?"

"Give John to me. I've changed my mind. If you'll do that, I'll stay right here, and settle down, and do an imitation of a moral, model wife that would satisfy even you."

"Gaby, you speak as if John were a child's toy, to be passed about. I couldn't give him to you, if I were willing to."

"You could, and you know it. You won't. So, that's that. But keep your righteous fingers out of my life; stop your d—n preaching, and meddling. I am going to the cabin now. You would better come with me."

"We've searched that cabin a thousand times."

"All the same, it is the one logical place; far removed, and under cover."

The cabin is the one Sam built to live in when he first came to the valley. It is up Boulder creek, about half a mile from the ranchhouse. Sam has kept it in repair, inside and out; owing, I think, to sentimental memories, though he declares it is because he dislikes wreckage on the place. When John and Martha were little things, Sam used to hide their Christmas presents up there, under the shelf in the kitchen.

The shelf, about three feet wide, is built across one end of the kitchen. It served Sam for a table, pantry, and sink. Being a man, he built it right handily, like a chest, so that the entire top of it had to be raised to get to the storage place underneath. There was no secret about it. All anyone had to do, was to move everything off the top of it, and lift the lid. But I had read how the hardest problems for detectives always turned out to be something that had been too simple to notice; so my plan was to go up there and raise the lid.

On my way, I met the girls coming home. I imagined that they looked at me with suspicion. I passed a remark about the sweet-smelling clover hay, and hurried right along.

Half an hour later, when I was expecting instant death at any minute, I thought about that sweet clover smell, and how unappreciative I have been of it, and of the blue sky and fresh air, and of the green things, lighted yellow with sunshine, and I took a vow that, if I ever did get a chance to enjoy them again, I would spend the remainder of my life in so doing, and in being grateful to the Creator of them.

In the cabin, I went at once to the kitchen; and, removing fish-baskets, fly-hooks, and reels from the shelf, lifted it back.

I am sure that I had expected to find it empty. What I had not expected to find, and what I certainly had never hoped to find, was what was there: any number of neatly wrapped packages, addressed to Mr. Sam Stanley, sent by express, and labeled, variously, "Danger," "Explosives." "Handle with Care."

It did not take any common sense to know, straight off, that, sent to him or not, Sam was not mixed up in any business that had to do with explosives, bombs, and Bolshevism. It was easy enough to remember, then, that Sam had not been to Rattail for the past ten days; that Hubert Hand had been making the trips down for the mail, expressage, and supplies.

Just as he came into my mind, I heard his voice. It was a startling coincidence; but I need a better excuse than that, for surely no mortal ever did a more foolish thing than I did then. I climbed into that chest, along with those packages, and lowered the lid down over me. If I had any idea, I suppose it must have been a desire not to let him know that I had discovered his secret—his and Gaby's together, undoubtedly—but I can't remember having any thought at all until, just as the lid closed, I remembered the sad poem about the bride and the mistletoe chest.

Then I heard, through the thin boards, Hubert Hand, talking to some one, come into the kitchen. I chose death by suffocation or combustion.

"My dear woman," were the first words I heard from him, "you may set your mind at rest. I am not going to marry the girl. I am not a marrying man, as you know; and, if I were, she wouldn't have me."

"You leave her alone, then. Understand me. Leave her alone."

If I believed my ears, that was Mrs. Ricker's voice; that was Mrs.

I Am Sure That I Had Expected to Find It Empty.

Ricker, not only talking, but talking like that to Hubert Hand.

"You flatter me," he said. "Jealous, still, after all these years? I told you that I wouldn't marry her, and that she wouldn't have me, if I were willing to."

"Wouldn't she, though? Wouldn't she? She is mad about you. She can't look at you without love in her eyes, nor speak to you without love in her voice. She tries to hide it; but she can't hide it from me. I know. She loves you."

I am not sure whether I read it, or whether I figured it out for myself; but I do know it is a fact that no woman ever accuses another woman of being in love with a man unless she could imagine being in love with him herself.

"As to that," Hubert Hand said, "what possible difference would it make to you, Ollie?"

"Only that I would kill her, and you, too, before I would let her have you."

"Easy on, there, my girl. Your last attempt at murder—at least I hope that was your last attempt, was not, you may recall, very successful."

"I would be successful another time."

I kept quiet; very quiet. Surrounded, in there by explosives, and out there by people who talked of murder as calmly and as comfortably as if they were discussing moss-roses, very quiet did not seem half quiet enough.

They went into the other room of the cabin and stayed there for a few minutes. I could not hear what they were saying, but I did not budge an inch. After I heard them passing the window, and was sure that they had left the cabin, I remained, very quiet, in the chest for about five minutes longer before climbing out of it.

I was progressing toward home, shivering in every bone, limping, since both my legs had gone to sleep, when Sam, riding his bad-tempered bronco named Wishbone, came up behind me and dismounted.

"Corns bad, Mary?" he questioned. "Want to climb up on Wishbone and have me lead him?"

"When I go to meet death," I told him, "I sha'n't go on the back of a nasty-tempered bronco. Considering that everyone on the Desert Moon is, at this minute, in mortal danger of their lives, all your lighthearted jesting seems pretty much out of place."

I told him, then, about the packages of explosives hidden under the shelf. I had not told him about my climbing in with them; so I was in no way prepared for his actions.

He stopped. He dropped Wishbone's bridle. He put both his hands on his stomach and leaned over and burst into uproarious laughter. "Ho-ho-ho," it rolled out, seeming to fill the entire valley.

"Fireworks," he gasped. "I got them for Martha. Going to surprise her on the Fourth. Sent for them months ago. Hid them up there. Ho-ho-ho! I told you to stop pussy-footing around, Mary. Ho-ho-ho! 'Do not look for wrong and evil, you will find them if you do—'"

With as much dignity as a heavy woman, with both of her legs asleep, could muster, I turned and left him. His words and his actions had certainly given me one decision. From this time on, I would tell Sam Stanley nothing.

When I got back to the house, John was driving up the road in the sedan. He had been to Rattail for supplies and for the mail. He tossed the mail-bag out to me and drove around to the kitchen door to unload. There was a letter for Gaby, postmarked France.

About a month before this, Gaby had received another letter that was a duplicate of this one; the same gray paper, the same sprawling handwriting. Instead of taking it indifferently, as she did other letters, and reading it wherever she happened to be, she had snatched it out of my hand and had run off to her room. All that evening she had seemed to be preoccupied, and worried. Sending only two letters in close to two months, it seemed to me that whoever had written them did not write unless he or she had something of importance to say. I was still puzzling over it, when Gaby came into the room.

Sure enough, she snatched it out of my hands, just as she had done with the other letter, and ran straight upstairs with it.

When John and Danny came in, a few minutes later, I went upstairs. Habit stopped me at Gaby's door for a minute, with my ear to the keyhole. Faintly, sounds don't come plainly through our thick doors, I heard the portable typewriter that she brought with her when she came to the ranch, click, clicking away.

I was tuckered and tired. So, after telephoning some instructions to the kitchen, I took plenty of time to tidy myself up. I dawdled in my bath, and I cut my corns, and rubbed hair tonic into my scalp. But, when on my way downstairs again, I stopped for a second at Gaby's door, the typewriter was still going. There was nothing to be made out of it, so I went along. It was fortunate that I did, because, before I had reached the top of the stairway, Gaby's door flung open and she called to me, with something in her voice that made me shake in my shoes.

I turned and looked at her. Her face wore an expression that was not human; an expression that would have made any decent woman do as I did, and turn her eyes quickly away.

"Tell Danny to come up here," she said.

I hurried off downstairs, and delivered the message to Danny who was with John in the living room.

"What's the matter, Mary?" John questioned, when Danny had gone upstairs. "You look as if you had seen a ghost."

"I think," I answered, "that I have—the ghost of Sin."

"Doggone that girl," he said. "I wish she were in Jericho."

"Gaby, you mean?"

"You're darn right. She's causing all the trouble around here."

"What trouble?" I asked, just for a feeler.

"I don't know—exactly. She keeps Danny miserable. But that isn't it, or not all of it. Don't you seem to feel trouble around here, all the time? I thought everyone did. I do, Gosh knows."

"I know," I said. "I feel it, too. I think Sam does, though he won't altogether admit it. Just the same, John, there isn't a thing we can put our fingers on, is there?"

"I suppose not. Sometimes, though, when I see Danny looking as she looked when she went upstairs just now, I feel as if it would be a good thing if somebody would put their fingers around that vixen's throat."

"John," I spoke sharply to him, "don't say things like that. You don't mean it. It is wrong to say it."

I was sure that he did not mean it. I was sure that only the voice of one of his rare ugly moods had spoken, and that the wicked thought had died with the wicked words. But, from that day to this, I have never repeated those words to a living soul. Because that was the way that Gaby was murdered: choked to death, with great brutal bruises left on her throat.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Feign Death to Escape Its Actual Visitation

Nature has provided the majority of animals with some means of self-preservation. The bold overcome the enemy by fighting "tooth and claw"; the timid escape by rapid flight. Some creatures take shelter behind a plating of armor; others rely mainly upon their protective coloration. Some inject deadly poisons; others emit nauseating fluids and even electric shocks.

But probably the most remarkable of all methods of evading the enemy is that of shamming death; and one need not necessarily travel beyond the confines of one's own garden for proof of the fact that some creatures do sham death, for quite a number of caterpillars, spiders, toads and snakes are addicted to the habit, says M. D. D. in the Times of India Illustrated Weekly.

It is a well-known fact that certain birds will pretend to be lame or wounded in the wing in order to draw away intruders from the vicinity of their eggs or young. The American ground dove, the ruffled grouse, the green plover and the wild duck are among those that practice this art of deception. Among birds that actually sham death may be mentioned the land rail and the water rail.

Had Few Nerves in Teeth

Study of the teeth of the saber-tooth cats and of the giant wolves that lived and died in prehistoric times, has shown why these animals and their descendants knew no such things as toothache.

Examination of teeth found in asphalt pits in California revealed that, in every case, the teeth of an adult of the species had only a scanty supply of nerves. As the animal grew up, the root canal, which is the main route for the nerves into the pulp chamber of the tooth, became comparatively shut off.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

So Simple

Mrs. Suburbs, who was absorbed in a romance of the Seventeenth century, suddenly looked up at her husband.

"George," she remarked, "listen to this: 'By my halidom,' exclaimed Sir Percival, 'it is past the hour of 12!' Now, what is a halidom, George?"

"What do you suppose it is?" he responded. "Doesn't the context tell you? Sir What's-his-name said it was past 12 by his halidom, didn't he? Well, I should have thought anybody could have seen that halidom was the make of his watch."

Sight Influences Handwriting

If the average handwriting of a person with normal vision is taken as a standard, that of the individual suffering from nearsightedness will be found to be much smaller and that of the farsighted individual much larger.

The nearsighted person does not realize that his writing is small, for he sees it enlarged, and the farsighted person does not know that he writes large, for his eyes reduce the image for him.

Pointer for Executives

If you encountered no difficulties, the office boy could take your place.—B. C. Forbes.

FAMILY DOCTOR LEARNED THIS ABOUT CONSTIPATION

Dr Caldwell loved people. His years of practice convinced him many were ruining their health by careless selection of laxatives. He determined to write a harmless prescription which would get at the cause of constipation, and correct it.

Today, the prescription he wrote in 1885 is the world's most popular laxative! He prescribed a mixture of herbs and other pure ingredients now known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, in thousands of cases where bad breath, coated tongue, gas, headaches, biliousness and lack of appetite or energy showed the bowels of men, women and children were sluggish. It proved successful in even the most obstinate cases; old folks liked it for it never gripes; children liked its pleasant taste. All drugstores today have Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin in bottles.

Encourage French Births

The French firm of Michelin began some years ago to make family allowances among its employees, based on the size of the family. The birth of a child is a positive economic advantage. As a result it is reported that the birth rate in the Michelin community is twice that of France as a whole. Living conditions are good; therefore, the rate of infant mortality is low.

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Train Makes Record Run

What is claimed to be the longest non-stop railway run ever made was recently accomplished in South America. A Beardmore-Diesel electric engine hauled a special train from Buenos Aires to Cipoletti, a distance of 775 miles, in 20 hours 37 minutes.

Deadly

Artist's Model—Do you do much sketching from life?

Artist—Oh, no, mostly from the wife.

Weak After Operation

"About five months ago, following an operation for appendicitis I did not gain strength enough to be up and about. My mother and sister advised me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I have taken five bottles and it has helped me to get strong so I can do my own housework now. I have recommended it to several friends who have been weak and run-down."—Mrs. Oscar Ottum, Box 474, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co., Lynn, Mass.

HOME TRAINING CRIME CURE

By THOMAS C. T. CRAIN, Ex-Justice N. Y. Supreme Court.

THE most effective place to act in prevention of crime is in the home, and preventive measures are most effective when applied to children. Penal statutes are valuable aids in the war on crime when their terms are clear and they are formulated on the basic principles of justice and so in harmony with public conscience that they can be onforced.

But such ordinary and common methods as statutes, police, grand juries and criminal courts, alone can never effect a cure of social ills. We must recognize, just as a doctor does after he prescribes medicine, that directions must be given for rules of life for building up the physical man. Thoughtful men are seeing the need for the hetterment of social conditions and recognizing that a change of heart in man is needed in effecting such a change.

In the bnsincss of changing men's hearts, it is hasic to fix early in the life of a child clarity of thought to determine what is and what is not right.

If the home life of the child is right, parental example will enable bim to keep straight with the law. Discord, absence of love and purity iu a home, handicap a child. From such a home a child is likely to go to the street corner and there associate with idlers whose career already tends to criminal direction.

In providing right home life, religious training has its place. If a boy can remember seeing his father on bended knee, he remembers his fother at his best.

SCHOOLS NEED SPECIALISM

By PROF. JAMES F. HOSIC, Columbia University.

The general teacher of elementary school education should he snpplanted by the specialist. There is no scientific basis for the present custom of assigning forty children to one guide and helper, for a semester or a year, in all classroom activities. The practice evidences tradition, not scientific management. Its validity seems never to have been investigated, althongh common sense is against it. At home the child enjoys the companionship, care and direction of two parents and often additional relatives. The very fact that every person is individual means that each one of us has something different to contribute to the growing child's experience. The child should not he deprived of these contacts in school.

The distinction between "curricula" and "extra cnrricula" should not ba opplied to the modern elementary school program. Art, music, dromotics, cookery, dancing, school pnblications and other so-called "extro curricula" activities are no longer to he regarded as fads and innovations.

The teachers will constantly join forces iu guidiug the activitics of the pupil, euch teacher coutributing as she can from her special field. The childrcn will do more than "pursue" contses; they will lenrn how to live.

SECTARIANISM GREAT EVIL

By REV. ARTHUR P. S. HYDE, New York.

The evil of sectarianism is responsible for the foct that more than holf the populotion of the United States has no definite religion. When Christians are hopelessly at variance with one another the power to attract is simply not there. The man on the street says, in effect, "When you Christians can agree among yonrselves, then it is time to make your appeal to those outside of the fold. Never can your appeal be made convincing under present conditions."

How much more effective it would be for separated hodies of Christions to seek hy mutual contacts to understand one another better. Fraternal intercourse, devoid of prejudice and suspicion, would he the first step, perhaps. Then would come conference, seeking first to find agreement to the definition of words, terms and phrases commonly used but at present with widely varying significance. Then when we are agreed as to definitions we are prepared to make the appeal to history, which is not treason, the late Cardinal Manning to tha contrary.

FUTURE WARS IMPOSSIBLE

By FRANCIS PATRICK GARVAN, President Chemical Foundation.

Modern chemistry and modern aeronautics have made war impossible. I nm convinced that in case of a modern war between great powers it would he foolish and useless for a battleship or cruiser to leave its dock or an army to take the field. The common people of the world as well as the rulers, realize the horrors of war and its tremendous wastage of life and of the means of living.

They are hending every effort to safeguard the peace of the world by treaties and agreements. Should not the terrible powers of chemistry as we know them, and tha war messenger, the airplane, on land and on sea, strengthen their hands? Should not the dread possibilities of chemistry support the convictions of the common people that there shall be no war in the future and rule ont the politicians and the greedy who are aiming to defeat these high purposes?

WEALTH AND IDEALS CONFLICT

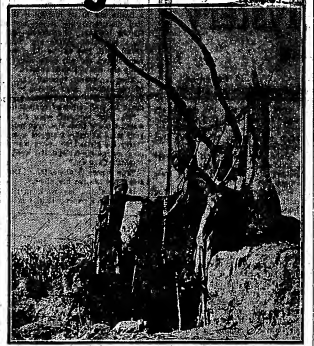
By DR. ALEXANDER MEIKLEJOHN, University of Wisconsin.

We are a newly rich people and wa ara in serious danger. All agencies of enlightenment are failing hecause we are rich. Riches and educatiou are in conflict with one another. Material wealth hlinds men's eyes. Shall the blind lead the hlind?

I would not destroy this new-found wealth. I would destroy confusion it has caused and learn how to use the wealth to make us a truly great nation.

Can we have hooks which are not written for profit, newspapers untrammeled by influence of money, an art whose only motive is to depict things as they are, a preaching which has neither desire nor need to please, courts of justice whose integrity and impartiality are heyond the shadow of a douht, institutions of learning which devote themselves to the study of whatever is important for human living and which report their findings with self-respect? I am not sure we can have these things.

Irrigation



Raising Water by Shadoof for Irrigation in Egypt.

(Prepared by the National Oeographic Society, Washington, D. C.)

IRRIGATION, to increase crops or maka them possible, is a world-wide procedure. But the ways in which the priceless water is gotten on to the soil in various parts of the world varies from the primitive gourd dipped by hand, to the costly engineering project.

While American farmers on hitherto arid areas of the West are having their water delivered to them for irrigation purposes, Chinese farmers, known the world over for raising from one to four crops a year on their less-than-an-acre plots, are still using devices which antedote the windmill by mnny centnries.

The Chengtu plains of Szechwan province are dotted with huge woter wheels which resemble the Ferris wheels at state fairs. However, a ride on a Chengtu irrigator would he n hit damp, for water cups and pipes occupy the spoce where seots would be if the wheel were in an amusement park. Aa the wheel turns the cnps dip water from the conol. When the containers reach the level of the field, the water is discharged into a trough.

Neighboring farmers whose plots nppear os productive os those of the owners of water wheels often have no visible means of lifting water to thair fields, but inside one of their thatched huts a blindfolded cow, ox or horse, is wearing a circular path around o large wheel which performs the work.

In Chihli province, even within sight of Peiping, farmers irrigate their farms largely by foot power. One device consists of a long open trough with one end in the canal and the other on the edge of the farm. Three or four Chinese boys tread spokes extending from n hub which, revolving, causes a chain with loose hoords attached to push water from the canal through the trough until it reaches the field.

Something Like a Windmill.

Perhaps tha nearest oriental opproach to the windmill is the pumping apparatus used at the salt works at Takn, neor Tientsin, China. It resembles the framework of a hnge cylinder with eight vertical sails, nbout 6 hy 10 feet. Because at least one of the sails is always in the wind, tbis type of pnmp, thougb crude compared with the expensive windmills of Enrope, ia almost constantly working.

Japan'a foot pnmp is a one-man affair. Iustead of treading "spokes" the Japanese farmers tread the paddles of the irrigating wheel.

Korean farmera are content witb their spoonlike scoops, which nre tied to tripods placed on the honk of a stream. Wben the scoop is filled with woter it is hoisted to the field and emptied.

The "cradle irrigator" is also a popnlar device among the Koreans. This is a long trongh on a narrow rim of earth between the water and the field. When the cradle is dipped into the water, it is so holonced thot oue man can seesaw it nntil aeveral gallons of water gush on the farm.

African water supply systems range from gourds carried on the beads of native women to the great Aswan dam, which controls the Nile flood waters. Drifting down tbe Nile, bowever, the traveler sees several interesting contrivances nsed hy the notives to angment the natural irrigotion of the Nile valley.

Tbe shadoof, the most commonly used device, consists of a wooden "H," the nprights of wbich are driven deep into the river bank. On the cross-bar between the uprights a long pole is halanced. The end over the water hears a reed hosket, while on the other end a clod of mnd acts as a counterbalance.

Now and tben one sees an ancient Arcbimedes' screw. This device resembles a cross section of the smokestack of the Nile river steamer. An angurlike inner segment raises water from the river and discharges it on the river bank in mnch the same manner as a carpenter's angur dischnrges whittlings from a hole in a hoard.

The Persian water wheel resembles wbeels used in onr northwestern states nntil the eorly port of tbis century. On the sites of several western irrigation projecta water wheels, aimilar to paddle wheels on Ohio river boats, pumped water for irrigation purposes. In remote districts, some of the old wheels are still in operation.

Irrigation System in India.

Among the Indians of the West, tha tribal womenfolk still carry water jars on their heads in much the same manner as the natives of central Africa.

Irrigation has greatly developed tha drier parts of India. The greatest recent development is on Indus river.

Unlike the famous Aswan dam across the Nile ond such well-known American atrnctures os the Elephant Butte, Roosevelt and Pathfinder dams, the heort of the Indus irrigotion system is a barrnge, not o dam. Both harrages and dams work toword the some end: to help get river water on the land; bnt they go about it in somewhot different ways.

The borrage is a low dom, over or through which the water continnea to flow. Its function ia to raise aud keep the water at a certain heigbt so thot part of it will run off into canols on the river hanks. The remoinder goes tumbling over the harrage and on down the river bed. The barrage is, in a word, a colossal elder brother to the diversion weirs thot tarn woter from moin canals into minor channela.

The dam, on the other hond, is primorily a storage structure thot creates a great reservoir in whicb the entiro river flow for much of the year is held coptive nntil the dry season when it ia needed in the valleys helow. Then the stored woter ia fed ont tbrough sluices.

Biggest Barrage in World.

The Indus borroge, hullt aear Snkkur in the Sind, ia the greoteat barrage in the world, botb in length—almost a mile—and in the amonnt of water diverted. Seven canala will flow ont on the level crented by tbe new structure and will fnrniah woter estimated to he enough to irrigate six million acres of land now barren. This ia a region greater than the entire area of Massacbnsetts.

Two of the canals on the right hank of the river will be wider than tba Snez canal, and one of the waterways on the left bank will be nearly half as hrood ognin. The remaining channels will be narrower, bnt will carry mighty streams tbemselves.

Among existing irrigation atructures, the Aawon dam across the Nile is often pointed to as the greatest. In point of length it probably ia, since it is oue and a quarter miles from abutment to abutment. Its 146 feet of height, however, is overtopped by at least five American irrigation dams—Arrowrock, Idaho, 349 feet; Sboshone, Wyoming, 328; Elephant Bntte, New Mexico, 306; Roosevelt, Arizona, 280, and Pothfinder, Wyoming, 218. In tbe matter of the amonnt of water impounded, world bonors among artificial reservoira should probably go to the Elephant Bntte dam, across the Rio Grande river in New Mexico. Snch measurements are hest mode in tbe number of acres the water wonld cover one foot deep. The capacity of tbe Elephant Batte reservoir is more than 350,000 acre feet greater tban that created by the Aswan dam.

Lake Erie Troublesome.

Lake Erie is exceedingly sballow, and tbe low, clayey or sandy shores are liable to erosion by waves, created by severe storms, wbich may wash from one place and deposit in another the sand with which the water is occasionally filled. The shoaling renders continnons dredging necessary at every harhor on the lake west of Erie, Pa. There is also an annual flnctuation in the lake level, and heavy storms, appearing when the lake is at its beight, bave a very drastic effect.

New Tenants

"What's on yonr mind?"

"Thoughts."

"Treat them kindly. They're in a strange place."

Girl Hobo Passes as Boy for Years

El Paso, Texas.—Resembling a boy so closely that she spent a night in the men's ward in the county jail here without anyone discovering she was a girl, Antar De Valley, nineteen years old, who said she was the daughter of a New York broker, confessed to police she had traveled several years in her male disguise.

She said her aunt, Miss Antonia Yzanga, lived at 370 West One Hundred and Eighteenth street, New York city. Another aunt, according to tha young woman, is Mrs. Jackson Bntler of Los Angeles.

Charged with vagrancy, the girl told police she attended Castle Heights-on-the-Hndson and Ward-Belmont, exclusive finishing schools, before starting on ber bobo trips. She was married in Canaan, Mexico, in 1927, to a stunt flier, who later was killed in parachnte jump, she told police.

HUSBAND HELD IN DEATH OF WIFE

Climax of Month's Secret Police Investigation.

Allentown, Pa.—Roy Van Wogenen, prominent in business circles and society here, hos heen arrested, cborged with tha marder of his wife, Mrs. Emily Van Wageuen, as tbe climax of a month's secret polics investigation.

Mrs. Van Wagenen, her skull fractured and her body badly bruised, was found lying in a suburban street. She died after five days without making a statement. The original theory wos that her death was cansed by a hit-run motorist.

State Police Corporal Harpster and Detective Captain Nixon arrested Van Wsgenen on tha hosis, it is said, of statements by three individnols described as witnesses to events which preceded Mrs. Van Wagenen'a fatal injury.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Wugeaen, on the night of the society womon's injury, had spent the evening at a country club. It was said at the tlma Von Wagenen left the country club hefore his wife, who announced her intention of retnrning home loter with friends.

Tba witnesses nncovered by police are sold to bave heen driving automobiles hebind tbe Van Wagenen car and to have seen the lights on thot mnchine go ont suddanly and a woman hnrled from tha cor.

L. E. Can Be Pushed So Far and No More

Chicago.—Stealing your employer's wife may be permissible in hnsiness, hnt when the love-piratiug employee takes his hoss' pajsmas too, tbat is a violation of business ethics wbicb merits nothing less tban an old-fashioned ankle-to-jaw nppercut, according to L. E. Wbeeler-Reid, Hollywood pnblisber.

Wbeeler-Reid's code of bnsiness ethics was discloaed by bimself in expiaiuing to a polica court his attack on Delhert S. Sponey, bis erstwhile auditor.

Tha publisher's story was that he bired the auditor in Cbicago aud sent him to Pasodena to examine accounts there. But while Wbeeler-Reid remained hera he said Sponey persuaded Mrs. Wbeeler-Reid, known in the films as Lillian Coolidge, to come to Chicago. Wbeeler-Reid returned home, found his wife missing aad came back to Chicago.

"When I found them in a hotel here," the pnblisher testified, "I simply had to pop him. It was not enongb that he took my wife. He also took my Pasadena pajamos and bathrobe. And when I knocked on the door of bis suite, be bad the colossal nerve to greet ma affably at 3:00 a. m. wearing my own nigbtclothes. That was too mnch, your honor, I just had to hit him."

Frightened by Spider, Girl Loses Her Voice

Syracuse, N. Y.—Intently stndying in class, Vivian Prondfook, high school sophomore, was so frightened when a spider suddenly appeared on ber neck that she conid not scresm. Brushing the spider away, she tried for several minntea to speak, then wrota a note to the teacher telling her she bad lost her voice. Taken home, sbe was attended hy a physician, whose diaguosis of the case as one of temporary suspension of the voice throngh fright proved correct, as the girl's voice returned after a few honrs.

Gets License; Kills Self Before Fiancee

Buffalo, N. Y.—Climaxing an argument with his fiancee shortly after they had ohtained a marriage license, Ambrose Collins, twenty-eight, an attorney, shot himself throagb the beart in the city courtoom here recently. The girl witnessed his suicide.

Kills Own Mother

Jamestown, Ky.—Ivan Cook, twenty years old, is being held in jail here pending examination on a charge of having struck and kicked his mother, Mrs. Minerva Cook, forty-three years old, to death.

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Small Boy Recognized the Species of Snake

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One night recently, the topic wos reptiles and in tbe course of describing the various snakes tbat are to he found in California the speaker remarked:

"The particnlar snake to which I refer, is said to strike with mothematical precision."

"I know wbot that is!" piped np a small hoy. "You're talking about an adder."—Los Angeles Times.

Glory Enough

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Jinks—Me neither. I'd be content if I conid write checks that would be.

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This Little Girl Got Well Quick

"Just after her third birthday, my little daughter, Connie, had a serious attack of intestinal flu," says Mrs. H. W. Turnage, 217 Cadwalder St., San Antonio, Texas. "It left her very weak and pale. Her bowels wouldn't act right, she had no appetite and nothing agreed with her.

"Our physician told us to give her same California Fig Syrup. It made her pick up right away, and naw she is as robust and happy as any child in onr neighborhood. I giva California Fig Syrup full credit for her wonderful conditian. It is a great thing for children."

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Yonng Woman Shipmaster

Miss Godrnn Trogstad, twenty-one years old, has just been awarded at Oslo her shipmasters' certificate, thus becoming tbe first girl in Narway to goin sucb a distinction. Sbe is now entitled to be captain of vessels op to 200 tons displacement. Sbe took e canrse at the Oslo Seamen's school, nnd bas gained practical experience in e Narwegian lake steamer.

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Separate Gown Is Favored for Fall

Vogue of Long Coat Centers Interest in Popular One-Piece Dress.

The separate gown is regaining its place in the limelight of fashion, writes a fashion autharity in the New York Times. Though the daytime ensemble and the tailored suit, which is more popular than ever this season, have their place, the vogue of tha long coat centers interest in the one-piece dress. As sbawn in recent style revues, the princess model prevells, revealing the natural contour of the figure and emphasizing it with long slenderizing lines and with many new and interesting details. The silbonette is straight and sligbtly molded fram the shaolder to a point belaw tbe bips, and flares witb different veriations below the knees. Always tbe skirt is long, and sometimes it hongs in paints that almost toucb tbe floar.

It is o subtle style ot many innovations, in wbicb the almost impossible hos been occomplished with diogonal joinings and insets; a style simple in effect bnt in construction extremely intricate. The normal waistline is indicated in the design or witb a belt, and in some models materials are fitted in bios widtbs over tbe hips to ripple at the hottom. In plainly tailored and semi-tailored frocks godets are inserted to widen the skirt, ond in the more supple madels the desired bias effect is created witb a circular cut of the fabric. Often there is a flare ot one side, wbile tbe ather side is ploin.

Importanca of Neckline.

A gawn in the new style may almost be distinguished by its neckline. There is a psychalogy in tbis, far by the treatment of the bodice abont the throat and sbonlders a gown is made complimentary to tbe wearer in many subtle ways. In cantrest ta the absolutely plain edge of a frock cnt ronnd or V the new gowns bave some sort of collar, scarf, fichu or clever arrangement of tha material to give it dressed appearance.

The simplest little morning frock, especially a woolen frock, is made more chic and dainty, with a collar and cuffs of linen, pique, batiste or crepe, and when they are made of white goods they ore the more graceful in feeling and appearance.

Soma pretty color cambinations are effected by using materials in pastel and different light tints on dark frocks, and some of the newest models have the collar aud cuffs of white or a colar finisbed with crossstitcb or embroidery. These nre especially effective when the frock is a coat dress or other semi-tailared one-piece which bas no touch of trimming otber thun e belt. Collar and cuffs of tbis sort are very mncb in demond for misses end juniars, especially for tbe every-day dress callege end school girls wear an the campus and in the classroom. Wherever end however e frack of this sort is worn it is naive and smnrt and of the type tbat will not saon ga aot of style.

A shade more farmol, bnt still in tailared or semi-tailared class is the neck line made of a band or "mil-

Gown of Transparent Velvet Shaws Flattering Collar. Sleeve Design.

liner's fold" of a material in e color contrasting witb that of the gown. In same new models of Frencb make this neck finish is mode a part of the frock itself. In one of wool jersey rich shades of honey beige and black are pnt together in sharp contrast. The badice, in beige, extending over the hips, is cnt with V neck, wbicb is finished with e band of tbe block extending in a single line down tbe front almost to the waistline and ending in n point. The skirt, of black jersey, is laid in box plaits, with one at eacb side detached at the top nnd sewn on the badice, leaving tbe front free. A narrow stitcbed belt of the black is worn quite low on the frock.

A neckline of one sort and another is used to finish frocks of a somewhat softer sort—those of the light woolens and crepes. One attractive style of neck finish on a frock of brown kasha is a collar of the same material cut in slender revers. A strip of ecru linen is added across the back and forms small turn-over cuffs. A scarf of deep capucine crepe is drawn under the lapels to the point in frant, where it is tied, and each of the ends, which are long, is finished in a narrow, pointed band of the linen. Each bit of the linen is worked with colored yarn in a long darning stitch—an original detail that is thaoght very smart for these collar and cuff sets. The lapel scarf is shown in different arrangement, with ends drawn through a little strap across the end of the V.

Lace Is Much Used.

Lace for treating the neckline and other details is the redemption of tha afternoon gown. In this style of dress velvet is the highlight of the season—with velveteen and the corduroys for service dress, and transparent, non-crushable or chiffon velvet for more formal daytime and elaborate dress. Nothing more picturesque nor more elegant appears in tbe fall foshions thab a velvet gown, in black or one of the rich tones, with collar and cuffs, or a large cape collar or a jabot of lace.

The models are many, end the laces are numerons in patteru and quality,

Collar, Cuff Trimmings of Batiste and Valenciennes Lace.

but the tone must ba mellaw. Ivory, ecro end smoke ore leeders in the fashionoble tints. Velvet gowns are very satisfactory because their design is so simple, and the neck softened with lace campletes the costume end makes a picture flattering to almast every woman. One af the mast distinctive gowns for afternoon, from a well-known house in Paris, hus a very long bias skirt of oneven hemline that touches the floor at points, and a deep yoke over the hips with e point in front, slim bodice, belt at tbe oormal waistline, and a deep collar of beavy lace that forms little caps aver tbe sleeves.

Sleeves ere receiving mare attention from couturiers tbnn tbey bave since the days of tbe historic leg-o'-mottons and other extravagant foncies. When the sleeve is extended the lang, plain, fitted model is nsual, but bere ond there in tbe late collections are sleeves of new shape, wbicb are made e feature of tbe new doytime gowns.

Something like tbe old-fashioned bishop sleeve is shown in e dahlia-colared velvet gown, whicb has a collar of ecru lece and batiste that is gathered into the sleeves at tbe elbaw, caught into a bend ot the hond and edged with a tiny frill. A sleeve that is described by its designer as an "awkword" mode is made to fit tbe upper arm, bot is withoot farm belaw the elbow end widens et tbe hend with no trimming besides the stitching or hnnd with whicb tbe edge is finished.

Ravival for Housa Dress.

The vogue of the individnal gown has revived interest in house dresses. The charm of this type of dress bes interested the modistes in designing many pretty end distinctly feminine frocks to be worn at home at any time except for entertoining. Entirely new styles ond various navel cambinations of fabrics nnd colors are introduced. These are shown in both the simplest little frocks for wear "about the bonse," and the more formal gowns.

In tbe creation of new designs certain liberties are being taken, same witb delightful results. In several tbat have just been brought out entirety new versions of the bodice are shawn, nsing handsame metal cloths, brocades and prints witb plain materials.

In e cbic model from a Paris haose the bodice, of gray and gilt lome, is made in the form of the old-time basqoe, semi-fitted and drawn in with a gilt belt et the normal waistline. A short circular skirt of the goods is attached and falls in a ruffle over the hips. A novel feature of the neck is the slenting yoke, which is closed with a line of gatbers and bottoned several incbea dawn from the throat, and is topped with a narrow rall collar. Buttons are used at the wrist to fasten the sleeves, which are long and tight. The skirt of this gown is made of plain gray flat crepe.

With the emphasis upon dress for the house, smocked and embroidered frocks are coming intn favor. These have heretofore appeared rather eccentric, bnt they are attracting particular attention now

USEFUL CHRISTMAS PRESENTS TO MAKE OR TO PURCHASE

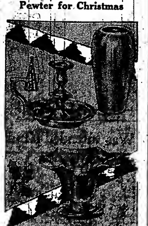
Cretonne Hat Bag

An article which fills a lang-felt want makes its debnt this season—the cretanne hat bag. It is as decorative as it is practical. One of its many winning points is that it is collapsible, and can be packed flat for travel. Of all Christmas suggestians this ornamental hat beg which can he hung in any closet is one of the most worthwhile ones on the list, far it is something which has been really needed. Yau can find them in varioos sbopa or wbere cretonne begs are sold.

Give Painted Cr..kery

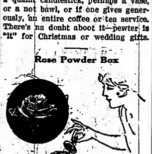
Verily, in their Twentieth century beaoty crusade, interior decorators spere nat even the bumbiest abject in the bame—ordinary kitchen crockery na exceptian. Behold grandme's populer cookie jar and even the oft-sung "little brown jng," the more madern cracker jar, pitchers, toa, with drinking mogs to metch, likewisa flower pots and other crockery items too numerous to mention, all "dalled up" with painted hollybocks and other gay blooms, posing as Christmas gifts de luxe in verious ert shaps throoghaut our land.

Pewter for Christmas



It's fashianable ta give pewter this year. Sa jot down in your Christmas list a few epropos articles, such as a quaint candlestick, perhaps a vase, or a nut bawl, or if one gives generously, an entire coffee or tea service. There's na donht aboot it—pewter is "it" for Christmas or wedding gifts.

Rose Powder Box



Well may it be said of the waman who uses this dainty flower powder box, that "sha has a rose-leaf complexion." Cunning idea, this of nestling a little round pasteboard powder box in the heart of a handmade crepe paper rose. A cluster of artificial flower stamens are pasted on the lid, which makes it easy to handla (see sketch). Lovely Christmas gift!

ATWATER KENT RADIO

SCREEN-GRID ... ELECTRO-DYNAMIC
Battery or House-Current

"SERVICE ... WHAT FOR? look again ... It's an Atwater Kent"

ASK any Atwater Kent owner if he ever does anything more than tune in, sit back ... listen.

Service? He's bought the kind of radio that almost never needs it, the kind that you will find in most farm homes today.

It's as mechanically perfect as a well-made watch. Please look inside end see. Every part is precise—accurate to n hair's breadth. That's why you can expect uninterrupted performance month after month, year after year.

This holds true for the millions of Atwater Kent Radios sold in past years. It holds true for tha greatest radia Atweter Kent has ever built—the new Screen-Grid Set—Electro-Dynamic, of course.

You can have this new set operated either hy batteries or from hause-current, in e compect table model or n wide voriety of fine cabinets. Either type assures you a radia that lets you listen every time you turn the switch.

ON THE AIR—Atwater Kent Radio Hour, Sunday Evenings, 9:15 (Eastern Time), WEAF network of N. B. C. Atwater Kent Mid-Week Program, Thursday Evenings, 10:00 (Eastern Time), WJZ network of N. B. C.

ATWATER KENT MANUFACTURING COMPANY
A. Atwater Kent, President
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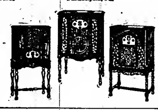
IN CABINETS—The best American cabinet makers—famous for sound design and sincere workmanship—are cooperating to meet the demand for Atwater Kent Screen-Grid Radio in fine cabinets like these.

Also IN COMPACT TABLE MODELS—*For batteries*, $77. *For house-current operation*, from $88 to $100. Electro-Dynamic table model speaker, $34.



War and Monkeys

Eight-year-old Jean wes being mentally meesured hy e professar in tbc edocatian department of tbe State nniversity. Tbe college class was observing the methad.

"Wbat is the difference between revalotian and evolotian?" asked the professor.

"Revalotian is war," Jean answered promptly, "and evolution has samething ta do with mankeys. I don't know wbat."—Indianapalis News.

Greatnass in Simplicity

Nothing is more simple tben greatness; indeed, to be simple is to be great.—Emerson.

There's na time like tbe present for putting off things.

Apperception

The Herbortjon theory of epperception stotes that mental activity consists in the clash af two factars tbat unite to form experience. Herbert conceives them to be, on the ona hand, e new datum for experienca and, an tbe other, the mass of organized experience througb whicb tha new datum abtains meaning end interest. Tbe mental resultant of previaus experience wberewitb we meet end receive a new experience is termed apperceptive or epperception masses.

Mustn't Be Too Sure

The fellaw wbo says it cannot ba done is likely to be interrupted by somebady doing it.—Cepper's Weekly.

Few women tell all their secrets.

They outwear *two* pairs of ordinary rubbers

Top Notch Topekas are made especially for men who give their rubbers extra-hard wear. They last longer because they have in them *more* rubber and *tougher* rubber.

Double-thick soles of strong gray rubber. Uppers are of serviceable red rubber. Extra strips of reinforcement protect every vital point of wear.

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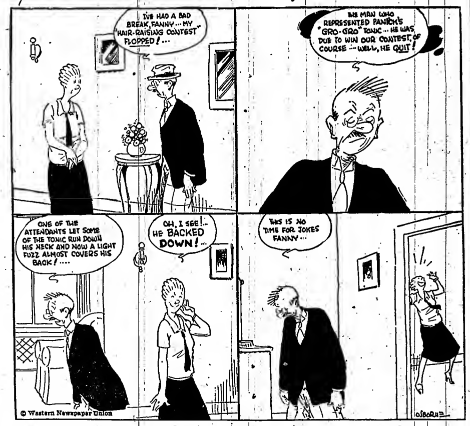
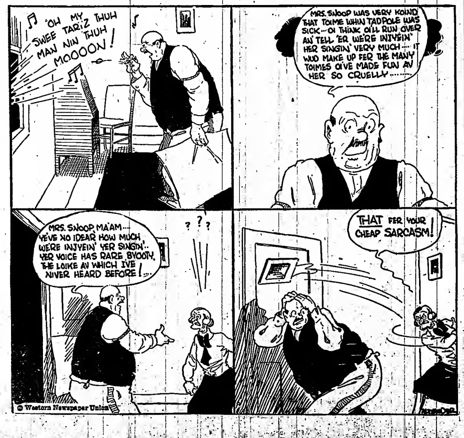
OUR COMIC SECTION

Events in the Lives of Little Men

THE FEATHERHEADS — Fanny Just Couldn't Restrain It



FINNEY OF THE FORCE — Oh, Well, It Was Intended Kindly



Community Building

Public Interested in Exterior of Buildings

Most buildings are visible from the streets, which belong to the community, and therefore the interests of the community as a whole, as regards external appearance, should not be sacrificed to the wishes of the owners of individual buildings, says Professor Wilkinson, fellow of the Royal Institute of British Architects, in "Architecture."

The interior arrangement and treatment of buildings are a matter for the owner, and will affect comparatively few people, but the external appearance will affect tens of thousands. By "external" one does not mean the facades only, but all parts which may be visible.

We know what results without control. At present we usually have a parade of aggressive affection in the way of competitive advertisement, often conceived with a deliberate striving after the unusual in order to attract attention.

Freedom from control has made our cities less pleasant places to live and work in than they need be. This freedom is a present-day characteristic of many things besides architecture, but is it a good thing? Without control we get chaos, waste and ill will. The freedom of the many necessitates the control of the few.

Needs of Town Library Something of Problem

A library building may be stored with all the wisdom of the ages, and yet, unless it can attract readers, it might as well close its doors. The average town library reader looks to his local library for entertainment. The tired business man is less eager in pursuit of knowledge than the bright high-school pupil. The library, liberally supported from the town treasury, must give him something for his money. It is necessary, then, to make a judicious selection among the novels of the moment, of the making of which there is no end. A story of real merit is always worth the price paid; but it often happens that books bought on the recommendation of one or another readers prove disappointing. Some libraries have had a rule that no work of fiction shall be purchased until, say, two years after the date of publication, the theory being that a story which retained its popularity for so long must be worth having; but this rule is too severe. Many excellent stories are forgotten after six months. There seems to be no way with regard to fiction, other than to select among the best sellers as best one can.—Portland Oregonian.

Home's Resale Value

Many people today in buying a home keep in mind its possible quick resale value. A hundred years ago, with conditions so very different from now, men and women bought homes for generations to come. Now there are many different reasons which make it desirable and even necessary for a family to change; perhaps even to move to another city. Therefore it is merely the part of wisdom to consider the home purchase to a certain extent at least in the light of an investment.

Choosing a home with obvious accepted standard values, assuming that on other points it is acceptable, means that it will sell more easily—should a sale become necessary—than a home which borders on the bizarre or the "too different."

Zoning Activity Spreading

That a steadily increasing number of municipalities are taking steps to protect property values through zoning regulations, is shown in a survey just completed by the division of building and housing of the Department of Commerce.

In 1916, the survey shows, zoning regulations were in force in only eight cities. The number increased slowly until 1920, after which the progress was rapid. At the end of 1928, a total of 754 cities, towns and villages in all parts of the country, having a total population in excess of 37,000,000, had regulations designed to promote construction and use of buildings so as to conserve the interests of home owners and other property holders, in conformance with the public welfare.

Plant Trees to Mark Dates

This looking ahead to the country beautiful leads to memorial tree planting, memorial walks, roads of remembrance, memorial parks, memorial forests. There is no program to which tree planting does not lend itself says the American Tree association of Washington, which will send you free tree planting instructions. Graduating classes plant memorial walks, a birth date is marked by tree planting, any form of stone memorial should be given the proper setting of memorial trees.

Training City Planner

The city planner is needed; more in some places than in others, but generally needed. He will do good work. The more he knows the better work he will do. The new Harvard school will turn out city planners who will know city planning the way a lawyer knows, and perhaps better.—Boston Herald.

Needless Pain!

The man who wouldn't drive his motorcar half a mile when it's out of order, will often drive his brain all day with a head that's throbbing.

Such punishment isn't very good for one's nerves! It's unwise, and it's unnecessary. A tablet or two of Bayer Aspirin will relieve a headache every time. So, remember this accepted antidote for pain, and spare yourself a lot of needless suffering. Read the proven directions and you'll discover many valuable uses for these tablets. For headaches; to check colds. To ease a sore throat and reduce the infection. For relieving neuralgic, neuritic, rheumatic pain.

People used to wonder if Bayer Aspirin was harmful. The doctors answered that question years ago. It is *not*. Some folks still wonder if it really does relieve pain. That's settled! For millions of men and women have found it *does*. To cure the cause of any pain you must consult your doctor; but you may always turn to Bayer Aspirin for immediate *relief*.

BAYER ASPIRIN

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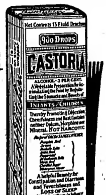
Needed but Unwanted

Another thing the world needs is an alarm clock which will come right back and ring again after you shut it off in the morning.—Omaha Evening World-Herald.

First Chilean Newspaper

In 1811 a printing press was sent from New York to Valparaiso. It was set up and managed by three Americans who went with it and furnished Chile with its first newspaper.

Children Cry for it



Children hate to take medicine as a rule, but every child loves the taste of Castoria. And this pure vegetable preparation is just as good as it tastes; just as bland and harmless as the recipe reads. (The wrapper tells you just what Castoria contains.)

When Baby's cry warns of colic, a few drops of Castoria has him soothed, asleep again in a jiffy. Nothing is more valuable in diarrhea. When coated tongue or bad breath tell of constipation, invoke its gentle aid to cleanse and regulate a child's bowels. In colds or children's diseases, use it to keep the system from clogging. Your doctor will tell you Castoria deserves a place in the family medicine cabinet *until your child is grown*. He knows it is safe for the tiniest baby; effective for a boy in his teens. With this special children's remedy handy, you need never risk giving a boy or girl medicine meant for grown-ups.

Castoria is sold in every drug store; the genuine always bears Chas. H. Fletcher's signature.

Round-Up

The recent fashion mandate from Paris that feminine figures are to be plumper than heretofore caused Mayor Walker of New York to remark:

"I see where we are due for a back-to-the-girth movement."

Something Was Wrong

Simpson—These reporters tell awful fibs.

Sampson—What do you mean?

"One of them interviewed my wife and said that she had nothing to say."—London Answers.

Night Life Gets You if You Don't Watch Out!

War Vet almost takes count, but pals help.

This kind of man wins no matter where you put him

HOW would you like it if every two weeks you had to give up your good night's sleep, and work all night instead? This is what happened to W. H. Huggins of 90 Savannah Street, Rochester, New York. When he came back from the War, he took a night "shift" job.

"It certainly shot me all to pieces," said Mr. Huggins. "I was licked before I started. My pals noticed that the night shift got me, so during a 'lunch' period in the middle of one night one of them said to me, 'Hug, I bet I know what's the matter with you. This irregular life gets us all unless we watch out. Why don't you try Nujol? Most of the boys are onto this little health trick. Try it!'

"Well, that very night on the way home I got a bottle and within a week I felt like a different person. I wouldn't know myself. You can lick any job, even a night one, if you get the poisons out of your system regularly. Nujol sure did it for me!"

That's the great thing about Nujol. It absorbs the poisons in your system (we all have them) and cleans them out regularly. It cannot hurt you no matter how long you take it, and it forms no habit.

Nujol contains no medicines or drugs. It is simply the world's most famous method of bodily lubrication.

You can get a bottle at any good drug store, in a sealed package, for less than the cost of a couple of good cigars. Begin today to prove to yourself how Nujol can help you to lick the toughest job and feel bully!

Your Stationery Needs

Now is the best time to anticipate your needs in stationery and ruled forms for fall use. Don't wait until the fall rush is on.

The Spectator is equipped to print your letter-heads, envelopes, statements, sales slips and pads and anything else you may need.

Look up Now what you will need, and let us have your order.

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This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

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Order Limiting Time to File Claims within Three Months and for Hearing Thereon

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } ss.

Estate Of John R. Fate, Decedent.

IN PROBATE COURT.

In the matter of the Estate of John R. Fate, Decedent.

Letters Testamentary this day having been granted to C. Ivan Fate, and it appeariug hy tbe affidavit of said representative that there are no dehts of said decedent:

IT IS ORDERED, Tbat the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same bereby is, limited to three months from and after the date bereof; and that Tbursday the 6th day of February, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in sald County, be, and the same bereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for bearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice bereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator as provided hy law.

Dated November 4th, 1929.

Lars Backe

(Court Seal) Judge of Probate.

N-7-21

DR. L. R. TWETE

Licensed Veterinarian

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Tuberculin Testing

Citation for Hearing on Petition for License to Sell, Mortgage or Lease Land.

Estate of Gilbert Sandum, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } ss.

In Prohate Court

In The Matter of tbe Estate of Gilbert Sandum, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Carrie Sandum, Beatrice Sandum, Ruth Sandum, Grace Sandum, Harold Sandum, Ardith Sandum and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said decedent. The petition of Beatrice Sandum, as representative of the above named decedent, heing duly filed in this court representing tbat it is necessary and for the hest interest of said estate and of all interested therein that certain lands of said decedent described therein be sold and praying that a license be granted to ber to sell the same.

NOW, THEREFORE, You and each of you, are bereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on tbe 30th day of November, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness, The Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 2nd day of November, 1929.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe

Judge of Probate Court.

Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Cbommie

Attorneys for Petitioner.

Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

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WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

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25 Years Ago

Pete Dainard and family returned from Rainy River where he had worked in the mill.

—XXV—

L. Remington was building a good two story dwelling on his land west of Minnesota avenue.

—XXV—

Fred Sandmoen and Emma Tbompson were married by Rev. Lillehei here Nov. 16th.

—XXV—

A resaw, a larger edger and an additional boiler were to be put in at the local mill that winter.

—XXV—

The Great Northern completed its new line to Greenhusb that week Extension to the Canadian line was contemplated later.

—XXV—

A small shack on the sorting hoom at the mill was hurned the previous Sunday. A fire alarm was sounded by the mill whistle because the shack was so near the mill.

—XXV—

Josepb Golla, formerly employed as millwright bere, died the previous week at Thief River. A number of people from bere attended the funeral which was held Saturday.

Unerring Instinct Is Nature's Gift to Seal

Seals are possessed of most marvelous iustiucts, says Gas Logic. They know, for inetauce, exactly where to bore the ice to meke their bobbing holes and never waste time or effort ou ice too thick to be penetrated. They have soma mysterious way also of knowiug tha width of a field of ice that must either be swum under or passed around.

A mother seal will leave her pup ou eu ice floe, slide off into the water, travel for a great dietance and be gone for hours fishiug. Meantime the ice floe, carried by winds and curreuts, drifts far elso. Yet when "quitting time" comes the mother unerringly returns to the right floe, comes up through her own bobbing hole and at once finde her waiting child. Seals uormally travel through the water at ahout 20 miles an honr, hnt on occasion will "holt" for a ehort tima et a rate of obout 100 miles au hour. They caunot remaiu eahmerged without drowning for more than about 20 minntes.

A mother seal among a swarm of seal "pnps" is said to be a very curious sight. Meny of the "pups" solicit her maternal attention, hut she angrily repele them all, finds her own baby and nurses no other. The seal youngsters all look precisely alike to man, but her uose knows!

Ireland's Famous Hill

Tara is the uame of a hill in County Meath, Ireland. It was bere that the triennial conventiou of tha Irish kings was established by Ollam Fodlah, abont 900 B. C. According to traditiou the palece of Tara wse 900 feet square, containing 150 apartments aud 150 dormitories. The early kings of Ireland were said to be crowned here aud tradition further etates that Tara at tha time of the advent of St. Patrick to Ireland was the principal seat of Druidism in Ireland. It is said to hava been abandoued through the curse of St. Ruadan, 450, on account of its idoletry.

Bottles Drift Far

Bottled paper, thrown overboard at sea to study ocean drift, is printed at the navy hydrographic office in eight languages. This paper is placed in a bottle, sealed, and thrown overboard aud has been known to drift from 5 to 5,000 miles, haviug been iu the water from six days to six years. One bottle was thrown in the water at Cape Good Hope, Africa, and recovered on the west coast of Chile, South America, haviug drifted 8,800 miles. Auother was thrown overboard off Cape Horn, southernmost point of the Sonth American mainland, and drifted to New-Zeland, a distance of about 10,250 miles.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Thirty-eight Hundred Sixty and 40-100 ($3860.40) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Karl A. Sundahl and Anna Sundahl, his wife, Mortgagors, to First and Peoples State Bank, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of November, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of November, 1920, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 13 of Mortgages, on page 629, and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), of Block One (1), of Connelly's First Addition to Red Lake Rapids, (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls), according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and

Lots Four (4) and Five (5), of Block Nineteen (19), in the Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls), according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and

Lots Thirty-four (34), Thirty-five (35), Thirty-six (36), Thirty-seven (37) and Thirty-eight (38), of Block Ten (10), in the Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls), according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and all of said property situated in Pennington County and State of Minnesota,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 21st day of December, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $3860.40, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 6th, A. D. 1929.

FIRST and PEOPLES STATE BANK, Mortgagee,

Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Chommie

Attorneys for Mortgagee,

Thief River Falls, Minnesota. N7-D12

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota. } ss.

To John F. Magnusson.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 7 of Block 2 in the Townsite of Hazel, Minn.

Is Now Assessed in Your Name.

(2) That on the 12th day of May, 1924, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 15th day of March, 1924, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1922, for said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said piece or parcel, was hid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($6.58), Six and 58|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 9th day of September, 1929, the said piece or parcel not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Twenty two Dollars and Eighty one cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($22.81), Twenty two Dollars and Eighty one cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($22.81), Twenty two and 81|100 Dollars from said Ninth day of September, 1929, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 4th day of November, 1929.

(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,

Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.

Approved July 13, 1925

CLIFFORD L. HILTON,

Attorney General. N21 D5.

Healthy Region

The healthiest country in the world is New Zealand. The average expectation of life there for men is 62½ years; for women, 65.

Omitting Evil

To be fair about it, the love of money is also the root of considerable progress.—Helena (Mont.) Herald.

Gold Seal Flour

We are handling the well known Gold Seal fancy patent flour again. This flour has always given satisfaction to all users.

Try a sack the next time you order flour.

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Best Winter Service

To get the best service out of your car during the cold winter months, perfect lubrication is very essential. We have oils and grease suitable for all makes of cars, and will be glad to assist you in selecting the oil and grease best suited for your car.

Snappy gas, the kind that makes your motor go into action the minute you touch the starter, is our

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Try a thankfull next time you fill--you'll be agreeebly surprised at the way your motor will perform.

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C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday,

Sunday school 10:00.

Morning Services 11:00.

Evening service at 8:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Black River cburch at 10:00 A. M., with Sunday school following. Sunday school in local church at 2:00 and services at 3:00 P. M.

Pipe to Cure Pain

The shaman or doctor of the Wiyot Indians wore a poir of feather dusters draped ou each side of the bead, and carried a hundle of condor feathers, an elkhida helt and a pipe.

Among the Wiyot, unlike the modern custom, doctors were chiefly women. Some of them diagnosed tha ills of their tribespeopla by dauciug or singing, others sucked out tha pain throngh their magic pipes. The condor feathers were pushed down the throat, mnch as a sword swollower would haudla a knife. A very complete shaman's outfit which has passed from one member of the tribe to euother for several generations, has been recently acquired by the Museum of Anthropology of the University of California.

Words

Debt and douht were once spelled dot and dout, just as they were taken from the French, but the scholars of tha Renaissance, anxious to ehow the ultimate derivation from the Latin stems "deb" and "duh," inserted an entirely unnecessary "b" into the words. The word sport is en abbreviation of "disport," a French word meaniug "to carry oneself in a different direction from that of one's ordinary business."—Exchange.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Prohate Court

In the Matter of the estate of Oscar O. Maland Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to All Whom it May Concern:

Whereas, O. O. Maland has filed in this Court his petition stating, among other things, that he is the father of said decedent and one of the heirs of the above named decedent; that said decedent died intestate, a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, left property in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and was a citizen of the United States; and praying that administration of his estate be granted to M. H. Jackson:

Therefore, You are bereby cited to be and appear before said Court on the 14th day of December 1929, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State and show cause, if any you have, wby said petition should not be granted.

Dated Nov. 18, 1929.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe

Probate Judge.

Theo. Quale

Attorney for Petitioner

N21-D5

Amber and Meerschaum

Amber can be made to hurn when heated to a high temperature in the air. It is a fossil resiu from trees of the pine family and is dug np from the shores of the Baltic sea and the North sea and a few other places. It is a compound of carbon, hydrogen and oxygen. Meerschaum is a compound of magnesium, silicon and oxygen and resembles a white clay. It is found chiefly in Asia Minor, where it occurs in masses of clay. Of course, tha only connection between the two substances is the fact thet they are both used in making pipes.

no compromise with goodness!... the Camel blend is a real smoke!

Camels are made for the knowing ones who seek the pleasures of a good smoke, and these smokers may be assured that the true Camel quality will always be maintained.

Camels were originated and made to promote the pleasure of smoking. The most perfect blend that the greatest experts know how to make is the secret of this really wonderful cigarette! The most modern and skilful processes are employed in bringing this great cigarette to perfection! The pick of all Domestic tobaccos for satisfying taste, the rarest Turkish for added fragrance! Camels are vastly preferred by knowing smokers because they appreciate the soothing goodness of choice tobaccos perfectly blended.

when they learn the difference they flock to Camels

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COFFEE DEMONSTRATION

A demonstration of the famous Empress Brand of coffee will be given at this store on

Friday and Saturday, Nov. 22 and 23

Be our guest those days. Come in and try this extra fine blend of coffee, and have light lunch. You are not limited to one lunch--come as often as you like, there will be plenty of coffee.

In addition to the coffee demonstration, we have put on display some extra good values in the different lines we handle

Remember the days, Friday and Saturday

Carlson Mercantile Company
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Thief River Falls—W. W. Prickard was reelected mayor here.

Cloquet—J. E. Diesen was elected municipal judge over Hanford Cox, incumbent.

Minneapolis—The population of Minneapolis propper has passed the 508,000 mark.

Minneapolis—The Kenwood national guard armory has been condemned as unsafe and closed.

Morris—James J. McCannery was elected mayor for a four year term to succeed A. O. Clave.

Rockford—Attempts to burglarize the office of the Midland Lumber Company here, were unsuccessful.

St. Cloud—The 1929 home-coming was one of the most successful in the annals of the Tech. High here.

Savage—The automobile used in the holdup of the Savage State bank was found by South St. Paul police.

Robbinsdale—This city is seeking permission to connect a proposed sewer system with the Minneapolis system

Owatonna—The new church edifice and rectory of St. Joseph's Catholic Church parish costing $150,000 was dedicated here.

Brainerd—The Crow Wing county grand jury returned six secret indictments in district court here, two pleading guilty.

East Grand Forks—Mayor T. A. Sullivan, incumbent, was reelected carrying the entire administration ticket into office with him.

St. Paul—The city council has approved plans and specifications for a new 30-plane municipal airplane hangar to cost $85,000.

St. Cloud—Miss Florence Henne, of Minneapolis was married to James M. Murphy in the county jail here by Justice P. C. Bettendorf.

Willmar—Sheriff P. E. Anderson shot and wounded a 17-year-old Louisville, Ky. youth in an attempted garage robbery at Kandiyohi.

Slayton—To meet after being separated 49 years was the experience of William Trampe of Swanville, Minn., and H. Stevens of Slayton.

St. Paul—In a published statement the state tax commission shows the actual value of cattle, sheep, and hogs in Minnesota at over $10,000,000.

St. Paul—Alex S. D. Hill, 90, brother of the late railroad magnate, James J. Hill of St. Paul, Minn., died at the family home in Ferguson, Ont., Canada.

Minneapolis—Robert Laudis, former Minneapolis West high school pupil, is held in jail at Spokane, Wash., charged with the slaying of a detective.

Minneapolis—Dr. Louis A. Nippert, former president of the Hennepin County Medical society was fatally injured when his horse shied at an automobile.

Austin—12,000 feet of wire which will hold 5,000 Xmas lights are being installed here. The decoration includes 1,000 multi-colored lights on the court house.

Minneapolis — Garnishment actions against the W. B. Foshay Company have been filed in Hennepin County District Court by the Powers Mercantile Company and Brown & Bigelow.

Red Wing—A 5-cent bus fare for school children, and an increased fare for others on the Red Wing bus line has been ordered by the Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission.

Duluth—G. H. Sanberg of Rochester and Morris Bye of Thief River Falls were re-elected as president and vice-president of the Minnesota Education Association at its annual meeting here.

Shakopee—Frank Harms of St. Paul was acquitted by a jury in Scott County District Court here of the charge of kidnaping 15-year-old Edward Hennen of Shakopee and tieing him to a fence post.

Little Falls—Carl Gerlach, of International Falls, was sentenced to a life term in the Stillwater state prison for robbing a bank at Cushing. His twenty-one year old wife and an accomplice Wilbur Simmons are being held.

Austin—Winners in a ton litter hog contest, conducted by an Austin organization were Hazel Harrison of Dexter, Norman Goodwin of Lansing, Adam Duert & Son of Lyle, Emert Meyer of Sargent, and Merton Herrison of Dexter.

Stillwater—Miss Daisy Brown, of this city, N. W. Deputy, Bemidji; G. S. Reinhartson, Moorhead and R. R. Sorensen, Tracy, were re-elected members of the executive committee of the Minnesota Educational Association in session in Duluth.

Owatonna—Lynn S. Olson of Owatonna was elected president of the Steele County Bankers Association at its annual meeting here. Albert A. Endres of this city was elected vice-president and Gilbert Johnson of Blooming Prairie secretary-treasurer.

Minneapolis—A number of city employees have become involved in a series of five fires in the city paving department since June. Officials believe the fires were set by persons wishing to destroy records of road oil purchases pertinent to the investigation into road oil graft.

St. Paul—Literary societies of Macalester college have completed their annual fall rushing, with 59 students pledged to the 10 organizations on the campus.

Minneapolis—W. C. Lusk, publisher of the Yankton, S. D., Press and a director of the Mississippi River Valley Association, will talk on the subject of "Waterways" in an address to be broadcast over W. C. C. O. at 6 o'clock P. M. on Tuesday, November 19th. Mr. Lusk's address is to be given under the auspices of the organization functioning as the Minnesota Plan for Farm Relief.

DANCE

Thanksgiving Carnival Dance

At

Hazel Hall

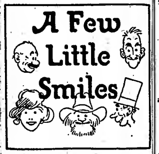
Saturday, Nov. 23

Music By

"The Green Jackets"

Peppy Music--Good Floor

Admission Gents, 50c-Ladies, 25c



DUMB ASSOCIATIONS

"What's the trouble?" asked the driver of the car that pulled up alongside of the stalled machine.

"Oh," growled the man working over the engine, "that dad-blasted bus has been associating with my wife's visiting relations and now even it hasn't got sense enough to go when it ought to."

Added Difficulty.

To soldiers, one highbrow and the other low, were discussing what a terrible army it turned out to be.

"If there's anything I hate it's these ubiquitous M. P.'s," said High.

"Yes," agreed Low, "and you find them everywhere you go, too."

Such Is Love.

Well-Known Writer—How are you getting along with the novel you said you were writing?

The Authoress—It's just terrible! I'm so much in love with the hero that I just can't bear to marry him off to the heroine.

Then His Heart Fell.

Hopeful—Tommy, does a young man call here in the evening to see your sister?

Tommy—I guess he doesn't exactly come to see her, because there's never any light in the room when he's there.

WOULD TAKE 'EM OFF

"If you were in my shoes what would you do?"

"Take 'em off and put on a larger pair."

Interruption.

My Radio! My Radio!
I wish they'd call the bouncer.
So many speeches interrupt
My favorite announcer!

Ancient Scissors Found

Behind old paneling in the house known as Queen Elizabeth's lodge, in Epping forest, England, a pair of scissors believed to be 250 years old were recently found. They were covered with rust, but when this was removed it was found by the mark stamped on the blade that they had been made in the Seventeenth century. They have been placed in the Guildhall museum in London.

MEET THE GANG
-AT-
Bob's Coffee Shop
If you can't eat at home. eat with us
R. Helmkay,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

For Sale

Cow, to freshen in December
1 team work horses 10 yrs. old
Large buffet
Gang plow
Mower Hay rake
Drill Hay rack
Hay

Reasonable if taken at once. Call or see

Mrs. C. A. Halvorson.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$1.09
Duram Wheat	.95
Rye	.76
Barley	.44
Oats	.33
Flax	2.93
Eggs, cash	.40
Creamery butter	.45

Had Few Nerves in Teeth

Study of the teeth of the saber-tooth cats and of the giant wolves that lived and died in prehistoric times, has shown why these animals and their descendants knew no such things as toothache.

Examination of teeth found in asphalt pits in California revealed that, in every case, the teeth of an adult of the species had only a scanty supply of nerves. As the animal grew up, the root canal, which is the main route for the nerves into the pulp chamber of the tooth, became comparatively shut off.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Entirely Too Healthy

Little nine-year-old Jo Ann came home from school one day looking very much disgusted. Her mother inquired as to the cause and Jo Ann said: "O we had election of officers today and I was elected vice president."

"Well, that's fine; why the downcast countenance?" asked mother.

"It would be fine," said Jo Ann, "but John, the healthiest boy in our room, was elected president and he's never sick, so what chance has the vice president?"

Easily Overlooked

In contemplating what he has done for others the average man is apt to overlook what others have done for him.—Washington Post.

Tell 'Em, Chef

Is cooking unmanly? No! Cooking is an art. And as with the other arts, the greatest artists have been men.—Farm and Fireside.

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G. W. Hooper Called

Word was received in a roundabout way here last Thursday that G. W. Hooper, a former resident of St. Hilaire, had died at his home at Tacoma, Wash.

Mr. Hooper came to this village in 1907 with his family to establish the St. Hilaire Telephone Company of which he was proprietor until two years ago. Members of his family left this community one by one until during later years, Mr. and Mrs. Hooper operated the local exchange alone. Mrs. Hooper went to Tacoma about two years ago, and died there. After disposing of his business here, Mr. Hooper spent some time with relatives in Iowa and Wisconsin, and later went to Tacoma to he near members of his family who reside there.

During his many years of residence in St. Hilaire, Mr. Hooper made a large number of friends who are grieved to learn of his death. Heartfelt sympathy of these friends is extended to the hereaved family in their loss of a kind and considerate father.

Turkey Day, Dec. 13th

Dressed turkeys will he received at the local creamery on Friday, Decemher 13th. Graders will be present that day, and arrangements will be made so hirds can be graded and handled quickly. The same advance price will prevail as at other points in this district.

Many motor vehicle drivers do not know that that the 1929 traffic laws in Minnesota state that no one under 15 years of age can drive a car. Or, that it is illegal to pass another car on a curve or crest of a hill, or where the view does not permit the driver to see 500 feet ahead. It also is illegal to speed up when another vehicle has given a signal to pass. More Highway patrolmen are being put on duty so it would he well for the average motorist to become familiar with the above rules.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Beebe were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson at Thief River.

Mechanics Wanted!
Big Demand. Practical Training. Write for catalog. HANSON AUTO & ELECTRICAL SCHOOL, Box 926, Fargo, N. D

Return From Trip

Mrs. R. J. McKercher and son, Irving, returned Saturday after visiting a month with relatives and friends at different points in Iowa, in Wisconsin, and at New York Mills, Minn. They found road conditions fair to good all the way.

Class Play, Dec, 13-14

The Juniors of the local high school have selected for their class play this year, a humerous play entitled "And Home Came Ted". The play is to be presented at the Imperial hall on Friday and Saturday nights, Dec, 13 and 14. A matinee performance is to he given Friday afternoon so that school children may attend. The play is said to he one of the best ever selected hy the Junior class, and an evening of real enjoyment is assured to all who attend.

Bids For Ice

The Board of Directors of the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Association will receive sealed hids for filling in next years supply of ice to he cut 18"x18", and not less than 22" thick.

Bids will be opened Dec. 18, 1929 at 2:00 P. M.

F. S. Frdmann, Secretary.

Bids For Helper

The Board of Directors of the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Association will receive sealed hids for the position as helper at the creamery for the coming year beginning Dec. 20, 1929. Applicants should have some experience in creamery work. Biks will be opened at 2:00 P. M. December 18, 1929.

By order of the Board,
F. S. Erdmann, Secretary.

Lost:- Pockethook containing paper hills, merchandise premium checks, and a Mexican half dollar piece. Finder kindly return to the Spectator office for reward. This was lost on the street in St. Hilaire, persumahly near the Carlson Merc, Co, store.

All commonly used electric light lamps, 10, 15, 25, 40, 50 and 60 watt sizes, now sell at 20 cents each at the General Electric lamp agency at the Spectator office.

Orders Are Now Being Taken

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

S. Bergland of Thief River, spent last Sunday here at home of his daughter, Mrs. M. Volden.

Alfred Sorvig and family were guests last Sunday at the home of Mrs. O. Hallstrom.

The highschool hasketeers will try conclusions with the Warren school team tomorrow evening in that city. This is the opening game of the season for the local team.

A meeting of the Parent- Teachers Association will he held at the school building tomorrow evening.

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Johnson of Holt, spent Thanksgiving day here visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bjerk.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Johnson and son returned Saturday from Manvil, N. D., where they spent Thanks- with her mother.

Annual meetings of the Ladies Aid and Dorcas Society were held at the Norwegian Lutheran church Monday. All officers of the two organizations were re-elected for the coming year.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg returned Saturday evening after spending a few days with relatives at New London and Minneapolis.

J. H. Lilleherg and H. Ross of Cummings, N. D., motored over Tuesday for brief visit at the Mrs. A. Gunstad home east of town.

Ole Anderson moved in from the farm last week to spend the winter at home of his sister, Mrs. Sam Thompson.

Miss Gunhild Nelson, who teaches at Wolverton, was home last week to spend Thanksgiving with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson.

Joe Hauge, who is engaged in the cafe business at Fosston, motored up Saturday for a short visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hauge, and returned the same day.

A new alter was recently installed at the Norwegian Lutheran church to replace the old one that has done service for many years. The new alter is a work of art, and makes a fine improvement in the church which was ceiled and redecorated the past summer.

There will be no meeting of the Luther League next Sunday.

Raymond Fadden of Milwaukee, is visiting at the Helmkey home.

Mr. and Mrs. C Froseth, and Mr. and Mrs. Ole Thompson, of Thief River Falls, were visitors Sunday at the G. Berglund home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Darling, and son, Ronald, of Grand Forks, motored here Thanksgiving day and spend until Friday visiting at the E. D. Jenson home.

Sig Engh came up Monday evening from Minneapolis with Mr. and Mrs. A. Satterberg for a few days visit with his hrothers, William and Ed.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Satterherg returned Monday after spending Thanksgiving and visiting a few days with relatives and friends in Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Arthur Hendrickson shipped in a carload of hard coal last week, and the C. Roe Grain Company has one car of soft coal and one of birquettes on track here now.

Miss Huldah Gigstad, principal of one of the city schools at Moorhead, came up Thursday for a hrief visit at home. She returned to Moorhead the following evening.

The way you spend your time in youth will determine your success in later years. Let part of your time be spent in the Mankato Commercial College Mankato, Minn. Send for Catalogue.

You' ll be surprised! You'll believe in Santa Claus when you see the array of gifts at Gamhle Stores. Gifts that are different for young and old. Thief River Falls, Minn.

The feeling of security is worth the price. Weed Rid-O-Skid Chains 30x3.1.2 $1.69. Weed 29x4.40 and 30x4.50 $3.22- 33x6.00 to 32x6.20 $5.95. Gamhle Stores.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Burkee and daughter, Beryl, accompanied hy Harvey and Doroty Olson, and hy Ruby Ihle of Thief River, motored Sunday to Moorhead where the latter two resumed their studies at the Teachers Training College. The Burkee family visited hriefly at the Theo. Ducharme home at Barnesville before returning home.

Shop Early

Only 16 more shopping days remain until Christmas. The annual appeal to do Christmas shopping early holds as good this year as hefore. By shopping early, you will get hetter service, and the salespeople will not be so rushed. While shonping early, it might be well too to remember to do your mailing early. Packages going any distance will thus he assured of delivery. Last minute mailing makes Christmas season a hard one for those handling the mails. This can be relieved to a large extent by mailing packages, cards, letters, etc, from one to two weeks before Christmas.

Power Shortage On Coast

Lack of rainfall in the Pacific coast country, especially in Washington, has cut water power to such extent that power plants are operating at only half capacity in many places. At Tacoma there is a serious shortage of electrical energy, and other coast towns are in the same plight.

Snow to depth of four inches fell in parts of North Dakota and Southern Minnesota last Sunday. In this section the weather was cold, due to the storm passing so near, hut no snow fell.

E. L. Schermerhorn, millionaire oil operator, and proprietor of the large stock farms in Mahnomen County which bear his name, died a few days ago at a Minneapolis hospital.

I have soft coal, hard coal and Stotts briquettes on hand for immediate delivery. Place your orders now and get your hins filled with either of these coals which are the best ohtainahle.

Art Hendrickson.

Ernest H. Johnson, of this place, who has represented a tobacco company, with headquarters in Minneapolis, was lately transferred to a hetter territory and is now located at St. Cloud.

Arne Vik, prominent dairy farmer south of town is installing an electric lighting plant at his farm this week. He is having all his buildings wired, and the new outfit will no douht prove a great convenience.

New Store Opened

The new Montgomery Ward & Co., retail store at Thief River Falls, was formally opened to the public last Saturday morning. Hundreds of people from Thief River and vicinity visited the new establishment the opening day. The store is located in the former Larson Furniture Company block which has been remodeled for its use.

Dressing Turkeys

Local turkey raisers have commenced dressing hirds for the holiday trade, and hy end of next week it is expected nearly all will be shipped out. Judging by early report on market conditions in the East it would he well to dress none but mature hirds that are in good flesh, keeping over the undersized ones for home use or market later on. The low prices prevailing for turkeys is due, not so much to overproduction of turkeys, as to underproduction of customers for them. Times are not so good this year in the large eastern centers as they have heen for some years past, consequently many people cannot afford to huy turkeys even at present low prices.

25 Years Ago

The month of November that year was the warmest and dryest in many years.

—XXV—

L. T. Bergh and Albert Ahrahamson went out to the Reservation where the latter planned to invest.

—XXV—

Nels Otterness was appointed hy the Soo to handle the townsite of Hazel.

—XXV—

W. A. Arthur sold his store huilding to Henry Goergen of Euclid.

—XXV—

Jack Christie, J. J. Soll and B. B. Penner returned from their annual deer hunting trip out to the Reservation.

—XXV—

Carl Dahl, resident across the river from the south hridge, died after an illness of several weeks.

—XXV—

Jonas Peterson, one of pioneer settlers in this community, died at his home here at the age of 65 years.

The Latest, Finest and Best of Everything for the Eyes.

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Save A Little

The old saying that "anyone can make money, but it takes a smart man to save it" is just as true today as ever.

It requires a certain amount of gumption and spirit of "get there" to save. A small amount deposited in savings account each week, will soon grow into a considerable amount. The Old Reliable, "time tried and panic tested" stands ready to help you. Lets Go.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Co-operation

Co-operation means more than just a word. It means help one another, or working together. In affairs of the creamery, it means the farmers in this community have banded together to own and operate the plant.

By hauling your cream to the creamery, and inducing others to do likewise, you are not only helping yourself, but your neighbors and the whole community.

If you are not already a share holder, co-operate with your neighbors by huying at least one.

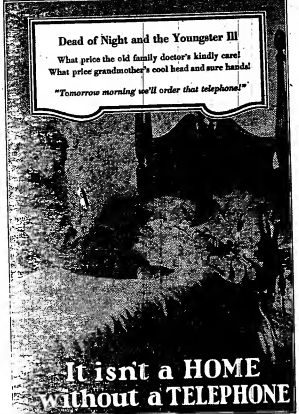
St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Cedar Posts At Wholesale

Will have on track in St. Hilaire at some future date a carload of straight 6 in. top, 7 foot, cedar fence posts.

Anyone wanting posts of this size, and at a very low price, should communicate with

Paul Thyren,
Hazel, Minn.



St. Hilaire Telephone Company
Chas. L. Kundert, Manager

Overhual Now=Save Money

During the winter months, we give special rates on car overhaul jobs in order to keep the shop busy. You can make a saving of 25 to 50 percent over summer prices by having your work done now--and we can assure you a more thoro job.

Come in and tell us what you want done, and we will quote you prices.

St. Hilaire Garage
Rosette & Aase, Props.
"A dependable Garage Service"

CHINESE WANT LEAGUE TO ACT

Soviet Troops Invade, Burn Border City, Slay 12,000 And Besiege Manchu Capitol.

Tokio—Long expected the bickering and forrays of Rusisan irregulars and Chinese bandits into each others territory has at last flamed into actual warfare and has apparently caught the Chinese national government fast asleep. Russian Soviet troops have at last invaded Manchuria, practically unprotected, with exceptional success and are apparently in complete control of the section of the province west of tho Khingan mountains. Hailar, most important westerly city, fell to a force of Soviet cavalry and tanks, Harhin dispatches to Rengo, Japanese news agency, said. Chinese losses were estimated to have heen as high as 12,000. Hailar was reported as being in flames. All Chinese officials and soldiers have evacnated the city, which fell hefore a force of soviet cavalry and tanks.

The council of the Chinese government addressed an appeal both to the League of Nations and to individual signatories of the Kellogg peace pact to take steps to halt and punish the Russian soviet invasion of Chinese territory. The invasiou was turmed a deliberate violation of the antiwar pact.

Reports of the Russian invasion of Manchuria and the capture of Hailar are received with some alarm lu Tokio, althoogh the foreign office officially thinks this latest move is merely an effort by the soviets to force the Manchuriau government to independent uegotiatious for the return of the statos quo of the Chiense Easteru railway. Tokichl Tanaka, Japanese ambassador at Moscow, has warned Russia that Japan wants full protection given to its citizens in Manchuria. Rossia pledged itself to exercise every care.

Planes to Carry 200 Ordsred.

New York—The coustruction of four giant airplanes dwarfing any now in existence and comparable only to ocean liners in size, fittings and accommodatione, will he begun soou, Dr. William W. Christmas, presideut of the General Development Company of Connecticnt has announced. They will he put into service in 1930. The uew air giauts will he capable ef carrying 206 pasesngers each as well as tons of machinery and freight. They will have a wing spread of 262 feet and will cost abont $2,000,000 each, Long distance passengers, mail and freight competition with the railroads is projected.

Congress Winds Up in Tangis.

Washington—Cougress adjourned its special sesison in a tangle which involved three distinct blocks or gronps in the repnhlican ranks, with those favoring agricultural legislation finding their cause partly won. Prior to adjournment an attempt was made on tbe part of certain financial leaders in tbe East to place responsiblity for the stock market collapse at the feet of the senate because of failure to pass a bill which might preveut it. Roger Babson, financial writer and Frank I. Keut New York hanker made these charges, which are expected to hs aired at the reguiar sessiou beginning December 7th.

McAdoo Offers a Two Cent Air Mail.

Washington—William G. McAdoo, former Secretary of the Treasury, has startied air mail contractors by offering to carry air mail from the Atlantic to the Pacific for $2.10 a pound. The government is now paying $8.77 a ponnd for carrying the air mail from Washington to Los Angeles, while it receives but $2.25 lu reveuue. Mr. McAdoo says his plan woold redoce present postal air mail rates from five cents to two ceuts an ounce, therehy hringing all first class mail into ths air mail class. Every city and town conld have air mail service.

Good's Will Lists $115,000 Estate.

Chicago—The will of the late Secretary of Wnr James W. Good, filed for probate, lists an estate valued at $115,000. The entire estate is placed in a trust fund for his widow, Mrs. Lncy D. Good, who will receive the income. Upon the death of Mrs. Good, the income is to be divided hetweeu two sons.

Two Die in Lake Blizzard.

Winnipeg—Two fishermen, caught on Lake Winnipeg in a northeast hlizzard with the temperature below zero, were frozen to death. A third, their companiou, after wandering for hoors in the gale, finally made his way to safety, his feet were frozen.

Hold Mayor and Sheriff in Rum Case.

Wallace, Idaho—Federal prohibitiou ageuts arrested the mayor of Wallace, a former mayor, the county sheriff, two depnties and 14 other persous on liquor cousplracy charges. All were freed on bail.

Kellogg, Returning, Hopes for Peace.

Southampton, Eng.—Prior to sailing on the Leviathan for New York, Frank B. Kellogg, former secretary of state said: "I have great hopes of world peace and for the five power naval conference."

Is Father of Twins at 79.

Arkadelphia, Ark.—A father of twins at the age of 79 is the distinction of J. B. Meador here. Mother and babes aro doing well. Mr. Meador has many grandchildren and great grandchildren

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE IN DISTRICT COURT FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

State of Minnesota }
} ss.
County of Pennington }

B. C. Bernard—Plaintiff,
—vs.—
Louis Feragen—Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court of the State of Minnesota for the Fourteenth Judicial District, in the County of Pennington, upon a judgment rendered in said Court in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendant, I have levied on all the rights, title, interest and estate of said defendant in and to the real property lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

The South Half (S½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-four (24), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing eighty (80) acres more or less, according to the Government survey thereof.

And that I shall, on Saturday, the 4th day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the rights, title, interest and estate of said defendant in and to said real property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Four Hundred Forty and 14|100 ($440.14) Dollars, with interest thereon from the 29th day of June, 1929, at the rate of six per cent per annum, plus three dollars accrued costs on said judgment and together with all accruing costs of sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 15th day of November, 1929.

O. L. IHLE,
Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota.

Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Plaintiff,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. N21-D26

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is herehy given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated November 15th, 1923, executed by Elias A Peterson and Mabel A. Peterson, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County State of Minnesota, on November 17th 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages on page 74 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semiannual installments of amortized principal and interest for $118.75 each, due on May 15th, 1929, and November 15th 1929, respectively; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date hereof, the sum of $3,536.00, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from November 15th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $237.50, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $118.75 thereof since May 15th, 1929, and on $118.75 thereof since November 15th, 1929 each at the rate of seven per cent per annum; in all the sum of $3,780.47, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates, as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota to-wit:

Lot Five (5) of Section Six (8), and Lot One (1) of Section Seven (7), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-two (42), containing 89.39 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 3rd day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the deht then due on said mortgage, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed hy law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 20th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman.
Attest. H. H. Flowers, Secretary.
(Department Seal)
Henry N. Benson Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. N21-D26

Court Repartee

Handwriting experts who serve as professional witnesses occasionally have doubts cast npou their reliahility by opposiug counsel. Thus one shrewd defense attorney recently began to cross-examine such an expert with the questiou: "Where is the dog?"

"What dog?" asked the witness in amazement.

"The dog," counsel replied, "that the judge at the last term of conrt said he wouldn't hang on your evidence."

Eastern Superstition

The faces of habies in Iudia and Persia are often washed in the liqoid in which boily bark has been soaked, as a charm against evil spirits.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.
St. Hilaire. Minn.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, }
County of Pennington } ss.
State of Minnesota. }

To D. S. B. Johnson Land Company.

(1) You are herehy notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 1 to 10 inclusive in Block 4. Lots 18 and 19 in Block 4 and lots 25 to 32 in Block 4 all in the Townsite of Hazel, Minn.

Is Now Assessed in Your Name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1922, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and hy the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 15th day of March, 1922, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1920, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land was offered for sale, and no one hidding upon said offer, said pieces or parcels, was hid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($7.64), Seven and 64|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 9th day of September 1929, the said pieces or parcels not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at puhlic sale hy the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Sixty three Dollars and Ninety cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($63.90), Sixty three Dollars and Ninety cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($63.90), Sixty three and 90|100 Dollars from said Ninth day of September, 1929, to the day such redemption is made.

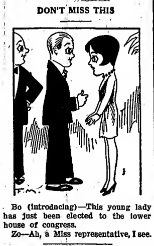
(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has heen presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(8) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 4th day of November, 1929.
(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County,
Approved July 13, 1925 Minnesota.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. N21 D5.

DON'T MISS THIS



Bo (introdncing)—This young lady has just been elected to the lower house of congress.

Zo—Ah, a Miss representative, I see.

Wasted Sentiment.

"I cannot sing the old soogs,"
He wailed. The loss is small.
He tries the new—and this proves true—
He cannot slog at all.

Wonderfully Wise.

"I'd love to be wise and know everything," said the pretty girl to the smart young business man. "It must be wonderful to he like that."

"You're right," said the young man, "it is!"

Strained Soup.

New Maid—Please, I've strained the soup, mum.

Mistress—Thot's right, Jane. Briug it in.

New Maid—I can't, mum. I forgot to put anything under the strainer!

Hazel News

A party was given in honor of Oscar Seeland at the Hazel Hall last Saturday evening. A fine time is reported from those who attended Mr. Seeland was presented a purse of money as a token of respect from his many friends.

Mrs. M. Lokken was a visitor at the Torstveit home last Sunday.

Mrs. M. Lokken, Margaret Lokken, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Snyder were guests at the Torkelson home Tuesday evening.

LIVE STOCK

FAVORABLE TIME TO RAISE COLTS

Farmer Developing Own Power Has Low Cost.

If a farmer ever luteods to raise a colt, now is a good time to do so, according to A. O. Rhoad of ths New York State College of Agriculture. If the farmer raises colts now he will save money in a few years when he puts them to work in place of the horses he uow has ou his farm.

The farmer who grows his own power, says Mr. Rhoad, buys his own power at the lowest cost and pays for it on the instalmeut plan withoot interest. With the possible exception of a fee for stalliou service the farmer does not have to take much mouey ont of his pocket at present to produce his farm power. The farmer who breeds his mare to foal next epring and feeds the colt well will have a work horse that will cost him far less than one purchased on the market.

According to a recent survey made hy C. E. Ladd of the college, 57 per cent of horses in New York state are more than twelve years old. The price of horses is lucreasing. Doctor Ladd also states that from two-thirds to three-fourths of the horses in New York state will be replaced during the uext ten years, and that it is prohnble that they will be replaced at a time when it will cost New York farmers several millions more than it would today. This survey, "The Farm Horse Situation in New York," will be sent free to auyoue who writes to the office of puhlication, State College of Agriculture, Ithsca, N. Y., for E 169.

Sweet Clover Disease Should Be Prevented

It is now definitely estahlished and acknowledged that some specimens of molded or spoiled sweet clover hay and silage produce a specific disease in cattle, the so-called "sweet clover poisoning," say L. M. Roderick, assistant veterinarian and A. F. Schalk, veterinarian, North Dakota Agricultural college.

Several experimental feeding trials with molded sweet clover hay and silage in North Dakota have shown quite conclosively that the so-called poisoning is primarily a disease of cattle, particularly young animals, a few mouths of age to two or three years old.

The trouble can be avoided in practically all cases, if small quantities of the molded hay or silage are fed with two or three times as mnch other feed; or the spoiled clover can be fed safely if fed once every week or [illegible]

THEN AND THERE

HISTORY TOLD AS IT WOULD BE WRITTEN TODAY

By IRVIN S. COBB

Original Houdini Tells How He Did It

Harry Houdini was not the first of the handcuff kings. There was Sixteen-String Jack, an English malefactor, who seemed to be able to wriggle loose from manacles as fast as his jailors could forge 'em for him and who finished his days encumbered with chains weighing pound for pound almost as much as he did. There was the even more famous Jack Sheppard, whose exploits in getting out of Newgate and incidentally out of shackles, gave him a London notoriety which his career as a petty criminal would never have earned for him.

Long before Houdini's day there was a lock-picker and a jail-picker and a jail-breaker who set a mark which never has been equaled, and this man in his struggles for liberty against seemingly unconquerable odds was actuated by an indomitable purpose which stamps him as one of the most unique figures of his own time or, for that matter, of any time.

Baron Trenck was born in 1726, of Austrian descent, at Konisberg in Germany. He was the son of a Prussian general, and before he fell into disfavor in high places had distinguished himself as a courtier and as a soldier. He had been a favorite with that tyrannical but brilliant ruler, Frederick the Great, the ancestor of the living ex-kaiser—from whom the present descendant acquired his delusions of Divine Right, without having inherited either the military abilities or the genius for statecraft which his imperial forbear possessed. This young nobleman, Trenck, dared to have a love affair with Great Frederick's sister, the Princess Amalie. For his presumption the royal brother of his sweetheart determined by rigorous captivity either to kill him or to drive him insane. For upwards of ten years Trenck was tortured with darkness, with semi-starvation, with solitude, and most of all with ponderous irons. How, through that whole decade he kept his wits, his bodily endurance and his courage, and how he broke out of his bonds and his dungeons seemingly at will, makes a memorable chapter in history.

FROM his own autobiography—one of the most remarkable human documents, I think, that ever was written—and from contemporary accounts of his incredible achievements, we get a graphic likeness of Baron Trenck at the time he falls into disfavor with his autocratic overlord, the Great Frederick. He is enormously wealthy. His courage is known to every military camp in central Europe. He has a brilliant mind, a handsome face, a powerful and graceful body. He is of noble descent. He has friends in high places and he had powerful enemies there, too. You could search the continental courts of the period and find nowhere a more dashing figure than Baron Trenck. But it will be eleven years later, when he has emerged from his living tomb and has written down the epic of his captivity, before the world will know him for one of the most resolute, the most resourceful, the most indomitable beings that ever lived in any age.

First, for seventeen months, he is kept in strict solitary confinement at Glatz. Then under heavy guard he is removed to Madgeburg, on the borders of Saxony, and lodged in the citadel of a medieval fortification, gloomy and dark. His keepers think they'll hold him fast here. If there is any guarantee of security in stone walls seven feet thick, in massive iron bars, in double gratings, in high palisades outside, their confidence is justified. Their charge is buried in a lower casematte, on bread and water—one jar of water, one and one-half pounds of coarse soldiers' bread every twenty-four hours.

Trenck declines to be vanquished either by the processes of slow starvation or by the rigors of his prison place. Promptly he sets to work to dig out. With his bare hands he pries loose the iron strips which bolt his bed to the solid masonry of the floor. By persuasion and by promises of reward he corrupts certain men among the soldiers who have been told off to watch him. They agree to aid him in escaping across the boundary into Saxony; but as for getting out of his cell, that is his own job.

Using his bits of scrap iron for tools, he removes the bricks of the partition which stands between him and an adjoining corridor. To do this he must first scrape off the coatings of lime from this wall, which, as he says, had perhaps been whitewashed a hundred times, and then, after each bit of excavating, must replace the powdered grit so as to defy detection by his guards. Very simply he describes the process:

"I formed a brush with my hair, then wetted the lime and rubbed it on the wall, against which I applied my warm naked body until it was quite dry and of a piece with the rest."

Wasted Labor.

He hides the removed debris in his bed and at night lies on it, with only a thin mattress between him and its rough irregularities.

In one brief casual paragraph he describes how, after persevering for six months, he practically is ready for his jail-break. He has tunneled through many yards of masonry. By bribing his sentries he has secured a knife, a file, and writing paper. He has smuggled out letters advising his sister and certain of his friends of his design and bidding them to be ready to stand by when the hour comes.

On the very night of his intended flight, disaster befalls. King Frederick has visited Magdeburg, and by his orders another prison has been prepared in the Star-Fort, as it is called, on the opposite side of the city. Without warning, three officers enter his casematte. Hearing them at the door he has barely time to secrete his precious knife on his person. They shackle him hand and foot, blindfold him, lead him out, put him in a coach, and ride with him across the town.

Let us quote the baron here—certainly his story is as graphic a one as we could ask for.

"At length the coach halted; I was conveyed from it into my new prison, the cloth was loosened from my eyes. Two black, diabolical-looking smiths armed with a fire-pan and hammers presented themselves to my view and I saw the floor covered with ponderous chains!

"Immediately they began their work; my feet were bound with heavy chains to an iron ring driven into the wall; this ring was raised three feet from the floor so that I could move about two paces to the right and left. An iron girdle as broad as my hand was locked round my naked body, to which was chained a thick iron bar, two feet long, at the opposite ends of which my hands were fastened in heavy iron rings bolted and riveted over my wrists. I was left sitting in gloomy darkness upon the wet floor.

"By degrees I accustomed myself to my chains. I learned to comb my hair and even to tie it with one hand. My beard I plucked out; the pain was terrific."

But Trenck does not succumb to everlasting gloom. Neither that nor loneliness, nor the misery of bearing half his weight in dead iron, nor the seeming hopelessness of his situation can break that dauntless spirit. Within a day after reaching the Star-Fort he is contriving means to remove and replace his fetters at will. He hammers the iron pegs of his handcuffs until the blood streams from under his nails, but eventually the rivets become loosened and he may free both wrists.

By main strength he snaps two links of the chain which binds him to the wall, and to hide the break, ties the severed ends together with a scrap of hair ribbon. He wrests away the short chain which fastens his arm-bar to his iron belt. When his keepers call, he is squatted on the floor, apparently hobbled at wrist and ankle and waist. But no sooner is the door closed behind them than he has the use of his limbs.

Defiance Against Odds.

In less than forty-eight hours he has accomplished these seemingly impossible undertakings. He goes straightway to a yet more herculean task. Within the space of the next six hours he has, with his knife, dug the wood from about the lock on the inner door. He decides that, given a whole day, he probably can master the bolts of the three remaining doors. On the Fourth of July he begins the task. Read what he says:

"This, with great labor, I accomplished but found it more difficult as everything was to be done by groping in the dark. Soon my fingers were all wounds, the sweat streamed on the ground and the raw flesh hung bleeding to my hands."

Nevertheless he perseveres. The fourth door has been attacked; its tough oak has been whittled through when the knife snaps, its blade falling through the hole into the ditch of the lofty rampart on beyond.

"It is utterly impossible to describe my weariness. My blood dyed the walls and the floor, and but little remained in my veins. My wounds pained me; my hands were stiff and swollen with my excessive labor; I have been without sleep; I had scarcely strength to stand upright. As soon as it was noon and the head keeper came with his men, they found me standing opposite the inner door, a most frightful figure, covered with blood, like a desperado. In one hand I held a huge brick, in the other my broken knife, and I cried out, 'Keep back! Keep back! Major, shoot me. No man shall enter, I will slay fifty of you, ere one gets in!'"

A parley follows. Finally Trenck capitulates on condition that he is to have better treatment. The pledge is given, only to be broken. As soon as he gives up, his irons are renewed; this time they are heavier and stouter than before.

He does not despair, though. In this man's nature there is never any thought of surrender. He wins over a grenadier of the fortress and this man slips him a file. With it he files his fetters, hiding the cut places with dough which he has moistened in spittle and then coated with earth.

He fabricates a screwdriver from a ten-inch nail pried out of the floor. He unscrews the grating at his window and with smuggled wire he makes a false grating identical with the original but removable at will. By grinding his arm-bar against his own tombstone he forms a chisel with which he gouges through nine inches of three-ply oak flooring. Burrowing like a mole, he has penetrated several yards of the sandy loam upon which the building stands before he once more is detected.

A Fresh Attempt.

His head keeper vows that this time he will render the prisoner helpless. After renewing Trenck's former shackles, the jailer brings smiths who weld about his neck an iron collar an inch thick and four finger breadths in width. From this huge necklet a heavy chain extends down the baron's front to his ankle shackles. Two shorter chains join the collar to his wrist fetters. He is woven into a veritable net of ironmongery.

A certain Lieutenant Sonntag, an under officer of the garrison, is won over by Trenck's fortitude. Sonntag has false handcuffs made which Trenck substitutes for the others. He brings a file, too, and soon Trenck disencumbers his burdened body of all his bonds excepting the necklet and its pendent chains. These he dares not remove. Through Sonntag's good offices he obtains sausages and wine; until now his sole fare, even in his illness, has consisted of dry bread and water.

Again he breaches the floor and through the earth beneath the foundation he bores with his bare hands a passage thirty-seven feet long leading towards a cross-gallery in the principal rampart. This operation takes him six months. When he is within arm's reach, almost, of freedom, with but six feet more of soil to be excavated, a sentry on the ramparts hears the rattle of the chain dangling from Trenck's throat. The captive manages to regain his cell and slip into his other irons before the chief jailer bursts in on him. The filed places in his fetters are not discovered, nor is his tunnel found, so the stupid commander decides that the sentry has been mistaken. The warden, though, thinks up a fresh torture. He gives orders that day and night at intervals of a quarter of an hour Trenck shall be visited and if found asleep shall be forcibly awakened. This dreadful system prevails until a more humane governor succeeds Trenck's old oppressor.

Writing on Pewter.

The successor suffers the prisoner to have more light and more air. But since a guard stands at the door to observe him, Trenck cannot resume his tunneling. But he finds employment and incidentally a method of communicating with his friends in the outer world. Here's how he does this, as told in his own words:

"Having light, I began to carve with a nail on the pewter cup out of which I drank, satirical verses and various figures, and attained so much perfection that my cups were considered as masterpieces both of engraving and invention, and were sold as rare curiosities . . . I grew more expert and spent a whole year in this employment. The officers made merchandise of my cups and sold them. Their value increased so much that they were now to be found in various museums throughout Europe. There is another remarkable circumstance attending these cups. All were forbidden, under pain of death, to hold conversation with me or to supply me with pen and ink; yet, by writing what I pleased on pewter, I was enabled to inform the world of all I wished and to prove that a man of merit was sorely oppressed. I attained the art of giving light and shade and, by practice, could divide a cup into thirty-two compartments as regularly with a stroke of the hand as with a pair of compasses. The writing was so minute that it could be only read with glasses, yet I could use but one hand, both being separated by the rigid bar, and therefore must a cup be held between my knees while I labored."

Another year passes thus and yet another. Trenck wins over certain officers and certain common soldiers. Secretly they give him aid by furnishing tools for digging. An ingenious device occurs to Trenck. He makes two different openings in his floor. One hole he hides; at widening the other he purposely makes so much noise that a sentry becomes alarmed and calls the governor, who comes and finds on the floor a great heap of sand. The second opening is nailed fast and convicts wheel away the sand. No one except those in the conspiracy guessing that most of it has been taken from the still concealed working.

He continues to delve underground, aiming always to break through the earth outside the walls. When victory is almost within his grasp, an accident almost costs him his life. He describes it thus:

"While mining under the foundation of the rampart I struck my foot against a stone in the wall above, and it fell down and closed up the passage behind me. I began to work the sand away from the side, that I might obtain room to turn round, but the small quantity of air soon became so foul that a thousand times I wished myself dead, and made several attempts to strangle myself with my hands. My sufferings were incredible; I passed full eight hours in this distraction of horrors. . . . I made a desperate effort, drew my body into a ball and turned round; I now faced the stone, which was as wide as the whole passage. My next labor was to root away the sand under the stone and let it sink, so that I might creep over, and by this means, at length, I once more regained my dungeon."

This terrific exertion makes Trenck very ill. Months pass before his strength and his will power are restored to him. From now on, while he digs, he hangs a knife about his neck so that if again entombed alive, he may end his miseries by suicide.

For the sixth time his undertaking fails; chance defeats it. For the seventh time it fails. Undismayed he is planning an eighth attempt to win his liberty when word reaches him that his unrelenting enemy, King Frederick, is dead. Hope of pardon grows stronger, and eventually he is released, after eleven years of such incredible experiences as probably no other man ever endured and lived to tell the tale of afterwards.

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Community Building

What Home Ownership Means to Average Man

Look into the family life of the home owner—there you find right thinking, thrift and pride. Father, mother and the children weeding the lawn, planting flowers and trees. Would they take that same interest working in a yard where contentment is measured by dollars and cents, paid to the landlord each month?

Spare time is spent making improvements, placing a touch here and there to enhance the beauty and increase the value of the home place.

Drive over the city and you can easily distinguish the home that is owned by the family within from the house which is rented. The home owner gives his children a better chance. Good citizens grow out of well-established homes. They are better known and they command respect in their community.

If for any reason one has outgrown one's present place, remember there is some one ready to take it over—some one who will be proud to call it home. He should by all means buy another. One can never be satisfied unless one does. After once owning your own home it is evident that life seems aimless and shallow, paying for the privilege of living in some one's property other than your own.

The American home means so much today. It is the very corner stone of progress and safety. Its morale and dignity must be upheld. The home owner commands respect.—Indianapolis News.

Roof Important Unit in Decorative Scheme

The modern note in home decoration, according to leading authorities, is complete harmony of color, outside as well as inside the building.

According to this idea, while the roof of a house must give protection against the elements and must be lasting, yet as a prominent architectural feature of the house, the roof should also add to the beauty of the structure.

In line with this idea, commercial roofing materials are being manufactured in the greatest selection of colors. With these new colors it is possible to make the roof one of the most effective units in the decorative scheme.

These beautiful colors can be combined in an almost endless variety of tasteful combinations to harmonize with every architectural style and color scheme.

By consulting a roofing color chart, information is obtained in a second as to what color roof is in harmony with a red brick house, a white Colonial residence, or a gray, brown or cream building. The chart also takes into consideration the color of the trim so that building, roof and trim may form a harmonious whole.

Protection From Fire

The modern home builder forsees and cancels a possible "4-11" fire alarm when he plans his house.

He knows, for example, that a considerable proportion of house fires originate in basements—around heating plants or in stores of fuel, ash, trash or other inflammable material. So he plans to prevent such figures climbing upward and through his house.

Fire may also enter through the roof which is exposed to flying embers. Fire-safe shingles or tile eliminate the hazard and add materially to the beauty of the home.

Real fire safety also implies fire resistive construction in exterior walls. Fire stops in walls, unburnable stairways, proper design of fireplaces and chimneys—these are a few of the details the modern builder includes in his far-sighted "4-11" alarm preventive.

Be Liberal With Paint

Paint is insurance against losses resulting from weathering and decay. Paint protects a house and keeps it in good condition. Weathering and decay cause losses, according to one authority, of over a billion and a half dollars a year. While most of us are willing to pay for fire insurance because of the sense of security it brings, few of us realize that weather insurance is really more necessary because while fire rarely threatens, weathering and decay are constantly at work to lower houses into dust. It has been estimated that if a house is painted every five years, its value increases about 5 per cent at each paint.

Longer Covenants Urged

In many suburban sections there has come a change to the duration of restrictions placed on property. It was formerly thought that 20 years was long enough, but developers are now of the belief that 33 years is better. The reasoning behind the new figure is that a man who buys a house at the beginning of his business career, and often at about the time he takes on the responsibilities of marriage, will be approaching the close of active participation in business at the end of 33 years.

Plant Protection

The uprooting of ferns and other plants growing in roads, lanes, banks or commons is a punishable offense in Berkshire, Eng.

Needless

Pain!

People are often too patient with pain. Suffering when there is no need to suffer. Shopping with a head that throbs. Working though they ache all over.

And Bayer Aspirin would bring immediate relief!

The best time to take Bayer Aspirin is the moment you first feel the pain. Why postpone relief until the pain has reached its height? Why hesitate to take anything so harmless?

Read the proven directions for checking colds, easing a sore throat; relieving headaches and the pains of neuralgia, neuritis, rheumatism, etc.

You can always count on its quick comfort. But if pain is of frequent recurrence see a doctor as to its cause.

BAYER ASPIRIN

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Wins Wife as First Prize!

IF you don't think your whole life can be changed by chance, read this. It is the story of a young man who was pretty well down and out, but he figured he might win a prize if he took some advice.

"As far back as I can remember I had been a weakling," says Mr. Calvin L. Floyd of Orlando, Florida. "A headache, it seemed, was to be my life companion. I was always dizzy in the mornings. Nothing I ate seemed good for me. Then I attended a health lecture in a sanatorium and the physician talked on 'faulty elimination.' That was certainly my trouble. One of the patients asked him about Nujol. He recommended it highly. I decided to try one bottle to see if there was anything in what he said about natural lubrication for the human body.

Many a life changed by a message like this one.

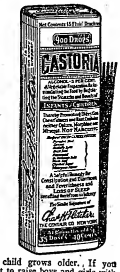
"Long before I had finished the first bottle my 'companion-headache' was gone. No more tired out feeling. I get a real kick out of life now. By the way, I almost forgot to tell you I found a new life companion, too!"

Perfectly simple, wasn't it? Mr. Floyd just learned the normal natural way to get rid of bodily poisons (we all have them) and nature did the rest. Why shouldn't *you* be well?

Nujol is not a medicine. It contains no drugs. It is effective, so you will be "regular as clock-work." You can buy it at all good drug stores in sealed packages for less than the price of a couple of good cigars.

Begin today. Millions have found that Nujol makes all the difference in the world. Nujol will make you feel fine and you can prove it.

Children **CRY** for it



It may be the little stomach; it may be the bowels are sluggish. No matter what coats a child's tongue, its a safe and sensible precaution to give a few drops of Castoria. This gentle regulation of the little system soon sets things to rights. A pure vegetable preparation that can't harm a wee infant, but brings quick comfort—even when it is colic, diarrhea, or similar disturbance.

And don't forsake Castoria as the child grows older. If you want to raise boys and girls with strong systems that will ward off constipation, stick to good old Castoria; and give nothing stronger when there's any irregularity except on the advice of a doctor. Castoria is sold in every drugstore, and the genuine always bears Chas. H. Fletcher's signature on the wrapper.

Does your mirror reflect rough, pimply skin?

THEN USE

Cuticura

And have a clear skin!

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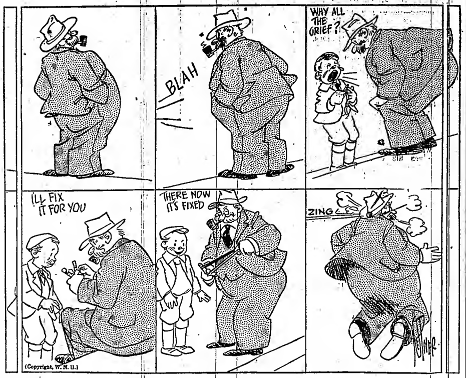

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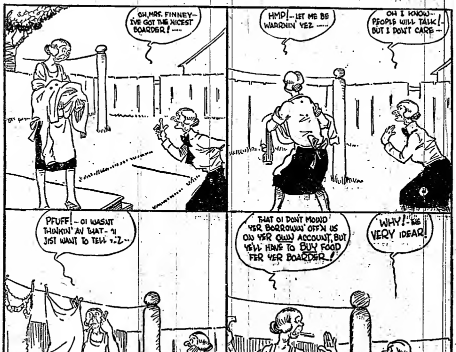

This Week

by **Arthur Brisbane**

Good News From Hoover
Ford Talks Sense
Labor, Capital and Peace
How Old Is Man?

Mr. Hoover's "super-galaxy" of business talent reads like a Who's Who in the upper brackets of high finance. Fords, Du Ponts, Rosenwalds, Youngs, Sloans, are listed to tell the nation how to "spur trade." The names will inspire confidence, but there are too many to do any actual work together. The President will listen and do something. Already money is cheaper, and that is 50 per cen. of the battle.

A statement from the White House shows that things can be done when somebody takes hold.

Scores of business and industrial leaders have promised the President to expand construction, which means giving more employment "in every prudent direction" to cover any slack in employment.

It is refreshing to read Henry Ford's ideas about "stabilizing and increasing prosperity."

Invited by President Hoover to join the army of advisers, Ford begins by announcing "an immediate increase in wages among his own employees."

He says: "The only thing that should be high priced is the man who works. Wages must not come down, they must not even stay at their present levels. They must go up."

To that statement, frankly bolshevistic to many gentlemen with plenty of money, Ford adds: "We must see that increased wages are not taken away by increased prices that do not represent increased values."

President Hoover receives from employers of labor, great industrialists, a pledge to avoid discharge of employees as far as possible, and to avoid reduction in wages absolutely.

The President asks the labor unions, for the time being, until prosperity has been put firmly on its feet, to wage no labor fights for higher wages except such as have already started.

It is a good program. Labor and capital should adopt it, at least until we know just what, if anything, is the matter.

Historians of the future, studying our civilization, exploring the fancy writing of "star reporters," will discover these interesting facts:

Professional gamblers and criminals in New York engaged in a game of cards involving close upon a million dollars in one night. One of the gamblers lost and refused to pay about $300,000, and was murdered.

They will read also the guesses of some reporters that witnesses summoned will not tell what they know because the "underworld" tells them to keep their mouths shut or say things that mean nothing.

An interesting picture of Twentieth century civilization.

If congress adopts Secretary Mellon's recommendation, as it probably will, taxes levied on Americans will have been reduced nearly two billion dollars since 1921.

Secretary Mellon believes that increased payments will more than make up for income tax reduction.

Losses on Wall street may interfere temporarily, not permanently.

Millions have studied the puzzle, "How old is Ann?" A few are working at another puzzle, "How old is man?"

The learned Henry Fairfield Osborn, head of the American Museum of Natural History, learns that the proboscidae, of which the elephant and the tapir are examples, were accompanied on their migrations by human beings as early as the early pleistocene times.

Man may have reached the North American continent "many millions of years earlier than is generally supposed."

How old is man?

Man was said to have been on this earth 100,000 then 500,000, then 1,000,000 years ago. Now it runs into many millions of years.

More interesting is scientific proof that the earth will last with men living here for a thousand million years more. The human race should do something in that length of time, stop war, abolish poverty, cheating, swindling and cease devoting its energies to getting money that it doesn't need.

Mayor Walker of New York, who intends to show other cities how to create employment by spending money wisely, on tunnels, bridges, wider roads, etc., said: "If this country is not all right, where are you going to move to?"

England is gratified to hear that the king's second son, the duke of York, thanks to an Australian specialist, is cured of stuttering, due to a physical difficulty.

The young prince is no longer compelled to refer to his father as the "K-K-K-K-King."

A lady signs "One who has a lot of bank stock and wants to know where she is really at."

Where she is "at" depends on what stock she has and who runs the bank.

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Peculiarity in Home of Thomas Jefferson

Monticello, historic home of Thomas Jefferson, has many oddities which excite the popular interest, says an article in Pathfinder Magazine. For example, it is a home without beds. The master slept (and died) on a cot of his own contrivance located in an opening between his study and what should have been his bedroom. He was able to jump out of it into either room. The cot was so arranged that it was raised to the ceiling during the daytime to leave a passageway between the two rooms.

There are unfounded tales that Jefferson was afraid of his life and took this means to insure safety. One basis for this, probably, is the secret room directly above his bed which has porthole-like openings in the walls, formerly covered by pictures, through which supposed bodyguards could fire down on intruders if need be.

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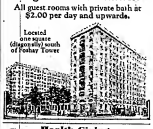

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The Desert Moon Mystery

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SYNOPSIS

Sam Stanley, wealthy owner of the Desert Moon ranch, informs his housekeeper, Mary Magio, that his former wife's twin daughters, Danielle and Gabrielle, are coming to the ranch to live, their mother being dead and their father, Daniel Canneziano, who had been the cause of Sam's divorcing his wife, in the penitentiary. Sam's adopted boy, John, has grown to manhood, and a girl, Martha, weak-minded. Mrs. Ollie Ricker, Martha's nurse, Hubert Hand and Chadwick Caufield are the other members of the household. The girls arrive. John becomes engaged to Danielle. Gabrielle seeks to win John from her sister, and her actions when she receives a letter from France mystify Mrs. Magio. Sam learns Canneziano is soon to be released from the penitentiary. Gabrielle, with Caufield, goes into the garden. Danielle, from upstairs, calls to her sister. Caufield comes back alone. In a few minutes Danielle comes into the living room.

CHAPTER VI—Continued

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"Then you don't deny—", Hubert Hand began. Sam, who has enough dander for John and himself both, when necessary, broke in.

"John doesn't have to deny anything. Marcus will be in the office now, waiting for Twenty-one. Phone down. Phone's handy. Ask him whether he flagged Twenty today, for a passenger, or whether he is going to flag Twenty-one."

Hubert went straight to the telephone. From his end of the conversation, we could tell that Twenty had not stopped, and that no one was waiting for Twenty-one. He looked foolish, when he turned from the telephone, and said, "Take it all back, John. My mistake."

Sam looked, mighty serious. "Well," he drawled. "I don't know but what as good a plan as any would be for us all to go out and have a look around for her—"

"Oh!" Danny exclaimed, sharply. "Uncle Sam, you do think that she has met with some mishap?"

"I think," Sam said, "that she has met with another machine and ridden off in it. But, better safe than sorry; then we'll be fine and fit for the fireworks. Eh, Martha?"

Martha, who had been drowsy all during supper, was half asleep on the davenport, and did not answer.

Sam's first plan, after he and Hubert had made a quick ride to the cabin and back with no sight of Gaby, was for the two of us to go down the road in the sedan. Fortunately, he decided at the last minute to have John come with us to drive. Danny came along with John. Chad and Hubert Hand were to scout around the place on their ponies. Mrs. Ricker stayed at home with Martha.

We drove to the highway before we turned around. We had come back about a mile, when the wind came howling up, blowing the sand and dust in thick clouds, jerking and snapping the sage and the greasewood, chasing and bouncing the tumbleweed balls.

One of my principles is, that if you made the ranch before the storm broke, and, just as we reached the front porch, the rain came pouring down as if all the sky were the nozzle of a big faucet and someone had turned it on, full force.

"This will bring her in," Sam said, as we ran up the steps. "She'll be there, high and dry, when we get in."

She was not. Chad and Hubert Hand had come in, and they acted as if, since we had set out to get news of Gaby, it was a wonder we had not done it. Martha was sobbing because she could not have the fireworks.

Sam went and touched a match to the fire ready to be started in the fireplace. I ran upstairs and closed the bedroom windows. I had come downstairs, ready to take my rest, when I remembered the attic, with all its windows wide open to the drenching rain.

My corns had been hurting me all day; so, Chad being handy, I asked him to go and close the attic. He went up the stairs, and almost at once came back to the head of them to call down that the attic door was locked.

John drove fast; but we barely ask a man to do anything about the house for you, you do it twice yourself. I thought, again, how true that was, as I went on my aching feet up the stairs to prove to him that the door was not locked, never had been locked, and, likely, never would be.

It was locked. Chad walked off, saying that he would see whether some one downstairs had locked it and had the key, or, if not, whether he could find another key to fit it.

I stood there waiting. I put my hand in my pocket for my handkerchief. There was a key. It fitted the lock. I opened the door.

About half way up the steps, Gaby was lying in a huddle of pink wrap. I spoke to her. She did not answer. I ran up the steps and put an arm around her, trying to lift her. Her head rolled to one side. I saw her throat. It was saffron color, with great blue black bruises at its base. I touched her swollen face. It was cold.

For an instant, my only sensation was one of violent nausea. I tried to scream. My throat had closed. I must have shut my eyes, for I remember thinking that, if I did not open them, the dizziness would sweep me off into unconsciousness. I opened them. I saw, there on the red carpet of the steps, something that shocked my reeling senses into sanity. Dropped all over the bright beaded bag, lying there, were the burned tobacco and the ashes from Sam's pipe.

All of my horror concentrated into a frantic desire to get those ashes cleared away so that no one else could see them. I shook them from the bag to the carpet. I brushed them from the carpet into my handkerchief. Just as I got to my feet from my knees, Chad came up.

"Call the others," I said. "Gaby is here—murdered."

I stuffed the handkerchief filled with ashes into my pocket, and, for the first and last time in my life, I fainted dead away.

The next thing that I knew I was lying on my back listening to someone screaming, above the voices of Sam and Mrs. Ricker. I realized that those awful sounds were coming from my own throat. I tried to stop them; but I could not. I put my hands to my throat to make it stop the noise. Sam's voice came, clear and strong then—real, like a light in the dark.

I sat straight up. The screams ceased. "What," I managed, "is the matter?"

"Everything on God's earth, that could be," Sam answered. "But here, Mary. Drink this. Get some sleep. Nothing to be done, now. We'll need you, tomorrow."

He shook a powder into my mouth. Mrs. Ricker held a glass of water to my lips.

When I opened my eyes again, it was gray dawn. I saw that I was in Mrs. Ricker's room. She was sitting by the window tatting. I watched her for a full minute before memory seized me, and I cried out with the pain of it.

"Sh-h-h," she warned me, in a whisper. "You'll wake Martha. She is asleep here on the couch."

I felt in my pocket. The ball of handkerchief was still there. I went into the hall bathroom, washed my face and hands, and drained the last crumb of tobacco down with the water out of the washbowl. I washed the handkerchief, scoured the bowl, and went back to Mrs. Ricker's room.

As I opened the door, she again warned me against waking Martha.

"Was the shock too much for her?" I asked, going and standing beside Mrs. Ricker so that we might talk in whispers.

"I didn't allow her to go upstairs. She followed Chad out of the house and saw him shoot himself. He died within ten minutes. It was terrible for Martha. I had to hold her, while Sam gave her a narcotic—"

"No, no," I protested. "What—what are you saying? Not Chad? What was it you said about Chad—"

"He walked out and shot himself, through the head."

I rushed out of the room, away from her. I staggered down the stairs into the kitchen.

Sam, Hubert Hand, and John all jumped up from their chairs and started toward me. John reached me first, and put an arm around me.

"Chad—" I began, but I couldn't get any further.

"There, there, Mary. Pour her some coffee, dad. Quick! Here, sit

Chad and Hubert Hand Were to Scout Around the Place on Ponies.

here. Turn on that fan, Hand. Get some water—"

"No, no. Tell me. Mrs. Ricker said— It isn't true. It—it can't be true. Not our Chad—"

Sam answered, gruffly, to keep the choke out of his voice. "It is a d—n shame, Mary; but, it is true. The boy shot himself, not fifteen minutes after we found her. "Wait," he went on quickly, "before you think anything. I want to tell you what I have told the others. It is God's truth. That poor boy is as innocent of any connection with the murder as I am."

"What," I moaned, "are we going to do?"

"We are going to do a lot, Mary," Sam said. "We are going to keep Chad's name clean. Sure," in answer to my protest, "we all know. But, just the same, I'm mighty thankful that I have his alibis for him, myself. A suicide looks bad, you know. That is, it would until we end Canneziano. This is his work—"

"But, Sam," I said, "if he wasn't let out of San Quentin until yesterday morning, he couldn't possibly have got 'way up here that same evening."

"We've told Sam that, a thousand times," Hubert Hand said.

"All right, all right," Sam said. "But if I ever get that long distance call through, you'll find that Canneziano was released a day or two early. She met him yesterday—"

"How'd he get up here, Sam?" I questioned.

"Did you have a passenger up from Rattail, yesterday, John?" Hand asked.

Sam spoke, before John could answer. "Son," he said, "did you, by any chance, as a favor to one of the girls, bring that skunk here yesterday?"

"I did not, dad."

"He got here, then, as I've said all along. Horseback, across the deserts. And he murdered the girl. By G—d, he'll hang for it, if it takes my last dollar. He killed Chad, too, as much as if he'd shot him down. We aren't overlooking a couple of murders, not here on the Desert Moon. Not right yet. She went out to meet him yesterday, I tell you. She brought him into the house, for some purpose; through the back way and up into the attic."

"Without anybody seeing or hearing them?" Hubert Hand questioned.

"Nobody was looking nor listening, as I remember. I tell you, he killed her there on the stairs, and he made his get-away—"

"If you think that," I said. "Why aren't you out hunting him?"

"H—l!" Sam exploded. "Why ain't I out hunting lost night's lightning? The girl had been dead anyway two or three hours—more likely longer, when we found her. He had that head start on us. He's gone. He went straight across the deserts, b—l bent for Sunday. He'll need food. He'll need water, worse. I've telegraphed to every town within two hundred miles of here. They are watching. I've phoned every ranch. I've kept that phone hot for six solid hours. I've got posses at every water-hole—"

"Listen, Sam," I said. "Unless after he murdered her, he walked downstairs, with none of us seeing or hearing him, and into the living room or the kitchen, and put the key in my pocket, Canneziano is not the guilty man."

The telephone bell rang.

Hubert Hand and John followed Sam into the living room. I stayed where I was. I had to have a minute to think. The ashes on the bag? The key in my pocket? Sam?

If Sam, I thought, had found it necessary to murder Gabrielle Canneziano, he had probably done it to keep something worse from happening. Sickened at myself, for that thought, I found another way of thinking, not much better.

It did seem to me, remembering the pipe ashes on top of the bag, that Sam must have been there on the stairs at some time after she had been murdered and before I had found her. He must, then, be keeping some secret concerning the murder. It did look as if, considering his talk, he must be shielding the murderer, with every ounce of his horse-sense and ingenuity, both of which he had in plenty. But whom would he shield to that extent? Chad, alive or dead? No. Martha? Yes. But Martha could not have done it. John? Not unless there was something to it that none of us dreamed of. Hubert Hand, or Mrs. Ricker? No. Danny? I thought not. Myself? I couldn't be sure.

The men came back into the kitchen. Sam looked ten years older than he had looked ten minutes before.

"It was San Quentin," he said to me. "Canneziano was positively not released from there until nine o'clock yesterday morning."

"That," I said, "lets him out."

"And," Hubert Hand said, "lets every man-jack of us here on the place, in."

Habit was too strong for Sam. "'Well in,'" he quoted, with a groan.

CHAPTER VII

A Confession.

The sheriff, the coroner, the undertaker, a newspaper reporter, and another man that the coroner had brought along for a juryman, drove up to the ranch at five o'clock that morning. Sam and the sheriff had been friends for thirty years. Sam's money had paid for the coroner's medical education. They, and the others, were mighty sorry to have to bother us at all, and their sole aim was to make as little trouble as possible.

They interviewed each one of us alone, but pleasantly and informally, in the dining room; each one, that is, but Danny—the coroner, visiting her as a doctor, said it would never do to pester her, in the state she was in—and Martha, who was still asleep, and whom they said it was no use to wake. They kept each of us about ten minutes. They brought in the verdict of died by his own hand, for Chad; and, murdered by person or persons unknown for Gaby. They left, on tiptoe, holding their hats in their hands clear to the end of the drive way.

The sheriff left, I am all but certain, with the strong conviction that I had committed the murder, and with the resolution that he would not do Sam an ill turn by depriving him of a good cook. The coroner, and the others, except the reporter, were sure, I think, that one of us was guilty; but were thankful to goodness that they had not found out which one.

The undertaker did not leave with the others. He was preparing the bodies to take them to Telko; there to wait the instructions that we could not give until after we had gotten in touch, if possible, with Chad's people, and had come to a decision about Gaby's burial place.

All the Nevada newspaper accounts made much of the fact that the fiend, who had committed the terrible murder on the Desert Moon ranch, had made a complete escape, without leaving any clews of any sort.

No clews! Lands alive! The place was positively cluttered with clews; and most of them about as useful, in the end, as clutter generally is.

I asked Sam about the contents of Gaby's beaded bag.

"It is all on the table in her room," he said, "where I put it for the coroner's jury. You can go and see. But, first, read this. It was tucked inside her dress. The undertaker found it, and gave it to me. I dread giving it to Danny."

He handed me a folded sheet of paper. I opened it, and read:

"Danny dear: If you ever read this, I shall be dead—murdered. Don't have me buried here in this Godforsaken country. Take me to San Francisco and have my body cremated. I love a flame. I hate the cold earth.

"You have had much trouble on my account, old dear. Don't blame me for having kept the fear and the dread of this thing, which I felt certain was going to happen, from you. You, nor no living person, but one, could have saved me.

"Remember, Dan, that in spite of all the distress I have caused you, and may still be causing you, I have always, in my own way, loved you. Gaby."

"Sam," I said, "I knew she was afraid, yesterday. Oh, why didn't she tell us? Of course you men could

I Hurried to Her and Put My Arms Around Her.

have saved her. Why did she go out alone to meet that fiend?"

Sam's only answer was a slow shaking of his bowed head, and a deep sigh.

"Mary," he said, then, "will you give this note to Danny, and explain to her how it is?"

"How what is?"

"I mean— Well, she can't leave the Desert Moon, now, to take the body to 'Frisco. Until we find out who murdered that girl, not a man-jack of us is going to leave this place, for any reason. Danny may be as innocent as she seems to be, and—she may not. She, nor anyone else, can leave this place until we have gotten to the very bottom of this thing. That goes. This note, in Gaby's handwriting, clears Danny of the crime, if all the other evidence didn't, which it does. We know that she did not kill her sister. But, of all the people in this house, she is in the best position to know who did do it. Of course, if she is involved in this she is involved innocently. If she put the key in your pocket, while we were out in the car, she did it with no idea of what she was doing. Just the same, I want her right here on the Desert Moon, for a while. Mary, you take the note to her, and explain, in your nice way—"

"I'll give her the note, Sam," I said. "But you'll have to do the explaining yourself. I'll tell you why. It isn't right for you to try to protect anyone, not even Martha, to the extent of refusing to allow one sister to carry out the dying request of another sister."

Sam dropped his pipe. As I saw the tobacco and the ashes scatter, I was more certain than ever that I was acting as a decent woman should.

The door opened, and Danny came in. She was so pale that her cheeks had sort of a greenish tinge to them. Great dark circles spread far down under her eyes that were red and swollen from crying.

I hurried to her, and put my arms around her. Sam turned away, as if he could not bear to look at us.

I took her into the living room, and sat down in a big chair and held her in my lap.

"If only," she kept saying, "if only she could have left us in her beauty. She was so beautiful, Mary. And now—"

Remembering what I had seen the night before, I knew that I must get her mind into other channels if her reason was to be saved. I thanked my stars, when I remembered the note.

After she had read it, she cried harder than ever; but I knew that it was crying of a saner sort.

"Will you go with me, Mary?" she questioned, when she had quieted some. "To San Francisco?"

"We'll have to talk to Sam about that, dear," I said. "I am afraid that Sam wants us all to stay here, for a while. Sam thinks that the duty of each one of us, right now, is to stay here and help to find the guilty person."

"Does Uncle Sam think we will find him here?" she questioned.

"There isn't anywhere else to try to find him," I said. "Did you know about the key in my pocket?"

She nodded. "I knew about that," she said.

"What else did you know about?" I asked.

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Hot Weather and Star Sirius Unjustly Linked

Dog days is the name given by the ancients to the hottest and most unwholesome part of the year, lasting from July 3 to August 11. The name comes from the star Sirius, the great dog which follows the mighty hunter Orion through the heavens.

The Greeks early noticed that at that season Sirius, which is the brightest star in the heavens, rose just before the sun. Consequently the star was held responsible for droughts and plagues which were most frequent during its period of early rising. The Romans named this period the Dies Caniculares, a name which comes down to us as the dog days. Roman writers tell of dogs sacrificed to appease the wrath of the "Syrian star" who "barks from afar, and with his sultry breath infects the sky."

Modern meteorology points out, however, that poor Sirius is a victim of coincidence. He has nothing at all to do with the weather. The scientific explanation is that heat in a way follows the sun, just as the hottest part of the day is not high noon but an hour or two later. In the same way the hottest part of the summer is not midsummer, but slightly later than the solstice.

Much Lead Reclaimed

It begins to appear almost as if industry can use its lead and have it at the same time. Reclamation of waste lead, through the recovery of old lead pipe, battery plates, lead lining of acid vats and other such sources, has increased year by year, until, during 1927, according to bureau of mines figures, the total weight of the recovered metal, which can be reprocessed and used as new, was 41 per cent of the production of new metal for the year, which seems to be eliminating waste with a vengeance.

Aviators' Dangers

The evenness of air while flying varies with the temperature. If the air is warm, or what is called thin air, it is difficult to gain altitude. In cold or dense air it is easy to gain altitude. The air over cities is warmer than over the surrounding country. It is when a flyer approaches warmer air that the plane has a tendency to lose altitude. In some places a change from cold to warm air is very abrupt. That is known as an air pocket, or bumpy air.

School-Purpose Lands

The Continental congress, in its land ordinance of May, 1785, dedicated from the public lands which lay west of the Thirteen Colonies lot No. 16 of every township to "the maintenance of public schools within the said township." The policy of giving public lands for education has been continued and lands and scrip have been granted to a total of 117,244,519 acres, an area nearly equivalent to that of the German republic.

England's Largest Forest

The New Forest in England, with its 60,000 acres, is the largest in that country.

This Mother Had Problem

As a rule, milk is about the best food for children, but there are times when they are much better off without it. It should always be left off when children show by feverish, fretful or cross spells, by bad breath, coated tongue, sallow skin, indigestion, biliousness, etc., that their stomach and bowels are out of order.

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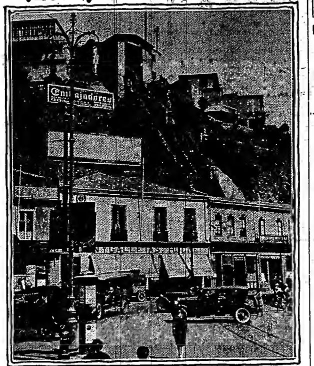


Elevators Up Valparaiso's Cliffs.

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.)

LIKE a vast jewel-studded sickle, the long, curved shore line of Valparaiso flashes and twinkles before the traveler sailing into the roadstead after nightfall.

Straight handle and curving blade gleam for miles through the darkness, and in the distance the jewels rise higher and higher until they seem to join the stars of heaven, causing one to wonder where earth ends and sky begins.

When the morning dawns and its mists are burnt away the explanation of this magic night scene appears.

Out of the distance to the left comes the fine boulevard through Vina del Mar, Chile's summer residential dreamland; its lights formed the sickle's handle. Along the arc of the shore creeps the boulevard and the connecting downtown streets; their lights outlined the curving blade. At distances of from one to six blocks from the beach, high bluffs rise, their precipitous faces occupied by small houses anchored perilously to the rocks, and their heights crowned with the more pretentious structures of the older residential district; the lights along the rock stairs and walkways of cliffside and height and in the myriad windows of abutting houses were those that seemed to sing with the stars of the night sky.

"Valpo," as the city is called down Chile way, much after our North American fashion of sometimes shortening Philadelphia into "Philly," has reminded many travelers of other cities. The late Lord Bryce, great traveler that he was, found it recalling Spanish and Italian municipalities which glitter on the cliff-bound shores of the Mediterranean, particularly resembling Messina in being very long and extremely narrow, with the cliffs leaving nothing but a few blocks between their bases and the shore. Others have likened it to Trebizond on the Black sea, or have seen bits of Constantinople and Seattle in it.

Here and there steep paths and rock-hewn stairs lead up deep gullies that come down from the heights to the littoral, but with few exceptions they are too steep for aught but the feet of beasts and men.

Up the Cliffs by Elevators.

In the main, communication between the business district below and the older residential district above is by elevator and ascensor, of which there are a dozen or so.

The main business street runs close to the foot of the rocky bluffs, and it is rather a striking experience to be walking along with fine banks and stores on either side, and then suddenly come to a cross street that becomes a rocky stair winding its way up the cliff, or ending at an elevator which rises perpendicularly up the face of the natural wall. Toward the boundaries of the old city, there is one bifurcated ravine through which trolley cars reach to points on the heights.

The houses of the well-to-do on the bluffs are surrounded by narrow, winding streets, and one seldom sees a vehicle here. The market folk find their way around with panniered donkeys and horses.

The view of the harbor from the balconies of the cliff dwellers is a striking sight. Scores of ocean vessels ride at anchor, hundreds of small craft ply here and there, and one gets a bird's-eye view of the busy scenes around the wharves, along the waterfront streets, and in the business district.

Valparaiso's great earthquake of 1906 did little damage to the houses on the heights, and even those humbler homes, which seem to adhere to the faces of the cliffs as precariously as mud daubers' nests to a wall, went through it unscathed; but when we come down to the alluvial ground of the business district and the crowded tenements, consciousness of the great catastrophe is forced upon us; for the debris in some sections was so great that the city authorities abandoned the idea of its removal and simply piled it into the streets and laid new concrete thereon. Therefore, as one walks along, for blocks the steps go down from the street into the houses—a mute but eloquent reminder of the extent of the damage.

Trolleys and Busses.

The transportation problem in Valparaiso is not as acute as in most cities. The heavy hauling is done on streets near the water front, and there is little use for carriages or automobiles in the business district. The streets, therefore, are almost completely given over to trolley cars and busses. Most of the conductors on the cars are women, and a serious-minded, not-too-prepossessing lot they are.

Most of the trolley cars are double-deck vehicles. The fare on top is 10 centavos, the equivalent of 1.2 cents in United States currency, and the fare below is 20 centavos. Both men and women, outside the lower classes, will stand jammed like sardines in a box below, rather than go up to the top where vacant seats are plentiful.

There are a great many busses, and one wonders how the trolley lines can live at the rate of fare the municipality fixes and with the competition they have to meet.

On the streets which parallel the main thoroughfare on the shoreward side, one sees much of native transportation. Trains of donkeys, with their slim bodies hung about with almost every conceivable article, come and go. Some are loaded with wine casks, others with sacks of flour or cement, and still others with long pieces of iron, with furniture, and even perambulators. Boards 16 to 20 feet long are slung over the sides of the animals, sticking out many feet both fore and aft. The Chileans have a way of making almost anything accommodate itself to packsaddle transportation.

Sharing the streets with the packsaddle donkeys are the strings of carts, drawn in the fashion of the country—one horse hitched between the shafts, and at its left a second, attached to the cart by means of a breast collar and a single rope trace. This second horse carries a saddle, and the free end of the breast strap is fastened thereto. Its main duty is to carry the man who drives the cart. The single trace enables it to help out the horse in the shafts on steep grades or in heavy mud.

Lovely Vina del Mar.

The life which ebbs and flows downtown and on the heights of Valparaiso may be picturesque and distinctive, but the real thrills are reserved for those who go to its Vina del Mar in summer. Playing the dual role of an Atlantic City and a fashionable suburb, this community is one vast flower garden five miles long, climbing from the seashore to the heights. Villas bowered in roses, wistaria, poppies, pansies, blooming trees, and rich shrubs; chalets standing on terraces clad in all the gay colors of Chile's floral wealth; high-walled gardens, formal in treatment but warm and beautiful in aspect—all these join with blue sky, gray rocks and ultramarine sea to make a setting for the gay summer life for which the great seaport has long been famous.

Vina del Mar at the height of the summer social season is the very incarnation of quiet, dignified smartness. The magnificently matched horses drawing the finest examples of the coach builder's art, the dogcarts, and other types of horse-drawn vehicles share the boulevards with the latest European and American custom-built motor cars.

When the inland weather becomes hot and dusty, all of the socially elect of Santiago and of the other cities and towns of central Chile come down and take villas or chalets here.

Horse racing is a passion with the Chileans, and the summer racing season at the Vina del Mar Jockey club brings to its tracks the best stables of the whole country.

MOVE FOR HUMAN BETTERMENT

By DR. JAMES G. K. M'CLURE, Retired Presbyterian Minister.

THE greatest merger in history—the merger of science, business and religion—can be foreseen. Increasing knowledge and good will are to banish the prejudices now dividing religion and science and business, and the two are now entering an era of harmonious achievements for human betterment. The fundamentalist-modernist dispute has run its course.

There is no question that the true spirit of Christianity is entering into business through such men as Thomas A. Edison and Henry Ford, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., and Cyrus H. McCormick, and into international relations through such men as President Hoover and Premier MacDonald.

Likewise science has its brilliant minds with a spiritual understanding, such as Prof. A. A. Michelson, Prof. Arthur N. Compton and Mme. Curie, all winners of the Nobel prize. They see no conflict between the study of the operation of the laws of the universe and faith in God as the creator of all.

We don't emphasize in this day and age the brand of religion so much as we used to do, and it is a good thing. It is the spirit that counts. While there may be fewer people in the church now than there used to be, the jazz age is passing because it is superficial and unreal and people are becoming more serious minded, a condition which will eventuate in an intensified zeal and faith, marked by tolerance and social service activity.

HOME OWNERSHIP ON WANE

By DR. PHILIP D. JORDEN, Long Island University.

Scientifically arranged multiple dwellings of steel framework and glass walls will be the typical abode of the people of the next generation in the cities of the United States. Home ownership is not only on the decline, but is likely to disappear in the great cities. Even very wealthy persons are deserting the cities for the great open spaces of the country, or taking apartments or quarters in multiple dwellings.

The multiple dwelling of the next generation will be a marvel of scientific perfection. Temperatures will be regulated by ventilation, and the present-day steam radiator will be as out of date as the old-fashioned kitchen fireplace.

We may expect houses to have walls of non-shatterable glass, frosted and colored, to admit health giving rays of the sun, and to exclude the harmful rays. Such dwellings will occupy entire blocks, or perhaps several blocks, and be operated as a unit.

The private kitchen, or kitchenette, as it has come to be called, will have disappeared like the dodo bird, and meals will be scientifically prepared in a central kitchen and probably served in central dining rooms.

NEED FOR JUVENILE COURTS

By CHARLES L. CHUTE, National Probation Association.

An extension of the probational service which would place juvenile courts and skilled probation officers in every city and county in the United States would act as a preventive of crime. Child delinquents in towns where there is no juvenile court are tried in the criminal courts and sent to jail, if convicted, giving them an attitude toward society which may lead them to a criminal life.

Many a professional criminal is developed through a series of minor offenses. If he had been dealt with properly in the earlier stages, his later crimes against society probably would not have occurred, and crime statistics in our country would not be what they are at present.

Although there are only two states in the Union without juvenile court laws, hundreds of cities and the majority of rural communities have no juvenile court or probation service. This is unpardonable because we know today how to prevent a great deal of juvenile delinquency; how to lessen much of the misery of neglected children in broken homes; how to change backward, sullen youngsters into good and useful citizens, and yet we are applying this knowledge to only a small fraction of the cases.

RELIGIOUS TRUTHS AND SCIENCE

By REV. DR. HENRY DARLINGTON, New York (Episcopal).

The dictates of science should not cause one to become skeptical of great religious truths. There was a time when I was interested in squaring the teachings of religion with modern scientific thought. However, I discovered that what is good science today is bad science tomorrow. Therefore I have found that I have invariably had all my work to do over again. For instance, those religious leaders who have adapted themselves to the Darwinian teaching of evolution have had only to discover that we have practically outgrown Darwin's conception.

We need to preach a definite teaching based upon the great truths that Jesus emphasized. We should be more pragmatic. We should not be afraid to believe things that we have found to work, but which may be impossible of scientific proof, or which, when tested by science, may be entirely explained away. We must not sell our birthright of belief for a pot of porridge.

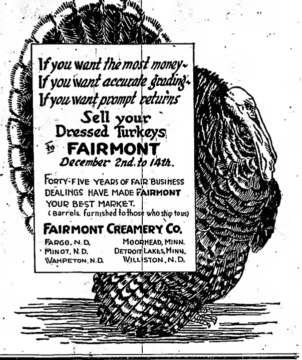
SCHOOL TRUANCY LESSENED

By HENRY J. GIDEON, Philadelphia Educational Bureau.

The old-time sport of playing hookey, which was made famous by Tom Sawyer and Huckleberry Finn, is on the decline. Truancy plays a small part in school absences now. The reason is not so much that boys and girls are better than they used to be, but rather that schools are more attractive.

A three-year survey in Philadelphia has shown that 87 per cent of all nonattendance of pupils was due to illness. The survey also showed that boys attended school more regularly than girls, but that unexcused absences were greater for boys than for girls.

Whatever truancy there is in schools today is largely due to the incapability of parents. Illegal employment also keeps a few children out of school. Some teachers also aid in causing truants, for if the teacher is cross, unattractive and lacking in understanding, the child has an incentive to stay away from school.



"Biking" Headquarters

There is a typical feature of Copenhagen which no stranger can miss, as he will encounter it everywhere—the enormous cycle traffic, the like of which is not to be found in any other big town. The ringing of all the little bells of the bicycles is as typical of the life on the Copenhagen asphalt as the singing of the larks over the Danish fields.

Platinum Substitute

A metal alloy that is harder than steel has been discovered in a laboratory in Pittsburgh. The metal, called "konel," is a combination of cobalt, nickel and ferrotitanium, and is being used as a substitute for platinum in radio tubes and for various commercial purposes in other industries.—Providence Journal.

Cabot of Italian Birth

John Cabot's real name was Giovanni Cabato, and he was born in Genoa, later moving to Venice. When he reached the North American continent, in 1497, he was sailing under the flag of England, having gone to Bristol to live about 1490.

Marvelous Clock

An unusual piece of workmanship is Bohemia's glass clock. It required several years of painstaking labor for Joseph Thayer, a glass worker of that country, to make this clock entirely of glass, even to the tiniest screw.

The Pastor Says:

The way to heaven is paved with good resolutions . . . I would rather spend the last three minutes before train time in the dingiest railway station than in the most luxurious limousine.—John Andrew Holmes.

Argentine Agriculture

Argentine is a country of great extent, and wheat is raised there under conditions similar to the wheat belt of the United States and Canada. The weather conditions, rainfall, etc., are much the same.

Bergen's Distinction

Rome is not the only city built on seven hills, for Bergen, Norway, where Grieg, the composer, was born and Bjornson and Ibsen were once theater directors, makes a similar claim.

No Water on Mars

The Naval observatory says that the theory that the darker areas of the surface of Mars are covered by water has long been given up. Mars is all land.

Summing It Up

A person's own good breeding is the best security against other people's ill manners.

Original

Rector—I have much pleasure in announcing that Mr. Cackle will now amuse us with some of his well known funny stories.—London Opinion.

Traverses Many States

The Oregon trail crosses the state of Nebraska, goes through the Black hills of South Dakota, crosses Montana, Idaho and Washington.

First Sugar Mill

In 1758 a man named Dubreul built the first sugar mill on the Mississippi river, a short distance below New Orleans.

TO IMPORT BIRDS.

Bismarck.—Authorization to distribute 2,000 Chinese pheasants and 500 pairs of Hungarian partridges on various game preserves in North Dakota was given to B. W. Maurek, state game and fish commissioner, by the state game and fish board.

PICTURES FEATURE N. D.

Bismarck.—"A picture is worth a thousand words," said Joseph M. Devine, commissioner of immigration, stacking up copies of the latest bulletin prepared by the department seeking to attract settlers to North Dakota. The pamphlet contains 24 pictures.

Soot by the Ton

Tangible evidence as to the magnitude of the smoke problem has been gathered by weighing the annual fall of soot in several large cities. In the dirtiest of ten centers observed recently, it was found that 794 tons of soot and dust fell a square mile for the year, while in the cleanest community the deposit was 101 tons a square mile.—Gas Progress.

Odd Ornaments in Parks

In many of the public parks and private gardens of Europe figures of animals and queer birds, turtles and frogs are interspersed with quaint little gnomelike figures, all executed in terra cotta. The figures are placed in various positions among the flowers and shrubs and resemble lifelike illustrations of fairy tales.

Now What?

A well-known manufacturer received an exceedingly bitter complaint from a customer, and wired the local representative to call, pacify, and report. In due season the manufacturer received this cryptic telegram: "Saw Mr. Brown and explained. He was well pleased when I left!"—Recorder.

Accounted For

"Anger sweetens the blood" is the Literary Digest's heading of an article about the German doctor's discovery that it really increases the sugar content. Probably the extra sweetness anger puts into the blood is that which it takes out of the disposition. —Boston Transcript.

Fraidy Cats

Probably not more than one person in ten thousand ever saw a burglar more than once in a whole lifetime. Yet these people act as though three houses out of five were burglarized every night of the year.—American Magazine.

International Courtesy

The phrase "comity of nations" is an expression in international law which defines that spirit of courtesy which causes one nation to recognize the laws and institutions of another in such a manner as to permit them to take effect within its own territory.

Laver Bread

In South Wales, red seaweeds belonging to the genus Porphyra are collected and boiled down to make laver bread. This substance is eaten as a condiment with fried bacon and is to be seen regularly on sale in Cardiff market.

Song of Praise

"Hallelujah," or "Halleluiah" as it is sometimes spelled, literally means "Praise ye Jah," "Jah" being a variation of the Hebrew word "Jehovah." A song or exclamation of gratitude or praise to God is called a hallelujah.

Encouraging French Study

The Alliance Francaise was founded in 1902 for the purpose of encouraging in the United States and Canada the study and cultivation of the language, literature, art and history of France.

Uncle Eben

"We used to hear 'bout 'love, honor, and obey,'" said Uncle Eben. "A bridegroom now is liable to be satisfied if de lady will guarantee not to git mad an' shoot 'im."—Washington

DEER BEING KILLED.

Williston.—Although there is no open season on deer in North Dakota, many of the animals are being slain in the bottoms of the Missouri river near here, it is reported. Several arrests have been made.

NO RIOT FEARED.

Bismarck.—"All quiet on the Potomac," as far as the North Dakota state penitentiary is concerned, C. C. Turner, the warden says, and there is little likelihood that a riot even remotely resembling those in other states during the past few months is likely to develop.

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Immunize Pigs

Baby pigs one manth af age may ba successfully immunized against cholera, sccordiug ta the wark af Grahsm, Thorpe and Hectarns at tha University of Illinois. Such practice is not generally recommended hy veterinarians warking under general farm canditiaus. The studies quated indicate that other diseases canstitute a complicating factar af grawing importance in anthreaks of hog cholera. Thera is a saving af time and serum warth cansidering when pigs are vaccinated yaung.

Selecting a Sire

Thorongh investigation shonld he made ta measure the true worth of a hull in selecting a proved sire. The fact that a sira has a number of tested danghters is nat adequata and may he no reliohle measnre af his worth.

A proved sire is cansidered ta he one with five or six unselected daughters, with records, preferahly far one year. Tests shaw that a sira mated with a given type of cow will continna to pradnce similar danghters. If six of tha danghters are gaod, the sire shonld be saved.

Live Stock Notes

All lamhs should ha docked and the ram lambs castrated.

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Tha sheep man shanld gauge the feed given hy tha condition of tha awes, but it is always advisabla to feed some grain for at least six weeks hefore lambing.

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Blaating is ta soma extent an individual matter with tha animals, same animals shawing a mnch mare frequent tendency ta hloat than others, possibly hecausa they are more greedy.

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Farm ewes need exercise. Feed them sa as to mave them away from the barn lot.

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Swine sanitation will result in saving a larger percentage af pigs and more economical gains far feed consumed.

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It has been estimated that only 50 per cent af the pigs farrowed live to marketable age. It is commonly assnmed that 90 per cent of all losses from diseases in swine may be charged to hog cholera.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the estate of Oscar O. Maland Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to All Whom it May Concern:

Whereas, O. O. Maland has filed in this Court his petition stating, among other things, that he is the father of said decedent and one of the heirs of the above named decedent; that said decedent died intestate, a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, left property in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and was a citizen of the United States; and praying that administration of bis estate be granted to M. H. Jackson:

Therefore, You are hereby cited to he and appear before said Court on the 14th day of December 1929, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State and show cause, if any you have, why said petition should not be granted.

Dated Nov. 18, 1929.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Probate Judge.

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Petitioner
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Milady in Long Gloves With Sleeveless Frock

Long glaves have reappeared in Paris after an ahsence af many years, since some of the biggest names in fashian making declared for half and quarter sleeves for midsummer dress.

They are in the shaps in many varieties of wash glaves of elbaw length, or slightly sharter. Nearly all the models are buttonless pull-ons.

Glava makers so far ara waiting for demand ta regulate their output of long glaves. Some af them are frankly skeptical sbout women's acceptance of long sleeves far midsummer. They hase their douht, they ssy, on the modern woman's insistence npon tha least possihla cavering.

Pull-on glaves with 6-inch cuff are tha madel most warn with the infarmal suits mada af silk ar wool that ara an impartant phase of summer styles. Nearly everyhody wears washahla suede in Paris, tha weight of the glova varying with the weight of the fabric in the costume.

With tweed castumes the rule of stockings and glaves of matching tint still holds.

Smock Is Supplanting Old-Fashioned Dress

The smock is a versatila garment. It serves the artist, the housewife and the warklug girl. In soma homes it has snpplanted the housedress, while in variaus shaps, factories and offices, it has heen adopted as a unifarm.

Becuse it is tha functian of tha smack to protect the clothing beneath, many wamen are proue to neglect its appearance. They feel that it doesn't matter haw soiled the smack becomes as long as the garments under the smack remain clean and dainty.

Since smacks are usually made af washahle fabrics, the laundering of them is a simple matter. It is poor policy to wear a smock until it becomes hodly soiled for more than one reasan. Frequent light laundering is less likely ta wear ant a garment than ruhhing a hadly soiled oue and it is easier on the laundress as well. The practical woman, whether in husiness or at home, will hava several smocks on hand, so that sha may consign them ta the laundry bag as soon as they show signs of soil.

Jersey Will Not Cling to Taffeta Underslip

Have yau often wandered whether there wasn't same way that you cauld keep yaur jersey costumes from clinging sa ta yaur figure? It seems to be one of the greatest drawbacks to this popular fahric—hut at last it can be eliminated. Chanel has introduced a soft taffeta underskirt with her newest jersey suit and it promises to be universally adapted. The jersey will nat cling to the taffeta and tha taffeta is so light that it will not rustle. This is a very good idea for loosely woven tweeds as well.

Perfect 36 Now Is 38, Says Paris Authority

The average and ideal American figure for which American huyers order French models is not the mythical 36, accarding to a Paris anthority, but a substantial and recognized 38 for tha adult figure.

Athletics and ontdoor life have had much to da with developing American wamen from the boasted 36 measurement to 38.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of tha sum of Thirty-eight Hundred Sixty and 40-100 ($3860.40) Dollars, which is claimed to be dua and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Karl A. Sundahl and Anna Sundahl, his wife, Mortgagors, to First and Peoples State Bank, (a corporation under thá laws of the State of Minnesota), Martgagee, bearing date the 16th day of Navember, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register af Deeds in and far the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, an the 18th day af Navember, 1920, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 13 of Mortgages, an page 629, and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or atherwise, to recover the deht secured hy said Martgage ar any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue af tha power of sale contained in said Martgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Martgage will he fareclosed hy a sale of the premises described in and conveyed hy said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), of Block One (1), of Connelly's First Addition to Red Lake Rapids, (naw a part of the City of Thief River Falls), according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the affice af the Register of Deeds in and far the County af Pennington and State of Minnesota, and

Lots Four (4) and Five (5), of Block Nineteen (19), in the Townsite af Red Lake Rapids, (now a part af the City af Thief River Falls), according to the plat thereof naw an file and af record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County af Pennington and State af Minnesota, and

Lots Thirty-faur (34), Thirty-five (35), Thirty-six (36), Thirty-seven (37) and Thirty-eight (38), af Block Ten (10), in the Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, (naw a part af the City of Thief River Falls), according to the plat thereof now an file and af record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County af Pennington and State af Minnesota, and all of said property situated in Pennington County and State of Minnesota,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made hy the Sheriff of said Pennington County at tha front door af the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 21st day of December, 1929, at ten a'clock A. M., af that day, at puhlic vendue, to the highest hidder far cash, to pay said deht af $3860.40, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees, as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case af fareclosure, and the disbursements allowed hy law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from tha day of sale, as provided hy law.

Dated November 8th, A. D. 1929.

FIRST and PEOPLES STATE BANK,
Martgagee,

Peri W. Mabey and H. O. Chammie
Attorneys far Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. N7-D12

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, }
County of Pennington } ss.
State of Minnesota. }

To Jahn F. Magnusson.

(1) You are herehy natified that the follawing piece ar parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as fallows, to-wit:

Lot 7 of Block 2 in the Townsite of Hazel, Minn.

Is Naw Assessed in Yaur Name.

(2) That an the 12th day af May, 1924, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and hy the District Court in said County af Pennington on the 15th day af March, 1924, in proceedings to enfarce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1922, for said County af Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was offered far sale, and no one hidding upan said offer, said piece or parcel, was hid in far the State af Minnesota far the sum af ($6.58), Six and 58|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 9th day af September, 1929, the said piece or parcel nat then having heen redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor af said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser far the sum af Twenty twa Dollars and Eighty one cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel af land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($22.81), Twenty twa Dollars and Eighty ane cents, and interest at the rate af 12 per cent per annum on ($22.81), Twenty two and 81|100 Dollars from said Ninth day of September, 1929, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this natice requested.

(6) That the time far the redemption of said piece or parcel af land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof af such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 4th day of Navember, 1929.

(Official Seal.)

T. P. ANDERSON,
Auditor Pennington County,
Approved July 13, 1925 Minnesota.
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. N21 D5.

Making the Grade

"And I thought my son, Hank, was doing so well, too," said the disappointed parent of the yauth wha failed to graduate. "The teacher tald ma only recently that if Hank had only a littla more sense he wauld he a moron."—Pathfinder Magazine.

Gold Seal Flour

We are handling the well known Gold Seal fancy patent flour again. This flour has always given satisfaction to all users.

Try a sack the next time you order flour.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Best Winter Service

To get the best service out of your car during the cold winter months, perfect lubrication is very essential. We have oils and grease suitable for all makes of cars, and will be glad to assist you in selecting the oil and grease best suited for your car.

Snappy gas, the kind that makes your motor go into action the minute you touch the starter, is our

KOOLMOTOR

Try a thankfull next time you fill--you'll be agreeebly surprised at the way your motor will perform.

Young's Service Station

All Wild Beasts Not Ruthless in Slaughter

Na animol can npprach the cheetah, or "hnnting leopard," in speed over a short distance. The most agila antelopes af India and Africa fall victims to the cheetoh.

The leopard kills far the pleasure af killing. It will enter a sheepfald and kill every living thing. In a leopard conutry no dog is safe.

Lions rarely hecome man-eaters. The reason lies partly in the haldness of the Africon natives, porticnlorly the Masai, who pursne to the death any lion that dores kill one of their sheep or gaats.

The lion, once most numerous in Indiu, hos almost completely disappeared, the few remaining heing corefully preserved. Why they have disappeared, where ance so numerous, is one af nature's mysteries.

The lion kills to live and when well filled instils no feor among the wild. The tiger, on the coutrary, is ruthless in its slaughter, treacherous, and tha dread af its fellaw creatures of the wild.—Kansas City Times.

Amazon's Many Tributaries

The great size of the Amazon river is dne to some extent to tha configuratian of the land. The Amazon valley lies hetween twa parallel ranges of mauntains upon whase sides a larga nnmher of streams of considerahla size flow. These streams have generally a sautheustern canrse and it is prohahly the eastward flow of tha waters which tends to increase tha size of the Amazon river. There is na dividing ridga of mauntains ta divert part of tha flow to other directiaus. The Amazou has at least 200 large trihutories, 17 of which are from 1,000 to 2,300 miles long. Thera are innumerable athers of smaller size.

"Swedenborgia"

Followers of Swedenborg helieve in a doctrina which is called "correspondence" and see a relatiau instead of a differenca between matters on several planes of life, natural, spiritual and divine, saying that every spiritual conception has a counterpart in objectiva reality. Ona of their principal tenets is the "doctrina of use" by which Swedenborg first emphasized usefulness as a primary religiaus requirement.

South River Falls

Mr. and Mrs. John Larson visited at the Paul Thyren home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thyren and family spent Thanksgiving day at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Thyren.

Evelyn Peterson, Gladys Peterson, Ivanette and Evelyn Thyren spent the Thanksgiving holidays at their respective hames here.

Miller Peterson spent Thursday evening at the Paul Thyren home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanson of Red Lake Falls spent Thanksgiving at the K. T. Dalager home.

The following guests were entertained at the Bennie Johnson home Saturday evening, Thorsten & Annie Walseth, Ollie & Martha Swenson. Dorothy & Harvey Olson, Hazen Wallen, Frank Johnson, Mae Kenney, Rudolph Sand.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Peterson, and family spent Sunday at the Aug. Erickson home.

Magnetizing Process

There are several methods of magnetizing iron or steel; by means of the electric current, hy rubbing with a magnet, hy hammering, etc. A steel har may be placed across tha poles of an electromagnet, or from the north pole of one magnet to the south pola of another magnet, and hammered to magnetize it. It is said that steel and iron hars can become magnetized by long contact with the earth, with or without paunding, and steel rails are often found to be appreciably magnetic.

Holiday Gift Goods

We have placed on display this week, our line of holiday gift goods suitable for all members of the family.

The toy counter contains a good assortment of mechanical toys etc., that will delighr the hearts of the little folks. Come and see them.

Tree decorations and trimmings, a fine lot of China and metal goods, nifty neckwear, toilet articles, candies, nuts, fruits are a few of the hundreds of items we have as suggestions to Santa in making the coming Christmas the "best ever."

Remember, holiday goods suitable for young and old at

Carlson Merc. Co. Inc.

"The Home of Holiday and Gift Goods"

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Duluth—Tourists spent $5,000,000 in the Arrowhead district of Minnesota this year.

Milaca—Newly elected officers of the Rebekah lodge here will be installed in January.

Minneapolis—A. J. Schunk, appointed postmaster here, was inaugurated Monday, assuming his duties at once.

Sleepy Eye—Purchase of new equipment by the local power plant has enabled it to increase its capacity threefold.

Faribault—Mrs. George Stoffregen, wife of the former publisher of the Lakeville Leader, died at a hospital here.

Silver Lake—Dr. B. P. Wrblitsky was re-elected president of the Bearcats, local community club at the annual meeting.

Brainerd—The Women's Christian Temperance Union of the fifth district conducting a subdistrict institute at Brainerd.

St. Paul—Three men associated with the Ten Thousand Lakes Fur Farms were indicted on charges of violating the blue sky law.

Fairmont—Martin County Farm Bureau will have its annual meeting December 14 to elect officers and outline its program for the coming year.

Stillwater—William E. McNeughton, chief of police for 16 years and a member of the local department 30 years, died here. He was 76 years old.

Robbinsdale—This city will again vote for annexation to Minneapolis at its city election. Incumbent, Mayor W. S. Randall, has filed for reelection.

Red Wing—The congregations of Trinity Lutheran and St. Peter's churches here have approved a merger of their congregations and properties.

Minneapolis—A special committee reported the city had been "shortchanged" by 16,500 gallons of road oil in road oil purchases of 1926, 1927 and 1928.

New Prague—Extensive plans are being made for this year's Southern Minnesota Livestock Show, December 11 to 12, with many entries of exhibits already made.

Owatonna—John Jurgenson was elected president of the Steele County Agricultural Society, which sponsors the Steele county free fair, at the annual meeting here.

Hastings—A 20-year franchise to construct and operate a gas plant and distribution system here was granted to the North American Utilities Company of Chicago.

Tracy—The Flower and Garden club here has elected Arthur H. Rowland president, Charles Starr and Max Nash vice-president and Mrs. R. D. Reese secretary and treasurer.

Dawson—The Tri-county Crop Improvement Association and the Lac qui Parle County Poultry Association will have a combined grain and poultry show here December 16-18.

Albert Lea—A second all paved highway route from Minnesota to Chicago will be completed in 1930 with the paving of highway No. 1 from this city to the Iowa state line.

Rochester—Funeral services for Representative Hans P. Christianson, member of the state legislature for three terms, were conducted here in the First Methodist church.

Kenyon—Dr. C. S. Nasseth was elected master of Kenyon lodge of Masons at its annual meeting Other officers are George Hanson, Harry Bergh, George Elcock and M. S. Halling.

Owatonna—An appeal for support of local, state and national programs of the Izaak Walton League of America was made at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Owatonna Rotary Club.

Minneapolis—The Minneapolis Grain Commission Merchants association has asked permission to appear before the federal farm board and present its side of the present grain market situation.

Minneapolis—Santee Sioux Indians claim ownership of 10 square miles of downtown Minneapolis, under an old treaty. Suit was to be started in federal court at Washington, D. C., for recovery.

Duluth—For the first time in 10 years this city is without the services of its city-owned tug, which has been in use during the construction of the new ship canal bridge. The tug has been declared unseaworthy.

Winona—Dr. Raymond Asa Kent, who was inaugurated president of the University of Louisville at Louisville, Ky., is a former instructor of the Winona state teachers college and superintendent of schools here.

Red Wing—The theft of several hundred bushels of grain from Goodhue county farms and the stealing of eight automobiles in St. Paul is believed solved with the arrest of Robert Johnson, alias Arthur Staples of Stillwater.

Rochester—Rochesters canning factory, planning on tripling its output next year, will then produce more peas and sweet corn than any other canning factory in the nation. Ten thousand acres of land will be necessary to grow the raw products for the factory.

Anoka—Contracts have been let for a laundry and connecting tunnel at the state asylum at Anoka and for a barn at the state game farm at Madelia by H. W. Austin, state purchasing commissioner. The work at Anoka will cost $20,000 and at Madelia $1,989.

Rochester—Six south-eastern Minnesota counties, Winona, Fillmore, Dodge, Goodhue, Wabasha and Olmsted, and two Wisconsin counties, Trempealeau and Buffalo, are to be represented here at the annual meeting of the Gamehaven Area Council of the Boy Scouts.

Turkey Day

Friday, December 13

Dressed turkeys will be received at the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery on date stated above.

Kindly bring in birds as early as possible to facilitate quick handling.

Remember the date

The Debt of Honor

By JANE OSBORN

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A DEPRESSING and unaccustomed silence hung over the supper table in the Yates dining room. Occasionally Mrs. Yates cast knowing looks at her husband, with side glances at her Daughter, Dorothy, who was eating valiantly despite an aching heart. Her brother, Samuel Yates, was silent because the only thing he wanted to talk about was the thing that his father had ordered him not to mention.

Finally Father Yates said, "Ahem," by way of beginning, and then after a pause and with his eyes on his wife to see that she approved he began: "I suppose you have heard the news, Dorothy."

"Yes," was all she answered.

"Have you any idea what made him leave?"

"No, father," she said, and then bit her lip and looked down to stifle the sob in her voice.

"Well, then there is something crooked about it. He would have told you, I guess, if there hadn't been."

Dorothy's eyes, now raised daringly, were glowing with indignation. "How can you say that?" she asked. "You know Tom Payson didn't take anything with him. I know what you've been doing all day. You've been asking down at the bank and all around to see if he forged a check or anything."

"That's just what we have been doing," said the father. "So far everything seems to be O. K. And the funny thing about it is that he went off without ever getting a cent of what's due him for the work he has done."

"Why, papa," interjected Mrs. Yates, "Tom has worked here nearly three months. Why in the world didn't you pay him regularly, same as the other hired men?"

"'Cause he asked me not to when he came," said Mr. Yates, with satisfaction at not being to blame. "He said he'd rather have the money piling up, or something of the sort.

"Yes," went on Mr. Yates, "I've had the other thing happen, but I don't know as I ever heard of just this sort of thing. I remember the time Henry cleared out owing me for horse fodder I'd been supplying him all winter."

"How much did he owe you, dad?" asked the practical Samuel.

"Just three hundred and ninety-two dollars and a half," said Mr Yates. "I remember—" Then he stopped short and looked around at the faces of the members of his family round the supper table. They had all been struck by the same fact at the same time.

"Did it ever strike you," Mr. Yates asked his wife slowly, "that this fellow looked a mite like Henry Glover—like enough to be his son?"

"But how could he be his son when his name is Payson?" asked Dorothy.

A week later Mr. Yates announced that he had had a letter from "that fellow that disappeared."

"What I was going to say," said Mr. Yates, "is that this young fellow Tom Payson is Glover's nephew. He went out West and so did his folks and seems like now old Glover has died and Payson found out that he'd left this debt. Might have been a dying request of the old man's. And so Payson comes on and pays the debt in the only way he can, by working it out. He doesn't say it in just that many words in his letter," Mr. Yates continued, "but I judge that is what happened. He says, though, that he still owes the interest, but he'll get around to paying that in cash. Now that's what I call being pretty honest. I shouldn't say," added Mr Yates, talking for his daughter's benefit, but not looking at her, "that Tom Payson amounted to a whole lot Probably won't ever be anything but a hired man and not a real smart one at that, but he earned his four dollars a day all right."

"I suppose you'd feel awfully disappointed if I was to marry a hired man," Dorothy said.

"I'd rather you didn't," said Mr. Yates. "Still, Tom Payson's a mighty honest fellow, even if he is a hired man."

"But he isn't, dad," said Dorothy, and then from the passageway between the living room and the front door appeared Tom Payson. Dorothy ushered him into the presence of Mr. Yates and, after rather embarrassed greetings, went on, "he's a mining engineer, dad, and no more hired man than I am."

Mr. Yates put the question that puzzled him. "If you are an up and coming mining engineer, then why didn't you pay that debt in cash instead of giving up your time to it?" he asked.

"Because," said Tom, "my uncle told me about the difficulty between you and him and said that though he felt that he was probably to blame he wouldn't pay it and made me promise never to pay it, either. You see, he left me as his only heir. I couldn't take that money without paying his debts. I promised not to pay in money, I didn't promise not to pay in work. But I didn't say anything about paying interest. I'll figure that out, Mr. Yates, and pay it and then we'll be square."

"Well, well, sir," said Mr. Yates, stupefied. "I'm blessed! Well, I see no reason why you shouldn't marry Dorothy."

And so Mr. Yates gave his consent before it was asked.

Small Farms in India

"India is essentially a country of small holdings," says Sir Verney Lovett, author of "India." "In many parts of the country the land is held mainly by families of peasant properties. In other parts the bulk of the land is owned by large properties, but even in such cases the tenant in chief has generally been protected by a series of rent acts which not only insure him fixity of tenure during his lifetime but often grant the right of descent of the tenure to his heirs on his death. The disruptive tendencies of the Hindu and Mohammedan laws have profoundly affected agricultural economy through encouraging the minute subdivision of land." Fragmentation is the rule.

OF COURSE

Now that balanced and matched sets of golf clubs are in general use, we may expect dialogues like the following to occur wherever the game is played:

"Hey, Joe, what did you make it in today?"

"Shot a 96."

"Way off your game, eh?"

"No. I've got to take my clubs to the service station and have them properly toned."

Would Do His Share.

"Look her, I shall expect you to pay your own bills," said a father who had been considerably annoyed by his son's extravagant habits.

"Certainly, dad," replied the youth. "I don't expect you to run about seeing my tailor and so on. Just leave a check on the table for me this morning and I'll see to everything myself!"—Stray Stories.

WOULD RISK IT

The chaperon has just told the girls she thought those horrid boys were telling risque jokes.

Distinguished Disturbance.

How often history will proclaim
Some one to peace averse,
Who, when affairs are bad, finds fame
By making matters worse!

What McGrab Wanted.

McGrab was interviewing his intended father-in-law.

"I've come to ask you for your daughter's hand," he said.

"All right," said the old gentleman; "that's fixed, then."

"Do her diamond rings go with it?" asked McGrab, anxiously.

Makes Many Knots.

"Yes, this little boat makes 20 knots an hour!" said the motor-boat owner, as they plowed through the waves.

"Go on!" gasped his pretty companion. "What a lot of rope you must use! But tell me—who unties them all?"

Made Him Famous.

Scribbles—What made him so famous as an author?

Wrottles—He sent a book to the publisher and then waited so long for it to be published that the book became rare and commanded high prices as extinct first editions.

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

The Oriental Viewpoint

THIS story, it seems to me, is more or less illustrative of a cardinal point of difference between the Oriental philosophy and the Occidental viewpoint as it is reflected in some of the larger American cities. Moreover it has the added advantage of being the recital of an actual occurrence.

A distinguished Japanese sociologist, who spoke good English, was touring the country a few years ago with a view to studying our ways and institutions. He reached New York, bringing letters of introduction to a well-known native scientist. The New Yorker arranged a day of sightseeing for the distinguished visitor.

The latter was quite anxious to study traffic conditions. He had heard of the Brooklyn bridge rush. So the American began the forenoon by taking his guest to Park row, where the Jap spent an interested half-hour observing the jam of humanity. The next event on the program was to be a study of uptown congestion.

When the two observers were ready to leave the bridge no taxicab was available, so the guide steered the Japanese aboard a subway local at City Hall station. At the Bridge station he hurried the foreigner out of the car, dragged him through the crush on the platform, and jammed him forcibly aboard a northbound express.

At Grand Central the same thing was repeated. The Oriental was hurried across another platform, led at a trot through a long and winding tunnel, up one flight of stairs and down another and shoved in at the door of a second train from which, eventually, they emerged and climbed to the street.

The American led the way to the lobby of a nearby hotel where, by appointment, the two of them were to meet an official of the police department who had agreed to escort them through Fifth avenue and upper Broadway. They sat down to await his arrival. He was not due for perhaps a half-hour yet.

The Japanese, like most of his countrymen, was a small man. In the journey he had been sorely buffeted about. A careless elbow had jammed his hat down over his eyes, his morning coat was rumpled and his slender toes had been trodden upon. As he rearranged his disordered wardrobe, he said to his companion:

"Would it not have been possible for us to have made the entire journey from where we started to this point where we are now by remaining upon the train which we originally boarded?"

"Oh, yes," said the American, "but, you see, by changing from the first local to the express and then back again to another local, we saved three minutes."

"Ah," said the Japanese, "and now what are you going to do with the three minutes?"

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Two Good Reasons

As long as a man is partisan he can't help being putrescent at times. We so remark for two reasons: We think it is true. And we wanted to try a new word.—Atchison Globe.

LOCALS

Dr. Spofford
Optometrist

will be at-
Hotel Lincoln, Red Lake Falls,
Wed. Dec. 11, forenoon only.
Blue Parrot Cafe, St. Hilaire
Wed. Dec. 11, afternoon only.

My coal customers and friends may obtain one of my souvenir pancake turners FREE by calling at Bob's Coffee Shop and requesting one.

Art Hendrickson.

MEET THE GANG
-AT-
Bob's Coffee Shop
If you can't eat at home. eat with us
R. Helmkay,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

For Sale

Cow, to freshen in December
1 team work horses 10 yrs. old
Large buffet
Gang plow
Mower Hay rake
Drill Hay rack
Hay

Reasonable if taken at once. Call or see

Mrs. C. A. Halvorson.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$1.18
Durum Wheat	1.04
Rye	.85
Barley	.46
Oats	.36
Flax	3.02
Eggs, cash	.40
Creamery butter	.46

Island Navigation Menace

Sable Island is a low-lying island in the Atlantic, in latitude 44 degrees N. and longitude 60 degrees W., 85 miles east of Nova Scotia. It is a chain of sand dunes inclosing a lagoon, and is such a menace to navigation that the government of [illegible] maintains two lighthouses [illegible]. It was formerly 40 miles in length, but is now only 20. It is gradually sinking. Upon its sandy ridges grow cranberries and wild grass. Attempts are being made to raise pines and other evergreens. The only inhabitants are the lighthouse and lifeboat men. The island is known for its breed of hardy wild ponies.

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P-T Meeting Friday

A fine meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held Friday evening at the school building. Due to cold weather, and because of other activities taking place that evening, attendance was not so good as at some previous meetings.

Main feature on the program was an address by Rev. S. Fjelstad, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran church at Thief River Falls. Rev. Fjelstad gave a most interesting address dealing with the duties of parents and teachers in shaping the course for the young people that they might develop into respected and useful citizens for this great country of ours. His address, replete with facts and figures, was both interesting and very instructive to all who heard it. It was evident he had given considerable time and thought to preparation of the address which was one of the best ever given before a meeting of the local association.

Among the other much appreciated numbers were a piano solo by Miss Friestad, two solos by Robert Lund of Thief River Falls, and, two numbers by the local male quartette consisting of Wm. Peterson, Arthur Hendrickson, Theo. Skatrud and Ole Johnson. Following the program, lunch was served from the domestic science room.

25 Years Ago

May Sorsoliel returned from Langdon, N. D., where she had taught a term of school.

—XXV—

John Edstrom was here from Cannon Falls for a visit with his son, A. M. Edstrom.

—XXV—

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Case left for western Canada where he had taken a homestead, and where they expected to make their future home.

—XXV—

Otterness & Edstrom commenced building a store at Hazel, the Soo siding east of here.

—XXV—

Mrs. Sarah Soderberg, one of the pioneers of this section, died the previous Thursday at her home on Water street, at the age of 79 years.

—XXV—

Knute Killand rented the St. Hilaire Hotel property and was to open the hotel and bar first of the year.

—XXV—

Martin Bjerk was called to McIntosh by a message stating his sister had died in that village.

Winter Shows, Feb. 10-14

The annual Winter Shows, the Red River Valley's premier winter event, will be held at Crookston on February 10 to 14 this winter. Railroads are co-operating with the Winter Show management by scheduling special trains and granting reduced rates during "Valley Week".

The special train on this line will run Wednesday, Feb,12th., starting from Warroad at 6:00 in the morning, and returning from Crookston at 10:30 P. M.

To Our Subscribers

This week we are mailing subscription statements to all our readers whose subscriptions are due, or about to expire first of the new year. In making out several hundreds of these statements, mistakes will creep in at times despite our best efforts to prevent them. If any reader receives a statement that they know is incorrect, we will appreciate it our attention is called to it, and we will gladly correct it.

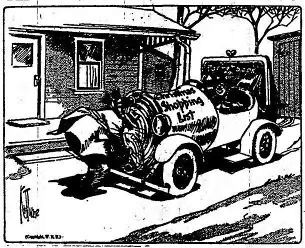
Amount called for on each statement is but a small sum, but multiplied by hundreds, it represents quite a respectable amount. We shall greatly appreciate if readers will make prompt remittance because costs of production are constantly increasing, and it requires money to publish a newspaper. As has been our custom in the past, we will not mail receipts for payments--thereby saving that cost--but will acknowledge receipts thru these columns weekly.

If your name appears on the "list" after making payments, that is indication that you have received credit.

To make the holiday season more interesting for our readers, we would appreciate getting short letters from our distant subscribers. Many former residents of St. Hilaire, now living in other states, keep in touch with the old home town thru the Spectator. Old friends of days gone by would like to hear how YOU are faring, what you are doing; and how you like your present location. Don't forget to write that letter, we will be looking for it.

Forty six degrees below zero weather prevailed in the MacKenzie river country in northern Canada Tuesday. The cold wave is moving south.

Hard to Get Started



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Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

For convenience of customers, all stores in St. Hilaire will be open evenings from now until Christmas

After spending several days here with his brothers, Sig. Engh left Sunday night over the Soo for his home at Minneapolis.

S. Bergland was down yesterday from Thief River for a brief visit at the homes of his son and daughter, G. Bergland and Mrs. M. Volden.

Oscar Kolstad, who has been employed during the summer months at Duluth, returned home Tuesday.

Dr. Geo. Spofford, the Long Prairie optometrist, was here yesterday afternoon making his last trip during the present year.

Don't miss seeing the Junior Class play Friday or Saturday evening, at the Imperial hall.

A series of evangelistic meetings conducted by Rev. John Nelson of Hubbard, Minn., at the Evang. Mission church, closed last Sunday evening.

Tomorrow is Turkey Day at the local creamery. As freight shipments of turkey will cease at end of this week, it is hoped everybody will market their birds Friday.

Notice to Creamery patrons

Cream will not be taken on either Christmas or New Year Day at the local creamery. Please bring your cream either Monday or Friday during those two week.

Paul Ortloff came up Saturday from Detroit Lakes for a visit with his family. Paul is employed as foreman for a road construction and graveling outfit that is operating near Detroit Lakes.

Sam T. Espeland, who left here for Moscow, Idaho, a short time ago, writes friends that he is well pleased with that section of the country, and his new position. Sam says the weather is mild out there at present, and that it feels more like fall than winter.

The local high school basketeers took the short end of a 19 to 4 score when they played the Warren high school team in that city last Friday evening. This being first game of the season for the local lads, they did not expect to win this contest with the more experienced team at Warren.

Only ten shopping days remain before Christmas.

The Spectator has placed on display, a nice line of Christmas and New Year cards.

Mrs. B. E. Burkee leaves soon to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Martz at Litchfield.

The local school closes December 20th, for the annual Christmas vacation of two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gonnering motored Tuesday to Thief River for a visit with former neighbors.

Paul Roy has had charge of the hardware store this week during absence of Mr. Bergh.

The highway department snowplow was through here yesterday and today clearing away some small snow drifts that had accumulated along the road.

Classy boxed stationery, new shapes, in subdued colors and white suitable for holiday gifts, now on display at the Sptctator office.

Harry Winter made a nice improvement at his barber shop this week by a new linoleum floor covering, and by giving the interior a coat of paint.

Gravel is being hauled and spread on Water street from the Swedish Lutheran church north to end of the school ground. This piece of road was in very poor shape all last fall so the improvement is timely.

Give a subscription to the Readers Digest to father for Christmas this year. He will like the 31 short, concise articles it contains each month.

All commonly used electric light lamps, 10, 15, 25, 40, 50 and 60 watt sizes, now sell at 20 cents each at the General Electric lamp agency at the Spectator office.

In another column is an interesting letter from Congressman C. G. Selvig giving an explanation why butter prices dropped recently. It is interesting; read it.

First snow of any amount thus far this season, fell over this part of the state last Friday morning. It is estimated the fall was about three inches. With roads in good shape before the snow, this will make excellent sleighing.

Special Exhibition Train

The Great Northern will operate a special free exhibition train on the G. N. lines in Minnesota and eastern North Dakota in January, February and March. The train will carry three carloads of exhibits to demonstrate and emphasize the value of livestock, sweet clover, and alfalfa as a foundation for PERMANENT agriculture. They will feature the successful methods used by farmers thruout the territory to improve the fertility of the soil and grow more profitable grain crops and at the same time secure new revenue from livestock and feed crops.

The train will make from two to three stops each day and will be open for inspection and program about three hours at each stop. It will be on this line during the month of January, the local date to be set later. A large auditorium car will be part the equipment of the train, and addresses will be given there. Stereoptican views will be shown of actual farms thruout the country upon which practical and progressive methods are practiced.

Later:- The special exhibition train itenerary received after the above announcement, states the train will be in St. Hilaire during the forenoon of January 22nd.

Lumbering Slack

According to reports, there will not be so much activity in the lumber woods in Minnesota this year as in some years past. Curtailment of mining has lessened the demand for mine timber, and, as there will only be a few sawmills operating in the state next year, the timber supply for that purpose will be smaller. Very little good lumber timber remains now to be cut in this state which was, a few years ago, one of the largest producers of lumber in the Union.

Junior Play This Week

The Junior Class of the local school will present their class play entitled "And Home Came Ted" at the Imperial hall Friday and Saturday evenings this week. The play is full of thrills from start to finish, and is said to be one of the best ever selected by the local school.

Its going to be worth coming miles to see this play so no one should miss it.

Washington Letter

By Cong. C. G. Selvig

Washington, Nov. 30: On Jan. 1, 1929, there were 21, 821, 000 milk producing cows in the United States. Ten years ago, in 1919, there were 23, 475, 000. Twenty years ago, in 1909, there were 21,720 000. In those twenty years the population of the county has increased about twenty-five millions.

The October production of butter, in the U. S., was about two million pounds more than the October production a year ago. The total butter in cold storage on Nov. 1 was 138, 000,000 pounds as compared with 105,000,000 pounds a year ago. Those facts combined with the crash of the New York stock market, caused some of the holders of cold storage butter to start selling to such extend as to break the market price.

Perhaps the averag dairy farmer in the Red River Valley may not readily grasp the idea that the collapse of the speculators! market in Wall Street-. America's biggest gambling joint-- had anything to do with a drop in the price of butter. Hundreds of thousands of people moderate means had invested their savings, and often money borrowed, in stock bought on margin, in the hope of becoming rich. When the crash came and wiped out their investments many of them had to economize in their living expenses and in cases of necessity like that oleomargarine often displaces butter.

The Bureau of Agricultural Economics says, of the butter price situation: "Present low prices will undoubtedly increase the consumption of butter and since prices are likely to remain comparatively low for some time, the existing surplus should disappear during the next few months. If the prospective lower production during the winter materializes the market situation will improve considerably during the latter part of the winter with prices well above present levels."

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Please the children? It won't be hard when you see the toys at Gambles. Airplanes--Dolly ducks--Bildal Sets and hosts of other durable lasting toys.

Subscriptions for the Readers Digest taken this month at special low price, at this office.

Christmas and New Year cards on display at the Spectator office.

Save A Little

The old saying that "anyone can make money, but it takes a smart man to save it" is just as true today as ever.

It requires a certain amount of gumption and spirit of "get there" to save. A small amount deposited in savings account each week, will soon grow into a considerable amount. The Old Reliable, "time tried and panic tested" stands ready to help you. Lets Go.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

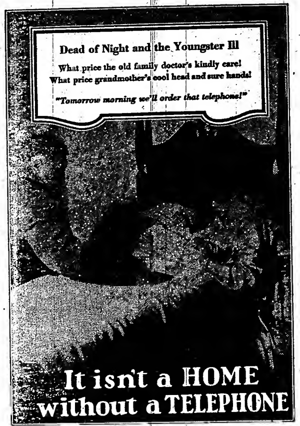
Co-operation

Co-operation means more than just a word. It means help one another, or working together. In affairs of the creamery, it means the farmers in this community have banded together to own and operate the plant.

By hauling your cream to the creamery, and inducing others to do likewise, you are not only helping yourself, but your neighbors and the whole community.

If you are not already a share holder, co-operate with your neighbors by buying at least one.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n



St. Hilaire Telephone Company

Chas. L. Kundert, Manager

Overhaul Now=Save Money

During the winter months we give special rates on car overhaul jobs in order to keep the shop busy. You can make a saving of 25 to 50 percent over summer prices by having your work done now--and we can assure you a more thoro job.

Come in and tell us what you want done, and we will quote you prices.

St. Hilaire Garage

Rosette & Aase, Props.

"A dependable Garage Service"

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

A Matter of Short Division

TWO East-siders strayed far off their customary beat. The middle of the afternoon fonnd them in one of the fashlonehie side atreets just off Fifth avenne. They were tired and hnngry, too; it had been a long tima since breakfast and their business, whatever it was, which had hrought them so far nptown, had kept them from lunch.

They saw the entrance to a smart restaurant much frequented by what in the metropolis are known as tea hoonds. They entered; bnt immediately the surroundings abashed them. There was so mnch of magnificence on view; an orchestra was playing; smartly dressed couples were dancing in an open space; the waiters were superior looking persons in clean shirts.

"Ike," said one of the aliens, "dis ain't onr kinder place—we gotta go slow and not maka no breaks. Leave ns slip into a conpla seats at a side table an' see what the rest of dese guys is takin' before we gives our order."

To Ike the idea seemed a good one. They songht out a comparatively quiet corner and made themselves small and inconspicuons. But their ears and their eyes were busy.

Two slick-haired youths of the tounge lizard type sank gracefully down at a nearby table.

"Well, old top," said one in an affected English accent, "what shall it be?"

"I have it," said his companion brigbtly, after a moment's thonght; "we'll split a bottie of White Rock."

The eavesdroppers mede a mental note. Next another pair of dancing men dropped into their immediate vicinity. After an almost affectionate argument these two agreed to split a pot of tea. Bnt ona of them must have felt like being extravagant.

"Tell yon what," he added, "suppose, old dear, that besides splitting the tea we cut up an order of toast between ns?"

At the adjoining table Louie straightened himself. He had the cue to a proper mode of procednre now.

"Ike," he said, "I'm onto de curves of dis dump, now. I'll tear a herrin' wid you!"

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Watson Drawn Into Graft Quest.

Sonth Bend, Ind.—United States Senator James E. Watson's name has been drawn into the grand jury investigation of vote frands and graft in northern Indiana by a statement made by a Gary realtor.

More or Less True

It is a happy marriage if, when insect is mentioned, friend wife doesn't immediately think of the thing she separatee from its pay envelope every Saturdoy nigbt.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

HOOVER ACTION QUIETS HAITI

President Hoover Asks Congress To Authorize a Committee of Inquiry.

Washington—Reports from Port-an-Prince, Haiti, where natives and students have been in open rehellion, say that quiet now prevails throughont the islands. Threatened demonstrations did not materialize. Tha cruiser Galveston dispatched from Norfolk, arrived at Jacmel and found the city quiet. News of the action taken so promptly by President Hoover had been pnhlished on hulletin boards by the newspapers, inclnding the naws that airplanes had heen dispatchsd, added to tha feeling of stability.

Outposts which had been threatened at Chantal, Torbeck and Port-Priment in the Cayes district reported that all was quiet. Under the martial law, there has been established no consorship in any form on the press and the usual flexible ceneorship of cabla and telephone communication has not been added to. Three oppoeition papers have voluntarily suspended publication, being on tha verge of hankruptcy.

In hie message to congress, which wae delivered only to the honse as the senata was in recess, President Hoover reported hie action in ordering marines to Haiti and asked authorization for immediate eending the commission of inquiry, which would include one or two members from the house and the senate.

Blast Takes Lives of 3 Children.

New York—A time bomb set on a kitchen table in a Brooklyn home killed three children. Exploding with a force that splintered furnitura and ripped a jagged hole in the floor, it killed Mary Falzone, 15, and Philip, 13, inetantly. Rose Falzone, 8, died on the way to a hospital. The mothar and her two youngest children, 3 and 5, escaped death only because they were late to breakfaet. The fether of the femily, Joeeph Falzone, owner of a marble works, was away on a hunting trip. The principal clua in the hands of detectivee consieted of two threatening letters received by Falzone.

Wilbur to Direct Illiteracy Board.

Washington—The advisory committee on national illiteracy elected Secretary Wilbur its permanent chairman at an organization meeting at the interior department. Dr. William John Cooper, commissioner of edncation, was selected vice chairman, and Dr. Rnfus W. Weaver of Washington, permanent secretary. Mrs. Cora Wilson Stewart of Kentucky was made chairman of a permanent exectivs committee of seven, tbe remaining members to he appointed by Mrs. Stewart and Dr. Wilbnr.

Pirates Raid Ship, Kill 22.

Hong Kong—Three American women were witnesses to a bloody conflict hetween a swarm of Chinese pirates and the crew of the British eteamship Haiching. The women were not injured but 12 persons were killed and about 60 native passengers leaped overhoard and were drowned. 40 or 50 piratee who had shipped as paseengers sprang upon the decks with hloodcurdling yells and nttempted to seize the ship. They stormed the hridge, were twice repnised, then set the ship on fire.

Inventor Sues for $6,000,000.

Lincoln, Neb.—Claiming infringement on his system of river riprapping to prevent eroeion, James M. Maher of Fremont, Neb., filed suit in federal conrt against the Woods Brothers corporation for $6,000,000. Maher's snit allages three of the corporstion officials with having conspired to deprive him of his rights. The defendant corporation has been identified in recent years with extensive work along the Missouri river to prevent channel changes.

Girl From City Crash Victim.

Lawrence, Kan.—A Minneapolis woman, Miss Carolyn Thompeon, 25, was killed almost instantly near here in an automobile accident. Miss Mildred Sundheck, 23, of Minneapolis also suffered fractured ribe and other injuries in the same erash. The young women, accompanied by two yonths from Kansas City, Mo., were riding in a coupe whicb smashed into the rear of a milk truck parked on the road. The yonthe also were injured, bnt not fatally. The driver of the truck had been asleep.

Envoy to Sign Court Protocol.

Washington—President Hoover has anthorized the signing of the protocol of adherence to the permanent court of international justice, containing the Root formula for American entry into the world court. Signing of the formula, together with that of the protocol of signature of the statute of the court and the protocol of revision of the etatutes of the court, will take place at Geneva, the state department announced.

Army Aid Asked to Find Eielson.

Washington—Secretary Wilbur suggested to the war depuartment that steps be taken to rescue Lientenant Ben Eielson and his mechanio Earl Borland, lost somewhere in northern Alaska.

S. D. Man Minister to Bolivia.

Washington—The name of Even E, Young, Sonth Dakota, to be American minister to Bolivia, was sent to the senate along with the names of six others selected for diplomatic posts.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE IN DISTRICT COURT FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

State of Minnesota } ss.
County of Pennington }

B. C. Bernard—Plaintiff,
—vs.—
Louis Feragen—Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court of the State of Minnesota for the Fourteenth Judicial District, in the County of Pennington, upon a judgment rendered in said Court in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendant, I have levied on all the rights, title, interest and estate of said defendant in and to the real property lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

The South Half (S½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-four (24), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing eighty (80) acres more or less, according to the Government survey thereof.

And that I shall, on Saturday, the 4th day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the rights, title, interest and estate of said defendant in and to said real property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Four Hundred Forty and 14|100 ($440.14) Dollars, with interest thereon from the 29th day of June, 1929, at the rate of six per cent per annum, plus three dollars accrued costs on said judgment and together with all accruing costs of sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Deted at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 15th day of November, 1929.

O. L. IHLE,
Sheriff of Pennington County,
Minnesota.

Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Plaintiff,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. N21-D26

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been mede in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated November 15th, 1923, executed by Elias A. Peterson and Mabel A. Peterson, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on November 17th, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 74 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $116.75 each, due on May 15th, 1929, and November 15th, 1929, respectively; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $3,536.00, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from November 15th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $237.50, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $116.75 thereof since May 15th, 1929, and on $116.75 thereof since November 15th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; in all the sum of $3,780.47, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates, as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

Lot Five (5) of Section Six (6), and Lot One (1) of Section Seven (7), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-two (42), containing 89.39 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 3rd day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and dishursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 20th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest. H. H. Flowers, Secretary.
(Department Seal)
Henry N. Benson Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. N21-D26

Kerosene Shuts Off Air

When kerosene is poured on the top of stagnant water in a pond, it kills the wiggletails under the surface beceuse the air supply is cut off. This eventually kills the insects in the water.

Lonesome Individual

Aside from 12 official dinners, the President of the United States is not permitted by custom to accept any invitations to dinners, luncheons or other social events.—American Magazine.

Almost Pure Silver

"Sterling is the British standerd of silver for coins, and means the proportion of 925 parts silver to 75 parts copper. The American coins are only 900 fine—that is, the proportion of 900 to 100.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.

St. Hilaire. Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the Payment of the Sum of Four Hundred Thirty-Eight and 50-100 ($438.50) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest thereon to date of thie Notice, all of which is claimed to be due, and is due at the date of this notice, under and pursuant to the Terms of that certain Mortgage, made, executed and delivered by Petrea Anderson, a widow, Mortgagor, to William K. Hoefer, Mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of July 1929, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of July 1929, at 8 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Book 79 of Mortgages, on page 494 thereof,

AND WHEREAS, by Reason of said Default, the Power of Sale contained in eaid Mortgage has become operative, and No Action or Proceeding having been instituted in Law, or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any Part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by Virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11) in Block Three (3) in Zeh's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Plat or Map thereof now on file and of Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota,

together with the Hereditaments and Appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 25th day of January 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash, to pay said Debt of $438.50, together with Interest to the date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and Fifty Dollars Attorney Fee as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursments allowed by Law, subject to Redemption at any time within one Year from the day of Sale, as provided by Law.

Dated this 11th day of December 1929,

William K, Hoefer,
Mortgagee

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in local cburch at 10:30 A. M., with Sunday school following. Services in Clara church at 3:00.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Dec.12
St Paul, 11:00 A. P., Norw.
Song service in St. Hilaire church at 8:00 P. M. by the choir. Admission 25 and 15 cents, lunch included

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00 A. M.
Morning service at 11:00.
Evening service at 8:00.

In Memoriam

In loving memory of our dear daughter and eister who left us one short year ago, December 10, 1928.

One year has passed, our hearts are sore.
As time rolls on we miss her more,
Her loving smile, her loving face,
No one can fill her vacant place.
When the evening shades are falling,
And we are sitting all alone,
To our hearts there comes a longing;
If she only could come home.
No one knows the silent heartache.
Only those who have lost can tell,
All the grief that is borne in silence,
For the one we loved so well.
Patiently she suffered, her pain she bore,
But now it is ended, she suffers no more.
To sleep we leave her in quiet rest
For parting was painful, but God knew best.

Sadly missed by us all.
Mr. and Mrs. Lars A. Loberg
and family.

Sacred Stone of Erin Lodged in Cathedral

The ancient Clogh-Oir stona from which Clogher, Ireland, is said to have derived its name, has, with the consent of the hishop of Clogher, been pieced in the vestibnle of St. Macartan's cathedral, to preserve it from the weather. The Clogh-Oir stone is said to have been one of the three sacred stones of Erin, the others being the Lia Fail, or Stone of Destiny, which rests under the coronation chair in Westminster abbey, and the Crom Cuagh, which is supposed to have bowed before St. Patrick. This famons stone which has hitherto rested against the north wall of the cathedral, was visited at one time by Concober MacVessa, high king of Ulster. Canon Maguire, who wrote a commentary on the register of Clogher in 1490, states: "This sacred stone was preserved on the right of tbe entrance into tha cbnrch, and traces of the gold with which it has been covered by the worshipers of the idol Ceomeod Celsetacht are still visible."

The Christmas Candle

The legend runs: On Christmas eve
A little candle's ray,
Shining through the dusk, will light
The Christ Child on His way.

I've polished well my window pane
And set my candle there;
I'll light it when the twilight comes
And say a little prayer:

Dear Christ Child, may my candle's light
Lead You into my heart tonight.

ANNA R. BAKER—In Chicago News

Yuletide Happiness

CHRISTMAS time! That man must be a misanthrope, indeed, in whose breast something like a jovial feeling is not roused—in whose mind some pleasant associations are not awakened—by the annual recurrence of Christmas.—Dickens.

The Christmas Words

Mary Graham Bonner

THEY all come tumbling forth. "We're in plenty of time," they said.

"Well," said one, "you know we hear so much these days about doing your Christmas shopping early that we wanted to be just as punctual."

"It's nice to see every one again," one of the others said.

"Oh, yes, and this cold, crisp air does agree with us so well. We feel so glowing and so full of health and gayety."

At that the word "Glowing" and the word "Health" and the word "Gayety" all looked so pleased.

They had come tumbling out of the dictionary where they spent a good deal of their time, but now they would be out all the time, they knew.

It was their very own season. Each word had all its family along, too.

They were quite large families. In fact it seemed as though they were quite large enough to fill the world's orders for them.

All the words were feeling so pleased. There was the word "Holly" and there was the word "Mistletoe." There were the words "Christmas Greens." There was the word "Merry." There was the word "Happy."

There was the family of "Compliments of the Season."

There were all the "Good Wishes." They were an enormous family.

There were the words "Yuletide" and "Christmas Day" and "Christmas Eve," and there was the family of the "Spirit of Christmas."

And the word "Evergreen" came out, too, and the word "Snow" and the words "White Christmas."

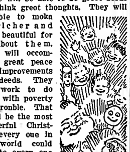
Then came the words "Christmas Tree" and the word "Ribbon" had linked arms with the word "Red." The word "Tinsel" looked as bright and sparkling as could be, and the word "Stocking" just looked as though it would burst with pride.

The word "Children" was right in its element, and the word "Peace" looked so happy, so relieved. The words "Good Will" were on hand, too.

And all these words, such beautiful, happy words, had come tumbling out of the dictionary to stay until this Christmas season was over, for they knew they would be in such great use.

They had come in plenty of time—there was no fear about that. And then the word "Peace" spoke.

"It would be so perfect," said "Peace," "if human beings, all over the world, would make a real friend of me. There is no one who will be a better friend. I will make it so that instead of troubles, agonies, miseries, waste and destruction coming along people will be able to do great deeds and think great thoughts. They will be able to make life richer and more beautiful for all about them. They will accomplish great peace time improvements and deeds. They will work to do away with poverty and trouble. That would be the most wonderful Christmas every one in the world could give to every one else in the world.



"Oh, I should like to see suspicions and doubts put away, to see trust and belief in people by other people. You know how one always appears one's best with a person who thinks a lot of you—so with trust and faith the world will think more, each of the other.

"Then, beautiful Christmas Words, we could be around so much more of the time than just at Christmas.

"There is no season like Christmas. But to make the spirit of Christmas last throughout the whole year would be the greatest gift that human beings could make to Christmas. For years Christmas has given people cheer, happiness. Now, wouldn't it be a good idea for people to give Christmas a great and mighty present?

"I should so love to be a present to the world—a real, lasting present."

And all the words looked more delighted than ever. "That is a beautiful idea, Peace," they said, "and we all hope that that idea of yours will really, really grow until all, all take you as a gift not only to themselves but to every one else in the whole world."

So the Words were ready for the great Christmas season. But of all of them Peace was the one hoping the greatest, greatest hope of all!

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Choni Monastery

Rare Books From Choni in the Library of Congress.

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.)

THE monastery and village of Choni near the Tibetan border of China, which was recently the scene of a massacre by Moslem soldiers, was an outstanding type of the Lama communities that dot western China and Tibet.

The site of Choni is in the southwestern part of Kansu Province. Though it was the capital of the domain of the prince of Choni, it was merely a village of 400 families, approximately 2,000 inhabitants. The natives of this region are of Tibetan origin; in fact, there are few real Chinese in the neighborhood. The village was by far the best situated spot in Kansu Province, and the prince's territory was the choicest bit of land. Nowhere else in Kansu are there such forests, and the scenery is unsurpassed.

The village probably changed but little during the six centuries of its existence. The Tao river, which flows a third of a mile below the south gate, furnished the water for the town and the lamasery. Women carried the water in wooden buckets to the town and the poorer monks conveyed it the additional 500 feet to the lamasery.

Little of this water was used for cleansing purposes. The monks, therefore, reeked of rancid butter and grease, and their skin was black from the accumulated filth of years. Even lama officials do not bathe, although their faces appear washed. Their priestly garments of red Lhasa cloth are unwashable; and since few of them have more than one garment the clothing is saturated with odors so strong that it is difficult to expel the scent from a room after even a short visit by a small group of lamas.

Monastery Is Extensive.

Choni monastery or what remains of it is surrounded by a wall of loess (a peculiar deposit of loam) pierced by a large stone gate looking south. Upon the gate is the inscription: Chi Ssu Chau Ting Ssu (Bestowed by Imperial Command Temple of Abstract Tranquillity). A memorial stone of 1736 records that the tablet for the monastery was written by Emperor King Hsi himself in 1710 as a favor to Chih Lien, a Choni priest, who paid him a visit. After his return to Choni, Chih Lien is said to have contributed 3,000 taels of silver—a great sum at that time—toward the building of temples and chanting halls in the monastery. Within the walls are 172 buildings, not including 10 large and small chanting halls.

During the reign of Yung Lo the monastery housed 3,800 monks, but recently only 700 have resided there.

Of the 10 chanting halls in Choni two are fairly large. The one most frequently used faces a square in which the lama dances are performed and the butter festival is celebrated. This hall is flanked by three other buildings.

The largest chanting hall, a structure probably 200 years old, is immediately back of the first. It can accommodate about 400 monks. The roof is supported by 80 large pillars of wood lacquered red. The main idol in this hall is Wutaishan, or Chomhysng, the God of Learning (the Chinese Wen Shen, God of Literature).

On festive days this hall was beautifully decorated with brocades. From the ceiling were suspended long ceremonial umbrellas, and the pillars were sheathed in magnificent hand-woven carpets, the gift of the Mongol king of the Ain Shan. The hall was opened only on special occasions, such as the Feast of Lights, when the monks assembled at night to chant the classics.

Complete Set of Tibetan Classics.

A building to the left of the main chanting hall contained a large octagonal prayer cylinder of wood, with doors. Within it was kept a complete set of the Kandjur and Tandjur, the chief Tibetan classics, the former comprising 108 volumes, the latter—the commentary—209 volumes. To the cylinder were attached slender bars with carved figures, by means of which the wheel could be set in motion. With one revolution the devotee said the contents of the 317 volumes—indeed a quick way of saying prayers.

Priceless possessions of Choni lamasery were printing blocks of both the Kandjur and the Tandjur. A number of other lamaseries, such as Derge and Radja, have blocks of the Kandjur, but rarely of the Tandjur. In fact, Choni is said to have been the only monastery outside Lhasa possessing the Tandjur blocks, and the claim is made that the books printed here are without mistakes, the best edition known.

The printing blocks of both classics were more than 500 years old. It took sixteen years to carve the blocks of the Tandjur alone. The Choni Prince suggested movable type, but the lamas refused to entertain the idea. It took 45 monks three months to print the Kandjur and nearly six months to print the Tandjur. This does not include the time consumed in preparing the paper for the printers.

The paper used is bought at Kuagchang, in eastern Kansu, 11 days distant from Choni. It is very thin, and the monks pasted eight sheets together to make one for the book. When 317 volumes are printed, one can surmise the time and labor spent.

The Library of Congress in Washington, D. C., obtained a complete set of the two classics from the Choni lamasery. These were packed in 92 boxes and sent by caravan seven days to Lanchow; thence by parcel post to Shanghai. Unfortunately, they arrived at Sianfu just before the gates of that city closed. There they remained through the whole siege of the town. They did reach Shanghai, however, after being more than a year on the way.

Ceremonial Dances.

Great ceremonies, conducted regularly each year in Choni lamasery, were few. There was a dance on the 13th of the first moon; the butter festival was celebrated on the 15th, and another dance was performed on the 16th. The Sunning of the Buddha took place in the spring, on the 30th day of the sixth moon fell the Old Dance, Chamngyon-wo, probably the most interesting of all the ceremonies.

There is a dance on the 24th of the 10th moon, followed on the 25th by the Feast of Lights, which commemorates the ascension of Tsangkapo, with yet another dance on the 26th day. Every third year, on the 16th of the first moon, the Choni lamas celebrate the installation of a new presiding priest by a peculiar festival known as Le Chon Chaker.

The time between ceremonies was occupied by the monks in chanting on certain days, but otherwise mainly in loafing. In case of illness of wealthy believers, the lamas were asked to chant the classics, believed to have a salubrious effect. The charge for opening the largest chanting hall was 300 taels of silver ($200). To expedite the reading of these voluminous works, 500 assembled lamas divided the pages and each read portion of the text—a rather disconnected method, but apparently it matters little if the beginning, middle, and end are read at the same time. It was thus possible to read the 108 volumes of the Kandjur in a day.

Congregation "Fed Up" on Ten Virgins' Sermons

It is still customary in rural districts in Scotland for the minister to preach a series of sermons around one Scripture text. The parable of the Ten Virgins had been selected by an old minister for a series of ten sermons, in which he took one virgin at a time.

Many of the church folks were heartily tired of the subject at the end of a week or two, but it was left to the beadle to tell the minister the truth.

Asked by the good man as he was disrobing him in the vestry one evening how he was enjoying "my analysis of the characters of the virgins," the beadle replied brusquely:

"The hale congregation's fair scunnert wi' them, sir. They maun be a lot o' tough auld maids by this time!"—London Tit-Bits.

Tommy's Trouble

The father was very disappointed with his boy's progress at school, and the end of the term had brought a rather bad report from the headmaster.

"Look here, Tommy, you'll have to buck up!" said the father. "There must be an alteration!"

"Well, Dad," said the boy, "can't there be an alteration in the school?"

"What do you mean?" asked the father.

"Why, it's like this," explained Tommy. "I had an awful time of it last term—aren't there any schools which advertise 'easy terms'?"

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Lighthouse for Ski Users

Devotees of winter sports in Germany are so eager to ski in remote parts of the mountains that many lose their way when night falls. In one place a lighthouse searchlight has been installed on the roof of a mountain shelterhouse. It flashes every two seconds and can be seen at a great distance, serving as a guide in fog and darkness.

Admitting a Caller

"Did I not tell you I was not to be disturbed?" said Senator Sorghum.

"Yes," answered the secretary, "but this chap seemed so subdued, I didn't think it possible he could disturb anybody."—Washington Star.

A survey of what kind of radio programs prison inmates prefer indicates that they like news reports best, old-time songs next and jazz music third.

Link With King Olaf

An elaborate stone cross, 12 feet high and most elaborately sculptured, was unearthed at Leeds, England, in 1840. It bore the date of 940, and the name Olaf, king of Northumbria.

Voluble

"Some say conversation is a lost art."

"Far from it. My wife can gab for hours over the telephone."

Obsolete Measure

Tun is a liquid measure formerly in general use, but now obsolete. A tun of ale was 216 gallons.

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Mistake that farm boys make is in thinking there is no monotony in the city.

The Desert Moon Mystery

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SYNOPSIS

Sam Stanlay, wealthy owner of the Desert Moon ranch, informs his housekeeper, Mary Magin, that his former wife's twin daughters, Danielle and Gabrielle, are coming to the ranch to live, their mother being dead and their father, Daniel Cannezlano, who had been the cause of Sam's divorcing his wife, in the penitentiary. Sam's adopted boy, John, has grown to manhood, and a girl, Martha, weak-minded, Mrs. Ollie Ricker, Martha's nurse, Hubert Hand and Chadwick Caufield are the other members of the household. The girls arrive. John becomes engaged to Danielle. Gabrielle seeks to win John from her sister, and her actions when she receives a letter from France mystify Mrs. Magin. Sam learns Cannezlano is soon to be released from the penitentiary. Mrs. Magin finds Gabrielle choked to death, with tobacco ashes beside her. She realizes that the ashes must be from Sam's pipe, he being the only pipe smoker, and conceals them before calling the household. Caufield commits suicide. The coroner's verdict is murder and suicide.

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"Nothing," she said, hurriedly. "Nothing. But, Mary, doesn't it seem possible to you that someone, clear from the outside, did it? And gave the key to Chad, and asked him to put it in your pocket? And that, for some reason we probably never shall discover, Chad could not, dared not, tell on the person who gave it to him? And that is why he shot himself?"

"And we hadn't thought of that!" I gasped. "I do believe it. It is as clear as day."

Her sudden, definite silence talked as plainly as any words she could have spoken.

"Danny," I questioned, "you thought of that, but in your heart you don't believe it. Do you?"

"I—I want to believe it," she evaded.

"But you don't?" I persisted.

She was silent.

"Danny," I pleaded, "tell me about it. Just tell me, dear. I'll never breathe it to a soul, if you say for me not to. What is it you know, or think that you know?"

She waited so long before answering me that I thought surely she was finding the words with which to take me into her confidence. I was so disappointed I could have cried with her, when she hid her face on my shoulder, again, and moaned, "Mary—I can't. I dare not tell. I tell you—I dare not."

She jumped up out of my lap and ran upstairs as if wicked, dangerous things were running after her.

John came into the room. "The outfit is back, or most of it," he said. "Darn their souls! Curiosity, nothing else. But for this, they wouldn't have shown up for two days yet. I think the women went into the kitchen just now, Mary."

There they were, Belle, Sadie and Goldie, all huddled up together like a bunch of something, near the back door. As I came into the room, they jumped and screeched. The only thing that makes me madder than being scared myself is to scare somebody else. I spoke to them right sharply.

I told them that I expected them to go about their work, and to act like sensible girls while so doing.

Sadie, the snuciest of the lot, spoke up.

"We haven't decided yet that we want'a go workin' in a house where a murderer, and maybe moren' one, is livin'."

"Very well," I said. "If you are going, go now. If not, put on your aprons and get to work."

I could scarcely believe my eyes. The three of them skedaddled out through the door. I felt sort of sick, watching them go. Not because I'd have to teach new girls the work and my ways, but because their leaving gave me my first realization that the Desert Moon ranch was darkened by the shadow of sin.

When I telephoned to Sam, down in his office in the outfit's quarters, I tried to keep the truth from him; saying, only that the girls and I had had a spat, and asking him to find some new girls for me.

He came up, in about half an hour, with an Indian girl, not more than fifteen years old, trailing along behind him. Answering his nod, I went with him into the living room.

"She is the only one I could get," he said. "We'll have to send to Reno or Salt Lake. None of the outfit want their women folks working here. I don't blame them. The Desert Moon ranch is disgraced—" He stopped short, looking at a piece of paper on the writing desk just in front of him. It had been propped up against a vase; but it had slithered down into a curve. He reached for it; read it, and handed it to me.

"I killed her. Chadwick Caufield. P. S. Sorry to put you to the trouble of disposing of me. Make it cheap and snappy. I haven't a relative in the world. P. G."

"A lie," Sam said. "I tell you, she had been dead two or three hours, anyway—probably longer—when we found her. Listen, Mary. Between four and five o'clock—we all saw her alive at four—Chad sat right there at that piano, and he never left it once. Did he?"

"No, he didn't. I kept thinking he would, to join Gaby. But he didn't."

"Between five and six o'clock," Sam went on, "he was with me, every minute of the time, down in the barn, and coming up to the house. Never out of my sight. Between six and seven he was with us all at supper. If he'd been gone all afternoon, I'd know that note was a lie; know it just as well as I know it now—"

"But this note! A confession! Why should he die in disgrace, when we know he was innocent?"

"God knows. To shield someone else, I reckon."

"Who?"

Sam dropped his pipe.

I heard him stamping the sparks out. I did not look down. I did not want to look down.

"He wrote it," I said. "The writing is his. So is the wording. You know it."

I guess I was too sentimental. But I couldn't bear to see Sam's good old face all aching with worry.

"Sam," I wheedled, "have sense. We've a confession here that will satisfy the world. He killed her; and, when the body was found, he shot himself. Nothing could be more reasonable. No one would doubt it. We can send this to the papers—he has no relatives to be disgraced, or to sorrow over it—and the Desert Moon will be cleared of crime. One of your favorite sayings, Sam, is to let well enough alone."

Sam drew himself up to the top of his six feet and five inches and looked down, from there, at me; away down—as far, say, as if I had suddenly dropped into a dirty old cistern. "There is no question of well enough," he shouted, so that I could hear him in my depths, "until the Desert Moon is cleaned, clean, Mary Magin. Cleaned and fumigated, or destroyed. It is not going to be whitewashed. There is someone on this ranch who is as guilty as h—l; who knows who committed the murder; who aided and abetted it. We are going to find that person. Then we will find the murderer. They'll be hung together. After that, we can leave well enough alone."

"Suppose," I suggested, "that Chad was the accomplice."

"Somebody suggested, already today, that it was Chad who put the key in your pocket. When did he get the key to put it there? Well, say that he got it between seven and eight o'clock, when he was out scouting by himself. Did he meet some entire stranger, then, who asked him to dispose of the key? Did he agree to do it as a favor to said stranger? Did he, later, shoot himself and leave a lying confession to shield the stranger? The stranger, that is, who had killed the girl Chad loved? Chad did carry some secret to the grave with him, Mary. I am sure of that. But not a secret that we can't discover. We are going to discover it."

To doubt Sam, standing there before me talking so earnestly to me, to doubt his honesty of purpose and his goodness, was more than a question of doubting my eyes, my ears, my senses.

"Sam," I began, resolved to tell him, then and there, about those pipe ashes of his on the beaded bag. I had waited too long. Mrs. Ricker was coming down the stairs.

"I think," she said, "that Martha should not sleep so late. I fear that she is sleeping too heavily."

"It is a blessing that she can sleep," Sam said. "She is all right. Those sleeping powders are as powerful as all get-out. I'm going up, though, I'll have a look at her.

"By the way," he added, from the stairway, "I want you two ladies to be here in this room, at promptly three o'clock this afternoon."

"Upon my soul!" I said, when Sam was out of sight. "What do you suppose that means?"

Mrs. Ricker shook her head, and walked to the windows and turned her back on me.

I looked at the straight, gaunt back, and at her long arms hanging at her sides. She seemed frail. And yet, she could hold Martha still, when Martha was in one of her tantrums, and that was more than I, a much stouter woman, could do. She, with no one but Martha who did not count, had been alone in the house for an hour the evening before, while the others of us had been out hunting for Gaby.

Sam insisted that Gaby had been dead two or three hours when we found her. But was he certain of that? How did he know? Might he be mistaken? Mrs. Ricker had hated Gaby, as only a jealous woman can hate.

CHAPTER VIII

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Clews.

All the while I was getting a makeshift dinner ready, that last thought of mine kept bothering me like the smell of something burning. So, as soon as dinner was over I told the Indian girl, whose name was Zinnia, to manage the dishes the best she could, and I went off up to my room.

I took up some dinner on a tray with me, for Mrs. Ricker and for Martha. When Mrs. Ricker opened her door, I managed to get the information that Martha was awake, at last, and that Mrs. Ricker had just been helping her with her bath.

"Is she all right, now?" I questioned.

"I—suppose so." She edged the door shut, in my face.

I went into my room and combed my hair. I can always think better when I am doing some absolutely unimportant thing like that. But, today, my thoughts whirred, and tossed, and foamed.

Sam's pipe ashes. The key in my pocket. Chad's suicide. Chad's note of confession. Gaby's fear. Mrs. Ricker alone in the house. What it was that Donny knew and dared not tell?

Sam's pipe ashes— Lands alive! What had been the matter with me? Sam was the only member of our household who smoked a pipe, but he was not the only man in creation who did; nor was his the only pipe. I supposed, that had ever dropped and spilled its contents. A very nice and comforting thought, if I could have fooled myself into believing it.

Try as I might, I couldn't keep from thinking that part of Sam's talk was bluff—that is, soon as I got away from him I thought that. Did it mean that he was trying to shield Chad? No. It could not mean that. Besides, Chad himself had surely been trying to shield someone. Sam? Gaby had feared someone, when she had left the house. No woman had ever feared Sam.

Mrs. Ricker had hated Gaby. But, so had John hated Gaby, Mrs. Ricker had said— John had said—

I jumped to my feet, holding my head in my hands. I could not endure thinking. I must stop it. I must find work to do; someone to talk to. I ran across my room and pulled open the door, just in time to see Hubert Hand straighten from where he had been stooping to my keyhole.

"Hubert Hand," I said, "why are you listening at my keyhole?"

"I wasn't listening. I was looking, or trying to. This keyhole peering is the bunk, Mary. You might as well cut it out yourself." With that he turned and walked on down the hall.

I stood watching him, trying to account for an odd sense of relief that had come to me. In a minute I understood. Since he had been at my keyhole, he must have had some suspicion of me, for something. Possibly he had a good reason for that suspicion. As good a reason as I had, for suspicioning Sam, and John, and Mrs. Ricker. He was clear off the track with his suspicion. Probably, I was just as far off with mine.

He turned, quickly and came back to me. He looked up and down the hall. He lowered his voice to just above a whisper. "Mary," he said. "I've gone at this all wrong. I'm off my nut today—that's all. I guess I cared a lot more for the girl than I thought I did. By G—d, I believe I loved her. It is h—l—having her clear gone. But my hanging for her murder isn't going to do her any good; not now."

Horrified, I backed away from him. For one wild moment I thought that the man was confessing to me.

"No!" he said. "Not that! I swear to God I'm innocent. But they are going to try to pin it on me, and they may not have much trouble doing it. I want to make a bargain with you. You'll get the best of it, for I know d—n well that I'm innocent, and I don't think that you are—entirely. It is this. If you'll keep your mouth shut, I'll keep mine shut. Fifty-fifty. Will you do it?"

"Hubert Hand," I said, "I don't know one solitary thing about you that would be of any importance if I told it to the world. Anything that you think you know about me, I'm glad and willing to have you broadcast, or publish in the papers."

"Sure of that? Sure you are willing to have me broadcast that you found the body; that you didn't scream; that you stayed there, quiet and alone with it for ten minutes before you gave the alarm?"

"I was sick, stunned, dizzy with horror."

"Probably any jury would believe that, all right. Just the same, I'll bet it would save you a lot of trouble, now and later, if no one knew anything about your lonesome five minutes, or longer. I'll tell you how I know. I came out of my room at the minute you opened the attic door. I saw you leave the hall to run up the steps. I went on downstairs. Chad was kidding around down there, collecting keys. I didn't know what he wanted with them, fortunately for you, or I'd have said you'd gotten the door open—"

"And—and," I couldn't keep my teeth from chattering, "you think I killed her, then?"

"Rot! She had been dead for hours. Rigor was complete. No, all I think is that you know more than you are telling."

"I tell you, I was frozen stiff, with horror."

"All right. Tell the jury. Tell them, too, why you came rushing out of your room, as you did just now, white and trembling. Don't like your thoughts, all by your lonesome, do you? Come on, Mary. Be a sport. We are both innocent. But— Fifty-fifty? Shut mouth for shut mouth?"

His talk about telling a jury scared me. I had heard of third degrees. I knew that if I ever told anyone

"I'd Had No Idea of Telling That, Anyway."

but Sam himself, about those pipe ashes, the words would choke the life out of me, as I would want them to do.

"Hubert Hand, I'm going to be honest with you. I don't know what it is you want me to keep my mouth shut about."

"Don't?" Well, I want you to keep still about that conversation you overheard between Ollie Ricker and me in the cabin. She went back to get her parasol and saw you coming out. We knew you had been hiding there, listening."

"Lands alive!" I said. "I'd had no idea of telling that, anyway. It was none of my business."

"Fine! I didn't have any idea of telling anything, either. It was none of my business. Shake on it."

I let him take my hand. I said yes, when he made me promise. I felt like I'd been associating with a side-winder.

As I was trying to hurry past Gaby's door, Danny opened it, and asked me if I would come in and sit with her for a while.

I should have been there, long before. I went right in, apologizing, and trying to explain. But, when I saw that she meant for us to sit in Gaby's room, I suggested that we go somewhere else.

"No, please Mary," she said. "I don't want to be alone; but I do want to sit here. I feel as if here, with all her things around me, I might—get in touch—I mean—something might come to me. If she is still on earth, she would come here. Wouldn't she? And she would try, I am sure, to give me a sign. Something to help me—to help all of us. If it should come, I want to be here to receive it."

"It won't come, Danny, dear," I said.

"No. I suppose not." She leaned back in her chair and sighed, and her arms dropped straight down over the chair's arms. The engagement ring that John had given her slipped from her finger and came rolling toward me. I scrambled to pick it up. When I rose from the floor she had jumped to her feet. She was ashy, shaking and trembling as if she had a chill.

"Mary! Promise me that you'll never tell that, not to anyone. It didn't— It couldn't mean anything."

"It means," I said, handing her the ring, "that you are wasting away. You'd better let me go down and bring you up some good, hot soup; or an eggnog."

She clung to me. "Don't leave me, Mary. I am afraid. I am dreadfully afraid. Promise that you won't tell about the ring. It—didn't mean anything."

I will admit that I did not like it any too well myself. There, just as she was asking for a sign, the ring, which had fitted snugly enough, I had thought, had dropped off. But, of course I had to put up a brave front to her.

"Nonsense," I said. "I won't tell anybody, because it is nothing to tell. All that it means is that the ring is too large for you."

Danny sat down in a deep chair, opposite me, her hands clasped on her knees, and leaned forward, and looked into my eyes.

"Definite things, Mary," she said, "are always so wise. This was a silly, futile little accident. The ring has dropped off, I suppose, half a dozen times this week. Gaby's last note to me was all affection. Living, if Gaby could have taken John away from me, for herself, she would have done it. Dead—she wants us to marry. I know that. As far any other implication— If only Uncle Sam were not so heartless," she flashed.

"Heartless!" I spoke sharply in spite of myself. "If the Creator ever made a man with a bigger heart than Sam Stanley's, nobody ever saw him."

"He has been good to you," she said. "But you give him his own way about everything."

I reminded her that Sam was John's father.

"Uncle Sam is not John's father," she said. "John is uncle's adopted son. They are so different, so utterly different, they could not be father and son."

"Maybe not," I said, trying to keep pleasant, for I did not want to be snapping at the poor child on this day, "but no real son ever loved his father better than John loves Sam. He all but worships him, and he has, ever since he was a little fellow."

"I know. I know. Sometimes I think John cares more for uncle than he does for me. Mary, tell me, honestly. Do you think John loves me as much as he loves Uncle Sam?" I should hate to have John have to choose between uncle and me."

"That is foolish talk. Why should John ever have to choose between you and Sam?"

She sighed, and shook her head. A sudden certainty came to me. Whatever it was that Danny had refused that morning to tell me, whatever it was that she had said that she dared not tell, had had something, somehow, to do with Sam.

"What I can not understand," Danny said, "is, that Gaby knew that she might be killed. And yet, so far as anyone knows, she did not do one thing to save herself. If only, only she had confided in me! Surely I could have found some way to help her—to save her."

"You know, dear," I said, "I think that Gaby was not—well, at least not doing any clear thinking, those last few days."

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Indians Outstrip Deer in Fleetness of Foot

The greatest runners in the world are the Torahumare Indians, who have been known to continue 170 miles without stopping. A few years ago Thomas Zafiro and Leonicio San Miguel, members of this tribe, did a distance of 62½ miles on the highway from Panchuca to Mexico City in 9 hours and 37 minutes without any evidence of fatigue. Translated "Torohumare" is foot runners. They are said to be insensible to heat and cold, using the same blankets summer and winter. They love to tell how their forefathers were the couriers of the Aztec monarchs. Today the Mexicans employ them to run wild horses into the corrals. The Tarahumare prove the expression poets love to use, "fleet as a deer," to be true, for when they are on the chase they outstrip their antlered prey.

Running is not confined to the men of this tribe; the women enter into it with the same zest. As with the Zuni, there is much preparation for the sporting event. The priests practice many kinds of sorcery; human bones are hidden along the course, and woe to the runner whose foot unearths one! Each man taking part is rubbed down by the "shaman," or priest, to protect him against evil influences.

Saskatchewan Versatile

The province of Saskatchewan, which produces about one-half of the total wheat of Canada, is also the third largest producer of dairy products and of eggs and poultry among Canada's nine provinces.—Canada Week by Week.

Facts About Lightning

The Weather bureau says that when lightning is about to occur between a cloud and the earth (it usually occurs between different parts of the same cloud) there is a great accumulation of electricity of one kind, usually the negative, at the surface of the earth and of the opposite kind in the lower portion of the cloud. This imposes an electric strain on the medium between the two. The break, or discharge, consisting essentially of a flow of negative electricity, or electrons, toward the positive charge, may begin at any point in midair along the path and progress (this break progress) in both directions at the same time, or it may begin at either end and from there progress toward the other.

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Leopard Coat for Young Women

By JULIA BOTTOMLEY

Rah! Rah! Rah! The leopard coat wins at the football game. This year it is the leopard coat which is laying siege to the heart, incidentally, the pocketbook, of the young woman who aspires to dress up to the standard fashion sets for outdoor occasion.

Most every coed who is style-alert if she is not already the happy possessor of a leopard coat covets unto the point of determination to acquire one even if she has to break into her Christmas fund at the bank to pay for it. And who can blame her with such captivating models to tempt her as are shown in the picture?

This handsome coat emphasizes two important style points, namely: the favor for beaver as a trimming and the vogue for cunning little muffs. Beaver as a trimming both on contrasting furs and on cloth is one of the featured styles of the season.

As to leopard not only for entire coats but wherever opportunity affords, this showy, spotted fur is being intriguingly worked into the mode this season. An outstanding fashion is that of the black cloth fur which is trimmed with leopard. Then, too it is smart for this yellow-splotched pelt to finish off the neckline and cuffs of the seal or beaver coat. And again milliners are making wonderfully clever hat-and-scarf sets in which leopard fur plays a spectacular role.

Anyway you take it the novelty fur coat is a very important style factor in the outdoor enthusiast's wardrobe. A type which registers with chic in the sportsy group is the coat all of cream colored lapin with self collar and cuffs, and which flares from the shoulder. Other stunning coats combine brown pony with pale beige pony in checkerboard effect.

Sportswear interest also centers around raccoon, otter and muskrat, the coats boasting novel collar and sleeve treatments. Youthful furs of this sort are the type which fashion especially sponsors at not only football games but all other outdoor events as well. It might also be added that the leopard fur coat has become a style factor for children as well as their elders.

A novelty of recent appearance and which promises a widespread vogue is the fur shoulder cape with a high collar. Some of the very newest cloth coats have a detachable fur cape, the ensemble idea carried out with a matching muff.

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Use for Left-Over Cereal

Use any left-over cereal you have. Wash and core the apples and fill the centers with the left-over cereal. Put the apples in a baking dish. Place a dot of butter and one teaspoonful of sugar on each apple. A few drops of lemon juice may be sprinkled over all. Bake in a moderate oven until the apples are soft. Serve hot with cream for breakfast or as the dessert at dinner or supper.

Be sure the material is worth the time spent on it before making over an old garment.

Dried Fruits Should Be Stored

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

It is hardly necessary to point out that all dried fruits, whether bought commercially or prepared at home, should be stored in tight containers to protect them from insect attack. Adult insects of various species choose dried peaches, apricots, raisins, figs, and other fruits as suitable places for laying their eggs. These will soon hatch out into larvae or worms and make the product unfit for food.

The bureau of entomology of the United States Department of Agriculture receives many requests, however, for information on how to protect peaches and other farm orchard fruits from insect pests during the process of drying. All fruit should be covered with a light cheesecloth while drying, to keep out dust as well as insects. An additional precaution suggested by entomologists studying the insects that attack stored and dried products is to sterilize the peaches or other fruits by heating them for a short time in a hot oven. This should kill any eggs that have been laid on the fruit, also any living weevils.

Another method is to fumigate each batch of dried fruit with carbon disulphide and then store it immediately in tight containers. The fumigation is accomplished by placing the fruit in a tight container and exposing it overnight to the fumes of the chemical. One or two ounces of carbon disulphide is sufficient to fumigate a space of ten cubic feet. The chemical should be poured out in a shallow pan and placed on top of the fruit. The fumes of carbon disulphide are inflammable and fire in any form should be kept from the room in which it is being used.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

Home conditions have the greatest effect in setting the child's character.

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The home dressmaker will find a smooth, firm, well-padded ironing board one of the greatest aids to efficient sewing.

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No real craftsman will tolerate poor or dull tools; yet many a housewife struggles along with dull, badly worn, or stained knives.

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Since the mineral content is particularly valuable in helping to maintain the alkalinity of the body, it is most important that the least amount possible be lost. This is done when vegetables are cooked only until tender and in a small amount of water. Green leaf vegetables such as spinach, turnip tops, mustard, swiss chard and the like need little water, and other vegetables just enough to cook and not burn. An intense heat is found to be not essential.

APPLE BUTTER WITHOUT CIDER

Good apple butter is often made from tart apples without the use of cider. Enough water is added to the sliced apples to make a thin apple sauce, which is then cooked very slowly over a low fire for three or four hours. A pound to the gallon of brown rather than white sugar is added when the cooking is about two-thirds done. The amount of spice and vanilla to be used is determined by taste. Stir often.

Several variations of flavor are possible by using other fruit juices. For instance, a pint of grape juice may be added to each gallon of peeled and sliced apples, cook into sauce and strained. Add also one cupful of brown sugar and one-quarter teaspoonful of salt. Cook slowly and stir often for two hours.

To make apple butter with lemons, slice four lemons, cover with water, and let stand overnight. Next morning put them in a preserving kettle with eight pounds of apples, pared, cored, and sliced. Cook for one hour, add three pounds of sugar, and cook slowly with frequent stirring one and a half hours longer, or until of the proper thickness.

This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

Kellogg Peace Fruits To Boom Good Times When a Man Scribbles Think of Mexico

China says Russia's attack on her Manchurian possessions, seizing the railroads, killing Chinese, setting fire to their homes, etc., is a defiance of the Kellogg peace pact.

Britain and America will talk that over and see what can be done about it. Henderson, foreign minister in Britain's labor cabinet, says Japan will take part in the discussion. Russia asks no one's advice and the only thing that could be done about it would be to fight Russia.

It would be interesting if the first fruits of the Kellogg peace pact should be the start of another war. If that war came Japan, highly intelligent, would send a few "observers," as in the big war, and do nothing else.

Britain would be too busy with other things and too "fed up" for any more fighting. Uncle Sam would be told: "After all, Kellogg is your man. It is your peace pact. Have the common decency to attend to this matter."

Insull of Chicago, Cortelyou of New York and Owen D. Young of Europe, New York and everywhere have seen the President. They and other industrial stars promise the President to co-operate in his admirable undertaking, promotion of new enterprises, wise spending of money and creation of jobs.

Their promise is no small one, for they agree to spend fifteen hundred million dollars on one program.

What the country needs, if it really needs anything beyond common sense, is to spend part of the money we have, and we have hundreds of billions of it. On past occasions this country has stood petrified, unable to move, like a man watching his house burn down, unable to use his legs or hands.

You might buy of autograph dealers a signature of Herbert Hoover on a sheet of paper with many little queer geometrical diagrams scratched on the paper while listening to a visitor.

These diagrams usually mean that the man making them is not listening "very hard."

If Rockefeller or Ford called to tell the President of a plan to put ten million men to work at good wages, he would listen and wouldn't do any scribbling as he listened.

When you talk and a man scribbles, make it short. He isn't much interested.

It was a distressing slump in Wall street, but think of poor Mexico. That country has had not a slump but a downward cataclysm.

Figures prepared by L. F. Herbert, authority on Mexican securities, show that national and railroad securities in Mexico with a par value of $563,926,156 are now selling on a basis of $37,000,000, or about six and a half per cent of par.

Suppose you could buy $100 worth of our government bonds or best railroad stock for $6.50. That would be worry.

And the simple-hearted Mexicans have not been dumping out new stock, 20,000,000 shares at a time, either.

Business men that know what it means to take an inventory of a good-sized store will shudder when they hear that Doctor Shapley of Harvard has a plan for taking an inventory of the universe or "an index," as he calls it. Man is very far down in that inventory, about as important as a shoestring in a wholesale dry goods store.

In the cosmos everything is to be listed in its place, from electrons to "super galaxies." The difference between a super galaxy and an electron, of which millions might revolve unperceived around their nucleus in the corner of the eye, is quite a difference.

Consider that the molecules in a pint of water, placed side by side, touching, would go around the earth two hundred million times; that our sun is a million times as big as the earth; that there exist other suns, one million times as big as ours, and you can imagine what a cosmic inventory would be. But men will make it, including everything within the telescope's reach.

Under ground near the marshy shore of the Bay of Biscay old Clemenceau would be interested to hear that the German newspapers say, "We should have won the war if we had had the greatest Frenchman since Napoleon."

E. E. Free, able engineer, says 1950 will see electric houses, lighted with artificial sunlight, weather arranged as prescribed by the doctor, like a baby's modified milk, no windows, soundproof, and electrically ventilated. The soundproof suggestion is welcome, and the rest, not.

Men are, physically speaking, animals. They want the sun shining irregularly, the air blowing through. They want to come in and go out as they did in the cave days, and do not want the inside made like the outside.

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Story for Children at Bedtime

By MARY GRAHAM BONNER

At the ball, being given in the music shop for Minna who had come to pay the shop a visit after all the real people had gone home, there was much excitement.

Minna saw how all of them were noticing that a C Major Scale from out a book of Scales was dancing with a Miss First Piece—much like a first piece of music she had been taught to play by her music teacher.

They had been dancing together, talking together, and Minna hoped with all her heart that this was going to be a lovely romance.

All lovely stories, she felt, ended with weddings and living happily ever afterward!

The C Major Scale was a straight, simple, direct looking fellow, no airs or flourishes about him, but there was certainly something very splendid about him.

Minna was talking with the Saxophone after a very crazy dance they had just had when she overheard this conversation.

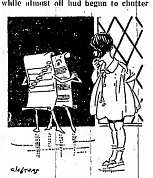
It was all in singing too. It went just like this:

Said C Major Scale to Miss First Piece,
"On piano keys I've taken lease,
So won't you be my darling bride,
Then we can be there side by side?"

Said Miss First Piece to C Major Scale,
"At such a thought my family'd quail,
For though I really love you truly,
They'd say I was just unruly."

The Saxophone went on with his remarks to Minna but she could scarcely pay any attention, so interested was she in hearing the singing conversations of these two who had fallen in love. Minna had never been so close to anything so romantic. She had heard of engagements and had been at weddings, but here she was, almost sharing in the grand proposal.

And now everyone was paying attention to the loving couple, some were staring at them, others were trying to watch without appearing to stare, while almost all had begun to chatter



Dancing Together.

about the possibilities of such a romance. Minna turned to the Saxophone who had at last stopped talking and was watching this particular C Major Scale and this certain Miss First Piece too.

"Do you suppose they will elope?" she asked him.

"There will probably be many objections to the match," the Saxophone answered. "They won't consider him her equal.

"Well, maybe they will, maybe they won't.

"Don't care if they do, don't care if they don't!"

And that was all the satisfaction Minna got out of the Saxophone.

They were all talking now about C Major Scale, and Miss First Piece. There was no doubt about the fact that they were very much in love with each other, but so many objections were raised about its not being a suitable match.

"He's not even a Chromatic Scale," the Chromatic Scale objected.

The Sharps and the Flats were very much against the marriage. They were quite cross about the whole affair. The Grace Notes flitted about trying in their cheery, pleasant, graceful way to make matters better.

"I'm a sensible creature and most substantial and reliable," C Major Scale said. "What would the First Pieces or any number of pieces amount to if it weren't for me? What would music do without me? And what about so many of the little tones given to music students now before they learn their scales? Aren't they taken from me and my family—only dressed up a bit?

"Besides you all show your ignorance." The chattering had stopped and they were all listening to C Major defend himself. They were amazed that he dared to speak as he did, in such brave, clear tones. One or two were about to answer and argue when the Bass Viol exclaimed:

"Let him say what he has to say for himself. We can make our remarks later." Minna thought he was a noble one; she was sure there would be a lovely wedding.

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Deed is everything; fame nothing.

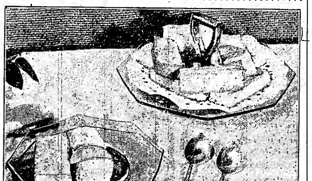
TOMATO ADDS TO FLAVOR OF TUNA FISH

The flavor of tuna fish is enhanced by serving it with tomato. Here is an "all-in-one" lunch dish which takes advantage of this excellent combination of flavors, and which introduces our old friend spaghetti in a new way. It is from the bureau of home economics of the United States Department of Agriculture.

¼ pound spaghetti, or 1 pint broken	1 quart canned tomatoes
2 tbs. chopped celery	1 tsp. salt
6-ounce can tuna fish	⅛ tsp. pepper

Cook the spaghetti in boiling salted water until tender, then drain. Remove the fish from the can, drain, and cut the fish into small pieces. Cook the celery in the oil from the fish, and add one or two tablespoonfuls of olive oil or other fat if desired. Add the tomatoes and cook until fairly thick. Stir in the spaghetti and the fish and season with salt and pepper. Simmer until well blended, then serve.

Ways to Serve Ice Cream



Nicely Arranged Plates of Ice Cream, Cake and Cookies.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Ice cream can come on the table as just ice cream—dipped from a box or a freezer, or cut in slices from a brick—or it may be served in a charming and interesting way that will give a delightful touch to the entire meal. An attractive setting, of course plays its part—pretty dishes of glass or china, a nicely arranged plate of cake or cookies, a beautiful bowl of flowers. The illustration, taken by the bureau of home economics of the United States Department of Agriculture suggests some of these accessories.

In this case the ice cream was in reality a mousse, made in a ring mold which was filled, when turned out, with canned peaches. Each portion included some of the peach, placed on a plate neatly and attractively with cake to accompany it. Sometimes this combination is reversed. The ice cream is put into halves of large canned peaches. "Peach Melba" is the popular name for this dessert. Half canteloupes and honeydew melons are often used as containers for ice cream, adding greatly to both flavor and charm of appearance. Vanilla cream with canteloupe and lemon or orange ice with honeydew melons, are liked.

A "parfait" might be called a sundae built on a vertical plan. A tall narrow glass is used. In the bottom is put a little of the ice cream; then a spoonful of fruit or chocolate sauce, according to the flavor wanted, then more ice cream, and a generous serving of whipped cream, topped by a candied or maraschino cherry for color.

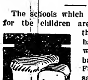
Ice cream sandwich, which is ice cream placed between layers of sponge cake; pie a la mode, or pie with a helping of ice cream on top; ice cream with berries or cut up peaches, bananas or other fruits; ice cream in sherbet cups with chocolate sauce or maple sirup, are other familiar ways of presenting this wholesome and always welcome dessert to your family.

About Good Things to Eat

NELLIE MAXWELL

Those lives are, indeed, narrow and confined which are not blessed with children. Every branch the tree puts out lays it open more to the storms and tempests of life; it lays it open also to the light and the sunshine, and to the singing and the mating of birds. A childless life is a tree without branches, a house without windows.—John Burroughs.

The schools which provide lunches for the children are yet too few



though success has followed them where the work has been tried. For the thousands of children in the large cities and scattered country districts, the distances are so great that carrying a lunch is a necessity.

Let she who has not put up lunches 200 days in the year say it is an easy task; just let her try it for one month and see what a burden it becomes.

If we might make ourselves invisible and be able to look into the lunch boxes, baskets and pails of the school children, who in their active little lives need so much good building food, not only to supply the heat and energy needed for each day but to build up strong bodies for all future life, would we find good, wholesome nourishing food, or combinations or hap mixtures which furnish little food for healthy bodies. The anemic, dull child may be so simply because the mother has not taken any thought to learn what is good food for her child.

Our boys as well as our girls should be taught the simple food principles in the grades. How to prepare simple foods well and with economy, and not think it is unbecoming for him to know these things. Such trained children are a help in preparing their own lunches. A lunch for a child who spends his time in a warm room should be of different food from the one who spends much of his day in the open. Food should be simple and limited in variety. Avoid monotony by changing the fillings for the sandwiches, adding a bit of fruit—anything to surprise the child. If he packs his own lunch, slip in a bit of candy, fruit or cake to relieve the monotony, when he knows just what he has to eat.

The small paper cups, plates and even spoons and forks will make a game of lunch time, they are so attractive.

Pandowdy.—Fill the bottom of a casserole with sliced canned peaches, add one-fourth cupful of water and sprinkle with sugar, a bit of cinnamon if liked. Over the top put a baking powder biscuit crust and bake in a hot oven. Serve with cream or thickened peach juice.

Entertainment may take the form of a luncheon, dinner, afternoon tea or an evening party. The average hostess without help will wish to serve food that may be prepared some time before, so that the labor will be lightened.

Sandwiches, hot dishes, some simple dessert and a drink will be sufficient for an informal occasion.

A few suggestions for open sandwiches may be helpful.

Cheese Sandwiches.—Butter white bread, cut into thin slices and then into rounds. Prepare a cream cheese, or grate any rich American cheese and moisten with mayonnaise. Fill a pastry tube and pipe on the cheese to form any desired design. Place a slice of stuffed olive or a raisin or cherry in the center.

Black Walnut Sandwiches.—These are prepared with graham bread cut into rounds. Spread with soft cheese mixed with coarsely chopped black walnut meats. Serve with rounds of sliced stuffed olives around the edge of the sandwich.

There is no punch or cocktail that will give a greater zest to a meal or leave one with less regret for the indulgence, than fresh fruit cocktail.

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LAWS AND PUBLIC UTILITIES

By JOSEPH W. JAMISON, American Bar Association.

IF PUBLIC ntilities of America, with combined investments totaling $5,000,000,000 and a daily need for $7,000,000 new capital, continne to function, neither congress nor any state legislature can dictate to them what their percentage of profits shall be. The economie aspect of this situation is controlling in importance. It is a direct and positive limitation upon the powers of congress or the states to fix the retnrn which shall be earned by public ntilities. The limitations npon the power of regulatory bodies to fix this rate remonstrates the wisdom of the policy of the states in the enactment of their commission laws.

But it is both possible and practicable to fix and approve the rates which will do justice to both the investor and the consnmer. No congress, of course, could tell the ntilities exactly what percentage they conld earn on a given investment, as they conld, of course, refuse to pnt their money into it. The only reasonable and jnst control that possibly could be exercised is thot of fixing the rates themselves.

It does not require any elaborate procedure to enable the management of a public ntility to determine whether a rate adjustment shonld be mode or not. If, in the administration of the law, carriers are afforded a return which will place them on a pority with other comparative investments, then there will be no interference with the operation of the economic law which hos been nnder discussion. On the other hand, if the operation of this law is so administered as to deny this parity to the investors in railroad or other secnrities, they will withdraw their investments ond this will eventually compel the recognition of the economic law. The alternative would be restriction and deterioration in the railroad service entailing a loss to which the public would not submit.

RURAL SCHOOL PROBLEMS

By MISS HELEN HEFFERNAN, California Department of Education.

Gone forever are the dunce cap, the roller towel, the birch rod, the recitation bench, the tin dipper, and the common water bncket that once were indispensable adjuncts of the old-time little red schoolhouse. Todoy the little red schoolhouse itself is fast following them into oblivion. The magnitnde of the rurol school prohlem at the present time is not generolly appreciated. When we speok of the country school, we meon 57 per cent of America's elementary school enrollment. When we speak of the country school teacher, we meon 64 per cent of the elementory teochers of the notion. And when we speok of the country school, we mean 91 per cent of the elementary schools.

In my stote we are developing stnte rural demonstration schools to serve as stondards for a better type of rurol school. We are training teachers to toke the general materials of education and shope them to the condition of the rural school.

The greatest function of the new teacher is to develop on environment—simple, noturol and beautiful, in which there is an informal atmosphere of happy living. The new school is child-centered rather than teocher-centered. In the old school it was the teocher who was active, plonning, inventing, organizing, talking. The reorientation of the school around the child noturolly leods to the acceptance of the necessity for child interest ond activity.

UNIVERSITIES FACE PROBLEM

By ROBERT MAYNARD HUTCHINS, President Chicago University.

More money for faculty members to make education respectable and to enable nniversities to compete with business for the nation's best minds is the greatest need of American higher education. The money is needed to strengthen three key point universities, to be pacemakers for all the others.

In the last twenty-five years the best minds of America have been drawn to business, hence American education faces a new problem in competition—competition with big business for the best men.

If you spread $100,000,000 over all the worthy colleges in the land you might increase each professor's salary as much as $1.34. You might as well throw the money in the loke. But spend it on the key institntions and you will develop pacemakers that will revitalize American education.

I would have the three key nniversities located one in the East, one in the Central West and one on the Pacific coast. The amounts which uoiversities are spending on bnilding projects and on their facnlties are shockingly disproportionate. In the last ten years the University of Chicago has received $53,000,000 and only $7,000,000 went to a faculty composed of 772 men and women.

MARKED SPREAD OF ATHEISM

By REV. WILLIAM M. WOODFIN, Pittsburgh.

Eighty-five per cent of the resident students at the University of Pittsburgh and Carnegie Institute of Technology either do not attend church or atteod ooly occosionally, because of insufficient home training, "heavy dates" on Saturday nights or the failure of ministers to reconcile religion with the science the students are taught. College men and women throughout the country are abandoning religion.

Why not let ns say right ont from the pnlpit that the truth of religion can never conflict with the truth of science? If we pastors had the courage to run the risk of being called modernists by people whose thinking is in terms of medievalism, we might save many of our young peuple from mental torture, loss of faith and nltimate atheism.

EXPANSION NOT PROGRESS

By REV. GEORGE A. BUTTRICK, New York (Presbyterian).

The go-getter spirit of the modern American city and village mistakes industrial expansion for progress. I have particularly in mind those cities seeking populations of millions as their only goal and villages willing to see their landscapes disfigured by factory smoke stacks.

After the present fever of expansion has abated, the realization will come that this civilization is no more enduring than any other. The question will arise then whether skyscrapers and factories, railroads and air planes are worth the price of a deviled soul and a shell-shocked spirit.

Couturiers Offer Longer Hemlines

Paris Designers Presenting Palm Beach and Early Spring Styles.

The foct that the mid-season collections this year have heen so long drown out, is significant of the severe shock the fashion world has received within the last few months. Instead of the usnal hurried addition of fifty or so models to the already established winter collections that form the customary mid-seoson shows, writes a Paris fashion correspondent in the New York World, many of the couturiers are planning an entire rearrangement of models, putting in advance spring clothes with the Palm Beach and Riviera models.

Now that the world in general is getting adjusted to the old-fashioned habit of wondering what startling news is soon to come from Paris, everyone is becoming eagerly creative again. From all indications we are launched on one of those interesting periods of dress that will look lively and exciting to our grandchildren when they resurrect the 1930 fashion magazines.

There seems to be no doubt about long skirts. Possibly that is no longer news in America, but in spite of the foct that women in Paris have never gone in for knee lengths, ankle skirts have not yet become a dull topic of conversation.

The Lelong skirts that go into the mid-season show come down well over the calf, instead of just above it, as in the winter collection. That is, for daytime skirts in general.

Sports skirts are shorter, but only slightly so. The big success of the Lelong season has been those evening dressses of taffeta, printed in big wall paper designs. They are seen all over Paris—one of the few types of taffeta dresses that does not look kittenish on mature women.

White for Evening Wear.

Chez Patou skirt lengths remain very much the same. Lines are similar to those early in the season—long-legged effects, with the tightness extending from the shoulder to just above the knees. The most pronounced variation in the Patou manner is in color. Everything here is just o few tones lighter and brighter than in the earlier editions.

White evening clothes—whether introduced via America or not—are increasing in numbers in the Patou shows. Not that black will not probably remain the big Paris favorite, but there is more white offered here, and in other houses as well, than Paris has seen in a long time.

Jean-Charles Worth has effectively summed up the characteristics of the new fashion trend in his few words about sports clothes. "We couturiers," he says, "must make clothes for sportswomen because practically every woman these days is keenly interested in sports and goes in for swimming, polo playing, hunting, tennis, and all the other activities of this kind. So we shall adopt the sports silhouette for clothes for all occasions.

"We shall have longer skirts," he continues, "below the calf for afternoon and much longer for evening. We shall have the figure closely mold-

Beige Crepe de China, Trimmed With Fish-Net Lace.

ed with a feeling of softness and naturalness, and when the waistline is marked it will be at the proper place. In other words, we shall as nearly as possible give women the feeling that they are in bathing costumes.

"And for that reason we shall have evening gowns with no backs at all, a fairly low decolletage in front, gowns which mold the figure graciously and extend to the ankles with plenty of room for freedom of movement. We may, just as a paradox, put in sleeves—that is, cover the arms to a certain extent. But these gowns shall be as easy to wear and as comfortable as a bathing suit—to say nothing, if one wishes to be discreet, about their showing the figure as advantageously."

The bathing suit comparison works out well in most of the clothes that are being made and worn in Paris. Via the corsetiere, and via underslips that fit the figure as faithfully as any one-piece bathing suit, women are actually beginning to get that smooth, unbroken line around the hips and in front, that approximates the natural figure. Only a few of the new dresses can be worn without corsets—only those that have the fullness beginning directly below the waist.

Tailored suits follow the identical fitted lines that appear in tailored dresses—the jacket taking the lines of the torso, and the skirts becoming wider as they near the knees.

Suits Are Fitted.

There is little seen of the sack suit that hangs straight down from the shoulders. Even the most masculine suits are somewhat fitted, just as the coats that European men are wearing now are fitted. There is a certain type of tailored suit that is worn in Paris now, particularly by tall women. It is strictly tailored, but with the jacket extending to seven-eighths, rather than jacket length. At its best

Draping Features an Afternoon Dress of Beige Georgette.

it is made of some men's wear woolen in dark grays and grayish blacks. This type of suit is smarter without the usual accompaniment of silver fox scarf.

Ordering a hat in Paris nowadays entails not only one, but two or three fittings, to make certain a glove-smooth line across the top of the head and back, like a bathing cap. Any extra flares or folds are concessions to becomingness. Less is seen of the type of hat with a long back brim since fur collars have returned. What they call in France a "toque," and its variations, has become the inadequate complement to fur coats and fur collars.

From bathing accessories, too, have come ideas for town clothes. The big carry-all that dominated French beaches during the summer has been turned into a city version of itself, an immense affair that is muff, vanity bag, purse, all at once. It may open at the top with a zipper or at the side with a button. Flattened out it looks like a purse; potted into a roll it becomes a muff.

Young women who have been frightened into the 18-day diet by talk about the new silhouette will feel far more cheerful if they inspect the collection of gowns designed by Captain Molyneux, the Paris couturier.

The original models are being shown to a flabbergasted public every afternoon on mannequins, some of whom are not the sylphs we have been ordered to become. The use of matron models at this season is one of the kindliest things a store could do.

There are sixteen ensembles in the collection designed by Molyneux. The dresses are more in line with the current high waist, low hem tendencies than Molyneux' early fall collection, which was very radical on these points, but they are still more conservative than those of, say, Patou.

There is not a single gown in the collection which could not be worn without a corset; the high waistline is marked, in most cases, by a bit of shirring or dab of decoration, but is not, to tell the truth, drawn in much more than it was in the good old days of 1928, except when it is concealed under a jacket.

Tuck-In Blouse Effect.

The tweed suits are interesting jacket affairs which appear to have tuck-in blouses, but are actually two-piece costumes, with the blouse attached to the skirt. The skirts have deep knife plaitings and most of them are trimmed with the flat self bows, to which this design is prone. The only sports coat shown is of heavy gray tweed, full length, with a large shawl collar of ombre krimmer and very little fitting to the figure.

One smart little suit for daytime wear is of black cressela cloth. The coat, of hip length, has a narrow band about the bottom, broad reveres and cuffs of black galyok. A narrow belt of black suede is worn loosely at what Patou considers the waistline, where the attached white georgette blouse appears to tuck in.

One of the most ingenious of the costumes is a week-end outfit, in which the lazy lady may appear well dressed without bothering to bring more baggage than a tooth brush.

Homeless Men Glad to Find Stray Ducks' Eggs

Any morning before the rush traffic has begun you may see the homeless ones who sleep on the London embankment walking slowly along, peering over the parapet at the steps and landings. They are looking for ducks' eggs.

I was walking past the air force war memorial (writes a correspondent) when I saw two ducks perched on one of the steps just above high-water mark. Between them lay a beautiful new-laid egg.

I climbed over the low railing and retrieved the egg. As I was clambering back a seedy looking embankment habitue accosted me. "You've pinched my breakfast, guv-nor," he complained.

I gave him the egg, and he explained that he had found a half dozen eggs on the same steps during a fortnight. —New York World.

Pulpit Jokes

The late Dr. John Roach Straton, unbending at Greenwood lake, told a reporter a number of pulpit jokes.

"Then there was a very nervous preacher," Doctor Straton said, "who gave out as his text one Sabbath, 'Heaviness may endure for a joy, but night cometh in the morning.'

"Another preacher had to preach before a convention of medicos. He was a joker, that man, and no mistake. His text was, 'A certain woman had suffered many things of many physicians, and had spent all that she had, and was nothing better, but rather grew worse.'

"A terrible Scotch preacher officiated at a notorious miser's funeral. This isn't a joke, though. The Scotchman took for the text of his funeral sermon, 'And the beggar died.'"

Softening Toward Him

Representative James M. Beck said at a dinner:

"If they had kept me out much longer I'd have felt as bad as Brownlow.

"Brownlow was running for mayor, and one night at the end of a stormy meeting his campaign manager said:

"'You're winning them over, Brownlow. They seemed more inclined to listen tonight. Yes, you're getting more popular all the time.'

"'Popular!' snarled Brownlow. 'Look at my coat and vest. Why, they did nothing but bombard me with rotten eggs.'

"'Yes, but,' said the manager, 'don't you remember, Brownlow, how it used to be bricks?'"

France Has Air Police

Air police patrol has been established over France to control the movement of the large number of planes that pass over the country daily. Pilots violating international air regulations are subject to heavy fines. Police airplanes warn erring pilots by firing smoke bombs, and all aircraft being signaled in this manner are required to follow the police ship to the ground and land alongside it.

Perfect Hate

"He must hate jazz!"

"Why do you think so?"

"He always tunes out when that's all he's getting and declares he'd rather listen to his wife than it."

Uncle Eben

"Every time I sees an airplane," said Uncle Eben, "I's willin' to git back to de old days right here on earth, wif a couple o' mules an' a canal boat."—Washington Star.

Suspicious

Suspicious Husband—Who called this afternoon?

His Better Half—Only Aunt Sophie.

S. H.—Well, she left her pipe.

If you have an iron will don't let it get rusty.

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From Bunyan

A muck-rake is a rake used in collecting muck or dung. Literally a muck-raker is one who uses such a rake. Figuratively the term is used to mean a person who makes a practice of searching for, collecting and publishing corrupt practices among public officials. It is believed to refer to "the man with the muck-rake" in Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress.

Saving the Shins

All the shin guards are not bought for gridiron performers or baseball catchers. Married men who have to play a lot of bridge with their wives are learning to make use of them. This is a form of preparedness. If there is a kick coming they are ready for it.—Los Angeles Times.

Old Insurance Company

The Presbyterian Ministers' fund, Philadelphia, is probably the oldest insurance company in this country. It was established 170 years ago.

Folks seldom get their photographs taken after they are old; there is nobody to give them to.

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We all catch colds and they can make us miserable; but yours needn't last long if you will do this: Take two or three tablets of Bayer Aspirin just as soon as possible after a cold starts. Stay in the house if you can—keep warm. Repeat with another tablet or two of Bayer Aspirin every three or four hours, if those symptoms of cold persist. Take a good laxative when you retire, and keep bowels open. If throat is sore, dissolve three tablets in a quarter-glassful of water and gargle. This soothes inflammation and reduces infection. There is nothing like Bayer Aspirin for a cold, or sore throat. And it relieves aches and pains almost instantly. The genuine tablets, marked Bayer, are absolutely harmless to the heart.

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Trace "Jolly Roger" to Old Symbols of Death

Nearly nll tbe ancient peopies bad symbols of deetb, hnt the probability is that the weil-known skull and crossbonee are really a ruda representation of a dead body with the arms crossed in the usual nttitude of resignation. Its origin is traced back to the Egyptian Feast nf the Dead at wbich it was customary to bave soma representation of a ekull. The Romans, with the famous epicurean motto, "Eat, drink and be merry, for tomorrow we die!" often had a skeleton to decorete their banquet balls as a reminder of the fate so soon to overtake the reveliers. The skull and crosshones as a pirnte symbol is not ancient and was apperentiy unknown to the pirates of classic and medieval times. The earliest known use of tha embiem first called the "Jolly Roger" was in the days of Captain Kidd. Its meaning is obvious.

Glacier's "Diary"

The general belief that a glacier moves slowiy and smoothly down a mountainside bas been shattered. Investigations covering 17 years bave shown that ice fields move forward with spasmodic jerks as stress accumulates. This was shown by a "diary" in the form of lines scratched by two needles on a clock-driven disk.

Bids Wanted

The Board of Directors of the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Association will receive sealed bids for filling in next years supply of ice to be cut 18"x18", and not less than 22" thick.

Bids will be opened Dec. 18, 1929 at 2:00 P. M.

F. S. Frdmann, Secretary.

Bids Wanted

The Board of Directors of the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Association will receive sealed bids for the position as helper at the creamery for the coming year beginning Dec. 20, 1929. Applicants should have some experience in creamery work.

Biks will be opened at 2:00 P. M. December 18, 1929.

By order of the Board,
F. S. Erdmann, Secretary.

In Oil

Little five-year-old Betty's grandmother had received a post card from Betty's aunt and uncie, and was discussing it with the little girl's mother. Betty overheard some conversation abont their having visited the Holy land and now being in Greece.

When Betty's fatber came home in the evening sbe ran np to him and cried: "Oh, daddy! Uncle and aunt are in oil."

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WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 84, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Duluth—Tnurists spent $5,000,000 in the Arrowhead district of Minnesota this year.

Onamia—A. P. Jorgenson is the newly named Noble Grand for the local Odd Fellows.

Stillwater—A new manufacturing plant which will employ approximately 30 men will soon be built here.

Duluth—Semuel Sheldon, president of the Minnesota Steel Company, died at his home bere of heart disease.

Farlbault—L. S. Kellhan, State Insurance Director of the Farm Bureau addressed tbe recent meeting here.

Albert Lea—A men killed on highwey No. 9 in an anto accident was identified as H. W. Land of Blakely, Galveston.

Cloquet—After 29 years of continnons service, John MacSweeney has resigned as bead of the police department here.

Brainerd—The sixteenth child, a girl, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Jnhn Chishnlm of Crow Wing station, eight miles soutb.

Owatnnna—Rev. Frank C. Greene, director of St. Paul's church here, one and oue-half years, has eccepted a call to Sioux Falls.

Savage—Four men bave been arrested and lodged in jeils at Chaska and Sbekopee as the men who robbed the benk et Savege.

Little Falls—Twenty entries have been received by Enoch Peterson, Little Foils, for tbe first egg laying contest in Minnesota.

Mentor—A hunting dog towsd Charles Edwards, his master, two and one-bsif miles to sbore after his boat senk, saving his life.

Floodwood—Students of Floodwood higb school are issuing tbe Floodwood Receiver, the first stndent pubilcation in tbe history of the school.

Wells—This cnmmunity will stage e Community Chest drive Dec. 10, centralizing tbe collection of funds for relief and cbaritable pnrposes.

Owatonna—Lieut. Col. L. A. Kunzig, U. S. ermy eddressed the Lions club here; he is stationed at Minneepolis with the 135th infantry.

Prsston—Fillmore members of the Farm Bureeu Federation met here in district session. J. S. Jones, state secrstary addressed the meeting.

St. Paul—Jndge J. C. Mitcbell qnasbed indictment against Mrs. Knispel, former clerk in ths botel inspection depertment, for falsifying records.

Rochester—Leonard Churcbill, Alaske, end W. W. Cburcbill, Rochester, brotbers, met here for the first time since they parted in Fergo, 51 years ego.

Litchfield—Mr. end Mrs. Andrew Kitteison, pioneer Meeker county residents, celebreted their golden wedding aninverseery. They were married here.

Slayton—Business men here hold a community holiday season business opening, at which the Christmas season lights were turned on for the first time.

Albert Les—Mrs. J. D. Psterson, Minneapolis and Mr. and Mrs. Jeene Curtis, of Meson City, were in a local hospital due to auto injuries sustained neer here.

St. Cinud—St. Cloud's business streets ere being decorated in observance of Cbristmes. Tbe decorative plen is more extensive than in any former yeers.

Willmar—Dr. A. F. Brantnn was nemed president of the locel Kiwanis Club at its annual meeting, sncceeding D. T. Carlson, who was elected district trustee.

Willmar—Steps have been taksn hy the Kandiyohi county board toward purchasing a cemetery lnt for hurial nf war veterans fnr whnm nn private lots ere evaiiehle.

St. Cinud—Eighty-two patients have been received et the United States veterans' hnspital at St. Cinud upon completion of the new ward wing, bringing the total to 422.

Mankato—The Second District Editoriel Associetion members held their semi-ennuel meeting here. Speekers at a benquet incinded Mayor L. C. Hodgson of St. Peul.

Cokato—Mrs. Albert Johnson, and Nels C. Johnson, of Willmer, were killed in en eutomobile accident near bere, and Mrs. Jensen and Mr. Johnson serionsly injured.

Little Falls—The Morrison county teecbers' institute will be condncted bere Decemher 12 and 13 under the directinn of Mrs. Agnes Pyne, state depertment of education.

Nnrthfield—Thenksgiving wes observed et Carieton College with appropriete exercises in Skinner Memoriel chepel. Tbe service was merked by n picturesqne "Priscilla procession."

Winnns—From all parts of the state and elsewhere, former students of St. Mary's College came for tbe annnal bomecoming progrem and football game with St. Thomas College, St Penl.

Albert Lea—Dr. G. A. Lundquist of St. Paul, secretary of the Ramsey County Welfare Board made the principei address at the annual meeting of the Freeborn County Farm Bureau here

Faribault—Two Carleton College gradnates of 1929 became deacons in the Episcopal church in ceremonies coudncted here.

St. Paul—Automobile license plates for 1930 have been received at tha office of Mike Holm, who calls attention to the fact car owners must apply for the tags by February 15, or be subject to a penalty.

St. Cloud—Olof Wasenius of Milaca, former Mille Lecs county superintendent, was sentenced to one year in Stillwater by Jndge John Roeser for misappropriation of money from the teachers' pension fund.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of the sum of Thirty-eight Hundred Sixty and 40-100 ($3860.40) Dollars, which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon a certain Mortgage, duly executed and delivered by Karl A. Sundahl and Anna Sundahl, his wife, Mortgagors, to First and Peoples State Bank, (a corporation under the laws of the State of Minnesota), Mortgagee, bearing date the 16th day of November, 1920, and with a power of sale therein contained, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, on the 18th day of November, 1920, at 9:00 o'clock A. M., in Book 13 of Mortgages, on page 629, and no action or proceedings having been instituted, at law or otherwise, to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Seven (7) and Eight (8), of Block One (1), of Connelly's First Addition to Red Lake Rapids, (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls), according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and

Lots Four (4) and Five (5), of Block Nineteen (19), in the Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls), according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and

Lots Thirty-four (34), Thirty-five (35), Thirty-six (36), Thirty-seven (37) and Thirty-eight (38), of Block Ten (10), in the Townsite of Red Lake Rapids, (now a part of the City of Thief River Falls), according to the plat thereof now on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and all of said property situated in Pennington County and State of Minnesota,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances; which sale will be made by the Sheriff of said Pennington County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on the 21st day of December, 1929, at ten o'clock A. M., of that day, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, to pay said debt of $3860.40, and interest, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and Seventy-five Dollars, Attorney's fees as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of foreclosure, and the disbursements allowed by law; subject to redemption at any time within one year from the day of sale, as provided by law.

Deted November 6th, A. D. 1929.
FIRST and PEOPLES STATE BANK,
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Attorneys for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. N7-D12

Council Proceeding

Regular meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire, Minn., held at the village hall, December 2th at 8 P. M.

Meeting called to order by the Clerk.

All members present except Satterberg who entered the meeting later.

On motion duly made and carried H. F. Hanson was appointed president-protem.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed as read.

John Forseen, salary for November	$ 20.00
O, Gunstad, two proceedings	5.25
Knute Kolstad, labor	1.50
Larson Bros., as per bill	3.35
Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
Emil Just, Order No. 80 November 9th 1927.	500.00
Emil Just, two years interest on Order No. 80	60.00

Motion duly made and carried that the council meet at the presidents office during the winter months.

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjourned.

M. Fricker, Clerk. H. F. Hanson, President-protem

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$1.10
Duram Wheat	.95
Rye	.82
Barley	.42
Oats	.33
Flax	2.99
Eggs, cash	.40
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When a Papuen trihesmon's eyes rest witb fevor on a maid, and he desires her for a wife, he first presents his fatber-in-iaw witb e pig or a dog, after which he takea his hride to his hnt. The wedding ceremony over, the bride joins other wives in taking core of the hut and wnrking the garden while the hnshend goes fighting, hunting and fishing. Yoms, eweet potatoes, birds, liznrds, fisb and ail kinds of insects are eaten hy them, bnt the favorite tid-hit is a fnt gruh ohout three inches iong. Papnnns differ as to the disposol of their deod. Tbey believe tbat eecb trihesman hes two spirits. One dies with the body while the otber remuins with it to hennt the reletives. Sometimes a body is bnried for e short time. Later it is disinterred, the bones cleoned and taken to the viliage.—Exchange.

Gnths and Visignths

The Goths divided themselves into two greet gronps—the Visigoths (Eastern Gotbs) and the Ostrogotbs (Western Goths). The former lived on the slopes of the Carpethinns, in Dacia, and the intter dweit on tbe shores of the Bleck sea. "Their separation became complete wben, after conflicts with Constantine (1321), wbo imposed peace npon tbem, and with Vaiens, wbom they snhdued, the terrible Huns made a successful irruption among them and compietely crushed their empire." Tbe Goths were a powerful Tentonic peopie. They were totaliy unlike the Romans in many respects. The Visigoths greduaily beceme ebsorbed in the Latin peopies of Spain and Languedoc. The Ostrogoths finally became absorbed in tbe Tertar race.

Florida's Entry Into Family

By treaty of 1819 Spain ceded Florida to the United States on July 1, 1821. This came ns a result of many long controversies between the two conntries in regard to Florida. Civil government was not established until 1822.

Capacity for Learning

Formerly it was accepted that the apex of mental receptivity was passed somewhere around the age of twenty Educators now agree that adults learn more easily, with more interest and greater profit than do children.

South River Falls

Paul Thyren and family were visitors Saturday evening at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs L. P. Thyren.

Victor Erickson, who has been in southern part of the state, came home Saturday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Aug. Erickson.

Bids Wanted

The school board of Dist. No. 106 in Sanders twp, will receive bids to time of meeting at 8:00 P.M., Saturday, Dec., 21st., for delivery of six (6) cords of green, heavy body, split, poplar cordwood at the school grounds in said district. Bids may be mailed, or left with the clerk.

D12-16pd Victor Johnson, Clerk

Judging by the small of some of the five cent cigars on the market, the progran of farm relief must already bave been started by allowing manufacturers cigars to use alfalfa instead of tobacco.

It might stimulate business for the bootleggers to have a "Use moonshine in your radiator" week. Undoutedly, it would serve a better purpose that way even if it did damage to the radiators.

From Dad to the family--The gift supreme--brings the world to your fireside--the Coronado Dynamic, 9 tube Screen Grid Radio. $114.95 including tubes. Gamble Stores, Thief River Falls, Minn.

Forty Winks

Why "forty winks"? The number is taken from the Scriptures, where it occurs frequently—from the forty days of the flood, onwards.

Holiday Gift Goods

We have placed on display this week, our line of holiday gift goods suitable for all members of the family.

The toy counter contains a good assortment of mechanical toys etc., that will delight the hearts of the little folks. Come and see them.

Tree decorations and trimmings, a fine lot of China and metal goods, nifty neckwear, toilet articles, candies, nuts, fruits are a few of the hundreds of items we have as suggestions to Santa in making the coming Christmas the "best ever."

Remember, holiday goods suitable for young and old at

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St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Washington Letter

By Cong. C. G. Selvig

Continued from page 1

The dairy industry is fundamentally in healthy condition and those engaged in it should not feel uneasy about the future. At the same time it is well to realize that just at present the tariff is effective only to extent of about five cents per pound, and a reduction in the volume of output the next few months would be helpful. It is a good time to get rid of the low-production cows that never yield a profit but now add to the surplus.

There is practically no butter being imported from abroad, but there is a considerable quantity of cheese, milk and cream and other dairy products that would be checked by the passage of the pending tariff bill.

Dairymen have an advantage over other farmers in the nature of their foreign competition. Butter is produced in Denmark, Holland, Sweden, Scotland, Germany, New Zealand and other highly civilized countries where the standard of living is comparatively high. This means that the world price, which is the foundation of our domestic price, will always remain at a good figure.

Credit Due Henry VIII

Whatever his shortcomings, to Henry VIII we owe the cherm of the English home today. With all the beauty of the early Norman manner—its tall ascending growth, Gothic leaded windows and paneled walls—it lacked comfort and grace within.

Searching all Europe for the best that would combine, Henry VIII added graceful Italian iron grill work, elaborately decorated ceilings and beautiful hangings from France and other lands.

English noblemen were not slow to follow, and the result—that rare combination of dignity, beauty and charm—the English manor.—Exchange.

How Napoleon Got Start

Napoleon Bonaparte's father inadvertently laid the foundation for the family fortunes when on a visit to Paris he succeeded in getting free admission into the military school of Brienne for his son. The elder Bonaparte was a lawyer in Corsica and although he had taken a vigorous part in defending the island against the French, when resistance hed become useless he found himself not averse to joining their interest. Napoleon was only sixteen when his father died. —Detroit News.

Surely Worth It

Doctor Lewis, an old time Welsh divine, composed a six penny pamphlet on "How Sin Came Into the World."

A friend of his, who was known to be somewhat heterodox in his theology, advised Lewis to add a chapter telling how to get sin out of the world; he could thus make it a shilling pamphlet—and it would be well worth the additional sixpence.—Christian Register.

Big Demand for Stone From Historic Quarry

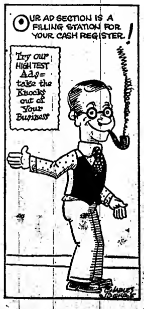
Called upon to design a marble structure, the architects of a half century or more ago, demanded a pure white stone and one of the few quarries of this country which deliver the desired article was thet at Beaver Dam, Md. The stone for the very first Washington monument in Baltimore was made from stone from this quarry, and from the same source was obtained, in the early "fifties," the stone for the beautiful, fluted, monolithic columns that adorn the wings of the National Capitol itself. There are 108 of these columns and each is 26 feet in length. The handsome senate office building in Washington has its facade finished with Beaver Dam marble; and the spires of St. Patrick's cathedral, in New York city, likewise are built of this effective and enduring material.

In order to get the pure white stone which was demanded it was necessary to remove an overlying stratum, which had some color in it and therefore this material was scrapped. Now, however, the stone with a little color in it is highly regarded by architects and the big waste pile at the Beaver Dam quarry wee used in the construction of a gigantic building in Detroit, Mich.

Great Cuban Harbor

Guantanamo bay, Cuba, the winter rendezvous of the navy ships stationed on the Atlantic side of the United States, is on the south coast of Cuba, about forty miles east of Santiago. This bay is about four miles wide by ten miles long, has deep water and is sheltered by hills from hurricanes. This bay was for a long time a rendezvous for pirates and buccaneers, who ley in wait for the galleons coming up from the Spanish main and merchantmen bound from Santiago, Cuba.

EDDIE, THE AD MAN



Song Service

Norwegian Lutheran Church

ST. Hilaire, MINN.

Sun., Dec. 15th

8:00 P. M.

Reading of the Messianic Promises and Christmas Story.

Given by the Church Choir

Adm 25 and 15 cents, including lunch

For Sale

Cow, to freshen in December
1 team work horses 10 yrs. old
Large buffet
Gang plow
Mower Hay rake
Drill Hay rack
Hay

Reasonable if taken at once. Call or see

Mrs. C. A. Halvorson.

FOR SALE:-Owing to installation of electric power, I have for sale a Maytag washing machine operated by gasoline engine. This has been in use only a year, and is in best of condition. Call on, or address

Arne Vik,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Mechanics Wanted!

Big Demand. Practical Training. Write for catalog. HANSON AUTO & ELECTRICAL SCHOOL, Box 926, Fargo, N. D

MEET THE GANG
-AT-
Bob's Coffee Shop
If you can't eat at home. eat with us
R. Helmkay,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Notice:- All stores in St. Hilaire will be open evenings from date until Christmas.

Turkey Day

Friday, December 13

Dressed turkeys will be received at the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery on date stated above.

Kindly bring in birds as early as possible to facilitate quick handling.

Remember the date

Christmas Shopping Suggestions

May we offer these suggestions to solve your Gift problems

HOSIERY

Our hosiery line is the most complete we have ever carried, Ladie's silk and silk and wool, in large selection of colors, at **.50 cents** to **$1.60.**
Men's in silk and silk and wool, novelty patterns, at **.25** to **.95.**
Children's cotton, wool, and silk and wool, also anklets, at **.25** to **.65.**

Ties and Scarfs

These items will be found on almost every Christmas list. We have them in beautiful patterns and designs for your selection at **.50** to **$1.95** each. Be sure to see these—you will want one or more of them.

Handkerchiefs

Novelty boxed kerchiefs make an acceptable gift for anyone. Big variety of patterns, white or colored, at .25-50 and .65.

Felt and Leather Slippers

The ideal gift for Christmas. Big variety for all members of the family at

.50 to $1.95

We also carry assortments of

Stationery	Tree Trimmings	Apples
Child's books	Christmas cards	Gloves
Toys	Nuts, candies, cigars	Bags, etc

Special prices on candy and nuts to schools and churches.

M. H. JACKSON

General Merchandise

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Mrs. Carl Fromm Dies

Mrs. Mary Fromm, a resident of this community for 43 years, died at 1:30 last Thursday afternoon at the Bethesda hospital at Crookston, death being attributed to infirmities due advanced age.

Mrs. Fromm was born August 7 th, 1853 in Germany and grew to womanhood in that country. She came to the United States in 1872, and was married to Carl Fromm that year.

Mr. and Mrs. Fromm made their home at Winthrop in Sibley County for a number of years, moving to this section in 1886 to reside on a farm west of here. They made their home on the farm until 1911 when they moved their present home in this village. Surviving Mrs. Fromm are her husband, an 87 year old Civil War veteran, two daughters, Mrs. Martha Hanson of Shelly, and Mrs. Lydia Anderson Angus, and one son, John, who lives on the old farm west of town. Deceased is also survived by 11 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren.

Mrs. Fromm was a lifelong member of the German Evangelical Lutheran church.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. E. A. Schuett, pastor of Our Savior's Lutheran church of Crookston a the local Evangelical Mission church Monday afternoon, and interment was made in the Rux cemetery west of heret

Sympathy of numerous friends in this community is extended to the bereaved relatives.

Fine Song Service

A splendid song service was given by the choir of the Norwegian Lutheran church at that church last Sunday evening. Reading of the Messianic Promises, and Christmas story were given. After the program, lunch was served in the church parlors.

Annual Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Bray Mutual Fire Ins. Co. will be held in St. Hilaire, Minn., on the 8th day of January 1930, commencing at 1:00 o'clock P. M.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year, and to transact any other business that may properly come up before this meeting.

John O. Swanson
D19J2 Secy.

A want adv. costs but little, but it pays big dividends.

Win At Middle River

The high school basketball quint, together with a few rooters, motored Friday evening last to Middle River and took on the high school team of that village. After trailing for first three quarters, the local lads took a spurt in the last quarter and when the dust had cleared away, they possessed the long end of a 20 to 17 score. The boys report having a most enjoyable time at Middle River.

Euclid Bank Merged

Deposits of the First State Bank of Euclid, amounting to about $50, 000.00, were taken over this week by the First National Bank at Crookston. The Euclid bank's condition was in fine sbape, but the amount of business being done, and prospective, in Euclid territory did not warrant maintaining of the bank, hence the merger. Several parties at Crookston were stockholders and officers of the Euclid bank.

Sleet storms visited southern part of the state this week causing considerable damage to telephone and telegraph lines. Roads farther south are covered with glare ice which makes motoring both difficult and dangerous.

25 Years Ago

Emil Holmes returned to Cannon Falls after spending several days here.

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A good size crew of men were at work installing the new machinery at tbe mill.

—xxv—

H. D. Pettibone left to spend the holiday with his family at Minneapolis.

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Mike McAndress was given a contract for erecting the new store at Hazel for Otterness & Edstrom.

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Oscar Halvorson, a former St. Hilaire resident, was here for a visit with his sister Mrs. Wrenn.

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Christian Mortenson, of River Falls was almost instantly killed while rock curbing a well at his place. A rock fell out of the bucket and fractured his skull.

—xxv—

Wylie people were up in arms against proposal of the Great Northern to tear up the tracks and isolate that village since the new road through Red Lake Falls was completed.

Greetings

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know. . . . .

Supt. E. N. Reiersgord leaves Friday noon to spend his holiday vacation with his parents at Ulen.

A considerable number of turkeys and other poultry were marketed at the local creamery last Friday.

Christmas and New Year cards of every variety on sale at the Spectator office.

G. Bergland and family are going Tuesday to Hibbing to spend Christmas with relatives.

Extremely cold weather prevailed in this section Tuesday night and Wednesday morning. The mercury went down to 30 below zero here.

Arlene, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rosendahl, is reported to be seriously ill with an attack of heart trouble.

Christmas program for the different grade rooms at school will be held today and tomorrow forenoon. The school closes at noon tomorrow so that all the teachers may have time to get home before Christmas.

Notice:- Am leaving town Dec, 23rd, to be gone until after New Year. Anyone wanting marcelling done, please call before that time.
Mrs. Jennie Carter, City.

Miss Nina Freistad was hostess Tuesday evening at a party given at the Mrs. Gigstad home for members of the cast of the Junior Class play given last week.

More than a remembrance-practical gifts show the loving thot of intimate friendship. You'll find practical useful gifts at Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Hans F. Hanson has been confined to his home the past few days by another attack of illness. He has had similar attacks before, and tho' they are not considered very serious, they are extremely painful.

Pa Knew.

"Pa, what is a yes-man?" asked Clarence.

"It's a husband, son, whose snappy comeback to his wife's orders is 'Yes mam,'" replied his dad.

Didn't Know Mule.

"What became of that hired man you got from the city?"

"Aw, he used to be a chauffeur, and one day he crawled under a mule to see why it wouldn't go."

Shorter Short Story.

"Unmarried?"

"Yes, twice."

Victor Erickson left Monday for Thief River where he expects to have employment during the winter.

Miss Agnes Vik came yesterday from Minneapolis, where she has been employed, to spend the winter with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Dahl motored up Saturday from Lockhart for a visit with friends, and to look after matters in connection with the Dahl residence property here.

What shall I give for Christmas? Something practical that is used and long remembered. For men, women, or children ask the manager at Gamble Stores for suggestions- Thief River Falls, Minn.

Cream will not be accepted at the local creamery on either Christmas or New Year Day. Three cream days a week will be resumed after the bolidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Hanson of Shelly, and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Anderson and family of Angus, were among the out of town relatives here Monday to attend the funeral for late, Mrs. Carl Fromm.

Regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the creamery was held at the creamery building yesterday noon. All checks will be ready Friday and Monday so patrons may have their checks before Christmas.

The new 1930 community calendars have arrived and may be procured by calling at the creamery. The calendar is gotten up in neater form than the previous one, and will make an ornament in any home.

Next week week will witness the annual homecoming of teachers, and those who are attending various colleges and schools, besides other folks who are coming to spend Christmas in the old home town.

Word was received here Saturday that Mrs. Martha Anderson, sister of Mrs. Fred E. Rux, Mrs. Wm. Yonke of this place, and Fred and Wm. Lubitz of Wylie, had passed away at Grand Forks. She is survived by her husband, a son and daughter, and by her father, who resides at Wylie, besides the brothers and sisters named above.

New Auditor Appointed

H. L. Fowler, who has been deputy county auditor of this county since death of Axel Risberg, was appointed by the county commissioners last week to succeed T. P. Anderson as county auditor, the latter having resigned when he received the appointment of postmaster at Thief River Falls.

Mr. Fowler came to this county f om Baudette, having been employed in the auditor's office there several years.

Birthday Party

A number of friends and neighbors surprised Gust Johnson, at his farm home northweet of here, Wednesday evening last week on occasion of his birthday anniversary. A very enjoyable evening was spent, and the guests brot along a bountiful supply of lunch which they served at a late hour. Mr. Johnson was presented by those present, with a suitable reminder of the pleasant occasion.

To Open Beauty Parlor

Miss Violet C. Fellman is announcing the opening of the Vanity Beauty Shoppe at the Lasha Barber shop. Miss Fellman is an experienced and licensed operator and for some time has been employed at International Falls. The new shop will open on Friday December 20:- Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Alumni Banquet, Dec, 27th

The annual bauquet of the St. Hilaire high school Alumni Association will be held on Friday December 27th., this year. Invitations have been mailed out, and a very good attendance is expected.

Big assortment of neat New Year cards now on display at the Spectator office.

Insure mental and bodily comfort for winter driving. Universal Arvin Heater for all cars $4.95. Alcohol 65c per gallon. Gamble Stores.

For Sale: Purebred Duroc-Jersey boar, age about 8 months, weight 200 lbs or over. Also have some wild hay to sell.
Chas. Walton,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Christmas and New Year cards on display at the Spectator office.

Class Play Scores Success

The Junior Class play entitled "And Home Came Ted", a rollicking three act comedy presented at the Imperial hall last Friday afternoon and evening and Saturday evening, was voted a huge success by all who saw it.

The play was replete with interesting incidents from opening to the final curtain, and was remarkably well staged. The young folks, six boys and six girls, each took their parts so well that it would be difficult to single out any one for special mention. Good sized crowds attended both performances as well as the matinee, and treasury of the Junior Class received a well deserved boost from proceeds of the play.

Special Holiday Rate

Reduced rates for the Christmas holiday, by the Great Northern Railroad were announced this week by T. M. Skatrud, G. N. agent here. A special rate of one and one third fare for round trip will be given between all stations in Iowa, Manitoba, Minnesota, North and South Dakota and Wisconsin for both intrastate and interstates traffic. Tickets go on sale Decemder 21st to 24th, inclusive; final return limit Jan, 6, 1930.

Thank You All

The Spectator publisher takes occasion to express his thanks and appreciation to all those named below who had renewed their subscriptions recently. Coming during season of the year when expenses are at "peak", those renewals are doubly welcome. Among those listed are several new subscribers. Here is the list:- Water Olson, Lud Gullickson, Rev. A. F. Nelson, C. A. Halverson, T. M. Brevik, Herman Ortloff, S. T. Espeland, Erling Prestby J. H. Bohlen, Paul Olson, Geo. Wilson, Lars A. Loberg, Nick Schalz, Harry Winter, Mrs. Henry Horsager, Arne Vik, Ed Moren, Mrs. E. F. Dann, Miss Lulu Beebe, Mrs. N. Eckstein, Jas. A. Dahl, Felix Anderson, J. Edw. Johnson, Harry Johnson, J. S. Roy, Miss Ruth Roy, Mike Highland, Frank Peterson, Alfred Benson, Oscar Mosbeck, Geo. Fricker, Nels Johnson, E. Sundholm, Carl Zinter, and Thor Smidesang.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Recollection of our pleasant business relations during the year adds to our pleasure in wishing you

A Merry Christmas

and

A Happy New Year

Merchants State Bank

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Seasons Greetings

Your kind co-operation has contributed materially to our success and we appreciate it most cordially.

Accept our best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year.

St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Ass'n

Season's Greetings

The SPIRIT of CHRISTMAS calls us to a better appreciation of old association and the value of old friendship.

We thank you for your patronage during the year of '29, and may the NEW YEAR bring you a full quota of Peace and Prosperity.

Central Lumber Co.

MERRY CHRISTMAS

WHAT two words on human tongue are more heart-warming than those! They not only represent a friendly greeting, but in them are summed up the whole spirit of the Yuletide—brightness and laughter, joy of living and joy of giving, health and happiness, peace on earth and good will to all men.

It is a greeting which we will hear often in this community of ours during these happy days of the Christmas season. We will hear it on our streets, in our stores, along our country roads and in our homes. For ours is a friendly community and nowhere is that friendly greeting more sincere. It is not possible, however, for each of us to say "Merry Christmas!" to everyone and thus complete the happy circle of Yuletide good cheer.

But there is one who has that rare privilege, one who has been a welcome visitor at the firesides of the homes in this community throughout the year and who now claims the right to be the first to wish you joy at this joyous time. That one is your Home Paper.

So your Home Paper carries from you to all the community and from all the community to you, this friendly greeting:

MERRY CHRISTMAS!

—THE PUBLISHERS

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We light a Christmas candle,
To wish you joy today,
We burn a New Year taper,
To light you on your way!

Merry Christmas

and a

Happy New Year

to you all

Ed. Durbin

St. Hilaire, Minn.

"Kelvinator"

The kelvinator was nsmed for tha father of refrigeration, Lord Kelvin, in England. Ha upplied to refrigeration the priuciple that liquids in changing to gas absorb beat.

Common Fault

"In atudyin' u great man," said Uncle Eben, "you is liable to find it too easy to imitate his little weaknesses instead of his big strength."—Washington Star.

Freight Train's Speed

In 1928 the average speed of freight trains was 12.9 miles. This is not tha actual running speed, but incindes all stops made, for switching, for picking up and setting ont cars, etc.

Gentle Power

There is a power in gentleness that we seldom dream of; infinitely more effective than tha mightiest blows from the hammer in the hands of Thor.—American Magazine.

FARM STOCK

SEAWEED LATEST HEALTH BUILDER

Fed to Live Stock, It Also Provides Iodine in Milk.

Perhaps thera is nothing new undar the sun, but the new uses often found for old things are amazing enough to keep as interested in life. For instance, seaweed.

When the hogs owned by J. M. Ballard, of Indiana, won the grand championship at the last International Livestock show in Chicago, most of the farmers who inquired about their diet were amazed to find that they were being fed kelp, a rough brown-leaf seaweed that grows in profusion off both American coasts.

Prof. Oscar Erf, of the Ohio Stata university, was the first to experiment with kelp as live stock feed. His success prompted experiments at Purdne nniversity, and later ones at the Iowa and Utah agricultural experiment stations. It was found that tha weed contained at least 30 important chemical elements and was especially rich in lodine, in which several regions of the country are deficient, says the Farm Journol. Mixed in a very small proportion with other feed it proved to bave decidedly valuable medicinal qnalities.

Not ouly bas this addition to animal diet helped the animals, it also is providing a means of supplying lodine to the humon populatioo.

"It has been definitely proved that by using kelp in a cow's ration lodiue con be fed into tha milk. Chicago physicians are recommending this iodized milk to their potients," says the Form Journal article, adding that similar experiments with eggs are proving successful.

Strangely enongh, kelp has been used for many years in the making of lodine itself, although it never occurred to anyone that its health-giving properties could be transmitted directly to human and animal uses. That is, it had never occurred to anyone in the United States until recently. Over in Jopan, wise little Orientals bave been eating seoweed for ages, and Occidental visitors generally bava regarded it as a primitiva babit.

Good Market Seen for Right Kind of Colts

For about the first time in 15 years the old-tima horse dealer is in his glory now, says W. H. Peters, chief of the division of animal hosbandry of the University of Minnesoto. This year tha demand for horses has been such that most any old kind of a borse could be sold for some kind of a price and any good borse conld be sold for a good price.

"The time has finally arrived," says Professor Peters, "when all that farmers need to do to insnre a good profitable borse market for several years to come is to go abead and raise colts provided they have good big mares to mote to good big stallions.

"The need for borses is so great, however, that many farmers are likely to decide to begin raising colts from whatever mares they have, tha common, inferior ones as well as the good, big ones. This will be the quickest and surest way of creating an over snpply of inferior horses in a few years and destroying what would become a permanent profitable market for horses if every farmer would resolve to raise only good, useful colts."

Brood Sows Should Be Fed Very Little Grain

Brood sows should be given very little grain for 24 hours after farrowing but should bave all the water they desire. The first feed given after farrowing should be limited in amount and fed as a thin slop. The amount fed is increased gradually as the pigs need more milk, until in 10 or 15 days the sow is being fed all she will eat. The brood sow's ration during tha suckling period should be slightly laxative and provida for increased milk production to meet the needs of the pigs.

Economical Gains

At no time in a sheep's life can a more ecouomical gain be made than when the lamb is suckling its mother, and at this time oua bas to ba on tha alert less something is done or neglected to be doue so as to hinder its growth, thereby robbing it of its baby fat much earlier than nature inteuded. The first 90 days of the lamb's life the lomb can, with a little forethought, be made to gain from one-half to a pound per day.

Feeding for Profit

It makes a big difference how a person feeds live stock when it comes to counting profits. The cow that is not fed a balanced ration—a ration snch as is required for economical milk prodnction—cannot produce up to her capacity; an improperly fed hog cannot make pork economically and a steer fed nothing but corn and timothy hay or corn stover cannot produce beef at as low a cost as is possibla with good feeding. Proper care also is a big factor.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE IN DISTRICT COURT FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

State of Minnesota } ss.
County of Pennington }

B. C. Bernard—Plaintiff,
—vs.—
Louis Feragen—Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court of the State of Minnesota for the Fourteenth Judicial District, in the County of Pennington, upon a judgment rendered in said Court in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendant, I have levied on all the rights, title, interest and estate of said defendant in and to the real property lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

The South Half (S½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-four (24), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing eighty (80) acres more or less, according to the Government survey thereof.

And that I shall, on Saturday, the 4th day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the rights, title, interest and estate of said defendant in and to said real property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Four Hundred Forty and 14|100 ($440.14) Dollars, with interest thereon from the 29th day of June, 1929, at the rate of six per cent per annum, plus three dollars accrued costs on said judgment and together with all accruing costs of sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 15th day of November, 1929.

O. L. IHLE,
Sheriff of Pennington County,
Minnesota.

Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Plaintiff,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. N21-D28

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated November 15th, 1923, executed by Elias A Peterson and Mabel A. Peterson, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on November 17th, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 74 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $118.75 each, due on May 15th, 1929, and November 15th 1929, respectively; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $3,-536.00, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from November 15th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $237.50, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $118.75 thereof since May 15th, 1929, and on $116.75 thereof since November 15th, 1929. each at the rate of seven per cent per annum; in all the sum of $3,780.-47, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates, as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

Lot Five (5) of Section Six (6), and Lot One (1) of Section Seven (7), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-two (42), containing 89.39 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 3rd day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 20th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest. H. H. Flowers, Secretary.
(Department Seal)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. N21-D26

Shakespeare's Humor

Shakespeare frequently mentioned Madeira wines in his plays and be perpetuated an ancient legend in making that grim bnmorist, King Richard III, get rid of his ambitious elder brother, the duke of Clarence, by having him stood on his head in a butt of his favorite Medeira in the Tower of London, till ba was drowned.

Population of Continents

Asia leads the continents with an estimated population of 950,000,000; Europe is second with 480,000,000; then comes Africa with 145,000,000, North America with 138,000,000, South America with 66,000,000 and Australia with 10,000,000. The polar regions contribnte 50,000,000 and 167,000,000 is added as miscellaneous.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.

St. Hilaire. Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the Payment of the Sum of Four Hundred Thirty-Eight and 50-100 ($438.50) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest thereon to date of this Notice, all of which is claimed to be due, and is due at the date of this notice, under and pursuant to the Terms of that certain Mortgage, made, executed and delivered by Petrea Anderson, a widow, Mortgagor, to William K. Hoefer, Mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of July 1929, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of July 19-29, at 8 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Book 79 of Mortgages, on page 494 thereof,

AND WHEREAS, by Reason of said Default, the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative, and No Action or Proceeding having been instituted in Law, or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any Part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by Virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11) in Block Three (3) in Zeh's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Plat or Map thereof now on file and of Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota,

together with the Hereditaments and Appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 25th day of January 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash, to pay said Debt of $438.50, together with Interest to the date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and Fifty Dollars Attorney Fee as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursments allowed by Law, subject to Redemption at any time within one Year from the day of Sale, as provided by Law,

Dated this 11th day of December 1929,

William K. Hoefer,
Mortgagee

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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Daily Thought

Fear is an acid which is pnmped into one's atmosphere. It causes mental, moral and spiritual asphyxiation, and sometimes death; death to energy and all growth.—Horace Fletcher.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Christmas practice Saturday at 1:00.
Dec. 22nd.
Sunday school at 10:00
Services at 11:00 A. M.
Christmas program Sunday evening at 8:00 P. M.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor

Christmas Season.
Services as follows:
Sunday Dec. 22 Oak Ridge Luth. 11:00 A. M. Norw. Lang.
Christmas, Dec. 25.
St. Hilaire Luth. Services 11:00 A. M. American Lang.
Sunday School Program at 8:00 P. M.
St. Pauli Services at 2 P. M. Norw. Lang.
Sunday school program Dec. 26th 2 P. M.
Clearwater Luth. Dec. 26 at 11 A. M.
Sermonettes in Amer. and Norw.
Sunday school festival Dec. 29 at 2 P. M.
Ebenezer, Mayfield Luth.
Services Sunday Dec. 29 at 11 A. M. Norw. Lang.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

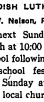
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Black River church at 10:00 A. M. with Sunday school following.

Sunday school fest in Clara church next Sunday at 8:00.

Julotta in local church Christmas Day morning at 6:00. Services in Black River church same morning at 11:00.

Christmas tree program in local church, Dec. 26 at 2:00 P. M., and in Black River church Thursday evening at 7:30.



In Memorium

In loving memory of our dear wife and mother who passed away one year ago, Dec. 20th.

S. Benson and family

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all friends and neighbors for their kindness to us in our recent bereavement in death of our wife and mother. We also wish to thank all who contributed flowers at the funeral.

Carl Fromm and family.

The Desert Moon Mystery

by KAY CLEAVER STRAHAN

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SYNOPSIS

Sam Stanley, wealthy owner of the Desert Moon ranch, informs his housekeeper, Mary Magin, that his former wife's twin daughters, Danielle and Gabrielle, are coming to the ranch to live, their mother being dead and their father, Daniel Canneziano, who had been the cause of Sam's divorcing his wife, in the penitentiary. Sam's adopted boy, John, has grown to manhood, and a girl, Martha, weak-minded. Mrs. Ollie Ricker, Martha's nurse, Hubert Hand and Chadwick Caufield are the other members of the household. The girls arrive. John becomes engaged to Danielle. Gabrielle seeks to win John from her sister, and her actions when she receives a letter from France mystify Mrs. Magin. Sam learns Canneziano is soon to be released from the penitentiary. Mrs. Magin finds Gabrielle, choked to death, with tobacco ashes beside her. She realizes that the ashes must be from Sam's pipe, he being the only pipe smoker, and conceals them before calling the household. Caufield commits suicide. The coroner's verdict is murder and suicide. Sam finds a note left by Caufield confessing he killed Gabrielle, but the rancher proves he could not have done it, and the entire household is under suspicion.

CHAPTER VIII—Continued

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"I know. I thought it was only her disappointment. But now— Who could be quite sane with such a fear confronting her? Yet—she left all of her things in order; as if, deliberately, she prepared for death. She burned her papers and letters. See—" Danny pointed to the fireplace.

I crossed the room and looked into it. Papers had recently been burned there. I took the poker and stirred in the fluttering, black bits; but nothing had escaped the flames.

"I believe," said Danny, "that you are the only one in the house who hasn't looked at what Gaby had in her bag—"

She walked to the table by the window. I followed her. I dreaded seeing that bag again; but I was curious about its contents. It was lying limp on the table.

She picked it up, brushed it flickeringly with the tips of her fingers, and blew on it, as if she were trying to blow something off of it. "Everything," she explained, "sticks to the little pointed beads."

I took it from her and looked at it closely; but I could see no speck of ash, no minute particle of tobacco, nor of dust.

"It is a beautiful thing," I said. "I've wondered why it was that Gaby had all the beautiful, expensive things, such as this. Your clothes are pretty and tasty, but they aren't near the quality of Gaby's."

She hesitated a moment before answering. "I have been in England for the past eight years, while Gaby has been on the continent, where beautiful things are more plentiful, and cheaper."

"Lands alive! I thought you girls had lived together, all these years."

"No," she said, and picked up Gaby's cigarette case, and handed it to me.

It was made of dull gold with her monogram, "G. C." set in tiny black opals, with green and blue lights flickering in them as if they were alive.

I set it down and picked up another little gold box. It had powder, rouge, lipstick, and a mirror in it. I had seen it often enough before. I put it back on the table, and took up a beaded coin purse that matched the large bag. It was entirely empty.

"Isn't it queer that that should be empty?" Danny asked. And her billfold is missing. She surely would not start to go anywhere with not a cent of money. Doesn't it look as if she had been robbed?"

"Only," I said, "if anyone had robbed her, why would he have left the valuable gold cigarette case, and vanity case?"

"He might have thought they would be hard to dispose of, Mary." Danny's voice, always low, grew lower still with her intensity, "there is one thing that no one has thought of. Daniel Canneziano could have reached here from California in a few hours, by airplane."

"I had thought of that. But, Danny, no airplane ever came within twenty miles of the ranch without every man-jack of us hearing it, and rushing out with our heads tipped back to gape at it. Airplanes aren't stealthy things, you know, that people can slip up in, and slip off again."

"But, on the third of July, two airplanes passed over, going to the Telko celebration."

"On the third," I reminded her, "as advertised. And you know how much noise they made. And how we all went out and watched them, from tiny specks in the south until they were tiny specks and lost in the north again."

I picked up the carved ivory cigarette holder. It fell to pieces in my fingers.

"Was this broken in her bag?" I questioned.

"Yes. Snapped in two. And she loved it."

I fitted the pieces together again, on the table, and took up a folded sheet of paper, and opened it, and read:

"Glorious Gaby: Be a good sport. Be a darling. Be game—that is, be Gaby, and meet me this afternoon, around four thirty, in the cabin. H. H."

"Well!" I said.

"Yes, I know," Danny answered, "but Hubert Hand swears that he wrote that note several weeks ago. Too, we know that he was playing chess with Uncle Sam at half-past four."

"He could have gone to the cabin later, when the men went to do the chores. Or was he right with Sam and Chad all the time?"

"I suppose so. He must have satisfied the coroner's jury, at the inquest, of his innocence. Mary," her voice went all tense again, "does it seem to you that the jury was very readily satisfied?"

I spoke sharply, too sharply to her in answer to what I had imagined I saw in her attitude. "Never mind about the jury being easily satisfied. Sam is not going to be. He told me this morning that he would find the murderer if it took every dollar he had in the world to do it. Sam is going to get to the bottom of this. Be sure of that."

"I—wonder," she said.

"What do you wonder?"

"Mary!" she exclaimed, close to a reproach. "I merely wonder whether or not Uncle Sam will succeed."

I looked at her brown eyes, all red and swollen from tears, and at the deep, dark circles under them; and I was ashamed.

I put my arm around her shoulders and drew her close to me. "Honey," I said, "forgive your old Mary. We are all overstrung, overwrought. I didn't mean to speak so sharply."

"I know. Were you looking for something else, on the table? There was nothing else in her bag."

"I was wondering," I said, "about that foreign-looking letter she got on the second of July. Did she burn it, with the other things?"

"Oddly, she didn't. I found it in her desk; or, rather, beneath her typewriter. Either she forgot about it; or knew that none of us could read it. It was written in code. Here it is."

Code, indeed! When I took it from its envelope, this is what met my eyes:

"Paexzazlytpl f-y nyx ogrgrago, rn fgao atf jan j-asn, ahzgo zkg c-abhalo, vkgt uyx clplzgf rg zkg kypulzoe, zkaz uyx palf, vlzk nyxo lrlzazgf r-yte e-lpe prieg, "p-yoon. yef fgao, l-rafg—"

I have copied only the first lines on the first page. There were four sleazy pages, all closely typewritten. Not a scratch of handwriting on it. What I judged to be the signature, was, "Sirsl."

"Do you know who wrote this?" I asked.

"I am sure, if I dare be sure of anything, that it was written by a man named Lewis Bauermont."

I counted the letters of "Lewis" on my fingers. Five. The number of letters in the signature, "Sirsl."

"If he signed his name Lewis," I said, "then 'S' would be, 'L,' and 'I' would be 'e' and so on. Get a pencil, dear. Let's see if we can work it out."

"No," she said, "you see, the letter 's' comes twice in the last word, and there are no duplicate letters in Lewis. She didn't read the signature, when she read the letter to me. At least I don't remember—"

"She read it to you!" I exclaimed.

"I thought that she did. Now—I don't know. I can't be sure of anything. She read to me what she said was a copy of the letter; that is, the worked-out code. She may have left out entire paragraphs. She may have changed it, in any way, in order to keep her terrible secret from me."

"Yes, but what did she tell you the letter contained?"

"It is too long even to begin to tell, now. And—I don't want to tell it again; not today. I have told John all about it, you see. Later of course — Or you may ask John to tell you. It—it was an insult from beginning to end. An insult to her. I can't bear thinking of it, any more; not today.

"Mary," her voice changed suddenly as did her manner, "do you know why Uncle Sam asked me—almost commanded me to be in the living room at three o'clock today?"

"No, Danny, I don't. But he told Mrs. Ricker and me to be there, too. I guess he just wants to talk to all of us, together."

"Oh—talk! What good is talk going to do? Talk, in a place like this, now, where there is not one true, certain thing to get hold of, anywhere; where not one of us can believe in another—"

She put a quick hand to her lips; her eyes widened; she turned, and hastily pushing aside the heavy curtain, went through the clothes closet into her own room.

I sat still, at the desk. The paper before me, and the sharp pencil in my hand, tempted me to make a list, as they always do in books, of the clews, to date. I wrote:

"Locked door.

"Key in my pocket.

"T. A. (I put only the initials of tobacco ashes.)

"Chad's suicide.

"Chad's note. What person was he trying to shield?

"What did Hubert Hand think that I had overheard in the cabin?

"Mrs. Ricker's threat.

"Contents of the beaded bag.

"Empty match box.

"Empty purse. Missing bill-fold. (Robbery.)

"Crumpled handkerchief. (Tears? Pleading?)

"Broken cig. holder.

"Hubert Hand's note.

"The code letter.

"Gabrielle's note to Danny."

My face burns, even yet, when I realize that, at half-past two o'clock on the afternoon of the fifth of July, if I had been possessed of just one lick of sense, I could, instead of writing that list of clews, have written another one; a list that, step by step, just as sure as straight ahead, would have led to the guilty person.

Why did I not take into consideration the fact that, for two months, the Canneziano girls had been searching for something on the Desert Moon; something which I was all but certain they had not found?

Why did I not give a thought to the fact that John, after a secret conversation with Gaby—according to Mrs. Ricker—had been clean and clear away off the place since early afternoon until evening?

What Had Become of the Key to the Attic Door?

Why did I not include in my list the fact that Gaby had given the gold monkey to Martha?

Why, instead of trying to puzzle out the code letter, did I not read between the lines of Gabrielle's last note to Danny?

However, at the time, since it was of my own making, I was quite well satisfied with my list. I took it to the table to check over the items. Sam had put the key, with which I had opened the attic door, alongside the other things there.

I picked it up, now, and looked at it for the first time. I had not looked at it, I had merely used it, the night before. My heart jumped up in my throat. It was not the key to the attic door. It was a rusty old pass key that had hung on a nail in the broom closet, off the kitchen, for more years than I could remember.

Whoever had put this key in my pocket, must have been well acquainted with the Desert Moon kitchen, to have found that old key, under the brooms, and mops, and dust rags, and chamois skins, and the rest, that hung around it and over it in the broom closet.

What had become of the key to the attic door?

CHAPTER IX

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The Session

When I went down to the living room, at five minutes before three, Danny, John, Mrs. Ricker and Martha were all there. Martha was on the biggest davenport, playing with the monkey charm.

Sam and Hubert Hand came into the room together. Sam looked around, counting noses.

"All here," he said, and locked the door he and Hubert had come through, and dropped the key in his pocket. He went all around the room, closing and locking the doors and windows. He moved a chair to the foot of the stairway, pulled a small table over beside it, took his six-gun out of his hack pocket, put it on the table, and sat down in the chair.

No one had moved nor had said a word. I know that I was frightened. I was not afraid of Sam, and I was not afraid of that six-gun. Mostly, I guess, I was afraid of being made afraid; partly, I was afraid of myself.

Hubert Hand spoke first. "Cannon ugh?" he sneered.

"That's all right, Hand," Sam answered. "This is here, mostly I think, for ornamental purposes."

"Daddy," Martha piped up, "aren't we going to have the fireworks tonight?"

Sam frowned at her. "Not tonight, daughter."

She opened her mouth and began making those dreadful noises she always made whenever she was crossed in anything.

Sam rapped on the table. "Shut that up, here and now," he said "Not another whimper out of you. Hear me, Martha?"

She closed her mouth with a snap. I thought those immense eyes of hers would pop out of her head. I am sure the others of us all felt the way she looked. In all the years we had lived on the Desert Moon, it was the first time any one of us had ever heard Sam speak impatiently to Martha. As for scolding her, being stern with her, up to this minute it had never been in the book.

"I reckon," Sam began, "that all of you in here know that anyone could walk up to any man or woman in here and call him or her a murderer, and that not one of us could give him the lie, right now.

"I reckon that you know, too, as everyone in the country knows that, at this hour, the Desert Moon ranch is rotten with the muck of crime and suspicion. Maybe you don't know that it is not going to say that way for many more hours.

"We have called the law in, as was right and proper. And the law has been real polite, and blinked its eyes, and departed. 'Folded its tents like the Arabs, and silently stole away.' Well, that's all right. I didn't much care about having those fellows mix into my private business; anyway, not until I had found out that I couldn't attend to it myself. I am not going to find that out. I can attend to it. I am going to, right here and now. Later on, when we need the law again, we'll call on it. The innocent in this room will have their names cleared. The Desert Moon will be a fit place for a white man to live on.

"Now this gun here may look like I felt violent or something. I don't. And I'm not going to act violent. This gun is here for just one purpose, and I'm dead certain it won't be used for that. A word to the wise, though. No person, barring none and including the ladies, is to leave this room until I give the word. No innocent person in here will try to leave. Any guilty person in here—and, before God, there is a guilty person here; guilty, at least, of aiding and abetting—is going to have too much sense to try to make a break. That is why I won't need the gun. Not, I mean, until we find the guilty person. When we have found him, it may be of some use until the sheriff can get here. All I'm asking, of everybody here, is that you all tell the truth. You'll have to, sooner or later. Better make it sooner."

During this speech my dander had been rising. It had got up pretty good and high by this time. "Sam Stanley," I spoke out, "you ought to know that you can't force truth out of anybody at the point of a gun, nor by keeping them locked up. We'll get hungry. We'll get thirsty. And when we do we'll eat and drink and go about our affairs. At least I will—unless you shoot me. I'm not fixed to put up with this kind of foolishness."

"Mary," Sam roared at me. "That's enough out of you. You be quiet. You are going to do as you are told. So are the others."

Sam had never spoken like that to me before. It left me limp as a drained jelly bag. Before I could get my breath for an answer, Hubert Hand was talking.

"Changed your mind since morning, haven't you, Sam? You were dead sure this morning that no one on the place had had anything to do with the murder."

"Never mind about my morning's opinions, Hand. You are right. Dead right. I've changed my mind. Now, since you are already going pretty good, I'll begin with you and work around the room, taking each one in turn. I want you to tell everything you know, and everything you suspect concerning the murder."

"Sorry," Hubert Hand said, "but I don't know a d—n thing except that, apparently, she was strangled to death, some time between four o'clock yesterday afternoon and eight o'clock yesterday evening. We saw her alive at four. We found her dead at eight. That's the extent of my knowledge."

"All right. Now go ahead with what you suspect."

"I can't see," Hubert Hand objected, "that suspicions have any place here. Beyond stirring up a rumpus and hard feelings, they wouldn't get any of us any place."

"That is for me to decide," Sam said. "You were mighty busy for a while this morning, throwing out hints and slurs. If this session doesn't do anything else, it can anyway clear out all this whispering that is going around. Come on now, Hand. Come clean."

"Well," Hand said, "I can talk all right. But I want to start with this understanding. I don't know any facts that amount to a d—n. You're right that I have suspicions, and, since you are determined to have them now, at the point of a gun, I'll say that I think John did it, and that somebody else in the house is shielding him."

Danny gave a thin, sick little shriek and threw her arm around John in a protecting way. John straightened. Under his tan I could see the color seeping out of his face. Gently, he removed Danny's arm.

Sam lowered his white eyebrows until his eyes looked like two slits of blue light, glinting out from away behind his face. When he spoke his voice was iron.

"Why do you think John killed her?"

"In the first place, John is the only one here who hasn't a watertight alibi—"

"Not by a d—n sight he isn't," Sam interrupted. "But never mind. Go on."

"At four o'clock Gaby came down through the room. While she was still in sight, Danny called down, trying to get her to come back. Now this is just another suspicion; I don't know whether anyone will back me up in it or not—probably not,"—he added the last in a hateful, slurring way—"but I noticed that her voice sounded strange, like she was excited, maybe, or else afraid."

Sam asked, "Did anyone else here notice anything of that kind?"

Mrs. Ricker spoke. "I noticed it," she said.

Hubert bowed at her, in a sort of mocking way. Knowing what I knew, I thought that her corroboration would do Hubert Hand more harm than good. But, of course, the others did not know what I knew.

"Let me see," Hubert Hand continued, "where was I? Gaby, after going through the room, stopped on the porch for a minute to talk to Chad. He came into the house in a fine humor. Gaby then went around the house to the rabbit hutch, and for some reason, gave her bracelet to Martha. Martha was in the house again within five or ten minutes. Danny had come down by that time. From four to five, then, you and I were playing chess. Chad was at the piano. Danny and Mary were over there, talking together. Mrs. Ricker was tatting. Martha was just fooling around the room. I'm pretty certain not one of us left this room during that hour.

"At five we three men went together to let the cows in and to milk. Mary, I believe, was in the kitchen alone, getting supper, during that time. Mrs. Ricker, Danny and Martha remained here in the living room. Is that right?"

"Maybe it is, and maybe it isn't," Sam said. "There is the hour in there, before supper, that we'll all have to account for, right accurately, before any of us has that water-tight alibi you were talking about, Hand."

"All right," Hubert Hand agreed. "You and Chad and I went down to the barns together. We let the cows in. We milked them. At least, you and I did. Chad stayed with you and was kidding around down in your end of the barn, I heard you laughing and talking down there, together, the whole time.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Trace Origin of Gypsies to Northwestern India

The race of gypsies is now a very much mixed one, with elements of the blood of all of the countries in which they have resided; and gypsies from one part of the world may present characteristics and appearances quite different from those of another part.

The English word gypsy reflects the old belief of many countries that the gypsies were Egyptians. In other countries they were called Tartars. The old agreement of the traditions concerning them was that they had come to Europe out of the East.

Modern inquiry has revealed a good deal of their true history, however, and has established that the race is originally from northwestern India. Bands of the inhabitants of this region were driven away from their homes and set wandering by hordes of northern invaders which swept down upon them in the Ninth century.

These forbears of the modern gypsy moved into Kabulistan and Persia, and ultimately filtered through Syria into Egypt and northern Africa and through Turkey into Europe. There are now fourteen or more distinct dialects of their language in European countries—indicating their widespread distribution.

Distances of Stars

The celestial body nearest the earth is the moon, and astronomers measure the distance by observing simultaneously the angle to a given point on the moon from two widely separated points on the earth's surface. The triangle thus formed is then solved by the aid of trigonometry. The distance to the sun is measured in much the same way, by sighting the planet Venus as it passes across the face of the sun. The stars are measured by using the diameter of the orbit of the earth, about one hundred and eighty-six million miles, as the base of the triangle.

Paper's Varying Qualities

Philatelic nomenclature includes the adjectives wove, laid, granite, quadrille and pelure as applied to postal paper. In a general way the distinctions are these: Wove paper is of the plain, even texture used for books and newspapers; laid paper is watermarked with parallel lines close together; the lines may be either vertical or horizontal; quadrille paper is watermarked with both vertical and horizontal lines, which thus form squares or oblongs; granite paper shows colored fibers in its texture, the fibers are tiny pieces of silk thread, and the reverse of the stamp has a mottled appearance; pelure paper is thin like tissue paper, semi-transparent, but tougher and harder than the tissue texture and usually grayish in color.

Most Coast Line

Michigan has by far the greatest coast line of any state.

This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

Employment Problem
Congress Comes Back
Soul and Body One
Quite a Budget

President Hoover's forceful address to nearly 400 industrial leaders in Washington is one for which the country will thank him. It is bound to produce results.

There is no cause for any pessimism, or permanent discouragement, but the well-informed men know that there has been a sharp increase in unemployed.

We have probably in the United States fully as many unemployed as there are in Britain, where government pays a "dole," enough to live on each week, to those out of work.

We have here 2,000,000 more unemployed than they have in France, where unemployment is practically unknown.

And this is surprising in the richest, most prosperous country on earth.

The President is determined to do something about it.

Congress again is in session and a cut of $160,000,000 in the income tax is the program.

That will be welcome news to those that pay income tax, a small percentage of all the people.

But it is just as important news to those that pay no income tax. They all earn money, and any cut in income tax, especially in corporation tax, encourages development, expansion, employment.

A man will work harder for money that the government does not take away from him.

One of the most important institutions in America is the new psychiatric unit of the medical center at Columbia college.

Doctor Butler of Columbia, Doctor Kirby and all promoting that important scientific center, including the New York state authorities, are to be congratulated.

At the dedication Dr. Eugene Bleuler of the University of Zurich explained to a hundred and fifty assembled scientists that acquired characteristics are transmitted through successive generations. Average intelligence realizes that.

Professor Bleuler says the body and soul are one.

Billions upon billions of individual cells make up the human body. They are the inhabitants of a great republic, one human being. Each cell has its spark of consciousness, the total being a human mind.

The human body and mind are the two great marvels of our small world.

President Hoover presents to congress a budget of three billion eight hundred and thirty million and a few odd hundred thousand dollars.

It seems a great deal as compared with the days before the war when the government spent one billion in two years and everybody yelled "What extravagance!"

However, thanks to Secretary Mellon, President Coolidge and President Hoover, the amount that we are going to spend next year is a great deal less than we have been spending.

The income tax will be cut $160,000,000, if plans go through.

The President's reassuring expressions on the stock market crash, and especially his energetic and effective action in the assembling of great industrialists and mapping out a prosperity program, call for public gratitude.

Russia, naturally, is annoyed at United States interference in China. The Russians say Uncle Sam is trying to snatch away their victory, and encourage China.

The United States is cleverly put in the position of leading the other nations in what Russia considers meddling interference.

John D. Rockefeller III, grandson of the builder of the name, started to work at 26 Broadway, New York. He was on time.

Twenty-three years old, a big young man, bigger physically than his father, John D. III will have many opportunities in life. He will inherit what is called the world's largest fortune. By the time he gets it, it may not be as big as Edsel Ford's and not as big as that of some unknown man today.

But he will surely have enough to carry out any ideas that he may have. Everything depends on the ideas.

A man who understands coal and oil has a patent for burning coal underground in the mine.

Gas extracted from the coal would be piped to the surface and sold.

That is an improvement on blasting and digging coal, hauling it to the surface, loading it on cars, carting it to cities.

Changed into gas, coal travels transported by its own power of expansion.

Standard Oil of New Jersey is making gasoline from coal. Our coal supplies are vast, and the coal industry has been in a bad way. Human ingenuity may bring it back again.

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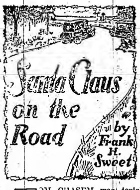
"Rush" Santa Mail



Santa Claus on the Road

by Frank H. Sweet

TOM CHASEM was jovial, hail-fellow-well-met, ond did not like to work, except ot repoiring on old automobile which he owned. He and his hig family were now on their way to Florida, planning to camp out.

They were going slowly, owing to various aspects of the car, chief among which wos old oge. Suddenly come o familiar squashing sound.

"'Nother puncture, pa!" shrilled Arathusa, aged sixteen.

"Get me a plaster, Thuse," pa called out. "Fix it in n jiffy."

Thuse snatched a plaster from the top of the junk box. It was the one thing that was always handy and in place. She hopped out.

In twenty minutes it was fixed, and they were going again, slowly, with pa glancing slyly over the side. Two miles, perhaps, when again came the familiar sound.

"'Nother tire puncture!" once more shrilled Thuse. "That makes seven this afternoon."

"Only five or six," expostulated pa.

"Seven, 'cause I counted," positively. She hopped out with another plaster.

Cars of oll sorts were continnally passing, going the same way. Another two miles or so, and a very handsome car oppeared, coming to an abrupt stop opposite. The driver nttered a smothered exclamation.

Pa wos ont again, with Thuse standing by him with a plaster.

"Comes o' pickin' up one inner tube thrown away on the road, an' hnyin' another in a junk shop for twenty-fivs cents," sniffed Thnse. "Why don't yon huy a new one for a change?"

"There was some good in 'em, Thuse," explained pa. "I hate to see things wasted. Can I help yon, sir?" to the other car owner.

"Don't know," replied a perplexed voice. "Something seems to be wrong. I don't know what."

Pa left his own work unfinished and went to the other car, crawling under with his mokeshift tools.

Five minntes later he crawled ont.

"Just n nnt loose," he said. "All right now. You can go on."

"Let's stop here and trim o tree for the children," suggested n woman in the car. "I saw a nice place a few rods back, with something that looked very much like holly. We won't reach Jacksonville till after Christmas."

"All right. Jast os you say. I'll drop the bunch of you, and then skip over to the town and buy a few things for the kids. Say," to pa, "you've got a mighty nice bunch of holly in your car—and some mistletoe, I'll be bound."

"Not for me," langhed pa. "I noticed 'em back yonder and cnt 'em, thinkin' I might meet somehody on the road who'd like some. You're welcome."

The tronsfer wos mode, with o "We nre certainly grateful," from the woman. "Now we'll go hack to the place I saw."

Pn's wife hod been bnsy, and was out beside the road preparing dinner during the wait.

"All ready," she now called.

Dan, ths ten-year-old, openly scoffed. "Salt pork an' measley 'taters," he said. "No, thanks, I'm not hungry."

The rest ote, excepting Thnse, nfter which pa returned to his puncture.

The Dinner Was Spread Lavishly Over a Big, White Cloth.

He wos just ready to start again when Thnse called:

"Here comes that man."

"All invited to dinner and Christmas tree," genially. "The wife insists. No back talk."

Pa wonld have refused, hnt a look at the faces of Thusa and Dan deterred him.

"All right," be said, "be right over."

At first sight of the dinner, spread lavishly over a big, white cloth, Thuse whispered, andihly, "Turkey, and gobs of it." Dan merely chnckled.

After they were all so well filled that they gasped, they went to the Christmas tree, where everybody received as many presents as they conld carry back, and pa himself hod a full set of new tires. It was the first tima pa had ever looked embarrassed.

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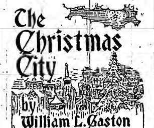

The Christmas City

by William L. Gaston

IN THE Christmas city everybody called him Uncle Kriss. None of the young people knew that ha had any other name. But everybody knew that Christmas would not he Christmas if Uncle Kriss did not direct the festivities.

Uncle Kriss was neitber rich nor poor. He had no family of his own. Nature fashioned him on the pattern of Santn Claus. He was never happier than when planning a happy Christmas for the town—the town which came to he called the Christmas city.

Long before Christmas Uncle Kriss would go day after day with the boys and girls into the hills to gather evergreens and red herries for wreaths. A truck was sent to houl them to town. Then for a full week everybody worked making Christmas wreaths. A hig how of red crepe paper was fastened to the bottom of each wreath.

On the day before Christmas there was a Christmas wreath in the front window of every home, rich or poor. The Christmas city looked to he, as it really was, the home of Santa Clans. There was always a big tree erected in the street downtown and decorated with colored lights, cotton and tinsel. A small tree was sent to every home in town where thers was a child. "Give the people plenty of Christmas," Uncle Kriss used to say, and they will need no police nor jail. The town had a small jail bnt only once in ten years had there been anyhody in it on Christmas day, and then there was a Christmas wreath in the little window behind the iron bars.

On Christmas morning Uncla Kriss formed the men into a company of good fellows and sent them from home to home among tha poor to sea that no child was missed and no one was cold or bungry on Christmas day, in the Christmas city.

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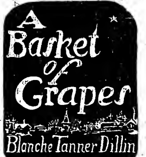

A Basket of Grapes

Blanche Tanner Dillin

IN THE east of a clondless sky shone a bright stor ns n beacon, over the town. Gronps of town folk hurrying in its direction oppeared os the wise men who followed the star of old.

Every one wonld be attending the Christmos entertainment given at the church, so no need to keep his fruit shop open, decided Matt Hughes, as he joined the hoppy joyous throng hound in thot direction.

From where he sat he conld plainly see the star, and he fell to dreaming of onother Christmas when that same star shone os hrightly as now, hut instead of the snow-clad hills of New England there was the wide exponse of the California desert. Across that descrt toward the stnr rode a lone horseman, a song on his lips and a smile on his face. From his saddle hung several packages in the bright holiday wrappings.

As he drew neor a cohin the song changed to n shout of greeting which died to a low exclamation of surprise as he saw there was no welcoming light. After searching in the dark he had struck a light, aad then had come the discovery of the written message. It was the same old story—naaccustomed to ths desert the prohlems confronting one trying to conquer it had proved too hig. Howard James, the playmate of his childhood, college friend and later neighhor ont here in the West, proved now to be the real love of Dolly Hughes instead of Matt.

One day the name James Howard was spoken in his presence; the similarity in the name of his former friend cansed him to locate the man. Then he learned that Dolly had not survived long after reaching there.

Matt Silently Extended His Gift.

With n curse on his lips the hnshand left and although the two had lived in the same village for several years, they had never spoken to each other; hut Matt had never revealed the identity of the other man.

Words of the program mingled with his dream, such as "The Glory of the Lord shone 'round" and "They brought Him gifts" and the words of the minister at parting—"Little children love one aaother."

An idea which formed quickly in his mind crystallized into action and Matt found himself hurrying first to his shop and then to a little home in the other part of town. Entering the presence of his once while friend, Matt silently extended bis gift.

"Matt!" the word was half a question and half an exclamation. The one addressed placed his offering in ths other man's hands.

"Howard," he said, "I have bronght a token of forgiveness." As he saw what the basket contained Howard clasped the gift more tightly.

"A hasket of California grapes!" he cried over and over. "Just what I have longed for."

"Why it's only a basket of grapes," stammered Matt.

"No," Howard after a moment replied in a choked voice, "it's mnch more than that; it's an answer to prayer."

"Well," Matt said as he turned to go, "I'm glad that yon like them." At the door he turned and extended bis hand.

"Merry Christmas, Howard," he said.

The other grasped the ontstretched hand—"Merry Christmas Matt, and God hless you." And the next moment the bearer of the gift was ont under the stars.

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Waiting for Santa

Merry Christmas

by Katherine Edelman

MERRY CHRISTMAS! Merry Christmas! No two other words could ever hold so much of warmth and gladness within them. There is a nameless something in their sound that fills the heart with happiness. As we hear them, the Christmas spirit, that most delightful and happiest of feelings, takes possession of us. And it is no selfish happiness that the words awake, for we are not content to keep it to ourselves; we want to go out and make others happy, too; to share our joy with all the world. We want to bring a smile to other faces; to help lessen and lighten the burdens that others may be carrying.

MERRY CHRISTMAS! Just two short words, and yet how much they mean; what unnumbered hours of happiness they bring! What glad and joyous things we wish for those we love as we call them out! What hopes surge within our hearts that the best in life may come to them! As we repeat the words friendships grow deeper and more sincere, and home ties and ties of kindred sweeter and stronger. There is a magic within them that makes us prize and value all the gifts that are ours; that makes us appreciate and cling close to our precious possessions.

And what memories they awake! Memories of other happy Christmas days; of hallowed friends and comrades that are now beyond the clasp of our hands, of the happy and never-forgotten days of childhood.

MERRY CHRISTMAS! A smile and a song follow the words. They can bring gladness into every heart and bright sunshine into the day. And as long as the world goes on they will always remain as now, the happiest, the heartiest and the most joyous words that man can speak or write.

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Christmas Is for Children

Christmas is first of all for tha children. Don't forget the tree, and that they will enjoy making the popcorn halls and candy and stringing bits of cotton to hang from the branches.

The Nicest Christmas Presents

by Mary Graham Bonner

THERE are all sorts of presents. Some presents are duty presents. These are not quite so nice. Some presents are presents exchanged between friends for years and years and years. These are very nice, keeping up the old friendship, the old traditioas, the old links.

Sometimes these are between people who have not seen each other for years, who keep up their friendship, who keep it secure through all the years by the Christmos link.

Thea there are presents one gives to childrea. These are always fua. And there are presents one can give to children who otherwise would hava no Christmas. These nre even more fun. Aad there are presents one con give to little lonely, wide-eyed children who gaze wistfully into lighted shop windows.

There is hardly anything that brings n glow to the heart more than giving presents that nre complete and overwhelming surprises to the recipients.

Then there are presents one can give to those faithful postmen who so unerringly hring the greatest boon in the world to one's door—the mail.

And there are presents one can give to one's milkman and iceman and to little boys who deliver packages and messages oround Christmas time.

And all of these presents are such a pleasure to give. They are the presents that give such happiness to the giver, and the recipient feels the giver's good wishes, nppreciation, tribute.

The Nicest Xmas Present.

But perhaps the nicest of all presents to receive and to give are those that nre nhsolutely not necessory from nny viewpolat at all—not presents of gratitude, not presents of appreciation, not preseats of joyona impulse, bat the presents given because in the heart of the giver is a desire to do something for thnt person—n wnve of warmth and friendship and just the sort of feelag that says:

"I think I'll give that good friend something this Christmas. I just feel as thongh I'd like to do it—no reason for it whatever—hnt I feel ns though I'd like to do this."

Those are the very nicest presents of all!

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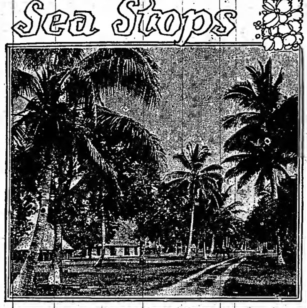
Three South Sea Stops



A Village in American Samoa.

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.)

THREE stops among the Sonth Sea Islands will give a thumb-oail view of the forces that have played and are playing nhout those bits of land that hnve always held a fascination to travelers from the laads of Western civilizotion. The first port of call msy well be Tai-O-Hai, which has been described ss a "port of tragedy."

Situated at the innermost point of a horseshoe bay which furnishes a reosonably well protected harbor, Tai-O-Hai once gave promise of beiag a Pacific metropolis, a rival, perhaps, to Papeete, Tahiti, 750 miles to the southwest. Tho towa, on Nukahivo, largest of the Marquesas islands, is listed as the administrative seat of the French government of the Marquesas; but the honor is n hollow one, for the Marquesans nre rapidly dying off. The hundred thousand or more who peopled the eleven islands a century ogo have dwindled to 3,000 or 4,000.

When France took the islands over in 1824 the future seemed rosy to the white settlers who went there. The islands teemed with superiatively healthy, hrawny natives. The roinfall was abundant and vegetation grew rankly. Dreams of exceedingly productive coconut, cotton and vanilla plantations filled the heads of French adventnrers. Tai-O-Hai was built with these dreams in mind, and stores, inns, churches, schools, and snother accompaniment of civilization—a jail—sprang up.

But things did not work out as had heen expected. The Marquesans did not care to become plantation loborers. They hnd led lives of ease, spending their time in idleness, in gatheriag nature's fruits, and in war amoag themselves. Some unscrupulous planters tried rnm and opium as inducements to lnbor. They brought a certain temporary success, bnt they helped to bring o speedy end to all hope for the survival of the Marquesan people. To drunkenness and soddenness were soon added the white man's diseases—diseases which meant little to civilizations of America and Europe that had become largely immune to them, but which carried off the islanders like flies.

Tai-O-Hai, which had waxed, as quickly waned. To-day less than 150 people live in the village ond there is only a handful of whites. The once populous valleys back in Nukahiva have been abnndoned to the rank growth.

Papeete a Lively Town.

Next one may sail to Papeete, the chief port of Tahiti, metropolis of the southwestern Pacific, "the Honoluln of the South."

Because of its position almost midway between Panama and New Zealand, and its reasonable distance—as South sea distances go—from Samoa, the Marquesas nnd Hawaii, Papeete is a sort of ocean crossroads, and its cosmopolitan aspect never fails to impress visitors. On its wharves and in its streets one encounters vanilla ond coconut planters; trnders—French, British and American, engaged in every "line" coacelvable from copra and silk stockings to fertilizer and pearls; sea captains and shipping ngents; French officials (for Popeete is the capital of the French Pocific); missionaries; natives; the ever-present Chinaman; and the nondescript beach-comber.

Papeete may be "far from civilization" from the viewpoint of the stay-at-home, but the palate of the visitor to Popette certainly will not suffer for delectable food. In the bustling port town with its 2,000 French residents, some of them competent chefs, one msy find viands that wonld not be amiss in the restonrants of the Rne de la Paix—from vin rouge, through poulet roti to cafe noir. And if be wishes native food he may fare well on coconnt-fed pig roasted whole, fish with coconnt sauce, shrimp, baked banana, and baked breadfruit, the latter with a texture like very fine cheese and an indescribable, mildly pleasant flavor. For desert he will have oranges, pineapples and various tropical fruits.

The most ambitions sight-seeing trip in Tahiti is a circuit of the islands by horse-drawn vehicle, along the coastal strip. This entails the fording of many streams which flow ont of the mountains of the interior. Or one may push up one of the many valleys over trails that skirt swift streams and plunge through tunnels of verdure to a mountain top. If one climbs for the view, however, the time must be well chosen, for clouds shroud the mountain summits o large part of the time. The most novel sightseeing trip is mode in a small boat to the coral reefs where, through water crystal clear, one may look down upon a beautiful under-sea garden of weird and beautiful growths among which dart brilliantly colored fishes.

Pago Pago's Wonderful Harbor.

For the third stopping ploce, one should visit Pago Pago, capital of American Samoa, which is the only bit of American soil that lies south of the Equator.

Pago Pogo practically fell into the lap of o none too willing America, while various powers were seeking island territory in the Pacific. But if the entire South seas had been combed with all the other nations standing deferentially by, a better location for a naval base hardly could have been chosen. Most South sea harbors are little more than crescent bays, protected by coral reets, their safety largely dependent oo the direction of the wind. At Pago Pago ships sail into the heart of n huge extinct volcanic crater, only a narrow entrance open to the sea. Furthermore, there is a sharp turn inside, the whole harbor being shaped much like the ankle and foot of a stocking.

The United States naval stotion is situated on the "instep," its back toword the sea, but with high mountains intervening. Pago Pago town lies at the "toe." Most of the anchorage is entirely out of sight of the sea, und the ships lie in deep placid water even when destrnctive gales are blowing outside.

Giving Pago Pogo the premier place among South sea havens does not do it justice. Many famons harbors are more commodious; bnt it is hardly too mnch to say that Pago Pago is at once one of the safest nnd most beautiful harbors in the world. A narrow strip of level lnnd rims the harbor. Immediately beyond this strip the sides rise up steeply to mountainous heights, the sloping walls covered with varying shades of green, tropical vegetation. In addition to the naval station and Pago Pago town, three or four villages nestle close to the water's edge around the harbor, their thatched huts half hidden by coconut palms.

The harbor of Pogo Pago almost cuts the island of Tutuila in two. This is the largest isle of American Samoa, 17 miles long and abont 5 miles wide. The other Americnn islands lie about 60 miles to the east. Only one, Tau, about 5 miles in diameter, is of importance, though two smaller isles are inhabited. Altogether the popnlation of American Samou is nbout 8,000 some 6,000 residing on Tutuila.

American Samoa has been little spoiled by the civilization of the mother country, or thot of other whites. Few whites reside in the islands besides the small gronp of missionaries ond the officers, men and nurses at the navol station. Only one plantation is owned by a white man snd only three or fonr whites have leaseholds. Practically the entire surface of the islands is owned in small tracts by individual natives. The United States even bonght from individnal landlords the 40 acres needed for its naval establishment.

Unnecessary

A school inspector wos shocked st the nntidy condition of the boys. He gave a little lecture to some of the older ones.

"Don't you think," he said, "it wonld be a good thing if yor brushed your hair sometimes? Every morning," he added, "I brush mine, and I have no donbt yonr headmaster does the same."

One or two of the boys begnn to snigger. The inspector looked over his shoulder for the moral snpport of the headmaster, and found, to his horror, that he was ss bald as a billiard ball.

BELIEF IN DEFINITE GOD

By DR. JOHN GRIER HIBBEN, President Princeton University.

IN ANY description of God I would wave aside such definitions as "the unknowable," "the underlying cosmic force," and the latest, "the fonrth dimension." Limitations deny infinity, and closing Deity out of the finite wonld deny Him the quality most highly prized hy hnman life, personality, thus leaving ss a net result the grand "it" instead of the great "I am."

Men dare not ascribe a bodily form to God, hnt conceptions of Him mnst be in conformity to those qualities which constitnte the highest in man's nature. It hsa heen said we are ereating God after our own image. We can conceive of God only after onr image, and we jnstify that conception on the ground that we sre made in the imsge of God Himself.

This, in my opinion, is a reduction of the divine equstion not to infinity, but to zero. It msy be possible to say it is the fonrth dimension in which we live and move and hove our being; but can we say in sincerity and with significant feeling thst the "fourth dimension is our refuge and strength"?

Take the divine element, potentiol in us, that enobles us to recognize and entertsin idess of wisdom, justice, merey, goodness, truth, which are imperfeetly realized in us; and yet we sre constrsined in our thoughts to raise them to their highest power and then sscribe them ss a tribute to perfection to the being whom we reverently acknowledge ss our God.

FOR "PROTECTIVE PENOLOGY"

By SANFORD BATES, Superintendent of Prisons

I believe in proper housing, nourishing food, stesdy work, medical prophylactics, strict discipline, spiritual stimulation and on education system for prisons. Not because it makes life more sgreeable for the inmate, but because it is in the interest of society. But it must be remembered that men who go into prison come out again ond it is of prime importance to the community that they come out better und safer.

The prison of the future will be o disciplinary school for those who con be reformed; a place of permanent segregations for the incorrigible and a laboratory for the study of crime.

Parole is s necessary element. It offers an incentive to the prisoner to reform, provides an adjustable date of release ond protects the public by extending the control and restraint beyond the date of the expiration of the sentence.

We have evolved modern ideas of penal treatment, but we have never given them a fair trial, for we attempt to administer them with the old equipment and personnel. A dungeon or bostille is not the place to preach reform. A bully or broken-down politician will not serve ss a teocher or exemplar. Neither probation nor porole will succeed unless in the hands of experts.

Science has come to the oid of all departments of government. In the field of medicine, modern diagnosis and antiseptic surgery have replaced voodooism of the past. Yet mony people deliberately put intelligence aside in dealing with the criminol.

AMERICANS NEED AWAKENING

By DR. BERNARD IDDINGS BELL, Columbia University.

We modern Americans ore inept as compored with post generations in things material, mechanical and amusemental. Our arts become daily more snd more either utilitarian or imitstive; our literuture tends more and more to become photographic or neurotic; our education increasingly neglects everything that trains the mind in pure thinking and decent discrimination.

Man has been experimenting with the art of living for many millenniums hut for the most port he still has to grasp that a practical realization of this can be had in the following: reverence for truth and pursuit of it rather than for what income knowledge may bring; contemplation and the creation of beauty, and the mastering of one's life and not becoming a slave of convention or of circumstance.

If we can get some rebels, real rebels, against the standordizotion and stupidity of the Twentieth century, America has a chance of arriving at spiritnal maturity.

YOUTH CRITICAL OF CHURCHES

By DR. JOSEPH FORT NEWTON, Philadelphia (Episcopal).

The younger generation's snippy attitude toward religion is the result not of any innate lack of appreciation for religion, but of a feeling that the churches are not offering the fullness of life that can he seen in the religion preached by Christ. Our generation wanted security, hut the younger generation wunts supremacy. It is opening new doors und seeking new vistas. It wnnts an adventurons, not merely a comfortshle faith.

But though so many young people glory in heing withont inhibitions, they are inhibiting the highest side of human nature, onr sense of regligious values. They are snffering from snppressed religion. The easiest way to insnlt these young people is to call them mystics, yet human nature is essentinlly mystical.

College students often think that science is making religion old-fashioned. But science is teaching limits in many fields, limits that only religion can go beyond.

MODERN EDUCATIONAL AIMS

By DR. J. CAYCE MORRISON, New York Department of Education.

Teaching children self-expression and how to think for themselves in early grades will give men and women of the next generation a fnller and richer outlook on life. It once was the idea to make great nse of qnestion and answer books in the elementary grades, forcing students to memorize dates of history and names of hones and mnscles in the hnman body. That was encyclopedia knowledge. The students' minds were crammed with stuff they probahly never would nse and they did not get a chance to assert themselves in the classroom.

Times have changed; critical analysis and self-expression is the order of the day in the beginning grades. Every child has within himself or herself creative power. We mnst cultivate that fine art of expression. Woe to the teacher who smothers the latent power in a child.

Nonresident

Little Mary had mysterionsly picked np an amozing voeabnlary of sweor words and slang. Mother had pleaded, scolded and reusoned. The ultimatnm was leaving bome. "Why, Mary, daddy und mother just can't hove a little girl here who says such naughty words. We'll have to turn yon ont if you sweor again."

But again it eame. Her hat and cost were handed her. Resolutely she walked out and sat on the cnrb with her thoughts. Along came a neighbor.

"Good morning, Mary. Is your father st home?"

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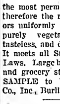

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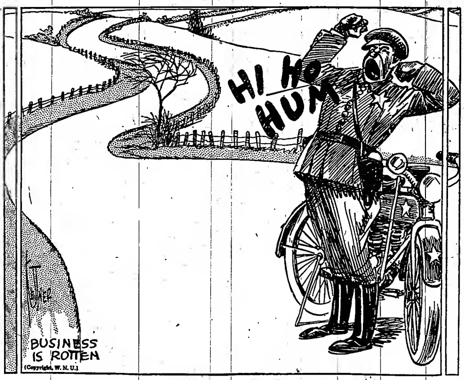
Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

OUR COMIC SECTION

Along the Concrete



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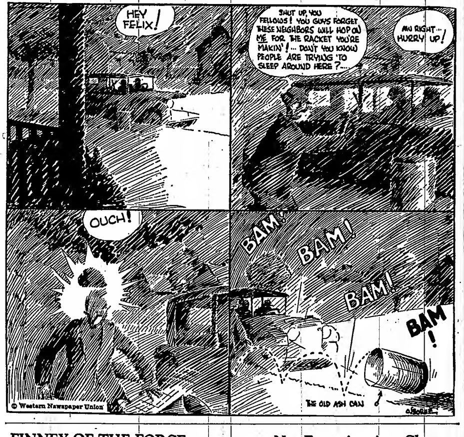
THE FEATHERHEADS — Three O'Clock in the Morning



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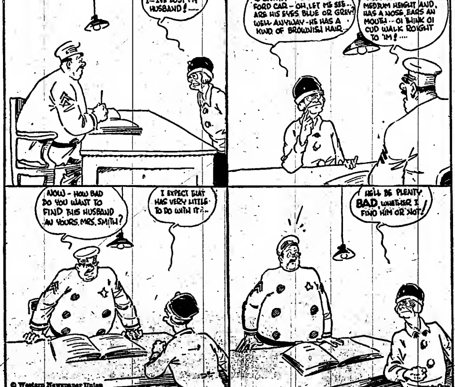
FINNEY OF THE FORCE — Not Expecting Any Change



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Community Building

Modern City Laid Out in Haphazard Fashion?

The early pioneers of this conntry showed better judgment in city planning than generations that came after them and the present problems in American cities are due chiefly to the lack of vision of modern business leaders, said Harland Bartholomew, engineer of the city plan commission of St. Louis, Mo., speaking before the sixteenth annual convention of the Mortgage Bankers' Association of America in New Orleans.

Speaking on the mortgage bankers' relation to city planning, Mr. Bartholomew, who is president of the American City Planning Institute and director of the city planning division of the American Society of Civil Engineers, said thot if the subsequent builders of American cities had possessed balf the vision of the early pioneers, the city of today would present a totally different uspect and be a much more workable structure.

The early plots of mony American cities usually provided rather generously for parks, open spoces and wide streets in accordance with some more or less definite design, but since business leaders took over the direction of city growth, the present condition of our cities is discreditable, to aay the least, declared the speaker.

Twenty years ago the city planning movement received its initial impetus under modern conditions by the publication of the plan of Chicogo, and the formation of the national conference on city planning, and within this twenty-year period, 600 city plan commissions have heen created, 750 zoning ordinances have heen possed and considerahle legislation has been enacted, but there still remains much to be done, said Mr. Bartholomew, especially in view of the enormous increasing growth of American cities.

Newspapers Lead Move to Beautify Highways

Macon county is going to he o more attractive ploce for its citizens and its visitors, since the beautification of highwaya is to be taken up in concerted and thorough fashion. Its six newspapers indorsed the plans of the Missouri highway commission and decided on a cumpaign of their own in the six towns and rural districts they represent. These public-spirited editora urge not only landacaping and tree planting along the roads but are working for beautification of school grounds, cemeteries, public properties and private homes. To start the campaign they advocate organization of improvement asaociotions at Mocon, New Cambria, Callao, Bevier, Atlanta and La Pluto, to operate under a county-wide system of uniform planning.

This is s project worthy of emulation in every county of the state. It is a work which Missouri has been slow to get under way, but sentiment for making the highwaya as beautiful aa they are useful is steadily growing. —St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Trees' Many Virtues

Probably the best way to establish tree-lined bighwaya is by centralized state control. This would give uniformly ayatematic design and maintenance to the work. The ahade of trees lengthens the service of concrete povements by helping to prevent extreme expansion and contraction from heat ond cold. There is also a direct economy to automobile owners, possibly in tires but surely in the deterioration that sunshine on extremely hot daya is liable to canae in the top covering of cars. In the sesson when automobiles sre most used for pleasure shade is most needed. It is a delight to pass over a tree-shaded pavement where neighborly aheltering, friendly trees at the roadside greet yon on every hand. They are a phyaical comfort and a visual pleasure.

Garden Furniture

Often a bird bath or sundial will add the finishing touch to the home grounds and supply just the needed addition to complete the charm of a well-laid-out planting acheme where there is an open expanse of lawn.

In situating lawn furniture make sure that the grounds are balanced by equal masses on both aides of the house thus preserving the aymmetry of design. First plot on a aheet of paper the honse and grounda, including the planted area and locate the objecta just as you would plon the furnishings of a room.

Concrete garden furniture is practically everlasting and harmonizes most pleasingly with stucco, frame, brick or masonry construction.—Boston Herald.

Garage Is an Investment

No improvement will add more to the looks of yonr property and help more in case of sale, than an attractive garage building.

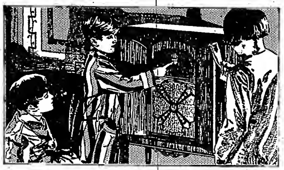
Also, there is no better revenne producer than a garage built on the rear part of yonr lot, should you want to rent it.

This improvement of a double garage renting for $12 per month will in many cases pay the toxes.

Tha cost of building a garage is not large, and where rented will show a return of from 15 to 20 per cent on the investment.

ATWATER KENT RADIO

SCREEN-GRID (BATTERY... OR HOUSE CURRENT) ELECTRO-DYNAMIC



A radio—*fine!* but an Atwater Kent—that's great!

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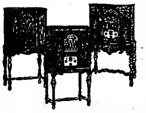

IN CABINETS—The best American cabinet makers—famous for sound design and sincere workmanship—are cooperating to meet the demand for Atwater Kent Screen-Grid Radio in fine cabinets like these.

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In Too Great Hurry to Forge Marital Chains

The pale, nervous looking man was applying for a job.

"I think I shall be able to suit all your requirementa, sir," he said.

The manager shook his head.

"I'm afraid I cannot take you," he replied. "You see, I'm wanting a single man."

A look of horror appeared on the other's face.

"B-but, good gracious," he stammered, "when I came here yesterday I was told you were looking for a married man!"

"I'm sorry," said the manager. "It must have been a mistake."

The applicant stepped forward and clutched him by the arm.

"Look here," he gasped, "it's all very well for you to talk like that—but what am I to do? You see, I went straight out and got married!"

Fond Memories

Governor of Prison—You will be released tomorrow—have you any special requeats to moke?

Convict—Con I have a photograph taken—the others in my cell would like a group taken as a souvenir before I leave.—Nabelspalter, Zurich.

Summer brings leaves of absence and winter brings absence of leaves.

Useless Subject

Teacher—Your son is very backward in geography.

Father—Thot doesn't matter. We have no money for traveling.

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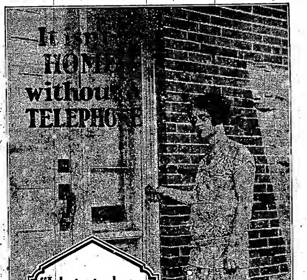

St. Hilaire Telephone Company

Chas. L. Kundert, Manager

Freak Cats

Ring-tail cats are cats having crooks in their tails. They are freaks and in the United States cat shows are penalized. Soch freaks appear often in Siamese cats, and it is claimed in Siam that these tails are produced through inbreeding.

Actinns Alnne Count

Promises ere never eqoal to performance. They never hotter your breed. Furthermore, what you plan to do is no proof of what yon will do. The goodness of your intentions oever excuses the badness of your actions.—Grit.

TEST OF THE EDUCATED MAN

"The educated man," says Dean Inge of England, "is a man with certain suhtle spiritual qualities which make him calm in adversity, happy when alone, jost in his deelings, and rational aud sane in all the affairs of life."

But how, we would query of the good deon, does he act when company calls along about bedtime?

Just a Neighbor.

Art Student (boastingly)—I've studied under Glido, the famous painter, for years.

Friend—Bot he doesn't seem to recognize yoo.

"Perhaps, but I still have the apartment below him!"

Synnnymons Terms.

The Porter—Lady in No. 4 wants me to tell her when she reaches her "desolation." I reckon she means destioation.

The Condnctor—Her ticket reads to Torpor City, where I used to live. It's all the same.

A Fair Offer.

The Yegg—No noise, lady. I want yonr money and jewels. Turn 'em np, qnick.

Mrs. Muddleton—I'll split fifty-fifty with you on all yoo can find. I jnst moved in here today and can't find anything myself.

GOOD IN ANY ROLL

"Thot actor does pretty well in thot role."

"A hom actor ought to do pretty well in any roll."

A Full Record.

"Though many things she's left undone
Since we've heen wed,
I don't believe," said he, "she's left
A thing unsaid."

The Why of It.

Mr. Hardfox—I'm told thet the Girl Scouts are pledged to wear oo short skirts, openwork stockings, peekeboo waists or rouge.

Miss Moke-up—Then they'll have to scout. Nobody'll come to 'em.

A Less Discouraging Job?

"She's getting to dress and act so mannish."

"Yes, she tried to meke a man of her hosbond ond foiled, aod evideotly she's now trying to make one of herself."

Explanation.

Wife (at top of stairs)—Explain yonrself. Where have yon been till this hour?

Husband—My dear—er—stop me if yon've heord this one.

Something Wrong.

"You ore false and here is your ring back."

"To all fairness, girlie, I must tell yon that this is a better ring than I gave yoo."

A HUNG JURY

Hubby—Well, tha great murder case anded in a hnog jury.

Wife—Great heevens, did they hang the jury and let the murderer go free?

Inventor's Triumph.

I eat my peas with honey,
I have done it all my life;
They do taste kind of funny,
But it keeps them on the knife.

The Paradox of Pessimism.

Andy—Ironsides is a hypochondriac.

Moe—Whot's a hypochondriac?

Andy—A person who feels better when he feels worse.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated February 23rd, 1924, executed by Martin Helgeson and Gunild Helgeson, also known as Gunild Helgesen, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on February 26th, 1924, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 156 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $119.88, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $140.63, due on February 23rd, 1929, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $140.63, due on August 23rd, 1929; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,217.26, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from August 23rd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent per annum, the sum of $260.46, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $119.83 thereof since July 27th, 1929, and on $140.63 thereof since August 23rd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent per annum; the sum of $134.76 for taxes, including interest, penalties and costs and interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum to the date hereof, and the sum of $51.32, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $4,740.96, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-four (34), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 31st day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premiums paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. D-19-J23

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

A Selected Batch for Golfers

ALL proper golf stories have, or should have, a Scotch background. I remember an experience of my own. I was having my first try at the ancient pastime on the links of a country club of which I was a member. Our professional, a lank Aberdeenian, strolled oot and stood watching me for a moment in silence. After several efforts I finally succeeded in driving the hall off tha tee. Filled with pride, I addressed the lone spectator.

"Well, Jock," I said, "whet do yoo think of that for a beginner?"

"Well," he said slowly, and weighing his words carefully and evidently meaning to do exact justice es between me and his revered tribal sport. "Your form is incredibly had aud yonr stance is awful. Yoo don't keep yoor eye on the hall and yon lift your head and evidently you've never heard that following through is of any help. But you are correct in one particular—you are wearing regular golf stockings."

Somebody was telling me lately of an American who was playing on one of the Scotch conrses with an old native for a caddy. He had a short shot for a certain hole.

"I think I'll use my midiron here," he said, measuring the distance with his eye.

"Ye'd do better wi' your cleek," said the caddy.

Despite this advice the visitor insisted on using the midiron. The hall struck the lower edge of the green, rolled straight and true for the cup and dropped in. The player made a perfect one.

"There!" he cried triumphantly, "What do yon think of that?"

"Not so bad, sir," said the old Scot begrudgingly, "hot I still think ye'd done better with yer cleek."

Of coorse, though, the climax in this regard is reached when yoo find a Scotch golfing story with an added backgroond expressive of the proverbial Scotch traits of frugality and acquisitiveness. According to scandaloos rumor prevalent on this side of the ocean, there is a ground rule on a links near Edinburgh which reads as follows:

"No hall is to be considered lost until it stops rolling."

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Remove Litter Daily

Daily removal of soiled litter from the henhouse is important. If the dampened litter is left on the floor, ideal conditions are created for spreading of disease. The soles of shoes that have come in contact with such litter should be disinfected. Contamination is easy unless every cantion is used. This risk can he greatly redoced hy wearing a special pair of rubbers and by having a pan of disinfectant outside tha brooder hoase to use when entering and leaving.

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All the joy bells
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Merry Christmas

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Tim Ensrud

Mark Twain's View

"When I recollect tha treasure of friendship that has been bestowed upon me, I withdraw all charges against life," said Mark Twain, according to the American Magazine.

Bids Wanted

The school board of Dist. No. 106 in Sanders twp, will receive bids to time of meeting at 8:00 P.M., Saturday, Dec., 21st., for delivery of six (6) cords of green, heavy body, split, poplar cordwood at the school grounds in said district. Bids may be mailed, or left with the clerk.

D12-19pd Victor Johnson, Clerk

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Widow Surely in Luck

A story from Pittsburgh's "Wall Street" concerns a woman who entered a hroker's office and timidly pushed a paper across the counter of the cashier's window and asked if it was worth anything. The cashier examined the paper and said it was. It was a certificate for a share of radio stock, and worth, according to the quotations of the day, $355. She was overjoyed. It developed that she was a widow and had foond the paper among her husband's effects. Not knowing whether or not it was of any value, but facing destitution, she decided to take it to a broker. "I'm so glad," she told the cashier, "because there are twenty more at home."

Holiday Gift Goods

We have placed on display this week, our line of holiday gift goods suitable for all members of the family.

The toy counter contains a good assortment of mechanical toys etc., that will delight the hearts of the little folks. Come and see them.

Tree decorations and trimmings, a fine lot of China and metal goods, nifty neckwear, toilet articles, candies, nuts, fruits are a few of the hundreds of items we have as suggestions to Santa in making the coming Christmas the "best ever."

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Another day,
Another year,
Old Father Time has taken,
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We greet the new,
Our faith in you unshaken.

We Thank You

For your patronage the past year, and wish you happiness in the Yule-tide season, and prosperity in the New Year.

Young's Service Station

R. A. Young, Prop.

Selling Father a New Car

By WILLIAM MARSH

(Copyright.)

"ABSOLUTELY nothing doing!" Father banged his fist down on the tabla with such vehemence that the hreakfast dishes rattled. "I'm perfectly satisfied with my old car and will not ha bulldozed into bnying a new one!"

Bill wos asbamed of the "family hus," aa he derisively termed it. More ashnmed than ever, now that he had a peoch of a girl to taka riding. It didn't motter so mnch about his alster Corinne.

When ahe went out somebody else supplied the conveyance, and avery time thnt Bill saw her depart in young Doctor Jordan's smart roadster or the Whipple boya' limousine, ha felt a twinge of envy—not for himself, bnt for Dot—that peach of a girl.

Bill finished his poached eggs morosely nnd deported for the warebouse of Sanders and company, whosa rising young shipping clerk he fondly fancied himself to be. His way led him past the showrooma of the Berwick Super-Eight and according to custom he pansed and gazed covetously through the plate-glass window at the pollshed, shining model.

"Beanty, isn't she?" said a pleasant voice. And Bill tnrned to aee ona of tha salesmen he bad freqnently spotted showing off tha beanty'a fine points to possihle pnrchasers.

"I'll say so!" declared Bill fervently.

"Intarested in cars?" asked the other.

"Well, uot exactly," gulped Bill. "That is, my father—"

"Thinking of bnying, is he? Fine. What maka bas he now?"

Bill named it, inwardly cursing it for being tha nnobtrusiva species it was.

"Good little car in its day," said the salesman kindly and, thonks he, thought Bill, uot at all condescendingly. "Bnt not, as yon can see, to be mentioued in the seme breath with this. Now, atep in a moment—"

When Bill stepped out again, he had all tba talking points of tha Berwick at his tongue'a end; he was late for work and ba bad given Mr. John Wildman his father's uame, addresa and probable bonrs at home. Not that be expected it would do any good, remembering bis fetber'a face and fist at ths breakfast table. Bnt it seemed a small return for tha twenty minntes of the salesman's time.

Mr. John Wildmsn ceme thet evening. As it cbanced, bis prospect had gone up to the corner drug store for cigars and had remained to chnt with the proprietor. Corinne, dnswering tha doorbell and finding that her father's caller was a singularly attractive, alert looking young man, took it upon harself to see that the moments spent waiting hung not too heavily on his hands.

In tha coursa of polite conversation they discovered two mntual acqnaintances and severel common interests, so that by the time his prospect'a pungent cigar smoke in tha front hall heralded the arrival of business and end of sociability, young Wildman had registered a silent resolution not to take "no" for an answer—from Corinne's father, of course.

But in the dsya that followed Bill knaw no peace. "Set him on my trail!" his father burst forth freqnently, "and we'll see who wins in tha end. Oh, I'll grant he's all right as young fellows go and knows his business, bnt no yonng wbippersnapper can foist off anything ou me that I don't want!"

Not only to his father was Bill persone non grata, hut young Doctor Jordan and tha older Whipple boy cast frosty eyes upon him wben they met.

Without donht they held him responsihle for tha fact that their cars no longer drew up at the door of his home to take riding his sister. If Bill had set the salesman on his father's trail, so also had be provided a suitor for Corinue wbn won out over all rivals.

In fact, John soon ceased to worry about disposing of a Berwick Super-Eight. His thoughts and ambitions centered alone on the winning of Corinne. Although he still maintained a pretense of regarding her father as a probable purchaser, both he and Corinne—and the probsbla pnrchaser—knew the bluff for what it was.

Only Bill remained unobserving. Thoughts of tha Berwick Super-Eight crowded his vision to the exclusion of all else. Spring was approaching, when he would want to take Dot riding. Another season in tha old bus was more than he could stand.

"Dad," be broke out desperately oue evening, "do we, or do we not, get a new car this year?"

His father regarded him over his glasses. "I guess you win, William," he said resignedly. "John informed me last night that be wants to marry Corinne. Your sister informed me this morning the least I could do in the way of a wedding present would be a car. So I sball purchase a Berwick. Yes, you win."

Bnt his aon's face was long. "Don't see how thet belps me any—giving it to Corinne," he said glumly.

"You don't get me at all, William," retorted his father. "We get the Berwick, they get the 'bus.' Good Lord, William, your mother and I didn't start with even a flivver! You young folks—"

Bnt Bill was at the telephone to date up Dot for a ride.

Admonition

An old-stager was taking a youth to task for betting all he had on a horse race. Ha pointed out the many misheps that may occur between post and finish and called a long roll of sure things that had gone wrong.

"Now think, son," he wound up, "how long does it take to run the average horse race?"

"Less than two minutes."

"There'a the point. It may be all right to try to get rich quick, but that's too quick."

"Chocolate" as Brain Food

Chocolate, which contains a high percentage of lime, is advocated by some doctors as a valuable brain food, and in cases of certain ailments, including obesity, heart trouble and gout.

Stale

A "stale" check is one which has not been presented for payment for an unreasonable time—say six months. Although the bank may refuse to cash it, the drawer remains liable.

We hope the Christmas star
shines bright
For friend end patron, too.
We hope that every
happy thing
The New Year
brings to you!

Best wishes to you all
for a
Merry Christmas
and a
Happy New Year

LARSON BROS.
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Christmas Shopping Suggestions

May we offer these suggestions to solve your Gift problems

HOSIERY

Our hosiery line is the most complete we have ever carried, Ladie's silk and silk and wool, in large selection of colors, at .50 cents to $1.60.

Men's in silk and silk and wool, novelty patterns, at .25 to .95.

Children's cotton, wool, and silk and wool, also anklets, at .25 to .65.

Ties and Scarfs

These items will be found on almost every Christmas list. We have them in beautiful patterns and designs for your selection at .50 to $1.95 each. Be sure to see these—you will want one or more of them.

Handkerchiefs

Novelty boxed kerchiefs make an acceptable gift for anyone. Big variety of patterns, white or colored, at .25-50 and .65.

Felt and Leather Slippers

The ideal gift for Christmas. Big variety for all members of the family at

.50 to $1.95

We also carry assortments of

Stationery	Tree Trimmings.	Apples
Child's books	Christmas cards	Gloves
Toys	Nuts, candies, cigars	Bags, etc

Special prices on candy and nuts to schools and churches.

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Creamery List

Herewith is a list of checks, in amounts of more than $50.00 each, which were issued by the creamery last payday for cream delivered during month of November. A good gain in receipts over those of previous month was noted, and the December list will be considerable larger. Arne Vik, who has been absent from the list for some time, is hack again in top position as usual. Here is the list.-

Arne Vik	$217.61
Novak & Son	208.11
Christ Anton	193.31
Anton Bros	182.99
C. H. Swanson	166.77
F. Bothman	125-37
A. Johnson	123.77
Christ Kruse	109.55
N. E. Beehe	108.66
I. A. Rotzlar	104.54
Mrs. J. Thorstveit	102.20

F. Ulrich, $95.23, Will Rinkenberger, 94.74, J. Gunstad, 91.39, Geo. Haupt 90.75, E. Pearson, 87.52, H. Allen, 87.36, B. Walseth, 86.08, C. Zinter, 85.97, G. Johnson, 85.19, Swanson Bros, 84.64, F. Anderson, 81.06, B. Johnson, 80.23, J. J. Larson, 79.39, C. Pearson, 77.31, Ole Larson, 77.30, H. Johnson, 76.86, Dan Johnson, 76.71, E. D. Jenson, 74.56, Victor G. Brink, 74.28, Swenson Bros, 69.50,

R. J. McRercher, 69.35, R. Melin, 68.91, And. Ortloff, 67.54, R. Randorf, 67.07, S. Skottem, 66.73, J. A. Anderson, 65.70, J. A. Almquist, 66 35, K. T. Dalager, 65.75, Sig. Vik, 64.29, Wahlbeck Bros, 64.25, A. Swanson, 62.60.

L. Erickson, $62.54, E. H. Stephens, 61.81, F. S. Erdmann, 61.17. I. Iverson, 60.39, E. Hallameck, 60. 24, J. Norman, 60.22, Gust Erickson, 58.35 O. Haugen, 58.32, Mrs. A. P. Anderson, 57.75, C. E. Naplin, 57. 67, Wm. Yonke. 56.25, H. Jepson, 55.20, Mrs. J. Konickson, 53.53, And. Mortenson, 53.32, Otto Johnson, 53.12, Johnson Bros. 53.00 C. O. Swanson, 52.17, Emil Larson, 51.55, F. Schmidt, 50.95, E. G. Akerlund, 50.94.

Annual Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Bray Mutual Fire Ins. Co. will be held in St. Hilaire, Minn., on the 8th day of January 1930, commencing at 1:00 o'clock P. M.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year, and to transact any other business that may properly come up before this meeting.

John O. Swanson
D19J2 Secy.

Establish Branch Office

In order to give hetter and more prompt service to the car owners of Northwestern Minnesota the Secretary of State has estahlished a hranch office of the Minnesota Vehicle Department at Crookston and appointed A. E. Morck as Deputy Registrar.

A complete stock of automobile and truck license plates is carried hy the Deputy, as well as all necessary forms of application hlanks, which enables the car owner calling at this office to secure his license plates at once, provided he has his last year's registration card or, in the registration of a new car, a Bill of Sale from the Dealer from whom it was bought. Mail order applications are not handled hy this office, except upon the payment of a special fee.

Mr. Mork is also commissioned to give Chauffeur's Examinations and tests, and every person who is employed for the purpose of driving a car or truck belonging to another person, or who uses his own car or truck in hauling persons or property for hire, must take an examination and secure a Chauffer's or drivers's license. This includes all drivers of passenger and school buses, freight trucks, delivery trucks, gravel trucks, etc. This examination may be taken at the Deputy Registrar's office at any time during office hours.

The Crookston Registration office is located at 112 N. Broadway in the Abstract Building, immediately south of the Crookston Hotel.

25 Years Ago

Adolph Hall returned after an absence of two years.

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Congressman Steenerson had recommended that a postoffice be established at Hazel.

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A gang re-saw, a new boiler and some other machinery was received at the mill, and was to he installed after the holidays.

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There was not enough snow that year to provide sleighing up to Christmas time.

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The new store huilding of Otterness & Edstrom, at the Soo siding east of here, was nearly ready for occupancy.

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The local school closed for Christmas vacation, to reopen Jan. 9th.

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Erick Hoff put in a new gas lighting system at his store that week.

The Setting Sun

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

A want adv. costs but little, but it pays hig dividends.

Mrs. W. J. Janda and children, of Mahnomen, are here for a visit at home of her father, Henry Kalland.

There will be no Sunday school in the local Norwegian Lutheran church next Sunday.

John Hofstad motored over first of the week from Grand Forks for a visit at the Ed Peterson home.

Large variety of New Year cards, all in nicely lined envelopes, on display at the Spectator office.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Kruse, Jr., are the happy parents of a baby daughter born this morning at the hospital at Thief River. Mother and child are hoth doing well.

Miss Gunhild Nelson, who teaches at Wolverton, is home to spend the holidays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson.

Miss Blanche Hoff, who teaches in the puhlic schools at Minneapolis came up Sunday to spend Christmas vacation at home.

Miss Dorothy Olsen, who attends the State Teachers Training college at Moorhead, is home to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olsen.

Miss Huldah Gigstad, principal of one of the city schools at Moorhead, came up Saturday to spend Christmas at home.

Alice Gigstad, who attends school at Minneapolis, is home to spend holiday vacation with her mother, Mrs. K. O. Gigstad.

Helga Vik, who attends the State Teachers Training College at Moorhead, came home to spend the holiday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Arne Vik.

Charley Young of Orrin, N. D., came this week to spend the holidays at homes of his brother and sister, Raymond Young and Mrs. Chas. Huff.

Miss Pearl Simonson, who teaches at Crandon, Wis., and Miss Laura Simonson, who is employed at stenographic work in Minneapolis, came Sunday night over the Soo to spend their Christmas vacation's with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Simonson.

Ed Engh left Saturday morning for an indefinate stay at home of his brother, Sigward, at Edinburgh, N. D.

There was no mail delivery either at the postoffice or on the routes yesterday.

Miss Amanda Benson, who is employed at Minneapolis, came up Friday to spend Christmas with her father, sisters and brother.

Due to heavy Christmas mails, the passenger train on this line has been late every morning for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Olsen motored up Monday night from Leonard to spend Christmas vacation with his parents here, and with her parents at Thief River Falls.

Miss Grace Dahle, who attends Concordia College at Moorhead, came up Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. Dahle.

Miss Evelyn Maakrud, who attends the State Teachers Training College at Bemidji, came up Saturday to spend a holiday vacation of two week with her folks.

L. E. Healy was up Saturday from Red Lake Falls to look after business matters of the closed Farmers State Bank of which he is special deputy examiner,

Fred Ulrich, Jr., accompanied hy his cousin, George Ulrich, and Albert Joseph left last week for a visit with relatives and friends at New Ulm, Minneapolis and Buffalo Lake. They expect to return about New Year.

For Rent: 240 acre farm, good buildings and well, close in. An excellent place, nicely located, and with best of soil. Possession may be had about April 1st.

If interested, call at the Spectator office.

Paul Erickson, student at the medical school of the University of Minnesota, came up Friday to spend his Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Erickson at their farm home west of town. Paul who is now attending the fifth year of his university course, received his Bachelor of Science degree, a short time ago. He expects to finish his medical course in another year and a half.

R. H. Duntley Died Dec. 10

Richard H. Duntley, who was engaged in the confectionery business in this village from 1900 until the sawmill days ended in 1906, died Tuesday, December 10th, at the home of his sister, Mrs. Dan Wheeler at Minneapolis. Mr. Duntley was employed in St. Paul up to within six weeks of his death. He was taken ill suddenly, and cause of death was a form of cancer.

Mr. Duntley was very well known to all who resided here from 1900 to 1907, and a host of his friends, who are now scattered all over the Union, will be grieved to learn of his death. Deceased was employed by the Twin City Rapid Transit Company at Minneapolis for many years before coming here, and he had been a resident of Minneapolis for nearly 50 years. Mr. Duntley was 61 years of age at time of death. Mrs. Duntley, who will he recalled hy all the oldtimers, died several years ago and is huried in the Clara church cemetery east of here.

Special Livestock Train

The special four car train of agricultural exhihits, coming of which was announced in a recent issue will be in St. Hilaire on Jan, 22nd. The program to be given will feature ways and means of securing "new revenue" from the farms. It will feature the actual experience of farmers in growing sweet clover, alfalfa and raising livestock to clean and build up the soil.

The program here starts promptlg at 9:00 A. M. A large part of the time will he occupied by an inspection of the exhibits. After that groups of 75 to 100 people at a time will he assemhled for the talks in the auditorium car.

C. L. McNally, E. W. Smith and County Agent Robert Douglas will speak for Extension Department of the Minnesota College of Agriculture., Dan Willard, Paul C. C. Wagner and C. C. Morrison for the Agriculture Development Board of the Great Northern., J. G. Haney for the International Harvester Co., J. B. Bingham and David Wigand for the American Beef Sugar Co.

Exceptionally fine Christmas programs were given at two of the local churches this week. That at the Evang. Mission was given Sunday evening, and that at the Norwegian Norwegian Lutheran church last night. Program at the Swedish Lutheran church is giveu this afternoon.

Thank You All

The Publisher is very appreciative for the number of renewals received the past week since subcription statements were mailed to our readers. As this is the last issue in 1929, we take occasion to thank each and every one of those listed below, and to express a hope that the New Year will be a happy and prosperous one for you all. Here is the list of renewals, and some new subscriptions received the past week:-

Pete Swanson, G. Bergland, Mrs. Lena Hallstrom, Lars Rosette, Roy Randorf, Emil Larson, Fred Ulrich, Geo. Hanson, Mrs. S. Weberg, P. Lundberg, A. Aug. Erickson, Carl Swanson, W. J. Swanson, J A. Anderson, Ole Larson, Phil Anderson, Rev. C. M. Grimsrud, O. Thyren, Dan Johnson, J. J. Larson, W, Yonke, Crookston Granite Co., C. O. Swanson, G. Lindquist, V. G. Brink, H. A. Olsen, S. Skottem, Halvor Hanson, Aug. N. K. Anderson, J. V. Patton, Mrs. Fred Hanson, A. J. Hed, G. H. Martz, H. L. Hanson, O. A. Holmes, Harry Ortloff, Mrs. K. O. Gigstad, John Norman, Tim Ensrud, John Maakrud, Sam Lorentson, Claus Adolphson, Gust Erickson, F. E. Rux, Mrs. J. Walhack, Paul Erickson, Laura Simonson, S. L. Hauge, Mrs. L. W. Giese, Chas. Patterson, Paul Smidesang, Mrs. A. P. Anderson, Bennie Johnson, Peterson Bros., Mark Harder, M. Fricker, Mrs. R. Wallin, Mrs. O. A. Storassli, Ole Haggland, Mrs. O. Odegaard, L. E. Healy, Esther Thyren, Mrs. Henry Nelson, John Steiger.

Walter and Elmer Bjerk, who are employed at Williston, N. D., came a few days ago to spend Christmas vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bjerk. Elmer surprised his friends hy bringing home a bride, their marriage having occured a few days ago. Local friends extend hearty congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bjerk.

Mrs. Jennie Carter and sons left this week to visit until after New Year at the home of her sister, Mrs Ferdie Brown, at Grygla.

The local school closed Friday noon for the annual holiday vacation of two week, and all teachers left the same day for their respective homes.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Recollection of our pleasant business relations during the year adds to our pleasure in wishing you

A Happy New Year

Merchants State Bank

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Seasons Greetings

Your kind co-operation has contributed materially to our success and we appreciate it most cordially.

Accept our best wishes for a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Ass'n

Livestock Wanted

Have recently made connections where I am in position to pay highest market prices in CASH for all kinds of livestock.

If you have any beef stock, hogs, sheep, calves, etc., that are in shape for market, kindly call or phone, and you will be assured the highest market price for your stock in CASH

ED DURBIN

St. Hilaire, Minn

62 ENTOMBED MINERS DEAD

Twenty-three Bodies Taken from Oklahoma Coal Mine, Three Men Rescued.

McAlester, Okla.—Imprisoned by ao explosion lo the Old Town Coal Co. mine lo North McAlester here 62 entombed miners were overtakeo hy deoth. Hopeless of any rescue of their comrades miners from the McAlester district hod been toiling for hours in the work of rescue.

Hopes, raised by the rescue alive hy three men from their deep prison, fell with the assertion of rescuers that presence of afterdamp in the lower levels virtually precluded the possibility of aoy other victims surviving. Twenty-three bodies had heen hronght to the surface aod taken to a morgue here. Nine were found lo the east entry of the fifth level, where the three surviving meo were found alive. Rescue workers reported they had seen five more hodies on the sixth and seventh levels. There are 15 ... in the mioe.

Improving Gasoline

Somethiog can he added to gasoline which will increase the ability to stand high compression. The chief ingredleot added is tetra-ethyl lead, which is the chief constituent of ethyl gas. The pure snbstance is not sold to the general public because it is very poisonous, and can be handled without danger only under certain conditions.

4 Dead in Baltimore Fire.

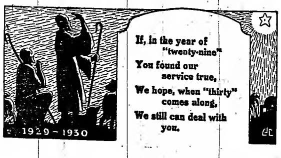
Baltimore—Trapped lo the npper floors while uearly 1,000 tons of paper hurned, four womeo lost their lives, another is missiog and helleved to have last her life, aod 15 others were injured when fire swept the four story building of the Thomas H. O'Connor Paper Co. The fire, helieved to have started on the second floor, swept to the opper floors, where between 75 and 100 men and womeo were workiug. A Negro saved 10 women hy climhiog np the side of the bnilding by means of a pipe, lowering a fire escape which had hecome jammed.

Secrecy in Elks Hills Case.

Los Aogeles—An agreemeot wherehy Elk Hills oaval oil reserve leases granted the Pan American Oil compaoy, by former Secretary of Interior Alhert B. Fall, were kept secret was recorded in the government's caocellatioo suit through the depositioo of Rear Admiral John K. Rohinsoo, retired. The deposition revealed that Fall, Robioson and others had agreed to keep the leases secret as they wanted everythiog completed hefore congress and the people heard ahout it.

Gold Export and Import Figures Given

New York—Gold movemeots at the port of New York for the week eoding Decemher 11, included exports of $10,977,000, of which $9,269,000 weot to France, $1,341,000 to Sweden, $139,000 to Mexico, $108,000 to Germany, $60,000 to England, and $60,000 to Java; and imports of $430,000 of which $197,000 came from Argeotina and $223,000 chiefly from other Latin-American countries. Gold held for foreign account showed a oet decrease of $6,002,000.



We thank you most sincerely for your patronage the past year, and take occasion to wish you prosperity and happiness in 1930.

M. H. Jackson
General Merchandise
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Just as Good

There being no vice president in Cuba, about the only way a native can lose his identity is by having himself appointed poet laureate.—Louisville Times.

Adds Life to Umbrella

A little vaseline injected into the hinge portions of the frame of a new umbrella will not spread like other oil and is a sure prevention against rust.

Provident Ant

The eggs of a certain aphis, which are of no direct use to the ants, are brought into the nest and protected carefully from the severity of winter until the warm weather comes, when the young aphides are brought out and put on their food plants, walled in by little "cattle pens" of earth. By keeping these eggs safe for six months the ants insure a supply of the food delicacy during the following summer.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated February 23rd, 1924, executed by Martin Helgeson and Gunild Helgeson, also known as Gunild Helgesen, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on February 26th, 1924, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 155 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $119.83, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $140.63, due on February 23rd, 1929, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $140.63, due on August 23rd, 1929; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,217.26, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from August 23rd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $260.46, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $119.83 thereof since July 27th, 1929, and on $140.63 thereof since August 23rd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $134.76 for taxes, including interest, penalties and costs and interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, and the sum of $51.32, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $4,740.96, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-four (34), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 31st day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premiums paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. D-19-J23

My Favorite Stories
by Irvin S. Cobb

The Final Bang

IN ORDER that the point of this story may be made clear, a word or two of preliminary explanation is required. Arthur Hopkins, one of the most successful of the younger group of theatrical producers, is a squarely built little man, not more than five feet six inches in height and with rather an emphatic way of speaking. It is characteristic of him that once he has made up his mind to a thing, he acts upon his decision with dispatch; nor, when he expresses himself, is there ever any doubt as to his exact meaning.

A season or so back, he put on rather an expensive play for a tryout before bringing it into New York. The production did not seem to go very well on the road. Nevertheless, the members of the cast, with the proverbial optimism of actor-folk, were hopeful that business might pick up and that, once they reached the big town, the piece might have a successful run.

But back in the home office Hopkins took a different view of the prospects. He ran through the figures of the box office reports, as sent in by the road manager, and immediately wired the latter to cancel all further bookings, pay the members of the company the required two weeks' salary, and ship the scenery and the properties back to the storehouse. Considerably disappointed at this outcome, the troupers returned to the city to look for new engagements. Naturally, Hopkins' action in so abruptly withdrawing the production became the subject of common gossip in the theatrical district.

A few days later, Wilton Lackaye was in the Lambs' club. An aspiring dramatist approached him.

"Say, Lackaye," he began, "maybe you can help me out. My latest comedy has just gone into rehearsals. It looks pretty good, too—everybody seems to like it; but we're shy a good gag line for the last act. You know how it helps, sometimes, if you bring the final curtain down with a wallop. I've racked my brain but I can't think of anything. I'm hoping maybe you can help me. If you've got time, I'll tell you briefly what the concluding scene is like and perhaps that'll give you an inspiration."

"I don't think you need to do all that," said Lackaye, softly. "If I get you, what you want is something short and snappy to close a new show with?"

"That's it."

"All right," said Lackaye, "here it is in two words: 'Arthur Hopkins'!"

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Looked Us Over

Bees have about 5,000 eyes. So we gather such solace as we can out of the fact that those which have lit on us have done so through careful choice.

NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE IN DISTRICT COURT FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

State of Minnesota
} ss.
County of Pennington

B. C. Bernard—Plaintiff,
—vs.—
Louis Feragen—Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of an Execution to me directed and delivered, and now in my hands, issued out of the District Court of the State of Minnesota for the Fourteenth Judicial District, in the County of Pennington, upon a judgment rendered in said Court in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendant, I have levied on all the rights, title, interest and estate of said defendant in and to the real property lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

The South Half (S½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-four (24), in Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing eighty (80) acres more or less, according to the Government survey thereof.

And that I shall, on Saturday, the 4th day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M. of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, proceed to sell all the rights, title, interest and estate of said defendant in and to said real property, to satisfy said judgment and costs, amounting to Four Hundred Forty and 14|100 ($440.14) Dollars, with interest thereon from the 29th day of June, 1929, at the rate of six per cent per annum, plus three dollars accrued costs on said judgment and together with all accruing costs of sale, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minnesota this 15th day of November, 1929.

O. L. IHLE,
Sheriff of Pennington County,
Minnesota.

Perl W. Mabey and H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Plaintiff,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. N21-D26

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated November 15th, 1923, executed by Elias A. Peterson and Mabel A. Peterson, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on November 17th, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 74 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $118.75 each, due on May 15th, 1929, and November 15th, 1929, respectively; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $3,538.00, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from November 15th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $237.50, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $118.75 thereof since May 15th, 1929, and on $118.75 thereof since November 15th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; in all the sum of $3,780.47, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates, as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

Lot Five (5) of Section Six (8), and Lot One (1) of Section Seven (7), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Forty-two (42), containing 89.39 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 3rd day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated November 20th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest. H. H. Flowers, Secretary.
(Department Seal)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
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Graf Will Radio Arctic Pictures.

Friedrichshafen, Germany—When the dirigible Graf Zeppelin takes off for the north pole next spring, she will be equipped with a special radio apparatus for transmitting pictures by wireless. Even while the giant airship is speeding over the limitless white wastes of the Arctic, newspaper readers will be able to follow the flight in pictures as well as in words.

'Daddy' Browning Faces $25,000 Suit.

New York—Edward W. (Daddy) Browning, wealthy realtor, was faced by the prospect of a $25,000 damage suit today in behalf of 14-year-old Helen Wice, who, it is alleged, was crippled when shoved through a plate glass window at Browning's "Christmas party" here last year.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the Payment of the Sum of Four Hundred Thirty-Eight and 50-100 ($438.50) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest thereon to date of this Notice, all of which is claimed to be due, and is due at the date of this notice, under and pursuant to the Terms of that certain Mortgage, made, executed and delivered by Petrea Anderson, a widow, Mortgagor, to William K. Hoefer, Mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of July 1929, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of July 1929, at 8 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Book 79 of Mortgages, on page 494 thereof,

AND WHEREAS, by Reason of said Default, the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative, and No Action or Proceeding having been instituted in Law, or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any Part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by Virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11) in Block Three (3) in Zeh's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Plat or Map thereof now on file and of Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota,

together with the Hereditaments and Appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 25th day of January 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash, to pay said Debt of $438.50, together with Interest to the date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and Fifty Dollars Attorney Fee as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursments allowed by Law, subject to Redemption at any time within one Year from the day of Sale, as provided by Law.

Dated this 11th day of December 1929.

William K. Hoefer,
Mortgagee

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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Local Patriotism

"Local patriotism" is a belief that there are more good lookers right in the Five-and-Ten on Main street than in any so-called international congress of beauties.—Detroit News.

THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Clara church at 10:30 A. M.

Services New Year Day in local church at 10:30 A. M.

PLAYER-PIANO IN THIS LOCALITY FOR SALE CHEAP

For a small balance of $240, still due on a contract, will sell a fine high-grade $700 Baldwin made medium size player-piano in perfect playing condition, less than a year old with 50 rolls and bench, rather than box and ship it back to Minneapolis.

Will accept $10.00 monthly payments from responsible party.

For particulars write

COLLECTION DEPT.
12 So. Eight Street,
MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

Engine's Wild Journey

There have been few more spectacular railway runs than that made by a great locomotive stolen two years ago by thieves from the Volksrust (Transvaal) engine sheds and driven by them fifty miles to Standerton. There they reversed it, opened the throttle, and jumped clear. The deserted engine [illegible] at forty miles an hour. Right back to the sheds it stuck to the track. Then it smashed into some wagons and was wrecked.

Uncle Eben

"De hard part 'bouta p'litical argument," said Uncle Eben, "is dat two people is liable to get mixed up tryin' to 'splain somethin' dat never was fully 'splained to either of 'em."—Washington Star.

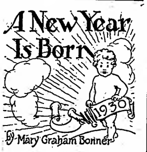
WISHES for the New Year

By Edgar Daniel Kramer

I PRAY the New Year bring you joyousness,
As you go faring in the traveled way;
I pray that kindly Beauty lean to bless
The labors that you do from day to day.
And I would have the stars gleam through the dusk,
When all the world is mystically stilled,
To light you to a garden, sweet with musk,
Where you will find your long-sought dreams fulfilled.
But, if you must know tears and sorrowing,
If you must taste the bitterness of rue,
Lo, I would have you strong enough to sing
The while you bravely shape your dreams anew,
In spite of anguish and the cruel rod,
Out of your heart's high hopes and faith in God!

—The Farmer's Wife

A New Year Is Born



By Mary Graham Bonner

ALL was very quiet. In houses there may have been some sounds of revelry, but little of it reached the streets. The streets were silent, dark, largely deserted.

Along the side of the town the river flowed silently. Ferry boats, tug boats, other water craft moved along quietly. The swish of the waters made by the moving boats reached but little distance away. The whole world seemed very quiet, very subdued as though night had almost put it to sleep, only scattering a few of its dreams, its twinkling, melodious dreams here and there.

All of a sudden there was a stir. The world seemed to have shifted its position, to be waking up—now it appears wide awake.

Now it was thoroughly awake. No longer were the streets dark and quiet. No longer did the sounds come faintly from the houses. No longer did the boats, the ferry boats, the tug boats, the other water craft move so silently. All let themselves be heard.

People along the streets cheered, blew horns, smiled at strangers, shouted greetings to each other. The sounds from houses grew intensified. Music grew louder, gayer, merrier, happier. Whistles and sirens and bells from the river craft blew and shrieked and shrilly cheered.

Every one and everything now wanted to be articulate, to add to the sound of welcome, to add to the world's good wishes to the world.

In a moment it had happened. Just so little time before the world had been trudging along somewhat wearily, somewhat hopefully, keeping its longings, its secrets, its ambitions, its better intentions deeply to itself. It had been shy just a few moments before. It had been inarticulate keeping things to itself.

It had regarded strangers as strangers. It had regarded itself as a stranger even unto itself.

Just so little time before the world had been feeling a little lonely. It was getting old. There was something depressing about getting old. The world knew that as well as anyone. There was something even depressing in the thought that so soon it would be adding to its age. Another year was so soon to be finished, closed.

How often the world had wanted to take others into its confidence, to tell what it thought, what it hoped, what it dreamed. But it was afraid some one would laugh at it and the world couldn't have its dreams, no matter how illusive they might be, made fun of and mocked. Yet sometimes the world wondered if others didn't feel the same way. If others might not often wish to talk but were shyly afraid.

So the world wrapped its protecting cloak of inarticulate longings about it and hid what hopes and dreams lay inside. And as the world kept so much to itself it felt the burden of its thoughts, of its disappointments, of its dreams that never had come true. So the world felt old, so the world had dreaded a little, young, brisk, gay, fresh, spontaneous, tireless, untrammeled New Year.

But now, in a moment, all that had changed. In just a little small seemingly insignificant moment the world had become gay, lighthearted, happy.

Now the world's shy cloak had been thrown aside. Now the world was frank, joyous, open-hearted, jubilant. Now the world completely forgot that so short a time ago it had been feeling old and weary. For the New Year had brought in its little, young, affectionate fists vitality and brain-swept freedom and joy.

The little New Year had been so disarming, so candid. It had not realized that there was shyness and inarticulation and age in the world. So if a bright little New Year didn't see these things in the world, the world almost felt certain they were but weary figments of an imagination grown a little old.

And so the world shouted. It couldn't yell loud enough. It couldn't look upon others with more affection, admiration and gladness if it had tried.

And in the town and along the river and in other towns and along other rivers, across prairies where lights gleamed only here and there, in large cities everywhere the world was feeling very happy. All over the great expanse through which the world wandered and rotated there was a new beginning—a new start, a gorgeous new collection of dreams that would surely come true.

In a moment it had happened. A new year had been born. It is no small event in world circles.

A Happy, Happy New Year!

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Scotch New Year's Bun

A famous Scotch bun made entirely of egg and chopped fruit enclosed in a crust appears bountifully during New Year week.

New Year and Old

By Laura Simmons in Montreal Herald

OH, NEW YEAR—Leave the olden joys to me!
The sturdy faiths, the shining loyalty,
Of friends the long and searching years have proved—
The glowing hearth fires and the books I loved!
All wonted kindnesses and welcoming—
All sure, hard trodden paths to which I cling!
With all the strange new blessedness you bring,
Leave me the ways that were my comforting!

New Year Is a Good Time to Take Stock

THE New Year is a good time to take stock of our possessions, not only in a material sense, but also with regard to the many things, tangible and intangible, that we all enjoy. One of the greatest tragedies in life is the bitterness of awakening too late to the happiness that was ours. Very frequently, because human nature is such as it is, we get into a habit of complaining about trifles, of dissatisfaction with our lot, contrasting it with that of some neighbor or friend, with results that are far from pleasing. Yet, if we make a true listing of all that we own, we might often find that we are much richer and better off than the one we are envying. The most precious things we possess are often those we are scarcely aware of; we take them so much for granted that sometimes only their sudden taking away awakes us to their true value. A careful and thorough inventory at New Year's would surely help us to a greater enjoyment and a deeper appreciation of the things that we possess.—Katherine Edelman.

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THE NEW YEAR HAS COME

THE Old Year has gone and a New Year comes.

Let us forget the old and mourn not; for a New Year, like a new day, unfolds infinite possibilities.

The old year brought to each of us joy, sorrow, happiness, disappointments, opportunity, but it can never return.

Health or business may have failed, or our dreams have been shattered; but that is past. They are the things of yesteryear.

The New Year will give to us joy, happiness, success, if we but will.

Health and strength may be ours if we abuse not the machine which has served us well.

Our dreams and our visions may become realities if we go forward, not timidly, but boldly seize the chance which lies just beyond.

Let us forget the clouds! Let us laugh and sing as we go forward! Let us advance confidently!

The New Year invites us to partake of the good things of life.

Let us enter!—Florence Harris Wells.

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New Year Song

Our Old Year goes, and let him go!
A New Year comes. We hardly know
The change, so peaceful and so slow,
And unsought, too; but be it so!

The Old Year hears the rusty leaf,
The Old Year carries all the grief;
The New Year brings us all relief,
And bears the blossom and the sheaf.

Our New Year comes! And let him give
Us purer thought by which to live,
And greater courage in our strife
And higher purposes in life.

—Farm and Fireside.

A New Happy Year

By Clara Agee Hays

MISS HELEN BROWN turned her back upon her freshman history girls to hide those awful surface tears which would show just when one tried to smile and say, "Happy New Year!" Happy New Year! Soon these young things would learn, too, that the newness of a year was—bunk. Nothing was new but illusion. Life was old and weary and humdrum.

"Brownie's got a grouch!" signaled June Wells who sat in the front row.

The girls opened their books uneasily. Miss Brown faced them.

"I've decided to give you a test."

The girls wriggled in hopeless desperation. Brownie did have a grouch! Just when they had to have school on New Year's day, too!

Writing the questions Miss Brown felt old. Maybe she hadn't a gray hair, maybe she wasn't thirty yet but—again she saw that letter:

"I've thought it over, Helen, and I feel like a cad saying it, but I'm convinced that our engagement was a sad mistake. . . ."

Her tall, boyish Jim! . . . "Our engagement was a mistake!" Her life broken—like that! He who always said she was too beautiful, too good for him! Probably he'd found somebody younger—one of these college girls or—

"What caused the misunderstanding between France and England?" her chalk wrote viciously.

Those steady gray eyes of Jim's . . . He was her's! "Our engagement a sad mistake!"

The girls were glaring. A test on a day which should have been vacation! Miss Brown went to answer a knock. ". . . a mistake, our engagement. . . ."

"Helen!"

Miss Brown stared at the tall figure before her. Quickly she stepped into the hall and closed the door.

"Helen, you darling!" Jim was breathing. "If you only knew! That letter! I thought I'd lost every cent. Couldn't ask you to take me—like that. Lord! What it cost me to write it! But, I haven't and—"

When Miss Brown returned to the room she smiled.

"Let's put away our work, girls," she beamed, "and have a little New Year's program. For the New Year is the time to be happy. Everything, then, is fresh and new and—joyous!"

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The Thief of Hearts, but He Was Arrested

SEATED in the comfortable Raston living room, with Lois Raston bewitchingly beautiful, and the elder Rastons seeing the Old Year out at the village church, William Field determined to make his great plunge.

"Lois," he breathed, his lips caressing her name, "I have come to beg a New Year's gift. Will you make it?"

"All depends," returned the practical young woman. "All depends what you're asking."

"I'm asking your heart, Lois," he blurted, amazed at his temerity. "Asking your heart, all for myself."

In the firelight her smile seemed kind, but sad. "I'm sorry, Bill," she murmured, "but I can't give you my heart. You see—well—it isn't mine to give. It was stolen weeks ago."

So his misgivings were confirmed. He took the blow, he hoped, manfully.

"I'm sorry, Lois," he said, rising. "We will always be friends." One moment their hands met.

He had reached the gate before he was arrested by her voice crying, "Stop thief!"—Robert Stead.

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A New Year's Homecoming

By Katherine Edelman

NEW YEAR'S eve and all the little town of Ashton astir and alight! Sounds of laughter and good cheer floated out upon the night and everywhere there was evidence of the hearty good will and fellowship that prevails at this season.

A full moon was lending its charm to the beauty of the night, throwing a soft and silvery radiance on the snow-covered earth. It was one of those nights when Nature seems to almost outdo herself in the lavishness of the beauty that she dispenses.

Ashton had particular cause for happiness this evening. For, in addition to the joy of the New Year holiday, a big celebration was taking place in the town hall to welcome home the town's most distinguished man, Warren Denham.

One home in particular held a very excited person. Marion York found it hard to keep up a semblance of calm. She was fearful lest the loud beating of her heart would betray her feelings to those around her. Over and over again she told herself that she was foolish, that she meant nothing to Warren Denham, that probably the silly vows they had exchanged in childhood were forgotten by him long ago.

She felt that the wisest plan would be for her to stay away from the celebrations; not to risk the pain of the old longings and desires that the sight of him would be sure to arouse.

But the urge to see him again was too strong, and now she was standing before the mirror, giving a last critical glance at herself before departing for the hall. She had let the rest of the family go on ahead, as she felt that she wanted to go alone.

It was over ten years since she had last seen Warren Denham. During that time he had gone out into the world and made his name famous, while she remained at home, living the quiet, uneventful life of the little town. He was now a famous engineer, who had brought to a successful completion one of the most difficult engineering feats that had ever been accomplished in western Africa. She had remained a nobody. It was unlikely that he would feel the slightest interest in her.

Once Marian had hopes that things would be different; she had felt that Warren Denham loved her. But he had gone away from the little town without saying a word, had given up their happy comradeship without an apparent regret. And there was little to give her hope in the silence of the ten years that had elapsed since he had gone to Africa. He had written to her occasionally before that time, friendly, interesting letters that might or might not mean anything.

Nine o'clock found the hall packed with a happy, expectant crowd. It was going to be late when the train reached Ashton, and they wanted Warren Denham to see all of the big program that had been planned for him. They felt that the town should be particularly proud of the honor he was paying them in coming so soon after his landing, and were leaving nothing undone to show their gratitude.

A great cheer went up from the crowd when the big moment came and Warren Denham stood before them. The slender, dark-haired man smiled repeatedly as cries of welcome came from every corner of the hall. Then he spoke, quietly and easily, as one of their own might speak to them:

"Friends," he said, "I am very happy to be with you tonight. This is a moment that I have looked forward to for a long time. During all my wanderings the thought of the day I would come home has been with me. But you have made it even happier than I had anticipated." His voice almost broke for a moment, then he went on:

"It was the thought of your faith and trust in me that often lent me strength—that made me want to do my level best. I owe you far more than you owe me. And I am proud and happy to be back."

It was nearing midnight when the program was over; then the crowd surged up to shake Warren Denham's hand. But Marian York stole quietly away. She felt it was better to do this. More than ever now she seemed to realize the great gulf that lay between her and Warren Denham. She must not allow herself to see him; it would entail too much after-suffering to see the indifference in his eyes.

With quick steps she walked up the deserted street. "Oh, why had he come back, to revive all those memories she had tried so hard to stifle? Life was going to be harder and lonelier for her than ever now! If only he had stayed away!"

Suddenly she woke to the consciousness that she was being followed; footsteps were gaining on her at every moment. Her heart began to pound. There was something about the footsteps that seemed to be familiar. Again she told herself that she was foolish; that it was probably some one who was in a hurry to get home.

Now, the hurrying one had caught up with her and a voice spoke—a dear and well-remembered voice out of the past: "Why—why are you rushing away, Marian? I thought you would be one of the first to welcome me."

"Why—Why Are You Rushing Away, Marian?"

Confused and stammering, Marian stood before Warren Denham. "I—I thought there were so many others," she said. "I—I did not think that you would miss me. Things are different now, Warren."

"Not miss you, Marian!" Warren Denham's voice held tenderness and emotion. "Why, Marian, all the things I said in the hall tonight were meant for you. I do love this little town, but—but you are really Ashton to me. I—I found out as soon as I got to Africa how much you meant to me. But my word was pledged then, and I could not come back. I felt that I must finish the job, and I couldn't ask you to come there. But all the time I kept hoping that you would wait for me.

"Marian, tell me now if the old promise of our childhood still stands good. Will you marry me?"

As Marian gave him her answer the joyous bells rang out the happy message that another New Year was born. While the strains of rejoicing were wafted over the snow-covered ways, two hearts sang with joy for the happiness that the New Year had brought them.

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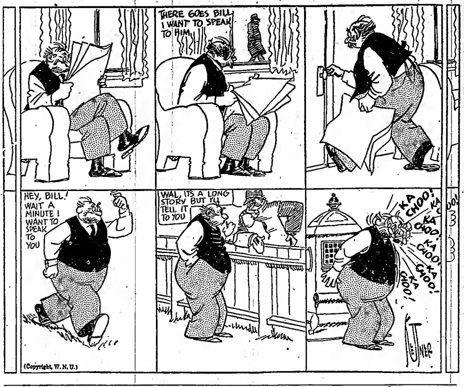
Longest and Shortest Day

There has been some discussion as to which is really the shortest day of the year. It is agreed, however, that the longest day for some folks is the second day in the life of a New Year resolution.

OUR COMIC SECTION

Our Pet Peeve



FINNEY OF THE FORCE No. Mrs. Smith Amnesia Is a Disease

THE FEATHERHEADS Sentimental Fanny

Community Building

Town's Business Areas Recognized as Problem

The multiplicity of stores, many of which are not needed and sooner or later join the ranks of the business failnre whose demise is marked by the "to let" sign, is one of the problems with which, according to the civic development department of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, many cities are now struggling. It arises as a phase of zoning.

"In several cities," says the chamber, "zoning authorities are studying this problem and coming to tentative conclusions as to how large a proportion of the street frontage in a given area should he allocated to business. The problem is the same as that of the retailers, wholesalers and manufacturers who are concerned over ignorant competition and business failures. But the different angle from which it is approached should provide a valuable means of checking results.

"In one large city of the Northwest, for example, it is believed that subbusiness centers, outside the downtown area, should have not more than 2 per cent of the street frontage of a given area. Studies made in the Los Angeles metropolitan district indicate that retail business will occupy only about 5 per cent of an area, though from 11 to 18 per cent has been allocated to it by the zoning regulations.

"The basic question is, of course, how many families it takes to support a store. The answer, naturally, varies with the kind of store."—Today's Business.

Home Ownership Stirs Pride of Possession

"Home ownership vs. rent is not an argument," says a bulletin of the home builders and subdividers division of the Cleveland Real Estate board. "The money difference is not a fair basis on which to approach the subject or to arrive at a decision. Possession brings pride, and pride is the mother of many virtues—morals, thrift, discipline, self-respect and, in the end, freedom.

"A man or woman experiences a sense of freedom in the ownership of a home that nothing else gives. And freedom is the base and the structure of progress.

"Home ownership correctly means erecting a home when some effort—some sacrifice—has been made to acquire land on which to build and then building on the land, the two representing a value. To do this inspires desire, and it is desire that builds first the individual, then the family, and finally the nation."

Consider Human Element

If you invite a group of contractors to bid on your house and they all submit proposals, based upon the same plans and specifications, it is customary to let the contract to the lowest bidder. If, however, quite a number of contractors ask the privilege of estimating on your house, it is not necessary to follow this custom. In fact, a well-prepared set of specifications includes the following clause: "The owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids." Contractors and builders understand that the lowest bidder may not be the one elected to erect the home. It may be worth while to let the work to the highest bidder even though the cost is somewhat increased. The human element that enters into home building is so important that you should not permit a few dollars to stand in the way of assuring your home being honestly built.—Chicago Daily News.

Home Owners Make City

The growth of a city is dependent to a large extent upon the stability of its citizenship. In this respect Cleveland's future is assured because of its high standing among other American cities in the percentage of homes owned by their occupants.

Home owning is a factor of paramount importance in the civic, social and commercial progress of a city. It makes for a more intelligent and a more substantial citizenry. It means greater loyalty and therefore better government. In the end it means more prosperity and more contentment of the masses.—Jacob Haller, County Savings and Loan league, Cleveland.

Evergreens and Landscape

Whether you are planning to complete the building of your new home in the early spring or in the late fall, the large family of so-called evergreen trees will, indeed, fill a very large place in the border planting. With the taller varieties of trees unsightly objects can be screened, even large buildings. With the small or dwarf species the ground may be covered in sunlight or in shade, or the front elevation of the house or porch given a setting of beauty and permanence.

Consider Hedge Planting

Too often the hedge is thought of only as a barrier—a living substitute for a fence. But while a hedge serves for this purpose so admirably, its usefulness as an element in design and an ornamental addition in the planting scheme is not fully appreciated. Most every home grounds present opportunity for the use of hedge planting which will increase the beauty and effectiveness of the planting scheme.

HAYSTACK IS FUNERAL PYRE FOR 3 BODIES

Man Slays Wife and Two Daughters, Then Takes Own Life.

Tisdale, Sask.—Slaying his wife and two daughters in his farm home, 34 miles south of here, Laurien Bereum of Algrave, Sask., dragged their bodies to a nearby haystack, fired the funeral pyre, then walked into a nearby woods and ended his own life with a gun. The charred remains of three murder victims were discovered by two men whose identity is unknown. Bereum's body was discovered hours later.

The two daughters were thirteen and nineteen years old.

Reconstructing the crime, royal mounted police believe that Bereum in a fit of madness killed his wife and two daughters in their farm home, then dragged the bodies to the haystack and set it afire in a mad attempt to hide traces of his crime.

Note Tells of Murders.

In the Bereum farm home police found a note written by the slayer in Norwegian to his son. Translated, it read:

"This deed was done at 10:30 a. m. Sunday. You have always been a

Set It Afire.

good boy and now I hope you will forgive me, as it had to be done.

"I am leaving you $40 in cash and $40 in the bank at Rose Valley. Do not come up here. Farewell."

Another note, unaddressed, containing virtually the same words, also was found in the house.

Find Blood-Stained Weapons.

In the kitchen of the home, police found a blood-stained cane. Blood was spattered over the kitchen floor, mute evidence of the tragedy that had taken place three hours before.

Two men whose names have not been learned discovered the charred bodies in the funeral pyre and notified neighbors, who in turn notified royal mounted police.

A coal oil can was found near the bodies.

Bereum's body, a bullet through his head, was found in the bushes some hours later.

Deer Invites Death; Drops in on Rancher

Loveland, Colo.—A real hunter doesn't have to hunt his deer—they come to him.

So said F. A. Neville, Loveland pioneer, as he stepped out of his ranch home in the Big Thompson canon, ten miles west of Loveland, and killed the first deer of the 1929 season here.

Neville started for the barn to saddle horses for his hunting party when a two-pointed buck jumped over the barnyard fence and stopped a few feet in front of him.

The rest of the story is quickly told. Neville fired, and had the deer strung up in front of the barn door when the rest of the party came to the ranch to start their hunt.

It is thought the deer had been in the alfalfa field, back of the barn, overnight, and was coming down past the house for water in the Big Thompson river. Deer in herds of from 50 to 100 are often seen in the fall of the year on the Neville ranch.

Neville is one of the earliest pioneers in this district. He shot deer in the years before there were seasonal restrictions, and for the last ten years has always brought home the first buck shot in the season.

Jailed for Throwing Wife's Dog Out Window

New York.—James Larkin, of 8 Beach Sixty-second street, Arverne, Queens, was sentenced in Far Rockaway police court to five days in jail for cruelty to animals in throwing a dog belonging to his wife out a second story window of their home.

She said that Larkin didn't like the dog, ordered it out of the house Sunday morning and, when the dog returned, opened the window and threw it out. She had to get a policeman to shoot the suffering animal, she said. Magistrate Gresser asked Larkin why he had done such a thing.

"It was," said Larkin, with an air of detachment, "a question of perspective; a conflict of words; agitation of thought and passion."

Movement in Poland to Change Unseemly Names

A Polish parliamentary deputy belonging to one of the peasant parties wishes to introduce a law to facilitate and cheapen the changing of surnames. Many peasants' surnames have crystalized out of mocking nicknames conferred by neighbors. There are on record "Paunch," "Leprosy," "Scurf" and many others still less complimentary. Jews are often in a worse plight than peasants. Until the end of the Eighteenth century they bore patronymics such as "Abraham; son of Jacob."

The police of the three powers that partitioned Poland insisted that they should all take surnames. Either in an attempt to extort bribes or else to amuse themselves they often inflicted the most ridiculous and unseemly names on the unfortunate Jews. "Tonweight," "Abdominal Ulcer" and "Berlin Blue" are among those recorded.

Some such surnames have so grossly indecent a meaning that they could not be translated in the pages of a respectable paper. Some of the Jews, who only understood Yiddish, did not know what their Russian names meant. Thousands of them have changed their names since the war.—Exchange.

Old Engine Superannuated

An old hauling engine at Seaham docks once used for drawing wagons by a wire rope up an incline, has been dismantled. The engine was of the beam type and on the beam is the date of 1825. The docks were begun in 1828 and tradition says that before being set up at Seaham the engine did duty at a colliery in the west of the country. It worked regularly up to the war period. Very ponderous in character, the engine had a fly wheel 20 feet in diameter and a large upright cylinder.—London Mail.

Not a Real Star

"Well, I finally got into the movies."
"You really did! How?"
"Oh, I paid the usual 50 cents."

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THE DESERT MOON MYSTERY

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SYNOPSIS

Sam Stanley, wealthy owner of the Desert Moon ranch, informs his housekeeper, Mary Magin, that his former wife's twin daughters, Danielle and Gabrielle, are coming to the ranch to live, their mother being dead and their father, Daniel Cannezlano, who had been the cause of Sam's divorcing his wife, in the penitentiary. Sam's adopted boy, John, has grown to manhood, and a girl, Martha, weak-minded. Mrs. Ollie Ricker, Martha's nurse, Hubert Hand and Chadwick Canfield are the other members of the household. The girls arrive. John becomes engaged to Danielle. Gabrielle seeks to win John from her sister, and her actions when she receives a letter from France mystify Mrs. Magin. Sam learns Cannezlano is soon to be released from the penitentiary. Mrs. Magin finds Gabrielle, choked to death, with tobacco ashes beside her. She realizes that the ashes must be from Sam's pipe, he being the only pipe smoker, and conceals them before calling the household. Caufield commits suicide. The coroner's verdict is murder and suicide. Sam finds a note left by Caufield confessing he killed Gabrielle, but the rancher proves he could not have done it, and the entire household is under suspicion.

CHAPTER IX—Continued

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"I milked four cows. And I will swear that you were in the barn the entire time. Anyway, that is easy settled. Mary, did I, or did anyone of the three of us, come through the kitchen and go upstairs during that hour?"

"No," I answered.

"Mrs. Ricker," Hubert Hand questioned, "did any one of us men come in, and go upstairs through the living room, during that hour?"

"No," she said.

"Mrs. Ricker," Sam asked, "were you right there, alone, in the living room during that entire hour?"

"I was not alone. Martha was with me. And, several times during the hour, five or six times at least, Danny came in from the dining room to see whether she could see John coming up the road."

"Danny," Sam spoke to her, "were Mrs. Ricker and Martha in the living room every time you went in there?"

"I—think so."

"Only think so, eh?" Hubert Hand half sneered it.

"I mean," Danny explained, "that I am sure Mrs. Ricker was here. I did not particularly notice Martha."

"I can vouch for Martha," Mrs. Ricker snapped.

"All right," Hubert Hand went on, "so far, so good. The ladies, I think, especially if you remember the glass doors between the living room and the dining room, have established alibis that would satisfy any jury.

"Now for you and Chad and me, again. We walked together, carrying the milk, to the dairy. There we took off the barn coveralls, and, at your suggestion, washed up in the dairy kitchen to save time. We came back to the house together. Mary said that supper was on the table. We all sat down to the table together. All present, you see, except John.

"Would it have been possible for you, or for me, or for Chad, to have gone down to the barn (you and I each milked four cows, remember), come back to the house and through it, with not one of these ladies seeing us, committed the murder, got back to the barn, and then to the house again, all in an hour? I think, Sam, the wisest thing you can do, is to grant us all our alibis for that hour, anyway, and then work on from there, if you're bound to."

"The alibi hour sounds fine, Hand," Sam said, "but you are making a mistake. You are assuming that I think that someone here committed the murder. I don't think that. I do think that someone in this room, right now, knows who did it. Where any one of us was, or was not, at the particular hour you're making such a stew about, probably doesn't cut any ice."

"I think it does. I told you I didn't have any proofs, didn't I, when you made me talk? But I have got some pretty solid bases for my suspicions. John decided, all of a sudden, to go to Rattail for the mail—or something. He was gone four hours instead of the two—two and a half, anyway—that he could have made it in. He had two bum excuses. First, tire trouble. Two hours is a long time to change tires. The second excuse was that he had met Leo Saule and had given him a tow. Saule is a rotten little half-breed, who could be bought for a half dollar. Also, he lives alone, away off the main road—"

John jumped to his feet. "Get this, Hand—"

Sam had jumped too. He got to John and put his hands on his shoulders. "Keep your shirt on, son. I am to blame for this. Your turn is coming. Wait for it. Go on, Hand."

John hesitated, and sat down again. Sam went back to his chair by the table.

"Sorry," Hubert Hand apologized, "I don't like this a d—n bit better than John does; but it seems to be up to me. Well, then, he came in two hours late. He came through the kitchen; and, instead of leaving the car in the garage, he left it in the back entrance. He went straight upstairs. It took him half an hour, or more, to get shaved and change his clothes. When he came down he acted like a man in a daze. He couldn't eat. He offered being out in the sun as an excuse. He is out in the sun every day.

"I think that he had met Gaby, as they had planned, right after dinner when he started for Rattail. Maybe she had promised him to leave the place. He was crazy to get her off the ranch. I know that. He told me so, just the other day—said she was making trouble here, and so on. She may have had something on him, that she was threatening to tell Danny, or Sam. I don't know about that, either. I don't know a d—n thing about whatever they might have had between them. But I think that he killed her, out on the desert some place.

"I don't know why he brought her body back and hid it in the house. He may have been afraid of footprints in the road, or on the desert, if he carried the body away and tried to hide it out there. He didn't know that the storm was coming, to cover up his tracks. I think, though, that it was pure funk that made him come driving home with the body hidden in the car—covered with the sacks of rock salt.

"I didn't like to think that it was Danny who helped him out, after that. It didn't seem like her. I couldn't think of anyone else, though, who would help him. In the last few minutes, I've managed to think of someone else. It is a lucky thing for John. You are a d—n sight stronger ally, Sam, than Danny or any one else would have been. For instance—this present magnificent bluff of yours."

"All right," Sam said. "All through?"

"I'm satisfied, if you are," Hubert Hand answered.

"I'm not," Sam drawled. "Because, like the caterpillar said, 'It's all wrong from beginning to end.' It is a queer thing, though, the way quotations always come to me. Most of the time you were talking, Hand, I kept thinking of this one: 'Give a guilty man enough rope and he will hang himself.'"

Sam told John it was his turn to talk.

"I don't know where to begin," John said. "I've got nothing to talk about."

"Begin at the beginning. What did Gaby say to you, after dinner, that made you decide, right off, to go to Rattail?"

"I've told you that already. I've got no changes to make in it. Gaby told me, after dinner, that Danny's headache was getting worse. She said that Danny had sent to Salt Lake for a certain kind of headache medicine, the only kind that ever did her any good. She said it should have come in the morning's mail. She said that Danny would be peeved at her for telling me about it—asking me to go, that is. So, if I didn't want a fuss, and wanted to be allowed to go, I'd better make a sneak of it, with no explanations. I did. Here is something I haven't told, though, for Danny just told me, when we came in here at three. She hadn't sent for any headache medicine to Salt Lake, nor anywhere. That certainly looks as if Gaby wanted to get either me, or the sedan, off the job and out of the way, yesterday afternoon. She must have had some reason for sending me on a fool's errand like that."

"Did anyone see you towing Saule to his place?"

"Not that I know of. I towed him all right; but I can't prove it. Hand was right when he said he could be bought for a half dollar. He might come cheaper. I'd try him with a quarter, first, Hand."

"Son," Sam said, "I don't blame you a d—n bit for being sore clear to the bone. But, come to that, we haven't any right to blame Hand, here, either; not if he is honest in his suspicions, and, maybe, he is. I forced them out of him. Can't you swallow your pride, for a while, and—"

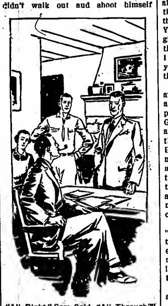
"I've swallowed it already," John said, "if that's what you want. Swallowed it till I'm choked with it."

"I know, I know. But it is like this John—and this goes for all you folks, too—a person can't get to the bottom of anything without going down. In this case, it looks like we were going to have to go pretty low down—a trip to h—l for most of us, I reckon. But it will be a round trip. Most of us will come up clean, to a clean Desert Moon. Can't we go down, then, like a lot of reasonable human beings, and not like a kennel of yapping dogs?"

"It won't hold, dad," John answered. "Not this round trip to h—l stuff, as human beings. If I hadn't stopped being a human being, that is, a man, I wouldn't have sat still here and let Hand have his say out. And I wouldn't have done it, not to save my own neck. But I know how you feel about the ranch. I've gone through with it for that reason, and—for Danny, though I know that all of this is a rotten mistake on your part. I know that; but it is no use telling you, now that you've started. I'll go on with it, the best I can. I guess the others will, too. Hop to it, dad. What's your next question?"

Sam asked, "Do you suspect, with reason, anyone in this room?"

"I do not." John answered Sam's question, straight. "But it seems darn queer to me the way everyone is leaving Chad's suicide out of this. Hold on, dad! I'm not saying that I think Chad killed her. I know he didn't. But I know just as well, that he didn't walk out and shoot himself



"All, Right," Sam Said, "All Through?"

simply because he had loved Gaby. Chad was a queer bird, all right. I guess none of us understood him very well. He was as emotional as the deuce, too—I'll grant that. But he was not, ever, a d—n fool.

"It is like this. Regular fellows, and Chad sure was one, don't walk out and kill themselves, when they find the girl they love is dead. It takes more than death to make a real man kill himself. No sir. I tell you Chad did not shoot himself because Gaby was dead. Sure, that was a part of it; but not the main part.

"Chad was a darn good guy. Good all the way through. We all know that he didn't kill her. We'd know it, if dad didn't have his alibis for him. But what I'm getting at is that, someway or other, and not meaning to at all, he got himself mixed up in it. When he saw what had happened, and realized that he had been involved— There's your reason, all right. I think that, if we can find out why Chad shot himself, we'll find out most of the other things we want to know. I'm through, dad. I've said all I've got to say, and more too."

Sam hesitated a minute. I was relieved to see him take Chad's note out of his pocket. "Chad says that he killed her," he said, and read the note aloud. Everyone but me, to whom it was no surprise, showed their horrified astonishment.

John spoke first. "I'll bet four dollars he never wrote it."

Sam passed the paper to him. "It looks like his writing. It sounds like him, too. I wish there was an expert of some kind that we could send it to, to find out why he wrote it."

"Uncle Sam," Danny said, and I could see that the note had upset her pretty badly, "there is something no one has thought of. We haven't had time to think. But, where was Chad during the hour we were hunting for Gaby?"

"I reckon," Sam spoke real gently to her, "that we have all had time to do some tall thinking about that hour, little girl. But there couldn't be any doubt that Gaby had been dead a sight longer than an hour, when we found her."

"But can you know that, for a certainty?" Danny insisted.

"Just as certain as I know that she was dead, Danny. I— Well, in the early days here— Never mind that, though. I've had experience with deaths, kind of on that order. I know. The coroner and the sheriff knew. But, she might have been brought into the house during that hour. Hand let loose on his alibi business a little too early—"

"I'm no fool," Hubert Hand interrupted. "You admit that she could not have been murdered during the hour between six and seven. Every one of us, except John, can account for every minute of our time from four o'clock, when we saw Gaby alive, up to seven."

"All right. All right," Sam said. "Have it your own way. But you've had your say, and plenty of time to say it in. You'll maybe have another turn later. Now, keep still. We are going to hear from the others.

"It is your turn next, Danny. I'm sorry. You understand, we haven't any time to lose. Take it easy, though. Do you suspect, with reason, anyone in this room of being connected with the murder?"

"I think," Danny said, "that Chad did it. Uncle Sam, listen. You spoke about clearing everyone's name, and about the honor of the Desert Moon. Chad's confession does that—does all of it. Why not let well enough alone?"

My own words; but I had not expected to hear them from Danny. The only reason for them seemed to be that Hubert Hand had frightened her with his case against John. Was she the sort of girl who would keep on loving John, and marry him, if she thought that he had killed her sister? I did not believe it.

Sam said, "Somebody else suggested that today, Danny. I told them that there was no question of well enough while the man who had murdered your sister was going about alive, and while his helper was keeping his secret on the Desert Moon."

"You said that?" Danny questioned, and gave us all another severe shock by accenting the pronoun.

"I said that, yes." Sam showed signs of rising dander. "And I thought that you, if anyone, more than anyone, would agree with me. You're going to be a good, sensible girl, now, and answer a few questions I want to ask you. First thing I want to know is, what was it that you girls were hunting for, all the time, here on the ranch?"

"We had been told," Danny answered, "that there was a very large sum of money hidden here on this place. We came to get it. That is—Gaby did. I cared much more about staying here, and keeping Gaby here, than I cared about finding the money. Really, I—I hoped not to find the money. There was no money here, as it turned out. That is—if Gaby told me the truth about anything. I thought that she did. But now—she spoke of keeping fear and dread from me, in her last note to me. I— I can't talk of this, today!"

"See here, dad," John spoke up. "Danny isn't fit to go through with this today. I think she has told me everything she has to tell. She told me most of it this morning. I've got it straight. How about allowing me to go on with it?"

"Do you think any of it might have a bearing on the murder?"

"Yes, I think it might."

Sam banged on the table with his fist. "By G—d," he roared, "what kind of people have I got to deal with? Not five minutes ago, you sat right there and swore that you had told everything you know. Couldn't even begin. Couldn't think of a thing to say. No suspicion. No hints of any kind, except a slur at a dead boy. Now you come out with this. By the Lord, Hand, you may be a better man than I think you are—"

Danny's voice cut in like scissors slithering through taffeta silk. "Be careful, there," she said. I remembered the way she had brushed the beaded bag. Something cold went trailing down my backbone. It was time, and past, I thought, for me to take a hand.

"Sam," I said, "what's become of all your fine talk about us not acting like yelping dogs, and swallowing our pride, and helping out, and so on? If you think the fact that John wouldn't betray Danny's confidence to satisfy a crazy whim of yours makes him out a murderer, you've got less sense at sixty-five than you had when you were born. The best thing you can do, is to follow your advice to me, and be quiet. John's ready to talk now, if you'll keep still and give him half a chance."

The strongest man will drop before a good, strong volley of woman's words, the same as he would before a shooting squad.

"Go on, John," I said, seeing that Sam had dropped, and wanting John to get a start before Sam had time to pick himself up, and dust off, and ask Danny what she had meant by hissing at him to be careful.

"Shall I, Danny?" John asked. She nodded.

"It isn't any too pleasant, even for me," John began, "but the straight of it is, that while Danny, for years, was a companion to a lady in England, Gaby was running around over Europe with a darned rotten lot of associates. On the face of things, she was an actress; leading lady with a company that traveled all over the country—over several countries—giving plays. That seemed to be mostly a blind, though, for her real occupation, which was leading lady with a crew of blackmailers. Danny doesn't admit it, but I think there is no doubt but that she had a lover named Lewis Bauermont—something like that.

"About six months before Danny wrote here, the lady, whom Danny had been serving as a companion, died. It left Danny at loose ends. She had next to no money saved. Gaby wrote that she could give her a small part in her company. Danny joined her in France. She had been there a couple of weeks, when the company went on the rocks. Danny thought it was done purposely, since one of their blackmail victims was making it too hot for them.

"Gabrielle and Danny went to Switzerland. This Bauermont showed up there in a few days and hung around. He and Gaby got to quarreling all the time. Gaby, who had always had plenty of money, began to be short of funds.

"Danny was as miserable as—well, as Danny would be in a mess like that. She remembered this place, and begged Gaby to come here, and rest a while, and get rid of this Bauermont, and the other hangers-on, and get ready to make a fresh start. Gaby wouldn't listen to Danny's plan of coming here. But, once or twice, she used the idea as a threat to make this Bauermont bird come to terms. He wouldn't come. Later, Gaby began to give him some of his own blackmailing medicine. I guess he was pretty keen to get rid of her. And her having talked about the Desert Moon gave him his idea.

"He showed up one night with a letter from Cannezlano, written from San Quentin. Bauermont and Cannezlano had been pals here in the United States; and had gotten together again, three years ago, when Bauermont had been over here for six months. The letter said that he was to leave prison on the fourth of July, and wanted to know where he could meet Bauermont shortly after that date. Probably all Cannezlano wanted was to renew his old connections; but the letter was cryptic enough for Bauermont to make his story out of it.

"A cock-and-bull yarn about how he and Cannezlano had held up that Tonopah mail train, three years ago—the train that was carrying a big shipment of currency for the federal reserve bank. A hundred thousand dollars, wasn't it? We all remember it, I guess. The robbers got away. Well, this Bauermont bird told the girls that he and Cannezlano had been the robbers.

"It seems he made a pretty fair story out of it—how he and Cannezlano had decided that every bank in the country would have the number of the bills by morning, and how they'd agreed to cache them in some safe place for a rather long time. They'd thought it best, too, to part company. So Bauermont went on to Salt Lake, and Cannezlano, since we were handy, came and hid the money here on the ranch."

Sam interrupted. "Like h—l he did!"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Dunmow Flitch Traced to Ancient Ceremony

Father Ronald Knox wrote an amusing preface to the program for the Dunmow Flitch celebration, which is held annually at Ilford, England. "I have never been married," he wrote, "so I cannot tell what are the probabilities of your having deserved the flitch. I can only say that if you have deserved it, yours must be a tame sort of life, for which a whole sausage factory would not sufficiently compensate." Father Knox traces back the origin of the flitch to the ancient days of marriage by capture. "On the occasion of the wedding," he writes, "we must suppose a marriage treaty would be struck by the sacrifice of a pig. The ceremony was performed by the bridegroom, hence the custom that the bridegroom should cut the first slice of the wedding cake. Originally, no doubt, the wedding cake was an offering of meal shaped to represent a pig. The carcass of the pig became the property of the bride's father. If the wife did not prove satisfactory to her husband he would go to her father and demand to have his pig back. Originally, then, the Dunmow Flitch must have been awarded in view of unhappy, not of happy marriages."

Saved Clay Pigeons

A Richmond (Va.) sportsman returned from abroad and told of his visit to a clay pigeon shoot. Arriving at the traps he was surprised to see a great net spread above the ground at the far end of the field. Around the net stood a ring of boys. The mystery was solved with the first few shots. Nearly all the clay pigeons that the marksmen missed fell into the net unbroken. Those that missed the net were "caught on the wing" by the boys and brought back to the traps to be shot over again. The shoot was in Scotland.—Indianapolis News.

Sugar and Hot Water

I read the other day a most interesting article upon sugar and its value and how it is being appreciated more and more as a producer of energy. It appears that coaches who train athletes in universities are allowing their trainees more sugar. In coming in from a tennis match on a very hot day, I have been astonished to find how quickly one can be refreshed by a cup of hot water in which three or four lumps of sugar have been dissolved. It sounds like a dreadful combination to anyone not used to it, but its effect is felt almost instantly.—Helen Wills in the Saturday Evening Post.

Hawaiian History

The Hawaiian islands formed an independent kingdom until 1893 when the queen was deposed. In 1894 a republic was proclaimed. The legislature of the islands petitioned for annexation to the United States and by a congressional resolution of July 6, 1898, they were formally annexed on August 12, 1898. On June 14, 1900, they were constituted as the territory of Hawaii.

This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

Hard for Robots and Men
We Need Submarines
Letting Convicts Read
A New Standard Lady

Science piles prodigy on prodigy, miracle on miracle, so rapidly that it tires the average brain.

Professor Partridge, only twenty-six years old, in New York university's chemistry department, can manufacture lithium at $15 a pound. A little while ago you couldn't have got a pound for a million dollars. Lithium is a metal so light that it floats even on kerosene.

Some things that float on water, you know, will not float on kerosene.

Professor McTavish of New York university demonstrates a robot, a mechanical man, with an electric lamp in place of eyes, a radio tube in place of a brain, relays and magnets for bonds.

However, it can be shown that no robot can ever develop any new idea.

He who wishes to avoid robot competition should devote himself to developing new ideas and working them out.

From Seattle, the Pacific Aeronautic Research foundation plans, for next May, a nonstop flight across the Pacific.

Men have flown from Europe to South America, from London to India, across the Atlantic repeatedly, over the North and South poles.

The Pacific alone remains to be conquered.

And only a few years ago Lord Northcliffe offered $50,000 to any one that would fly the English channel!

The Brooklyn navy yard starts work on a new submarine, the V-7, keeping at work 725 men that would have been discharged. This encourages the people to think we may have some intelligent interest in national defense. Submarines with modern engines can go around the world without taking fuel, traveling on the surface, as they do in peace. A good fleet of really big submarines with heavy guns, knocked-down fighting planes, high speed and long sailing range would do a great deal for peace if they could be sent to visit every important port in the world.

Those well prepared have peace. The unprepared have war.

Warden Lawes of Sing Sing prison, wise man, says: "I shall let my convicts read in newspapers accounts of the outbreak in the Auburn penitentiary. There will be a good deal of buzzing when they read them. But the effect on their morale of withholding the newspapers would be worse than allowing them to see them."

That's an intelligent man. The czars might be ruling yet had they known enough to let the people know the facts.

Information and discussion supply a great safety valve.

The warden of Auburn prison, captured by convicts in rebellion, said the convicts, of whom many are dead, were made desperate by the knowledge that if they failed, they would surely go to the electric chair. In this case, at least, capital punishment did not deter men from murder.

The United States bureau of standards says the ideal woman is now "the perfect 34," not the "perfect 36" of days before the "boyish figure."

If your bust is 36, your waist should measure 31 inches, hips 39 inches.

Thirty-four bust, 28-inch waist, 37-inch hips, is the "standard lady," according to the bureau, which, however, knows nothing about it.

Abraham Lincoln's mother wasn't a "standard 34" nor was "Bertha with the big feet," mother of Charlemagne. For a cloak model, the "perfect 34" is ideal, perhaps.

For an efficient mother, which is what counts, bigger busts, bigger waists, bigger hips.

Somebody supposed to be an expert says that the United States will manufacture in 1930, 1,000,000 fewer automobiles than in 1929.

That prediction, probably mistaken, is not creditable to the people's intelligence.

Many things a family can do without, but no family, properly organized can do without a good automobile.

The country, apparently, is still doing business. "Big Steel," Wall Street's name for the United States Steel corporation, shows unfilled orders for steel tonnage increased by 33,783 tons last month.

The company has a total of unfilled orders amounting to 4,125,345 tons, which does not look much like a "panic."

"As a sheep before her shearers is dumb." That's from the Bible.

"As a lamb after its shearing is dumb" may soon be the news in Wall Street. It depends on the rapidity with which the lambs go back for another shearing.

They always do go back, which is what makes brokers' seats worth $500,000 apiece, and will some day make them worth $1,000,000 apiece.

Mr. John V. A. Moffat, representing the United States at Geneva, signed the protocol that, if nothing happens to prevent, will land us in the World court.

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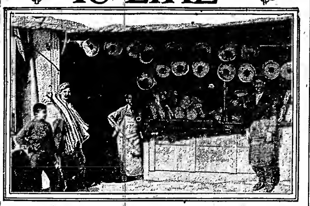
WHAT CRETE IS LIKE



A Bread Shop in Candia, Crete.

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.)

SAIL from Piraeus, port of Athens, skirt the islands of Melos and Antimelos, of the Cyclades group, and after 15 hours of sailing the mountainous profile of Crete comes into view.

The island has area of about 3,300 square miles, being 160 miles long and varying in width from 35 to 7½ miles. But what matter 160 miles in length? They could be traversed in a few hours at most by railroad—if there were railroads. It takes days and days to cover Crete by land from one end to the other.

The more accessible sections of Crete are now covered with a network of fairly important highways, but in remote districts the traveler must use the traditional means of transportation—donkey or mule, over trails or uneven paths. And if it is necessary to adapt oneself to the fatigue and the needs of one's animals, it is also essential to take into account the aversion which every Cretan feels at the prospect of traveling at night.

The whole island is dominated by the mountains which intersect it. They include the Lasithi range in the east, with Mount Dicte; the Psiloriti, with Mount Ida near the center of the island, and to the west the White mountains, locally, and rightly, named the "Desert of Stone." These peaks rise to more than 7,000 feet and are covered with snow in winter, but in summer and early autumn large herds of sheep graze on the slopes.

After the traveler leaves these herds, and the round stone huts where the solitary shepherds live, he may wander over many trails without meeting a living soul.

Then, from a mountain path, suddenly a great plain will come into view—like that of Lasithi, formerly occupied by a lake.

On a broad, elevated pass one sometimes sees a straight line of windmills, occasionally as many as twenty or more, each placed in a specially advantageous position to catch all the wind which the large wings require. The peasants from the villages climb up to them with their donkeys laden with grain. On the other hand, along the steep mountain slopes water mills are built in the ravines. The mills run only in winter, for during summer there is no rain; hence no water.

Ancient Altars in Grottoes.

While Crete has an extremely heavy rainfall, it is limited to the wet season, which commences in October or November. The water accumulates and rushes down the mountains in violent torrents; it penetrates the soil and circulates through a vast network of limestone grottoes. It was in these grottoes, now a fairyland of stalactites and stalagmites, that the first inhabitants of the island established the worship of their gods. Today one finds among the rocks the altars and paraphernalia of ancient rites.

Some of these grottoes are veritable pits, into which one descends with the aid of ropes. One readily appreciates the impression they must have produced on the imagination of the men of other days, when one notes the respectful awe they still command. The natives in their folklore still people these caves with monstrous men and animals.

Villages dot the borders of the Cretan plains, and the inhabitants come to their doors and smilingly invite the passer-by to enter.

Occasionally one meets a peasant on his way to the village, carrying on his head a basket overflowing with grapes. He will stop, select the most beautiful cluster, and offer them to the stranger with touching simplicity.

In regions which are less protected from the elements, the locust tree grows, but it is bent and gnarled by its battle with the violent north wind. There are vineyards on the hillsides and vegetables grow in the river beds, which are dry in summer, or on the thin layers of fertile soil which cover the stone of some of the seashore plains. Irrigation is practiced intelligently; large windmills raise the water, or norias grind away as the water is raised pail by pail from wells.

Canea and Candia.

Canea, surrounded by Venetian ramparts, is the capital of Crete; it is situated in the western part of the island.

Candia, farther to the east and also on the northern shore, is the only other [illegible] of commercial importance. During the Venetian occupation of the island this stronghold was known as Megalo Castro (Great Fortress); but many centuries before the Venetians held sway in Crete and, before the Saracens left their impress, the inhabitants of the island had established a trading station at this point, to judge from the fragments of cut stone discovered in the sea near the shore.

Today Candia is nearing the 40,000 population mark. Its white suburbs extend far beyond the old fortifications. A few years ago an English engineer was commissioned to reorganize the port. The work is being pursued with due regard to the historic value of the old fortifications.

The southern coast of Crete has few safe anchorages and most of the trade is handled by sailing craft and motor boats. Large ships cannot approach the wharfs of the small harbors, but are obliged to remain some distance offshore. By means of a crane, merchandise is unloaded into a caique, which then approaches the beach as closely as possible. There naked men, standing in water up to their shoulders and with pads on their heads, seize the various objects and carry them ashore. As soon as the ground swell rises, work must stop.

Often at night, if the sea is rough, a ship will approach the shore, blow its whistle, and with the aid of a megaphone a conversation will follow between vessel and port official. If the load offered is unimportant, the ship pursues its course without stopping.

These villages by the sea are very isolated; in daylight they are hardly visible and at night not at all, as no light marks them. They are as if "thrown into the sea" by the mountain, which bars their access to the interior. They are at the mercy of heavy southern storms, which all but deprive them of any outside communication.

An account of Crete would not be complete if we did not describe the means of locomotion to travelers. There is but one railroad in Crete and it is three miles long. It was built in recent years for the transportation of stone from a nearby quarry to the harbor of Candia. The locomotives, christened Minos, Ariadne, and Theseus, in honor of mythological characters that have played prominent roles in the legendary history of the island, are justly admired by the entire population.

Many Motor Cars There.

Road construction has promoted the use of the automobile, but even where there are no roads a motor car is frequently seen. What with the mire of the mule paths, the stones, the brush, and the fields, one traveling by automobile never knows when or if he will reach his destination, although his car carries the inscription in large letters: "Express."

He who leaves Candia in the autumn for a trip across the island sees spread before him large expanses of yellow and silvery green, with a few lines of austere black; these are the vineyards mixed in with the olive trees, while a few cypresses stand solitary or in a line.

This vista continues even after he begins to climb in order to reach the desert interior of Crete, for the vineyards and their attendant olive trees grow to a great elevation. Though they space out the farther one gets from the plain, nevertheless they remain equally luxuriant. They creep into small hollows or cluster on the very steep slopes—sometimes they give the impression that they are going to slide off into space—while pretty vine arbors shade the streets of mountain villages.

Raisins play an important part in the economic life of Crete. In the large cities and at the ports one may see in the rather dark factories the different processes the raisins undergo. In Sitia, in eastern Crete, one may find upon the wharves immense golden areas of fruit drying in the sun before being packed in cases for shipment abroad. Fresh grapes are exported to Greece and to Egypt.

Crete takes an important place among olive-oil producing countries. The oil is extracted in primitive presses by the peasants and on a larger scale in factories. Much of the table oil is consumed in America.

The tobacco plantations of Crete have made great strides in recent years, as a direct result of one of the most significant events of the eastern Mediterranean—the exchange of nationals between Greece and Turkey following the Treaty of Lausanne. Repatriation brought to the island many experienced tobacco growers from Asia Minor.

Adrift With Humor

BRIGHT SALESMAN

"I am an advertisement canvasser. Have you any small wants I can advertise?"

"Certainly not. My servant should not have admitted you. I have told him repeatedly that I do not see canvassers."

"Then dismiss him and advertise in our paper for a better one."—Faun, Vienna.

Underworld Battle

"I shall call the police!" exclaimed the burglar.

"That's what I meant to do," said the woman whose jewels were in jeopardy. "What hope have you, if the police arrive?"

"I shall accuse you of attacking me and trying to take possession of my hard-won loot from previous jobs of the evening."

NOT THE DISPLAY

"The men must notice she displays a very poor sense in the way she dresses."

"But it isn't her display of poor sense the men notice, my dear."

No Reciprocity

I tried to laugh at trouble,
But met the same old rumor,
That Old Man Trouble never has
The slightest sense of humor.

Fair Enough All 'Round

"What did you promise the delegates that just called on you?"

"Everything they asked," answered Senator Sorghum. "And when votes were mentioned, they promised everything I asked. Then we all retired to think it over, leaving everything looking like a stand-off."—Washington Star.

Self-Preservation

Mr. Meeker had crawled under the bed when he heard the burglar. He held his breath and waited. Then, after a long pause, he felt some one trying to crawl in beside him.

"Is that you, Henrietta, dear?" he whispered.

"No," was the answering whisper. "I've just had a look at her. I'm the burglar. Move up!"

ARGUMENTS OF FORCE

"Did his arguments strike you with much force?"

"Sure did—he's got hard fists."

Word Magic

The orator is often sent
To show mysterious tricks,
And what appears as sentiment
Proves only politics.

On the Briny Deep

The Guy—Peculiar fish, the sardine.

The Girl—How so?

The Guy—Well, his idea of twins is a whole school, and he loses his eyes in the sea and opens them up again in a can.

From the Mouth of a Child

"Grandma, close your eyes once."

"Why, my child?"

"Because papa says, 'When grandma closes her eyes we'll get a big bag of money.'"

A Training Stunt

The Guide—That statue represents the disk thrower. Disk throwing was quite an important event in the Olympic games.

Mrs. Hiram Offun—I wonder if that's what my kitchen maid is practicing when she should be washing the dishes?

Evidence

"You'd never think this street used to be a cow path, would you?"

"Oh, I don't know; look at all the calves on it."

ANTIQUATED LAWS REAL PERIL

By JUDGE FREDERICK E. CRANE, New York Court of Appeals.

ANTIQUATED laws are the bane of the American people today. We are trying to adjust our modern scope of life to fit laws that were incorporated practically centuries ago.

I do commend the progress, little though it may be, that law has made to date to become modernized. There are articles always being printed criticizing the law. Most of these articles were written by men who never even served on a jury, let alone profess a knowledge of the law. Because of their profession, they take advantage of the exemption law, exempting writers and newspaper men from serving on juries.

Probably no one ever thinks of the law in the same light as his religion—but it can be viewed in the very self-same light—for the law is part of mankind. There is one law that is even higher than the Constitution of the United States—and that is the law of personal liberty.

The young lawyer of today has an advantage over the lawyer of my day. At that time there was no workmen's compensation law—but there was a master-and-servant law in effect. There probably was no lawyer who was not confused at some time or another by the intricateness of the master-and-servant law.

As an example, if two workmen were hoisting a machine and A told B how to do the work, A would have no recovery under the old law for injuries, because he would then be classed as a master.

The law is to be used every day, and not kept as a monument to the dead, or living on past performances. The thing we call the law is an instrument of government, for the protection, control and regulation of mankind—and if necessary, by force.

SIN IN MODERN DISGUISES

By REV. DR. HARRY EMERSON FOSDICK (Baptist).

Present-day individualism is a psychological cosmetic, under which sin, nastiness and filth are being paraded just as they were in the Eighteenth century. One of the most characteristic phenomena of our time is the way we rationalize sin. We take every-day, garden varieties of nastiness and personal infidelity, dress them up in new psychological phraseology, and say "Oh, how modern."

St. Paul tells us that sin can disguise itself as an angel of light, but Paul never dreamed of our new psychological cosmetics, by means of which any sin from adultery up can walk abroad, now as self expression, now as release from an inhibition, now as the new freedom, or now as overcoming a complex. Amid all this looseness, disguised in the paint and apparel of the new phraseology, we all of us need to hear a salutary and challenging summons—"pull yourselves together."

This is not by any means a reactionary appeal to old moral codes or taboos. It is primarily an appeal to a knowledge of history. The idea that this looseness is really modern is absurd to anyone who knows history. One can find every item of it reduplicated in the Eighteenth century.

DEFECTS IN SOCIAL ORDER

By DAVID SEABURY, Psychology Expert.

Our social order has never been built in the past on a knowledge of human nature. Marriage and child training have always been based on the old prejudices and stereotypes, not on human nature and its needs.

Experimental psychology is pointing the way to a new aristocracy—the aristocracy of the brains. It has shown that a moron is just as likely to be born in the millionaire's family as in the poor man's.

Engineers, teachers and architects have all been educated for their professions, but society has never offered any training for motherhood, which is the hardest job of all.

The new psychology offers a challenge to our ideas about matrimony. Men and women marry without a knowledge of human character, without any real knowledge of compatability, with only a fixed idea of social dominance. There is nothing wrong with marriage as an institution; there is something ghastly wrong with what we have done with it.

Education, too, must change its views, and must consider the emotional interference of the child, as it affects his behavior in school and his application to his studies.

NORDIC SUPERIORITY A MYTH

By DR. JOHN HAYNES HOLMES, New York.

Because of the wars, migrations and colonizations of history there has been such an intermingling that there is no such thing as a pure race. I maintain that, while there are superior individuals and families, there is no such thing as a superior race. No sillier idea has ever been presented to the ignorance, credulity and selfish pride of men than the idea of white, or Nordic, supremacy.

There are no racial groupings but only social groupings, and there is no race problem in countries in which negroes and whites have lived together without social distinctions. I argue, too, that there is no such thing as an instinct of race prejudice, no person being born with an aversion to any member of the human family. The so-called race prejudice resulted from matters of education, environment, social custom and tradition. The prejudice could be eliminated in a generation by proper rearing of children. I, therefore, hold the "race problem" to be an educational, social and religious problem.

CHURCH HURT BY DISSENSION

By REV. DR. JOHN W. BRADBURY, New York.

Modern churchmen have been attacking one another rather than the foes of humanity. A great deal of the ancient challenge of the church has been soft-pedaled in recent years. The church has become so intricately involved with the power of wealth and dazzled with the glamor of worldly pageantry and pomp that it no longer seems to ride out into the lists against intrenched wrong and unholy greed. Its great spokesmen have for years been turning their guns upon each other instead of upon the foes of humanity. The malnutritioned mentality of loudspeaking modern prophets can see nothing of the great problems of mankind but passes its time decrying such petty things as denominational differences—as if to put all men into one denomination would cure the social evils of mankind.

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Old Town Renews Life

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Popular

Reports are seeping in that New Jersey is striving to emulate California. A real estate man in Camden tried to sell a lot to a Californian. The deal was moving along just so-so when the Californian heard something.

"What is that awful humming he demanded suspiciously.

"Oh, just the theme song for a mosquito revue," was the prompt reply.—Los Angeles Times.

Criticism

Father, mother and the two youngsters were dinner guests of some friends. The hostess served a special dessert which she knew the little guests liked.

Martin looked at his dish and said to his mother:

"We fill ours fuller than this, don't we?"

Politics Inevitable

"I think I shall keep out of politics," said the young man.

"What are you going to do," rejoined Senator Sorghum, "be a hermit?"—Washington Star.

Good Reason

"Why don't you marry the doctor?"

"Because then I could not decide for myself when I was ill enough to go to the seaside."—Passing Show.

Genius is not necessarily hard work. Poe's wasn't, neither was O. Henry's.

Asking a man for "his candid opinion" won't always get it, if he is shrewd.

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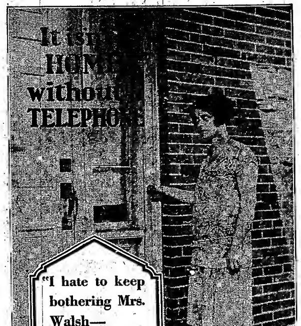

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FROM ANDANTE TO ALLEGRO

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A FRESH joyous voice came up the stairway.

"I'm ready grandmother!"

Sally Runnels pinned on her hat with fingers trembling slightly from haste. She did not have time to look in the glass.

"Look out! Don't catch your toe!" The warning smote her as she was descending the stairs. Warnings always smote her and made her do the very things she was warned not to do. In this instance she did catch her toe, but Sara with a spring caught her. "I told you to be careful," said Sara.

"Are we going to walk?" Sally asked.

Sara shook her head.

"Too cold. You'd freeze. I ordered a cab."

Sally sighed. She had been in the house for three days, nothing to go out for until today, and it seemed to her that a little walk in the bracing air would not hurt her.

Sara was leading the way to the cab and Sally followed reluctantly. She was popped in and the door shut upon her.

"Aren't you coming, too, Sara?" she shouted to make herself heard above the roaring engine.

Sara shook her head.

"No, I'm going to walk."

Sally looked wistfully after the brilliant young figure. It did not seem so long since she was another Sara and here she was shut up in a padded box which smelled of stale perfume and cigar smoke while Sara, free and blithe, enjoyed the fresh air and sunshine.

She was old and yet the heart of her was young. It must be, else the sunshine would not have looked so golden, the sky so blue or the breeze sounded so like a carillon of silver bells calling to joyful activity. The sights of the streets charmed her, although she could only peer at them through the dusty glass. And then there was the heart-stirring fact that she was going downtown to shop—to get herself an entire new wardrobe. Wasn't this enough to turn the andante movement of old age into the lively allegro vivace of youth?

The cab drew up before the motor entrance of Blandon's department store and Sally, with the help of the chauffeur, emerged. She went in and sat down to wait for Sara. There was a mirror opposite which gave back the gentle, gray reflection of herself in a gloomy little black hat and coat. Once she had been a beauty in the days when Sam Runnels wooed her, taking his chance with a dozen others. She became Sally Runnels with the accent on the last syllable and an added letter. And Sara had no beaux at all, perhaps there weren't so many men nowadays. Goodness knows, there were enough and to spare when she was young.

Sara appeared slightly breathless, but earnestly businesslike.

"Now, grandmother, we'll start in with your dress and match everything to it," she said.

In the softly carpeted, softly lighted and many mirrored place of a thousand gowns Sally waited with sinking heart while Sara appraised and selected.

"Something plain for grandmother—and quiet—and rich," she said. And soon Sally found herself trying on such a dress, which was so much like her old one that she saw no difference. She longed for color with that warm feeling in her heart. Why must she wear black? Sam had been gone some twenty years. He wouldn't care.

"The very thing," Sara decided. "Eh, grandmother?"

Sally murmured something.

"Hats next," said the capable Sara glancing at her platinum wrist watch. "Hope we'll get through with this so I can join Betty Archer at the Plaza for lunch. I'll send you home in the cab grandmother."

Before the leaved mirror Sally was seated while Sara and a deft saleswoman fitted her with a hat which was new but scarcely different otherwise from the old one.

"I—I am tired of jet ornaments," she tried to say.

"Nothing better for you with your dark eyes and white hair," declared Sara.

So the hat was purchased. And after that came a coat, rich and soft and somber. Sally paid the bill. That was the one privilege left to her when it came to buying an outfit. She could pay for the things herself. Sam had left her quite independent of her sons and daughters and well provided for.

Toward the last Sara hurried a little. She kept glancing at her watch impatiently.

"I'll put you in your cab, grandmother," she said, "then I'll race to the Plaza. Your things will be sent up right away. Hope you won't feel too tired."

A faint tinge of indignation appeared in Sally's cheeks.

"I am not tired at all," she said. Sara helped her into the cab, smiled, blew a kiss and was gone to her luncheon. And the cab started back toward Washington avenue. Sally, hobbing alone on the seat, thought of the black hat and gown and coat which would presently be delivered to her. Tomorrow she would appear in them at church, but aside from a slightly uncomfortable feel about the new things she would not know they were new and neither would anybody else.

The cab stopped suddenly. They were in a pocket and traffic was at a standstill.

The cab door opened and a boy thrust a bunch of blossoms from the basketful upon his arms in upon the little old lady.

"Arbutus, lady?" he cried.

"Arbutus!" Sally leaned forward to take the flowers from him. The delicious fragrance and rosiness brought a smile to her lips, a sparkle to her eyes. She fumbled in her bag, found a bill and gave it to the boy, shaking her head at his "Change, lady?" She had given him two dollars—but no matter. The flowers were worth it.

Pressing the bouquet to her face she breathed deeply of the enticing spirit of the season. She knew how the flowers grew, she had hunted them in her youth. Sam had given her a basketful once when he was courting her. Pink! She loved it. Oh, the hats she had smothered with pink roses! The frocks she had like rosy clouds! Sam had loved pink and delighted in her wearing it. She had had none since he died.

"Take off that old dead crow!" She fairly jumped as if he had spoken in her ear. Yes, that was what he would have called this hat she was wearing—and that other one which she would have to wear.

Traffic was moving, the chauffeur was reaching for his gear-shift. Sally leaned forward and spoke loudly!

"Take me back to Blandon's please."

He took her back.

Next morning a little old lady walked happily and gracefully into St. Paul's church to hear the sermon. She wore a black hat wreathed with pink flowers demurely misted with lace, she wore a lavender gown and she wore a smile of almost girlish satisfaction.

If Sam could only see her!

Bishop's Best Efforts Didn't Please Critic

George Doran, the publisher, was talking about a book which a critic had roasted.

"The critic knew the author, they were critics together," he said, "and familiarity breeds contempt. It's like the story of Bill Stroud.

"A bishop, you know, was fishing in Pike county, and Bill Stroud was his guide. Bill, impressed with the bishop's skill, asked him carelessly one day what he did for a living.

"'I preach,' said the bishop.

"'Gnew,' said Bill. 'Gnaw. Come awf.'

"'Yes, that's right. I'm a preacher.'

"'Gnaw!'

"Well, the upshot of it was that the bishop, nettled by Bill's incredulity, specially invited the guide to come to New York to hear one of his sermons. Bill went.

"The occasion was, of course, a big one, for bishops don't preach at ordinary times, as everybody knows. The church was decorated with palms and flowers. The music was superb. And the bishop in his lawn sleeves preached his very best, his eye every now and then seeking out Bill Stroud, who sat stiff and silent and cold in a front pew.

"At the end of the service the bishop hurried down the aisle, and, brushing millionaire after millionaire out of the way, he shook Bill's hard, sunburnt hand eagerly.

"'Bill,' he said, 'Bill, old man, what do you think of me as a preacher?'

"'Wall, friend,' said Bill, with an embarrassed laugh, 'I ain't no jedge of this kind o' thing, but I sot the show through the best I knowed how, and if my jedgment is worth anything to you, I'd say Providence intended ye fur the backwoods.'"

Advantage of Affliction

Do not fear the furnace of affliction. No man ever goes through the fire and keeps himself unmoved. The flames have a purifying effect. In the moment that looks darkest, when clouds hang heavily, when there is no fragrance of flowers, and the sympathy of life turns to a dismal dirge of despair, forget not that it takes the hottest fire to refine the purest gold. It requires the strongest pressure upon iron to produce the strongest steel. In the hour when things seem to be worst for you, it may be you are building your purest happiness. If you refuse to be crushed by adversity, or let any events in the external world disturb your own tranquillity of mind, you have already found the key to the garden of happiness. The bluebird awaits you.—Dr. Henry Knight Miller, in Psychology Magazine.

Women Study Butchering

How to handle the cleaver and the saw is being taught in the new butchering course for women being given at Smithfield school of London. When the fair sex was admitted to the course that was thought to be attractive only to men, the response was beyond expectation. The young women are becoming adept in the work and enjoy their studies. The course includes instruction in the anatomy of the animals we eat, in refrigeration and preservation, and in modern butcher shop sanitation.

Generous Farm "Help"

Arthur Hohac, a Minnesota farmer, hid behind a tree while two strangers industriously dug his potato crop. He said nothing until they had the tubers sacked. He then hailed them from behind a gun. As police led the men away to jail Hohac made ready to place his crop on the market.

Long Trip Across State

The longest distance by direct railroad route between the two farthest separated points in Texas is on the Southern Pacific between Orange on the Texas-Louisiana line and El Paso on the Texas-Arizona line, a distance of 887 miles.

Mayor Walker Gets $15,000 Raise.

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100 Million Fish Planted In State.

St. Paul, Minn.—With a view of meeting the demands of Minnesota sportsmen, the state game and fish department planted upwards of 700,000,000 fingerlings in lakes and streams of the state.

Loans to Brokers Drop 39 Million.

Washington—Loans to brokers by federal reserve member banks for the week, were announced by the federal reserve board as $2,883,000,000, a decrease of $[illegible]

Fairmont—The Martin County Farm Bureau, in annual meeting here, adopted a resolution "unqualifiedly indorsing the federal farm board for its sincere efforts to put agriculture on an equality with capital and labor." P. J. E. Paterson, president for the last five years, was re-elected.

Albert Lea—Albert Bergland, Albert Lea, was elected president of the Freeborn County Fair Association at the annual meeting here. Other officers chosen were George P. Latin, Freeborn village, vicepresident; Andrew Hanson, secretary, and Charles Ruble, treasurer, both of Albert Lea.

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St. Paul—The uew First Notional Bank building here is to be 30 stories tall inetead of 20.

St. Paul—Two millioo tourists spent $81,712,960 in Minneeota in 1929, an increose of $5,000,000 over 1928.

Minneapolis—E. C. Warner compauy has soed for judgment on 66 notes for $470,000 from three Foshay companies.

Minneapolis—First Bank Stock corporatioo has acqoired the commercial of Lumbermen'e Acceptance Corporation of Chicago.

Waseca—Mrs. Gunhild Jackson celebrated her 105th birthday. She is one of the oldeet women in the etate, haviog settled here in 1862.

Madison—The Formers Union at its annual meeting here elected Herman Laabs president and Gunder Andersou secretary-treasurer.

Minneapolis—E. L. Carpenter, preeident of Shevlin, Carpenter & Clarke, was named to President Hoover's busineės etabilization committee.

Mora—Mayor L. C. Hodgsou of St. Poul was the principal speaker at the annual banqoet of the Mora chapter of the Izaak Walton League here.

Annandale—Sarah Larson and W. H. Wenzel have been choseu as worthy matron and worthy patron respectively of the local Order of Eastern Star.

Minneapolis—Annual receipts of the postoffice were announced at $7,000,000, with Minneapolis making the greotest increases of any oity in its class.

St. Cloud—Joseph Stocklinger of this city faced a charge of manslaughter, following the death of five-year old Lavonne Weltzel, whom he etruck with his auto.

Crosby—Gus Snyder, 55 years old, rescued from a ehaft of the Croft mine here, after having been imprisoned for 44 hours, died from an internal hemorrhage.

Stillwater—Fayette Castle, appointed chief of police of Stillwater by Mayor G. A. Shells, to succesd the late W. E. McNaughton, has assumed charge of his new dnties.

St. Paul—W. F. Schilling, member of the federal farm board, told the association co-operatives enabls Minneosta dairy formers to get 2 cents more for a pound of butter.

Big Lake—Big Lake has a large electrically lighted community Christmas tree. It can be eeen for a long distance on highways No. 1 and 25 running through the village.

Austin—"The Messiah," famous oratorio by Handel, was presented here by 70 students of Austin high school, including the school orchestra and the juoior high echool Glee Club.

Litchfield—The uew Forest City creamery was dedicated with John Brandt, president of Land O'Lakes associotion, as a speaker. The building replaces one destroyed by fire last June.

Shakopae—Altho a confessed robber Edward Dee, of St. Paul, was released for lack of prosecution. John Morrow who will be given a preliminary hearing as an accomplice is still held.

Robbinsdale—Ed Haglund was taken to General hospital under arrest, charged with drunkeu driving, injuring himself after he drove through a "stop" sign and crashed into a telephone pole.

Hastings—Two Minneapolis women were denied damages lu district court hsre against Karl Meyer, whom they said insisted on driving his car in which they were riding despite danger, resulting in injuries.

Alsxandria—A record sales figure of $75 was paid for a Naragansett turkey tom exhibited at the Douglos County Poultry show. E. B. Ahern, of Lisbou, N. D., purchased the bird from Martin Ellingsou, of Evansville.

Osakis — Mr. and Mrs. Warren Phelps of this village begau the 51st year of married life following ohservance of their golden wedding at the home of their daoghter, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Barnard of Mound, Minn.

Hamlin—Prof. A. G. Smith, head of the poultry division, University of Minueosta Farm, has maintained that the value of a pullet for hreeding purposes is determined by the eize of the eggs she lays as well as hy the number.

Hamel—A still, reputed to have beeo turning out 200 gallons of moonshine a day, was fonnd in a barn on a deeertsd farm uear here. John Fahey, Miltou Harrisou, William Petereon, Harry Brown and Ted Long were arrested as operators.

Minneapolis—Payrolls here have increased $12,894,542 in the past two years through expansion of 65 industries and addition of 204 new indostries giving work to 9,618 persons. Minneapolis manufactnrers will turn oot $370,000,000 in products in 1930.

Renville—Creamery men of Renville county held a meeting here to study feeding practices, breeding methods and dairy herd maangement. The meeting was conducted by E. A. Hansou, dairy epecialist at University Farm, marks the first of a seriee of three. The other meetings will be February 4 and February 18.

Byrd Relative Commits Suicide

Washington—Mrs. Caroline Van Antwerp Byrd, 65, said to be a distant relative of Commander Richard E. Byrd, Arctic flyer, was dead today, having committed snicide hy firing a bullet through her head. She was found by hor son, Harry B. Byrd, Jr., real estate operator and former naval officer, in the basement of their home last night. Police said Harry B. Byrd. Sr., the husband and father, hod committed suicide some years ago.

If in the past you've dealt
with us,
You've found us most sincere;
We hope then,
we'll be better friends
This prosperous New Year.

Best wishes to you all
for a happy and prosperous New Year in 1930.

The Creamery Management
G. Bergland - - Lester Olson

HARDENED

It took the rescuers half an hour to clear away the mass of stones from the uofortunate man on whom the wall hod folleu, and they had uo expectation of finding him other than crushed flat.

To their amazement, he rose to his feet and asked for a clothes hrush.

"Aren't yon crushed?" asked one oulooker.

"Not likely," said he, with a smile. "I go through worse every evening. I teach dancing at a night club."

No Light in Darkness.

The night was as black as pitch when the two negro blacksmiths dressed in mourning rode through the streets of Blackburn.

"Wonder why Black was blackballed at the lodge tonight," said one.

"I don't know. I'm just as much in the dark about it as you are."

WOULD NEVER MARRY

"I won't morry any man unless I know oll about him."

"And you probably won't marry any mon if you do."

Up-to-Date Bug.

I envy you, little firefly.
You worry not a bit,
For when you see a traffic cop
You know your tail-light's lit.

Could Testify to That

Bill—Thot Jnne you've got with you tonight looks like a September morn—olmost.

Jack—Well, I've just paid our dinner check, and, while she may uot have much on the outside, I'll tell the world she's got plenty on the inside.

Silk Stockings.

They were discussiug eilk stockings. "They were luvented in Queen Elizabeth's time," said the man who knows everythiog.

"Yes," commented another, "but they weren't discovered till the Twentieth centnry."

No Cause for Worry.

Business Man (reading telegram)—Good heovens! My wife has gone off with my chouffeur.

Acquaintance—Don't worry! My mother is giving up her car and her chooffeur wonts a job!

POOR MEMORY

Wife—Dear, will you meet mother with the car at the station and show her the way home?

Hnbby—Betcha life! Where does she live?

No Darning.

The legs of hoseless flappers may, of course,
Get freckled hy the sun,
But bare lege have 'least ons advantage—they never run.

No Change.

"Has Meyer changed much in the years he has been away?"

"No, but he thinks he has."

"How so?"

"Why, he is always talking about what a fool he used to be."

Cause of Howl.

Passenger on a Branch Line Railroad (to condnctor)—Why does the engine alwaya let ont such a piteous howl when we pass this spot?

"Because it was here the engineer first met his wife."

As Seen by the Mother.

Mr. Goodsole—Can any child here tell me what is meant by original sin? Ah, yes, you James.

Little Jimmie—My ma says it's the cussedness a kid inherits from his pa.

Between Girls.

"Would you marry a man who had spent his money in riotous living?"

"No, but I might join up with a man who was just starting out."

Pronounced Wrong.

"There is one word that is always pronounced wrong."

"What word is that?"

"Wrong, of course."

LOCALS

Miss Hazel Fricker, who teaches at Ronneby, is home to spend her holiday vacation with her father, Mike Fricker.

Harwood Olsen is planning to leave next week to enroll for the printing course offered at the Dunwoody Institute at Minnsapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kinney and family were down yesterday from Thief River and spent the day with Mrs. Kinney's mother, Mrs. Anna Peterson.

Clifford Bilden, who is employed in the creamery at Dalton, came up to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bilden. He returns home today.

Mechanics Wanted!
Big Demand. Practical Training. Write for catalog. HANSON AUTO & ELECTRICAL SCHOOL, Box 926, Fargo, N. D

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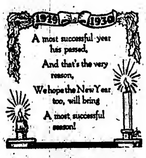
-AT-
Bob's Coffee Shop
If you can't eat at home. eat with us
R. Helmkay,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

We send you just
a tiny wish
For the Joy Time
of the year,
May holidays bring
peace to you,
Success, and
friends sincere.

That 1930 will be a prosperous year, is our wish for you.

Carlson Merc. Co.
O. C. Johnson, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minn.



Season's Greetings

We look ahead into the New Year with the same pleasure that we look back over the old.

For the pleasant memories of your friendliness in the past add to the pleasure with which we extend our best wishes for your good health and good cheer in 1930.

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Sven Benson Called

Sven Benson, highly respected citizen of this community for the past twenty five years, died at his home in this village Sunday evening. He had been in poor heath for more than a year, and this coupled with advanced age, was the cause of death.

Mr. Benson was born Nov, 21st, 1846 at Egersund, Norway. He came to this country in 1872, settling in Fillmore County this state. He was united in marriage to Elizabeth Kristine Anderson at La-Crosse, Wis., on Sept, 4, 1876. To this union was born ten children, four sons and six daughters, He was preceeded in death by his wife, one son and one daugther.

Mr. and Mrs. Benson lived in Fillmore County until 1880 when they moved to Norman County, settling near what is now Halstad, they being among the early pioneers in that section. They resided there for twenty-five years, and moved to St. Hilaire in March, 1905, settling on their farm adjoining the village on the east. They retired from farming eleven years ago and have since resided in this village.

Mr. and Mrs. Benson celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary in 1926.

Since death of his beloved helpmate a year ago, Mr. Benson's health hegun failing and he passed away Dec, 29th., at the age of 83 years, 1 month and 8 days.

He was a lifelong and devoted member of the Lutheran church. He was a devout Christian, and death came to him as a sweet passing into the Heavenly home.

The surviving children are: Mrs. S. T. Aarestad and Mrs. A. M. Olson of Halstad, Selmor and Theodore of St. Paul, Mrs. P. J, Smith, of Chicago, Ill., Mrs. Amelia Dahl, Mrs. M. A. Highland, and Alfred of this village. He is also survived hy ten grandchildren, and one hrother, Andrew Benson of Spokane, Wash.

Funeral services were conducted today from the home at 1:00, and at the Norwegian Lutheran church at 1:30. Rev. M. L. Dahle, pastor of the local church, and Rev. O. H. Brodland of Neilsville, officiated. The latter is an old friend of the family. Interment was make in the family burial plot in the cemetery east of the village. With exception of Theodore who was unahle to come, all members of the family were present at the funeral for their father.

Heartfelt sympathy of this community is extended to the family in their bereavement.

Alumni Banquet Friday

Annual hanquet of the St. Hilaire High School Alumni Association was held last Fridav evening at the Imperial hall which was prettily decorated for the occasion. Attendance was lighter at this gathering than at some previous ones, but a delightful time was enjoyed hy all who attended. At close of the festivities at the hall, all went to the Blue Parrot Inn where the luncheon was served.

Owing to difficulty in getting members of the association together they now being widely scattered, it was decided to ahandon the yearly call to all members, and to have a yearly party for those who were present at the time set, which was to be during the holiday season when many were home.

Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. Hauske of Rockshury, were host and hostess at a gathering of relatives and friends at their home last Sunday. Those present were Carl Alberg and family, Carl Finstad and family, Martin Mathson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Finstad, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hauge. Mrs. Swan Wiherg and son, Albert, Mrs. Knute Finstad, Anna Alberg, and Axel Johnson.

Paul Roy and family, David Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hauge were guests last Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson.

Mrs. Harold Holmes, who went to Portland, Oregon last fall to visit relatives, has recently undergone a serious operation.

She is reported to have withstood the operation well, and is gradually regaining her strength. Her numerous friends back home sincerely hope she will regain her usual good health hy time she returns home.

Mrs. A. S. Wilson and sons, Earl and Wallace, came last week from Warren for a visit at home of her son, George.

The Robertson Style Shop of Red Lake Falls is celebrating their third Anniversary by holding a real price smashing clearance sale heginning Friday Jan. 3rd. and ending Saturday January 18th. adv.

Start with a Clean Slate

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mrs. N. E. Beehe entertained a group lady friends at her home Monday afternoon.

Rev. M. Dahle and family, and Wm. Peterson, were guests at a turkey dinner Monday at the home of Mrs. Hilda Gigstad.

Mrs. Gust Ogaard and two children returned Tuesday to their home at Beltrami after visiting a week here at home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ortloff.

Clifford Bidden returned Thursday evening to Dalton after spending Christmas here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bidden.

The Y. P. S. of the Evang. Mission church will be entertained hy Mr. and Mrs. John Steiger at the Black River Chapel, Friday evening J an, 10th.

A number of friends were entertained at the M. Bjerk home last Friday evening. Progressive whist was the diversion of the evening at close of which luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Palmar Hanson of Thief River Falls, were guests at home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Bergland here over New Year.

Ernest H. Johnson, who travels for a tahacco company, and has his headquarters at St. Cloud, came up last week to spend Christmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs, Gust Johnson, at their farm home west of town. He returned to St. Cloud this week.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg, Mrs. Amanda Person and children of this village, and Lieut. Wegner of the Salvation Army unit at Thief River, were guests at the John Norman home south of town on Christmas Day.

Ater spending Christmas here, Miss Huldah Gigstad left Tuesday to visit during halance of the holidays at home of her aunt, Mrs. Narveson at Crookston, before returning to her teaching duties in the public schools at Moorhead.

Among the old subscribers who called personally this week to attend to his renewal, was R. L. Hauge. Mr. Hauge is seemingly in good physical condition again after a very serious illness last winter. Despite the fact that he is well over the eighty year mark, Mr. Hauge gets around as well as many men twenty years younger.

School reopens Monday next, after the annual Christmas vacation of two weeks.

The Herman Jepson and H. L. Hanson families were entertained at the Otto Johnson home last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Royal, spent last Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ortloff.

The J. Norman, Gigstad, Rev. M. Dahle, E. Hallemeck, J. Maakrud families, and Wm. Peterson were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arne Vik last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beebe, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Beebe, Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Hansen last Saturday evening.

Sam Benson, former postmaster here, and now employed in the postoffice at St, Paul, arrived Monday morning over the Soo, being called by death of his father, Sven Benson.

Oscar Carlson, who is located at Iron River, Mich., where he is employed in one of the iron mines, sends New Year greetings thru the Spectator to all his friends in St. Hilaire and vicinity.

Ladies will be able to purchase regular $12.75 dresses for $5.95 at the Rohertson Style Shop during their third Anniversary sale beginning Friday, Jan, 3rd. adv.

How much is $1.50? It's what your old battery is worth in exchange on a new hattery. There's 50 percent more winter power in the Super Tiger. Guaranteed 2 1-2 years. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

About twenty friends of Mr, and Mrs. Arthur Peterson tendered them a surprise kitchen shower at their home northwest of town last Sunday. A very enjoyable time is reported by those who attended.

The past year ended with this section enjoying some of the finest winter weather in years. The mercury has been above freezing for several days, and snow has thawed daily despite northwest winds. In southern states cold weather has prevailed, a number of deaths from cold being reported from as far south as Mexico.

Creamery Shows Increase

Figures just complied by management of the local creamery shows that institution manufactured nearly 12,000 more pounds of hutter during 1929 than it did the previous year. In 1928 there were 321,599 lbs. of butter turned out, and in 1929 the output was 333,089 pounds. With increase of number of cows in the surrounding territory, and with a goodly number of new patrons being added, it is expected 1930 will eclipse all previous records at the local plant. Increase in output means lower manufacturing costs, and consequently, a better return to patrons for hutterfat delivered.

To Speak At Winter Shows

Word has just been received from Congressman C. G. Selvig, that Honorable Samuel R. McKelvie member of the Federal Farm Board, has definitely accepted the invitation to attend the Northwest School Farmer's Week and Red River Valley Winter Shows on Wednesday, February 12, and deliver the principal address in the Crookston Armory that evening. According to Mr. Selvig, the formal invitation, which had the support of leading cooperatives in the state, as well as all Red River Valley organizations, and every county agent in northwestern Minnesota, was placed hefore the hoard hy the entire Congressional delegation from four spring wheat states. As a result of Congressman Selvig,s success in securing Mr. McKelvie for the forthcoming Winter Shows program, officials in charge expect to present the greatest series of lectures in the history of "Valley Week".

Many authorities consider the Federal Farm Board Act the most forward step from the standpoint of agricultural legislation ever taken by the Government of the United States. Farmers and townspeople scattered throughout northwestern Minnesota are keenly interested in the work of the Federal Farm Board, and will therefore welcome this opportunity of hearing direct from one of its foremost members.

Samuel R. McKelvie served as a member of the Nebraska Legislature in 1911, Lieutenant Govenor in 1913, and Governor of Nebraska from 1919-22. He is editor and publisher of the Nebraska Farmer. Mr. McKelvie is considered one of the most forceful speakers in America.

Swenson--Bergland

Miss Martha Swenson, daughter of Mrs. Aug. Swenson of this place, and Mr. Olaf Bergland of Thief River Falls, were united in marriage last Thursday, Dec, 26th. The ceremony took place at the Swedish Mission parsonage at Thief River Falls and was witnessed by Miss Ida Bergland, sister of the groom, and hy Rudolph Sand, nephew of the bride. After a brief visit with relatives here, Mr. and Mrs. Bergland departed the same day for Minneapolis where they will make their home.

Numerous friends in this community join in extending congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Bergland, and wishing a long and happily married life.

Thank You All

The Spectator publisher again takes occasion to express his thanks and appreciation to all the subscribers listed below who have all renewed their subscriptions the past week. If response to statements sent out continues at the same rate for a short time more, the Spectator will be able to hoast a hundred percent paid-in-advance list. For the past week we note: Harvey Aubol, Rev. M. Dahle, Hans Wilson, Henry Starken, Mrs. Mary Aubol, Arthur Johnson, Ed Aubol, R. L. Hauge, Joe. Hauge, Herman Anderson, Mrs. J. D. Johnson, Mrs. L. de Cathelineau, Adolph Eklund, Mrs. A. W. Howie, Mrs. Amanda Person, Wm. Novak, Mrs. N. C. Nyhagen, John Folstad, Frank Bothman, A. P. Gordon, Carl Person, Aug. Berglund, Wm. Berglund, Henry Burstad, O. L. Larson, H. C. Gigstad, Mrs. N. Dammen, Harry Allen, E. O. Burkee, John Engelbart, Mrs. Gust Anderson, J. A. Hanson, Oscar Carlson, Red River Power Co., Herman Jepson, Wash Adams, Chas. Lindquist, Geo. Swanson, I. A. Rotzler, E. H. Stephens, Otto Johnson, Chas. L. Kundert, Mrs. Anna Patterson, John O. Swanson, Ella Mortenson, A. W. Jackson, and Theo. Skatrud.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Satterberg motored Saturday to McIntosh for a short visit with friends. Adolph states the new highway from junction of No's 8 and 32 east to Erskine is in fine shape, and enabled them to make the trip in less than one hour where it took considerably more hy the old route.

A Resolution

At outset of 1930, resolve to save a part of your earnings. No matter how large the sum may be--or how small--cultivating the habit of saving will mean much to your future.

Open a savings account with the Old Reliable now. By systematic saving, you will insure your financial independence in the future.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

What Will The Future Bring?

That is the question that concerns us all. The future of your creamery depends upon you. By patronizing it--selling it your cream--buy what it has to sell--and co-operating with your neighbors for its betterment, you are not only helping yourself, but are assisting in the upbuilding of your community. If not a shareholder, become one this year.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

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Livestock Wanted

Have recently made connections where I am in position to pay highest market prices in CASH for all kinds of livestock.

If you have any beef stock, hogs, sheep, calves, etc., that are in shape for market, kindly call or phone, and you will be assured the highest market price for your stock in CASH

ED DURBIN

St. Hilaire, Minn

25 Years Ago

A. M. Edstrom left to spend a week with his parents in Goodhue county.

—XXV—

Miss Mabel Aimer and Lilly Johnson were visiting friends at Red Lake Falls for a few days.

—XXV—

Carl Hansen won over Ovide Morean in recount of votes in the contest for the county treasurership of Red Lake county.

—XXV—

There was enough snow for sleighing except on the graded roads.

—XXV—

Citizens at Plummer presented a petition to the county board asking to be incorporated as a village.

—XXV—

Mrs. A. Satterberg went to Cass Lake for a visit with Mrs. G. Fellman.

—XXV—

Halvor Johnson, of Rockebury, took out citizenship papers at Crookston that week. Being 65 years of age, he was the oldest man who ever applied for similar papers in that county, if not in the whole state.

LOCALS

Eileen, 6 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rosendahl, died at 8:10 last night after an illness of several weeks.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Coal:-Will have soft coal and briquettes on track in St. Hilaire on Friday this week. Anyone wanting coal, kindly place orders now so it can be taken direct from the car, thus saving handling expense Art Hendrickson.

Big savings in clothing are promised all who attend Robertsons Anniversary sale in Red Lake Falls. adv.

Indestructible Truth

One truth discovered is immortal, and entitles its author to be so; for, like a new substance in nature, it cannot be destroyed.—Hazlitt.

Truth and Chaff

We must never throw away a bushel of truth because it happens to contain a few grains of chaff.—Dean Stanley.

Wasp's Usefulness

Wasps play an important part in balancing insect population, by killing off large numbers of injurious insects.

River News

Fred Ulrich, Jr, and Martin Haupt returned Sunday night from a motor trip to the Twin Cities, New Ulm and other points in South Minnesota. Fred reports the roads in good condition but very icy.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ulrich spent Thursday at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gieseke.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Larsen and family were guests Sunday at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Gust Erickson.

Chickenpox seems to have been epidemic lately in vicinity of River Falls and River townships.

Misses Esther Thyren and Mabel Swanson spent last Friday afternoon with Miss Martha Anderson, who is spending Christmas vacation at home of her sister, Mrs. Carl Swanson.

Flood Measurement

When a river gauge reads 18.5 feet it means that the surface of the water is 18½ feet above the mean high-water line, the average having been estimated over a period of years.

Britain's Riches in Coal

Some idea of the amount of coal under Great Britain can be gathered from the estimate that if they raise 250,000,000 tons a year they can carry on till A. D. 2695.

Original "Chain Stores"

The trading posts of the Hudson's Bay company were the first chain stores, and some of them existed more than 250 years ago.

Navy Orders 18 Planes at Cost of $1,670,829

Washington.—The Navy Department has contracted with the Keystone Aircraft corporation, Bristol, Pa., to construct 18 airplanes of the "VP" type with landing gear, at a total cost of $1,607,829.45. Rear Admiral William A. Moffett, chief of naval aeronautics, described the ships as "flying boats."

Woman Deserts Baby in Theater for Crying

Newark, N. J.—Angered because the wails of a three-weeks-old baby boy interrupted her enjoyment of a motion picture show, a woman abandoned the infant at night in the women's lounge of a theater here. The woman, appearing to be about thirty-five years old, got up from her seat, the baby in her arms, when the child's cries became insistent.

"This brat will never let me sit through a show," she said to Miss Blanche Bernstein, of Perth Amboy, a patron of the theater. The child is now in the Babies' hospital here.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated February 23rd, 1924, executed by Martin Helgeson and Gunild Helgeson, also known as Gunlid Helgesen, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on February 26th, 1924, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 156 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $119.88, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $140.63, due on February 23rd, 1929, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and intrest for $140.63, due on August 23rd, 1929; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,217.26, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from August 23rd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $260.46, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $119.83 thereof since July 27th, 1929, and on $140.88 thereof since August 23rd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $134.76 for taxes, including interest, penalties and costs and interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, and the sum of $61.32, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $4,740.96, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-four (24), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 31st day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premiums paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. D-19-J23

WHEAT PRICES SOAR

Prices of Wheat Skyrocketed on Minneapolis Exchange After Announcing of U. S. Policy

Minneapolis—Announcement by the Farmers National Grain corporation, set up by the Federal Farm board, that it would start buying grain in all principal markets of the United States sent wheat prices upward in spectacular manner on this market. At the same time, the Rural Grain company, Farm Board's broker, offered to buy No. 1 hard winter wheat at $1.18 a bushel on the Chicago cash market. The offer was for grain for immediate delivery. This offer was not posted in Chicago until after the market there had closed.

The offer to buy at $1.18 represents the Farm Board's loan figure on that grade of wheat or more than 1 cent above the market. It came in the face of bearish advices on export demand and an increase of 870,000 acres in the winter wheat acreage.

The placing of the bid and the announcement by the National corporation officials that the organization probably would buy wheat on all markets immediately indicated that the Farm Board, in upholding wheat prices and was ready to go further than merely making loans and would back up actual purchases of wheat at the scale of values which the board heretofore steadily has maintained as a loan basis. Wheat went to $1.22½ in the Chicago pit.

Unnecessary Ruling

A court has decided that the wife is boss inside the house and can have the lights on or off and the blinds open or closed, as suits her fancy and convenience. A court decision was not necessary, but it is nice to know that question was settled legally.—Miami Herald.

Think It Over

A homely girl may be hard on the eyes, but there isn't much use of having a pretty face opposite you every morning at the breakfast table if there is no breakfast on the table.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

New York City

How many islands comprise New York city? Three main islands, Manhattan, Staten and Long island, also part of the mainland, and there are numerous small islands.—New York Telegram.

Capital Punishment

Hanging was not always the form of capital punishment in England. Drowning in a pit was used for many centuries. The last official execution by that method was in Scotland in 1685.

Early Balloon Trip

In 1878 a balloon called the Graphic attempted the first air voyage across the Atlantic. The balloon started from Brooklyn, N. Y., but, owing to weather conditions, landed in Connecticut.

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Bids Wanted

Bids will be received by the board of school district No. 166, Sanders twp., for delivery before March 1st, at the school grounds, of six (6) cords of heavy, split, body poplar cordwood.

Bids will be opened January 11, 1930.

Enoch Swanson, Clerk

School Proceedings

Postponed regular meeting of Ind. School Dist. 102 held December 3rd 1929.

All members present except Brink.

The minutes of last regular meeting approved as read.

On motion made and carried the following bills were allowed:

O. Gunstad-Bill Oct. 3 1929	$32.15
Red River Power Co-2 months	20.98
M. Fricker-Express advanced	.63
Lyons & Carnahan- Totals as bills	67.45
Northwestern School Supply Co.- Bill 11-15	9.84
Rochester Germicide Co- as bills 10-25-29	7.40
S. Y. Gillan & Co-as bill 11-1-29	8.11
J. B. Lippincott Co As bill 11-1-29	21.96
Ed Lee-Plumbing repairs	2.95

On motion made and carried the school building and contents be re-insured for $48,000.00.

No further business motion for adjournment carried.

E. O. Burkee,
Clerk.

Annual Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Bray Mutual Fire Ins. Co. will be held in St. Hilaire, Minn., on the 8th day of January 1930, commencing at 1:00 o'clock P. M.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year, and to transact any other business that may properly come up before this meeting.

John O. Swanson
D19J2 Secy.

Two Trains Crash in Blinding Snow.

Forrest, Ill.—Two trainmen were severely injured and 20 merchandise cars were overturned when a westbound Toledo, Peoria & Western freight train crashed head-on into an eastbound train near here. The collision occurred when the eastbound train, bucking heavy drifts in a blinding snowstorm, rounded a curve and crashed head-on with the other freight, standing helpless in the drifts. The two trains were derailed and overturned by the impact. Both lomotives were wracked and turned over beside the tracks. The crews of the two engines were imprisoned in their cabs, imperiled by escaping steam.

1 Dies, 2 Hurt as Plane Crashes.

Indianapolis, Ind.—A snow-covered stump or a high drift brought death to one man and injury to two others when a tri-motored passenger ship of the Transcontinental Air Transport lines crashed on Stout field here. The ship was flying from St. Louis to Columbus, Ohio, and was a half hour behind schedule. Pilot Burford attempted to set the plane down at what he thought a safe speed. A sudden gust of wind influenced the landing, he said. The landing gear of the plane struck a stump, the impact tearing away a wheel and part of the body of the ship. The other eight passengers were uninjured.

Socrates' Mistake

Like all great men, Socrates could have been any sort of great man; he chose to become a philosopher, not knowing that it is safer to be a general.—American Magazine.

Uncle Eben

"I worked fob a man," said Uncle Eben, "dat could speak three languages. But he didn' seem to know nuffin' wuth tellin' in any of 'em."—Washington Star.

Polo Pony Ranch in '83

South Dakota was the first state to have a polo pony ranch and was raising that type of steed for export in 1883, before there was a demand in this country.

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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the Payment of the Sum of Four Hundred Thirty-Eight and 50-100 ($438.50) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest thereon to date of this Notice, all of which is claimed to be due, and is due at the date of this notice, under and pursuant to the Terms of that certain Mortgage, made, executed and delivered by Petrea Anderson, a widow, Mortgagor, to William K. Hoefer, Mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of July 1929, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of July 1929, at 8 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Book 79 of Mortgages, on page 494 thereof,

AND WHEREAS, by Reason of said Default, the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative, and No Action or Proceeding having been instituted in Law, or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any Part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by Virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11) in Block Three (3) in Zeh's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Plat or Map thereof now on file and of Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota,

together with the Hereditaments and Appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 25th day of January 1930, at 10 o' clock in the forenoon of that day, at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash, to pay said Debt of $438.50, together with Interest to the date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and Fifty Dollars Attorney Fee as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursements allowed by Law, subject to Redemption at any time within one Year from the day of Sale, as provided by Law.

Dated this 11th day of December 1929.

William K. Hoefer,
Mortgagee

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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Sunday, Jan 5th, Services as follows:

St. Pauli, 11:00 A. M.

St. Hilaire, 7:45 P. M.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services in Black River church at 10:30 A. M. Sunday Jan. 5th.

Annual business meeting of Black River Jan 7th at 1:00 P. M. in the Black River church.

Annual business meeting in Clara Jan. 10th. at 2:00 P. M.

Thanks

For the co-operation in the work of the church during the year 1929; for the many gifts and greetings sent us during the Holy Days of Christmas, as well as the offering lifted at the Christmas services in various churches of the Charge, we hereby express our sincere appreciation and thanks.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle
and children.

Will Spend $7,800,000 for Bird Conservation

Washington.—A total of $7,800,000 will be expended under authorization of the migratory bird conservation act, of which $200,000 has been provided for the fiscal year ending June, 1931, $600,000 for the fiscal year ending in 1932, and $1,000,000 each for the seven succeeding years. Thereafter $200,000 is authorized for the year ending June 30, 1940, and for each succeeding fiscal year.

Before proposed areas are definitely settled on as sanctuaries following investigation by the Department of Agriculture, the commission consisting of the secretary of the interior, and two members each from the senate and house of representatives must indorse the selections.

Under the act establishing the bird reservations, provision also is made for the maintenance and improvement of the areas. The establishment of the sanctuaries and administration of the act is only one of the features of the program in which bird lovers have been actively interested.

Elusive Rabbit Leads Pursuing Dog to Death

Newark, N. J.—A hound dog owned by Walter Sereda of Caldwell township, died under unusual circumstances. The dog chased a rabbit which took refuge in a lead pipe about a foot long. The dog dived after it and its head caught in the pipe.

The hound managed to stagger home with the pipe on its head but neither Sereda nor anyone else was able to help and the dog died with it on.

Napoleon's Diamond Necklace Now in U. S.

New York.—The diamond necklace, which Napoleon I presented to Empress Maria Louisa on the birth of their only child, the duke of Reichstadt, has been brought to this country. The necklace consists of 47 large diamonds set in silver and gold and is valued at $500,000. It is owned by the archduchess of Austria, Marie Theresa, now seventy-four.

OUR COMIC SECTION

Events in the Lives of Little Men

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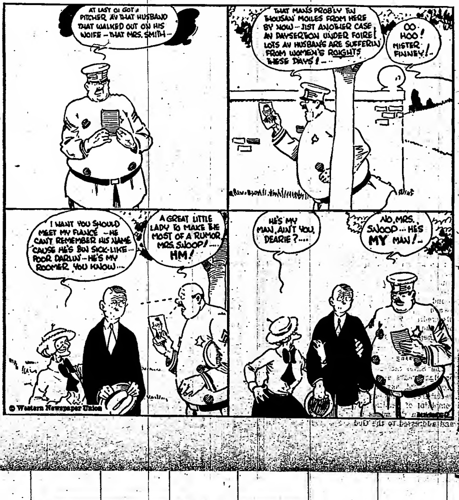

GETS LIFE FOR KILLING WIFE TO SAVE SOUL

Slayer Feared That Spouse Would Stray From Christian Faith.

North Platte, Neb.—Life in tha state penitentiary is the penalty George St. Clair, twenty-two-year-old slayer, must pay for strangling his eighteen-year-old wifa June to "send her and her unhorn habe to heaven."

A jnry fonnd the yonth guilty of first degree murder and recommended life imprisonment for the crime, committed September 28, when St. Clair faced loss of his joh as iceman for railway refrigerstors.

Indifference, which had marked tha demeanor of St. Clair thronghont his trial, remained as the verdict was rend.

"I believe I did right by doing it. I believe I have pnt her and the baby into heaven, where they never will feel tha hard winter that faced me withont a job. They are saved, wishing me tha best, and I'm only sorry the jnry and the rest of the world conldn't nnderstand how I felt," St. Clair said.

Sure She's in Heaven.

"It wns inst May that I first thought of murdering my wife. We had to live pretty close and also I was afraid she might stray away from tha Christian faith. She was a Christian and I knew sha wonld go to heaven," tha husband testified dnring the triol.

Admitted He Might Have Done Wrong.

On cross-examination, however, he admitted he might have done wrong in disobeying the Ten Commandments and said perhaps he wonld "hnrn in hell" for that. Proper repentance, he believed, wonld sove him even from that.

The religions interests displayed by St. Clair occupied major sttention dnring tha trial, the defense contending he was snbject to delusions hronght on by excessive religious feeling.

Responsible, Doctors Say.

Physicians for the state, however, testified St. Clair knew right from wrong and that the length of time which elapsed dnring the preparations for the mnrder and bnrial of the yonng wife in a shallow grave showed premeditation.

St. Clair strnngled bis wife near the municipnl airfield here after apending the evening in town hnying supplies. He stored the body in the tonnean of the car, drove back to a filling station to hny gasoline, and finally hnried the body 23 miles ont in the sand hills. He dng the grave with a shovel he hnd just pnrchased.

Two days later he asked the police to look for his wife. After a day of questioning he confessed he had killed her. In the original confession be said ha had heen overcome with fear over loss of his job, but later advanced the defense of religions delusion.—

Man Thumped on Chin Finds Voice Regained

Bethlehem.—After heing speechless for the last six years as a resnlt of a blow on the chin while sparring, William Martin, who has heen in this city hnt a short time, suddenly regained his power of speech recently when ha was felled in a friendly encounter with his employer.

The man nrrived in this city recently and bss been engaged in odd jobs aronnd poolrooms and bowling alleys, bnt was obliged to transmit his thonghts to other men by paper and pencil. While sparring with his employer, Martin's bead struck the floor in falling and to his amazement he found be could talk. At first be experienced a gagging sensation, bnt soon was able to talk freely. Medical aid proved of no avail during the six years be was speechless.

Bandits Return Purse to Victim of Holdup

Anderson, Ind.—After ten holdups in this locality in the last week, bandits are becoming soft-hearted. Three robbers looted the Bennett drug store, getting $60. They returned a purse to Joe Cummins, a clerk, when be said he needed his money to go to school. One thousand dollars was obtained from participants in a poker game.

Hollanders Frown on Flowers at Funerals

Because $15,000 worth of flowers were spent for a single funeral in Holland, writes the Amsterdam correspondent of tha San Francisco Chronicle, Dntch philanthropists hava decided to abolish flower gifts for the desd. "To waste hundreds of thonsands of dollars a year for ostentatious flower gifts, which often are no expression of mourning, but of snobbery, means sn injustice to poor families that might henefit from the money," the committee declares.

"Sweden organized a 'flower fund,' which seems to ns a good way out," the Dutch committee explains. "When tha Swedes noticed that they spent something lika $10,000,000 a year for flower gifts and wreaths, they decided to ask that every one should donate the money he'd spend for flowers to the flower fund. Instead of flowers, this fund would send a littia album to the family the flowera wera meant for, explaining which snm had been contributed to the fund. Tha fund goes to a boma for aged persons.

"In Switzerland people add to the snnonncement of s death, 'Please think of——' and then follows the name of soma hospital. This means friends are asked to send money to the hospital inatead of flowera for the grave."

Viennese Chefs Given Highest European Rank

In the cookery competition smong Engl nd, India, tha United States, France, Germany and Austria at the international exhibition of gastronomic art at Frankfort-on-the-Main the Anstrinn team, consisting of nine leading cooks, was tha winner. The Austrians received six golden crosses of honor and three prizes and diplomas of honor, writes tha Vienna correspondent of the London Sunday Observer. The Viennese menn was unanimously declared to be excellent, and a leading German expert said that the Austrian table arrangement was the finest of tha exhibition.

The special Viennese dishes were even more soccessful than tha internationol conrses prepared by the Austrians. They were all consumed eoch day by visitors to tha exhibition hy 2:00 p. m., thougb they onght to have lasted nntil 8:00 p. m. The Viennese feel flattered thot the English hotel proprietors hove invited them to an exhibition in London.

Cynic Tells Why Girls Yawn on Way to Work

"The latest trick of the smart sleek stenog. and shop girl on the early morning trains," growled the cynic, "is to start yawning in order to convey tha impression to the other passengers that they are hnrd-holled birds who hava been up all night—that heing the hollmark of the real thing in New York.

"Those who really have slept all night pull fnke yawns easy to spot, bnt they get nwoy with it and are looked on with envy by those who lead simple lives.

"The great trouble with the ynwning fad is that a yawning stenog. starts those opposite her to yawning and the whole carload of passengers gets infected.

"But it's great to see these wonld-he hot dogs showing off."—New York Sun.

Interesting Old Tome

Yale law school library has recently secured by gift a copy of the first edition of Grotins' "Da Jure Belli ac Pacis," pnhlished in 1625. Thia copy of Grotins' epoch-making book on the history of international lnw is an example of the second or "B" impression of the first edition, in which there are a few typographical changes made by Grotins while tha book was in the press. Of tha first edition it is believed only three other copies are in tha United States, those in Brown university, Harvard and the University of Michigan libraries. Tha edition of 1646 hos heen photographicnlly reprodnced by tha Carnegie institute of Washington. Tha copy acquired hy Yale ia in perfect condition and is considered a fine example of early typographical work.

Longevity Statistics

The average span of life in this coontry, or tha expectation of life at hirth, is 55.33 years for males and 57.52 for females. The United Statea life tables, compnted by the hurean of tha census, show that of 70,686 persons reaching the nge of forty, three will be 52,542 living to the sga of sixty; in other words, ahont 74 per cent of thosa reaching forty will live to tha sga of sixty.

Speechmaking

"Have you decided what yon will say in yonr next speech?"

"No," answered Senstor Sorghnm. "Statesmen now have to work so hard and radio tima bas become so limited that I don't know whether I'll get a chance to talk."

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Pills to Fight Epidemics

Medicol officers of India nre interested in the inoculation ngoinst cholera, typhoid and dysentery by pills instead of hy injection. The method, a discovery of Professor Besredko of tha Pasteur institute of Pnris, is favored by Dr. N. De Zoyso, chief medical officer of the protective self-vaccination campaign in Indio, who snys thnt by meons of the self-inocuintion pills the masses who ore not renched by doctors could protect themselves nt first signs of an epidemic.

Very Green

The following is stnted to be true—but not by us!

The owner of a cnttle rnnch oeor Wann, Okln., worried hecnuse his pastnres were dry and his cnttle were oot fattening. So he hought 500 pairs of green goggles and fitted them on his cows.

The nnimals were shipped to market in prima condition, ond the rancher insists it was hecnuse they ate the shrivelled grass which looked green through the spectacles.—London Tit-Bits.

Only the worm of conscience consorts with the owl. Sinners nnd evil spirits shun the light.—Schiller.

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The Desert Moon Mystery

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SYNOPSIS

Sam Stantay, wealthy owner of the Desert Moon ranch, informs his housekeeper, Mary Magin, that his former wife's twin daughters, Danielle and Gabrielle, are coming to the ranch to live, their mother being dead and their father, Daniel Canneziano, who had been the cause of Sam's divorcing his wife, in the penitentiary. Sam's adopted boy, John, has grown to manhood, and a girl, Martha, weak-minded. Mrs. Ollie Ricker, Martha's nurse, Hubert Hand and Chadwick Canfield are the other members of the household. The girls arrive. John becomes engaged to Danielle. Gabrielle seeks to win John from her sister, and her actions when she receives a letter from France mystify Mrs. Magin. Sam learns Canneziano is soon to be released from the penitentiary. Mrs. Magin finds Gabrielle, choked to death, with tobacco ashes beside her. She realizes that the ashes must be from Sam's pipe, he being the only pipe smoker, and conceals them before calling the household. Caufield commits suicide. The coroner's verdict is murder and suicide. Sam finds a note left by Caufield confessing he killed Gabrielle, but the voucher proves he could not have done it, and the entire household is under suspicion. Danielle shows Mrs. Magin the letter Gabrielle had received from France. It is in code, typewritten.

CHAPTER IX—Continued

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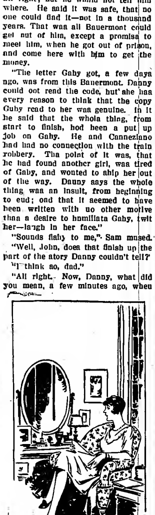
"No, of course he didn't, dad. I'm giving you Bauermont's story, that's all. According to him Canneziano told him he had hidden the money here, all right; but he would not tell him where. He said it was safe, that no one could find it—not in a thousand years. That was all Bauermont could get out of him, except a promise to meet him, when he got out of prison, and come here with him to get the money.

"The letter Gaby got, a few days ago, was from this Bauermont. Danny could not read the code, but she has every reason to think that the copy Gaby read to her was genuine. In it he said that the whole thing, from start to finish, had been a put up job on Gaby. He and Canneziano had had no connection with the train robbery. The point of it was, that he had found another girl, was tired of Gaby, and wanted to ship her out of the way. Danny says the whole thing was an insult, from beginning to end; and that it seemed to have been written with no other motive than a desire to humiliate Gaby, twit her—laugh in her face."

"Sounds fishy to me," Sam mused. "Well, John, does that finish up the part of the story Danny couldn't tell?"

"I think so, dad."

"All right. Now, Danny, what did you mean, a few minutes ago, when



Danny Could Not Read the Code.

you warned me to be careful, like you did?"

"I—" Danny stammered, "—wanted you to be careful about what you said, in anger."

"In other words, you wanted me to be careful about saying anything that would seem to implicate John?"

"John is not guilty."

"How do you know that?"

"I know it the same way that you all seem to know that Chad was not guilty. I know John."

"That's all right. But you can't know John's innocence like we know Chad's; because, from the time Gaby came downstairs, until we all set out to look for her, Chad was not out of my sight. He was at the piano. He walked to the barn with me. He stayed in the barn with me. He walked back to the house with me. He was with us all during supper."

"You," said Danny, "say that Chad was in the barn with you during all of that hour. I wonder whether Chad, if he were alive, could swear that you were in the barn with him, during all of that hour?"

"What do you mean by that, my girl?" Sam questioned.

Danny sat and stared at him, her eyes wide, her lips bitten tight; and looked as if she were frightened plumb out of her senses, and did not say one word.

"You meant something when you said that," Sam insisted. "Now what was it? Come, speak up. I don't aim to treat you mean, and you know I'm sorry for you, and feel for you in your trouble. But what is it you have on your mind?"

She sat there, still as a mouse; her big eyes growing bigger from fright.

John said gently, "If you have anything to say—please say it."

"You won't blame me?" she pleaded. "You won't blame me, afterward?"

"Could I blame you for telling what you think is the truth?"

"Hubert," she spoke suddenly, and very sharply, for her, "did you see Uncle Sam, all that time, in the barn? Could you see him, all the time, while you were milking the cows? He says he could not see you."

"No—" Hubert hesitated. "No—I guess I didn't see him, all the time. He was at one end of the barn, and I was at the other. But I heard him talking to Chad all the time. Sam was right there all the time, Danny. No getting away from that."

"But there is," she said. "You all seem to have forgotten it, but Chad was a mimic and a ventriloquist. He could have stayed there in the barn alone, and with no trouble at all, made you think that Uncle Sam was there, too, and that they were talking together."

I stopped breathing. I think the others stopped breathing. John spoke first.

"Four cows got milked. Chad couldn't milk. Never milked a cow."

"How do you know?" Danny said. "You know only that Chad said he could not milk. We all know that he was lazy. He was raised on a farm. He told me he was."

John said: "He told me that he was born and reared in Chicago."

"Shut up, John," Sam commanded. "Go on, Danny."

"That's all," she said. "Except, that if Chad could milk, that would have given Uncle Sam nearly all of that hour—"

"Dan!" John's voice sounded as if he were talking to one of his meanest broncos. "Stop it! Sitting here and accusing dad, with no evidence—nothing but a crazy, wild idea—"

"That is not true. I have evidence. I picked up Gaby's bag from the steps yesterday evening. Tobacco and pipe ashes were sticking to it. No one else on this place smokes a pipe. No one else, anywhere, drops his pipe whenever he is excited." She turned to me. "That is what I told you I dared not tell—" She hid her face in her hands.

Sam's pipe fell from his mouth.

CHAPTER X

A Part of the Past.

It seemed to me that, when Sam's pipe hit the floor, it made a noise like doom cracking. We all sat still as stones. I suppose it could not have been more than a minute, but it seemed a long time before John left Danny's side and went and picked up the pipe and handed it to Sam.

"It's all right, dad," he said.

"Not by a d—n sight, it's not all right," Sam came back to his senses vigorously. "But it is interesting—this thing. It is getting interesting anyway. Let me see— If I had got Chad to help—and I could have, by telling him it was some joke or other I had on hand—I could have sneaked out of the barn, met her and killed her, during that hour. When could I have got the body upstairs, though? That's the first missing link. My reason for killing her would be another, but—"

"Say! See here, dad." John cut in.

"You shut up, son. We are waiting to hear the rest of what Dann has to say. Come, Danny, can you supply either of those missing links?"

"No," she said, and sighed. It was easy to see that she was plumb tuckered out. "No, of course I can't."

"Sam, you look here—" I began.

"You shut up, too, Mary," Sam said.

Mrs. Ricker spoke. She had her say out. Nobody, not even Sam, would any more think of telling Mrs. Ricker to shut up, than they would think of telling any other dumb object, that suddenly started to talk to shut up.

"I think," Mrs. Ricker said, "that the girl herself probably killed her sister. If Sam's pipe ashes were on the bag, she put them there, afterwards, to make trouble for him."

Sam said, "Shucks!"

I thought John would be the first to speak. I was mistaken.

It was Danny herself who said, "Make her talk, now, Uncle Sam. Make her talk now, and give her reasons for saying such a cruel, wicked, lying thing."

"Mrs. Ricker," Sam put the question very solemnly, "have you any reasons for making this accusation?"

"I have a feeling that she is guilty."

"This," Sam said, sternly, "is no time for feeling, nor fat quibbling. You made a serious accusation—straight out. I want your reason, or reasons, for making it, and I want them jus as straight."

"I have no reasons," Mrs. Ricker said. "That is why I suspect her."

"Ah-ah-ah! Women!" Sam said; and the way he said it, it was the blackest oath he had used that day.

"I think," I said, talking fast to keep Sam from shutting me up before I could get anything said, "that if, in suspicioning an innocent girl like Danny, Mrs. Ricker is simply drawing on her woman's instinct, she'd better pass it up, for the present, and listen to some plain sexless sense.

"Gaby came downstairs at four. Danny called after her, right then; so Danny was in the house right then. Gaby went to the rabbit hutch and stopped long enough to give Martha the bracelet. Almost as soon as Martha was in the house with the bracelet, Danny was downstairs with us, cool, collected, and undisturbed. Now suppose that Gaby had come straight back into the house. I guess every one would agree that it would take her five minutes to get back upstairs. That would leave Danny not more than ten minutes to kill her, and to come downstairs, as I've said, collected and undisturbed. Come to think of it, Gaby could not have talked to Martha and got to the attic stairway in any five minutes. At the widest figuring, that leaves Danny about five minutes—"

As I had been fearing he would, Sam stopped me. "That's all right, too, Mary. But there is no need to draw so long a bow. No need to count minutes on Danny. The note in Gaby's bag fixes her innocence better than all the minutes on the clock could."

"No, it does not," Mrs. Ricker said. "Gaby knew that she had reason to fear an enemy. She probably found that out from the code letter. She may never have suspected that the enemy was her own sister."

"I wish I knew," Sam said, giving Mrs. Ricker a long look, "what you are getting at, Mrs. Ricker. I'd give that," Sam dangled out his right hand, "to know what any one of you was getting at. I think Danny would have to be pretty hard put to it, before she'd invent that story about my pipe ashes— See here, did anyone else think they saw my pipe ashes around there?"

I imagined I could feel Hubert Hand's eyes boring into me. My face burned. I raised my eyes. Sam was staring straight at me.

"Mary," he said, "you found the body. Did you see pipe ashes there, then?"

My only excuse is, that it takes longer than a minute or two minutes to betray a person who has been your best friend for twenty-five years.

I said, "No."

"I am going to ask you to swear to that. Somebody get the Bible."

Nobody moved.

"You haven't made any of the others swear to anything," I said.

"I haven't caught any of the others in what I was sure was a direct and deliberate lie."

I felt weaker than filtered water. It is one thing to tell a lie, offhand into the free air. I haven't much use for a person who can't do that, when absolutely necessary. It is another thing to put your hand on the Good Book and swear to a lie. I knew that I could not do it.

"Martha," Sam said, "run and get the Bible for dad."

Martha seemed to be sound asleep. I did not notice anything queer about her appearance. Mrs Ricker must have noticed something queer. She jumped to her feet and dashed across the room to where Martha was lying. A shriek went piercing through the house, splintering the air into quivering bits of agony.

Every one has awakened from sleep, cold with the sweating terror of some hideous nightmare, but with only the vaguest impressions of its detail. So it is with me, and that nightmare hour. I can not reconstruct it. It remains, yet, in my mind as nothing but a horror of confusions.

Some of us made desperate attempts with restoratives.

I remember Sam's crying, with his face uncovered, like a child. I can hear him saying that he had given her a sleeping powder, had forced it upon her. I can hear, plainest of all, Mrs. Ricker's voice, with all the pent up passions of years breaking forth in torrents of heartbreak.

"My baby. My baby girl. My darling. Mothers' life. Mother's heart. Speak to mother. My lamb. My baby."

Her voice again, but cruel now, as she shrieks at Hubert Hand. "Stand there, you beast! Stand there, dry eyed and look at your dead daughter. The child you deserted. The child you ignored—"

I remember the feeling of the fresh air as I walked beside Sam, who was carrying Martha, out of the house. I think that it was John who explained to me that the doctor, who had left Telko, was going to meet us on the road, in order to save time. I remember Mrs. Ricker's scream, when—futile, unnecessary horror—Sam stumbled with his burden as he went to step into the sedan.

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The doctor, who was younger and more cruel than even a doctor has a right to be, said that Martha had died from a stoppage of the heart, undoubtedly induced by the strong drug in the sleeping powder that had been administered. In other words, Sam had killed her. He loved her. How deeply he had loved her, none of us had ever had sense enough to realize.

We had her funeral, and Chad's, two days later. All the people in the valley came. At first, I thought that they had come to honor the dead, and Sam. But, as I stood by the graves, and watched the faces about me, faces that held suspicion, horror, curiosity; sly faces, cruel faces, eager faces, I did not care to think why most of them had come.

There were only four of us around the table that evening. Mrs. Ricker had gone straight to her room, after the funeral. Danny, with no protest from Sam, had left the day before to take Gaby's body to San Francisco.

"You people," Hubert Hand spoke suddenly, to John and Sam and me, "have been awfully decent about not asking questions since the other afternoon."

"Never mind that, now, Hand," Sam answered. "I've known, since the first week you came to the ranch, that there was, or had been, something between you two. You'd been her lover, I suppose. Well—men do. That's all. I reckon you deserted her, eh? And treated her like h—l, generally. And she found a refuge here. And, later, probably, heard that you were in trouble, and sent you a letter and told you to come here. Put you wise about the cheas racket. Helped you. Made a refuge for you. Women do.

"I suppose she slipped poor Martha in, in place of the child she'd got from the orphanage—used the same papers. Well—to keep on repeating myself, mothers do. You and she have both lived straight and acted decent for the years you've been here. If the two of you want to keep on living in this h—l-hole, and keep on straight and acting decent, you'll get the same treatment from me you've always got."

Hubert Hand pushed back his chair, got up, and walked to the window. "By G—d, but you're a white man, Sam!" he said. "You're so d—n white that you make every one around you look yellow as sulphur by contrast.

"You've got it doped out right about Ollie Ricker and me. She was twelve years older than I was—I always felt like that was kind of an excuse for me. Guess not, though. She was a good enough girl until I came along, just out of prison, and as rotten as two years in prison can make a kid. That's pretty d—n rotten. She kept me pretty straight for a while. I ought to have married her, and I know it, before the kid was born. But she was so jealous that she made life a living hell for me. I—well, I wouldn't marry her.

"It was her fault that I got sent up the second time for forgery. She talked to a girl friend of hers, and the girl snitched. Up to that time, I think that Ollie Ricker talked more than any living woman. She took a vow, the day they got me, that she'd never speak an unnecessary word again in her life. I'll say she's kept that vow pretty well. I wish to God I'd taken the same vow, before I shot my mouth off about John, the other day."

"You don't think that I did it, then?" I wished John could have seemed less eager.

"On the square," Hubert answered, "I don't see who else could have

"She Talked to a Girl Friend of Hers, and the Girl Snitched."

done it. That makes no never minds. I wish I'd kept my mouth shut, on account of Sam—"

"Leave me out of it," Sam growled, "and forget it. Forget the whole d—n thing, if you can. I'm through. I'm a fool. I'm a d—n sight worse—I'm an old fool. A girl got killed on the Desert Moon ranch. A boy killed himself for love of her. The killer got clean away. So far as I'm concerned, it is going to rest there. I'm closing the book. Soon as I can, I'll sell out the d—n place, lock, stock and barrel."

"That doesn't go for me, dad," John said. "And I think you'll change your mind. I'm not willing to go on the rest of my life with half a dozen people thinking that I killed Gabrielle. No sir, not with one person thinking it. Here's another thing, dad. Danny honestly believes that, some way or other, you are mixed up in this thing. We can't marry, with a thing like that between us. I guess it doesn't make any difference in the way we feel toward each other; but it makes a barrier, just the same, that will have to come down before we marry."

"You think Danny is coming back here, then?" Hubert questioned.

"How do you mean? They read a telegram to me, not an hour ago, saying that she'd get in on number Twenty-one Friday afternoon."

"I'll bet she's not on it."

"Say, Hand—"

"Keep your shirt on, John. We all know that Danny is innocent of the crime, and that she is a good little scout— a lot better than Gaby was, if not half as charming and attractive. But—she knows more than she wishes to know. She knows more than she's going to tell. Maybe more than she can tell, in safety. For the love of Mike, folks—couldn't you see that she had some reason for working up that case against Sam? Cutting it out of whole cloth. If she'd been trying to shield John, do you think she'd have used Sam for that purpose? Not on your life she wouldn't have, she'd have pinned it on me, or Mrs. Ricker, or even on Mary. She did try to pin it on Chad—"

Mrs. Ricker came tottering into the room. Sam jumped to meet her, and helped her over to his own big chair at the head of the table.

She leaned forward, her long black-sleeved arms stretched straight in front of her over the white cloth, her hands clenched into fists.

"For hours," she said, "I have been trying to reach a decision. I have reached it. I have come here to confess."

"Before I came to the Desert Moon—" she began, but Hubert Hand stopped her.

"Never mind, Ollie. No need confessing, as you say, any of that. Sam knows all about us. It is all right with him. I mean—he realizes it's all long past."

"Do you know all of our story?" Mrs. Ricker lifted her faded eyes to Sam.

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Legal Enactments for Settling Public Lands

During the existence of the government under the Articles of Confederation, congress on September 6, 1780, passed a resolution recommending the survey and disposal by the several states of their waste and unappropriated lands to aid in paying the public debt incurred by the War of the Revolution. In the beginning these lands were regarded as an asset for the payment of this debt. The earliest efforts were to sell the land in large blocks and, prior to the organization of our present government, congress made three such sales. On June 15, 1785, congress under the Articles of Confederation passed a resolution forbidding settlement on the public domain. The act of March 3, 1807, prohibited such settlement under penalty of forfeiting any right or claim a settler may have, and the President was authorized to use civil and military force to remove such persons from the lands. Certain exceptions were made in favor of those who had settled there before the passage of the act, and later, for those who had settled before February 1, 1816, a privilege of temporary occupancy was given. From time to time acts were passed providing for the preemption rights within certain areas and subject to varying conditions.

Birds That Cannot Walk

All members of the swallow family are distinguished by their small, weak feet which are used only for clinging and perching purposes. They cannot walk or hop on the ground. These birds spend more of their time on the wing than other birds and they feed chiefly on insects which they catch while in flight. Even water is scooped from ponds by the birds on the wing. Barn swallows and purple martens are the most common species of this family in America.

"Bankrupt" Ancient Term

The origin of the word "bankrupt" is traced back to ancient times. A Hebraic custom required the deposit in the temple of certain sums of money in Hebraic currency. As Roman coins were frequently used, money changers set up their table or bench (bank) on which they kept Hebraic coins to be bought in Roman money. Money was also lent, and sometimes the changer found himself owing more than he owned. To prevent further calamity his creditors drove him from his business and broke his bench to pieces. He was then "bench-broken" or bankrupt.

Message Undeciphered

The Sinai tablets, discovered seven or eight years ago near the base of Mount Sinai, have been only partially deciphered. They appear to be the complaint of Semitic laborers brought to work in the mines in that locality and addressed to the Goddess Hathor.

Wit and Humor

FORESIGHT

He was visiting the newlyweds at their home. Everything was fine, but—

"Why did you take an apartment with such a tiny kitchenette, Tom, old boy?"

"Well, you're the first man I've told, so keep it quiet. It's so small I can't get in there to help my wife when she's doing the dishes."

Early Tuition

"Do you think a successful politician must spend many years in getting an education?"

"All depends," said Senator Sorghum, "on what kind of politics he gets into. I know of underworld workers who appear to have learned more in jail than they learned in school."—Washington Star.

A REINCARNATION SURE

Friend (referring to new-born babe) "Just think, Tom, there's your son having his first day of crying." Dad—"I can hardly think it is Jim—sounds to me like he's had a lot of practice before."

Antarctic Advantage

Yonder, in far Antarctic seas,
The ships repose amid a freeze
And make us envy icy storm,
While weather prophs say "fair and warm."

Opinions Differ

Wifey (reading paper)—It's a shame! Simply revolting! Down in the South Sea islands a man pays $20 for a wife!

Hubby—Yes, that's a lot of money, but if she is pleasant and good looking and a willing worker she might be worth it.

The Guest Towels

Hubby—Well, darling, I ran that errand for you today. I bought the towels and took them to a seamstress to have the question marks sewed on.

Surprised Wife—What on earth did you think I asked you to buy?

Hubby—You told me to buy a dozen guess towels, of course.—Chicago Daily News.

MEAN INDEED

"You say Jack's father is miserably mean?"

"Yes, he's so mean he wouldn't even give Jack a liberal education."

Who Has the Answer?

I ask a simple question,
This only truth I wish:
Are all fishermen liars,
Or do only liars fish?

Business First

The Officer—When you seen them dames start bitin' an' hair pullin' why didn't you stop 'em an' not wait till they near murdered each other?

The Movie Operator—Stop 'em! Why, man, there was a hundred feet of film in the camera.

Merely Advisory

Mr. Neversweat—I can't get out and hustle up a job. The doctor's forbidden me to work.

His Wife—Fergit it! The doc ain't the business agent of your union.

Chances Bright

"Hm! So you wish to marry my daughter. May I ask, how are your future prospects? Can you provide for her?"

"Yes, absolutely. I have a very rich uncle, sixty-five years old, who has lately taken up aviation."

The Right Place

Bill—Do you notice that lady over there? What a friendly expression she wears on her face.

Hal—Yes, but where else could she possibly have it?

The Children's Corner

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LIGHTHOUSE ADVENTURES

PART V

"'Hello,' said I, 'Do you know where these boats come from?'

"'From the East Indies,' said the boy, 'They're dandies, aren't they? Clipper Ships! Want to go on board?'

"I remembered my errand in time and told him about it. 'I'll take you there,' he said.

"We went on together. This new companion seemed especially interested in me. 'You're rich, aren't you?' he asked. 'Have you a lot of money with you?'

"I showed him the roll of bills my father had given me. I noticed that he looked at it rather wistfully, and I would have given him some gladly if I hadn't known that I needed it all for my father's errands.

"On the next wharf we found the shop, but the shutters were down and the door locked. It was evidently too early. So we went exploring on the end of the pier, jumping over piles, and climbing around some barges that were fastened at one corner of the wharf.

"When I realized from the height of the sun that it must be time for business to begin, I hurried back to the shop. My friend had wandered off, and I was alone again. Firmly clutching the letter my father had given me, I walked into the shop. From out of the shadows on the other side of the counter, an old man peered. He pushed his spectacles up on his nose and looked at the letter. 'Ah, my old friend's son, Jack,' he said, 'I'm glad to meet you.'

"'I'm glad to meet you sir,' said I, and reached into my pocket for the bills my father had given me. But I brought my hand out empty. The money was gone.

"I was so frightened that I didn't use my wits. Instead of telling the storekeeper my trouble and asking him to help me, I rushed back on the wharf, thinking that perhaps I had dropped the bills there while I was playing with the ragged boy. I was running wildly up and down, looking behind coils of rope and boxes, and even in the water, when I saw my friend, the little ragged boy, disappear behind the building on the end of the wharf.

"'Wait for me,' I cried. I ran after him along the edge of the slippery pier near the water's edge. The way was narrow, and I was afraid of falling off, but I hurried on, clinging now and then to a pile to steady myself. Why didn't he wait for me? I wondered. It wasn't fair of him to play games when I needed him. He might have seen the money somewhere, or at least he might help me find it. I had forgotten the kind storekeeper. It seemed to me that this boy was my only friend in a strange and bewildering city and he was running away from me.

"By now we had left the wharf and I found myself in a tangle of streets. I had no idea which way to go, but kept on, turning now to the left, now to the right, bumping into people, and squeezing between the wheels of carts.

"Thinking I saw him disappear into a dark tunnel that led under a house, I slipped in, too, and came out into a sunny courtyard that had no exit except the way by which I had come. I was completely lost.

"In the middle of the court two stout women were gossiping. When they saw me they stopped talking and looked me over from head to foot, their hands on their hips. 'What do you want?' asked one of them, rather sharply.

"'I've lost my money, and I don't know where I am,' I said, timidly.

"'We haven't any money to give away,' said one of them. Then she spoke more kindly. 'You'd better go outside where you came from, and ask a policeman to tell you the way.'

"They returned to their gossiping, leaving me standing there, so the only thing for me to do was to go back through the tunnel. I hadn't wanted to tell the two women that I didn't know what a policeman was. They wouldn't have understood, not knowing that I had spent all my life in a lonely lighthouse, a mile from shore.

"Bewildered by the noise and confusion, I looked about me. The street was thronged with people, more than I had seen in all my life before. Some of them were selling fruits and vegetables from carts pulled up beside the curb, and all of them seemed to be busy about something. I was standing in a daze when I heard a voice speaking to me. I looked up gratefully and saw a tall, gray-haired man in a silk hat. He smiled down at me.

"'Please, sir, are you a policeman?' I asked politely. The old man laughed and laughed. 'No, I'm not a policeman,' he said, 'but perhaps I can help you. Have you lost your way?'

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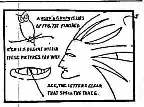

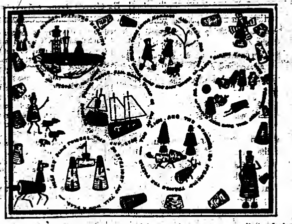

CORK FUN

Save all the corks that come into your house! So many things can be done with them, so many members of the "Korkin" family can be made that you will have hours of fun, once you have made a collection. Faces of all kinds can be drawn on their soft sides, toothpicks make excellent arms and legs and serve very well to fasten bodies together. The Korkins can swim, roll or stand erect. Stood in line they make very perfect ten pins and when a soft ball is rolled at them will tumble at will. Animals are fun to make from them, too, in fact the pictures will give you many ideas and you will have many of your own. Have you some around the house to start with now? —Florence Walton.

Most Skillful Old-Time Fiddler

George Shookman, seventy-six, who captured the highest honors as the most skillful old-time fiddler in a contest in which thirty-five veteran wielders of the bow took part recently in St. Louis.

SOME GOOD THINGS TO EAT

By NELLIE MAXWELL

What, indeed, does not that word cheerfulness imply? It means a pure heart, it means a kind and loving disposition, it means humility and charity, it means a generous appreciation of others. —William Makepeace Thackeray.

HERE is a pudding that our grandmothers used to serve often:

Indian Pudding.

Mix one-half cupful of corn meal and one-fourth cupful of flour, one-fourth cupful each of molasses and sugar, one beaten egg, one-half teaspoonful of salt, one-fourth teaspoonful each of ginger and cinnamon, add slowly to one quart of boiling milk, stir until smooth. Pour into a baking dish adding one-half cupful of chopped suet and a handful of raisins. Bake slowly for three hours, stirring occasionally the first hour. Serve with a hard sauce or a lemon or orange sauce.

Uxbridge Lemon Pie.

Boil together one cupful each of sugar and water, add a tablespoonful of butter and thicken with one-half tablespoonful of cornstarch mixed with a little water. When cool, add two well beaten eggs, the juice and grated rind of one lemon and bake with two crusts.

Popovers.

Beat two eggs, add one-fourth teaspoonful of salt, one-half cupful each of milk and water and one cupful of pastry flour. Add only half the liquid until the batter is beaten smooth; use an egg beater for the entire mixing. Bake in smoking hot gem pans twelve minutes.

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This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

The Prince Receives
Chucunaques Dying
Mellon Knows How
Wanted, More U. S. Prisons

The British motto is "Business first." No past disappointment, or prejudice of today, must interfere.

The prince of Wales amid a brilliant company in St. James' palace, received the ambassador from Russia to Great Britain, saying pleasant things about the glory of the Russian people, etc.

King George did not receive the Russian, for two reasons. The present Russian government killed the czar, who was the king's cousin.

And the king, official head of the established Church of England, doesn't like Russia's effort to make religion ridiculous, calling it "the opium of the people."

However, the prince did the receiving well, the ambassador is satisfied and the British will do business with Russia.

F. A. Mitchell-Hedges, British explorer, back from Panama, says the interesting Chucunaques, survivors of a great Indian nation, will soon vanish.

Spaniards long ago landed among them, robbing, killing, and since then they have excluded white people.

The Britisher, pretending to be a god, lighting fires around his tent at night, going through an elaborate, meaningless religious ritual, impressed them. They tolerated him.

Only about 1,000 Chucunaques are left, and disease will soon kill them all.

Their worst diseases are ignorance and superstition, the diseases that have killed off many races and nations, allowing others less ignorant and superstitious to take their places.

Heavy fogs in the East tied up shipping, causing great loss, interfered with Atlantic cables, stopped the air mail completely for days.

Perfection of the helicopter airplane would overcome fog difficulties.

In one day, in this prosperous country, there was a "turn over" of one billion eight hundred million dollars in tax payments and treasury financing alone. Not a ripple on the surface of the financial waters.

Interest rates didn't go up. "Call money," the kind used for Wall Street speculation, remained at 4½ per cent, with unorganized lenders "on the outside" offering to lend at 4 per cent.

Secretary Mellon knows how to handle big finance smoothly. To him a billion dollars is only a billion dollars. Perhaps that's because he has a billion or so of his own.

A mother with a baby handles other babies easily.

Mr. Mitchell, President Hoover's Democratic attorney general, wants $7,000,000 to build new prisons for the United States. He says the problem of prisons is the major one before the Department of Justice.

In Great Britain they are closing prisons, renting prison buildings for other purposes, because crime is diminishing.

The air mail brings to President Hoover a petition signed by the presidents of seven Haitian political organizations asking him to keep our marines in Haiti and supervise the presidential election coming in April.

This year little Haiti has 100 candidates for the presidency. They are all fighting men, and their followers are fighting followers. They want the marines to stay and keep them from doing to each other things that they might do.

How many times do you breathe in one minute? Guess, offhand.

Many that know about the revolutions of an airplane propeller, or a steamship screw, take little interest in their own machinery.

The breathing question is suggested by the case of Miss Margaret McIntyre, Plainfield (N. J.) school teacher, who breathes only five times a minute, twelve seconds to a breath. Scientists call her a "physiological miracle." You, probably, breathe fifteen to eighteen times per minute, the average for adults.

However, Miss McIntyre has one advantage. She breathes very deeply. Experiments show that she takes in three pints of air at a breath. The average adult takes in only one pint. We all inhale too little oxygen. That is why we need exercise, making us breathe more rapidly and deeply.

Just before the war, Northcliffe offered $50,000 for a flight across the English Channel, less than fifty miles.

The other day, Coste, French flyer, set a new record by flying nearly 5,000 miles without stopping or taking on fuel.

Great progress in a few years, from fifty miles to 5,000. Who doubts that ten years hence flying across the Pacific, at any point, will be pilots' "child's play," and flying the Atlantic for student flyers?

By this time this country will have to think seriously of hostile air visits from Europe or Japan. Even our greatest "statesmen" will get their minds off archaic battleships.

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BY A FADING FIRE

By Douglas Malloch.

BY THE flickering light of a fading fire
We sit and dream of an old desire.
Though we know not why, there is something then
That fetches the old things back again,
And, gazing deep in the dying flames,
We think of faces, remember names.
No land is far in the firelight's glow,
And it isn't so long to the long ago.

There are nights we knew that have slipped away
Like a starlit sky at the dawn of day,
There are days we knew that have westward passed,
For not even the day itself could last.
We think our days and our nights are done
With the morning star and the evening sun,
But when we sit in the firelight here,
The past returns, and the loved come near.

There are things we knew that we thought forgot,
For the mind forgets—but the heart has not.
We shall often sit by the fire like this,
And shall hear a voice, and shall feel a kiss,
We leave old lands, and we lose old friends,
And we have a joy and it seems it ends,
But they all come back, when the new things tire,
By the flickering light of a fading fire.

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"Matches may be made in heaven," says impious Imogene, "but you have to go elsewhere to smoke."

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What Future Wives Should Know

By JEAN NEWTON

THE thought of this column reverts to that intriguing idea, which we hope will before long have developed beyond the embryonic state—of a school to train women to be good wives.

I asked a woman of many years and much experience and the record, not of many marriages but of one eminently happy one, to tell me what she would teach in a school endowed for the purpose of turning out good wives, happy women, the wives of happy men.

"I should begin," she said, "by teaching the girls a sense of value in choosing the right man to make a choice worthy of their future efforts. I should teach them to choose a man, not for the cut of his coat and the way he can light a woman's cigarette, but for the lines of his chin and the way he treats his mother. I should urge them to put in the balance, not his steps on the dance floor but the gait with which he tackles a job. I should prepare them to observe how he looks at a pretty woman, if his smile then is clean, if there is in it something of reverence—or if he displays the opposite kind of a look.

"The fundamental having been dealt with, I should encourage girls to give some thought to what a man likes in people and things as compared with what they like. Also, I should not count without value the thing called charm, which we should not have to describe because they will feel it—the real all-wool-and-a-yard-wide kind that manifests something from within. Above all, teach them to judge not in the light of the moon, but in the clear glare of all-revealing day. That may take some time,' depending on how much of this kind of judgment a girl is born with. Some will come with no need at all of this preliminary training. They are the lucky ones. Others will come with a sense of values so distorted that you will almost despair of straightening them out. But I should persevere. For in that power of choosing soundly lies their first chance of a life's happiness.

"In a school for training wives we must of course have something of the prosaic requirements; that is those which to the eye of romance are prosaic and inconsequential, but which often prove of great consequence to the life of romance. The well-equipped wife, no matter how highly placed, should be familiar with every duty that goes into the making and keeping of a home—then she can with safety delegate the tasks, from creating an atmosphere of beauty in the home, to producing a good meal, to budgeting resources—so that the Lares and Penates may indeed be household gods and not demons—all that would be a part of the routine in training for wifehood.

"And now for the higher grades, the subjects upon which most depends, which extend into post graduate work, and in which we can always continue to learn. They are such subjects as understanding, give and take, consideration, tact, the smallness of self in the language of love, the joy of giving and where lies happiness. An important class would be that on human nature and its quirks and turns, and the real proposition of little spots on large natures. And last, but not least, if I had the School for Making Good Wives and happy women, I should teach my girls something of child psychology—for in no other way can they so well approach the psychology of men—and Husbands."

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He that can hear a reproof, and mend by it, if he is not wise, is in a fair way of being so.—Franklin.

TO THE EDITOR:

By Fred Barton.

TRAVELING through the South is an interesting experience. They slaughter the vegetables but make up for it with hot cornbread and biscuits.

Today we lunched at a hotel: "General Grant ate here in 1861." Wonder if he used the same roller towel?

Furniture stores have displays of stoves that look like phonographs. The only invention not yet invented is a dish towel that looks like a dish towel and that stays dry until the very last dish.

Today we passed a sunflower garden; canary feed bye and bye. Rather dusty. I got thirsty enough to drink the water out of a vase.

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What Does Your Child Want to Know?

Answered by BARBARA BOURJAILY

WHY ARE PLANTS GREEN?

There's a green substance in all leaves
Which we call chlor-o-phyll.
It gives the leaves their color green,
From oak to daffodil.

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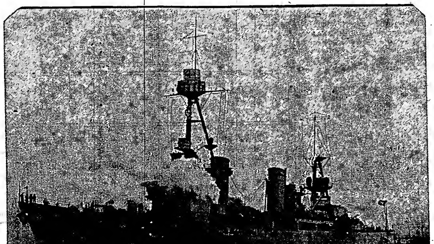
NEW 10,000-TON CRUISER SALT LAKE CITY



The new 10,000-ton cruiser Salt Lake City, as it left Camden, N. J., to undergo a period of severe tests over the naval proving course off Rockland, Maine. The ship, which was constructed under the terms of the Washington conference, is 585 feet 6 inches over all, with an estimated speed of 33 knots.

MALAY STATES

Rubber Planter's Home in Malay States.

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.)

THE Federated Malay states, on Asia's southernmost peninsula, have been literally snatched from an all-covering wild vegetation. Where once the choking jungle crowded men back, a jungle so thick that a man swimming in a stream could hardly land because vines and plants hugged so close to the water's edge—broad fields have now been cleared, and Malays plantations are among the richest in the world.

Forty-five years ago a few para rubber plants smuggled out of Brazil fruited here. Today, three-fourths of the world's rubber comes from this region. And in this magic development Americans have played a leading role.

This Malay peninsula, stretching hundreds of miles from the Siamese frontier down toward the equator, forms a vast humid region of dense forests of jungle, wild elephants, snakes, and naked people, rice fields, rubber plantations, and tin mines.

There is a governmental mixture in this region. Singapore, built on a tiny green isle of the same name, which lies just off the end of the peninsula and nearly on the equator, is the capital of the British crown colony commonly called the Straits Settlements. This colony embraces the Province of Wellesley, the Dindings and Malacca on the mainland, and the islands of Penang and Singapore.

The Federated Malay states, on the peninsula and adjoining the Straits Settlements, comprise the States of Perak, Selangor, Pahang, and Negri Sembilan. Kuala Lumpur is the capital.

Just opposite Singapore, on the mainland, is the independent native state of Johore, which has its own sultan and government, but which is under British protection. The British governor of Singapore is also high commissioner for the Federated Malay states and Brunei, and British agent for north Borneo and Sarawak, thus linking up British possessions and spheres of influence in all Malaya and establishing close contact, through one man, with the colonial office in London.

Many Races There.

"The Melting Pot of Asia," they call this prolific, potent peninsula, because of the babel of races, colors, and castes which its wealth of rubber and tin has drawn to it. But in all this industrial army of Europeans, Chinese, Japanese, Tamils, Hindus, and assorted South Sea Islanders, the Chinese are the most numerous and powerful.

The Malay himself is too lazy even to be a good fisherman. He grows a little rice, a few coconuts, and nets the fish he needs; but nature is so kind that it is said one hour's effort a day will support him and his family.

It is the Chinaman who is the tin miner, the farmer, shopkeeper, artisan, contractor, and financier. The Tamil and the Hindu add to the stock of local labor and own small farms and herds, but the many millionaires made in Malaya have mostly been Chinese. The palatial homes of the rich Chinese bosses in Singapore and Penang, in contrast with the miserable shacks of the natives, afford proof enough of the singular commercial superiority of the yellow race.

Here, indeed, Chinese immigration has worked a modern miracle in the magic reclamation of this once reeking, fever-cursed, jungle-grown wilderness. The Chinese it was who first braved the poisonous darts of the lurking savage, the perils of tigers and reptiles, the flames of fever, and the danger of dysentery, to conquer these jungles and dig the tin that put Malaya on the map of the trading world. Chinese say that tin "grows" and they use the divining rod to locate it.

Singapore is both a great trading center and fortress of the Far East. It is a shining example of how Great Britain has "muddled"—as the British themselves put it—into possession of some of the world's most important strategic gateways. Singapore is an island 27 miles long by 14 wide, and just misses being the southernmost point of the continent of Asia by a half-mile water channel. It is at the funnel point of the Strait of Malacca, which extends between the Malay peninsula and the island of Sumatra, the great water highroad between India and China.

How Raffles Made Singapore.

Little more than a hundred years ago the island, owned by the sultan of Johore on the nearby mainland, was a deserted jungle save for a little fishing village. Ships in the China trade passed it by as they passed many another jungle shore; the only ports of call in that region of the world were those on the Dutch islands of Sumatra and Java. But these ports took a big toll in fees, and Sir Stamford Raffles, an official of the East India company, began to dream of a free British port that would facilitate trade. In 1819 he obtained the seemingly worthless island of Singapore for his company for a small fee. Developments quickly proved him a prophet, for within two years the little trading center he established had a population of 10,000. It was only in 1822 that the British government consented to take an interest in the place.

In the little more than a hundred years since it was founded, the jungle of Singapore has given place to a huge city of close to 400,000 population, carrying on trade valued at a billion dollars annually—one of the metropolises of the British empire. Its quays and anchorages serve thousands of craft of all sorts and sizes, from the picturesque, graceful Malay sampans and the stodgy Chinese junks to the familiar freighters of the West, and what Kipling asserts are the "lady-like" liners. They build up Singapore's shipping to the tremendous total of 17,000,000 tons yearly.

Though Singapore is free from duties, and to this fact owes its very existence, still the people who make up the city take their toll from the stream of world trade that flows about them. They live, in fact, by and for, and in an atmosphere of commerce. Tens of thousands make their livings by caring for shipping, conditioning and supplying vessels, and taking part in loading and unloading goods. The port is primarily a trans-shipping point for both imports and exports. It gives what the economists would call "place value" to hundreds of commodities which trickle to Singapore's reservoirs of goods from scores of districts in the East and are there obtainable in the large quantities that world trade demands. In the city's "godowns"—as the East calls its warehouses—are handled a very large part of the world's finest rubber before it begins the long journey that will take most of it eventually to American highways. So, too, much of the world's tin is smelted in and shipped from Singapore. It might be dubbed "the world's pepper pot," for more pepper is assembled there than is ever held in any other port.

Real Cosmopolitan City.

If ever a city could claim to be cosmopolitan, Singapore can. At one of the principal world crossroads, and with a population 100 per cent immigrant, it could not escape cosmopolitanism. It has drawn its population from practically all parts of Asia, from Oceania, the Malay archipelago, Africa, Europe and America. The Chinese predominate, making up about one-half the population. There have been many thousands of immigrants from India. Europeans, Americans and Australians number less than 10,000, and there are probably as many Japanese.

The appearance of Singapore shows its mixture of many influences. The visitor may ride in 'rikishas or electric cars, automobiles or ancient horse-drawn carriages. In the chief business district he sees modern streets and buildings, and in the Asiatic quarters he encounters facilities and sights and odors that smack of the Orient. Singapore's houses of worship furnish an excellent index to its varied life. There are Christian cathedrals and churches, Moslem mosques, and the temples of half a dozen or more Indian and Chinese and Japanese faiths.

Without making use of reiteration one can hardly describe the physical aspects of Singapore island adequately. It is an island of red, red soil and green, green verdure. The soil is poor, but since Singapore is almost at the equator and moist, vegetation might be said to grow furiously. There is an unending fight between it and the coolies who strive to prevent its vivid green waves from engulfing the conspicuous red roads and cleared spaces.

So, here in the strait, Raffles early declared that the principles of British law should be applied with patriarchal mildness and indulgent consideration for the prejudices of each tribe. All native institutions, such as religious ceremonies, marriage and inheritance, were respected, when not inconsistent with justice and humanity. In this policy lies the secret of British colonising success.

NEWSPAPER ADS GAIN IN VALUE

By G. F. SWIFT, Vice President Swift and Company.

THE public has come to regard advertising in newspapers as genuine service, and consumer confidence in advertising has increased steadily. The housewife finds that she can conduct her shopping with the minimum of time and effort if she studies her newspapers before setting out to buy. The newspaper advertising columns tell her where to go to get what she wants and give her assurance that the commodities will be as represented.

The interest of the reader has served to reduce the unit cost of advertising and thus tends to bring about economies which are shared by the consumer.

Advertising likewise performs a real service for business, enabling the manufacturer or distributor to direct the attention of the public to his products on short notice. By means of advertising the business man now can create a market for his products in a small fraction of the time it might take were advertising media not available.

It may be said that the public is reading newspaper advertising with greater interest and greater confidence than ever before. The increased confidence in advertising undoubtedly is due in a large part to the fact that, in general, both advertisers and newspapers have become exceedingly careful to print only statements which are accurate and reliable.

The modern newspaper censors its advertising with the greatest care for the protection of its readers and refuses to print any advertising which misrepresents the facts.

THREAT OF MACHINE AGE

By REV. DR. RALPH W. SOCKMAN, New York (Methodist)

The modern rise of the machine is accompanied by the modern fall of man. If we are not careful the great American tragedy will be that we shall be incapable of conceiving great tragedy because we are no longer conscious of great destiny.

Two recent anniversaries illumine the trend of our time. We have celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of Edison's epochal invention of the electric light and the seventieth anniversary of John Dewey's birth. The former rightly was hailed as our foremost man of science and the latter as our most formative philosopher. Each has rendered immeasurable service to human society. Edison has given man new controls over his material world which vastly improve the means of living, but his inventions, of course, cannot shed any new light on the ends of living. Dewey's philosophy has for its essence the teaching of man how to control his conduct, but it does not show man the ultimate goals toward which life is to be directed when controlled. Thus we are mastering the implements of living, but we are not getting a better understanding of the ends and significance of life.

MANY LAWS UNFAIR TO WOMEN

By MRS. JANE NORMAN SMITH, National Woman's Party.

There are more than one thousand laws in the United States which discriminate against women. These laws relate to the right of a married woman to contract, to the guardianship of her children, the inheritance and disposal of her property, to the ownership of her own labor and services, and what is more important, to the right of woman in industry to sell her labor on the same terms as a man.

Laws applying to women workers and not to men are among the greatest discriminations. They close many doors of opportunity to women seeking employment, while women thrown out of work by their passage are invariably forced into harder, lower-paid work, for which they must compete with one another.

This legislation began years ago in the transition stage of women's much-protested invasion of industry. Today, when women are an established and increasingly important part of our economic life, legislation concerning them must be on the same basis as that of their male competitors.

WORLD TURNING TO PEACE

By DR. NICHOLAS MURRAY BUTLER, President Columbia College.

President Hoover and Premier MacDonald, in their recent conferences did more toward furthering an understanding between their nations than could have been accomplished by forty years of diplomatic procedure. Their conference indicated the final breaking down of the old order of war and conflict and the clearing of the last stumbling block from the path of a world that turns from war to peace.

Ramsay MacDonald and Hoover at Washington have done the business for which the world was waiting with bated breath. Public opinion will do the rest. That government or governmental agency which attempts to stand in the way of those official acts that are needed to transform these new convictions and these new understandings into law, will be broken on the wheel.

These are not arrangements which affect alone two nations or any small group of nations. They are arrangements which strike the note of leadership throughout the world and which invite, and indeed compel, universal assent and co-operation.

VALUE OF CHILD INCREASING

By PROF. ROBERT S. WOODWORTH, Columbia University.

Children are becoming a scarcer commodity, and thus their social importance is greater today than ever. The child in psychology is at least fifty years old, but he has come more and more into his own during recent times. Many conditions of modern life conspire to make the individual child of increasing social importance.

Children are becoming a scarcer commodity and must not be wasted. And the adult life into which they are growing is more and more exacting. As the child is important for society, so science is important for the child. Moreover, the child is important for science.

From the scientific and sympathetic study of the child's development we can hope to solve that difficult problem of environment and heredity. We may hope to discover what the child has to learn and what he gets without learning by simple force of nature and growth. We can hope to see how the little child learns and so penetrate somewhat into the mystery of the learning process.

Dame Fashion Smiles

By Grace Jewett Austin

There is a little line somewhere in one of Vachel Lindsay's poems where he tells of nets to snare the moonbeams. And everybody knows how valuable the net is for catching fish, large and small. Even the aristocratic fisherman for game fish will not always despise a landing net.

Grace J. Austin.

The dress designers took a leaf from Vachel Lindsay's book and have declared that net for the moonlit hours is exactly the proper wear. Black net gowns for evening are among the season's choicest offerings. And how becoming these swishing folds may be. Incidentally, if there has been a black lace dress laid away in a chest in your home, which you had hated to cut short to knee length, it might be the very time to bring it forth and consider its possibilities. Dame Fashion means to do that very thing.

There are various kinds and meshes of net in use. Some are as coarse as a fisherman's net, but not on that account necessarily inexpensive. The coarse net by the yard often bears the same price-mark as the fine. One enthusiast has described this coarse net mesh as "fascinatingly sleek and wiry, but also silky and soft." Such dresses are usually sleeveless—and as for the backs! One jester declared that the economical designers saved enough from the shoulders to be able to lengthen the skirt.

The new gown called the "Chanel 5" had its birth in Paris, but is growing popular in America and may be recognized when you see a dress with five to seven bands of shirring going around the gown, from a circle beneath the arms, to the last shirred band at the hipline. From the place of the last shirring the net, chiffon or whatever the material may be, floats full and free to the floor. It is quite proper to have a large bow of the material placed in the back at the level of the lowest shirring.

Dame Fashion, a devoted reader of advertisements issued from the Atlantic coast region, across the marvelous central west, and on to the lively Pacific, often gets a chance for a smile out of some new styles put forward with the utmost solemnity.

In recent years the word corset has not been so much in the public view, and a whole generation, in its desire to be pliable, has not worried about them. Now Miss Corset is quite canny, and in certain places she allows herself to be recommended as "body gloves." That is a taking phrase in a day when Miss Glove is considered an indispensable friend to society everywhere, and at practically every hour of the day.

The other little smile item concerned cameras combined with vanity cases. Dame Fashion studied quite a bit on the psychology of that. Is the case to be loaned to the one about to be "shot," to aid in beautifying for the picture? Or, on the other hand, is the toil of taking pictures so strenuous that the taker herself will need a first aid to the complexion? But in this day of many mergers, it is not at all surprising to find mixtures of many a kind.

Fur of many a kind is happy this winter in joining mergers. Do not hesitate to put a pretty bit of it on a hat or on a gown, if the effect is pleasing.

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Russian Tapestry Used as Model for Pajamas

Ancient Russian tapestry served as a model for this interesting pajama suit. The black and pink designs were hand-painted on the flared coat and ample trousers.

Pink Vestee

A sweet Paris frock of black taffeta, figured in minute pink, yellow and cream flowers has a little chiffon vestee of pink that attaches at the back of the neck and hangs over the front like a many-pointed bib.

Jersey Appeals to Girl or Short, Stout Woman

Jersey is an important material this season both in popularity and style appeal, says the Woman's Home Companion. Just as important is the vogue for the one-piece belted dress. When you put the two together you have the beginning of a real Paris model. Place the belt at the top of the hips and be sure that the skirt is amply full and considerably longer than last year's. Then choose two tones of this winter's brown or green or red, use the darker for a deep V in the bodice and for turn-up cuffs, and your Paris dress is complete. A dress which appeals to the young girl and which is excellent in line for the short, stout woman.

Gloves That Harmonize With Frock Are Stylish

The Maggy Rouff glove, the Worth glove, the Jane Regny glove—all these are eloquent testimonials to the importance of accessories in the mode, and how far we have progressed since the days when designers could afford to be concerned with the matter of frocks alone, observes a fashion writer in the New York Times. Increasing formality means more interest in gloves. Where one pair would answer before, the well-dressed woman must now have half a dozen, and these in colors, types and fabrics to complement the costume with which they are worn.

It is in recognition of these facts that the leading couturiers now present their own gloves, showing details characteristic of present-day fashions.

With the bridge, matinee or dinner frock the classic pull-on in suede or kidskin continues the favored type. Suede has always appealed to women, but glace kid is rapidly gaining in popularity—perhaps because it is far more practical, but also because it is being presented in new designs and lovely colorings. These pull-on gloves are much longer than those of last season, for the long glove has definitely arrived. Some show the three-button fastening, while others are buttonless—the latter being newer. Delicate shades of beige are much worn, beige with either a gray or a pinky cast, according to the color of the frock and the other accessories. Black suede gloves have enjoyed an unprecedented popularity, especially with the black frock.

White and off-white gloves have also returned to vogue for formal afternoon wear, for they are a true expression of the fashion for elegance. The new pale creamy gardenia tint in a six-button glove of glace kidskin adds the final touch of perfection to the ensemble of black with lavish furs. Gardenia, by the way, is one of the shades much talked of for Southern resort wear.

Waistline Should Not Be Too High; Not Too Tight

It is important to know a few fundamental facts before one adopts the waistline in present fashion. Over-exaggeration is easily possible and is not in good taste.

Designers have not revived the hour glass silhouette nor do they seem to evidence any intention to do so. The waistline should not be placed too high nor should it be confined too tightly. The correct interpretation of this new phase of the mode is a conservative one.

Hunter's Green Is Used in Afternoon Ensembles

Hunter's green is often mentioned this season and it has been used successfully for the formal afternoon ensemble. Mixed-green tones are to be found in tweeds for sports and informal daytime wear and jade, or sometimes a greenish blue of the turquoise sort is combined with black or used alone for evening gowns.

The New Neckwear

Many of the new silks resemble woolen fabrics in both weave and color. It is predicted that this innovation will bring forth new enthusiasm for dainty cuffs and collars. Many neckwear displays include entire collars made of real lace as well as domestic laces. Batiste is also offering a refreshing note in neckwear circles.

Your Stationery Needs

Now is the best time to anticipate your needs in stationery and ruled forms for fall use. Don't wait until the fall rush is on.

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When Emily Ran Away

By H. LOUIS RAYBOLD

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"HEAVENS above, how sick I get of this ride!" and Emily Richmond frowned in disgust as the crowded trolley car lurched along the rails. "Week in, week out, morning and night—hanging on to a strap or wedged in between others."

Then her brown eyes widened and the frown lifted as the car came to an abrupt halt at the drawbridge and Emily caught a glimpse of breakwater and sea and sails on a far horizon. It was always that way on the ride to and from the office where Emily earned good money as a skilled typist. That momentary sight of the sound caught at whatever wanderlust lived in Emily's city-raised heart.

And this morning when she was on her way to give a decided "No" to Peter William. Oh, to get away from it all! To sell and sail and sail—

Deep down somewhere in Emily's heart a tiny voice whispered, "Why not?" Why not take her savings and fare forth into some strange place and seek adventure?—just once before she grew too old and settled for romance. Peter wasn't offering her romance. No, indeed. Just ordinary, stolid matrimony.

And probably she herself did not realize how much her dread of seeing the look in Peter's face when she refused him had to do with her scheme.

That was how it happened that on that particular morning the office of Horton & Hastings was minus its star typist. Nor did any of the puzzled force picture Emily as she actually was—hurrying first of all to the bank and then to the station; sending a telephone message or two; buying a ticket to the neighboring big city; and, finally settling back in the train with a current magazine, a box of chocolates and a shrug of unconcerned shoulders. Peter felt sure she was ill, and kept impatient tabs on the clock until the noon hour arrived and he could telephone in privacy to Emily's boarding house.

Then when he did he turned white. "Miss Richmond," said Emily's landlady acidly, "had sent an expressman for her trunks!"

Life for Emily had become interesting at last. A modest room in a moderately priced hotel; breakfast as late as she pleased and a varied menu to choose from; sight-seeing tours through the shops; matinees and concerts galore. Just what would happen when the savings of ten years were gone she did not inquire.

Then, oddly enough, so inconsequential a thing as a heavy downpour brought the first tinge of regret to Emily. Shut indoors through a thrifty desire to spare a new suit she had recklessly lavished half a month's salary on, she read steadily for several hours. Then impulsively she threw the book across the bed.

Love—love—love! Was there nothing else to write about? Wasn't there anything else worth while?

An hour later and Emily, driven by sheer boredom out into the storm, took refuge from the penetrating chill of sleety rain in a huge moving picture palace. Settling down in the all but absolute darkness, she gave herself up to watching, at first half-heartedly, then with more interest, the picture on the screen. Strange to say, there was just a reminder of Peter in the stalwart hero. Absurd though it was, under the circumstances, Emily's heart beat a trifle faster.

The story progressed, the plot thickened and resolved, and at last the heroine melted into the Peter-like hero's arms. Emily heaved a tiny sigh. At that moment, out of the darkness at her side, a masculine hand took hold of her arm.

Like a flash Emily leaped to her feet, squeezed past the unpardonably impudent person at her side with never a glance and rushed out into the rain. Then she drew a long breath. She had heard of strangers attempting such familiarities, but had never supposed such things could happen to her. If Peter had been there! But then it was only to lone women that a thing of that sort occurred. Suddenly Emily's eyes filled. That was what she was—"a lone woman in a strange city."

And there came to Emily a longing for the dingy old office, with Jim, the office boy, lounging outside the rail, and Peter working away at his desk over in the corner and her typewriter before her. Work and companionship—why, they were worth more than shopping tours and loneliness, moving pictures and unprotectedness!

"I—I say, Emily, I didn't mean anything when I touched you in there—"

"Peter!" Emily could not believe her ears nor yet her eyes, although surely this man at her side was the man she hadn't wanted to marry.

"Yes, dear," said Peter shamefully. "Here I am. I hunted up the expressman who took your trunk and traced you to the city and found your name on the hotel register. And, oh, perhaps I was unpardonably curious, but when you realize, it was because I love you, Emily! Today I followed you into the theater and after a while got a seat at your side, although I kept my head turned so you would not recognize me. Then at the end your sigh was too much for me. Oh, Emily, when are you coming back?"

Emily slipped her arm through Peter's. "When is the next train, dear?" she asked huskily.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

St. Cloud—Laurence E. Helden of this city has been awarded a Distinguished Service cross, the war department announced.

Euclid—O. H. Muller, 44 years old, cashier of the First State Bank of Euclid which was taken over by the First National bank of Crookston, hanged himself. No cause was apparent.

Mankato—Mrs. Alfred Broe, 35, of Delavan, Minn., was found dead in a room at the Hotel Heinrich here. Mrs. Broe had made a rope out of bed sheets and hanged herself from the bed.

Hastings—Funeral services for Mrs. Nellie Ames, a resident of Welch township for more than half a century were conducted here. She is survived by two sons and three daughters.

Duluth—The Duluth Chamber of Commerce is planning a campaign to create interest relative to construction of a municipal auditorium. The chamber will seek aid from the city council.

Aitkin—Charged with irregularities in the collection of bounties on wolves, Rev. H. J. Anderson, well known evangelist, and his brother, D. G. Anderson, were being held under $1,000 bond here.

Paynesville — August Weber, 90 years old, was found frozen to death by members of his family. He had retired as usual but evidently arose in the night and went outside the home and wandered away.

Willmar—C. D. Johnson is the new commander of the Finstad-Week post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, here. Other new officers include Arthur E. Carlson, Louis Halverson, Oscar Pearson, Dr. M. J. Fiksdal, and Peter Newberg.

St. James—At the annual meeting of the Watonwan County Farm Bureau, R. H. McCarthy of Madelia was elected president. Max Strum of St. James was named vicepresident, and Berdinus Knudson of St. James, secretary-treasurer.

Northfield—Appearing here for the sixteenth time, Dr. Henry L. Southwick will present a lecture on "The Orators and Oratory of Shakespeare," January 13 at Carleton College. For the last several years he has presented plays of Shakespeare.

Austin—O. W. Berg has been named president of the Cedar Valley Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, succeeding J. H. Anderson. Paul D. Sommers has been elected commander of the Olaf B. Damm post, Veterans of Foreign Wars.

St. Paul—Minnesota will receive $29,879 as federal forest road aid for the year beginning July 1, 1930, Secretary of Agriculture, A. M. Hyde announced. The fund is apportioned according to the percentage of national forest area within any state.

Minneapolis—The second jury to hear bribery charges against W. H. Rendell, former eighth ward alderman was discharged after 26 hours of deliberation without reaching an agreement on his guilt or innocence on a charge of accepting a $250 bribe.

Willmar—Dr. L. E. Coss was elected president of the Willmar chapter of the Izaak Walton League. Other officers chosen were Edgar Olson, vice-president; Dr. J. Wanner, second vice-president; O. E. Nordstrom, secretary, and William Kelly, treasurer.

Madison—The Madison Livestock Shipping Association handled 206 cars of livestock in the last year and did business totaling $341,236. O. J. Bly is president, William Fiher is vice-president, M. A. Stemsrud is secretary and M. E. Jacobson is manager.

Duluth—Count Ilya Tolstoy, son of Leo Tolstoy, noted Russian author and philosopher, will be in Duluth February 21 to address an open forum luncheon given by the Chamber of Commerce. He will speak on the results of the bolshevist revolution in Russia.

Montevideo—C. A. Pederson, superintendent of schools here, was elected president of the Kiwanis club for 1930. Other officers elected were S. S. Michaelson vice president; A. J. Zimmerman, secretary; M. F. Schaumberg, treasurer; Henry Johnson, district trustee.

Hastings—Fire destroyed practically an entire block of the village of New Trier, near here. The blaze started in the home of Henry Freudrup. A soft drink establishment, the postoffice, home and a store and the homes of John Ficker and Mrs. Suzie Lenzeld were destroyed.

St. Cloud—Under a decision by Judge J. A. Roeser, in District Court here, Ida Snyder, 16-year-old Burgan township girl, will receive $50 as her share of the reward for the capture of Joe Hendricks and Leo Humbert, near New London on October 16. After the $50 has been deducted and the costs of court action also taken out, the remainder of the $400, will be divided equally between 21 other claimants.

Western States Asked to P.-A. Session

Sacramento, Calif.—All western states have been invited to participate in the Pan-American reciprocal trade conference to be held here from August 25 to 30 next year. The conference will include all the governments on the American continent, the ambassadors of which have received formal invitations delivered in Washington by U. S. Senator Samuel M. Shortridge. The western states will be asked to send exhibits to an exposition.

Gold Seal Flour

We are handling the well known Gold Seal fancy patent flour again. This flour has always given satisfaction to all users.

Try a sack the next time you order flour.

C. Roe Grain Co.

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Best Winter Service

To get the best service out of your car during the cold winter months, perfect lubrication is very essential. We have oils and grease suitable for all makes of cars, and will be glad to assist you in selecting the oil and grease best suited for your car.

Snappy gas, the kind that makes your motor go into action the minute you touch the starter, is our

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Try a thankfull next time you fill--you'll be agreeebly surprised at the way your motor will perform.

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First Civilizations

It is not possible to say definitely which is the oldest civilization on earth. The Chinese claim this distinction. As the early history of many of the ancient countries is largely legendary, it may be that there are other civilizations which antedate that of China, such as, for instance, that of Assyria or that of the Aztecs in Mexico.

In Praise of October

From the health viewpoint, October is the best month of the year. People get up in the morning full of energy and work with joy and vigor. Headaches, colds, and other minor complaints, as well as serious illnesses, are fewer than at other times and the total number of deaths is also usually less.—New York Herald Tribune.

Beginning of Red Cross

The Red Cross gained public recognition as the nation's agent for taking care of people in disasters and emergencies at the time of the hurricane at Corpus Christi, Texas, in 1919, when states, cities and organizations generally sent the funds collected for relief to the Red Cross for distribution and administration.

DR. L. R. TWETE

Licensed Veterinarian

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Tuberculin Testing

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$1.16
Duram Wheat	1.00
Rye	.80
Barley	.43
Oats	.33
Flax	2.90
Eggs, cash	.38
Creamery butter	.43

I. C. C. Favors Hill Line Mergers.

St. Paul—The first tentative step toward a re-drawing of the railroad map of the northwest and the entire United States was taken when the interstate commerce commission made public the details of its plan, undertaken several years ago at the behest of congress, for grouping the lines of the country in 19 great trunk systems. The revision of the railway map would be particularly drastic in the northwest territory in which most of the roads would be subjected to a realignment affecting their affiliations and connections with other lines both in the Twin Cities and at eastern gateways.

Chicago Store Official Killed by Thief.

Chicago—One man was killed and two others were wounded by a shoplifter in a busy downtown establishment. Douglas Richeson, an executive of the store, lost his life as he attempted to stay the shoplifter's flight. The wounded men were Joseph Freeman, private detective, and John Concannon, chief store inspector. The shoplifter gave the name of J. E. Grant, 57 years old, and police said he was a former notorious convict who had served terms in Joliet, Auburn and Chester penitentiaries.

Two Versions of Talmud

The Talmud consists of 20 volumes and is a code or digest of Jewish laws and opinions, consisting of two parts—the Mishna, the text, and the Gemara, the commentary. The name Talmud means study. There are two major versions—the Palestinian and the Babylonian.

Average Farm Size

The average size of American farms, taking into consideration the farms of the entire United States, is about 140 acres. Of course, this figure varies somewhat from year to year. It is estimated that about 80 acres of the 140 is improved land.

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Sapelo-Double Cotton Blankets 66x80
Wt. 2 lb. 10 oz. Regular $1.75
to close out at
$1.39

Fairsex
Toilet Soap
Regular 10c
Our Price 2 bars **11c**

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Percale aprons
Reg. 49c
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29c

Wool Flannel
56 inches wide
in Brown, Gray, Kaki, Blue
Now only **59c** per yard

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At half price and less

Tomatoes
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Pure Preserve
2 lb. jars, Reg. 69c
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Lard
1 lb. cartons
15c

Crystal White Soap
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MEN's
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In Gray, Blue, and Brown
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Men's Double Weave
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Funeral Held Monday

In a setting of beautiful flowers, funeral services for Eileen Rosendahl, six year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rosendahl, who died last Thursday evening, were conducted by Rev. M. L. Dahle from the Norwegian Lutheran church Monday afternoon. Six little girl friends of the deceased, as pallbearers.

School in the room wbich little Eileen attended, was dismissed during the afternoon to permit her little schoolmates and teacher to be present to pay their last respects to one who was a favorite with them all.

Interment was made in the Swedish Lutheran cemetery east of the village. Heartfelt sympathy of numerous friends is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Rosendahl and family in their time of trial and sorrow.

Has Birthday Party

The following article from the Kerman, Calif, News, will be of interest to all the oldtimers in this section who are personally acqainted with the guest of honor, Andrew Soderberg. The latter was one of the pioneers in this community where he resided many years before going to California. Old friends here join in extending congratulations and best wishes to Mr. Soderberg on bis having reached the seventy-fourth milestone.

"Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Soderberg of Biola were the genial hosts at a big Christmas dinner on Christmas Eve which was given in honor of the venerable father of Mr. Soderberg, Andrew Soderberg, who celebrated his seventy fourth birthday on that date.

Among tbose present were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Soderberg and daughter Alice, Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Englund and Theodore, Eldon, Elmer, Carl, Eleanor, Esther Englund: Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Englnnd, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Kelty of Berkeley, Arnold Soderberg, Mrs. Kimball Streeter, and son Jack, George Kelty of Berkeley.

Miss Anne Erickson of Berkeley, Miss Mary Haupt of Fresno, Miss Iva Gay of Fairmead, John Thomas Hart and Miss Alberta Soderberg.

Dinner was served on a large round table seating thirty persons. The birthday cake, holding seventy-four candles, was set before the guest of bonor. After dinner all gathered around the family Christmas tree and presents were distributed."

Bauer--Sherva

Local friends this week received announcements of the marriage of Mr. Melvin Sherva, son of Mrs. Mary Sherva of this village, to Miss Ruth Louise Bauer, daugbter of Mrs. Anna Bauer of Austin, Minnesota. The ceremony took place the first of January at Austin. The announcements state Mr. and Mrs. Sherva will be at bome at Wahpeton, N. D., where Mr. Sherva helds a fine position with the Globe-Gazette Printing Company. A host of local friends join in extending congratulations and best wishes to the newlyweds.

Poultry Show Opened

The annual poultry show of the Pennington County Poultry Association opened at Thief River Falls yesterday and continues until end of this week. Several hundreds of exhibits were in place at opening of the Sbow. The boy's and girls' club exhibits are reported to be very good this year, and winner in that division will be given a free trip to the Winter Shows at Crookston next month. Some very good premiums, cash, cups and special awards, are being competed for at the poultry show which is said to be the best ever held in this county.

Clare A. Briggs Is Dead

Clare A. Briggs, nationally known cartoonist and originator of the well known features, "When a Fellow Needs a Friend", Ain't it a Grand and Glorious Feeling", "The Days of Real Sport", and "Mr. and Mrs.", died January 4th, at a New York bospital. Mr. Brigg's cartoons regularly appeared in the Minneapolis Journal and other mid-western papers and was the source of much enjoyment to thousands of readers.

While no definate date for it has been set, another dividend of ten percent to depositors of the closed Farmers State Bank will be make some time before spring, funds being on hand for that purpose. This will make 60 percent of deposits returned. With whatever other dividends there may be before final closing of its affairs, the Farmers State Bank will have returned a larger percentage to its depositors than most of the closed banks in this state.

The Prospector

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know. . . . .

Mrs. Wm. Olson is reported to be ill this week, and confined to the house.

Laura and Pearl Simonson left last week for Minneapolis and Crandon, Wis, respectively, after being bome for the holidays.

Dorothy Anderson returned Monday following a holiday visit with her parents at Bowbells, N. D.

Mrs. Ben Lardy returned Tuesday from the hospital at Thief River where she had been several days receiving treatment for an infected hand.

After spending the holidays at home, Miss Blanche Hoff departed last week-end to resume her teaching duties in the public schools at Minneapolis.

Mrs. Ed Shaskey came Thursday evening from Aberdeen, S. D,. for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars A. Loberg, and other relatives.

L. E. Healy motored up Friday from Red Lake Falls to look after some business affairs connected with the closed Farmers State Bank. He expects to be here again January 20th.

Mrs. P. J. Smith and Selmor Benson left Friday night over the Soo for their respective bomes at Chicago and St. Paul, after having been here for the funeral of their father, the late Sven Benson.

Morris and Oscar Odegaard of Hazel, Miss Grace Dahle and Helga Vik of this village, and Helen Erdmann of River township, have all returned to their studies at Moorhead after spending Christmas vacation at home.

Paul Erickson departed Sunday evening to resume his studies in the College of Medicine at the University of Minnesota after having spent a holiday vacation of two weeks with his parents, Mr. and and Mrs. Andrew Erickson, west of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Soren Jenson and Mrs. Michelson of Waconda, S. D., motored up last week end to attend the funeral for little Eileen Rosendahl, and to visit at the Rosendahl home Mr. and Mrs. Hanson are the parents of Mrs. Rosendahl. With exception of Mrs. Jenson, all returned home yesterday morning.

Co. Commissioner J. S. Roy was at Thief River on Tuesday and Wednesday attending the annual meeting of the county board.

Dorothy Olsen returned Saturday to the Teachers College at Moorhead after having spent the holidays at home.

Alice Gigstad left this week to resume her studies at the Globe Business College at St. Paul after being home for the holidays.

Miss Evelyn Maakrud, has returned to her studies at the State College at Bemidji after spending the holidays at home.

After spending holiday vacation at home, Miss Gunhild Nelson left Sunday night over the Soo to resume her teaching work at Mahnomen.

Harwood Olson, son of Mr, and Mrs. Wm. Olson, left last week to enroll for the printing course offered at the Dunwoody Institute at Minneapolis.

Members of the local teacbing staff returned Saturday and Sunday after spending the bolidays at their respective homes, and school re-opened Monday morning.

Mrs. T. M. Skatrud and children returned Saturday after visiting a few days at home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Paulson, at Duluth.

Clarence and Ada Mayor and Carl Gordon left Friday for their homes at Sioux City, Iowa., after spending several days here visiting at home of Mr. Gordon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Gordon.

A number of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Carrie Berglund on Tuesday afternoon to help her celebrate her eighty second birthday anniversary. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent. Mrs. Berglund is well and able to attend to her usual household duties despite her advanced age.

The Carlson Mercantile Company of this village, and their other stores at Holt, Middle River, Gatzke and Greenbush are putting on a big pre-inventory sale which started Monday this week and continues for three weeks. The sales force at the local store has been very busy since announcement of the sale was make, getting the hundreds of bargains offered, on display.

Sixteen Years In Business

During the first week in 1930, M. H. Jackson completed his sixteenth year of general merchandising in this village. In observance of that anniversary, Mr. Jackson is offering some money saving special prices on the different lines be carries, as will be noted in bis adv elsewbere in this issue.

Mr. Jackson in company with bis brother, bought the stock of M. R. Hage in January 1914 and continued at the former Andrew Hall building until he bougbt the interest of his brother. Shortly thereafter be purchased the D. Lazar building which he occupies now. From a small beginning, the store has grown considerably during the past sixteen years, and now carries many lines that were not included in the business when originally started. With exception of two or three others, all business places in St. Hilaire have changed owners during the sixteen years since Mr. Jackson started his venture.

Special Train, Jan. 22nd

The special train of agricultral exhibits sponsered by the Great Northern Railway will be in St. Hilaire fornoon of January 22nd. The train is now moving btween stations in Dakota, and is meeting with enthusiastic reception wherever it is shown. The special cars of agricultral exhibits are exceptionally fine, and tbe lectures given in connection with exhibits are both interesting and instructive. Keep the date in mind-- it will be well worth while to visit the train which will be bere three bours or more.

The Boy Scouts have a good suggestion as to disposal of Christmas trees after they bave served their purpose. They suggest the trees be set outside for the use of the birds these cold winter days. Put them so cats and dogs cannot get at the branches. Tie bits of suet and meat scraps on the branches, and put up a small box for bread crumbs Put the tree where you can watch it and note how many of our little feathered friends will visit it daily.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

F. F. Haynes Is Called

F. F. Haynes, owner of the Empire Land Company at Thief River Falls, and district representative of the Minnesota Rural Credit Bureau, died Monday at his home at Thief River following a stroke suffered a few days previously. Mr. Haynes was a fine type of citizen, and he bas a bost of friends thruout this district who will be greived to learn of his untimely death.

Fnneral services were beld at Tbief River Falls yesterday afternoon. Mr. Haynes is survived by his widow, and one daughter, besides several brothers and sisters.

Bray Mutual Meets

Due to cold weather, there was light attendance yesterday at annual meeting of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company whicb was held here. Annual report, which will be published next week, shows it has enjoyed an increase in business over last year. It also shows the company has a nice cash balance of nearly $8,000.00 on hand, so barring any large losses, there will not likely be an assessment for some time.

All officers of the organization were re-elected for the coming year.

Among other business transacted was the inclusion of Poplar River, Lambert, Lake Pleasant and Terrebonne townships in Red Lake county in territory served, by the company which now does business in all of both Red Lake and Pennington countys.

George and Lilly Norman are expected bome this week from Spokane, Wash., where George has been a patient at a hospital following an injury received last summer wbile engaged in hauling timber in Montana. The injury was of such serious nature that Miss Lilly went out last fall to stay with her brother. Tho still far from well, George is gradually regaining strength, and his friends hope he will eventually regain his usual good health.

While trying out his skiis on the river bank a few days ago, Johnny Biskey suffered a bad gash below one knee when he fell and came in contact witb a tin can frozen in the bank. The cut necessitated services of a surgeon to close, and Johnny is taking a few days vacation from school while the wound heals.

Try a want adv.

A Resolution

At outset of 1930, resolve to save a part of your earnings. No matter how large the sum may be--or how small--cultivating the habit of saving will mean much to your future.

Open a savings account with the Old Reliable now. By systematic saving, you will insure your financinl independence in the future.

Merchants State Bank
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What Will The Future Bring?

That is the question that concerns us all. The future of your creamery depends upon you. By patronizing it--selling it your cream--buy what it has to sell--and co-operating with your neighbors for its betterment, you are not only helping yourself, but are assisting in the upbuilding of your community. If not al a shareholder, become one this year.

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One woman who used it said: "I was in a very nervous and rundown state of health, could not sleep, would be restless all through the night. I grew very weak, pale and thin. After taking a few bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription my nerves quieted down, I could sleep, gained strength and took on weight and was in good physical condition. I wish every weak woman knew how good the 'Favorite Prescription' is for weak and ailing women."—Mrs. Alice Schuler, 509 Short St., Faribault, Minn.

Send 10c for trial pkg. tablets to Dr. Pierce's Invalids Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Cuts, Burns, Bruises
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All dealers are authorized to refund your money for the first bottle if not suited.

Chick Prices Cut 7½ Cents if ordered now for spring shipment. Best Egg Strain White Leghorn. Records to 320 eggs. Pay when you get them. Guaranteed to live and outlay ordinary chicks. Low prices on pullets, hens, cockerels, hatching eggs. Catalog and bargain bulletin free. GEORGE B. FERRIS, 966 Union, Grand Rapids, Mich.

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Fire Fighting Up to Date

Fire brigades are experimenting with a new kind of fire extinguisher in the form of high pressure cylinders containing carbon dioxide. When the carbon dioxide is released it pours out a cloud of white flakes like snow which reduces the temperature of the air as it melts and absorbs the oxygen from the air, thus smothering the fire. It is expected that this method of fire fighting will be very valuable in combating oil, paint, and chemical fires where water is of little use.

Married Woman's Name

Actually there is no federal nor, so far as we can ascertain, state law which arbitrarily compels a woman to bear her husband's surname unless she wishes to do so. Recently the United States controller issued an order that married women in the government employ should sign their husband's surname when signing the pay roll.—Washington Star.

Blame and Praise

"You have been accused of being a grafter."

"Everybody knows," said Senator Sorghum, "that I have no great fortune. If I had, I wouldn't be accused. I'd be overwhelmed with flattery."

You Know the Kind

Proud Host—The radio sounds as if the artist were in the next room!

Guest—Grrrrrrr! Let's look!

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Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co., Lynn, Mass.

Jugoslavia's Coast

Dalmatian Peasant Women.

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IF ONE enters Jugoslavia by rail at the northeast corner where Italy and Austria meet that country, his route follows the gray-green Sava eastward to Zagreb, the old Agram of Austro-Hungarian days. If one then turns westward toward Fiume, the sharp detour crosses the panorama of Croatia's magnificently forested mountain country as the train climbs to the regional watershed before descending to the Adriatic.

The route holds its surprises. Imagine a mountain town halved by a rushing river which plunges 40 yards into a crevasse under the sidewalk and then, three miles farther on, pops up unexpectedly, to resume its surface course. Yet such fluvial feats characterize not only Croatia, but the entirety of those barren highlands which extend southward behind the Jugoslav coast.

They form the so-called Karst region, which geologists have compared to a vast petrified sponge. Such are the tricks that time and rushing streams have played with the Karst's easily decomposed limestone. "Now you see us and now you don't!" gurgle in chorus a whole system of such jack-in-the-box rivers, as they plunge into the mountains' eastern flank, triumphantly reissuing, scores of miles westward, as feeders of estuaries or, in one case, as a fresh-water spring emerging from sea bottom.

Had some Marco Polo left us an account of the marvelous Land of Spongy Mountains, whose rivers cut through the bases of ranges 1,000 feet high, we might have dismissed him as a fabulist; yet in sober fact a Montengrin river has performed that identical feat.

While descending through the indescribably sterile looking Karst, one puts to himself the question: "Why, in this desert, build those innumerable, circular stone walls to inclose at most a bit of grass?"

Farming in Holes.

But you learn that what you see are karst holes—extremely rich oases—and that, in this land of jack-in-the-box rivers, natural precipitation, instead of draining into streams, sinks through the porous stone, carrying vegetable matter along with it, and enriches a regional series of funnel-like ditches. Thus, "farming in holes"—the karst holes, which sometimes number several hundred within a small area—provides grain for the inhabitants of this mountain-side desert.

The blinding, sizzling Karst comes to a spectacular end when you espy from nearly half a mile above, what appears as a gigantic relief map, the Istrian mountains curving around the Gulf of Quarnero, and to the southward the Velebit mountains outflung ridge spanning the rim of illimitable Adriatic blue.

In Fiume, you learn that the city has its front doors on the sea and its back doors among the mountains.

Any prospective visitor to Fiume who may question this has only to climb up 425 certain steps, taking them in cool weather and "on low." He will find himself among the city's back doors, overlooking the Velebit ridge. A turn about will give him an airman's view of the terraced hillside by which Fiume-Susak descends to its far-stretched curve of wharfage: and from one's feet there plunges headlong the mere ribbon of water that divides what is practically one city into two ports, Fiume and Susak—the former in Italy, the latter in Jugoslavia.

Probably no narrower stream than the Recina ever demarked so important a frontier. Its little, internationalized bridge, which is aptly symbolized by the hyphen in "Fiume-Susak," can be crossed in less than one minute. You may dine in Italy and take a stroll in Jugoslavia between courses. A baseball battery warming up across the Recina, with the pitcher in Jugoslavia and the catcher in Italy, would be spaced approximately at the regulation distance.

When you buy and tussle with a map of the Jugoslav coast, it will give you that hopeless feeling which possibly overcame the first explorer who attempted to chart Maine's coast line. Also, you will sympathize with that other explorer, who, weary of counting islands in the St. Lawrence, probably said, "Oh, let's name 'em the Thousand Islands and call it a day's work!"

Queer Coast, Queer Names.

Even Maine's shores are rivaled in their zigzag conformation by those of Dalmatia. While a direct course along the Jugoslav littoral measures 300 sea miles, the indented length of that coast is almost three times as long. As for the man-sized job of counting Dalmatia's islands, that has been simplified by ignoring insignificant islets and putting the archipelago's units at 600 and its area at 2,000 square miles.

The locally published maps present other difficulties. The kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes (Jugoslavia) has made a clean sweep of former Austro-Hungarian place names in favor of their Slav equivalents. Like the out-of-luck American tourist who wouldn't stop off at "Praha" because he wanted to get on to Prague, the traveler today often needs a bilingual key to ascertain where he is. Here is a list of some Jugoslav place names, with their prewar equivalents bracketed: Lake Bled (Veldeser See), Lake Bohinj (Wocheiner See), Zagreb (Agram), Zadar (Zara), Sibenik (Sebenico), Trogir (Trau), Solin (Salona), Split (Spalato), Gruz (Gravosa), Dubrovnik (Ragusa), Kotor (Cattaro).

As neither railroad nor motor trail spans the Jugoslav coast, one had best take the oldest and most appropriate of routes, the sea lane, to rediscover those shores whose maritime fame antedated England's by centuries. From among luxurious liners, more modest steamers, and fleets of sailing craft, one may choose one's traveling style along what is one of the best-served littorals in south European waters.

As Susak falls astern, Italy disappears behind islands. With an archipelago barring the open sea and with the Velebit's barren heights rising behind the narrow coast, it seems as if one is navigating a succession of blue, flawlessly calm lagoons.

It is almost a matter of saying good-by to Europe! It is small wonder that, with mountains barring the east and an archipelago barring the west, Dalmatia has always been a debatable land of halfway house, where racially speaking, Europe and Asia meet.

Certainly, the more one sees of Dalmatia, the more one feels himself to be, while not exactly out of Europe, yet somehow among the fringes of the Orient.

Along the Illyrian Coast.

Now and then your boat touches port in some deep-set bay with its hill-perched townlet—often an almost streetless clump of vine-clad houses—which had dug its heels into the Velebit and held on while as yet Venice was unheard of. Yet the specter of the lagoon republic, medieval Dalmatia's protectress, still haunts every nook and corner of the Jugoslav coast.

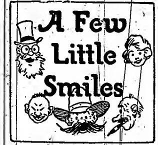
Small steamers wind through the narrow lagoonlike waters, known along the coast as "canals," which were once ruled by those petty potentates for whom, Croatian tradition asserts, mourning weeds have become perpetuated as a national costume.

As one sails along, now the Velebit range, its barren, slate-gray flanks queerly diagramed with walled karst holes, thrusts menacingly forward, barring Croatia from the Adriatic. Occasionally there appear V-shaped valleys where some tiny, stucco port nestles among a luxuriance of trees, hedged gardens, and terraced vineyards. Such are the Velebit's always amazing oases, created by subterranean streams.

A wild strip, this, of the ancient Illyrian coast. Wild, too, were the first Illyrians, a mixture of pre-Homeric Greeks and those wandering Asians, the Liburni, after whom Rome called the country Liburnia. Legend says that from Cadmus and Harmonia through their son Illyrius, sprang the tribes that perpetuated his name.

Just north of Zara (Zadar) one enters the waters of ancient Dalmatia. Ranging in width from 1 to 35 miles, this little sliver of a state enjoyed a well-developed coast which played its famous role in the sea commerce of the Middle Ages.

Dalmatia of to-day has an area of 4,916 square miles. The industries supporting her 650,000 people are cattle breeding, viticulture, cereal raising, and, of course, fishing.



SO COOL HE FORGOT

A few minutes after an alarm of fire was given in a hotel, one of the guests joined the group that was watching the fire, and chaffed them on their apparent excitement. "There was nothing to be excited about," he said. "I took my time about dressing, lighted a cigarette, didn't like the knot in my necktie, so tied it over again—that's how cool I was."

"Fine," one of his friends remarked, "but why didn't you put on your pants?"

No "Excuse It, Please"

"Yes, lady, getting the wrong number got me here," said prisoner No. 71123.

"Dear, dear!" exclaimed the old lady visitor, "I suppose you used such profane language the telephone company complained."

"No," replied the prisoner; "you see, the officers found I had three wives."

NOT NECESSARILY BETTER

First Girlie—You say you like him because he's a better man?

Second Girlie—No—a petter man.

Practical Economies

A fortune great may grow,
And yet, before he's through with it,
A man may scarcely know
Precisely what to do with it.

Cold Comfort

Gerald—You don't seem pleased when I suggest you have a lovely disposition.

Clarice—I'm not. Telling a girl she has a lovely disposition is usually an apology for not being able to say she is either good looking or interesting.

Can Depend on One Nation

"This nation cannot be trusted to support and defend liberty?"

"No; the only nation that can be depended upon to do that is indignation."

A Trick of the Trade

The Salesman — These imported breakfast robes don't go very well.

The Manager—Advertise 'em next week as ladies' smoking jackets; that'll move 'em.

SHIPPED WEST

"Prehistoric oysters were found in the Potomac river recently."

"Yes, I think I ate some of them in a restaurant the other day."

But Today's Nights

In days of old when knights were bold
Politeness held its reign,
Men of that tribe would not describe
Their lady as a "jane."

She Meant Well

Mrs. B. (writing to beloved traveler husband)—Dearest, day and night my thoughts are with you always. Sleeping, I dream of you; waking in the morning and seeing your bathrobe hanging on the bed post, I wish it were you.

The Unexpected Answer

Fed-up Motorist (tinkering with old car)—First car you ever saw, I suppose?

Ruralist—Noa, zur, but it's very much loike it.

Modernism

"Alas!" sighed the disappointed suitor, "the girl of my dreams has married another and all hope of winning her is gone."

"Cheer up," advised his best friend, "she'll probably be back in circulation again by this time next year."

An Apt Pupil

Old Mr. Fewlox—Don't you think in time you might learn to love me?

Young Miss Goldilox—Well, if I had a nice young tutor I might learn the theory of it.

Common Artistic Error in Depicting New Moon

Artists accustomed to inserting a new moon in a picture in the most artistic position often transgress the laws of nature, as the horns of the crescent moon must always point in a definite direction, depending primarily on the latitude of the observer.

In the north temperate zone the new moon as seen just after sunset always points upward and to the left. In this latitude the sun circles to the south and, as it approaches the western horizon descends obliquely from left to right. The new moon, following the sun, takes approximately the same course, and since the horns always point away from the sun, they turn upward and to the left.

In the southern part of the earth the reverse is true, while in the tropics the horns point almost directly upward. The position of the old moon as it rises in the morning is the reverse of that of the new moon as viewed from the same latitude.—Popular Mechanics Magazine.

Tit for Tat

Senator Tydings of Maryland was talking about the revolt in Afghanistan.

"King Amanullah," he said, "came and told Europe how backward his Afghan subjects were, and then he went home and tried to modernize them, and they turned and kicked him out for an iconoclast.

"Tit for tat, eh? Like the two strangers.

"Two strangers got into talk in Central park. After a while one of them said:

"'Well, I'll be leaving you. Here comes my wife with some old hag she's picked up.'

"'That's strange,' said the second, 'here comes mine with another.'"

And the Engineer Said?

Six truckloads of garbage were baited at the city incinerator at Sacramento, Calif., and the contents spread upon the floor, while workers searched among potato peelings and whatnot for a wrist watch that a housewife frantically informed them she had lost in the family garbage can. After an hour of vain searching, the city engineer telephoned the woman about the failure of his force to find the watch. "Never mind," she said, "I found it on the window sill."

America's Lead in Doctors

With the exception of the United States, which has one practitioner to every 753 people, Great Britain has a higher number of doctors proportionately than any other country in the world. There is now more than one doctor to each 1,000 of the population.

Bum Fisherman

"My wife told me not to go home unless I caught some fish."

"What a mean way of turning you out."—Esquella, Barcelona.

"My cup runneth over," said the ancient psalmist. A modern would say, "My car runneth over."

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Architectural Advance

A pendative in architecture is a structure in masonry designed to support a domical vault over four or more isolated piers. Its development by Byzantine architects of the Sixth century made it possible to erect domes above interiors of any desired plan, and was one of the greatest acquisitions in the history of architecture.

Slow Progress

"Well, I suppose your boy is growing like the proverbial weed," said an old friend, meeting Jones.

"No," sighed Jones, "he's growing like my savings account."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Every time an ordinarily sensible man makes a donkey of himself, it gives him a new secret to keep.

The vanity of human life is like a river, constantly passing away, yet constantly coming on.—Pope.

Needless Pain!

Some folks take pain for granted.

They let a cold "run its course."

They wait for their headaches to "wear off."

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"LEAGUE OF NATIONS" PROCESSION FOR LORD MAYOR OF LONDON

The "League of Notions" procession—each nation represented by the national castume—in the ceremany which marked the installation af the lord mayor of London.

Why We Admire Tact

By M. K. THOMPSON, Ph. D.

IN THE colany nf American students in Germany some years ago there appeared a ynung Russian wha was not admitted intn polite society anywhere else because of his bluutness and ahsolnte truthfulness nn any nnd all occasions.

The Americans were a cosmapolitan and democratic group sn they tnak in the young Russian. On nne occasion he, with the rest of tha colony, bad been invited tn a party at tha hame of an Americau student family. The bostess was very mncb npset because nf the odor nf kerosene in the house fram a smaky little stave an which sbe prepared some light refreshments. Every nne lied ebout the ndor end tried to make light of it ta ease the feelings nf the gracions bostess. But when the apalogy was made ta the Rnssian he blurted out: "Oh, it stinks like the mischief, bnt I guess I can stand it."

Tect is the greose that keeps the machinery of society moving aloag smoothly. It migbt be likened to the shack absarbers of an autamobile. Tect is the greatest esset of e diplomet.

The men of tact knaws what ta say and what not to say. He avoids offending people.

Wa admire tact; it makes far goad fellawship and proper social contscts. In recommending a man far au important position it is mnch in his favor if yau cen truthfully say that be is a man af rare tact. Far sucb a man also passesses good jndgment, insight, quick perception, takes in a situatian at a glance, maintains bis halance and palse nnder all circumstances.

An ambassedor, a aelesman, a lawyer, a business man will uot get very far withont tact. Tact is usefnl everywhere tbet ona hnman life rubs up agaiust another. It is akiu ta intelligence which meets a new situetion and solves it properly the first time.

We edmire tact hecause it is the "open sesame" tn success and persanal papularity.

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What Does Your Child Want to Know ?

Answered by BARBARA BOURJAILY

CAN FLOWERS SEE?

Yes. Flowers tura their faces to
Ths sunlight bright and clear
Or toward ths light where e'er it is;
But flowers cannot hear.

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Odd Rainfall.

Golden rain, yellow rain nnd "showers of sulpbur" occur now and then. A shawer of this sort sent scores of frightened peosants into the churches Luxemhourg e few years ago, as they feared that it forhoded punishment for the numerous sins which, doubticss, they had on their consciences. Thess yellaw rains are due to the presence in the upper nir of large quantities of the pollen of certain pines and fir trees.

MAN SLAIN AS SWEETIE SEEKS TO WARN HIM

Woman Wanders Streets All Night to Urge Lover to Hide.

Newnrk, N. J.—Mary Impogliazza paced tbe cold streets of Newark all one night recently in search of Micheel Inccnrino, for whom she hod left her husband in Braaklyn. She wanted to find him, to warn him he must hide or he would die.

In her mind the events af the afternoon were fresh. After spending a week with Michael, who hud left a wife and twelve children in Brooklyn to be with her, they had become conscious of guilt. He had called his wife and told her he was comiag home. Mary had gone to her hushond, a groeer, end begged forgiveness.

Cursed by Brother.

Her family nad her hushand were indifferent, nll snve her hrother, Paul Cappiello, himself married and the father of five children. Paul, she told police, had cursed her nnd bound her in a chair when she refused to give him the address at which she and Michoel had been living in Newark.

Then he had gagged her and searched through her purse. There he found a slip of paper. On it was written "11½ Grant street." He had loaded his revalver while she wotched, cursed her one last time for a faithless wretch and flung ont.

And now Mory wnndered through the cold night looking for Michnel. She must find him, nust save him. Though she searched nll night, it was

"O, My Michael, My Michael!".

in vnin, and nt seven o'clock in ths marning she made her way toward their Grnat street room.

Finds Michael Slain.

As she went up the stairs she heard shouts and shots outside. Frightened, she rushed aut to see a knot of people two doors away, collected in the opening of an alley. Through these she pushed, and there was Michael, prostrate.

His heod in her nrms, thirty-yenr-old Mary sohhed, "Oh, my Michnel, my Michael!" The Michael to whom she cried could not answer; three bullets had drilled his broin.

The police led her away. "It wos my brother, it was Paul!" she screomed, oad the search for Paul Cappiello begon.

Several hours later a widow heard the news with cries of grief. Nearby a husbond was indifferent. "I don't waat her bnck," said Vito Impogliazza. "He's dead? I am sorry."

While a widow mourned ond o husband shrugged a womnn went to the Butler street police statioa. She wanted police ta find her husband and scad him home to her and their five chlldrea. She snid her hushand is Paul Cappiello.

Heir to $650,000, Lost as Baby, Being Sought

Trenton, N. J.—Existence of a mon, now nbaut thirty-three, born in secret and spirited away by his father, who directed thot his identity be concealed, wns ndmitted in a formal court order here.

Vice Chancellor Buchanan authorized the Bankers' Trust Company of New York to search for him. If fouad he will inherit half of n $650,000 fund.

According to the applicatian of the trust compoay, he is the son of Mrs. Florence E. Georger, daughter of n wealthy Flemington former, William E. Emery.

One daughter, Mrs. Georger, according to the petition, gove birth to a boy in e private hospital in Washington. The doctor who attended is dead.

Mrs. Georger is dead. Georger also is dead.

Moose Runs Into Car; Both Badly Damaged

Trura, N. S.—A car errived here bedly dented through a collision with a moase. When on the road hetween Trura and Amherst at night the driver of the car enddenly felt something crash egainst the side of his car end discavered a bull moase lying as if dead nn the elde of the road. The frant of the car was badly emashed. The windshield nlso wae broken and one side of the body bent in. When the driver started the engine ta see if it wonld run, the noiee startled the stunned maase which gat slawly to its feet and maved away as if still semiconsciaus.

"I don't know why anybody would buy a stop-watch," says Muddled Maud, "because sooner or later they all get that way."

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About One Man and Two Women

By JEAN NEWTON

"BEWARE of that man," one woman said to onother. "He's—oh well, you know the wild bachelor type of the unpleasant kind.

"You sort of feel with him thnt you're being looked over appraisingly, and if he approves, you've got to be on the defensive.

"You wouldn't like his conversation. He gets so personol—and he gives you the feeling thot he's looking for an opening to get familior. Anything you soy is likely ta be misconstrued, and before you know it you feel sort of cheap, if not insalted. I hod a terrible experience with him once."

The two women were on the sands nt one of the Florida beoches, where this conversation took place.

The woman who hed spaken moved away, her friend remained in her beach chair. Befare long she was surprised to find, seated beside her, the man against wbam she had just been warned. He had been introduced ta her by camman friends, sa thot she felt constrained to be civil to him, though chilled by the consciousness of whet the ather woman had said of him and bis conversotion.

He talked—nnd this is what he talked about: Boaks, pleys, his mother, his career, and tbe new trend in education. Far from being presumptuous or affensive, he was interesting, and except for his deferential manner, gave no sign of consciousness that it wos a woman to whom he was husily tolking.

One woman said he was insulting and made her feel cheap—the other be treeted her like his sister, or like a queea. To one bie conversation was personal, flirtatiaus, offensive; to the other it was deferentiel and full of sincerity of interest in the abstract matters which he discussed.

The first waman wasn't imagining it—with her his canversation had been nll sex.

The same man—two women. What da yan get out of that?

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TO THE EDITOR:

By Fred Barton.

HERE we are in a hotel such as I didn't knaw existed outside af shaws. A rope fire escape, antique bedside crockery, winding hallways, strawherry colored woodwork—every thing laughahle, but clean.

Dinner is 85 cents, and they dare yan to eat it nll.

The breekfast menn beralds "3 egg amelet 35c." At last I am out where men are men.

The town's main street corner has a public radio horn nnd an advertising sign baard of the firms paying for the noise. Must be an encourngement to corner loafers. No doabt somebody will pass a law against that sort of thing if you give them tims to get around to it.

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Some Timely Suggestions

By NELLIE MAXWELL

RINSE the hair in water to which e half a lemon hos heen added; it will remove all soap and give the hair new life.

Add a little borax to the rinsing water when thin garments and handkerchiefs are heing louadered. It adds just enough stiffness to moke them seem fresh ond new when ironed.

Dried fruits, if chopped and mixed witb the sugar and butter when making cokes, will not sink to the bottom nf the cake when baked.

When the season advances and opples lose much of their flavor add a bit of grated rind and some of the juice af a lemon to each apple pie.

An orange nt night is as good as an epple a day, to keep the body functioning properly.

Preserved pinenpple in cubes, lemon with a clove stuck in the quarter slice, edds much ta the flavor of a cup af teo. Use laaf sugar to grate the flavor from well washed orange rind. Keep this well covered and the flavor will be imparted to the tee.

When haking potataes, porboil them for t. minutes nntil thoroughly heated. They bake quicker, saves fuel, both items interesting to the housewife.

A glass of orange juice is goad for the bahy or his great grandmother. If troubled with acid stomach, heart burn ar kindred troubles, drink oroage juice; it counteracts the acid and overcomes the trouble.

Soak a hroom in strong salt water and wash it weekly in the suds left from the laundry tubs. Always hang a broom or stand it upside down.

Place scorched linea, dompeaed, in strong sunlight. Keep dampening as it dries.

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THE CHAMPION MILKMAID

Mary Foataaa, fifteen years ald, of Carruthers, Calif., wha won the state and netional cha...nship milkmaid titles at the ninth annual Pacific S...e Dair... ...

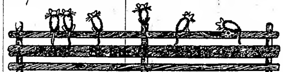
The Children's Corner

Edited by DOROTHY EDMONDS

MAKE BELIEVE KITTENS

If you have no real kittene in your houee, at leaet you can make eome. These are made from puesy willows. Take a large plece of thick white paper and draw with a ruler four or five etraight linee across the top. Space these eo that they look like railing in a fence. Then gently lift the eoft part of the puesy willow from its jacket and place it on the top of the fence, paeting it in position. Do thie with as many as you wieh, in any position that you wish and as the picture ehowe, after you have drawn on the ears and talle, yon will have quite a family of eoft, happy kittene! Their fur is as eoft as any real cat, just pat one and see!

—Marion Bromfield.

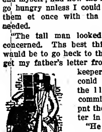


LIGHTHOUSE ADVENTURES

PART VI

"I told him the whole story: abont the damaged fog-bell; ahout ths storm that wrecked the fishing boet and smeshed the dory thet was needed to fetch onr food from the main land; how my father had sent me to Bostan to buy meteriels to repair the damage; how I had lost my money end myself; nnd how the family wonld go hungry nnless I could get back to them et once with tha things they needed.

"The tall man looked very mnch concerned. Ths best thing, he said, wauld be to go heck to the wharf end get my father's letter from the storekeeper. Then he conld take me to the lighthonae commissioner and pnt the whale matter in his hands.



"He led me back throngh the streets that hed seemed so terrifying before. I had time to look ebont me at the people, the men dapper in their flaring coets, the women wearing skirts that pnffed ahont them in great folds, and pretty honnets. Everywhere there were children. I longed ta get acquainted. I had known so few children. Bnt there was uo time to waste in this way, so I pnt such thonghts aside, and gratefully follawed my benefactor.

"How glad I was to get heck to the wharf! I had only seen it once hefore in my life, but it seemed like hame to me as I led the way to the store. Tha kind storekeeper had heen very much worried hy my disappearance, and said he would have heen glad to have helped me if I had only told him what the trouble was.

"I wasn't entirely pleased with the idea of the commissioner. I had no idea what a commissioner was, and it sounded as if I were to be punished, or at least scolded far my carelessness in losing my money. But I followed my friend abediently.

"To my delight he hailed e hansom cah. We climbed in, the coachman flicked his whip as a signel for the horses to trat, end we clattered throngh the nerrow streets, passing lnmbering drnys and frightening the children out of the streets.

"Soon we pnlled up in front of e big hrick building. My companion (Mr. Carver, he hed said his name was) jnmped ont, and I quickly followed him. After he had pnt some silver into the cebman's hand we climbed tha broad steps together, and wera ushered into the office of the commissioner. I went in a little hesitatingly, my knees tremhling. A round, cheerful man faced us smilingly across the desk. When Mr. Cerver had introduced me and tald my stary, he sat far a minnte examining my father's letter, his brows knit. I wetched him fixedly nll of the time, belanced nervously on the edgs of the chair he bed offered me, twirling my cep in my hends.

"Bnt I needn't have worried. Hs smiled at me reassuringly. 'I think we can manage it,' he said. 'Tha tender is in Boston now, lying in dry-dock for repairs, so if I get word to them in tims they may be able to stop off on tbeir wey further South.'

"Mr. Carver left me, going to attend to soms mysterious husiness. He said he would see me again before I left.

"But the tender was all ready, the snpplies for the lighthouse packed on board, end still there was no word from Mr. Carver. I was leaning on the railing of the rear deck for a last look et the city af Boston, when I sew a man run down the wharf waving something in his hend as he ceme. 'I have your money,' he called. It was Mr. Cerver.

"He hed fonnd my money at the police statian. Tbe little boy had picked it np. He and his family were so hungry that he hadn't heen able to resist the temptation. But later on his conscience had pricked him, and he hed given it to a policemon. Mr. Cerver told me he would ses to it that the little boy nnd his family would have plenty of food in the future.

"My family were so glad to havs ms back egain thet I don't believe they would have minded my losing the money even if it hadn't been found again. And the stories of my edvsntures lested for meny a wintry evening on the lighthouse rock."

—E. Gerould.

WORD MAGIC

By a certain magic trick all the animals you eee here can he turned into fruits or vegetablee or plants. The magic le all in a word or syllahle which yon write heelde the picture. If you write the right one and then pronounce the animal's name together with the added eyllable or word you will have a vegetahle, a fruit or a plant. A clever magician works quickly. How clever are you?

—Alice Martin Meyer.

The Desert Moon Mystery

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SYNOPSIS

Sam Stanley, wealthy owner of the Desert Moon ranch, informs his housekeeper, Mary Magin, that his former wife's twin daughters, Danielle and Gabrielle, are coming to the ranch to live, their mother being dead and their father, Daniel Canneziano, who had been the cause of Sam's divorcing his wife, in the penitentiary. Sam's adopted boy, John, has grown to manhood, and a girl, Martha, weak-minded. Mrs. Ollie Ricker, Martha's nurse, Hubert Hand and Chadwick Caufield are the other members of the household. The girls arrive. John becomes engaged to Danielle. Gabrielle seeks to win John from her sister, and her actions when she receives a letter from France mystify Mrs. Magin. Sam learns Canneziano is soon to be released from the penitentiary. Mrs. Magin finds Gabrielle, choked to death. Caufield commits suicide. The coroner's verdict is murder and suicide. Sam finds a note left by Caufield confessing he killed Gabrielle, but the rancher proves he could not have done it, and the entire household is under suspicion. A conference is held in an attempt to solve the mystery. It is revealed that the two girls came to the ranch seeking the proceeds of a train robbery in which their father participated.

CHAPTER X—Continued

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"Enough," Sam sort of sighed it. "I don't care about details. What do you say we forget it, let by-gones be by-gones?"

"No," said Mrs. Ricker. "Martha did not kill Gaby, as you think she did, Sam. I killed her."

Sam dropped his pipe.

There was another one of those dead, awful silences.

"The guilt," Mrs. Ricker went on, "is entirely mine. All of my life I have been cursed with an abnormal jealousy, and with the violent temper that usually accompanies such jealousy. Martha, you all know, possessed both of these traits—a heritage from her mother—without the balancing power of an adult mind. She can't be blamed. No one could dare to blame her for that. It was I, who planted those seeds of violence, jealousy, hatred, and murderous intent, who killed Gabrielle. Martha was only the helpless instrument."

I was sorry that there was eagerness, mixed with the pity in John's voice, as he asked, "Did Martha tell you that she committed the murder?"

"No. Other parental heritages of hers were a lying tongue, and slyness. She persisted in her denials, to me. But it is all so evident.

"Gabrielle joined Martha at the rabbit hutch. You know how one sits down on one's heels to peer in at the rabbits in the low hutch. I think Gaby must have been squatting, so, when Martha jumped at her and overpowered her. Martha was strong, you know. Her hands were very strong. She had hated Gaby ever since Gaby had come. Martha had said to me, dozens of times, that some day she thought she would kill Gaby.

"Seized unaware, it would not take long to strangle a person. Martha must have done it in two or three minutes. She took the bracelet then, rolled the body under the clump of berry bushes, right there, and came straight into the house.

"She showed no feeling of guilt, because she had none. At that moment, we should all have suspected something. We should have known that girl would not, suddenly, have given Martha the bracelet. Later, she told you about it, didn't she Sam? And you left Chad in the barn, to hoodwink Hubert, and came up and hid the body for her?"

"By G—d, I did not," Sam said.

"No need to deny it, now Sam," she said. "It was the deed of a good man. Martha was never responsible—but courts might not have understood. Now we will all shield her—keep her secret. Chad's confession will satisfy the world. Danny must know, I suppose; but no one else need ever know—"

"But I tell you—" Sam shouted.

I don't know how, without raising her voice, she made it sound through his shouting, and silence it, but she did. "Sam—don't. Why can't we be honest, now, among ourselves? You see, I know that both you and Martha were on those stairs when the body was put there—"

My thoughts jumped out into words. "Chad must have known it, too. He must have decided that he'd rather die than betray either Sam or Martha."

"He might have thought it," Sam said, with a lack of emphasis that edged stupidity. "He could not have known it. It is not true."

"Mrs. Ricker," John questioned, "what makes you think that dad and Martha had both been on the stairs?"

"Sam's pipe ashes were strewn about. And there was an old tatting shuttle, with which I had been trying to teach Martha to tat, that morning. She had it in her pocket. It must have dropped out. I think that Mary tried to clean the pipe ashes away. They were gone when I saw the body the second time. I should have tried to do it, but I didn't think. I had no time. I was frantic with fear.

"Wait," she answered our looks and our exclamations of astonishment. "I will explain. Martha and I, as you know, were alone here in the house while the rest of you were out looking for Gaby. Martha was sleepy. I was worried about her sleeping so much, and tried all sorts of ways to keep her awake until bedtime. I kept sending her out to look at the sky, to see whether a storm was coming to spoil her fireworks. She would run out, and right in again, to curl on the davenport and try to sleep. Finally, though, she stayed outside, for a long time.

"When the wind rose, I looked first for Martha. I called her several times before she answered. Finally she came around the house from the direction of the rabbit hutch, again. Surely, you must have noticed, as I did, that she had seemed strangely excited during all the late afternoon and early evening. At the time, I thought it was because she had been given the monkey charm, and because she was to have the fireworks.

"But, when we were alone, she talked very foolishly—even for her. She began with it again, when she had answered my call. She kept insisting that soon we were all going to be surprised about something; something very nice, that had to do with Chad—but she would never, never tell what it was. As a rule, I should not have paid any attention to such talk. But, for some reason, her excitement, and her insistence about a surprise, disturbed me. I spent some minutes quizzing her. I even tried to bribe her. I could get nothing from her but further talk about the nice surprise.

"Then the storm came and I ran upstairs to begin closing the house. I thought I'd begin with the attic, and come down through the house. I tried the attic door. It was locked, and the key was missing. I was alarmed. Possibly, because we were all disturbed concerning Gaby's absence; and possibly, because inside doors are so seldom locked here. I remembered the old skeleton key hanging in the broom closet. I ran down and got it.

"I opened the door. I saw the body. I touched it—and knew, even before I saw the tatting shuttle there, and the beaded bag, covered with Sam's pipe ashes. I snatched the shuttle and hid it in my dress. At that instant, through the open window at the end of the hall, I heard your voices, as you ran up the road from the garage to escape the rain. I shut the door, locked it, and ran downstairs. Do you know, when I met you, I had that key in my hand?"

"Mary came up to me to help me close the French windows. I did not think. I had a wild desire to rid myself of that key. I was determined to protect Martha, at any cost. Mary's pocket was hanging like an open bag, right below me. I dropped the key into it. It was a frightful mistake. If I had kept it, and thrown it away, every one in the house would have been exonerated. It was, as you know, the one link that connected the household with the crime. That is, after Mary had cleaned away the pipe ashes. The little fleck or two of them, which Danny saw, might have fallen there days before—"

"Mary," Sam questioned, "were my pipe ashes on the bag? Did you stop to clean them off, before you gave the alarm?"

"Yes, they were, Sam. Yes, I did."

"Then," Sam said, "whoever put the body there, put the pipe ashes there to throw suspicion on me; and whoever it was, knew my habits, too. He must have put the tatting shuttle there, as well, for good measure. Does anyone of you think that Martha would have had the wits to save ashes out of my pipe and put them on the bag?"

"Chad!" John almost sang it, in his eagerness. "He was wise enough, and fool enough. His one idea was to protect Martha. He helped her get the body up there, between seven and eight o'clock, and he put the ashes there to shield her. I said fool enough. But, come to think of it, he knew what he was doing. He was protecting her with the one person in the house who could not have done it; with the one person that no Nevada jury would convict. Then, he turned around and shielded dad with his death and his written confession. From start to finish, it works out, plain as day. Gosh! Say—it is terrible. Gosh—horrible! Think of it— But, thank God, it is cleared up, anyway."

"'Cleared up, anyway' is right," Sam said, and looked around at all of us, pityingly, like he'd look at a litter of sickly puppies.

"All satisfied, then?" he questioned. "All satisfied that Martha killed her, and that Chad carried the body upstairs and hid it for her, and left the false clews—including the tatting shuttle, for reasons unknown—and came down, merry and happy enough, until he took a sudden notion to write a false confession and walk out and shoot himself through the head?"

"Dad," there was pleading in John's voice, "you don't mean to say that you can't see the thing? That you aren't satisfied with this absolutely logical explanation?"

"Yes," Sam answered, with his most dangerous drawl, "that's what I mean to say. It takes more, or seems to, to satisfy me than it takes to satisfy some folks. Satisfied? Not by a d—n sight!"

John lost his temper. "For the love of Pete, why aren't you? What would satisfy you? Say? What are you trying to do? Do you like the case against me so well that you can't give it up? What's the use of bucking straight facts?"

"D—n your straight facts. We haven't got any. I've a few straight fact questions, though, that will blow this story galley-west. Here's one of them:

"Does it stand to reason that, for two months, Gaby lived right here unharmed by Martha? But that, on the very day, when she feared death from some outside enemy, Martha should kill her?"

"It is coincidental," John admitted. "But, just the same, there are lots of coincidences. We all meet them, all the time."

"It wasn't a coincidence that Gaby was afraid of meeting, when she walked out of this house on the fourth of July. Here's another question.

"Mrs. Ricker, she says, was plumb convinced that Martha committed the murder, and that I helped her by carrying the body upstairs afterward. She thought this the night of the murder, and the next day, and ever since. Why, then, didn't she come to me and, anyway, put out a feeler or two in my direction? She knew that I'd go as far to save Martha as she would go. I wouldn't protect John, nor any other person on this place; but Martha was a child—younger, even, than a child in some ways. Mrs. Ricker knew that I'd save Martha with my last dollar, and, as somebody said the other day, with my last lie. Mrs. Ricker and I were alone together far more than half an hour the morning of the fifth. Why didn't she give me a hint, then, of any of this?"

"I—I was afraid," Mrs. Ricker answered. "So long as she was living, I was afraid of everything—of every one. I was afraid of myself. I dared not think; I dared not look."

"Now, now," Sam said. "I see your point in that, especially since talking had got you in bad once. But—see here. I said a while ago that I'd always known you were a good woman. Well, I am going to keep on knowing it for the present. But you, thinking as you say you think, directly accused Danny the other day. That was not the act of a good woman—"

"G—d, Ollie!" Hubert Hand burst out. "He is going to try to pin it on you, to save Martha and the Stanley name—even yet."

"You," Sam said, "are a liar."

"Safe enough. I wouldn't fight you, and you know it, old man."

Sam jumped to his feet. I had to stumble over John, but I managed to reach Sam first, and to stand in front of him. "Boys, boys," I begged. "Not here. Not in this house tonight. Remember—"

Hubert stuck his hands in his pockets and walked away. Sam dropped into his chair. The telephone bell, in the other room, began to ring.

CHAPTER XI

Canneziano.

Hubert answered the telephone, and called to Sam. I followed him into the living room to hear what was to be heard. I think that John and Mrs. Ricker followed for the same reason.

When Sam said, "Read it, please," I knew that it was another telegram. They telephone all of our telegrams to us from Rattail, and mail them later, when they get around to it, if they don't forget.

Sam kept writing things on the telephone pad, and asking central to repeat, and to repeat again, and to spell that, please. Lands, but I got nervous, before he finally hung up the receiver, and turned to us, and asked:

"Any of you ever hear of a fellow named Lynn MacDonald?"

None of us, of course, ever had.

"Seems he is a kind of detective," Sam explained. "He calls himself a crime analyst, and he specializes in murder cases. Works on his own hook, kind of like Sherlock Holmes did, I guess. He wants to come here and take the case. He wants his expenses, and nothing else, if he fails. If he succeeds, he wants ten thousand, cash. Poor fish, I'd have paid twenty thousand just as quick. Anyway, that's a fair proposition. I'm going to wire him to come. Let's see—Danny is coming up on Friday afternoon, isn't she? I'll wire MacDonald to take the same train. That will save us two trips to Rattail in the heat."

"Listen, dad—sleep over it," John urged. "If Mrs. Ricker is right about all this, and I swear that I think she is, isn't it enough for us to know about it, dad? If you get a detective here, and he comes to the same conclusion, we can't keep it a secret, then."

Sam said, "He won't. And we aren't wanting, nor needing any secrets on the Desert Moon, just now."

He sat down and began to write the telegram. Five minutes, and he was reading it to the operator at Rattail. He had just hung up the telephone receiver when the doorbell rang.

For a minute I did not recognize the man standing there on the porch. In the next minute I did recognize him. My heart stood stock still. He was Daniel Canneziano.

He pushed right past me, into the room, without waiting for an invitation. He always was a polished, perfumed little fellow, but that evening, what with his gray spats and a cane, he was right-down dandified.

My Heart Stood Stock Still. He Was Daniel Canneziano.

"Got a chap to drive me up from Rattail," he said.

"I left my trunk down there," he went on, taking off his light gray overcoat and brushing it, and folding it across his valise that he had set on a chair. "The chap couldn't bring it. I thought you could send a truck down for it, tomorrow, Sam."

"Counting on paying us quite a visit, eh, Canneziano?" Sam found his voice at last. "Trunk and everything."

"As a matter of fact," Canneziano answered, sitting down and making himself comfortable on the small davenport, "all that mess you stirred up about me, on the night of the murder, makes traveling not altogether agreeable for the present. Yes, I think, all things considered, that having me for a guest, after having set all the police in the country on my trail, keeping me safely here, as it were, is about the least you can do,—isn't it?"

"I reckon I could do a little less, in a pinch," Sam drawled. "But, all things considered, as you say—though it might be you and I aren't considering the same things—I'm glad to see you here. Make yourself right at home, for you may be going to stay even longer than you planned."

"Righto! However, if you have some neat little scheme of trying to pin the murder on me, I'd advise you to abandon it. If I hadn't had water-tight alibis, all along the line—"

"Keep your water-tight alibis in a dry place till you need them," Sam advised. "Maybe you will need them. We've got a crime analyst, specialist in murder cases, coming up here Friday. You can give your alibis to him."

"That crime analyst sounds like Lynn MacDonald. That's what she calls herself."

"She!" Sam said.

"If you've got Lynn MacDonald, you've got a woman."

"H—l," Sam exploded.

"Just the same," Canneziano said, "she's the best dic on the coast. Some say that she is the best in this country. If anybody can find out who killed Gaby, this MacDonald woman can."

"We don't want a woman. Better wire her not to come, dad," John urged.

This time it was Canneziano who looked quickly and sharply at John. "You're dead right you had," he said, "if you don't want the murderer discovered."

"Sam," Hubert Hand suggested, "you'd better wire and verify her references, anyway."

"There's generally more than one way to skin a cat," Sam said, "besides the way you are told to do it."

Leaving us to think that over, he went to the telephone and called the office of the Morning Record, at Telka, and asked for Mr. Clarence Pette. Pette was a reporter on a San Francisco newspaper, who had been at the ranch at the time of the inquest on Gaby.

When Sam got him, he asked him whether he knew Lynn MacDonald. Evidently he said that he knew who she was, for Sam told him to take number Twenty-one at Telko, Friday afternoon, and to meet him here and he would pay him fifty dollars for his trouble.

I remembered my manners. "Mr. Canneziano," I said, "this is John Stanley, Sam's adopted son. He and Danny are engaged to be married. This other gentleman is Mr. Hubert Hand, and the lady is Mrs. Ricker."

Things felt real polite, for a minute, as they always do just after folks have been introduced.

"Bad times you have been having around here, lately," Canneziano said, pleasantly, as if he were talking about the weather.

Mrs. Ricker excused herself and went upstairs.

Sam spoke directly to Canneziano. "Did you ever know a man named Bauermont—Lewis Bauermont?"

"Strangler Bauermont? Very well indeed. Has he anything to do with it?"

"What's that you called him?" Sam asked, sharply.

"Strangler Bauermont, you mean?"

I remembered that Danny had told me his nickname was "Mexico."

Sam said, "That's what I mean. How did he come by a name like that?"

"He is by way of being a wrestler, I believe; and won the name for some particularly clever hold that brought his man down every time. I have never gone in for that sort of thing—can't give you the scientific details. He was a jiu-jitsu expert, also. Oh, no, no," as he noticed our quickening interests. "He is a continent and an ocean away, at present. Moreover, murder is quite outside his line—quite."

"You are sure he is in Europe now?" Sam questioned.

"I had a letter from him, only a few days ago, written and sent from Deauville. A cable to Scotland Yard would locate him precisely for you, I have no doubt."

"That letter you had from him," Sam said. "I suppose you destroyed it?"

"I don't tie my letters into packets bound with blue ribbons."

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Italy Makes Good Use of Vast Water Power

One after another the great waterfalls of the Alps and Apennines have been placed in subjugation by Italy, their water guided into huge, high pressure conduits and forced to turn giant turbines, writes Henry Kittredge Norton in World's Work.

Before the World war these turbines were already producing two billion kilowatt hours per year; during the war, because of the shortage of coal and the need for power, this capacity was increased by another billion kilowatts. After the post-war turbulence had settled down into the Fascist regime, a new impetus was given to electrical development, and by the end of 1926 the actual consumption had reached 7,500,000,000 kilowatt hours per annum.

Since then it has continued to mount. More than 7,000 of Italy's 9,000 communes are now supplied with electrical energy. The per capita consumption runs close to 200 kilowatt hours.

As was to be expected under the circumstances, by far the greater portion of Italy's electrical energy is used in turning the wheels of her factories. Lighting is a secondary consideration. Sixty per cent of Italy's electrical energy is used for motor power; 15 per cent for light and heat; 14 per cent in the metallurgical and chemical industries, and the remaining 11 per cent for the electrified railways.

Great Adventure

Four-year-old Marvin's parents were planning something unusual for a vacation, and during that period grandma was expected to care for the children. Daddy gave the little lad injunction to "be very good" during his absence.

"I will, daddy, for it is going to be a great adventure for you."

He could not remember a time when dad and mother had before taken a trip.

"Spoiled" Child Handicapped

Many parents feel that the first few years of a child's life are an unimportant twilight before the real dawn of personality and utterly ignore the importance of those early years for development, observes Clara Bassett in Hygeia Magazine.

Careful study of the spoiled child problem shows that such children do not outgrow their early habits, as parents often think they will. Many of them go through life with these attitudes and then develop mental and nervous breakdowns when they find they are not equipped to meet bravely the vicissitudes and responsibilities of adult existence.

This Week

by **Arthur Brisbane**

How to Cure Anarchy
He and She Ran Away
Adopt, Adapt, Improve
Lindbergh Has a Statue

A boy of seventeen, calling himself a Communist, appeared before Magistrate Sabbatino, who said to him: "What you need is for me to have you in a two-by-four room. What I would do to you! I'd blacken your eyes and give you some real American spirit."

That, you will admit, is a perfect plan for discouraging the spirit of anarchy, which disregards established law and legal procedure.

In New Jersey the wife of a Baptist clergyman runs away with a chicken farmer, member of the congregation.

She advises her husband to get a divorce. The chicken farmer leaves directions for the care of chickens and his three children.

This is shocking news, but we should read it having in mind the great number of clergymen's wives and chicken farmers that stay faithfully at home, leading monotonous lives, with little thanks to the clergymen's wives from the congregation and often few eggs for the chicken farmer from his hens.

Faithfulness is the rule and is never advertised.

The British know positively that a war doesn't pay. They face a "slump year" in industry. Losses in stocks, heavy taxation, labor in power, are some things that worry Britishers that were rich and now feel poor.

Across the channel in France, on the other hand, everything is booming, nobody idle. And the French are persistently drawing on Britain's supply of gold.

New York's medical officer warns the world's richest, wettest city, "If you must drink, in this bootleg era, do your drinking not more than five minutes away from a doctor."

Adopt, adapt, improve.

Those three words, recommended by the prince of Wales to his fellow countrymen, might well be adopted, adapted and improved in this country.

The young prince, one of the most useful, hard-working citizens of Great Britain, said to British industrialists:

"We British think we are very efficient, and we are at the head of the world in lots of things, but to keep in the van we must be conscious of that very valuable thing—the knowledge that we learn something new every day. To put it in three words: We must learn to adopt, to adapt and to improve."

We Americans think we are very efficient. In fact, we are absolutely sure of it. But we do not always "adopt, adapt, improve."

For instance, railroad managers of the United States stood looking, doing nothing, while automobile omnibuses and trucks took away some of their most profitable business.

They woke up late to that situation, and they are not thoroughly awake yet.

St. Louis wants to erect a statue to Lindbergh. It is unnecessary; it is too soon; and who in the country could make it good enough except MacMonnies, and he, for the time, has given up sculpture.

Lindbergh possesses now a monument sufficient—a picture in every American mind of a youth sitting in a small box with wings, leaving New York alone, crossing the ocean from New York to Paris.

When you have that kind of monument you don't need anything of marble or bronze.

Helen Wills, good California girl, is now Mrs. Frederick S. Moody, Jr. He is a Californian also.

That wedding interests Americans, all fond of Helen Wills and proud of her. It also interests eugenists, who believe that a super-race could be built up by proper marriage selection.

Fortunately, they are wrong about that.

A super-race is being produced, not on basis of breeding horses or dogs, but produced by intense affection and concentration, which more than anything else decides the qualities of the child.

For other details read the first chapter of "Tristam Shandy."

"Fly, Red Eagle of the Tyrol," is the name of a German play. Italy wants a scene changed in which a youth of German blood tells how Italian gendarmes shot his mother.

Germany will oblige: the play will be toned down.

The incident is interesting because applause that greets the play and its patriotic utterances shows how easily a new war could start, once the nations get their breath.

Criticizing installment payments for automobiles and other expensive units has gone by. Without such payments industries would dwindle.

The wise man, knowing that he will not live forever, pays for a thing and enjoys it at the same time.

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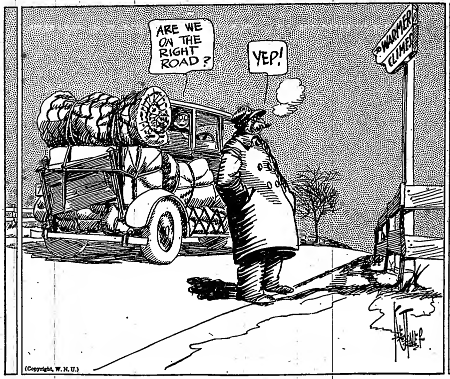
OUR COMIC SECTION

Along the Concrete



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BUSINESS AND THE COLLEGES

By DR. ROBERT MAYNARD HUTCHINS, President Chicago University.

THE universities and the associated husiness papers should nnite in a field study of present-day hig business if academical commerce conrses are to he sound in principle. There must be some connection between what a man learns at college and whet he learns in business. Business schools have a professional aim and are partially successful. They should he fully successful. They should actually serve the purpose of saving some time in a man's business life.

Ths present method of training future business men is fundamentally theoretical. Students are not educated with the idea that they should make money. They are drilled in the methods of execntive management, and few of them become executives. The purpose that universities have is to keep ethics in bnsiness, to create a social point of view in the student, and generally to improve the business situation. The question is: Can the elements of force, personality, leadership and enterprise be developed in a school? Can bnsiness really be improved by our present educational system?

Our belief is that it can and should, but our real measure of success will be attained when we have put the social sciences to studying business. Sociology, psychology and even psychiatry must be led to scan the field of bnsiness life as the foremost step in their functioning.

RELIGIOUS TEACHING OF YOUTH

By DR. HENRY H. MYER, Boston University.

Crime records show few culprits who have had the benefit of attendance in church schools or in public schools of religious education. We realize that growth and progress and actual achievement in this rather new field is very difficult to measure. The only true yardstick of results will come when the present youth has grown up and assumed control of the reins of government. Then the methods of youth, coupled with ultimate aims, will bespeak the influence of religious teaching. Results then will be measured in behavior.

Of course, educational principles are involved primarily in teaching of religious ethics as well as in the more commonly accepted school teaching. We start first with the needs of the child. In the religious education classes the groups are graded more closely than in the public school. The separation is based directly on the growth of children. The inner growth of spirit is considered carefully and provided for, first of all, in every phase of the teaching.

The element of world peace is deeply involved in the teachings children receive in these days through the schools of religion, I believe. Receiving a common foundation of attitudes, the children are bound to be more tolerant of one another in later years than their parents now are before them. Although the United Stntes has made a gnllant start and has continued with rapid progress during the quarter of a century when this phase of teaching has been assuming importance in this country, European countries are still far ahead of us.

PROBLEM IN BANKING MERGERS

By DR. BENJAMIN M. ANDERSON, Chase National Bank.

Bankers should not be too eager to embrace the merger fashion. It would be particularly unfortunate if our American system should be suddenly transformed as an incidental by-product of competition between the state banking system and the national banking system, or as an incident of a period of excited stock market speculation, or as a result of a competitive struggle for great size and large figures.

The problem of brnnch banking ought to be considered from the standpoint of service to the country. I believe that each locality in the country has special banking arrangements, and these should be studied before making rndical changes in the banking structure.

There is a difference between bauk mergers required by technical banking situations and those negotiated merely because merging happened to be a fashion of the day. Obviously, too, the character and caliber of the men who are making the consolidations are of crucial importance, and in this connection it is important to remember that the brilliant, able and upright promoter is not necessarily a capable ndministrator.

CHRISTIANITY HAS LOST SAVOR

By REV. S. M. SHOEMAKER, JR., New York.

Christianity is unconvincing because it is tasteless to the average unbeliever and outsider. I suspect the real reason why modern Christianity is not more convincing lies in the Christians themselves. The problem is "we," not "they." The salt has lost is savor. Modern Christianity is tasteless to their palates. When original Christianity broke on the pagnn world it broke with good news.

The lives of the little company about Jesus were headlines in the world of their time, so superior that the pagan world was startled, excited, almost frightened.

Christianity won out, over paganism, not through superior intellectual argument, but by a more workable way of life.

There has got to be born a profound conviction that the church can never move the world by traveling at its present rate and living at its present level. No amount of pointing to our fine churches or looking at the bright side of things will do. We are in a desperate situation.

If you ask me the way out, I say, frankly, convert the Christians.

MODERN YOUTH ALL RIGHT

By DR. WILLIAM ALLEN NEILSEN, President Smith College.

The condnct of the modern girl is franker, but that it is more shocking than that of the preceding generations I very much doubt. I believe conditions relative to the morals of modern youth have been greatly exaggerated and that the restlessness of the yonng people is dying down.

I also believe women can compete successfully with men in most enterprises. A woman's greatest drawback in business is the fear of the employer that after training a woman he will lose her as an employee through marriage.

However, many women are keeping np their business interests after they are married. More and more women are keeping their jobs, hiring a housekeeper, and have the evening for recreation with their husbands.

Don't let SORE THROAT get the best of you . . .

FIVE minutes after you rub on Musterole your throat should begin to feel less sore! Continue the treatment *once every hour for five hours* and you'll be astonished at the relief.

Working like the trained hands of a masseur, this famous blend of oil of mustard, camphor, menthol and other ingredients brings relief naturally. It penetrates and stimulates blood circulation and helps to draw out infection and pain. Used by millions for 20 years. Recommended by doctors and nurses.

Keep Musterole handy—jars and tubes.

To Mothers—Musterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole.

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BETTER THAN A MUSTARD PLASTER

Tungt arbeide at gjöre?

Ikke gaa og gru Dem for det vanskelige arbeide De har for Dem. Bare fyld piben med True Smoke og gaa ivei.—Tungt arbeide synes lettere—livet er bedre at leve—naar De har True Smoke til hjælp. Dens milde smak er akkurat passe.

I mange, mange aar har „True Smoke" været friluftsmandens ven. Hvert nyt slegtled opdager snart at ingen anden tobak er saa opmuntrende — ingen anden tobak er saa tilfredsstillende som „True Smoke." Skaf Dem litt selv, og se hvor meget bedre piben smaker. Tilberedt av Christian Peper Tobacco Co., St. Louis, Mo., fabrikanter av god tobak siden 1852.

This Family Prolific

Only thirty-seven years old, the wife of a laborer at Uebetlosheim, Germany, has just given birth to her eighteenth child. The mother herself is the eighteenth child of her parents, and her seventeen brothers nnd sisters boast of ninety-seven children. Her parents nre still living and recently celebrated their golden wedding surrounded hy one hundred eighteen children and grandchildren.

And That Was That

"I don't carry an nmbrella over you any more awkwardly than I did before we were married, and you never bawled me out in those days," he growled.

"No," she snapped, "but I had to bite my tongue to keep from it."

'Twill Make Him Happy

He—Are you really embroidering that foot pillow for me, dear?

She—Yes, love, but, if you ever dare to put your foot on it I won't speak to you for a week.

Setting Him Right

Customer—I want a nice piece of meat without bone, fat or gristle.

Butcher—What you want is an egg.

The ex-hero can't nnderstand why the world has such a poor memory.

When Food Sours

Lots of folks who think they have "indigestion" have only an acid condition which could he corrected in five or ten minutes. An effective anti-acid like Phillips Milk of Magnesia soon restores digestion to normal.

Phillips does away with all that sonrness and gas right after meals. It prevents the distress so apt to occur two hours after eating. What n pleasant preparation to take! And how good it is for the system! Unlike a burning dose of soda—which is bnt temporary relief at best—Phillips Milk of Mngnesia neutralizes many times its volume in acid.

Next time n hearty meal, or too rich a diet has brought on the least discomfort, try—

PHILLIPS Milk of Magnesia

Statement of the condition of

Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire, Minn.

at close of business on December 31st, 1929.

Bank No. 447

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	$71,596.62
Overdrafts	None
Securities, Bonds, etc.	71,215.67
Banking House Furniture and fixtures	7,800.00
Other Real Estate owned	5,100.00
Cash on hand and due from Banks	38,918.09
Cash Items	2.60
TOTAL	$194,632.98
LIABILITIES	
Capital	10,000.00
Surplus	3,000.00
Undivided Profits (net)	1,526.24
Savings Deposits	14,989.15
Time Certificates	96,559.47
Cashiers checks	30.00
Deposits subject to check	68,528.12
TOTAL	$194,632.98

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. ss

We, J. W. Black, President and Fred Biskey, Ass't Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to our knowledge and belief.

J. W. Black, President
Fred Biskey, Ass't Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January 1930.

Verner Nelson
(Seal) Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission expires Dec. 15th 1936.

Correct Attest (Two) Directors: E. O. Burkee, Theo. M. Thronson

State of Minnesota } ss.
County of Hennepin }

On this 7th day of Jan. A. D. 1930, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County, personally appeared J. W. Black to me known to he the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

E. G. Austin
(Seal) Notary Public, Hennepin Co, Minn.
My commission expires Dec. 3, 1932

Your Stationery Needs

Now is the best time to anticipate your needs in stationery and ruled forms for fall use. Don't wait until the fall rush is on.

The Spectator is equipped to print your letterheads, envelopes, statements, sales slips and pads and anything else you may need.

Look up Now what you will need, and let us have your order.

St. Hilaire Spectator

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

River News

A New Year's wake held at the John Sjoberg home Wednesday Dec 31.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thyren and family were guests at the L. P. Thyren home New Year Day.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Haugen were guests at the B. Walseth home Sunday.

Miss Martha Anderson left Saturday evening to resume her duties as teacher at the Hopkins school, Moorhead, after spending her vacation at the home of her sister Mrs. Carl Swanson.

The G. B. Peterson family spent New Year's eve at the B. Walseth home.

Herman and Olaf Burstad motored to Grand Forks Sunday to visit with Mrs. H. Burstad who is a patient at the Deaconess hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Erdmann motored to Crookston Sunday to visit with Mr. Charles Seeger who is a patient at the Bethesda hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Satterberg, Mr. Mrs. and Herman Burstad were six o' clock dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burstad Wednesday, Dec. 31.

Mrs. Herman Burstad left Friday for Grand Forks where she underwent a major operation Saturday morning. Mrs. Burstad withstood the operation and is getting along nicely. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Seeger and family of Oklee, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Seeger and family and Mrs. Chas. Seeger of Red Lake Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gieseke were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Ulrich Sunday.

MEET THE GANG
-AT-
Bob's Coffee Shop
If you can't eat at home eat with us
R. Helmkay,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Bids Wanted

Bids will he received by the board of school district No. 166, Sanders twp., for delivery before March 1st, at the school grounds, of six (6) cords of heavy, split, body poplar cordwood.

Bids will he opened January 11, 1930.

Enoch Swanson, Clerk

Bids Wanted

School district No. 236J of Red Lake county, will receive hids up to Tuesday, Jan, 28, 1930 for delivery of 10 cords of sound, heavy body, split poplar cordwood, to be racked at the school premises in said district.

J9-23pd Herman Jepson, Clerk.

Electricity in Lightning

The weather burean says that the electricity in e single flash of lightning veries greatly. The largest amonnt of wbicb the burean bas any approximate measurement was the equivalent, ronghly, of 100,000 amperes for 0.01 second, or 1,000 amperes for 1 second. Probably the average discharge is of the order of one-fiftieth of this amount.

Believed of French Origin

The origin of the expression, "the great gabbo," usually used in a mildly derisive sense of the head person or "big chief," is thongbt to have come into English street jargon from the old French gab, meaning to mock, boast, lie or scoff. The expression as quoted usueily means the chief boaster or leading boomer of a community or organization.

Tides Retard Loading

Loading gypsum in Nova Scotia seems to heve its ups and downs, in fact, about 40 feet ups and downs. The loading docks, which are in Minas basin, have e tide which has a rise and fall of more than 12 yards. This necessitates the nse of flat-bottomed boats and a special cribbing to hold them.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Minneapolis—Market week will be held here February 3rd to 8th.

Minneapolis—The valne of new buildings here for 1929 is $20,900,190.

Isle—The debating team of Braham high school met the Isle team here in debate.

St. Paul—Gov. Christianson has announced be will not be a candidate for re-election.

Willmar—John Feig, Kandiyohi, county anditor 8 years and county commissioner eight years, died, age 67.

Minneapolis — Construction of a $250,000 film exchange building here is expecetd to he started within a few days by Vitagraph, Inc.

Stillwater—Mrs. Robert L. Bntler, 73 years old, a pioneer resident of Stillwater, was killed when she was struck by an antomobile.

Blooming Prairie—Raiding 10 places simultaneously, 24 federal prohibition agents arrested 12 alleged liqnor law violators here and in Austin.

Sandstone—Volunteer firemen of Sandstone answered an alarm the last day of 1929. It was the annual New Year's ball for the fire fighters.

Brainerd—An adjourned term of District Conrt was opened with Judge Graham Torrance of Bemidji presiding. Nine cases were to be heard.

Minneapolis—A fireproof steel and concrete elevator will be erected in place of the one destroyed by fire and owned by the Sterling Elevator Co.

Brainerd—Matt Mayer, 53 years old, resident of Bemidji, who came there before railroads were bnilt, and who operated the Merchants hotel, died here.

St. Paul—Steps to bring ehont modification of the habitual criminal act in Minnesota were taken by the Minnesota Association of County Attorneys.

St. Paul—Earl Brown, state chief of bighway patrol has selected 50 candidates who will take 10 weeks intensive training for highway patrol work.

Minneapolis—L. N. Scott, dean of the Twin Cities theatrical world and manager of the Metropolitan theatree in both cities, died here after a long illness.

St. Cloud—Herman Weiland, 26 years old, of Chicago, died here, the second victim of an auotmobile collision at an intersection ten miles west of here.

Owatonna—The third annnal ice carnival scheduled here for New Year's day, bas been indefinitely postponed on account of continued warm weather.

Minneapolis—The American Association for the Advancement of Science has selected Minneapolis as the tentative site for its September, 1935, convention.

Duluth—Reports pnblished here show that the state eliminated 236 sharp curves, forty-five grade crossings and added 75½ miles of paved highway during 1929.

Minneapolis—Eight members of President Hoover's White House conference on child health and protection are either directly or indirectly connected with the University of Minnesota.

Minneapolis—Proposals for municipal improvements in 1930 totaling $7,000,000 indicate 1930 will make np for small capital ontlay in 1929, when only $4,000,000 worth of improvements were undertaken.

Minneapolis—January 6th the 44th annual exhibition of the State Poultry association will be held here with ahont 90 different varieties of poultry, pigeons and rabbits, representing 4,000 entries on display.

St. Paul—Geo. H. Hazzard, 35 years secretary of the Minn. Territorial Assn. died here age 83. Coming to the state 73 years ago they settled in Winona, moving to Taylors Falls, and later to the Twin Cities.

St. Cloud—Exhibits at the Central Minnesota Midwinter Seed Show here Jan. 15 to 18 will incinde both shows, 4-H clubs in Stearns, Benton and Sherburne conntles will be represented, while Becker, Minden and Sanke Valley Junior 4-H clubs have annonuced they will also condnct booths.

Minneapolis—Mike Collins, manager of the Minneapolis Boxing Club, announces he has completed arrangements for the greatest card to be presented to boxing fans since the opening of the new Anditorium over two years ago. The show will be staged Friday evening, January 10th and will bring together as headliners Dick Daniels, popular young heavyweight of Minneapolis and Armand Emanuel of San Francisco who has met Tommy Longhren, Mickey Walker, Ace Hndkins and others of note. Mike Mandel will box ten rounds with Big Boy Peterson of New Orleans, Jackie Sharkey, local bantamweight, meets Quina Lee, chempion of the sonth, and Jack McCann of Bismarck, N. D., successful in his last two starts in Minneapolis is matched with Billy Freeman of Minneapolis.

Mora—J. E. Shaw, local superintendent of schools and his wife, were burned as their bome was destroyed by fire caused by a gasoline stove explosion. Both are confined to a hospital. Loss was estimated at $5,000.

Marshall—Hundreds of Minnesota dairymen will be here January 21, 22 and 23 for the fifty-second annual convention of the Minnesota State Dairymen's association. A banquet will be given January 22. A bntter and cheese scoring contest will be held under the supervision of the state dairy and food department.

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We are handling the well known Gold Seal fancy patent flour again. This flour has always given satisfaction to all users.

Try a sack the next time you order flour.

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Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

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To get the best service out of your car during the cold winter months, perfect lubrication is very essential. We have oils and grease suitable for all makes of cars, and will be glad to assist you in selecting the oil and grease best suited for your car.

Snappy gas, the kind that makes your motor go into action the minute you touch the starter, is our

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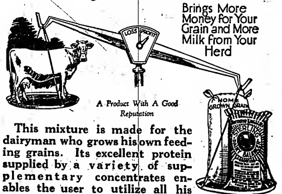
Make Quick Profit Balance



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Sterling Dairy Balancer
Feed Your Own Grain with it

Sold by
Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
N. Benoit, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Mod Has Advantages

A city built on mnd bas its advantages. New Orleans cannot have skyscrapers, as other large cities do, because it sits on "1,100 feet of mnd," bnt the man in charge of the seismograph at Loyola university there, says the city bas never been known to feel the tremor of an earthquake.

Bees on Skunk Menu

Bees are a common article of food in the diet of the American skunk. Bumblebees and yellow jeckets are regularly eaten by these animals. In captnring the insects, at which they are very skillful, they apparently pay little attention to the stings.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Money Saving Specials

Jello, 3 packages	.21
Toast, 5 pound box	.85
Good peaberry coffee, reg. .40 now	.32
2 1-4 lb pure preserves, assorted. reg. .60	.35
Dromedary dates, reg. .25 now	.21
Swansdown cake flour, large pkg.	.28
Macaroni, 3 packages	.18
Felt Shoes, broken sizes	1.35
Felt Shoes, all sizes, reg. $2.45	1.95
Rubbers, heavy red, sizes 7 1-2, 10-12	1.35
Blazers, 24 oz., knit bottom, broken sizes. Reg 5.90	3.95
Boys sheep lined coats, reg. 5.40	4.45
Mens " " " " 7.45	6.25

We have just completed our 16th year in business and we wish to thank the community for the patronage given us during that time.

Our aim has always been to give the best merchandise for the money, and satisfaction to our customers.

We have customers who have traded with us since we started in business which must prove our contention so we solicit you who have not given us a trial to do so and become one of our satisfied customers.

M. H. Jackson
General Merchandise
St. Hilaire, Minn

Livestock Wanted

Have recently made connections where I am in position to pay highest market prices in CASH for all kinds of livestock.

If you have any beef stock, hogs, sheep, calves, etc., that are in shape for market, kindly call or phone, and you will be assured the highest market price for your stock in CASH

ED DURBIN
St. Hilaire, Minn

Real Summer Weather

While our friends "back east" are busily engaged shoveling snow from the sidewalks' residents of California are enjoying unusual advantages that would almost sound like some fairy tale to those that have not been here to see that this is no exaggeration.

Last Friday Mr. Ray Elliott called at the Kerman News office and presented the editor with a bunch of fresh Thompson seedless grapes, which he had picked in his vineyard on December 20th.

The berries were as fresh and crisp as any we have ever seen and certainly had a good flavor. Wouldn't that be enough to make anybody want to come to California, especially to the Land of Kerman; where such things are possible?

The above interesting little article from the News at Kerman, Calif., might induce some of us to feel that way these cold days. However, when it comes to spring, summer and early fall months, and length of days those seasons, we are willing to match with any state in the Union.

Among the many renewals received last week was noted that of Washington Adams, who resides south of town. Mr. Adams has been a reader of the Spectator ever since it first started publication in 1882. In years past he has always attended to renewal personally, but this year he had delegate that duty to Mrs. Adams. He has suffered quite a lot from rheumatism this winter, but is still able to attend to his usual duties around the farm home.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated February 23rd, 1924, executed by Martin Helgeson and Gunild Helgeson, also known as Gunild Helgesen, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on February 26th, 1924, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 155 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $119.33, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $140.33, due on February 23rd, 1929, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $140.63, due on August 23rd, 1929; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,217.26, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from August 23rd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $230.46, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $119.83 thereof since July 27th, 1929, and on $140.63 thereof since August 23rd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $134.76 for taxes, including interest, penalties and costs and interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, and the sum of $51.32, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $4,740.93, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-four (34), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 31st day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premiums paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feros, Ass't Attorney General,
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
310 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. D-19-J23

Hoover and Lamont Discuss Business.

Washington — Business conditions throughout the nation were discussed by President Hoover and Secretary of Commerce Lamont of Chicago. Following the discussion, Mr. Lamont expressed gratification over the country's apparent success in weathering the stock market crisis, but admitted a slack period in building construction is in prospect. Mr. Lamont was optimistic that conditions in the building business will brighten as soon as actual work is begun on public building programs now getting under way. The commerce secretary said consumption kept pace with production during the last year and inventories remained low. These conditions, Mr. Lamont said, prevent any repetition of the business depression of 1921.

25 Years Ago

Norman Hannay left for the west coast to look over the country with a view of locating.

—XXV—

Jens Nelson bought the interest of his partner, T. J. Torkelson, in the Imperial Drug Co., and was to continue the business.

—XXV—

Mrs. Erick Nelson, mother of N. A. and Gust Nelson, died Jan. 6th, at the age of 63 years.

—XXV—

A. F. Ittner was back on the job at the Spectator office after an illness of three weeks.

—XXV—

A group of young people from here drove to Hazel and enjoyed a social dance in the newly completed store building of Otterness & Edstrom.

—XXV—

Annual meeting of the creamery association was held that week. Nels K. Anderson was elected president, J. S. Roy, vice president, N. A. Nelson, secretary, and Chas. Gustafson, treasurer.

—XXV—

The Hotel St. Hilaire and bar was re-opened that week by Knute Killand after being closed for a time.

Coal: Have on hand a good supply of Bonnie Blue soft coal and hard coal. On track I have Millers Creek soft coal and Stott's briquettes. Millers Creek is especially fine for range use. Bonnie Blue is extra good for heater use. Place orders now for Stotts and Millers Creek, thus saving handling expense.
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Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

3 RUM RUNNERS SLAIN

Motor Boat and Two Ships Seized With Combined Cargo Worth $600,000.

Newport, R. I.—Wholesale liquor running motor boats, ex-sub chasers and small ships has had a set back in this port by the capture of three such ships by federal prohibition enforcement officials and coast guards, with the result that the bodies of three men are lying in the morgue at Fort Adams and one man is in the hospital badly shot up.

Tied up at the New London, Conn., coast guard base, is the motor boat Black Duck, with her pilot house splintered with 500 cases of whisky loading her down. Near here rests the one time submarine chaser Flor-dal-Mar, with 4,000 cases of liquor cramming her narrow hull and the black of recent flames in her engine room. Between them lay dismally the sloop Roamer, with another 500 cases of hooch beneath her hatches.

It was a night of terror for both the coast guardsmen and the hijackers. A heavy fog and rolling sea made matters worse than ordinarily would have been the case and in a measure contributed to the killing of the three men of the Black Ducks crew, which carried 400 sacks of liquor.

The other two ships were captured later the crews of each making their escape in the dense fog. The boats seized were covering a radius of 150 miles and it is thought that hovering at sea are several large vessels stocked with contraband liquor. It is thot that a new rum row has formed out beyond the 12 mile limit.

"Lamps of Learning"

In Greece and Rome the dim, smoky lamp made its appearance at a fairly early date. It was a shallow dish, round or oval in shape, with a handle at one end and a spout for the wick at the other. It was made of baked earth or metal, and the wick was made of tow or cloth. These lamps, used chiefly by students and teachers, are the traditional lamps of learning to which reference is frequently made.

Accurate Building

In the great pyramid of Gizeh there are 2,300,000 stones. Their average weight is two and a half tons each, but some of them weigh 50 tons each. The builders displayed an accuracy almost equal to opticians' work, but on a scale of acres instead of inches. The blocks were fitted and squared with an accuracy seldom equaled in building operations today.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

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St. Hilaire. Minn.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the Payment of the Sum of Four Hundred Thirty-Eight and 50-100 ($438.50) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest thereon to date of this Notice, all of which is claimed to be due, and is due at the date of this notice, under and pursuant to the Terms of that certain Mortgage, made, executed and delivered by Petrea Anderson, a widow, Mortgagor, to William K. Hoefer, Mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of July 1929, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of July 1929, at 8 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Book 79 of Mortgages, on page 494 thereof,

AND WHEREAS, by Reason of said Default, the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative, and No Action or Proceeding having been instituted in Law, or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any Part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by Virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made, and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11) in Block Three (3) in Zeh's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Plat or Map thereof now on file and of Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota,

together with the Hereditaments and Appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 25th day of January 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash, to pay said Debt of $438.50, together with Interest to the date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and Fifty Dollars Attorney Fee as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursements allowed by Law, subject to Redemption at any time within one Year from the day of Sale, as provided by Law,

Dated this 11th day of December 1929.

William K. Hoefer,
Mortgagee

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Services next Sunday in local church at 10:30 A. M., and in Clara church at 3:00

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Sunday, Jan 12. Services as follows-
St. Hilaire Luth. 11:00 A. M.
Clearwater, 2:00 P. M.
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Sunday School 10:00
Morning service 11:00
Evening service 8:00

Card of Thanks

We hereby express our most sincere thanks to all friends and neighbors for the kind assistance and sympathy given us during our late bereavement, the death of our beloved father.

We expecially thank Rev. Dahle and Rev. Brodland for their comforting words at funeral; the ladies who sang so beautifully, Mrs O. C. Johnson the organist; and those who gave the beautiful flowers.

The Benson Family.

U. S. and Germany Reach Accord.

Washington—An agreement has been reached between the United States and Germany for settlement of all American reparations claims arising out of the war, and will be submitted to congress for approval. A statement by Ogden Mills, acting secretary of the treasury, made after announcement at Berlin that negotiations had been concluded, explained that the arrangement would carry out the terms of the Young plan for settlement of all reparation claims against Germany and that it contemplated an abatement of the American government's portion of the total.

70 Persons Die in Theater Fire.

Paisley, Scotland—70 persons, most of them children between the ages of 5 and 14, perished in a fire which swept through a motion picture theater here sending the 1,500 persons into a wild panic for exits. At the hospital to which the dead and dying were rushed, it was stated the number of children treated for minor burns or injuries was 150. The panic of the children as they jammed the exits in a wild effort to flee the raging flames brought the death roll high.

Co-ed Displays Diamond as Gift.

Long Beach, Calif.—Maxine Glass, 21-year-old University of Southern California co-ed and resident here, displayed a diamond ring on her engagement finger which she said was given her by Richard Dix, film player.

Rear-Seat Drivers

Rear-seat drivers do not all ride in automobiles. They can be and are found in all lines of work and ranks of life. Self-appointed rear-seat drivers are found everywhere, and at all times. The great majority of them are just plain "nuisances."—New Albany Tribune.

W. G. Kellogg Gets $36,000 Yearly.

Washington—Incorporation of the $30,000,000 cotton marketing association by January 15 and early selection of facilities and personnel for the Farmers' National Grain corporation was promised the federal farm board as Chairman Legge and Carl Williams, member representing cotton, left for conferences in Arkansas, Oklahoma, and Texas. Promise of early developments in the Farmers' National Grain corporation was given by William G. Kellogg of Minneapolis, newly selected general manager to handle 1930 crops. Kellogg came to the corporation directly from a Minneapolis grain firm. He has had 25 years' experience in buying and selling grain. His salary is to be $36,000 a year—the highest paid any officer of the national corporation. The corporation will function the same as a wholesale grain merchant, he said, buying and selling whenever it sees an opportunity for profit. It will establish physical facilities and personnel in every terminal market of the world to buy grade, clean, mix and sell grain for its members.

Lake at High Altitude

Lake Titicaca, which is situated between Peru and Bolivia in the Andes mountains, has an altitude of 12,635 feet.

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2 Norse Flyers Lost in Antartic.

Little America, Antarctica—Another tragedy has been written on the ice strewn sea of the antartic. An airplane and two flyers used in scouting for whales by the whaler Kosmos, has vanished, near the edge of the ice

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Special Train, Jan. 22nd

This is just to remind you that the Great Northern Demonstration Train will be in St. Hilaire all forenoon Wednesday, Jan. 22nd. Glowing reports are coming in daily from all points where demonstrations have been made thus far. It will be worth more than a college degree to the average farmer to view the exhibits and hear the lectures. A new era is dawning for agriculture. To learn what methods are being used by the most succesful farmers in the Northwest now, see the demonstrations and stop to hear the lectures next Wednesday morning.

Thank You All

We acknowledge with thanks, receipt of subscription payments from a goodly number of readers within the past few days. Due to pressure of other work, no list was published last issue. Those listed below have our most sincere thanks and appreciation:-

Martin Hanson, Larson Bros, Albert Seaverson, John Gauthier, N. E. Beebe, Leonard Holmes, W. A. Johnson, E. O. Johnson, Joe Torstveit, Anton Johnson, Chr. Kruse, Sr., Martin Erickson, Knute Kolstad, Mabana Grocery, Mahana, Wash., F. D. Lorentson, Ole Lund, Dr. C. Swanson, J. H. Johnson, Chapin Pub. Co, Ed Peterson, H. F. Hanson, And. Soderberg, Henry Simonson, Mrs. K. B. Johnson, Andrew Huseby, A. G. Hallstrom, Mrs. Nels Johnson, G. A. Gustafson, Att'y Paul Lundgren, Mrs. C. Gustafson, Mrs. H. W. Anderson, Aug. Dahlin.

As will be noted by advertisement elsewhere in this issue, the annual meeting of stockholders of the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Association will be held Monday afternoon Feb. 3rd. Officers for the coming year will be elected, and other business transacted. The creamery had a very successful year during 1929, and indications point to a better one this year if price of butterfat advances, as is expected it will.

John Gonnering has been in charge of the meat market this week while Ed Durbin was out on stock buying trips.

Packing Ice:- Have packing ice cut on the river at St. Hilaire now. All persons wanting ice, kindly call soon as possible.

Harry Ortloff

Early Morning Fire

Elmer Johnson narrowly escaped having a serious fire last Friday morning when a can of crankcase oil, which he was warming up on his kitchen range, exploded and threw burning oil over the stove and room. Fortunately, he happened to have a barrel of water in the house, and managed to extinguish the blaze. Ruined wallpaper, scorched waincoting and oil smoke thru the house was the sum of damage done, but it might easily have been much worse.

P. P. Tax List Out

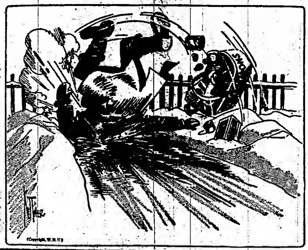
In this issue will be the Personal Property Tax List for the entire county. These taxes are now due, and are payable at any time up to March 1st. No person is exempt from payment of personal property taxes regradless of how little or how much they, excepting married persons or householders. The latter applies to widowers and widows who have minor dependent children and not otherwise. Those coming within these classifications, may claim an exemption of $100. Thus a married man, or one having dependents and is considered a householder, may have more property and less taxes than a single person. Preserve your copy of the List. it contains much valuable information, and incidently, much food for thought.

Annual Village Statement

Annual statement of financial condition of the village is published in this issue. For the first time in many years, the village has neither outstanding orders, any bond issue or other forms of indebtedness, and, has a nice little cash balance on hand. As the village streets are in very good shape at present, it is not expected there will be any large expenditure for either roads or bridges during 1930. By holding other expenses down to minimum, the village will soon have a good sized cash balance, and it will be possible to cut the levy for village purposes. Due to change in time for village elections, the annual statement will be published first of the year instead of just prior to spring election, as was the custom in the past.

Carl Fromm, aged Civil War veteran, is reported seriously ill.

January Thaw



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

A travelling show troupe gave a performance at the Imperial hall last Saturday evening.

Paul Roy and John Hanson attended to matters of business at Red Lake Falls yesterday.

Harvey Olsen, who is employed at Fargo, came up Sunday morning for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olsen.

Some over two hundred cubic yards of gravel have been hauled on the village streets this winter. Some stretches of road were badly in need of gravel so this will prove a worthwhile inprovement.

A big snow and sleet storm passed this side of the Rockies last week, extending from the Canadian border south into Texas. Several lives were lost in the storm which is said to have been one of worst in many years.

Pete Johnson, representing the monument works at Crookston, was here Friday and Saturday for a visit at the Tim Ensrud home while looking after matters in his line.

S. Rosette and Albert Aase, who have operated the St. Hilaire garage since last fall, have discontinued the business for the present. Some changes in operation of the garage are contemplated which may materialize soon.

A number of friends of Mrs. Martha Bergland, a recent bride, tendered her a miscellaneous shower at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peterson last Friday evening.

The local high school basketeers will play another game with the Oklee team next Tuesday evening. Because of lack of suitable room here, the game will be played in the hall at Hazel. It is to be hoped a good representation of rooters will accompany the team from here.

As result of the slump being experienced in the industrial sections of the East, followed by unemployment and curtailment of buying powers by workers, there has been a sharp decline in many commodities. A drop of about ten cents a pound in price of butterfat in local market at this time of year is an indication that retrenchment is taking place in the large industrial areas which consumes most of the butter made in this section.

Dr. L. Twete, the veterinarian, made a brief call here Friday while enroute to attend to a coupe urgent calls in vicinity of Oklee.

Co. Commissioner J. S. Roy was at Thief River Tuesday attending a meeting of the board of directors of the Oakland Park Sanatorium.

Due to the mercury hovering around the 20 below mark yesterday morning, cream receipts were light at the creamery.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bjerk returned last week to their home in Dakota after having spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Bjerk.

Annual statement of the Bray Mutual Fire Ins. Company is published in this issue. The company is in flourishing condition, and report shows it made a nice gain in business in 1929 over that of the previous year.

Supt. Cash Cartier of the Red River Power Company at Red Lake Falls, was up Saturday reading meters and looking after other business matters for the company.

The high school cagers are going to Middle River tomorrow evening to try conclusions with the battling five of that village. The local lads bested Middle River in a previous contest, and entertain hopes of repeating the performance.

A name to remember- Coronada- 6 tube screen grid Radio. Outstanding in Tone- Selectivity- Volume- Buy only comparison- $114.95 complete. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Because of lack of space on the supplement, the Personal Property tax list for St. Hilaire and Goodridge will be found on page 10 of this issue.

Don't forget to visit the Great Northern Demonstration train next Wednesday morning. It will be especially fine if all boys and girls who are interested in agriculture, will view the exhibits and hear the lectures.

Only a few weeks more before the Groundhog comes out, and only a few weeks after that before spring sets in. If it wasn't for kicking about the temperature in meantime, what would there be to complain about anyway?

Win At Oklee

The local high school basketeers motored Saturday to Oklee and took on the high school team there for a fast game last Saturday evening. At close of the last frame the score was 11 to 11. In the overtime period played to break the tie, the local boys got one tally, making the final score 12 to 11 in favor of St. Hilaire.

Starting Whist Club

A number of the men about town have taken steps to organize a whist club to provide entertainment during balance of the winter First session will be at the Odd Fellows hall next. Monday evening. Any man interested in whist, is cordially invited to be present. Sides will be chosen and a series of games played. Losers will furnish lunch for the winners. Plans for operation of the club will be made at the meeting Monday. As this is in form of a community affair, an invitation is extended to all men in this community.

25 Years Ago

Misses Alice Hall and Selima Hoff went to Crookston to spend a few days with Mrs. N. Demer.

—XXV—

The planning mill started that week with a big bunch of orders booked to fill.

—XXV—

The postoffice of Wyandotte was discontinued. Mail service on the Soo was to serve that territory.

—XXV—

J. G. Winkjer, local buttermaker, was appointed an inspector in the State Dairy and Food department, by Governor John Johnson.

—XXV—

Miss Cordelia Lacombe and Dr. C. E. Higbie, well known young local couple, were married Jan, 7th., The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Ansgar at Red Lake Falls.

—XXV—

Thief River Falls people were circulating a petition which had for its object, removal of the county seat from Red Lake Falls. A bitter fight was in prospect.

—XXV—

Peter P. Freeman, one of the oddest characters who ever lived in this county, died at Thief River. He was found on the road the previous Sunday unconcious and badly frozen.

Wins Prize On Turkey

Hazel Melin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Melin, won second prize at the Pennington County Poultry Show at Thief River last week with her Mammoth Bronze turkey pullet. As there were many birds entered in this class the showing is a good one. Hazel showed some of her mature birds at the Junior Livestock Show at St. Paul last fall and brot home a prize from there also.

Petit Jury Drawn For Winter Term Of Court

Below is a list of the petit jurors drawn to serve at the winter term of district court in this county which convenes on January 28th. The jurors are, however, called for the following day, Wednesday, Jan, 29th. No grand jury has been called for this term of court. As will be noted on the list, this section of the county will be well represented at this term of court.

Name	Residence
Herman Kjos	Highlanding
Henry Gunstad	Rocksbury
Christ Gulrud	Thief River Falls
Gust A. Iverson	Star
Ed Moren	Black River
Ole Nesland	Deer Park
Gust Bergren	Silverton
Bennie E. Johnson	River Falls
Albert Arntz	Reiner
A. J. Ansgard	Hickory
Christ Urdahl	Highlanding
Mrs. V. C. Noper	North
Peter Simonson	St. Hilaire
E. Pomerenke	Clover Leaf
John Funnesdahl	Norden
Edvin Quamm	Sanders
Mrs. Sam McMahon	Silverton
Willie Smith	North
J. H. Bohlen	River Falls
Sever Hanson	Silverton
Mrs. P. G. Peterson	Thief River Falls
Mrs. Alfred Flatum	North
Victor Brink	Black River
Gust Wilken	Rocksbury
Mrs. D. W. Ayers	Norden
Elias Peterson	Smiley
Emil Sanders	Clover Leaf
Mrs. Carl Angel	Thief River Falls
Mrs. M. H. Jackson	St. Hilaire
Martinus Rust	Norden

For Sale:- A few choice Mammoth Bronze turkey toms weighing from 25 to 30 pounds each, at $9.00 a bird. Phone 9208 on St. Hilaire line, or address John Steiger, Wylie, Minn.

Try a want adv.

A Resolution

At outset of 1930, resolve to save a part of your earnings. No matter how large the sum may be--or how small--cultivating the habit of saving will mean much to your future.

Open a savings account with the Old Reliable now. By systematic saving, you will insure your financial independence in the future.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

What Will The Future Bring?

That is the question that concerns us all. The future of your creamery depends upon you. By patronizing it--selling it your cream--buy what it has to sell--and co-operating with your neighbors for its betterment, you are not only helping yourself, but are assisting in the upbuilding of your community. If not already a shareholder, become one this year.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

FEED SOLDIER ON 51 CENTS A DAY

Food Best in History of United States Army.

Washington.—Soldiers are getting the best food served in the history of the United States army and it is costing the government only 51 cents a day per man, the annual report of Maj. Gen. Frank B. Cheatham, quartermaster general, shows.

Extension of the use of rayon, adoption of roll collar overcoats, and plans to provide mounted troops with leather-laced boots to replace shoes and leggins are expected by Cheatham to contribute to appearance and morale.

The problem of obtaining satisfactory cotton cloth for uniforms has been so difficult Cheatham has recommended adoption of a khaki shade identical with that used by the marine corps in place of the familiar olive drab.

All army housing projects authorized by congress in 1927 have been completed except the hospital at the Fort Leavenworth disciplinary barracks, Cheatham reported. Building authorized in 1928 has been completed except for barracks and quarters at Fort Sam Houston, Texas; Fort Jay, N. Y.; Fort Monmouth, N. J., and Selfridge Field, Mich.

Sixteen housing or hospital projects of the 1928 program representing an expenditure of about $3,300,000 are completed or under way. Work has not yet been started on the remaining 17 projects of the 1928 program which will require expenditure of between $6,000,000 and $7,000,000.

Under authority of congress Cheatham began correspondence to identify widows and mothers of American soldiers, sailors, and marines buried in Europe preliminary to pilgrimages to the graves at public expense.

"Folding Husband" Seen for Flats of Future

Washington.—"Will the busy and crowded housewife of the future, along with folding beds, folding kitchens and folding baby carriages, have a folding husband to match?"

Thus inquires the Journal of Heredity, presenting a report by Dr. Arthur Kelley on a strangely constructed man who can crease himself down the middle and touch his two shoulders together. He is able to perform this feat, quite impossible to ordinary humans, because he has no collarbone. Neither the usual physical examination methods nor X-ray photographs show a trace of this favorite subject of horseback-riding accidents.

The condition presented by the "folding man" is apparently hereditary, for he reports that his mother had no collar bone; and his only child a daughter, is also without one. His only brother, now dead, was normal.

There are drawbacks to being a folding person, however. Doctor Kelley's discovery has defective bones in his head, which leave a soft spot on the top of his cranium and cause a slightly "dished" appearance at the top of his nose, and also make his features rather smaller than they are in most persons. Doctor Kelley reports that his "folding man" is native born, of old American stock.

Good-By

An elderly neighbor called on the family one afternoon for the first time. Everything went well until she left, and the family told her good-by and asked her to come again. Then three-year-old Larry spoke up and said: "Good-by, good-by forever."

Test in Ordinary Duties

All higher motives, ideals, conceptions, sentiments in a man are of no account if they do not come forward to strengthen him for the better discharge of duties which devolve upon him in the ordinary affairs of life.—Beecher.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the Payment of the Sum of Four Hundred Thirty-Eight and 50-100 ($438.50) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest thereon to date of this Notice, all of which is claimed to be due, and is due at the date of this notice, under and pursuant to the Terms of that certain Mortgage, made, executed and delivered by Petrea Anderson, a widow, Mortgagor, to William K. Hoefer, Mortgagee, bearing date the 27th day of July 1929, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of July 1929, at 8 o'clock A. M., and recorded in Book 79 of Mortgages, on page 494 thereof,

AND WHEREAS, by Reason of said Default, the Power of Sale contained in said Mortgage has become operative, and No Action or Proceeding having been instituted in Law, or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said Mortgage, or any Part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by Virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11) in Block Three (3) in Zeh's Addition to the City of Thief River Falls, in Pennington County, Minnesota, according to the Plat or Map thereof now on file and of Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota,

together with the Hereditaments and Appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 25th day of January 1930, at 10 o, clock in the forenoon of that day, at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash, to pay said Debt of $438.50, together with Interest to the date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and Fifty Dollars Attorney Fee as stipulated in and by said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the costs and disbursements allowed by Law, subject to Redemption at any time within one Year from the day of Sale, as provided by Law,

Dated this 11th day of December 1929.

William K. Hoefer,
Mortgagee

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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River News

Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Dalager and family were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hanson of Red Lake Falls, Sunday Jan. 5.

Word reached here of the arrived of a son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Ulrich of Great Falls, Mont. Mr. and Mrs. Ulrich are well known in this township and Red Lake Falls.

Word was received last week of the death of the 7 month old son of Mr. and Mrs. P. V. Pike of Caruthersville Mo., who died of double pneumonia, Dec. 26 after a 10 days illness. The infant is survived by his parents, two brothers, David and Clarion, and his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. John Gothia of this place. Mrs. Pike (nee Alice Gothia) is well known in this vicinity and her many friends extend their heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved parents in their trials and sorrows.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated February 23rd, 1924, executed by Martin Helgeson and Gunild Helgeson, also known as Gunild Helgeeen, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on February 26th, 1924, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgagee, on page 155 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $119.83, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortised principal and interest of $140.63, due on February 23rd, 1929, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $140.63, due on August 23rd, 1929; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,217.26, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from August 23rd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $260.46, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $119.83 thereof since July 27th, 1929, and on $140.63 thereof since August 23rd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $134.76 for taxes, including interest, penalties and costs and interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, and the sum of $51.32, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $4,740.96, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-four (34), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 31st day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premiums paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th, 1929.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. D-19-J23

Town Pays $2.16 a Day for Girl's Education

Fall River, Mass.—Gertrude Gomes' education will cost her home town $2.16 a day. The village of Freetown has contracted to pay that amount to Walter Cudworth for carrying her in his automobile to and from the Fall River high school. Gertrude is the only resident of Freetown who attends the local institution.

Hen Goes Sightseeing on Top of Owner's Auto

Mount Carmel, Pa.—Will Whalen of Chambersburgh was embarrassed recently when the merriment of people on the street caused him to stop his car and investigate. His pet Plymouth Rock, Belinda, was perched on top of the car. The bird had ridden 36 miles in a high wind.

Poorhouse Inmates, Aged 81 and 75, Wed

Amiens, France.—If Emilien Lehegue lives to be 125 and Marguerita Madar sees 131 years they may celebrate their golden wedding. As [illegible] bridegroom of 81 and [illegible] years, respectively, Marguerite and Emilien got a day off from the respective homes for aged poor, in which they live, in order to be married. Negotiations are under way to permit the bride to live with her husband at the Home for Aged Men.

THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday morning at 10:30 in Black River church. Voting members of the Tarna Lutheran church meet the 21st of January, at St. Hilaire at 2:00 P. M., to agree upon what to do with the cemetery.

Black River, Tarna and Clara church members will meet in the Tarna Lutheran church in St. Hilaire on Friday, Jan. 24th, at 2:00 P. M. to transact business that concerns them together.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Jan. 17, services as follows: Ebenezer, Mayfield, 11:00 A. M. St. Pauli, 2:00 P. M.

St. Hilaire Lutheran Brotherhood meeting Sunday evening at 7:45. The following program will be given:

1 Hymn, audience 351
2 Scripture reading, responsive
3 Hymn, 491
4 Reading, selected, Klem Gigstad.
5 Solo, Arthur Hendrickson.
6 Speech, Supt. E. N. Reiersgord
7 Trombone solo, Wm. Peterson
8 Remarks
9 Election of officers

Come and be with us. An invitation is extended to all.

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Sunday school 10:00 A. M.
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Card of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all friends and neighbors for the assistance given us during our recent bereavement in death of our beloved daughter, Aileen.

We also thank those who contributed the beautiful flowers at the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rosendahl
and family

Must Be Clean Within

A man cannot raise himself to the height of his stature while the limbs are cramped in the armor of hatred; he suffocates in the atmosphere of continued suspicion.—Maude Royden.

Intensive Breeding

Line breeding consists in breeding within a few closely related stocks or families, no animals being interbred which are not closely connected in the general line of their blood.

Bible, Lost in Argonne, Returned to Ex-Soldier

Berwick, Pa.—Eleven years after he lost his Bible during the Argonne campaign, G. Taylor Wright has had it returned to him.

Several days ago Wright's mother opened a letter addressed to her son, who is now in Massachusetts, and found it contained an offer from Mrs. William Davis of McIntyre to send the Bible to any relative of Wright. She had no knowledge whether Wright had survived the war. The Bible had been found by her son.

Mrs. Wright forwarded the letter to her son, who asked that the Bible be sent to him.

Survey Shows Increase in Use of Lumber

Washington.—In an attempt to determine exactly how much wood, of what kind and in what form, is used by American industries every year, the Department of Commerce has completed a nation-wide survey. Preliminary figures show that lumber is in a greatly increasing demand in the Inland empire states and that the prairie states represent practically the only section of the country showing a decrease.

Chance Query Recovers Ring Lost Six Years

Edgerton, Minn.—A ring, lost for six years, was restored to Mrs. Wiekerard because she said the right thing at the right time. While a tenant occupying the farm formerly rented by Mrs. Wiekerard was visiting at her home she asked: "Did any one ever find a ring on your place? I lost one there about six years ago." Thereupon the visitor pulled the ring from his pocket and told that he had found it two years ago but never knew its owner.

VILLAGE TREASURER'S ANNUAL STATEMENT

For the year ending December 16th, 1929

Annual Statement of E. O. Burkee Treasurer of the Village of St. Hilaire in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, of the moneys received by him as such Treasurer and the sources from which they were received, and the amounts paid out by him and the purposa for which they were paid.

RECEIVED

Mo.	Day	Year	From Whom Received, on What Account	Amount
Feb.	23	1929	BALANCE CASH ON HAND	$ 763.52
April	6	1929	John Gullingsrud, Treas., Town Revenue	372.48
April	6	1929	John Gullingsrud, Treas., Road & Bridge	249.57
April	6	1929	John Gullingsrud, Treas., Money & Credits	16.70
April	10	1929	M. Fricker, filing fees	4.00
May	2	1929	Twp. Black River, for cutting brush	9.00
July	22	1929	State of Minnesota, 2% Tax on Premiums	20.72
Oct.	8	1929	John Gullingsrud, Treas., Town Revenue	480.27
Oct.	8	1929	John Gullingsrud, Treas., Road & Bridge	321.84
Oct.	16	1929	C. R. Huff, Pool Table License	10.00
Dec.	4	1929	John Gullingsrud, Treas., Town Revenue	491.15
Dec.	4	1929	John Gullingsrud, Treas., Road & Bridge	329.18
Total				$ 3,068.43

DISBURSED

Order No.	Mo.	Day	Year	To Whom Paid, on What Account	Amount
80	Nov.	9	1927	Emil Just, Cash advanced	$ 500.00
92	Feb.	27	1929	Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
1	March	7	1929	Nels Person, checking gravel	7.00
2	March	7	1929	John Forseen, salary	15.00
3	March	7	1929	Bergh Hardware Co., supplies	10.50
4	March	7	1929	Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
5	March	7	1929	Martin Hallstrom, gravel	181.20
1	April	2	1929	M. Fricker, salary	30.00
2	April	2	1929	E. O. Burkee, salary	20.00
3	April	2	1929	A. Satterberg, salary	5.00
4	April	2	1929	H. F. Hanson, salary and Judge Elec.	11.00
5	April	2	1929	Pete Simonson, salary and Clerk Elec.	8.50
6	April	2	1929	A. A. Odegaard, salary	5.00
8	April	2	1929	John Forseen, salary	15.00
10	April	2	1929	Walter S. Booth & Son, supplies	1.78
11	April	2	1929	O. Gunstad, statement and proceed	83.75
12	April	2	1929	Ed. Roy, Judge Election	3.50
13	April	2	1929	Physicians Hospital, services Dr. Houlten	3.50
13	April	2	1929	Ole Branum, labor	8.50
14	April	2	1929	Ed. Peterson, labor	1.50
15	April	2	1929	Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
20	April	2	1929	M. Highland, cartage	1.50
21	April	2	1929	Dr. Houlton, salary Health Officer	11.50
22	May	8	1929	H. R. Allen, labor	13.30
23	May	8	1929	O. Gunstad, proceedings	4.50
24	May	8	1929	Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
25	May	8	1929	E. O. Burkee, Insurance Villaga Hall	19.85
26	June	6	1929	Nels Person, labor	5.60
27	June	6	1929	Pete Simonson, labor	3.15
28	June	6	1929	Central Lbr. Co., lumber	2.95
29	June	28	1929	Red River Power Co., lights	34.80
30	July	2	1929	Halvor Gunderson, gravel	5.00
31	July	2	1929	Peterson & Kolstad, labor	70.00
32	July	2	1929	Nels Person, labor	5.25
33	July	2	1929	Central Lumber Co., cement	79.90
34	July	2	1929	John Hansen, labor	1.00
35	July	2	1929	O. Gunstad, notices	6.25
36	July	2	1929	Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
37	Aug.	8	1929	M. Fricker, Board of Equal.	3.50
38	Aug.	8	1929	A. Satterberg, Board of Equal and nails	8.75
40	Aug.	8	1929	M. Highland, labor	24.10
41	Aug.	8	1929	Ole Nash, labor	2.00
42	Aug.	8	1929	Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
43	Sept.	6	1929	Nels Person, labor	5.50
44	Sept.	6	1929	Mrs. M. Volden, Board for Nash	21.15
45	Sept.	6	1929	O. Gunstad, proceedings	4.25
46	Sept.	6	1929	Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
47	Oct.	8	1929	Mrs. M. Volden, Board for Nash	22.30
48	Oct.	8	1929	Leo. Holmes, funeral for Albert Nash	58.00
49	Oct.	8	1929	W. S. Nott Co., supplies	14.00
50	Oct.	8	1929	Miller Davis Co., supplies	5.20
51	Oct.	8	1929	Centrsl Lumber Co., lumber	3.30
52	Oct.	8	1929	M. Highland, labor	17.20
53	Oct.	8	1929	M. H. Jackson, Fire (Dept.)	25.50
54	Oct.	8	1929	Sever Skottem, labor	3.50
55	Oct.	8	1929	Peter Simonson, labor and salary	7.80
56	Oct.	8	1929	H. F. Hauson, labor and salary	7.45
57	Oct.	8	1929	A. Satterberg, labor and coal	62.25
58	Oct.	8	1929	Thos. Larson, salary	5.00
59	Oct.	8	1929	E. O. Burkee, salary	20.00
60	Oct.	8	1929	M. Fricker, salary	80.00
61	Oct.	8	1929	O. Gunstad, proceedings	2.25
62	Oct.	8	1929	John Forseen, salary	7.50
63	Oct.	8	1929	Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
64	Nov.	5	1929	State Highway Dept., oiling street	200.00
65	Nov.	5	1929	Miller-Davis Co., manuel	2.00
66	Nov.	5	1929	A. Satterberg, culvert	81.40
67	Nov.	5	1929	Ole Branum, labor	4.85
68	Nov.	5	1929	Elmer Johnson, police	3.00
69	Nov.	5	1929	H. F. Hanson, police	3.00
70	Nov.	9	1929	Emil Just, interest on order	60.00
71	Nov.	9	1929	John Forseen, salary	7.50
72	Nov.	29	1929	Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
73	Dec.	3	1929	John Forseen, salary	20.00
74	Dec.	3	1929	O. Gunstad, proceedings	5.25
75	Dec.	3	1929	K. Kolstad, labor	1.50
76	Dec.	3	1929	Larson Bros., supplies	3.35
	Dec.	16	1929	BALANCE CASH ON HAND	$ 943.10
Total					$ 3,068.43

RECAPITULATION

Receipts

Balance Feb. 23, 1929	$ 763.52
General Fund	2,304.91
Total	$ 3,068.43
Total Disbursements	2,125.33
Balance Dec. 16, 1929	$ 943.10

Disbursements

General Fund	$ 2,125.33
Total	$ 2,125.33

Audited and found correct this 8th day of January, 1930.

A. SATTERBERG,
H. F. HANSON,
M. FRICKER,
Board of Audit.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
County of Pennington,
Village of St. Hilaire—ss.

I, E. O. Burkee, Village Treasurer, hereby certify that the within is a true statement of all the moneys received by me into the Village Treasury of said Village and the source from which the same were received and their respective amounts, and also the amounts paid out by me and the purposes for which paid during the year ending Dec. 16th, 1929.

Given under my hand this 16th day of December, 1929.

E. O. BURKEE,
Treasurer.

Singing Sands

No satisfactory explanation is given as to what causes singing sands to make the sounds they do. Singing sands are found in various localities under such different conditions that no general conclusion has been reached.

Scientific "Follies"

The so-called seven follies of science are the quadrature of the circle; the duplication of the cube; trisection of the angle; perpetual motion; transmutation of metals; fixation of mercury; the elixir of life.

Odd Biblical Error

The "Vinegar Bible" was the name given to an edition of the Bible published at Oxford, England, in 1717. It was so called because of a printer's error. The head lin[illegible]contains the word "vinegar" for "vineyard."

Franklin's Burial Place

Benjamin Franklin was not buried in the old Granary burying ground in Boston where his parents lie because his life was spent, for the most part, in Philadelphia. It was the home of his heart, and he was buried in that city.

For COLDS

We all catch colds and they can make us miserable; but yours needn't last long if you will do this: Take two or three tablets of Bayer Aspirin just as soon as possible after a cold starts. Stay in the house if you can—keep warm. Repeat with another tablet or two of Bayer Aspirin every three or four hours, if those symptoms of cold persist. Take a good laxative when you retire, and keep bowels open. If throat is sore, dissolve three tablets in a quarter-glassful of water and gargle. This soothes inflammation and reduces infection. There is nothing like Bayer Aspirin for a cold, or sore throat. And it relieves aches and pains almost instantly. The genuine tablets, marked Bayer, are absolutely harmless to the heart.

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FOR HER HUSBAND'S APPROVAL

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MR. AND MRS. WILLIS had but lately returned from their first trip abroad. They had wandered, often sadly bewildered, through approved picture galleries. They had dined at the Cheshire Cheese. They had been secretly disappointed that Shakespeare's house was so tacky looking, as Mrs. Willis expressed it.

But Mr. Willis had been bitten by the mosquito of European culture (as he understood it, that is). He presented his wife with a cigarette-holder and the good woman nearly fainted. She confided in the occupant of the next deck chair (from Ohio) and that worthy suggested a psychiatrist.

"Not that awful psychoanalysis?" cried poor Mrs. Willis, who had been given a book on that subject by her enterprising husband and never rightly recovered.

"No, no, my dear," soothed the Toledo woman, "nothing like that." (It would never do to admit she'd never heard of Freud, but she hadn't). "I mean, well, just a doctor, who, well, takes care of—"

"Crazy folks?" cried poor Mrs. Willis. "Well, do you know I was half afraid that awful hot day in Paris, and Mr. Willis would sit and eat outdoors. And no real cooling ice cream sodas, either. I can't see myself why people go to Paris for food. Give me a good pile of hot cakes, or a nice fried pork chop."

"That's just what my Gerald says, but you have to come abroad just to be thankful you aren't a foreigner, I guess," rather lamely, for just then the sprightly Willis hove in sight. He bowed, in what his distressed wife thought a French manner.

A week later Mr. Willis poked the hash in front of him in disgust.

"Why can't we have croquettes?" as asked irritably.

"Because, Wednesday, when your poor uncle Timothy came to dinner he thought I said croquet, and you know you laughed, and, after all, even if he is deaf, he has what little money there is in your family."

"Well, but Uncle Timothy isn't here tonight. I insist on more modern ways. You have defied me about smoking. Well, I suppose every one can't like the taste of tobacco. But I insist, insist, mind" (Mrs. Willis was reminded of a peppery general in an English play, and was certain that trying character had precipitated this scene), "I say again I insist on modern cookery. We are no longer obliged to consider every cent. We've traveled—"

"Unhappily, yes," sighed the poor wife, wondering if the psychiatrist was urgently needed. "You've never been the same sensible man since we started that trip, never."

"I will not put up with nagging," cried Willis, starting for the door.

That afternoon Mrs. Willis motored quietly to town. She had a long talk, not with the mental specialist, but with the up-to-date bookseller. And her topic was cookery books. The bookseller was very modern. He sprinkled vitamines all over his conversation as if they were paprika. Mrs. Willis was impressed. She took an exotic volume with pictures of carrots and tables of calories. She drove musingly home.

The next day was Wednesday, the day sacred to the deaf and wealthy Uncle Timothy; the day, also, when other members of the families were wont to drop in after dinner to listen to the really excellent Willis radio.

Mrs. Willis was not without humor. And she had quite a full share of common sense, albeit she refused point blank to wear Spanish heels, rouge her nice red cheeks or make herself "sick at the stomach" as she worded it, with a cigarette.

"I'm a Victorian," she asserted, "and a Victorian I'll die."

However, she cooked a varied and appetizing appearing meal, using a multitude of odd nut combinations of which she'd never heard and of whose power to delight her newly fastidious husband and the robust Uncle Timothy she had grave doubts.

Laboriously she wrote menu cards. They'd had them at the club once when a noted temperance lecturer had come to Grassville, and she knew they were "classy."

"Putting on dog," growled Uncle Timothy, adjusting his specs to read the card. "Pity for Americans to go abroad if they can't keep their senses. Percy (to Mr. Willis), why d'you let that good wife of yours lose her head? She'll be trying to smoke next, like some of those flighty floppers I see. Disgraceful, I call it, and a woman well past forty, too."

He picked over his salad. "What's this? Carrots don't look cooked to me," he roared; "we ain't donkeys. How's that, eh?"

Eva Willis grew red. But she valued Uncle Timothy's good opinion too much not to stand by her colors, now, and she noticed that her Percy's ears were crimson.

"The truth is, uncle, that Percy is ashamed of me since we came home. He's all for the new fashions. (A frantic kick under the table prevented—possibly—any allusion to the cigarette holder.) "Well," she resumed, without wincing perceptibly, "I find we're all out of date eating so much meat. No vitamines, and most people with high blood pressure and so on, really dangerous. So tonight I determined to serve a real modern vegetarian dinner, with raw carrot salad, just like that high-toned Dumbbies Head Rest cure, that is so fashionable, uncle."

"Dumb-bells is right," again roared Uncle Timothy, "so it's Percy that is the fool, eh? Well, I always respected your good sense," he said more softly, "and now, ain't there a nice pork chop in the ice box? Or I could do with a nice platter of scrambled eggs or so, but never as long as I live will I eat grass. It isn't Christian."

Meekly, Mrs. Willis rose and glided into the kitchen. In a suspiciously short time a dish of well-browned chops was on the table with French fried potatoes and tomatoes.

Uncle Timothy beamed.

"Tell you what," he said, "I wouldn't have been so upset if you'd set me a dish of snails, seeing that I know Frenchies eat 'em. But when it comes to donkey food. . . ."

"You'd best throw that fool cookbook away," whispered Mr. Willis.

"Don't be scared. I didn't pay for it. Just got it for my husband's approval," added the lady.

Writer Takes "Dig" at Boasted Mail Service

What do I want now? Well, on the face of our post office building there is a noble legend which I cannot exactly remember. Not sun, nor hail, nor rain, nor sleet—in fact, virtually nothing, it says, can interrupt the service of the mails.

That is all very well, but what an antiquated thing the very idea of our mail service is. We make some marks on a piece of paper, put it in an envelope and drop it in a box or chute. Then a man comes around, collects a bag full of these things and takes them to a station. There they are sorted and taken to the train. There they are sorted again, put off the train, put in another car and taken to another station. And there they are sorted again and another man takes them on his back and finally delivers them to their destination. All this in the age of science!

What I want to do is this—and it is really very simple: I can already send messages to all parts of the world instantaneously. I can even talk with my friends everywhere. But suppose that a letter is necessary as a matter of record.

Very well. Then my stenographer's typewriter and telephone should be so connected that when she writes a letter it will be instantly transmitted in facsimile to the person addressed anywhere in the world. The facsimile, of course, would include my signature. My correspondent could reply in the same fashion, and then I would have a facsimile reply to my letter, all within fifteen or twenty minutes, and we would not have to carry tons and tons of paper around in trains and in cars and on our backs in order to have communication.—Owen D. Young in the Saturday Evening Post.

History of Marionettes

Jointed figures moved by wires entertained early Egyptians, and ancient Greece loved the puppet show. England watched gravely while puppets enacted Bible stories. The courtiers of Charles the Second's day could be as much entertained by a puppet heroine as by a living Thomas Betterton or Nell Gwyn.

But gradually England grew tired of the doll actors. Almost the last English puppet shows dealt with the story of Napoleon, the death of Nelson, and Grace Darling's rescue of the crew of the Forfarshire. Then they, too, disappeared.

The continent has remained more faithful to the puppets. Maeterlinck has actually written for them, and in Italy, the marionettes have never lost public favor.

The Wanderers

It was a most astonishing thing, but the Smiths were always changing their residence.

Some people decided that perhaps Mr. Smith found moving about cheaper than paying rent, but the real reason was that Mrs. Smith loved a change.

One day a friend of the family, returning home rather later than was his usual practice, espied Smith following a van of furniture.

"Hello, Smith," he cried. "Movin' again! And where to this time?"

"I dunno," was the weary answer. "I'm just followin' the van to find out."—London Tit-Bits.

He Met a Foot, Anyhow

Pat Murphy was a great favorite in the works. Even his employer would sometimes stop and crack a joke with him.

One day the boss met Pat.

"Morning, Pat," he said. "I hear that lately you've taken quite a fancy for the girls."

Pat blushed and snickered.

"Have you not met your fate yet?" asked the boss.

"Sure and begorrah, sir," exclaimed Pat sadly. "I met one of her father's feet in one of his big shoes last noight."

No Excuse

An accident is an event that takes place without one's foresight or expectation, says a Pennsylvania official, and so, strictly speaking, there are no automobile accidents. The driver who "runs contrary to the law of centrifugal force or the law of momentum is absolutely certain, sooner or later, to have a mishap."

Now you know what to expect. And when the mishap occurs don't try to wriggle out by saying you were never told these laws had been passed.

Bank of England's Gold Stored Under Ground

Thousands of people who pass the new Bank of England every day regard the two bronze doors, each weighing two tons, at the principal entrance in Bartholomewlane, as part of the bank's defenses, says the London Times. They are, however, merely decorative compared with the barriers of the underground fortress 80 feet below. There lie the strong rooms which have been built in the heart of the bank site to house the gold and securities against the danger of fire or possible bomb and gas attacks in war time. The greater part of the five years already spent on rebuilding has been devoted to these strong rooms, for which thousands of tons of concrete reinforced with steel have been used. The construction of the doors is being kept a closely guarded secret. Forty tons, however, is stated to be a moderate estimate of their weight. Even while the hundreds of workmen have been busy on the site, gold weighing about 1,000 tons has been stored in the bank; its value being about $650,000,000.

Serious Problem Faced by Chinese Christians

In its war on superstition, which has involved the destruction of a number of temple idols, the Nanking government has aroused the Buddhists of Hankow, who, claiming that over-drastic attacks have been made on their faith, have appointed a delegation to visit Nanking and to demand that a policy of no discrimination against Buddhism be adopted. The delegation declares that if religion is to be suppressed or religious property confiscated then they demand that all religions be treated on the same basis. The government, in accepting a petition from the Buddhists, has let it be known that the delegation will be given a hearing. Holding office under the government are many Chinese Christians who are now to be faced with the problem of agreeing to attack their own religion as well as Buddhism or else show why the Buddhists are being denied religious liberty.

A Life of Thrills

Orville Wright said at a dinner in Dayton:

"Flying has been made safe now, but it was, let me tell you, a very exciting business at the start, full of unique thrills, like the young millionaire's life.

"'Somebody asked the young millionaire, you know, if his had been an interesting life.

"'Has it?' he answered. 'Why, I'm only thirty-two, and I've had five wives and gone through three fortunes and four sanitariums.'"

Revising the Program

Amateur Singer—I will now sing one more song, and then I will go home.

Hostess—Forgive me, but do you lay particular stress on the order of your program?

As It Should Be

"Did you have much rain this year, Farmer Giles?"

"A fair amount, but my neighbor had more."

"How could he have more?"

"He has more land than I have."—Der Brummer (Berlin).

"If at First—"

"I didn't marry until I got the right man," said the old-fashioned woman.

"Well," replied the modern one, "I'm going to keep on marrying until I get him, too."

No Tenor

Collegiate—What was the tenor of your dad's last letter?

Fraternal—There was no tenner—only a fiver.—Boston Transcript.

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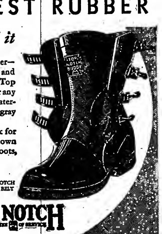

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The Children's Corner

Edited by DOROTHY EDMONDS

THE PRINCESS ENA ENDOWMENT

The fairies were discussing it. "It isn't wise, it isn't wise, and it isn't wise," insisted the Fairy Queen.

"I agree with you, my dear." Very polite, as well as very sensihle was the Fairy King.

"But it alwoys has heen done," argued the Qneen's Old Maid Sister who alwsys argued everything.

Then Princess Ens hnrst into ths room. "Please, Mother, where's my psychology hook?" she inquired. She was a modern fairy princess and had opinions.

"To sum up the qucstion," once more began the Fairy King. "Shsll we or shall we not give three gifts to the new child, Alice, horn todoy on Niny street of the Banded Empire of the World?"

"Supposing we did give Alice Beauty, Wealth and Wit, the cnstomary three gifts, would she turn out any hetter than the mony other infants to whom we have given them?" qnestioned the Queen ogain.

Princess Ena had gone as far as the door and etood there with a volume of psychology in one hand end a phonogroph record in the other, listening.

"Whot would you suggest doing, dorling?" esked the Queen Mother, fondly.

The Princess dropped to the floor by the door and huried her chin in her hands. "Let me see. It always turns out wrougly, if you give the children everything—it always has turned out wrongly if they hava everything they need handed to them at once. Hurrah! Mother, I have it! Why not give Alice the makings?"

"The makings? What do you mean, daughter?"

"Well," explained the princess, "you hs've heen shown thet too many gifts ars harmful. But it is also harmful to have uothing."

The fairy council pressed more closely ahont Princess Ena in a semicircle, and everyone sgreed.

"But if she had the 'makings" continued Princess Ena," it wouldn't metter if she were rich nr poor. If she wished that she knew something—ahout the fairies, for instance—somewhere ohont would he n hook on fairies. Sha would have only to read it. Supposing she wished, like Cinderella, for a new dress for the hell. Within her reach would he materials for the new dress and directions how to maka it, or directions how to earn it. All that we would wish for her would he the gift of doing thinge for berself."

"A very sensihle speech," applauded the fairy circle.

There were some who would not sgree. Ths queen's old-maid sister sniffed, "Ridiculous!"

"Rather impractical, your majesty, for it uever has been tested," suggested the king's counselor.

The queen said to the king, "Shall we try it, father, just this once?"

The king replied, "It's revolutionary. But jnst this once!"

So tha qneen turned to the princess: "We will try it just this once, daughter. Now, please go and dance among the flowers," she said.

The princess hugged them both.

Meanwhile Bahy Alice grew in wisdom and power. If sbe wanted a doll, she made it, if a party, she gave it, if an education, she earned it.

Princess Enn directed the fairy telescope toward Alice, then called the other fairies to look, exclaiming: "See my foster child! She is the happiest child alive with hnt one gift."

All the fairies took turns looking through the telescope et Alice and found thot it was impossihle to praise her too highly.

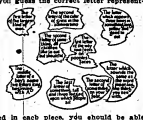
So the fairies held another council that lasted five minutes. They decided once and for all that their one gift should he THE PRINCESS ENA ENDOWMENT. Yon find it in your neighborhood; you find it in every neighborhood in the world. This fairy gift is a wonderful one, for if yon find out yon have the makings (as you have) then you can have everything else.

The fairies are still watching the result of this endowment through the telescope.

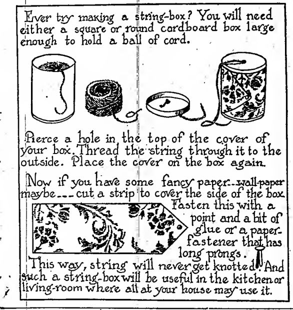
—Elsis M. Rushfsldt.

AN EGG SHELL PUZZLE

These pieces of egg shell are parts of a very large egg that was found on the banks of a river in Africa. If yon guess the correct letter represented in eacb piece, you should be able to epell with them the name of a large animal wbich was in the egg hefore it was broken.



MAKING A STRING BOX



What Does Your Child Want to Know?

Answered by BARBARA BOURJAILY

WHY DOES THE MOON STAY IN THE SAME PLACE WHEN WE WALK?

It is so many miles away—
Our walks so very small
The distance that we go can make
No diff-s-rence at all.

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Quick to Believe; Quickly Mistaken

By JEAN NEWTON

"WHO is quick to believe is quickly mistoken."

Look hock over the things thot yon most regret in your life, end you will find thot et leost a grcot port of them were the children of sudden impulse, acted npon withont consideration, and usuolly almost as quickly repented of.

You will find to thot those incidents, aets, decisions which were cnrefully weighed ond considered in advonce ore the ones which have yielded the most sotisfaction, which hove heen fruitful with pleosure and content and without regrets.

"Quick to helieve, quickly mistnken." Even in the little matters of life snch as selecting clothes, the woman who le quickest in mnking her choice and apparently the most easily plensed is very likely to he ona who is dissatisfied with her purchase after ehe has taken it home, while the ona who gives time and thought to the matter and does not accept so readily whatever is shown her is usuully satisfied and pleased with what she has hought, deriving pleasure from it as long ee it losts.

There are two sides to this metter. One is yourself guarding against being too "quick to believe," lest you he "quickly mistaken." The other is not taking too seriously the person who ts too easily won over, who is too delightfully "quick to believe."

A solesmon is hetter off with a discriminoting hnyer, one who is not too eosily "eold" hecause such a one, when finolly convinced, remains "eold," while the more quickly accommodoting customer is known to frequently chonge his mind; so all of us are better off with people who do not accept too quickly, who are not too ready to give their confidence, their endorsement, their friendship. Then when these are attained they are more likely to he lasting and worthwhile.

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"The day seems to hs coming," says Pondering Ponzsile, "when you won't know whether 'wrapped in thought,' is a psychological note or a fashion hint."

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Hard to Trace Origin

Varioue fanciful derivations have been invented for the term "hocns pocas," hnt nothing definite is known. It was probahly invented by jugglere in imitation of Latin.

Getting Right Start

An old saying reads: "He that would eat a good dinner let him eat a good hreakfast." In other words, to enjoy the whole day, one mnst make the right start.

Some Seasonable Good Things

By NELLIE MAXWELL

WITH a few cans of corn one may have mony good dishes during the winter. If home canned, fresh from the field, there can he no more tasty dish.

Corn Pudding.

Take one can of corn, add one heaten egg, one-half cupful of thin cream, salt to season, dot with hits of hntter, and hake 20 minutes.

Virginia Sugar Biscuit.

This is the biscuit of which George Washington was so proud, served with hot chocolate in which was heaten a yolk of egg.

Take one-balf pound of brown sugar, one-fourth pound of hutter, one pound of flour. Melt the bntter in three-fourths of a cupful of milk, knead in the flour mixed witb the sogor; when well hlended roll very thin and cut into strips. Bake in a hot oven. Pile strips log cabin fashion and serve with chocolate.

Bsan Crust Pies.

Take one cupful of hoiled beans, mash, add one-holf teaspoonful of salt, one teaspoonful of haking powder, one egg and two tablespoonfuls of melted hntter; add enongh flour to make a soft dough. Roll ont one-eighth of an inch thick, line postry tin and fill with any cooked vegetahle or meat. Bake until hrown.

Nice Stuffing fer Children.

Take three cupfuls of hread crumhs, one cupful of milk, one-half an onion chopped, pepper and salt to taste, and one-half cupful of ground peanuts.

Baked Bean Sandwichse.

Beans make a most tasty sandwich. Spread with hutter and add heane that bave been seasoned with minced onion, a tahlespoonful of hutter or cream, and holled salad dressing to make of the consistency to spread. This filling is good on criep crackers.

Ham a la King.

Add one chopped green pepper to two cnpfuls of rich white sauce, add one-fourth cupful of quartered mushrooms, two cnpfuls of diced ham, two hard-cooked eggs cut into quarters for garnish. Serve on huttered toast.

Coupe Greenhrier.

Cut fine one cupful of preserved figs. Stir into one quart of vanilla ice cream. Pack in ice and salt and serve in coupe glasses with a rose of whipped cream on top of each.

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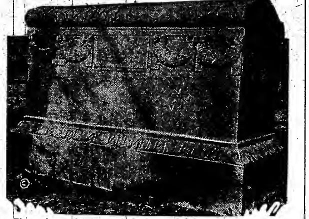
NEW TOMB FOR ROBERT T. LINCOLN



The newly completed sarcophagus where the body of Robert Todd Lincoln, son of the Greot Emancipator, will rest in the Arlington National cemetery. The tomh is the work of James Earle Fraeer of New York, and is said to be the most artistic thing in all of Arlington.

Why We Seek Adventure

By M. K. THOMSON, Ph. D.

THE life without adventure is like a honeymoon witbont a bride. Life itself is a greet adventnre. The thrill of the nnknown, the untried, tbe positively dongerous eppeels to us hecause in every great risk the hlood flows fsster, we are more thoroughly alive.

In adventure we taste the essence of life.

It is no idle gesture thot the world has gone mad over the beroes of tbe air. The greetings end honors heaped npon the snccessful pioneers who cross an ocean or conquer the frozen North spring spontaneously from the heart of every man, woman and child of all notionalities. The flyers are called ambassadors of the sir because they do more to unite the notions of the world in mntual friendsbip and good will than the official emhassadors. And thie is true becanse tbe exploit they go through strikes a responsive chord in the bnman breast, which points out more clearly than words and diplomacy the inherent sameness of hnmanity and the fact thot hnmanity is of one piece after all.

It used to he said that all the world loves a lover presumably becanse love is universal in its appeal. Now we say that all tbe world loves a successful airman ond precisely for the some reason. There is a universal appeal in the spirit of adventure.

No donbt war, with all its barbarity end utter folly, appeals to the odventuring spirit in us. The greoter the riek involved the greoter the thrill. That is wby stolen sweets are so much sweeter. One has to risk something.

The spirit of adventnre is illuetroted in onr pleys and games. The popularity of any epoit seems to he in the ratio of the risk and donger involved. The inducement of boxing contcets is the imminent possibility of a knockont. And how disappointed the fans are when there is not even a knockdown!

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Where a Grasshopper Ought to Be

By Douglas Malloch.

SOMEBODY sent to me from the South
A little package of Sonthern bloom.
When Boreos hlows with his wintry mouth,
With thoughts of snmmer it fills my room.
Bnt when the package I hsd found untled,
Whot else do you think I found inside?
A grasshopper just crawled out somehow
And hlinked in wonder, "Where am I now?"

For whet does a grasshopper know of snow?
And how can a grasehopper stand the cold,
With never a snnlit field to go,
To nihhle the grass end gother the gold?
Of course, there wes only one thing to do,
So I wropped him np with o leof or two,
And I mailed him back to the South, you see,
The place where a grasshopper ought to be.

I had a letter—it came today—
It was not from him, hut a friend of mine—
And it said the grasshopper hopped away
With a happy leap in the bright sunshine.
And there, no douht, he will sit tonight
And tell the rest of a land of white,
His folks quite prond of their traveled sire,
While the others say, "What an awfnl liar!"

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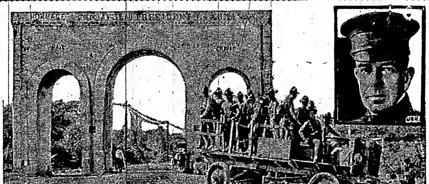
The Steppe regions are so called from the Russian word "etep" or "stepi," meaning waste or heath.

U. S. MARINES ON DUTY IN HAITI RIOTS



This picture shows some of the American marines on dnty in Haiti answering a call to dnty. Inset is the American high commissioner, Brig. Gen. J. H. Russell, who asked for reinforcements to quell the recent riotous demonstrations.

Makes Life Sweeter

Too much to eat—too rich a diet—or too much smoking. Lots of things cause sour stomach, hut one thing can correct it quickly. Phillips Milk of Magnesia will alkolinize the acid. Take n spoonful of this pleasant preporation, and the system is soon sweetened.

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QUICK RELIEF

Right You Are

Teacher—Now tell me, whot sort of people will wear the biggest crowns when they go to heoven?

Bright Pupil—Those with the biggest heads.—Bucn Humor, Madrid.

Are You Successful?

From the day that a young man starts out to seek his first position to the end of his business life, his health and personal appearance have a world to do with his success. If you are not physically up to the mark—appetite uncertain, digestion poor, and a general sense of incapacity and weakness, take DR. PIERCE'S GOLDEN MEDICAL DISCOVERY. It renews the blood with the vital life-giving red corpuscles and promotes robust health, a clear skin, energy, pep. Get "GMD" from your druggist in either fluid or tablets. Ingredients printed on label.

"Interesting, if True"

A "moster wireless clock," capable of controlling wotches by wireless, has been patented in Russia.

The wild yoong man finds the judge le one person who is not afroid of him.

Dorothy's Mother Proves Claim

Children don't ordinorily toke to medicines hut here's one thnt all of them love. Perhaps it shouldn't he called a medicine at all. It's more like a rich, concentrated food. It's pnre, wholesome, sweet to the taste and sweet in your child's little stomnch. It hulids up and strengthens weak, puny, underweight children, makes them eat heortily, hrings the roses back to their cbeeks, makes them playful, energetic, full of life. And no hilious, headachy, constipated, feverish, fretful hahy or child ever failed to respond to the gentle influence of California Fig Syrup on their little bowels. It starts lazy bowels quick, cleans them ont thoronghly, tones and strengthene them so they continne to act normally, of their own accord.

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Don't he imposed on. Sea that the Fig Syrup you bny bears the name, "California" so yon'll get the genuine, famous for 50 years.

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Pennington County Personal Property Tax List For 1929

TOWN OF BRAY

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 7, Rate in Mills 48.3
School District No. 89, Rate in Mills 42.8
School District No. 99, Rate in Mills 45.8
School District No. 149, Rate in Mills 41.5
School District No. 180, Rate in Mills 44.

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Akerlund, E. J.	$ 14.70	$ 9.00	$ 23.70
Dahlin, Aug.	7.15		7.15
Hanson, Halvor	9.64	3.00	12.64
Hagstrom, A. P.	6.85	4.50	10.35
Hawkinson, Harry	13.33		13.33
Hanson, Henry	.75		.75
Johnson, Iver A. H.	17.82		17.82
Lindhloom, Mrs. Henry	1.14		1.14
Larson, Emil	27.41	3.00	30.41
Lindbloom, Peter	20.77	1.80	22.67
Lindbloom, Mrs. Annie	.26	3.00	3.26
Lindquist, G. A.	15.05		15.05
Lindquist, Glenn	7.95		7.95
Lindquist, C. A.	36.97		38.97
Luttmer, Henry and Ludvig	19.08		19.08
Langelett, A. D.	9.95		9.95
Nelson, C. A.	21.01		21.01
Olson, Caroline	11.17		11.17
Olson, Walter	4.69		4.69
Olson, Selmer	15.27		15.27
Odellen, Tillie	3.45		8.45
Person, Christ	17.34	11.40	28.74
Rux, Ruben	6.18		8.18
Sholz, N. P.	21.56		21.56
Swanson, John O.	14.78	2.40	17.18
Sholin, Victor	12.60		12.60
Schow, C.	.27		.27
Siems, Herbert	11.45		11.45
Scholin, August	8.55		8.55
Sandry, D. D.	26.32		26.32
Scholin, John	14.85		14.85
Stromberg, John	2.73		2.73
Troland, Mono	1.89		1.89
Wood, Melvin H.	17.89		17.89

TOWN OF BLACK RIVER

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 1, Rate in Mills 59.2
School District No. 43, Rate in Mills 49.2
School District No. 94, Rate in Mills 49.9
School District No. 102, Rate in Mills 130.1
School District No. 108, Rate in Mills 62.2
School District No. 227, Rate in Mills 65.1

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Almquist, J. A.	$ 21.86	$	$ 21.86
Adolfson, Claus	15.02		15.02
Anderson, Felix	13.42		13.42
Anderson, Albert	10.88		10.88
Dreelan, James	18.89		19.88
Erickson, Andrew	11.88		11.66
Erickson Bros.	20.01		20.01
Erickson, Hannah	3.19		6.10
Jenson, E. D.	28.67		26.67
Johnson, L. M.	12.23		12.23
Holmes, Edith	29.40		29.40
Holmes, Harold	6.08		6.08
Harhott, Emil	.24		.24
Harbott, Dan	4.02		4.02
Hallstrom, A. G.	10.28		10.28
Kees, John	4.24		4.24
Lundberg, John	25.63		25.63
Landman, Fred	25.22		25.22
Lindquist & Jacobson	15.35		15.35
Moren, Edward	12.08	3.00	15.08
McKercher, R. J.	103.69		103.69
Novak, Wm.	89.71		69.71
Person, Emil	14.07		14.07
Rosette, Lars	23.42		23.42
Rotzler, C.	15.79		16.79
Schneider, Chas.	10.98		10.98
Swenson, Mons	23.68		23.88
Schehr, M. C.	1.18		1.18
Swanson, Alex	13.02		13.02
Steiger, Jno.	16.57	3.00	18.57
Walton, C. E.	7.81		7.81
Walton, Chas.	12.88		12.88
Wik, E. L.	13.40		13.40
Wahlbeck, Selmer	14.27		14.27
Erickson, Axel		.50	.60

TOWN OF CLOVER LEAF

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 8, Rate in Mills 118.
School District No. 16, Rate in Mills 89.4
School District No. 44, Rate in Mills 61.3
School District No. 46 Rate in Mills 35.8
School District No. 66, Rate in Mills 43.3

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, Berget	$ 9.40	$	$ 9.40
Anderson, Gus.	17.88		17.88
Anderson, Iver	13.18		13.18
Anderson, Ole	25.75		25.75
Creamery, North American	1.52		1.52
Creamery, T. R. Falls Co-op.	2.23		2.23
Gangness, John A.	21.36		21.30
Gangness, S. J.	14.16		14.18
Granum, Ole	3.46		8.46
Hanson & Barzen Milling Co. (Grain Tax $2.70)	37.76		40.46
Hincik, Ferd	12.61		12.61
Hruby, Frances	3.00		6.00
Hruby, J. E.	9.63		9.63
Hruby, Jos. Jr.	7.48		7.48
Klockman, Henry	7.72		7.72
Kotlan, Anton	20.29		20.29
Olson, Edwin	11.00		11.00
Oskie, Andrew	7.78		7.78
Oskie, Anna		2.10	2.10
Oskie, Jos.	24.32	1.50	25.82
Oskie, Francis B.		.30	.30
Peterson, Elmer	11.80		11.80
Pomeranke, E. H.	25.12		25.12
Ptacek, Jos.	6.62		6.62
Sabo, E. O.	1.07		1.07
Sandum, Gilbert	61.78		61.78
Skaar, T. J.	6.23	.60	6.83
Stageberg, Oscar	21.90		21.00
Hincik, Lillian		1.50	1.50
Sanders, Emil	28.16		28.16
Svensgaard, Kaaren	11.85		11.85
Thompson, C. T.	39.06		39.06
Thompson, Ole	.48		.48
Wahlberg, Olaf	9.62		9.62
Zachar, Paul	1.43		1.43
Evenson, Martin V.	8.83		8.83
Brownlee, D. G.		2.40	2.40
Hincik, Josie		2.10	2.10

TOWN OF DEER PARK

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 10, Rate in Mills 64.
School District No. 34, Rate in Mills 47.1
School District No. 47, Rate in Mills 51.9
School District No. 52, Rate in Mills 47.7
School District No. 58, Rate in Mills 49.4

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Nesland, Ole	$ 20.40	$	$ 20.40
Dahle, Ole	18.48		18.48
Bolstad, Mrs. J.	14.77		14.77
Rodman, L. W.	17.78		17.78
Rodman, Jas.	12.99		12.99
Haugen, Harold	10.28		10.23
Helle, Daniel	8.79		8.79
Rustan, Ed.	11.86		11.86
Syrtvert, Ole	28.75		28.75
Singer, Mrs. Geo.	27.93		27.93

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Mandt, Osmund,	34.01	.60	34.61
Olson, Knute	16.49		16.49
Lundeen, Osmund	6.12		6.12
Johnson, Anton	8.97	1.80	8.77
Syversrud, Ellis	9.87		9.87
Rodack, Jas.	13.28		13.28
Gran, Halvor	6.18		6.18
Szymernski, Ben	17.57	3.00	20.57
Sigurdson, Sigurd	15.59		15.59
Hougen, Olaf	6.09		6.09
Stolaas, Berget	2.17		2.17
Sigurdson, Ijot	4.10		4.10
Syversrud, Adolph	4.00		4.00
Hamm, Theo.	17.78		17.78
Hamm, Mabel	6.65		6.65
Singer, Lewis	4.99		4.99
Stolaas, Olaf	11.96		11.96
Stucy, Otto	80.91		80.91
Gisellquist, Emma	10.16		10.16
Nessen, Christ	3.05		3.05
Mostrom, Gust	4.39		4.39
Myrum, Halvor	14.60		14.60
Gunderson, Gene	2.43		2.43
Rom, Tom	2.29		2.29
Langlie, Mrs. A. S.	4.25		4.25
Rensla, Erick	14.74		14.74
Hofstad, Gunder,	14.45		14.45
Elshrener, John	13.64		13.64
Legvold, Ole	6.92		6.92
Lindtviet, Knute	14.36	1.20	15.56
Lundeen, Frank	32.49		32.49
Gustafson, Pete	27.00		27.90
Rodnecki, John	87.06		37.06
Peterson, John	27.71	3.00	30.71
Gunderson, John	14.74		14.74
Lindtvelt, Tollak	12.83	1.80	14.63
Mastrom, Willie	1.34		1.34
Qualley, Grunde	8.83		8.83
Lindtviet, Gunder		.30	.30
Lofthus, Tom		6.00	6.00

VILLAGE OF GOODRIDGE

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 8, Rate in Mills 118.7
School District No. 66, Rate in Mills 44.
School District No. 228, Rate in Mills 70.1

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Akin, L. W.	$ 29.91	$	$ 29.91
Belland, Tom	2.81	2.40	6.01
Gaver, Ole H.	2.97	.30	3.27
Hay, J. H.	28.73		28.73
Iverson, Casper	32.41		32.41
Iverson, Henry	2.73		2.73
Kellogg, Mrs. G. B.	9.73		9.73
Kusmak, Rudolph	41.66		41.66
Lovely, Peter	17.33		17.33
Mutmasky, M. A.	28.37		28.37
Markuson, Arnie	11.18		11.16
McEnelly, Jno. A.	19.23		18.23
Nelson, C. A.	10.92		10.92
Nelson, Theo.	2.97		2.97
Payne, Dan	9.73		9.73
Urdahl, Nicoly	22.79		22.79
Urdahl, O. N.	77.04		77.04
Urdahl, N. & J. V. Sheep and Wool Company	9.81		9.81
Vaughan, Morgan	38.81		38.81
Vaughan, S. E.	17.69		17.69
Zavoral, Albert	3.92		3.92
Akin, E. E.	15.19		15.19

TOWN OF HICKORY

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 6, Rate in Mills 86.9
School District No. 9, Rate in Mills 48.0
School District No. 10, Rate in Mills 66.4
School District No. 65, Rate in Mills 65.8
School District No. 67, Rate in Mills 72.8

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Arveson, Alben	$ 20.01	$ 2.10	$ 22.11
Arveson, Arthur	15.29		15.29
Arveson, Ed.	33.19	2.10	35.29
Arentson, John	31.25	3.00	34.25
Bjornas, Bj.	20.61		20.51
Bjerklie, Peder E.	25.66		25.66
Clementsen, Carl	20.47		20.47
Christianson, Mrs. Olive	41.07		41.07
Coan, J. T.	11.16		11.15
Fore, Martin	20.39		20.39
Hauge, Syvert N.	21.66	6.00	24.88
Halvorson, Henry	37.78		37.78
Hanson, Bennie A.	.73		.73
Hanson, Ole	18.18		18.18
Hanson, Knud	1.18		1.18
Hanson, Mrs. Anlang	20.17		20.17
Haugan, Arnold	3.31		6.31
Halvorson, Elick	16.91		16.91
Hanson, H. T.	32.08	.30	32.38
Hanson, Gilbert	28.86		28.86
Johnson, John A.	.73		.73
Josefson, Arne	19.24		19.24
Jazdzyk, John	20.89		20.88
Johnson, Erick	2.96		2.96
Korupp, S. H.	30.11		30.11
Kolshus, Gunder	2.48		2.48
Lewis, Tom	1.44		1.44
Sinvik, Orval	21.76		21.76
Mostrom, Elmer	4.67		4.87
Mostrom, Alfred	2.03		2.03
Mostrom, John	55.09		55.09
Martinson, Walter	8.66		6.66
Nelson, Olaf	13.07	.00	13.97
Nelson, Ole M.	8.57		8.67
Onsgaard, A. J.	82.67		32.67
Oftelie, H. E.	12.08		12.08
Rendal, Ben	17.12		17.12
Rendal, Ole E.	18.31		18.31
Stucy, Ed.	26.50	.60	27.10
Savage, Frank	16.30		18.30
Sames, Sarah K.	5.78		5.78
Sordahl, John O.	86.32		66.32
Skomedahl, Thore	8.90		8.90
Thompson, Christ	23.57		23.57
Tasa, T. A.	39.44		39.44
Tvelthakk, Bjorn	33.82		33.82
Torgerson, Theo.	2.26		2.26
Thompson, T. E.	25.77		25.77

TOWN OF HIGHLANDING

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 34, Rate in Mills 44.
School District No. 37, Rate in Mills 39.3
School District No. 38, Rate in Mills 50.7
School District No. 47, Rate in Mills 48.8
School District No. 50, Rate in Mills 61.1
School District No. 66, Rate in Mills 41.3

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Appleman, M.	$ 23.22	$	$ 23.22
Aubol, A. D.	12.79		12.79
Bickley, Ethel	3.30		3.30
Bendikson, Ben	1.06	.90	1.96
Eliason, Edwin	2.80		2.30
Eliason, Henry	18.81		16.81
Eliason, Mrs. Carrie	3.58		3.58
Eidibes, Joe	8.16		8.16
Erickson, Matt (Estate)	5.68		5.68
Ellingson, Andrew	21.34	.60	21.94
Davis, Edon	5.26		5.26
Dahle, Knute	23.57		23.57
Dahle, Ole	5.71		5.71
Fimrit, A.	24.16	1.20	25.36
Forst, John	6.39		6.39
Giving, Martin	6.83		8.83
Giving, Engvald	5.68		5.88
Giving, Arnt	6.89		6.89
Giving, Mrs. Ingeborg	6.85		6.85
Gunstinson, Gunnar	3.93	6.90	10.83
Howard, Mrs. Sophia	34.60		34.60
Hanson, Henry	7.61		7.61
Halvorson, Oscar	19.32		19.32
Halvorson, P. C.	18.80		18.80
Hanson, Justin	16.76		16.76
Hanson, A. N.	16.30		16.30
Heedin, Ernest	14.07	1.50	15.57
Helegson, Arthur	7.20		7.20
Horachek, Anton	20.44		20.44
Hjelle, Christ	15.88		15.88
Hammarstein, Alfred	11.12		11.12
H. L. Threshing Machine Company	3.14		3.14
Highlanding Co-op. Creamery	3.93		3.93
Jenson, Einar	13.62		13.62
Johnson, John M.	16.58		16.58

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Johnson, Anton	32.46		32.46
Johnson, Andrew	6.53	1.50	7.03
Korstad, Ed.	14.23	.60	14.83
Kjos, Carl A.	21.23		21.23
Kjos, Herman A.	4.64		4.64
Kolestrand, D. A.	20.54		20.54
Krbechek, John	14.31		14.61
Kveste, Ben	15.61	.30	15.91
Loftus, Oscar	8.02		8.02
Lund, Gundrun	2.43		2.43
Lee, Ole G.	17.23		17.23
Myrom, Anna	20.36		20.38
McEnely, Roy	8.13		8.13
Nelson, Louise	22.25		22.25
Nelson, Ole	8.11		8.11
Nestebo, Gunder	9.37		9.37
Overvold, Ole	3.14		3.14
Overvold, Gilbert	8.80		8.80
Prestebak, Ole	7.55		7.55
Peterson, Clarence	8.37		8.37
Ramsey, James	28.82	4.20	33.02
Refsnes, Peter	7.66		7.66
Rime, E. K.	16.55		18.56
Rustad, Julia (Estate)	12.98		12.98
Sanders, Elo	25.75		25.75
Sundsdahl, John	4.49		4.49
Sunsdahl, Ole O.	10.63		10.63
Swanson, J. N.	21.51		21.51
Sund, Even	9.04		9.04
Singer, Stephen	9.61		9.51
Syversrud, Edwin	14.30		14.30
J. V. Sheep & Wool Co. by Wm. Vaughn	8.29		6.29
J. V. Sheep & Wool Co. by Ole Nelson	5.43		5.43
J. V. Sheep & Wool Co. by Ole Giving	8.48		8.48
Srnsky, Alois	12.98		12.98
H. & I. Threshing Machine Co. by E. Sanders, Sec'y.	1.52		1.52
Thoreson, Gilbert	8.20		8.20
Thoreson, Alfred	6.29		6.29
Thoreson, Oscar	32.04		32.04
Taraldson, Oscar	12.37		12.37
Thoreson, T. M.	10.75		10.75
Thoreson, Arthur	6.85		3.85
Thoreson, T. C.	5.58		5.58
Urdahl, Christ	2.38		2.30
Urdahl, Fred	18.08		18.08
Vad, Christ	23.76		23.76
Vettelson, Louis	4.38		4.36
Vettelson, Willie	26.69		26.69
Vaughn, Wm.	10.57	2.40	12.97
Wold, P. C.	2.79		2.79
Wold, August	2.56		2.56
Zavoral, Frank	11.00		11.00
Gunstenson, Ole	1.80		1.80
Rustad, John	9.30		9.30
Rustad, Theo.	6.00		0.00
Singer, Edward	3.00		3.00

TOWN OF KRATKA

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 11, Rate in Mills 58.3
School District No. 13, Rate in Mills 41.6
School District No. 35, Rate in Mills 67.8
School District No. 41, Rate in Mills 45.2
School District No. 44, Rate in Mills 63.3
School District No. 60, Rate in Mills 58.0
School District No. 60, Rate in Mills 45.3
School District No. 68, Rate in Mills 44.8

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anensen, Andres	$ 12.85	$	$ 12.85
Austin, K. K.	9.45		9.45
Austin, Milan	6.00		6.60
Breiland, Andrew	8.22		8.22
Breiland, Simen	13.23		13.23
Brevick, Olaf	2.85		2.85
Cousin, Wm.	13.98		13.08
Christoferson, Ole	14.87		14.87
Elefson, Tosten	3.73		3.73
Evenson, Annun	15.08	3.00	18.08
Evenson, Signe	10.44		10.44
Evenson, Knute	3.95		3.05
Glimmestad, Christ	5.20	1.80	7.00
Greattinger, M. J.	5.01		5.01
Graige, John		3.00	3.00
Gunderson, Oline	8.20		8.20
Hafdahl, O. R.	17.20		17.20
Hanson, Albert	10.98		10.98
Hanson, Julius	6.37		0.37
Hedeen, Peter	11.14		11.14
Hemmestvedt, T. Jr.	10.12		10.12
Hemmestvedt, T. Sr.	0.84		6.84
Hesby, J. R.	7.40		7.40
Holdahl, O. A.	0.84		0.84
Jenson, Anton	7.37		7.37
Johnson, Joseph	4.75		4.75
Johnson, R. M.	11.83	.00	12.73
Johnson, Hans	2.80		2.80
Jorstad, Hans	11.92		11.92
Klemmentson, Erling	11.10		11.19
Knutson, Ingvald	14.51		14.51
Kongolf, L. O.	10.01		10.01
Lendobeja, Peter	13.42		13.42
Larson, Torjus	8.58		8.60
Mandt, A. B.	.86		.66
Norgaard, K. T.	4.81		4.81
Olson, Gunder	11.35		11.35
Peterson, Carl	11.32	.90	12.22
Phelps, Frank	12.48		12.48
Quirk, John	24.29		24.29
Rhem, Otto	45.24		46.24
Robinson, F. B.	4.79		4.79
Rolfson, Gilbert	4.48	2.10	0.58
Roisland, Mabel	14.13		14.13
Roisland, D. O.	1.06		1.08
Sedig, John	1.75		1.75
Skibick, S. J.	12.70		12.70
Solheim, Ivar	12.62		13.02
Szymaski, Florian	9.27		9.27
Sture, Herman	2.74		2.74
Singer, Stephen	2.95		2.95
Tieman, Caroline	8.32		8.32
Tvelten, Stoale	8.94	1.20	8.14
Waale, H. T.	23.79		23.79
Wilson, Hilada	6.53		3.53
Wright, P. H.	2.21		2.21
Johnson, Jno. S.		.90	.90
Hanson, Emma		9.00	9.00
Hemmestvedt, Sidney		3.00	3.00
Breiland, Ole S.		.60	.60

TOWN OF MAYFIELD

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 13, Rate in Mills 40.5
School District No. 16, Rate in Mills 58.7
School District No. 33, Rate in Mills 45.9
School District No. 35, Rate in Mills 66.7
School District No. 39, Rate in Mills 53.1
School District No. 60, Rate in Mills 57.8

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Asp, J. P.	$ 12.43	$	$ 12.43
Arneberg, A.	14.23		14.23
Austad, Grunde	25.75		25.75
Ashjornson, Grunder	21.03		21.03
Asbjornson, A.	9.56		9.56
Barness, Peter Jr.	9.74		9.74
Brown, Fred	4.70		4.70
Carlson, Roy	3.87		3.87
Carlson, John (Estate)	7.00		7.00
Frydenberg, Karl J.	8.16		8.18
Gabrielson, Thom.	8.80		8.80
Haas, Martin	13.45		13.45
Hegland, Ole	9.56		9.56
Hommie, H. K.	17.47		17.47
Johnson, Albert	6.26		8.28
Johnson, J. P.	39.09	.60	39.69
Jensen, Soren C.	10.19		10.19
Jesperson, Wm.	18.07		18.07
Johnson, C. W.	5.26	.30	6.56
Glove, Lars	15.78		15.78
Langel, Oliver	4.23		4.23
Langel, T. O. (Estate)	20.02		20.02
Larson, John L.	24.08		24.08
Larson, John L. and Hill	4.00		4.00
Myrum, Ole	16.80		16.30
Nelson, John	1.22	3.00	4.22
Nelson, Sever	22.14		22.14
O'Leary, M.	3.46		3.46
Olson, Magnus	6.16		6.16
Olson, Bjorn G.	3.34		3.34
Olson, Carl G.	11.63		11.63
Peterson, John	7.11		7.11
Rewertz, Rewert	5.84		5.84
Skalet, Arthur	8.46		8.46
Suronen, Henry	1.44		1.44
Solberg, John	22.31		22.31
Solberg, Adolph	5.20		5.20
Swanson, Sam B.	11.54		11.54
Tvelt, G. B.	18.43		18.43
Tvedten, Smarie	2.66		2.66
Teigen, Hans H.	6.75		6.75
Wedul, Ole J.	18.56		18.56
Wilde, Alice M.	13.54		13.54
Nereson, Ola		4.50	4.50

TOWN OF NORTH

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 18, Rate in Mills 82.2
School District No. 25, Rate in Mills 46.5
School District No. 26, Rate in Mills 47.9
School District No. 29, Rate in Mills 41.6
School District No. 42, Rate in Mills 42.8
School District No. 135, Rate in Mills 44.1
School District No. 219, Rate in Mills 43.4

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Aakre, E.	$ 7.81	$	$ 7.81
Aasland, Ralf	1.32	.60	1.92
Amren, Carl	15.78		15.78
Anderson, John W.	4.19		4.19
Ballingrud, M. H.	13.35		13.35
Bamford, Mrs. Mary	.58	1.50	2.08
Battenfield, E. W.	1.56		1.56
Bjerke, T. H.	6.74		8.74
Bothum, M.	10.60	1.20	11.80
Brossolt, Geo.	10.38		10.36
Cheney, Mrs. E. H.	1.97	6.00	7.97
Christianson, Waldie	25.02		25.02
Conklin, F. B.	53.35		53.35
Copp, V. E.	19.57		19.67
Dokken, Otis J.	2.30		2.30
Eells, Nelson O.	6.67		5.67
Elcker, Chas. D.	1.89		1.89
Eide, Annie	6.25		6.25
Elliott, Rene A.	1.23		1.23
Engen, Christ	21.11		21.11
Engen, Gunder	2.37		2.37
Erickson, H. L.	3.21		6.21
Eshelby, Courtice	14.63		14.63
Evenson, Chas.	17.26		17.26
Fevig, Ole	7.65		7.65
Finberg, O.	1.40		1.40
Flattum, Alfred	16.62		16.62
Gangeness, S. J.	17.59		17.59
Gihl, Joe	15.14		16.14
Gillette, Milton	1.31		1.31
Griehstein, Emil	21.87		21.87
Grochow, Wm. T.	6.70		3.70
Hanson, H. O.	4.11	3.00	7.11
Hayes, Lena	8.62		6.62
Hillard, Carl	10.52		10.62
Holmes, J. H.	2.22		2.22
Horter, Albert	20.14		20.14
Haverstad, A.	20.22		20.22
Haverstad, C. M.	49.90		49.90
Isaacson, Ole C.	1.73	3.00	4.73
Iverson, John	9.32		9.32
Jacobson, Peter	7.89		7.89
Jacobson, Thos.	19.62	1.80	21.42
Johnson, Geo.	1.04		1.04
Johnson, Wm.	19.23		19.23
Jorde, Andrew N.	11.81		11.81
Jorde, K. M.	11.73		11.73
Jorde, Mikkel G.	11.44	2.40	13.84
Joyce, Mrs. Geo.	8.72		6.72
Kaushagen, Henry	20.43		20.48
Kinsela, T. G.	1.97	.30	2.27
Knox, C. D.	11.07		11.07
Knutson, Julius	1.56		1.56
Lamb, Percy	.74		.74
Lane, I. G.	6.59		6.59
LaSage, Dennis	3.37		3.37
Lasson, Louis O.	4.62		4.52
Longren, Alfred	38.71		38.71
Loyland, K. O.	4.58		4.58
Magnuson, John L.	8.00		8.00
McLeod, Stuart	22.41		22.41
Maland, H. J.	12.39		12.30
Malone, Hilda	7.32		7.32
Morin, Wilfred	17.44		17.44
Murphy, Wm.	2.38		2.38
Nelson, Tora	9.62		9.62
Noper, V. C.	72.75		72.75
Norbeck, Chris.	31.24		31.24
Norquist, Emil	1.32	1.50	2.82
Oftelie, Olek	.90		.90
O'Hara, Ray H.	18.00		18.00
Olson, Albert	10.02	2.40	12.42
Olson, Carl E.	.25	.30	.55
Olson, Jacob	.41		.41
Ostvolden, Nels	4.52	1.50	0.02
Posten, S. M.	7.48		7.48
Reed, John H.	.25		.25
Reldy, L. C.	2.05		2.05
Rosh, Ed.	3.20		3.20
Rude, R. J.	11.10		11.10
Rustad, Christ	3.00		3.00
Rynestad, T. K.	23.17		23.17
Sande, Hans L.	27.70		27.70
Sanden, A. J.	.40		.49
Smith & Bartelson	29.34		29.34
Sorlom, P. O.	4.28	1.50	5.78
Sorenson, S. L.	8.14		8.14
Steen, Christian	12.10		12.10
Steenerson, G. L.	16.19		10.19
Stigen, Theo.	7.53		7.53
Swanson, Edwin L.	11.59		11.59
Swanson, Geo. G.	3.20		3.29
Thompson, C.	1.15	1.20	2.35
Thompson, Tom	38.14		38.14
Vevea, Lewis	7.31		7.31
Williams, W. W.	6.20		6.29
Williamson, A.	2.47		2.47
Winson, Ole	1.50		1.50
Wold, Roy	1.25		1.25
Austinson, Aug.	0.32		0.32
Haavl, G. K.	17.42		17.42
Johnson, Renold	15.98		15.98
Long, W. O.	3.02		3.62
Adolphs, G.		2.10	2.10
Eggerud, Ole		4.50	4.50
Erickson, H. F.		.00	.60
Holum, Iver		1.50	1.50
Holte, H. T.		1.80	1.80
Moe, Bertha		7.50	7.50
Monson, Mrs. Anna		3.00	3.00
Paulson, Peter		1.50	1.50
Smith, Oscar		2.10	2.10
Sorlom, Mrs. Theo.		3.00	3.00
Johnson, Renold		.00	.00

TOWN OF NUMEDAL

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 4, Rate in Mills 49.4
School District No. 64, Rate in Mills 45.6
School District No. 147, Rate in Mills 49.7

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 60 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Boardson, Hans	$ 4.87	$	$ 4.87
Bugge, Petrina	28.54		28.54
Bugge, J. J.	15.67		15.37
Christianson, John	17.19		17.19
Duis, Geo.	7.75		7.75
Dorslund, Alfred	33.74		33.74
Hanson, Geo.	4.10		4.10
Halbash, Theo. C.	17.00		17.00
Joringdahl, Joseph	7.71		7.71
Johnson, Charlie	25.00		25.00
Joringdal, Elias	15.18		15.18
Knutson, Soren	42.14		42.14
Larson, Olaf	14.59	.60	15.19
Martinson, I. J.	17.15		17.15
McCracken, C. E.	19.48		19.48
Nelson, Tones	6.97		3.97
Osness, Joseph	8.52		6.52
Olson, Marit	3.23		3.23
Olson, Halvor	6.76		6.70
Olson, A. S.	12.97		12.97
Ranstrom, Victor	3.69		6.69
Ronning, Gertrude	7.65		7.65
Rud, Henry	9.99		9.99
Stannes, Nels & Company	54.08		54.08
Sande, Ida O.	2.64		2.64
Swanson, P. P.	6.78		3.78
Siems, Herbert	9.08		9.08
Thompson, Henry	6.10		8.10
Wasley, T. J.	10.39		10.39
Waslie, John O.	4.82		4.82

TOWN OF NORDEN

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 2, Rate in Mills 59.2
School District No. 25, Rate in Mills 40.
School District No. 127, Rate in Mills 47.1
School District No. 135, Rate in Mills 48.6

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Aaseby, Lewis	$ 14.93	$	$ 14.93
Aaas, Martin	4.19		4.19
Allen, Freeman	1.93		1.93
Ayers, Mrs. D. W.	7.24		7.24
Berg, Carl	5.32		5.32
Brateng, John	13.00		13.00
Blom, John	13.32		13.82
Dimmen, Syvert	1.89	2.40	4.29
Dimmen, Lewis	6.41		8.41
Dols, Fred G.	10.95		10.95
Eckland, Henry C.	5.03		6.03
Feragen, Ingeberg	10.03		10.03
Funnesdal, A. J.	14.56		14.56
Gilbertson, Oscar F.	5.58		5.58
Hanson, Gerhardt	.61		.61
Hovick, Sophie	4.40		4.40
Hollander, Fred	6.71		8.71
Iverson, Knuts	7.63		7.63
Johnson, Charley	4.01		4.01

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Johnson, August	9.48		9.48
Johnson, Anna	.42		.42
Johnson, Carle	4.93		4.93
Knuthseth, Knute	6.92		6.92
Kron, Axel.	4.20		4.20
Myrom, Hans	1.83		1.83
Myrom, Harry	12.55		12.55
Nordhagen Bros.	9.12		9.12
Kierk, Jens	20.23		20.23
Lappegaard, Ole	7.40		7.40
Lappegaard & Oen	24.92		24.92
LaCross, Joe	.89		.89
Lerol, O. K.	2.35		2.35
Mead, F. N.	8.05		8.05
Myer, Peter F.	8.10		0.10
Mossesstad, Julius	7.88		7.68
Mossesstad, Peder	5.18		5.18
Nora, Nels	4.66		4.66
Olson, Gordon M.	13.39		13.39
Ordal, Samuline	12.01	1.56	13.51
Peterson, Anna	8.37		8.37
Peterson, Bengt	9.12		9.12
Price, V. J.	11.45		11.45
Rodegaard, Nels	4.57		4.57
Roos, Emma	9.80		9.80
Rust, Martinus	8.19		8.19
Samuelson, Nels	3.48		3.48
Sjolsvold, John	12.69		12.69
Sorenson, Soren	13.34		13.34
Slinger, C. T.	8.20		8.20
Skaar, Ole	7.28		7.28
Tessum, A. B.	2.12		2.12
Volness, Norman	7.63		7.63
Strandvold, Halvor		2.10	2.10

TOWN OF POLK CENTRE

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 1, Rate in Mills 61.8
School District No. 17, Rate in Mills 42.3
School District No. 94, Rate in Mills 42.5
School District No. 99, Rate in Mills 45.3
School District No. 124, Rate in Mills 44.0

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Aaseby, Iver	$ 6.37	$	$ 8.37
Anderson, Carl R.	1.32	.60	1.92
Boutain, Albert P.	15.10		15.10
Boutain, Wm.	10.11		10.11
Boutain, Alex	7.06		7.06
Eckstein, Fred	8.97		8.97
Erickson, Martin	7.38		7.38
Garlach, Dan	6.94		6.94
Herron, M. J.	14.01		14.01
Hallstrom, Harold	15.40		15.40
Helm, Chas.	6.07		6.07
Johnson, Harry	17.30	1.50	18.80
Joppru, Oscar	11.69		11.69
Jensen, J.	8.83		8.83
Johnson, J. E.	6.40		6.40
Kisner, Otto	11.01		11.01
Kruse, Chris. Sr.	16.53		16.53
Kruse, John	2.12		2.12
Lehrer, Fred	9.37		9.37
Lacoursiere, Grace	5.08		5.08
Molskness, John	10.69		10.69
Mosbeck, Oscar	7.29		7.29
Mosbeck, Olaf, estate	14.45		14.45
Melin, C. R.	16.08		10.08
Melin, Henry	16.36		16.36
Melin, Alex	8.65		8.65
Naplin, John	19.39	2.40	21.79
Naplin, C. E.	18.32		18.32
Peterson, Beda	2.97		2.97
Swanson Brothers	10.55		10.55
Sorvig, A. M.	16.83		10.38
Sheep & Wool Co. (J. V.)	6.13		3.13
St. John, F. L.	4.93		4.03
St. John, Arthur	6.40		0.40
Zutz, Emil A.	17.56		17.50
Naplin, Gust		21.00	21.00
Naplin, S. J.		1.50	1.50

TOWN OF RIVER FALLS

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 6, Rate in Mills 52.4
School District No. 12, Rate in Mills 48.0
School District No. 10, Rate in Mills 50.1
School District No. 102, Rate in Mills 127.4
School District No. 133, Rate in Mills 43.1
School District No. 178, Rate in Mills 40.2
School District No. 227, Rate in Mills 02.4

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Adams, Washington	$ 32.87	$	$ 32.87
Ahlberg, Carl	8.30		8.36
Aldrich, C. E.	25.76	1.80	27.56
Anderson, C. E.	18.32		18.32
Anderson, A. P.	12.15		12.15
Boheln, J. H.	38.73		38.73
Bothman, Frank	23.02		23.02
Corner, Russell	5.30		5.30
Denhart, J. W.	5.54		5.54
Dobson, W. L.	9.01		0.01
Dalager, K. T.	19.78		19.78
Erickson, A. August	11.51		11.51
Erickson Bros.	6.30		5.30
Erickson, Gust	10.19		10.19
Fellman, John	6.20		3.20
Froehlich, W. H.	7.76		7.76
Gilbertson, Paul	9.67		9.67
Gestie, Ed.	6.51		5.51
Gunderson, G.	7.86		7.86
Gunstad, John	13.53		13.53
Hedlund, John	9.74		9.74
Hallameck, E.	61.83		31.83
Hanson Barzen Milling Co.	13.81		13.81
Hanson, H. L.	5.76	3.00	8.70
Halvorson, C. L.	12.87		12.87
Haugen, Oscar T.	15.25		15.25
Hauge, Andrew	1.23		1.23
Hazel Co-op Creamery	9.72		9.72
Hazel Mercantile Co.	41.16	2.10	43.20
Jepson, Herman	17.22		17.22
Johnson, Dan A.	15.59		15.50
Johnson, Bennie E.	19.68		19.08
Johnson, Daniel J.	19.78		19.78
Johnson, Otto	12.15		12.15
Knutson, Ed.	8.32		8.32
Lemky, M. B.	10.04		10.04
Maakrud, John	32.36		32.30
Norman, John	28.14		28.14
Nyhagen, Adolf	7.80		7.80
Odegaard, Ole	2.67		2.87
Palmquist, Wm.	14.70		14.70
Peterson, Gust	14.23		14.23
Peterson, Josephine	3.06		3.06
Roese, Clarence	11.18		11.18
Sandberg, A. P.	13.17		13.17
Sandberg, Henry	3.99		3.99
Sjoberg, John	10.99	3.00	13.99
Soderberg, Fred	19.11		19.11
Stephens, E. H.	62.82		32.82
Stephens, Robert	11.67		11.67
Sumpter, T. J.	30.50		30.50
Swanson, C. A.	7.54		7.54
Swenson, Elmo	22.34		22.34
Vik, Arne	116.55		115.55
Valseth, Bernt	18.51		18.51
Weckwerth, Owen	9.78		9.78
Wilson, W. D.	12.65		12.65
Winters, H. E.	2.10		2.10
Yonke, Wm.	17.02		17.02
Haugen, Gunhild		6.00	6.00
Peterson, Ole		1.50	1.50

TOWN OF REINER

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 8, Rate in Mills 121.7
School District No. 48, Rate in Mills 56.9
School District No. 67, Rate in Mills 60.7
School District No. 70, Rate in Mills 69.5
School District No. 228, Rate in Mills 73.1

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Arntz, Albert	$ 9.05	$	$ 9.05
Berg, T. O.	4.72		4.72
Berg, Mrs. T. O.	13.94		13.94
Dahelen, Lottie	14.60		14.60
Erickson, John	3.34		3.34
Feragen, Andrew	20.03		20.03
Grimly, Betsy	19.46		19.48
Holen, Halvor M.	4.78		4.78
Helle, T. G.	12.12		12.12
Hermanson, Soren	17.30		17.30
Halvorson, Torgus	8.20		8.20
Hoppy, John	1.04		1.04
Iverson, Adolph	1.76		1.76
Johnsrud, Christine	5.80		6.80
Johnsrud, Mrs. Betsy (Estate)	9.22		9.22
Johnsrud, Bennet	7.82		7.82
Johnson, P. O.	35.45		35.45
Kasa Bros & J. V.			

Names of Persons Firms nr Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Sheep & Wool Co.	7.46		7.46
Kasa Bros.	15.66		15.66
Miller, John S.	24.92		24.92
Olson, P. M.	8.13		8.13
Olson, O. A.	5.80		6.80
Olson, Eno	3.15		3.15
Quam, Mrs. Clara	5.04		6.04
Race, Frank	12.08		12.08
Raasch, John	8.03		8.03
Stenvik, John J.	18.57		18.57
Sigrud, Mrs. Emil	15.03		15.93
Tangen, C. O.	11.65		11.65
Tollefson, Ellof	13.14		13.14
Thorson, M. O.	0.19		5.19
Unglem, Oleander	7.04		7.04
Vraa, G. O.	4.25		4.25
Vraa, Geo. A.	4.07		4.07
Wahlin, Carl O.	12.20		12.25
Singer Bros.	9.11		9.11

TOWN OF ROCKSBURY

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 12, Rate in Mills 49.
School District No. 18, Rate in Mills 83.2
School District No. 26, Rate in Mills 48.9
School District No. 54, Rate in Mills 52.7
School District No. 73, Rate in Mills 54.1
School District No. 102, Rate in Mills 127.8
School District No. 154, Rate in Mills 46.4
School District No. 165, Rate in Mills 48.3

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Aubol, Ed. A.	$ 16.78	$ .60	$ 17.36
Anton Bros.	26.07		26.07
Aubol, Mary	8.49		6.49
Aubol, Walter	9.38		9.38
Anderson, Mrs. A. E.	3.30		3.30
Anderson, Edwin	8.66		8.66
Borgen, A. O.	7.87		7.87
Beebe, N. E.	111.44		111.44
Black, John W.	48.74		48.74
Boatman, W. C.	20.18		20.18
Burkum, John	2.99		2.99
Erickson, Gunder	14.12		14.12
Engelbart, John	7.54		7.54
Erickson, Carl	10.61	1.20	12.01
Engelstad, Peter	71.46		71.48
Finstad, Martin	7.89		7.89
Finstad, Carl	12.11		12.11
Groundhous, Ed.	19.51	4.50	24.11
Gunderson, O. B.	7.25		7.25
Gran, John	.82		.62
Geske, Albert	16.82		18.82
Graue, Arnold	13.46		13.45
Gunstad, Arthur	5.91		5.91
Harder, Mark	10.80	8.40	19.20
Hagglund, Mabel	14.13		14.13
Hogenson, Ed.	9.86		9.68
Hunt, S. E.	34.92		34.92
Halvorson, Halvor	8.31		6.31
Hanson, Geo.	11.70		11.70
Henze, C. L.	5.99		5.90
Hetland, S. T.	4.97		4.97
Husby, Andrew	11.37		11.37
Hauske, Ed.	12.62		12.62
Iverson, Iver	10.68		10.86
Johnson, John	21.42	4.50	25.92
Johnson, Albert	27.19		27.19
Johnson, B. Theo.	1.37		1.37
Johnson Bros.	42.05		42.05
Johnson, Anton	16.43		16.43
Jaranson, Ole	4.00		4.00
Koop, Henry Sr.	14.82	5.40	20.22
King, Joe	11.33		11.33
Koop, Fred	8.93		6.93
Kirby, S. R.	1.47	15.00	16.47
Kline, Alex	3.33		3.33
Kvall, John	7.04		7.04
Kittelson, Erick	.65		.65
Kraemer, Fred	14.41		14.41
Loberg, Arnt	7.96		7.90
Lian, Ole	10.04		10.04
Lee, C. M.	1.74		1.74
Loken, Martha	5.74		5.74
Loken Bros.	3.90		3.90
Liden, C. E.	7.68		7.68
Mickelson, M.	3.14		3.14
Mehrkens, H. W.	21.96		21.96
Myrom, Anton	13.81		13.81
Matheson, Martin	17.22		17.22
Netteland, Otto	7.19		7.19
Nohre, Melvin	11.49		11.49
Nelson, Nels	0.57		6.57
Olson, Paul	1.84		1.84
Olson, O. N.	18.14		18.14
O'Neill, D. P.	13.59		13.59
Olson, Halvor H.	3.52	10.20	13.72
Olen, C. E.	12.75	3.00	15.75
Oen, Rasmus	4.98		4.98
Oen, Henry	10.20	4.50	14.79
Pope, Mrs. Henry	44.60		14.50
Rundorf, Willie	11.28		11.28
Rued, H. P.	9.20		0.20
Rundorf, Mrs. Anna	18.55		18.55
Reierson, P. P.	0.95		9.95
Reierson & Nohro	0.68		9.66
Swanson, Euno	10.07		10.07
Stroberg	2.55		2.55
Swanson, Rupert	7.48		7.48
Skotten, Sivert	4.48		4.48
Stroberg, Jno. P.	17.40		17.40
Satre, F. F.	11.90		11.90
Timm, Ed.	37.65		37.65
Turnquist, Fred	1.64		1.64
Torstveldt, Mrs. Martha	19.30		19.30
Vinje, Oldus	2.65		2.65
Wilken, Gust	14.44		14.44
Weberg, Albert & Carl	5.15		5.15
Wik, S. P.	8.75		6.75
Westphal, L. A.	14.86		14.86
Weberg, Swan, estate	16.98		16.98
Wilkin, Henry	2.22		2.22
Ystesund, Knute	15.37		16.37
Zinter, Karl	10.28		10.28
Eigsten, C.		5.00	6.00
Erickson, J. Arthur		5.40	5.40
Lee, S. O.		3.00	3.00

TOWN OF SANDERS

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 73, Rate in Mills 55.8
School District No. 106, Rate in Mills 67.5
School District No. 135, Rate in Mills 46.8
School District No. 149, Rate in Mills 47.8
School District No. 166, Rate in Mills 47.
School District No. 194, Rate in Mills 50.7

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, Aug. N. K.	$ 8.07	$	$ 5.07
Anderson, Theo. G.	11.57		11.57
Anderson, Erie E.	3.00	3.00	4.00
Anderson, J. A.	34.15		34.15
Anton, Chris.	29.52		29.52
Apple, Peter	10.04		10.04
Atwood, A. H.	7.89		7.89
Borgen, C. G.	8.62		8.62
Brandwold, Hjalmer & John	8.22		8.22
Bakke, Jesse A.	10.49		10.49
Carlson, C. Aug.	12.42	3.60	15.03
Dahlstrom, Alfred	11.50		11.50
Fromm, John	8.34		8.34
Feragen, Andrew	1.73		1.73
Gordon, A. P.	8.32		8.32
Hohner, Wm.	17.30		17.30
Johnson, Gust	15.35		15.35
Jacobson, A. V.	10.57		10.57
Klappenbach, W.	7.96		7.96
Kruse, Chris.	3.68		3.68
Krause, May	12.83		12.83
Klein, F. M.	13.49		13.49
Larson, O. L.	11.00		11.00
Lind, Albert	6.77		6.77
Larson, Ole	15.56		15.56
Lockren, A. K.	7.84		7.84
Mogen, T. O.	15.27		15.27
Mosbeck, Joe	3.30		3.30
Mosbeck, Oscar	3.90		3.90
Mosbeck, Mrs. Esther	2.89		2.89
Mortenson, Andrew	7.52		7.32
Maland, O. O.	7.99		7.99
Meyer, Fred W.	12.62		12.62
Mess, Peter N.	5.12		5.12
Ness, S. H.	2.69		2.69
Olson, Arthur O.	.65		.85
Olson, A. O. K. & E. A.	8.72		8.72
Olson, C. Alfred	13.19		13.19
Olson, Hans	2.06		2.06
Olson, E. B.	12.36		12.36
O'Boyle, J. F.	17.31		17.31
Orthloff, Herman	12.65	3.00	15.65
Orthloff, Henry W.	2.53		2.53
Orthloff, Andrew L.	20.18		20.18
Patton, J. V.	9.64		9.64
Peterson, Nels	21.96		21.96
Peterson, J. O.	21.62		21.62
Quam, Edwin	10.24		10.24
Rux, Fred E.	20.53		20.53
Rux, David D.	10.87		10.87
Rux, Harry A.	8.91		8.91
Ristan, Willie	7.86		7.86
Royal, Joseph	9.26		9.26
Swanson, Enoch	14.43		14.43
Swanson, Geo. & Richard	28.91		28.91
Swenson, Aug. M.	2.68		2.68
Swanson, C. H.	18.10		18.10
Swanson, Herman T.	9.94		9.94
Sevre, O. K.	25.59		25.59
Sevre, Albert	15.93		15.93
Seaverson, John	7.74		7.74
Stark, Axel G.	6.97		5.97
Thorstad, Bert N.	10.66		10.66
Thorstad, Jesse M.	8.97		8.97
Woid, A. J.	11.85		11.85
Welo, Mrs. K.	13.06		13.06
Wauker	20.41		20.41
Yonke, E. A.	18.76		18.76
Carlson, Walfred		4.60	4.50
Mosbeck, Minnie		1.20	1.20

TOWN OF SMILEY

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 4, Rate in Mills 52.
School District No. 26, Rate in Mills 50.6
School District No. 30, Rate in Mills 59.1
School District No. 31, Rate in Mills 50.4
School District No. 51, Rate in Mills 60.4
School District No. 221, Rate in Mills 56.

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, Oscar N.	$ 21.96	$	$ 21.96
Angell, Elias	5.14		5.14
Antonson, Berger	5.94		5.94
Anderson, J. W.	8.17	3.80	11.77
Anfinson, Ole T.	6.21		6.21
Barstad, Adolf	10.62		10.62
Bjorge, Alf.	2.33		2.33
Bjorge, Theo.	5.67		5.67
Burtness, Nels	12.40		12.40
Beiswenger, Carl	24.60		24.60
Brekke, Annie	4.13		4.13
Benson, Carl	6.16		6.16
Beerbower, Fred	4.05		4.05
Boistad, Henry	4.99		4.99
Conley, Dennis	6.29		6.29
Erickson, Tollef	6.72		6.72
Frederickson, Hans	8.79		8.79
Gustafson, G. O.	7.79		7.79
Gilbertson, Carl	8.92		8.92
Gullingsrud, E. O.	7.89		7.89
Helgeland, Ole	40.37		40.37
Hardisty, F. J.	20.36		20.36
Hammer, B. B.	11.44		11.44
Iverson, T. S.	3.08	.90	3.98
Johnson, Lewis E.	4.11		4.11
Johnson, Engebert	6.61		6.61
Johnson, N. E.	19.38		19.38
Lee, Lewis	7.68		7.66
Larson, Krist	25.50		25.50
Loken, Hans	4.48		4.48
Lindobeja, Walter	11.39		11.39
Lindobeja, Adam	6.40		6.40
Luke, Fred J.	8.16		8.15
Laubach, S. W.	17.78		17.78
McCrum, W. E.	12.74		12.74
Nordahl, Mrs. G.	4.15		4.15
Newton, A. B.	28.43		28.43
Nelson, John S.	5.15		5.15
Nelson, L. A.	21.58		21.58
Nelson, S. S.	5.74		5.74
Nelson, Edwin	10.81		10.81
Nelson, Johnnie	3.01		3.01
Nosland, J.	11.34		11.34
Olson, Mike	5.65		5.65
Peterson, Mrs. E. F.	11.04		11.04
Pederson, Ole M.	18.90		16.00
Peterson, Anton F.	12.30		12.30
Peterson, Elias	2.86		2.86
Peterson, Lawrence	5.71		5.71
Roisland, Bert	3.98		3.98
Solmonson, J. E.	14.36		14.36
Skjerping, Tobias	9.32		9.32
Sanders, Thos.	18.15		18.15
Stenseth, L. O.	25.15		25.15
Solheim, Knute	12.47		12.47
Shumway, M. G.	16.88		16.88
Stene, Tobias	8.60		8.80
Snetting, Olaf	9.24		0.24
Thune, Peter	4.26		4.26
Thune, Emil	4.10		4.10
Thune, Ole	0.27		0.27
Torkelson, Anfin	1.90		1.96
Toomey, C. H.	14.30		14.30
Theige, J. M.	4.26		4.26
Turnwall, J. D.	8.80		8.80
Vigen, E. O.	7.59		7.59
Valsvick, O. J.	11.91		11.91
Wiebe, H. A.	12.49		12.40
Weiner, Casper Sr.	12.01		12.01
Weiner, Casper Jr.	4.28		4.28
Nelson, Clara		1.50	1.50

TOWN OF SILVERTON

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 28, Rate in Mills 46.8
School District No. 30, Rate in Mills 56.5
School District No. 42, Rate in Mills 42.9
School District No. 53, Rate in Mills 59.4
School District No. 55, Rate in Mills 60.

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, Anton	$ 11.05	$	$ 11.05
Baker, Nick	9.42		9.42
Baner, John	7.86		7.66
Berggren, Gust	12.07		12.07
Breznay, Andro	23.05		23.05
Breznay, Ed.	1.07		1.07
Breznay, John	5.94		5.94
Breznay, Pete	3.30		3.30
Burdick, Fred	9.96		9.96
Burringrud, N. O.	19.01		19.01
Carlson, And.	4.68		4.68
Christopherson, Nels	5.49		5.49
Fodstad, Halvor	22.23	1.50	23.73
Forthum, Ole	12.60		12.66
Grinde, Ole E.	9.08	6.90	15.98
Habedank, Chas.	6.60		5.60
Hanson & Barzen Mill Co. (Grain Tax 5.55)	20.59		26.14
Hanson, Lars	3.65		3.65
Hanson, Henry	1.72	.30	2.02
Hanson, Odin	7.15		7.15
Hanson, Syvert	19.39		19.39
Hegreness, Marit	17.06		17.06
Huiren, Edw. O.	7.64		7.64
Homme, Ole A.	21.27		21.27
Hovland, Capt. A.	7.24		7.24
Hruby, Ludvik	9.39	.60	9.99
Knutson Bros.	31.36		31.35
Kosojed, Anton	10.08		10.08
McCormick, Thos.	6.91		8.91
McMahon, Sam	14.08		14.08
Moen, Martin	6.99		6.99
Moe, Oscar H.	2.74		2.74
Omundson, Ole	.42		.42
Omundson, Peter	14.86		14.86
Oso, Ole T.	18.84		18.84
Panek, Stanley	11.15		11.16
Peterson, Clarence L.	5.99		5.99
Peterson, P. A.	10.21		10.21
Ramstad, Olaf	3.60		3.60
Reller, J. B.	21.52		21.52
Schantzen, F. J.	9.50		9.50
Senum, Geo.	6.52		6.62
Soriom, P. O.	2.96		2.96
Sundt, Jno. A.	13.86	1.29	15.06
Swanson, Victor J.	8.49		8.49
Toninka, Joseph	10.10		10.10
Whitney, W. H.	15.48		15.48
Woolson, Harry A.	23.48		23.48
Dohner, J. V. Sheep & Wool Company	1.93		1.93

TOWN OF STAR

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District Nn. 5, Rate in Mills 60.
School District No. 14, Rate in Mills 56.
School District No. 56, Rate in Mills 54.4
School District No. 59, Rate in Mills 56.9
School District Nn. 65, Rate in Mills 62.4

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms nr Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, Carl P.	$ 15.83	$	$ 15.83
Andersen, M. J.	19.40		19.40
Borstad, Ole P.	16.00		16.00
Bye, Mary J.	14.28		14.28
Bakken, Alvin	17.78		17.78
Dahlen, H. A.	9.86		9.86
Danielson, Berget	13.21		13.21
Danielson, Knute	9.07		9.07
Elg, Carl O.	25.72		25.72
Eidelbys, John	17.07		17.07
Enebo, Joseph K.	.74		.74
Ekwall, Carl	4.40		4.40
Folkedahl, Mrs. G.	11.87		11.87
Fort, Anton	19.01		19.01
Fjeld, Otto	4.55		4.55
Fjeld, Hans	27.37		27.37
Hoffman, J. V.	9.73		0.73
Homme, John	25.30		25.30
Hovet, Totlef	20.83		20.83
Homme, Jas.	.76		.76
Hyland, Theo.	8.82		8.82
Iverson, Gustav	13.49		13.49
Iverson, Oustav A.	10.35		10.36
Johnsrud, Teloy	5.21		5.21
Johnsrud, Mrs. Julia	10.77		10.77
Johnson, Ludvig	13.33		13.33
Johnsrud, Cornelieus	9.19		9.19
Kolstrand, Pete	15.48		10.48
Kotraba, Martin	21.56		21.56
Kompen, G. A.	19.46		19.46
Lokken, Alf.	8.65		8.65
Lokken, Ole	9.96		9.96
Larson, N. P.	.75		.75
Lien, Ole K.	2.69		2.69
Loyland, Tallev	6.42		6.42
Larson, Mrs. F.	10.68		10.68
Larson, H. A.	4.49		4.49
Meyer, Willie	11.91		11.91
Manderud, Gilbert	13.98		13.98
Marquis, Herbert	16.65		15.65
Meyer, Nick	5.44		5.44
Nerhus, Ole	8.51		8.51
Olson, G. G.	11.91		11.91
Omtid, Salve	10.64		10.64
Omlid, Oluf O.	29.70		29.70
Onlid, Swen	8.75		8.76
Parnow, Otto	20.46		20.46
Prestegard, S. O.	18.89		18.89
Roisland, Knute	8.88		8.88
Roisland, T.	9.84		0.84
Skaaren, K.	14.91		14.91
Sjeriestad, Even	41.76		41.75
Stenwick, Oscar	10.47		10.47
Seibert, John	17.24		17.24
Seibert, Paul M.	20.03		20.03
Sunsdahl, Henry	12.54		12.54
Srensky, Frank	7.74		7.74
Srensky, F. J.	11.09		11.09
Solberg, Hans	15.02		15.02
Thoraldson, Thorald	10.98		10.98
Trontvedt, Ole N.	19.26		19.26
Wells, Lawrence	5.32		5.32
Wolden, Mrs. Ole O.	6.36		8.35
Zavoral, Robert	20.03		20.03
Larson, Ole		.90	.90
Ekwall, Carl J.	18.39		18.39

TOWN OF WYANDOTTE

Total Tax Rata by School Districts

School District Nn. 6, Rate in Mills 56.8
School District Nn. 35, Rate in Mills 73.
School District No. 125, Rate in Mills 49.1
School District No. 145, Rate in Mills 58.8

(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Nnmes of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Albin, John	$ .79	$ 3.00	$ 3.79
Bergdahl, Torger A.	2.40		2.40
Bergh, Martin H.	15.81		15.81
Berglund, John O.	2.41		2.41
Bowers, J. T.	39.22		39.22
Brennan, Harry	14.29		14.29
Bruggerman, Albert	5.79		5.79
Bruggerman, Henry	12.47		12.47
Carlson, Chas. F.	25.33		25.33
Culkins, P. W.	7.66		7.60
Clark, Wm. T.	15.70		15.76
Evenson, Agnes	4.81		4.81
Evenson, Edwin	7.66		7.66
Fehr, Geo. & Leo	7.61		7.81
Findstad, Helmer	11.65		11.65
Glere, Oscar	5.80		5.60
Hagen, Carl C.	5.59		5.59
Halvorson, Theo.	8.74		8.74
Hanson, Nels	5.70		5.70
Hanson, S. M.	11.35		11.35
Haugen, David	27.05		27.05
Hedeen, Oscar	7.95	3.00	10.95
Helgeson, Alfred	2.46		2.40
Jorgenson, John C.	18.11		18.11
Kalseth, Peter	6.84		8.84
Kalseth & Samuelson Co.	1.96		1.96
Larson, John R.	13.01		13.01
Moonen, Henry	17.29		17.20
Nilson, Andrew	5.58	3.00	6.56
Nilson, Julius	3.24		3.24
Noel, Ovia	7.71		7.71
Olson, Theo.	4.86		4.88
Peterson, Anton	19.37		19.37
Peterson, John E.	20.39		20.39
Peterson, Martin J.	17.27		17.27
Peterson, Mrs. P. W.	35.84		35.84
Ranstrom, Albin	6.24		5.24
Rockwell, Roy	1.47		1.47
Rolstad, Alfred	2.56		2.56
Rolstad, I. A.	9.94		9.94
Roman, Oscar	10.46		10.46
Schaack, Math Jr.	30.28		30.28
Schroeder, Otto	11.58		11.58
Samuelson, Mrs. Emma	2.99		2.99
Thorvilson, Knute	.54		.54
Wilson, Gust	19.15		19.15
Wilson, Isaac	26.28		26.28
Wilson, O. E.	22.10		22.10
Berg, Helmer		.90	.90
Bodin, Andrew		9.00	9.00
Evenson, Maria N.		1.80	1.80
Haln, A. D.		2.40	2.40
Kennedy, Samuel		.30	.30
Peterson, Frank		.90	.90

CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Total Tax Rate by School Districts

School District No. 18, Rate in Mills 104.00

(Rate of Taxation nn Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Aanstad, H. L.	$ 2.20	$	$ 2.20
Aanstad, S. L.	2.62		2.62
Aase, Amond M.	4.62	.30	4.92
Aaseby, Iver	45.11	.30	45.41
Akre, A. H.	8.61		6.61
Alexander	.95		.95
Almstedt, A. B.	2.62		2.62
Anderson, Andrew	5.50	2.70	9.20
Anderson, T. P.	6.45		6.45
Archambault, J. L.	11.43		11.43
Arhart, H. H.	8.50		8.50
Arnold, Dr. R.	39.55		39.55
Arnavik, Mrs. O.	5.25		6.25
Aga Machine Shop	9.44		9.44
Auringer, H. L.	11.02		11.02
Adolphson, E. A.	105.63		105.63
Baker, John	3.78		3.78
Bakken & Joringdahl	24.13		24.13
Bakke, E. B.	.84		.84
Barzen, Math Company	130.91	24.30	155.22
Barzen, Mrs. Anna	113.29	27.30	140.59
Bateman, Stanley A.	83.92		83.92
Belcher, R. W.	2.62		2.62
Bennes, E. M.	18.67		18.67
Benson, Severt	40.60		40.60
Benson, M. M.	2.73		2.78
Berg, A. J.	5.87	.60	5.47
Bergstrom, H.	2.73		2.73
Berve, H. O.	4.40	7.80	12.20
Bessler, Mrs. Elsie	1.26		1.26
Biddick, Geo. L.	7.45		7.45
Beiderman, Dr. Jacob	16.47	.60	17.07
Bishop, J. M.	14.69		14.69
Bishop, W. A.	31.15		81.18
Bjorkman, B. Dan.	41.33	1.20	42.53
Bloomquist, C. A.	.42		.42
Bloom, Rev. A.	8.08		8.08
Bloomquist, Jno. E.	4.72		4.72
Boreen, Dr. G. W.	37.87	1.50	39.37
Borgen, Louis	9.55		9.55
Borry, J.	13.32	1.20	14.52
Borry, A. J.	77.73	2.70	80.43
Botnum, M.	11.85		11.85
Botteison, Andrew	50.04	.60	50.64
Bowers, Dr. J. T.	40.28	.90	41.18
Branoon, S.	.94		.94
Brandvold, Fred	1.15		1.15
Bredeson, Alfred	97.24	7.80	105.04
Brendecke, Fred	13.95		13.95
Brink, M. W.	3.46		3.46
Brokke, T. S.	5.60		5.60
Bridgeman Russell Co.	62.94		62.94
Brown, W. J.	11.64		11.64
Brumund, H. A.	13.95	19.80	33.75
Bundy, T. J.	2.31		2.31
Buffalo Foundry Company	62.94		62.94
Burg Company	111.93	.30	112.23
Burns, M. C.	1.05		1.05
Burstad, E. P.	9.76		9.76
Bye, Morris	3.36		3.36
Caldis, James G.	69.80		69.80
Caspers, A. J.	4.41		4.41
Campbell, A. M.	1.05		1.05
Carlisle, W. L.	10.91		10.91
Central Lumber Company	181.06	8.00	187.00
Cerny, L. J.	17.73	1.50	18.23
Christo, Mary	60.63		60.63
Christopherson, Carl	95.67	6.30	101.07
Chommle, H. O.	7.55	6.00	13.55
City Dairy Company	194.90		104.90
Clausen, Christine	5.66		5.00
Cloutier, A. J.	3.68		3.88
Collins, John S.	1.15		1.15
Conner, Chas. E.	.52		.52
Craik, Andy	3.99	.60	4.59
Cronkhite, John T.	7.45		7.45
Curran, Geo. P.	6.08	3.00	9.08
Curtis, J. P.	161.34	.60	101.94
Connors, Mrs. J. B.	2.04		2.94
Davidson, J. C.	.53		.53
Dahl, K. E.	80.75		68.75
Dahle, S. K.	40.28	4.80	45.08
Dahlen, H. S.	13.01		13.01
Dahlquist, W. E.	5.45		5.45
Dalton, Geo. N.	8.29		8.29
Davis, L. R.	2.31		2.31
Day, L. T.	31.15	1.20	32.35
DeCremer, Louis	120.01	10.50	130.51
Dorn, A. H.	2.31		2.31
Douville, W. J.	4.30		4.30
DuChamp, Leonard	10.80		10.80
Dudley, F. J.	0.86		0.86
Duluth Creamery & Produce Company	2.83	.90	3.73
Ellingson, Peter	1.26		1.26
Engen, Albert	7.00		7.80
Erickson & Lund	40.18	4.50	44.68
Erickson, Ben	2.20		2.20
Erickson, G. L.	2.31		2.31
Erickson, Clarence	5.66		5.80
Erickson, R. L.	5.14		5.14
England, H. R.	4.20		4.20
Evenson, C. M.	1.99		1.99
Evenson, M. V.	7.76		7.70
Evenson, Claude	3.25		3.25
Fairmont Creamery Co.	4.20		4.20
Fabric, Joe	8.29	3.30	11.59
Farmers Exch. Elevator Company (Grain Tax $13.25)	190.29	1.80	205.34
Farmers Meat Market	21.82	.30	22.12
Faverow, O. S.	3.78		3.78
Fitger Company	10.99		10.99
Fiterman, Chas.	10.72	.00	20.32
Fladwed Millinery	20.23	.30	20.53
Fossum, I. H.	3.57		3.57
Fossum, Lars	.21		.21
French, W. R.	1.78		1.78
Frissell, G. H.	8.92		8.92
Froehlich, Dr. H. W.	18.88		18.88
Froseth, Henry	.94		.94
Froseth, Carl	18.67		18.67
Froseth, Perry	38.92	.90	30.82
Frye, Harry	30.53		30.53
Fuller, Mrs. T.	2.83		2.83
Fulton, J. H.	2.73		2.73
Furan, L. L.	17.52		17.52
Furstneau, Mrs. Berthal	1.20		1.26
First & Peoples State Bank	001.60		001.60
Gabrielson, A. G.	4.40		4.40
Gamble Robinson Co.	852.31	50.40	908.71
Geske, Otto	1.06		1.05
Granum, Ole	4.30		4.30
Granum, O. G.	3.04		3.04
Grays, Dr. Crawford	4.62		4.62
Green, E. P.	4.72		4.72
Gullingsrud, E. O.	1.15		1.15
Gullingsrud, John	2.41		2.41
Gustafson & Son	424.53	39.30	463.83
Gustafson, C.	8.81		8.81
Gustafson, David C.	7.34		7.34
Halland, H. S.	5.35		5.35
Haldin, O. N.	5.04		5.04
Hamm Brewing Company	30.42		30.42
Haney, Dr. T. C.	2.00		2.00
Hanson, A. F.	3.67		3.67
Hanson & Barzen Milling Company (Grain Tax $19.04)	200.70	5.10	233.84
Hanson, Leonard	89.17	.00	00.07
Harris, Paul	7.00		7.80
Haug, Dr. C. M.	13.04		13.04
Haynes, F. F.	15.63		15.63
Hanson, O. C.	17.83		17.83
Helgeland, Eric	3.25		3.25
Hellquist, C. E.	4.30	1.20	5.50
Hermanson, L. I.	4.40		4.40
Hermanson, J. H.	4.20		4.20
Hess, L. S.	3.15		3.15
Hicks Furniture Co.	17.20		17.20
Hill, Ed.	4.00		4.00
Holum, B. J.	5.14		5.14
Holmberg, Aug.	3.88		3.68
Hornseth, Tony	21.81		21.61
Hoppa, F. A.	14.27		14.27
Ireland Lumber Yard	153.99	2.10	150.00
Iverson, Ed. O.	1.05		1.05
Jahr, A. C.	10.51	.30	10.61
Jacobson, Dr. A. E.	34.00		34.09
Jacobson, P. J.	.73		.73
Jaranson, Ed.	1.26		1.26
Jenson, May	.42		.42
Johnston, L. R.	0.50		6.50
Johnson, Alfred M.	3.35		3.36
Johnson, M. M.	2.73		2.73
Johnson, M. M. & Sons	52.45	.60	53.05
Johnson, Gustie	21.08	1.50	22.58
Jung Bros. Bakery	192.39	15.00	207.39
Jung, H. C.	.73		.73
Kelly Hdw. Company	162.37	6.00	168.67
Kenyon, E. W.	5.04		5.04
Kielty, J. F.	3.76		3.78
Kingnorn, Harry	7.70		7.70
Kiewel, B. J.	17.10		17.70
Kiewel Product Co.	175.08	19.50	194.58
Knudson, Bernhard	1.36		1.36
Knutson, C. C.	24.44	.90	25.34
Knight Soda Fountain Co.	34.93		34.93
Kilberg, Indor	.63		.63
Korstad, Wm.	3.25		3.25
Kuecks, J. H.	3.40		3.40
LaBree, W. J.	7.87		7.87
Lamberson, H. E.	3.15		3.15
Lambert, Roy	245.57	17.10	262.67
Langlett & Bugge	31.47		31.47
Langseth, A. M.	132.18	1.20	133.38
Larsen, L. G.	6.61		0.51
Larson, Carl B.	510.02	45.00	555.02
Larson, L. H.	12.48		12.46
Larson, Geo.	3.67	.90	4.57
Larson, Nels	6.82		0.62
Lee, Ed.	12.69	1.20	13.89
Legvold, Ole	.84		.84
Lein, A.	84.93	.60	65.53
Lenertz, A. T.	4.41		4.41
Liden, O. H.	2.20		2.20
Lieberman, Chas.	529.43	3.00	533.03
Lindberg, Nels C.	5.56		5.56
Loken, Mrs. Halvor	1.47	1.20	2.67
Loken, A. & Company	19.62	.90	20.52
Looker, R. E.	15.00		15.00
Lorentson, Fred	2.10		2.10
Lufkin & Bishop	42.69	.69	43.20
Lufkin, A. E.	9.66		9.85
Lund, John	1.78		1.78
Lund, H. P. & Sons	107.21		107.21
Lund, Robert	4.51		4.51
Lundell, Rev. O. J.	12.69		12.69
Lundgren, C. J.	2.83		2.83
Lundgren, Paul	24.44		24.44
Lynde, Dr. O. G.		1.80	1.30
Leiran, J. S.	.74		.74
Leonard Crnaaet Realty Company	419.60		419.60
Land O' Lakes Creameries	47.00	12.90	59.90
McAllister, Rush	146.86	3.80	150.16
McClelland, J. H.	8.29	2.10	10.39
McDaniel, C. W.	4.30	1.20	6.60
McFarland, M. T.	7.13		7.13
Mabey, P. W.	11.12	28.60	39.62
Mabey & Chemmie	26.01	2.10	28.11
Majeres, Nick	5.25	.30	5.55
Mann, W. H.	15.94		15.94
Mattson, A. E.	2.10		2.10
Mattson, C. W.	4.93		4.93
Mattson, C. G.	7.87		7.87
Manhattan Oil Company	134.80		134.80
Melby, Dr. A. F.	9.65		9.65
Melby, H. O.	1.05		1.05
Melby, Carl J.	.52		.52
Merth, Rev. Father	4.30		4.30
Melby, Knute	1.47		1.47
Moe, H. A.	9.86		9.86
Monson, Oscar L.	15.00	6.00	21.00
Morgan, Roy	8.50	4.50	13.00
Mostue, E. A.	5.56		5.56
Motz, Roy	3.88		3.88
Mulry, W. H.	192.17	6.60	198.77
Munt, R. D.	4.09		4.09
Myhrum, P. O.	6.19		0.19
Mybrum Company	47.20	.00	47.80
Myrom, Sig.	3.15		3.16
Matheson, A. C.	3.99		3.99
Anderson, Nels K.		1.20	1.26
Bakke, Lars		1.50	1.50
Buringsrud, Andrew		3.00	3.00
Eklund, Andrew		4.50	4.50
Eklund, Adolph		0.00	9.00
Johnson, Lars, Estate		12.00	12.00
Kretzschmar, Anna		1.20	1.20
Kringsberg, C. H.		4.50	4.50
Mellem, Gust, Estate		3.00	3.00
Nelson, Chas.	2.94		2.94
Nelson, E. T.	10.07	1.50	11.57
Nelson, H. E.	11.12	4.20	15.32
Nelson, Verner	3.88		3.88
Nelson, J. E.	2.94		2.94
Nelson, Nels A.	0.92		6.92
Nelson, N. S.	4.72		4.72
Nelson, C. W.	13.32		13.32
Nelson, Knute	8.29		6.29
Ness, Edward	5.80		5.00
Nelson, O. H.	49.30	3.00	52.30
Nelson-Ingve Motor Co.	58.33	0.90	68.23
Neset, Olaf	213.08	1.50	215.16
Ness, Andrew	1.89		1.89
Nesse, Dr. J. N.	28.32	.90	20.22
Newell, H. B.	130.60	12.30	142.90
Nielson, Nels L.	4.41		4.41
Nicholson, Geo. W.	4.40		4.40
Nohre, M. R.	20.67		20.07
Norby, Bertinue	1.15		1.15
Norby, Bert	5.66		5.66
N. A. Creamery Co.	3.15		3.15
N. W. Memorial Co.	7.34		7.34
Northern Chevrolet Co.	49.62	.00	50.52
Northern Woodwork Co.	135.85	6.00	141.85
Norquist, C. H.	2.31		2.31
Oden, A. J.	8.29		8.29
Oen Mercantile Co.	1,550.76	58.20	1,617.06
Oen, Mrs. Evangeline	0.34		0.34
Offerdahl, Ole	2.83		2.83
Oftedahl, John	4.72		4.72
O'Hara Fuel & Ice Co.	32.20	6.20	38.50
O'Hara, Ed.	2.41		2.41
Olson, A. E.	4.41		4.41
Olson, Alfred K.	3.57		3.57
Olson, H. M.	2.31		2.31
Olson, Freeman	6.82		6.62
Olson, Hans E.	2.83		2.83
Orme, T. C.	7.66		7.06
Ostby, Ole D.	1.30		1.30
Overland, E. J.	6.71		0.71
Parbst, O. C.	3.25	2.40	5.65
Patton, F. S.	8.50		8.60
Paulson, Oscar	4.30		4.30
Penney, J. C. Company	929.83	1.20	031.03
Peoples Co-op. Store	94.83	3.30	98.13
Peterson-Biddick Co.	212.63	4.50	217.13
Peterson, Mrs. E. M.	5.56		5.50
Physicians Hospital Co.	52.45		52.45
Poirier, Wm.	5.14		5.14
Porter, C. H.	16.58	.30	10.66
Pope, L. C.	11.85		11.85
Pratt, H. A.	4.93	16.20	21.13
Pritchard, W. W., Sr.	6.29		0.20
Pritchard, W. W., Jr.	5.45		5.45
Protz, Fred F.	3.88		3.88
Protzeller, Harry	5.45		5.45
Proveneber, Julian	7.55		7.55
Palmer School of Chiropractor	20.98		20.96
Quale, Theo.	40.18	.60	40.78
Quindlog, Paul	1.47		1.47
Queen City Bottling Works	15.74		15.74
Rambeck, A. J.	.32		.32
Rambeck, O. A.	2.83		2.83
Ralston, J. A.	4.09		4.09
Rayson, L. M.	9.44		9.44
Red Lake Ice Company	63.99	4.50	68.40
Red Lake Falls Milling Company (Grain Tax $3.14)	142.07	.00	146.71
Red Owl Store	90.19	.60	96.79
Reierson, T. J.	4.93	14.70	19.63
Reynolds, E. B.	1.99		1.99
Rex Cafe	41.90	.90	42.80
Rhodegaard, H. N.	3.67		3.07
Rhodegaard & Company	07.77	6.10	105.67
Richards, E.	3.57		3.57
Risberg, Axel	1.26	.30	1.56
Roark, P. W.	7.06		7.06
Robertson Lumber Co.	105.74	4.20	199.94
Robinson, J. E.	.42		.42
Robarge, V. F.	3.57		3.57
Rolland, John	7.66		7.66
Rolland, Eli	8.08		8.08
Ruane, J. W.	1.36		1.36
Rude, E. N.	00.34	.60	69.94
Rustad, E. J.	1.47		1.47
Ryer, W. N.	3.40		3.46
St. Martin, Oliver	20.88		20.88
Safford, Herbert	30.74	.00	31.64
Salveson, S.	17.52	.00	18.12
Sandeen's Garage	472.99	0.00	461.00
Sannes, Ole	8.48		3.46
Schermer, Wm.	10.80		10.80
Schmitz, Jos. S.	1.99		1.99
Shaw, Mrs. Dan.	9.02	6.00	15.02
Shannahan, F. M.	2.62		2.62
Shaw Poster Adv. Co.	02.94		62.94
Shefveland, Rev. Axel	2.20		2.20
Shirley, Chas.	9.02		0.02
Silk, N. J.	9.86		9.86
Skarstad, A.	2.10	.30	2.40
Skorheim, O. L.	.53		.53
Skog, John	6.08	5.10	11.18
Smith, W. E.	2.94		2.04
Smithers, Wm.	11.22		11.22
Snyder, Dr. C. E.	28.32	1.20	29.52
Stanton, G. W.	2.52		2.52
Standard Oil Company	277.40		277.40
Stebbins, F. J.	184.42	1.50	165.02
Steen, James	6.45		5.45
Stenberg, A. B.	3.78		3.78
Steenerson, Clayton	3.36		3.30
Stitt, J. L.	8.29	3.00	11.29
Storholm, Christ	6.29		6.29
Storholm, Ole	3.67		3.67
Stoughton, Ed.	.52		.52
Strand, H. K.	97.24	6.30	103.54
Sullivan, R. D.	2.62		2.62
Swanson, Albert	1.89		1.89
Swanson, O. E.	1.57		1.57
Swedenberg, Dr. A. W.	9.13		0.13
Swift Company	33.25	1.50	34.75
Tassa, F. A.	9.13		9.13
Taxeraas, O. E.	73.22		73.22
Tessum, Gynther	4.30		4.30
Tessum, Olaf	1.57		1.57
Tessum & Company (Grain Tax $9.12)	291.10	17.40	317.02
Thief River Clinic	43.53		43.53
Thief River Co-op. Creamery Ass'n	174.67	19.50	194.37
Thief River Grocery Company	1,410.17	104.70	1,514.67
Thief River Motor Co.	100.62	5.10	114.72
Thief River Hatchery	49.83	2.70	52.53
Thief River Falls Times	279.77	7.80	287.57
Thief River Music Co.	281.75	10.50	292.26
Thief River Theatre Company	83.92	.90	84.82
Thief River Cream & Produce Company	2.62		2.62
Thief River Dress Club	31.47	.30	31.77
Thief River Decorating Company	27.28		27.28
Thoreson, A. W.	1.78		1.78
Thronson, Theo. N.	8.60	1.60	10.00
Toms, J. C.	5.50		6.50
Tommerdahl, Palmer	64.62	1.60	60.12
Tungseth, Rev.	5.67		5.67
Traver, E. D.	14.58		14.58
Twete, Dr. L. R.	3.04	3.30	6.34
Umland, Bert F.	2.31		2.31
Vistaunet, Dr. P. L.	24.44		24.44
Walker & Lambert	260.89		200.89
Wangenstein & Son	126.93		126.93
Ward, Gasten	6.19	2.40	8.59
Ward, John	5.88		6.88
Warner, Chas.	.84		.84
Wassgren, Mrs. J. A.	1.99		1.99
Weeks, R. O.	1.99		1.99
Wertstein, Geo.	5.46		5.46
Wetherbee, C. E.	1.78		1.78
Wengeler, John	1.99		1.99
White, D. F.	2.20		2.20
White Eagle Oil Company	9.65		0.65
White Eagle Service Station	10.49		10.49
White Eagle Oil Company	123.78		123.78
Williams, Geo. G.	5.87	21.00	26.87
Wilson, H. W.	4.41		4.41
Winger, Olaf G.	70.91		70.01
Woolworth, F. W. Company	249.77	.90	250.67
Yngve, Anton	3.46		3.46
Yotter, J. O.	6.45		5.45
Zellmer, A. E.	2.10		2.10
Zavoral, J. C.	2.10		2.10
Ness, Edward		12.00	12.00
Peterson, P. G.		1.80	1.80
Rindal, And.		21.60	21.60
Thune, Peter P.		23.40	23.40
Peoples Oil Co.	163.15	0.60	159.70

The Desert Moon Mystery

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SYNOPSIS

Sam Stanley, wealthy owner of the Desert Moon ranch, informs his housekeeper, Mary Magin, that his former wife's twin daughters, Danielle and Gabrielle, are coming to the ranch to live, their mother being dead and their father, Daniel Canneziano, who had been the cause of Sam's divorcing his wife, in the penitentiary. Sam's adopted boy, John, has grown to manhood, and a girl, Martha, weak-minded. Mrs. Ollie Ricker, Martha's nurse, Hubert Hand and Chadwick Caufield are the other members of the household. The girls arrive. John becomes engaged to Danielle. Gabrielle seeks to win John from her sister, and her actions when she receives a letter from France mystify Mrs. Magin. Sam learns Canneziano is soon to be released from the penitentiary. Mrs. Magin finds Gabrielle, choked to death. Caufield commits suicide. The coroner's verdict is murder and suicide. Sam finds a note left by Caufield confessing he killed Gabrielle, but the rancher proves he could not have done it, and the entire household is under suspicion. A conference is held in an attempt to solve the mystery. It is revealed that the two girls came to the ranch seeking the proceeds of a train robbery in which their father participated. Martha is found dead. Mrs. Ricker asserts Martha killed Gabrielle.

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"Was it written in code?"

"No. You see, the hotel where I was putting up just then was, one might say, over regulated. Letters written in code were not favorably regarded there."

"Could you read a letter written in his code?"

"I fancy I could decipher it, with a bit of study."

"Do they speak Spanish in Mexico?" I questioned; and was rewarded by having all present look at me as if they thought that I had just developed a yearning for cultural, geographical knowledge.

"I am getting at something," I explained. "Was this Bauermont man ever in Mexico?"

"Unfriendly persons," Canneziano answered, "insinuate that Mexico is his native land."

"Did anyone ever call him 'Mexico'?"

"To his fury, yes. Is it relevant?"

Sam asked, "Where were you, do you know, at the time of the Tonopah train robbery, three years ago?"

"I was in Denver, since you insist."

"This Strangler friend of yours told the girls that you and he robbed that train."

Canneziano's face went dark and ugly. "So the girls say, eh?"

"He told them that," John said. There was threat enough in his voice to make Canneziano come off his perch.

"Is that possible?" he questioned, but pleasantly enough. "I can't see his motive. If he had not included himself in his confession to the girls, I would think that he had some friendly reason for preferring me in captivity. . . . No, I don't get it."

"We think he has denied it, since," Sam said. "We think that the code letter, which none of us can read, is his denial. No matter. Your story tots up straight enough with the one we have."

"Gratifying, I am sure. I wonder whether I might see this code letter? I am rather clever with the things."

I went upstairs to get it. I am not denying that it gave me the creeps to go into Gaby's room, alone at night. When I opened the door, and saw that the light on the table was lit, and that someone was standing beside it, I all but jumped out of my shoes.

It was Mrs. Ricker. She turned to me, and apologized, quietly, for having startled me. "I was looking at these things," she went on. "They know. They were there. If only one of them could talk—"

I was so put out with her, for startling me, and for being in Gaby's room, anyway, poking around—though land knows she had a right to be there, and I might have done the same thing myself, with my lists of clews, and so on—that I just picked up the letter, at the same time looking over the other things on the table to be sure nothing was missing.

"Perhaps," she said, "I should not have come in here? I suppose, when the detective comes, he—she would like to see the room as nearly as possible undisturbed. Do you think it would be a good plan to lock it, and to give the key to Sam, until she does come?"

She went around with me, while I locked the doors on the inside. We went into the hall through Danny's room. I locked that door after us. She told me goodnight and went to her own room. I went downstairs, and gave the key and the letter to Sam.

"Wise idea, Mary," he said, when I told him that I had locked the rooms. "I suppose Canneziano would tell you, though, that locked doors do not a prison make." He handed the letter to him.

"Looks rather confusing, doesn't it?" Canneziano said, when he had unfolded and straightened the pages. "What price deciphering it, Sam?"

"No price, to you," Sam answered.

Canneziano returned the letter to its envelope and tossed it on the table. "Fair enough," he said. "My proposition, cards on the table, is this: If I beat Lynn MacDonald to it, discover the murderer before she does, will you pay me what you have agreed to pay her?"

"Canneziano," Sam said, "get this. Get it now. I'll pay you not one red cent for anything. Not one red cent."

"Fair enough," Canneziano repeated. "And my mistake. Undoubtedly, I should have worded it differently. For instance— What will you pay me not to discover the murder on the Desert Moon ranch?"

A week ago, Sam would have got up and kicked him out through the door for that question. This evening Sam sat still and looked him over, sort of sliding his eyes up and down over his smooth dapperness. Finally he drawled, "Go as far as you like, Canneziano. Only—you won't get anywhere you'd like to be, not on that line."

"Presently, perhaps," Canneziano answered. "No hurry."

"I'll be switched if Sam didn't sit there and murmur, mildly, "'Said the carpenter,'" to himself.

CHAPTER XII

Lynn MacDonald.

On Friday afternoon, late, I went with John and Sam down to Rettall to meet the train. Just before it stopped, with its usual roar of protest against Rattall, Clarence Pette swung off it.

"Miss MacDonald is on this train," he said to Sam and me. "Is there anything else I can do for you?"

"Not a thing, if you are positive that she is Miss MacDonald, except to take your fifty—here it is—and vamoose."

"I'm positive. Thanks. Here she comes now."

I looked up to see her coming. I could hardly believe my eyes. I don't know what I had expected; but I surely had not expected anything to get off that smoke-dirty train, in the middle of a Nevada desert, on a sweltering hot July evening, that looked as she did.

In the first place, in her pongee silk dress with coat to match, and perky little green hat, she looked as if she had been fresh picked, in the last nice California garden, and had been kept under glass, on ice ever since. She was tall; taller than most women, and with weight enough to look durable and useful, but not a mite fat. She had eyes that were as gray as pussywillows, and that did no monkey-tricks of changing to green or blue; she had wavy carrot-colored hair, that was so full of life it looked as if it were trying to break the bonds of its neat, boyish bob and go floating off, on its own, to make maybe a tiny sunset cloud. Her nose was small; her mouth was a mite too large, showing freely in a smile her teeth, little and polished white, like a puppy's.

Her voice was low and pleasant, but there was something brisk and crisp about it, and about all of her, that seemed to say plenty and plenty of time for everything, but not one precious minute to waste.

In the background, during this meeting, John and Danny had been hugging and kissing. At last, to my relief, they came over to join us; Danny, looking paler and more snuffed out than usual, by contrast, maybe, with Miss MacDonald; John beaming with triumph at having her home again.

"You girls get acquainted on the train?" Sam asked.

"We had breakfast together in the diner this morning," Miss MacDonald answered.

"Did you know who I was?" Danny questioned.

"It was my business to know that, wasn't it?" Miss MacDonald smiled.

We got into the sedan and were riding along the Victory highway. Just as I was thinking how much more wholesome everything felt, since I had shaken hands with Miss MacDonald, Danny, who was riding in the front seat beside John, spoiled it all by emitting a shriek; it was not a very loud one, but it was thick with horror and repulsion.

John explained, over his shoulder to us, that he had told her about "that man" being on the ranch.

"Uncle Sam," Danny pleaded, "do I have to see him?"

"Well, Danny," Sam apologized, "I'm right down sorry about it; but, you see, he is staying on the place. We'll keep him out of your way as much as we can."

Danny put her head on John's shoulder and began to cry; weak, choking little sobs that hurt like having to watch a sick baby.

I leaned forward and tried to soothe her; told her that we would all do what we could to keep him away from her, and to make it easy for her.

"It can't be made easy," she answered. "You can't keep him away from me. I won't see him, I tell you. I've been so homesick—and now to come home to this. I can't see him. I won't—"

Miss MacDonald, who the minute before, had seemed all pity for Danny, began, suddenly, to talk right through and over her sobs, to Sam; to talk in rather a loud voice about stock raising, paying no more attention to Danny's troubles than she paid to the humming of the motor.

I sat and sulked and nursed my disappointment. If I had been a man—which praise the Lord I am not—it would have been a case of love at first sight with me toward Lynn MacDonald. But now I told myself bitterly that I had been a fool to expect real womanly sympathy and kindness from a person in her profession. Ferreting out criminals would make anyone as hard as nails.

Not until Danny had quieted down, and had turned to us with stammered apologies and attempted explanations, did Miss MacDonald ask, "Who is this man?"

"Dreadful as it must seem to you," Danny answered, "he is my father. But he has brought sorrow, and fear and trouble to my mother, and to my sister, and to me, whenever he came near us. He is a wicked man."

But for all the fuss she made about it, I will say that Danny did very well when we all went into the house and she saw Canneziano, standing over by the east windows, smoking a cigarette.

"What-ho, Dan," he said, smiling his smooth, smirking smile at her. "You are looking seedy. Bad times around here, lately."

She didn't go near him. She edged closer to John; but she answered, looking at him straight and lifting her

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chin in a pretty, dignified way she had, "Very, very bad times indeed." She and John walked through the room to the stairway, and up the steps, and out of sight.

Canneziano stood watching them, a dark, ugly look on his face. "There's filial affection for you," he said. And then, with a half laugh, as he lit another cigarette, and shook the flame from the match, "The girl is a fool."

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Miss MacDonald came down to breakfast in the morning, trim and white as a new candle. When we had finished breakfast, she asked Sam if she might detain him. I stayed on, when the others had left the dining room. She said pointedly, though politely and to Sam, not to me, that she wanted to speak to him alone.

I took myself off. But the open window in the pass pantry was too big a temptation; so I went in there, softly, and stood far back and to the side.

Her very first words took me right off my feet. "Mr. Stanley," she questioned, "do you trust your housekeeper?"

"Mary?" Sam drawled. "Well, now, I don't know as to trusting—but if Mary was going on a long journey, to indefinite foreign parts, and felt the need of my right eye to take along with her, I'd loan it to her for as long as she wanted it—no questions asked. I can't say that I'd go much further than that, though."

I was warm and glowing. Sam, the old ninny, getting his dander up, and to a beautiful woman like that, just because she had asked him a simple question.

She laughed; a cheery, escaping sort of laugh, like something with bright wings suddenly flying loose.

"Come back into the dining room, then, Mrs. Magin," she called to me. "You can hear better in here."

I came in, a mite shamefacedly. "It was my overweening curiosity," I explained.

"I like people with curiosity," she said. "I understand them, too; because, I suppose, I am one of the most curious persons in the world. Another thing, I have never found a truly curious person who was a wicked person. Of course, one has to be able to discriminate between innate curiosity and the slyness of self protection— But, forgive me, Mr. Stanley, I am chattering away your time. Now then."

(Later we became accustomed to that brisk professional opening of her, that "Now then," as a signal for getting right down to business, but it was as surprising, heard for the first time, as biting your tongue.)

"Gabrielle Canneziano was last seen, alive, where and at about what hour?"

We told her.

"Did she seem at ease, happy, or troubled?"

I said, "She was unhappy, troubled, and frightened."

"Did she speak to any one of you, as she walked through the room?"

I told her about Gaby's gesture, to Chad, and about him following her to the porch and talking to her there.

"Chadwick Caufield? The man who killed himself when the body was found?"

"Yes."

"Did he leave the porch with her?"

"No. He came straight back into the house."

"What other members of the household were in the room at that time?"

Sam told her.

"That leaves her sister, and your son and daughter as the only members of the household who were absent at the time. How long before Martha Stanley returned to the house?"

Sam said, "I was playing chess. But I know it wasn't long."

"It wasn't more than five or six minutes," I said.

"How long before Danielle Canneziano came downstairs?"

I told her about Danny's calling after Gaby. "It wasn't much more than ten minutes after she called, not fifteen, I am sure, before Danny came downstairs."

She went on with her questioning. We had finished breakfast at eight thirty o'clock. At eleven thirty, I felt that she knew everything that Sam and I knew about the case, and, probably, a deal more.

She had asked Sam to explain, in detail, why he had entirely discounted Chad's note of confession.

Sam said, "The body was cold and stiff when we found it. That is proof, isn't it, that she had been dead more than an hour?"

"If you are certain of that, it is positive proof that she had been dead much longer than one hour."

"I am certain. Well, until seven o'clock the boy had not been out of my sight for one minute, after Gaby walked through the room, alive, for us all to see her, at four o'clock."

Miss MacDonald went on with her questions. They brought us to Martha's death. She took what seemed like a long time asking us questions about Martha's health. Had she ever complained of dizziness? Shortness of breath? Indigestion? And all sorts of other seemingly unimportant things.

"Where," she finally asked, "was this sleeping medicine purchased?"

Sam told her in San Francisco, with a doctor's prescription.

"Have you still some of them left, in the original box?"

"A few, I think."

"Good. Will you get it for me, Mr. Stanley?"

"I'll get it," I said.

I had seen the powder box, left out of place on the table, the morning of the fifth of July, when I had gone into the hall bathroom. I had picked it up, out of habit, and replaced it in the medicine closet. I thought that I could put my hand right on it.

I could not. When I opened the mirror door, the box was not to be seen. I searched and searched. I might have spared myself the trouble. From that day to this, the box, with the remaining powders in it, has never been found.

"I was afraid of that," Miss MacDonald said, when I returned with my information, and nothing else, to the dining room. "Now then: Would it be possible for you to remember who last took one of these powders, and when, with no ill effects?"

"Danny and Mary each took one the night of the fourth, when Martha did," Sam answered. "I've asked them about it, and both of them say that they did not feel queer at all, afterwards. They were both wide awake in the morning."

"My word!" said Miss MacDonald.

"I think," I offered, "that something was all wrong with Martha's heart before she took the powder. She acted sleepy, stupid, all afternoon."

"Yes. Now then—" She was off again, leading us with her questions, through Mrs. Ricker's confession and her suspicions of Martha.

"After Martha came into the house with the bracelet," she asked, "was she out of the room again within the hour; or even within the second hour, between five and six?"

"She was not out between four and five," I said. "We all stayed right in the room. It was too hot to move around. I know that Martha did not leave the room. She sat beside Chad on the piano bench, for a while. She sat on the arm of Sam's chair, watching the chess game—"

"Hold on," Sam interrupted. "I've got two things to tell you that you are overlooking, and I know that they are both mighty important."

"What are they?"

"The first one is this. Gaby had lived here close to two months. Martha had never harmed her. Does it stand to reason that, on the very day Gaby was afraid she was going to be killed, Martha would do it? There's too much coincidence in that, isn't there?"

"I think so. Though we can not ever discount coincidence. What appears to be coincidence usually proves not to be coincidence at all, in the end. But, Mr. Stanley, unless the other thing you have to tell me is a fact, and not an opinion, I am going to ask you not to tell it to me, at least not until later."

"It is straight fact."

"Very well, then?"

"Martha was always trying experiments with feeding her rabbits. I guess she thought that they might like grain. Maybe they do. I don't know. Anyway, she, or someone, had tugged a half sack of grain up there. A lot of it had spilled out under the berry bushes. It is all fresh sprouted, and growing fine. There wasn't a spot out there, except under those bushes, where Martha could have hidden the body. A body, even as small as Gaby's, would have smashed down and broken those fresh sprouts of grain."

"But—the body was never there. Is it possible that you don't know that Gabrielle Canneziano was murdered right there on the stairs, where she fell, and where she was found?"

"How in blazes could I know it?" Sam said.

"My word! Weren't you present when the body was moved?"

"No. I—well, I didn't care about being."

"The fingers of her right hand were clutching the stair tread with the grasp of death. Nothing can disprove that. Dead fingers cannot be made to clutch."

"How do you know that?" Sam demanded. "About her fingers, I mean."

"When I saw the body in the crematory in San Francisco—"

"What!"

"I always do that, when I can. Before I sent you my telegram. I had gone to see the body."

"Did—does Danny know that?"

"No. It might be better not to tell her. It is a necessary part of my profession. The crematory people realize that; but, since people are often very sensitive about it, they prefer that the relatives should not know that they allow it. As I was saying, I saw, then, that the fingers on the right hand had been broken. The undertaker had done that, you understand, in order that they might look natural to fold.

"When I had received your telegram engaging me to take the case, I telephoned to the coroner and the undertaker in Telko. They corroborated the opinion I had formed, from the fingers, about the death clutch, among other things. Those proved that she had been killed on the stairs, by someone who had been coming downstairs behind her. How did it happen that you did not know this?"

"As soon as I realized what had occurred," Sam explained, "I cleared everybody right out and locked the door. I knew that it was necessary for the coroner to examine the body before it had been disturbed."

"How very, very sensible," Miss MacDonald said. But I did not quite like the way she said it.

I looked at my watch and said that it was time for me to be starting to get dinner. She asked if she might help me. I thought that she was trying to be polite, and I was making my refusal just as polite, when she interrupted me.

"Please, Mrs. Magin," she urged. "You mentioned at breakfast that you had only one inefficient girl, to help you, just now. I love housework, of all sorts. And I went to get intimately acquainted with this house. The best way to do that is to work in it, isn't it?"

Sam winked at me. "She isn't going to let you out of her sight, Mary."

Miss MacDonald tried to smile, but she made a failure of it.

"But you don't need to worry, Mary," Sam went on, "because one thing, now, is dead certain. If Gaby was murdered there on the steps, it is impossible that any member of this household could have done it. It was, anyway. But now it is sure. That clears us all."

Miss MacDonald flashed out, in one of her rarely shown tempers. "What utter nonsense," she said.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Old Inscription Shows "Horse Age" Beginning

To the learned, century-old Academy of Inscriptions of Paris, Professor Hrozny, of Prague, has communicated his long-expected translation of what is perhaps the most ancient Hittite inscription. It is the first in any language that became European and was cut in the rock of Asia Minor not far from what is now Angora, the new capital of Turkey.

The value of the inscription—what we might call its curiosity—is that it gives the date very nearly, when tame horses first appeared so far to the west. It was the beginning of the Horse age in civilization and is of melancholy interest to us who, 4,000 years later, are careering with our automobiles into the Horseless age.

It was supposed that horses were first brought to Egypt, mother of Civilization, about 1,500 years before Christ by the Cassites from Babylon. That was some 500 years after Abraham passed through the Hittite peoples on his way from Ur of the Babylonian Chaldees to the Promised land.
—Boston Globe.

Age Brings Penalties

The penalties of old age, it is evident, are not confined to those which Byron enumerated—gout and the stone. Loneliness must also be considered, and when we call the roll of the friends of our youth and there is not a whisper in reply, then, perhaps, we shall feel the full burden of our years. Sir Oliver Lodge stated that science had made possible the extension of life to a hundred years. If such a gift is universally bestowed, it will be well. But there are few of us, perhaps, who would accept it as a particular favor.—Exchange.

This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

France Gets the Gold
We're All Richer
New Theory of the Universe
The Sorrows of Wall Street

Some worry because gold is going abroad; $7,250,000 was shipped to France on the Berengaria, making a total shipment of $105,000,000 gold for the month.

You admire French financiers when you hear that they got $80,000,000 of that gold.

How do the French do it? They work and they save.

As your debts diminish you automatically become richer. The people of the United States became richer by about a thousand million dollars during 1929.

Mr. Mellon's statement shows that in twelve months the national debt has been reduced by one billion and nine million dollars.

If Uncle Sam collected his foreign debts as efficiently as he collects from taxpayers at home we'd be clear of debt soon.

In Germany Mennonite refugees from Russia, encamped with their children, are stricken with a strange disease. Forty children died in a few hours. Many were sacrificed because their mothers hid them from doctors, following a Mennonite custom of substituting prayer for medical attention.

That method no longer works. "Know the truth, and the truth shall make you free," includes scientific medical truth.

The son of Italy's king will soon be married and 6,000 will be freed from prisons, by way of celebration.

What seems strange in America is a custom old in Europe.

After Admiral Nelson brought his ship into the Bay of Naples, promising to protect the king and queen and their court against the power of the French revolution, many convicts were set free to celebrate.

And kings, on mounting the throne, have often emptied prisons as a sign of joy.

The National Surety company has issued a policy of $30,000, guaranteeing against the suicide of a man insured within the next two years. The man borrowed money. The bank lending it wanted the added security.

That's new in insurance.

The learned Prof. Jaunes Mackays of Dartmouth brings forth a new theory of the universe, pushing Einstein and relativity into the background.

The universe possesses a radiation of super-frequency and super-penetration, pervading all space.

The ether, which Einstein eliminated, returns, but it is a dynamic, not a static, ether.

That deep news interests a few.

Secretary Mellon says 1930 will be a super-year, money abundant, interest rates low, business good.

That interests everybody, violently.

Infinite time, space and ether will take care of themselves; 1930 and business must be attended to at once.

Now that the "big wind" that swept through Wall Street, blowing away paper profits, has died down, there are sad hearts, but no real losses.

Apparent values, born of imagination and outrageous issues of watered stock, have shrunk by more than twenty-three billions of dollars in three months.

But our national property is all here, including the nicely printed watered stock.

When one concern assembles a few "public utility concerns" and prints 60,000,000 shares of wind and water, with 2,000,000 shares of preferred and heaven knows how many obligations of the assembled companies ahead of the 60,000,000 shares, something must happen. It did happen.

Among all the sorrows of Wall Street, however, bright spots stand out. Actual dividends declared in 1929 up to December 28 totaled more than $4,462,000,000, an increase of more than a thousand million dollars over 1928.

We are really not poor, only a little discouraged, some of us, at the idea of beginning over again.

How the years drag for the young! How they fly for the old!

A man past sixty knows that it is only a step to 1931.

A child cannot believe that another Christmas will ever come.

The earth, according to scientists, will last millions of millions of years. But "a thousand years in thy sight are but as yesterday when it is past, and as a watch in the night."

But that is no excuse for not getting the best possible results from each of 1930's 365 days.

You have, gentle readers, about 119,305,999 American brothers and sisters.

The bureau of economic research puts our population at 119,306,000, including you.

We have increased 14,000,000 in ten years, while keeping out, largely, the "unfit European population that breeds crime," according to advocates of restricted immigration.

But we have not kept out crime itself. We have plenty of that.

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Two Strange Seas

Scene on the Shore of the Caspian Sea.

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.)

THE world's two most important and best known bodies of water that lie below sea level are the Dead sea and the Caspian sea. The Dead sea is really a gigantic sinkhole. In no other continent is there such a deep depression in the earth's crust; nor will one find greater desolation or more uncomfortable conditions for man and most other living things even in the hearts of the greatest deserts.

The Hebrew scriptures have thrown an atmosphere of tragedy about this country. There, the chronicle states, were situated the wicked cities of Sodom and Gomorrah, destroyed by the wrath of Jehovah; and there the modern reader sees the blasted region, seared by unbearable heat, with its bitter death dealing waters, to prove the story to his satisfaction.

According to the Biblical narrative the Jordan valley and the plain near its mouth on the shores of the Dead sea where the destroyed cities lay shared the early good fortune of the Promised Land itself and "flowed with milk and honey." But an end was put to this pleasant condition by the rain of brimstone and fire.

The story of the region deciphered from its rocks by geologists begins much earlier than the days of the patriarchs whose actions are recorded in the Bible. This record seems to indicate that Palestine and the whole western end of Arabia rose from the sea a million or more years ago in what the geologists term the Tertiary era. Shortly after the rise, it seems, a great slice of the land parallel to the coast of the Mediterranean sank to great depth, forming the huge rift valley, "the Ghor," now occupied by the Jordan river and the Dead sea.

It is not clear whether there was a connecting channel between the Mediterranean and the great valley; but a well defined ancient beach indicates that in those remote times the great depression held a sea or lake at about the same level as that of the Mediterranean. The Jordan did not then exist; its entire valley as well as the sea of Galilee was swallowed up in the parent of the Dead sea, which was some 200 miles long and 10 to 15 miles wide.

Dead Sea Has No Outlet.

It is believed that the climate of Palestine in remote times was moist and that the great inland lake was for a while kept at its highest point. When drier conditions set in the lake began to shrink, eventually retreating into the present position of the Dead sea and exposing the valley now occupied by the Jordan. This is practically the only large river in the world which flows in a valley ready-made for it almost from source to mouth.

The Dead sea depression having no outlet, all the salts contained in the large original inland sea were retained when evaporation reduced the volume of the body of water to its present dimensions. In addition, for hundreds of thousands of years the Jordan and the other streams and torrents that flow from the desert hills into the basin have been carrying in additional salts until now the waters of the Dead sea constitute one of the most highly concentrated natural brines in existence. It is estimated that on the average some six million tons of water flow into the Dead sea daily, and since the level of the sea changes but little, an equal amount is pumped out daily by evaporation.

The present Dead sea is 47 miles long and about 10 miles wide. Its surface lies approximately 1,300 feet lower than sea level and at its deepest point its bottom lies another 1,300 feet down. This great rift in the earth's crust, therefore, lies 2,600 feet below sea level and is the deepest hole in the land anywhere in the world. Because of the intense heat and dryness and the presence everywhere of salt the land immediately about the Dead sea is a region of desolation.

Because the intense heat and pressure often prove fatal to others than the few hapless Arab nomads that manage to survive in the region, this area has until recently not been intensively studied by scientists. It was at first thought that there is no evidence of recent volcanic action and that the traditional destruction of the cities by a rain of fire and brimstone may have referred to the explosion of pockets of crude petroleum. A scientist who visited the region in 1909, however, reported a small extinct volcano near the northeastern corner of the Dead sea near the reputed site of Sodom and concluded that a shower of ashes from this vent may have caused the catastrophe so vividly described in Genesis.

Caspian Sea Is a Puzzle.

The Caspian sea was thought, in the earliest periods of recorded time, to be part of the great "stream of ocean" surrounding the habitable earth. Herodotus, the Greek Baedeker, mentions a visit to it in 458 B. C., when it was an even greater mystery than today, for then no one knew its extent.

Some authorities claim that the Caspian had its origin in a great inland sea, an Asiatic Mediterranean, with an outlet to the Arctic ocean. In support of the Arctic outlet it is pointed out that seals are still hunted in the Caspian and there are other forms of life which show evidence of Arctic ancestry. It is argued that the Caspian owes its present size to climatic changes and evaporation. That the sea has reached other levels is evident by the number of terraces that can be seen back from the coast. However, to complicate matters, the weak development of the terraces indicates that the sea did not stand at any one level for a long time. Walls and cities have been found in many sections underneath the surface, an indication that the level of the water was even lower at one period than it is now.

Shifting shore lines are not the only eccentricities of the Caspian. Although 85 feet below the level of its neighbor, the Black sea, and with no known or possible outlet, the Caspian is less than half as salty. It is only three-eighths as salty as the ocean. Furthermore, the northern part, which receives large quantities of fresh water from the Volga, Ural and Terek rivers, is so slightly salty the water is quite drinkable.

The Black sea, with approximately an equal surface and almost the same climatic conditions, not only retains a constant level but is continually discharging at the Dardanelles. Yet the volume of water poured into the Black sea is not nearly so great as that which the Caspian receives. The Volga, alone, drains almost half a million square miles into the Caspian.

No other inland body of water is so richly stocked with fish, nor has as wide a range of species. The Caspian presents an intermingling of salt and fresh water forms. Before the World war the annual catch, including the seals of Krasnovodsk bay, was valued at more than five million dollars.

With an area equal to that of the state of California, or more than all the Great Lakes combined, the Caspian sea today occupies the deepest part of a great depression situated to the west and south of the Ural mountains. The northern or fresh water half is shallow, nowhere reaching a depth of more than 118 feet. The southern half, however, is cut by two deep depressions and soundings have reached 3,600 feet.

Coastal Strip Is Narrow.

Both the north and the east coasts are flat and hard to approach. Caucasus mountains on the west and the Elburz on the southern, or Persian, shore are close to the sea and leave only a narrow coastal strip. On this strip are most of the important cities of the region. Taken as a whole the Caspian is not an attractive body of water. Its shores are as barren as the granite boulders of its bordering mountains. As there is no fresh water above or below the surface of the ground near the southern coasts, the inhabitants must bring drinking water from long distances or condense sea water. One of the distinguishing features of towns along this part of the Caspian sea is the floating condenser plant, usually some worn-out steamer or sailing vessel. Sometimes the water is piped ashore, sometimes it is carried in tank barges and then peddled around the streets, as is milk in other cities.

Baku, the capitol of the Soviet republic of Azerbaijan, is the largest city on the sea and the center of a prosperous, busy oil region. Its surroundings are like those of the nitrate towns along the coast of Chile, only the settlements are more numerous and better built. Before the war Baku was one of the most important cities in the Russian empire.

NEED FOR CITIZEN SOLDIERY

By SAMUEL INSULL, Utilities Promoter, Chicago.

MY LIFE—three score and ten—has taught me that the only way to be prepared in a country like this—a country in which the people will not have a large standing army—lies in the creation of a citizen soldiery ready for any emergency.

I often think of that when I hear these people who are always decrying the possibility of another war. I will tell you that it is highly possible for war to come. Oh, it may not come in my time—I am getting near the end. But I am thinking of the men twenty years younger than myself, or even of myself as I was twenty years ago.

Who would not have laughed at a man that twenty years ago had attempted to picture to the world the terrible orgy of slaughter of 1914-1918? Who would not have thought him fantastic and irrational?

It may not even come from without—who knows? I can remember—and it does not seem so long ago that I sat with my father in our home in a little town in England and heard him read in the newspaper about the fall of Richmond. It seems an incredibly short time since as a boy I heard how this country was split in two and one part at war with the other.

Army men have learned the lesson that obedience to and respect for authority teaches. One of the great troubles with our young people today is their lack of respect for authority and law. They want to kiss their way through life. They want all the benefits this great country confers on its citizens, but they don't want to carry any of the obligations.

WAGE INCREASE TO BOOM TRADE

By SOLOMON LEVITAN, Wisconsin State Treasurer.

There is enough money in this country for all of us. Raise wages, stimulate trade and bring about general prosperity. This country will then pull itself out of the tailspin into which it started just before the recent stock market crash.

There is the possibility of serious economic depression unless business executives get together to remedy conditions. Perhaps the American public can stand another price increase. Perhaps it can stand even a second one. But can it stand a third and have wages remain at their present level?

There is an economic line you may call the sustenance line of the American public. When prices are increased so they are above this sustenance line those responsible must expect a demand from the people that conditions be remedied. The American people do not submit in silence to that sort of dominance to which people in some other countries bow; they are independent, freethinking people, given to expressing their sense of justice.

The main thing necessary to avoid unrest is to have the three factors play together—the producer, the laborer and the consumer. The producer should have a reasonable profit, the laborer must receive more than a mere living wage, and the consumer should get full value for his dollar.

NEED OF HUMAN BROTHERHOOD

By RABBI FERDINAND M. ISSERMAN, St. Louis.

The ideal of brotherhood must be applied not only to the nations but to all the races of mankind and to religion as well. The purpose of memorial services is lost if we concentrate our energies in eulogy or in sorrow over the departed. These men were dedicated to a great ideal—the ideal of brotherhood. This ideal has not been realized yet, and perhaps we might honor them more if we should concentrate on how this ideal of brotherhood can be realized.

The idea of human brotherhood is of importance today as a factor in preserving peace among the nations. In an age when science has perfected instruments of destruction, and war lords are ready to use them not only for the destruction of soldiers but civilians as well, civilization must choose between the ideal of brotherhood or of destruction by its own science.

The same is true in the difference of men. It is a difference of opportunity, history and environment.

FREEDOM HELPFUL TO CHILDREN

By MRS. ROSE BEFELER, Brooklyn Ethical Culture Leader.

Where the children had a great deal of freedom, in the progressive schools of Europe, their conduct seemed to be better than that of our children here; where there was a great deal of discipline, their conduct was worse.

On the whole our progressive schools are doing excellent work, more advanced than that of the schools abroad. We can get from them better out-of-doors projects, better means of teaching music, better methods of teaching handwriting. But we are forging the way and European educational leaders are looking to us to help them.

In the Odenwald school in Germany, where there is no set curriculum, an exceptional amount of freedom of movement, a grouping for lessons by subject rather than grade, they are stressing the feeling of internationalism, peace and good will, as more important than making walking encyclopedias of the children.

NEW STATUS OF WOMEN PROBLEM

By DR. RALPH W. SOCKMAN (Methodist Episcopal).

Why should we of the church be sentimentalists about marriage when honest realism is required to face modern conditions? Many people bemoan the passing of the "good old-fashioned home," who would not tolerate it if restored. Woman's new freedom has created new competition for the home, and the home will have to meet it by improving its own conditions. The old status of the wife as merely the child-bearing housekeeper of her husband cannot be made popular, no matter how much we praise motherhood. The modern educated woman wants a career which gives hope of self-realization, and marriage must be adjusted to that desire.

The postponement of marriage until economic competence is assured is one of our chief problems. Mere denunciation of companionate marriage is not enough. We should have some better arrangement to offer.

GRUESOME TALE OF 5 MURDERS BROUGHT BACK

Find Weapon Used by "Cannibal Killer" in Colorado in 1873.

Lake City, Colo.—Dead Man's gulch, near here, has given up what is believed to be the murder weapon of Alfred Packer, "cannibal killer" of five comrades in 1873.

The gun, believed to have been used by Packer in shooting one of his five victims, was found near the spot where the murdered men were buried. Several well preserved matches were found in the stock of the gun.

Packer, now dead, was charged with killing and eating five men who had accompanied him into the ice covered San Juan mountains in the winter of 1873 on a prospecting expedition. He was sentenced to the penitentiary and died several years ago when on parole.

A Gruesome Tale.

Recent rains, it was said, uncovered the old gun hardly a stone's throw from where Packer's victims lie buried. A monument in their memory was unveiled at the spot a year ago.

The weapon was placed on display at a local drug store. Sight of it caused old timers here to revive the gruesome tale of nearly sixty years ago.

A party of twenty men arrived at the site where Montrose now stands. Winter was approaching and the famous Chief Ouray of the Utes encamped there, warned the miners not to invade the range until winter had passed.

"The Cannibal Killer."

Six, however, ignored Chief Ouray's warning and started for the mountains. They were Packer and five others known as Miller, Bell, Swan, Humphreys and Moon.

Six weeks later Packer appeared at Los Pinos agency near here and said his five comrades had deserted him. It was noticed he had a suspiciously large amount of money.

Five Bodies Found.

Later a band of Indians reported a gruesome find—bits of human flesh along the trail of Packer to Los Pinos agency. Search revealed five bodies. Four had their skulls crushed and one was shot. All were mutilated and torn.

Packer, confronted by this evidence, revised his original story.

Swan, he said, had died and the other four had eaten his body. He was arrested at Saguache but escaped from the sheriff.

Ten years later he was arrested in Wyoming and taken to Denver. He was tried at Gunnison and sentenced to hang, but his attorneys obtained a change in his sentence to a forty-year term at the Canon City penitentiary.

There he spent his life until a few years ago—consistently denying he had murdered his companions. A parole was given to the aged man and he died shortly after.

Recalls an Old Rhyme and Saves Her Life

London.—Recollection of an old rhyme saved the life of Miss Evangelina Nutt when cleaning fluid she was using caught fire. Her dress igniting, Miss Nutt remembered:

"Dress on fire, roll on floor;
Room on fire, shut the door."

At once she rolled herself on the floor until her burning dress was extinguished, then found that her sister in trying to put out the burning cleaner was afire, too. She rolled her sister on the floor, putting out the flames, then both sisters put out the fire that was beginning to destroy the furnishings.

Smiling at Wrong Time Gets Him Prison Term

Huntington, W. Va.—Optimists are all wrong and it's the man with the frown who is worth while, Erwin Grey of this city is convinced.

Grey was before Judge George W. McClintic in southern West Virginia federal court. He was told to return in March and hear the disposition of his case, but the court intimated that it might grant probation.

Grey smiled broadly as he turned to leave.

"Come back here," the court ordered. "You are too smart. Two years in Atlanta."

Salts Fine for Aching Kidneys

When Back Hurts Flush Your Kidneys as You Clean Your Bowels

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, sometimes get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region begin drinking lots of water. Also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is intended to flush clogged kidneys and help stimulate them to activity. It also helps neutralize the acids in the urine so they no longer irritate, thus helping to relieve bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink which everybody should take now and then to help keep their kidneys clean.

A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in trying to correct kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

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Muskrat Found Glasses

Last summer Ronald Waggershauser dived off a pier at Lake Mendota, Wis., and lost his glasses. Jack Hayward helped him look for the spectacles, but they could not be located on the bottom of the lake. Lately, Hayward noticed something shining in a muskrat house built near the pier, and investigated. He found that a muskrat had taken possession of the glasses. Hayward returned them to their owner.

Bucket Holds Ten Tons

At the Buffalo docks there has just been put into service the largest clamshell bucket ever built. From the bottom of its scoop to the top of its head this monster bucket measures 13 feet 9 inches, and when lowered, ready for action, it has a spread of 19 feet, covering an area of 133 square feet. At one grab it is able to pick up 10 gross tons.

Just So

"Scientifically speaking, coal is of the same composition as the diamond."
"Still, it is only a carbon copy."

It is easier to try to look intelligent than it is to deliver the goods.

AFTER OPERATIONS

"I was three times under an operation and I was very weak and nervous and could not eat. I suffered for ten years. I learned about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and my husband bought me a bottle. I felt a little better and he bought me two more. I had the Compound in my home for two years and took it all the time. Now I feel strong and can do anything."—*Mrs. A. Michalk, 5443 Mitchell Ave., Detroit, Michigan.*

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound
Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co., Lynn, Mass.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE

Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Co.

of Red Lake and Pennington Counties, State of Minnesota, for the year ending December 31, 1929.

Organized the 9th day of March, 1893.
Commenced bnsiness the 8th day of June, 1893.
President, Ed. A. Aubol, P. O. Address, St. Hilaire, Minn., R 1
Vice President, O. L. Larson, St. Hilaire, Minn., R 1
Secretary, John O. Swanson, P. O. Address, Wylie, Minn., R 1
Treasurer, Peter Engelstad, Thief River Falls, Minn., R 3
Director, Herman Ortloff, St. Hilaire, Minn.

Actual cash balance on hand in the bank as shown by statement December 31 of previons year		$ 6,541.59
Income During Year 1929		
Cash received as first payment on Policies issued during the year	$ 2,752.81	
Cash received from payments on notes	252.26	
Cash received as interest on bank deposits	50.00	
Cash received as first payment on policies issued during 1928	321.10	
Refnnd on building material at lumber yard	1.90	
Total amount of cash received during year		$ 3,378.07
Total cash including balance on hand from previous year		$ 9,919.66
Assessments Levied During Year		None
Disbursements During Year 1929		
Paid Losses remaining from previous year	$ 70.14	
Pnid Losses incurred during the year	502.70	
Return Premiums paid to Policy Holders	45.88	
Paid Commission and Expenses to Agents	636.00	
Paid Agents for Adjusting Losses	27.00	
Paid Directors	6.00	
Paid President	57.75	
Paid Secretary	328.16	
Paid Treasurer	52.26	
Paid salary to Vice President	6.00	
Paid rent	3.00	
Paid Postage	27.70	
Paid for Printing	38.74	
Paid office supplies	69.29	
Paid annual dues to State and National Insurance Ass'n	14.50	
Paid Insurance Department Fees	2.00	
Paid for check exchange at banks	2.40	
Paid Board of Auditors	9.00	
Paid Premium on Treasurer's snrety bond	24.50	
Total nmount of Disbursements dnring the year		$ 1,923.02
Actual casb balence on hand and in bank at end of year		$ 7,996.64
Assets Other Than Casb, December 31, 1929		
Balance on Peter Engelstad note		$ 255.61
Balance on J. E. Roy and N. E. Beebe note		326.46
Total assets other than cash		$ 582.07
Total assets of the company, including balance cash on hand and in bank December 31, 1929		$ 8,578.71
Liebilities December 31, 1929		None

Policy Exhibit

	No. Policies	Amount
Policies in force December 31 of previous year	1485	$ 3,823,906.00
Policies issued during the year	881	953,596.50
Total	1866	$ 4,777,502.00
Policies expired or ceased to be in force during year	338	811,685.00
Policies and amount in force December 31, 1929	1528	$ 3,965,817.00
	Total No.	Total Amt.
Unpaid Losses at end of previous year: Fire 1, $70.14;	1	$ 70.14
Loss claims incurred during the year: Fire 7, $239.00; Lightning 10, $263.70	17	502.70
Total: Fire 8, $309.14; Lightning 10, $263.70	18	$ 572.84
Losses Paid during year: Fire, 8, $309.14; Lightning 10, $263.70	18	$ 572.84
Losses remaining unpaid at end of year		None
Losses resisted by the company		None

State of Minnesota,
County of Pennington.

St. Hilaire, Minn., Jan. 8, 1930.

ED. A. AUBOL, President, and JOHN O. SWANSON, Secretary, of the BRAY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, being duly sworn, each for himself deposes and says, that they are the above described officers of seid Company, and that on the thirty-first day of December last, all of the above described assets were the absolnte property of the said Company, free and clear from any liens or claims thereon, except as ebove stated, and that the foregoing statement, with the schedules and explanations herein contained, annexed or referred to, are a full and correct exhibit of all the Assets, Liabilities, Income and Disbursements, and of the condition and affairs of the said Company on the said thirty-first day of December, and for the year ending on that day, according to the best of their information, knowledge and belief, respectively.

ED. A AUBOL,
JOHN O. SWANSON.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January, 1930.
FRED BISKEY,
Notary Public, Pennington Co., Minn.
My Commission expires Jan. 29, 1935.
(Notarial Seal)

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Council Proceedings

Special meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire Minn, held at the President's office December 6th at 8 P. M. Meeting was called for the purpose of considering the offer made by Mr. Clifford Hedeen to deliver gravel for the village. Meeting called to order by the president. All members present except Fricker. Mr. Hedeen having offered to deliver gravel at 70 cents per cubic yard, council decided by motion duly made and carried to take 250 yds.

On motion made and carried meeting adjourned.

A. Satterberg, President — M. Fricker, Clerk

Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire, Minn. held at the president's office January 6th at 8 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present.

Minutes of last regular and special meetings were read and approved.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed as read.

Clifford Hedseen, 248.4 cub. yds. of gravel	$173.40
Nels Pearson, checking gravel	12.00
John Forseen, salary Dec.	20.00
Ole Branum, 5 hrs. labor	1.75
O. Gunstad, proceedings Dec.	2.25
Merle Rolland, burying a dog	.20

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjourned.

M. Fricker, Clerk. — A. Satterberg, President.

MEET THE GANG
-AT-
Bob's Coffee Shop
If you can't eat at home. eat with us
R. Helmkay,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Bids Wanted

School district No. 236J of Red Lake county, will receive bids up to Tuesday, Jan, 28, 1930 for delivery of 10 cords of sound, heavy body, split poplar cordwood, to be racked at the school premises in said district.

J9-23pd Herman Jepson, Clerk.

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

A Born Diplomat

IN A southern city a colored yonth epplied at a leading hotel for a job as bellboy. There was a vacancy in the bell-hopping staff and tha applicant, it seemed, hed had experience in similar work at other hotels. The maoager, liking the boy's looks, turued him over to the bell captain, who also was colored, for final examination before signing him to duty.

"De main qnestion," began the inquisitor, "is whether you is got politeness. We insists yere 'at all our force mnst be respeckful an' polite."

"Huh!" said the candidate, "I not only is got politeness, I lakwise also is got tact."

"What's de diff'unce 'tween politeness and tact?" asked the bell captain.

"A big diff'unce," said the new hand. "Listen: Lemme give yon a 'lustration to prove it. De last job I had over yere at da Palace hotel, de clerk calls me one day an' he tells me to tek a armload of fresh towels up to Nnmber 970. So I teks de towels on my arm an' goes up an' knocks at Nnmber 970. Dey ain't no answer. So I turns de knob and finds da do' ain't locked an' I walks in. Dey ain't nobody in sight inside, so I figgers dat de guest, whoever 'twux, w'ich wanted da towels is done gone out. So I goes across de room an' opens de bathroom do' an' dere's a strange lady settin' in de bathtub. I says right quick: 'Excuse me, suh, and I backs out.

"Now, sayin' 'Scuse me' was politeness, but de 'suh' part—det wae tact!'

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Hare Drops From Sky

A story which reads like one of Baron Munchausen's is published in the Swedish papers of a farmer who, while cutting hay, saw a hare drop from the sky. This actually happened at Bocktraesk, in the Parish of Sorsele. Looking up to see where the hare came from the farmer saw an eagle, which apparently had found its prey too heavy and dropped it.—London Sunday Observer.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Osseo—Osseo's tax rate is 84.7 mills, a decrease of 17.4.

Waterville—Charles Simpson became head of the local Masonic lodge at its annual installation of officers.

Robbinsdale—The tax increase in this city runs second in the state with a boost of 23.02, hringing the total to 105.19.

Dayton—Residents of Dayton have the largest increase, their levy amounting to 107.9 mills, 24.4 more than the 83.5-mill levy for 1929.

Faribault—Clyde B. Helm, secretary of the chamher of commerce here has resigned to accept tha position of secretary of the Insurance Federation of Minnesota.

La Susur Center—The Rev. W. A. Harms, pastor of the German Lake, Kilkenny and Waterville German Lutheran parishes for eight years, was called to Gifford, Ill.

Chatfield—C. J. Manahan, 72 years old, prominent city official and retired farmer, who established the first rural co-operative laundry in the United States, is dead here.

Shakopee—A gymnasium, part of a $90,000 addition to the high echool here, is to be completed soon and e numher of the hasketball games played there this season.

Crookston—Heading tha list of achievamenta is the development of the Western Polk County Farm Bureau association and estahlishment of fertilizer plots on alfalfa fields.

Bird Island—Rohert Jones, pioneer resident of Birch Coolle township, is dead at the age of 91. He settled on a homestead one mile northeast of the Birch Coolle battlefield in 1871.

Minneapolis—George Lanb, student at the University of Minnesota, arrived in Minnespolis efter meking the entire trip hy eirplane, flying the 2,000 miles in approximately 36 hours.

St. Paul—Examinations for post office employment will he held when receipt of applications close on January 31. Persons wishing to take an examination mnst file before thet date.

Caledonia—One hundred and fifty persons gathered here to honor Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kile of Caledonia on the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage. A purse of gold was presented.

Rochester—Merle Holzer, 14-year-old rural school girl who disappeared while going to school, was in the custody of a police matron here. Two men, arrested, were out on $1,000 bail.

Minneapolis—L. H. Slanton, realty expert of the U. S. treasury department, arrived here to begin work of appraising property necessary to be teken over for the proposed new postoffice.

Worthington—The Nobles County Cow Testing Ass'n. opens the year with Walter Pfeil presideut and A. H. Lawrence secretary. Four Nohles county herds won places on the national berd honor roll in 1929.

Mankato—The Advertising Forum of the Chamber of Commerce chose February 17 as the tentative date for its ninth annual stunt night. L. E. McMillan, Blue Earth conuty agricultural agent, will be master of ceremonies.

Hastings—Andrew Denzer of West St. Paul was named chairman of the Dakota county board of commissioners. J. P. Nolsn of South St. Panl was named vicechairman. The next meeting of the board will he condncted February 10.

St. Paul—Bank failures in Minnesota in 1929 were the lowest since 1920, only 30 banks closing during the year, according to a report issued hy A. J. Veigel, state commissioner of banks. Bank mergers in the state numhered 29.

Crystal Bay—Election of Mahel F. Tuttle of this village and E. W. Becker, Excelsior, Minn., to the hoard of directors of the Minnesota State Poultry association as representatives of Hennepin county was announced following the annual meeting of the gronp.

Owatonna—Fred Manke of Deerfield was elected chairman of the Steele county board of commissioners at its annual meeting here. Commissioner August Sidel of Owatonna was renamed vicechairman and Dr. J. F. Smersh was re-elected to the county board of health.

Minneapolis—Failure on tha part of Minneapolis citizens to patronize Sunday afternoon concerts has resulted in a misunderstanding between the menager, W. H. Benjamin, and the Jndson concert management of New York, necessitating the postponing of the four remaining concerts.

Hamline—Plans were going forward rapidly this week for the opening of the Northwest Antomobile show in the Livestock pavilion here Feh. 1-8. President D. A. Odell predicts that the 1930 show will eclipse in every way any show ever hefore held in this section of the country. In wealth and beanty of exhibits, in attendance and in national interest the coming exposition will set many new records, he said.

Brainerd—S. C. Bakken of Brainerd, boy scont field execntive for the central Minneosta area, will leave for Rapid City, S. D., to take charge there.

Montgomery—Graveling of side streets in Montgomery is being pnshed. It is planned to gravel Main street, unless citizens decide to pave or oil the street.

Minneapolis—Six suits reqnesting that Minneapolis properties of tha W. B. Foshay Co. and the Foshay Building corporation be sold at anction to satisfy mechanic's liens were filed in Hennepin county district court.

Dakota Maid Flour

We have lately stocked a complete line of DAKOTA MAID flour and mill feeds which are considered the best made in this section.

Next time you need flour, try

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German Hospitality

In one of the most famous and most comfortable hotels in Germany guests are consulted about their beds before the beds are made np, eays London Answers. A list of questions is provided, and if after answering these the guest does not sleep well, it is not the fault of "mine host."

Famous House Has Gone

The descendants of the Groat family still live in the vicinity of the famous John o' Groat's house, in England, but a small green knoll marked with the foundation lines is all that remains of the house built probably in the latter part of the Sixteenth century.

Special Values For You

Maxine Elliot toilet soap, 3 bars	$ .17
Hershey's cocoa, large can, reg. 20c	.17
Monogram dates, per pkg.	.12
Tomatoes, medium size, can	.11
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Top Notch or Ball Band heavy rubbers reg. $1.85 values, now	1.65
Springtex, half wool, underwear, reg. 2.95	2.50
" all " " 3.95	3.35
Ladies, 4 bkle, all rubber overshoes, reg. 3.25 now	2.85
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Bring in your premium coupons as we have received the last shipment of dishes to be given away.

M. H. Jackson
General Merchandise
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Hazel News

Mrs. Martha Bergland, Frank Johnson and Rudolf Sand were visitors at the Ole Odegaard home last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Mary Sherva and grandaughter Grace Carlsness, left first of the week for Mrs. Sherva's home in St. Hilaire.

A group of Hazel young folks attended the bridal shower held at Ed Peterson's home in St. Hilaire in honor of Mrs. Olaf Bergland, formerly Martha Swenson.

The St. Hilaire city basket ball boys played the Hazel team last Tuesday evening. The St. Hilaire team, being a team trained in team work, run the score up to 86 and 12 in favor of St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Seeland were called to Thief River Falls last Monday evening because of the serious illness of Mr. Seeland's brother, Henry, who is at the Physicians hospital.

The Hazel district school has been poorly attended this past week on account of a slight flu epidemic which has been prominent in Hazel vicinity of late.

One is "well off" when he has not less than he needs nor more than he it able to use wisely.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Pennington County Personal Property Tax List For 1929

VILLAGE OF ST. HILAIRE

Total Tax Rate by School Districts
School District No. 102, Rate in Mills 153.9
(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Allen, H. R.	$ 47.86	$	$ 47.86
Bakko, Geo.	2.77	.....	2.77
Benoit, N.	8.15	.....	8.15
Bergh, P. E.	95.42	1.80	97.22
Bjerk, M. E.	10.47	.....	10.47
Brink, V. G.	49.55	.....	49.55
Burkee, E. O.	6.93	.....	0.93
Carlson Merc. Company	280.10	.....	280.10
Central Lumber Company	297.80	3.00	300.80
Durbin, Ed.	31.70	.....	31.70
Engles Garage	19.85	.30	20.15
Erickson Bros.	32.32	.....	32.32
Fricker, Mike	2.31	.....	2.31
Gigstad, Mrs. K. O.	13.70	.....	13.70
Gunstad, O.	23.85	.....	23.85
Hage, M. R.	1.54	.....	1.54
Hanson, Art.	4.16	.....	4.16
Hanson, H. F.	8.62	.....	8.62
Hanson, J. A.	30.16	.....	30.16
Hendrickson, Arthur	0.16	.....	6.16
Helmkay, Robert	21.08	.....	21.08
Hendrickson, Eliza	7.08	.....	7.08
Highland, M. A.	11.85	.....	11.85
Hoff, S. M.	6.93	.....	0.93
Huff, C. R.	31.40	.....	31.40
I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 147	10.00	.....	10.00
Jackson, M. H.	122.35	.90	123.25
Johnson, O. C.	8.92	.60	9.52
Kolstad, K. A.	4.15	.....	4.15
Larson Bros.	284.10	2.40	286.50
Loberg, Lars A.	8.00	.....	8.00
Martz, Mrs. Anna	2.46	.....	2.40
Nash, Albert	2.31	.....	2.31
Nelson, Rev. A. F.	6.10	.....	0.10
Nelson N. A., Estate	30.63	.....	30.63
Olson, Mrs. Anna (Miles Olson)	19.55	.....	19.55
Olson, H. A.	9.39	.....	9.39
Olson & Carpenter	4.62	.....	4.62
Olson, Wm.	10.00	.30	10.30
Peoples Oil Company	7.70	.....	7.70
Peterson, Ed.	2.15	.....	2.15
Pierson, B. H.	5.39	.....	5.39
Red Lake Falls Mill. Co. (Grain Tax 6.80)	156.98	.60	161.38
Red River Power Com-	153.90	2.10	156.00
C. Roe Grain Company (Grain Tax $7.98)	145.28	1.50	154.70
Roy, J. S.	9.85	3.00	12.85
Roy, Paul	8.10	.....	8.10
Satterburg, Adolph	8.00	.....	8.00
Simonson, Peter	3.54	.....	3.54
Standard Oil Company	165.13	.....	165.13
Skatrud, T. M.	11.85	.....	11.85
Sundholm, Enoch	56.64	.60	57.24
St. Hilaire Co-op. Creamery Ass'n	98.80	5.70	104.50
Volden, Mrs. Marg.	3.85	.....	3.85
Wilson, Hans	16.31	.....	18.31
Winter, Harry	18.47	.60	19.07
White Eagle Oil Company	7.70	.....	7.70
Young & Erickson	9.23	.30	9.53
Hallstrom, P. A.	.....	1.50	1.50
Larson, Mrs. J. A.	.....	9.00	9.00
Pearson, Sam	.....	1.50	1.50
Swanson, Pete	.....	6.00	6.00

VILLAGE OF GOODRIDGE

Total Tax Rate by School Districts
School District No. 8, Rate in Mills 143.8
(Rate of Taxation on Money and Credits, 30 Cents Per One Hundred Dollars)

Names of Persons, Firms or Corporations Assessed	Personal Property except Money & Credits	Money and Credits	Amount of Tax
Anderson, M. M.	$ 16.66	$ .30	$ 13.96
Anderson, Sever	124.39	.60	124.99
Bridgeman & Russell	2.88	.....	2.88
H. Christianson & Son	162.49	1.50	163.99
Christianson, H.	7.77	.....	7.77
Christianson, Carl	7.62	.....	7.62
Dahlen, John	7.19	.30	7.49
Edseth, Carl	4.31	.....	4.31
Erickson, Joe E.	14.38	.....	14.38
Frodahl, H. P.	2.88	.30	3.18
Goodridge Co-op. Creamery	120.79	2.40	123.19
Goodridge Farmers	.....	3.00	.....
Elevator & Mill	159.62	4.93	167.55
Gilbertson, Theo.	7.19	.30	7.49
Goodridge Merc. Co.	390.17	3.00	399.17
Hanson & Barzen Milling Co. (Grain Tax $4.21)	115.04	.....	119.25
Halvorson, Albert	11.36	1.50	12.86
Johnson, Geo.	2.15	2.10	4.25
Kirklee, O. S.	7.91	.....	7.01
Lundstrom, Carl	23.01	.30	23.31
Lundstrom, Ella	12.65	.....	12.65
McEnelly, G. E.	22.86	.....	22.86
McEnelly, J. A.	19.27	3.00	22.27
McDonald, R. H.	10.64	.....	10.64
McLeod, V. E.	5.32	.....	5.32
Manhattan Oil Company	2.87	.....	2.87
Mandt, A. B.	55.08	3.60	58.68
North American Creamery	2.88	.....	2.88
Olson, Owen A.	5.75	.....	5.76
Peterson, E. L.	6.04	.60	6.64
Payne, Jay	7.62	.30	7.92
Peoples Oil Company	10.07	.....	10.07
Robertson Lumber Company	89.87	.60	90.47
Rod, H. I.	23.30	.....	23.30
Stephenson, C. O.	8.63	.....	8.63
Stephenson, M. J.	6.74	.....	6.74
Singer, Stephen	158.32	6.60	161.92
Sundquist, J. A.	78.23	.60	78.53
Standard Oil Company	107.85	.....	107.85
Thoreson, M. G.	11.36	.....	11.36
Tessum Seed & Grain Co.	28.76	.....	28.76
Tellefson, Agnes	32.93	.....	32.93
Wold, Geo.	7.76	.60	8.36
Haberdunk, Ben	.....	2.10	2.10
Joahaugen, K.	.....	1.50	1.50
Nelson, Elmer	.....	12.00	12.00
Tellefson, Henry	.....	.30	.30
Thoraldson, S. S.	.....	1.20	1.20

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Have recently made connections where I am in position to pay highest market prices in CASH for all kinds of livestock.

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Stove Blast Fire Kill Five.

Indianapolis—Six months old twins were the only survivors of a family of seven following an explosion and fire in the west side home here of Donald Klusener. The explosion resulted when kerosene or gasoline was poured into a stove in an effort to kindle the fire, and sprayed the flaming fluid over the interior of the house. Both parents and three other children died in a hospital a few hours after the fire. The baby twins are in a hospital and will live.

U. S. July Gives Capital Clean Bill.

Washington—The national capital, pictured recently in the senate as a vice-ridden liquor oasis, was reported by a federal grand jury to be not half as bad as it has been painted. The report was made to the supreme court of the District of Columbia after a tempestuous three months' session in which the jury heard charges of police failure to enforce the prohibition laws and the alleked bungling of the investigation of two mysterious deaths

Twelve Hurt as Street Crashes.

St. Paul, Minn.—A collapse of a 600 tons of concrete and steel section of a street mall under construction here seriously injured twelve workmen. The steel and concrete work, newly laid at the foot of Cedar street, sagged and crashed 22 feet to a lower level of the mall. Sixteen persons, including Clement F. Sculley, president of the Clement F. Sculley Equipment Co., contractors for the project, escaped injury. Of the twelve injured none are fatal.

Taft to Enter a Hospital.

Washington—Chief Justice Taft will direct all his efforts toward recuperation of his strength. He is in a weakened physical condition, due to a recurrence of the bladder trouble for which he was treated several years ago. With protest, he finally yielded to the importunities of his family, his physician and associates, and will go into the Garfield hospital here for treatment.

Four Cities Ask Cotton Co-op.

Washington—Spokesmen from Atlanta, Memphis, Dallas and New Orleans urged selection of their cities as headquarters for the $30,000,000 cotton co-operative, at a hearing before the committee here.

Cities Well Laid Out

Four cities in the world are noted for the uniform width of their streets. They are Berlin, Dusseldorf and Cologne, in Germany, and Washington.

Revealed by Conduct

Conduct is the great profession. Behavior is the perpetual revealing of us. What a man does tells us what he is.—F. D. Huntington.

Happiness in Love

Life is to be fortified by many friendships. To love, and to be loved, is the greatest happiness of existence.—Sydney Smith.

Must Meet Three Tests

The three demands of good usage of a word are national use, reputable use, and present use.

HOUSE PLUNGES INTO WET FIGHT

Coast Guard Killings Start Debate As La Gurdia and Beedy Exchange Compliments.

Washington—Wet and dry adherents in both the house and senate have buckled on their armor and begun what bids fair to be an historic battle of charges and counter charges. The congressional dispute over prohibition which was presaged by quarrels among the drys during the holiday season materialized in a scathing house debate. Reference by Representative La-Guardia, Republican of New York, a wet, to the shooting of three men by coast guardsmen off the New England coast as a "bloody murder," brought a vigorous reply from Representative Beedy, Republican, of Maine, a dry.

At the same time, Senator Blease, Democrat of South Carolina, reopened the dry controversy in the senate with a charge that the nation's capital was "reeking with vice and corruption." He said the responsibility for enforcing prohibition now rested upon President Hoover and the Republican party in congress.

With these developments on Capitol hill informal negotiations went forward between American and Canadian government officials to strengthen the border barriers by closing a large number of entry roads and increasing the ports from 100 to 600, with officials stationed at each.

Growth Cited in Waterways War.

Washington—Opposition by railroads to the development of inland waterway transportation — greater than ever before, is charged by Major General T. Q. Ashburn, head of the inland waterways corporation. That General Ashburn had made this sensational charge, became known upon publication of the hearings held by a subcommittee of the appropriations. He declared to the committee that this opposition was far reaching and included the entire railway systems and that the roads were refusing to accept the joint rail-water and rail rates prescribed by the Denison act and then only after most harassing opposition. Out of seven transportation systems, he said arrangements had been reached with only three. Despite this, he said, the roads which are the most prosperous are those which come into direct competition with the waterway system.

Ancient Fire Engine

The oldest known fire "engine" in England has found a home at the London museum. It is a large oval wooden tub, and water was pumped through an iron pipe in the middle. The tub rested originally on a carriage with solid wooden wheels, but these have disappeared. The "engine" was made in London in 1678 for a town in Bedfordshire.

Too Busy Individuals

A nature note says the bee has to gather nectar from 62,000 clover blossoms to make a pound of honey. Just offhand, we'd say the only one busier than the bee was the person who followed it around to check up on it that the world might have that all-important information.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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Notice of Annual Meeting

Annual meeting of stockholders of the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Association will be held at the Imperial hall at St. Hilaire on Monday, Feb, 3rd, 1930 at 1:00 P. M., for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year, and to transact any other business that may come before the meeting.

F. S. Erdmann, Sec'ty J16-30

Southern California, where snow seldom falls, was visited by a snow and sleet storm first of this week. Unseasonably cold weather is reported from all sections of the West.

Mrs. Ben Lardy was at Thief River yesterday receiving treatment for infection in one hand which has bothered her considerably lately.

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The Market

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Duram Wheat	.92
Rye	.76
Barley	.40
Oats	.32
Flax	2.80
Eggs, cash	.32
Creamery butter	.39

Coal:- Have on hand a good supply of Bonnie Blue soft coal and hard coal. On track I have Millers Creek soft coal and Stott's briquettes. Millers Creek is especially fine for range use. Bonnie Blue is extra good for heater use. Place orders now for Stotts and Millers Creek, thus saving handling expense.

J9-16 Art Hendrickson.

No Change in Daylight

At the equator the days and nights are of equal length throughout the year.

Condor Exceeds Eagle

The condor has a wing extent of 12 feet, while an eagle's is about 9 feet.

Idea of Moon's Color

Astronomers believe that the actual color of the moon is brown.

To Wait 500 Years for Legacy.

Oklahoma City, Okla.—The city of Cincinnati, Ohio, was made beneficiary of $600,000 in a will filed here but it must wait 500 years to collect it, when the principal and interest will have run into billions.

Girl Saves 4 Brothers in Fire.

Denver, Colo.—Heroism of Mary Maes, 13, saved the lives of her four young brothers and sisters when they were trapped by fire on the second floor of the home. Neighbors formed a human ladder.

Meanest Cow

Edward had just returned from his first visit on the farm. While telling the wonders of the country he said: "The dog's name is Ponto, the cat Kitty Esther and the meanest cow is named Bull."

Migrating Humanity

When the airplane becomes more popular, and cheaper, and safer, what will there be to prevent people, like the birds, migrating with the seasons? —Saline Journal.

First Chow-Chow

The original form of chow-chow was a Chinese sweetmeat, consisting of pieces of orange peel, ginger and numerous other articles put up in sirup.

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Revolt Reported Continues in Mexico.

El Paso, Texas—Jose Vasconcelos, defeated Mexican presidential candidate, declared here a revolution already is under way in Mexico, lead by himself and sympathizers.

Minn. Historical Society St. Paul, Minn.

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Demonstration Train Here

The special Great Northern train of agricultural exhibits, demonstrating the value of livestock, sweet clover, alfalfa and crop rotating as a basis for permanent agriculture in the Northwest, visited this village from nine o'clock yesterday morning until noon. The train was in charge of E. C. Leedy, general agricultural development agent of the Great Northern, and his assistants, Dan Willard of St. Paul and W. S. Weber of Chicago. It is estimated that nearly 300 people visited the train, including the high school pupils, while it was here.

The exhibits were make up from actual experience of farmers in the Valley, and showed how eradication of quack grass and sow thistle was being accomplished, and how it was possible to secure an income from the land while this was being done. A series of pictures and maps showed the history of agriculture in the Valley from the early grain farming days up to the present time, and demonstrated quite clearly that methods used in early days were not adequate at present. Cultivated crops and crop rotation, dairying, sheep raising, raising of beef stock and poultry are necessary now for a balanced and permanent agriculture. Pictures were shown of farms in both Minnesota and North Dakota were diversification was being practiced successfully, and the methods in use on those farms were demonstrated by both pictures and lectures, the latter being given in the auditorium car attached to the train. County Agent Robert Douglas of this county accompanied the train to this place, and gave talks on raising of alfalfa and sweet clover. The basic idea brought home was that single crop farming in the Northwest was a thing of the past. The northwest was not going to discontinue grain raising, according to Mr. Leedy, but it was going to make more profit out of it because yields of grain mount upward as livestock raising and crop rotations are increased.

There were a good many valuable ideas gained by those who viewed the exhibits and heard the lectures in connection. These will undoubtedly have good bearing in the future even in this immediate vicinity where crop rotation, dairying, sheep raising, and general diversification has been practiced for several years past.

From here the train went to Red Lake Falls where it was shown yesterday afternoon.

Win From Oklee

The local high school hoop artists garnered the long end of a 19 to 12 score when they met the Oklee high school aggregation in a snappy game at the hall at Hazel, Tuesday evening. The local lads took the lead from the start, and seemingly had no difficulty in maintaining it altho' their lead was menaced once in the third quarter of play. About 60 rooters from here accompanied the team to Hazel.

First Whist Session

First meeting of the newly organized whist club was held at the Odd Fellow hall Monday evening with forty particpating and ten tables playing. Sides were chosen according to color, one side being the Blues and the other the Pinks. Whether or not choice of colors had anything to do with outcome is hard to say, but the Pinks romped homes with a 19 points lead at close of the games. As a consequnce, the Blues paid for the lunch which was served at the Blue Parrot Cafe. As substantially the same lineup will be used next Monday night, the Blues are holding a series of conferences in meantime, and plan to give the Pinks "both barrels sitting down" at the next session.

Oklee Bank Pays Dividend

Depositors of the First State Bank of Oklee, which closed June 15, 1929, recently received a dividend of 20 percent, the payment amounting to more than $25,600.00 Special Deputy Examiner L. E. Healy of Red Lake Falls, who has charge of affairs of the closed Farmers State Bank here, is also in charge of the work of liquidation of the Oklee bank.

Drilling for oil is to be resumed again soon at Rainy River, across the Canadian line from Baudette, according to news dispatches in the border papers. There was considerable drilling started, or contemplated, in the border country last fall, but the oil boom seems to have quietened down somewhat.

A fire originating from an overheated furnace, destroyed a building which housed the Karlstad Advocate and a cafe, last week. Most of the contents of the news paper office, and of a residence on second floor, were saved.

An Interested Outsider

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mrs. Alma Levins of Crookston, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter here on Monday.

Carl Fromm, who resides in west part of town has been quite ill the past week. At present his condition is somewhat improved.

L. E. Healy was up all day Monday from Red Lake Falls attending to business affairs of the Farmers State Bank.

County Agent Rob't Douglass was down yesterday from Thief River for a meeting with 4H Club members.

E. O. Burkee, cashier of the local bank, is spending part time assisting with work at the First National Bank at Thief River during the present slack period.

Hazen Wallen, who has spent the past few months here with relatives, left last evening over the Soo for his home at Minneapolis. He was accompanied by his cousin, Edna Anderson, who will be employed in the Cities.

The cold wave which hit this section of the country last week, moved south and east. Temperature of from 16 to 20 below zero were reported in vicinity of Chicago last Saturday morning. Two deaths from freezing are reported from California.

Winter term of district court in this county opens at Thief River Falls next Wednesday morning Jan, 29th. There are quite a number of cases on the calendar for this term of court, but it is expected some will be settled out of court, so the session will not be very long.

Hay For Sale:-Have a quantity of hay for sale in stack at $4.00 a ton. Also have 3000 pounds of white, sweet clover seed, clean of foul seed, for sale at 5 cents a pound. Call on or address
Ed Moren,
J23tf Wylie, Minn.

Thousands of head of livestock succumbed last week during the snow storm and cold wave which swept down thru the cattle country in Montana and Wyoming. The lowest temperatures recorded in years, is reported from that section of the country where, ordinarily, mild weather prevails at this time of the year.

Ed Durhin shipped another carload of livestock last Saturday to market at St. Paul. If enough stock can be found, he plans to ship at least one carload weekly for the next month or two.

Mrs. Lars Rosette, accompanied by her son, Edwin, and Dr. O. F. Melby of Thief River, left Tuesday evening for Minneapolis where Mrs. Rosette will seek medical aid for an ailment of long standing.

Five years of light and power--That's our guarantee on Tiger Farm Light Batteries. 16 cell 7 plate 120 ampere hour $99.75. $10.00 allo wance for your old battery. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Due to breakdown of the passenger train engine while up the line, the train did not come down Friday night until after midnight. An extra engine was called out from Crookston to bring the train down.

Six young men at Crookston were arrested recently for alleged complicity in robbery of the Helstab Fuel Company office in that city. Failing to furnish bond, they were remanded to jail to await opening of district court.

Continued cold seems to be the weather forcast for most of the country this week. There is some consolation in the knowledge that fair weather generally follows a prolonged cold spell such has been experienced the past weeks.

Alex Erickson, of Crookston, was here last week for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Aug. Erickson, southeast of town. Alex, who has operated a bulk oil station at Gully for several years, has lately been appointed district representative for the Standard Oil Company. His territory comprises most of the north half of the state.

The local high school basketeers took the short end of a 12 to 8 score when they met the Middle River aggregation in that village Friday evening. After gaining a safe lead during fore part of the game, the local lineup was weakened when Clarence Person was put out of the game because of personal fouls. After playing three seasons, this is the first instance where Person has been counted out. Coach of the Middle River team refereed the game because Supt. Reiersgord officiated in a like capacity in the game at Plummer that evening.

Butter Price Advances

A sharp advance in price of butter on New York market was announced Monday. Butter scoring 93 is now quoted at 39 1-2 cents with the market steady. This is several cents above prices which prevailed the past two weeks. As there has been some improvement in industrial conditions in the East, and the busy season for that section is rapidly approaching, it is expected that there will be a much brisker demand for butter, and consequently better prices. The slump in the butter market which occured lately, is not an indication that prices will remain on that level. As soon as industry regains its usual stride, there will be no butter surplus.

Livestock Sales To Be Held In Connection With Winter Shows At Crookston

A number of important purebred auction sales will be held in the Livestock Pavilion during Winter Shows Week, February 10-14. J. H. Breckenridge, President of the Red River Valley Holstein Breeders, has announced a sale of breeding cattle for Thursday afternoon, February 13. The Red River Valley Guernsey Breeders have scheduled a sale for Friday afternoon, February 14, with L. Jensen, Clearbrook, President of the association, and Paul Engelstad, Secretary in charge. According to John Saugstad, Supervisor of the Poultry Department, a poultry sale will also be held on Friday.

O. M. Kiser, Secretary of the Red River Valley Livestock Association, states that the cream of the leading herds and flocks of the Northwest will be on display in the livestock department. Judging will commence Monday morning and continue through Tuesday, with the awarding of trophies by A. A. Dowell, Superintendent of the Northwest School on Wednesday morning.

Entries in the farm crops department are expected to pass all previous records, according to R. S. Dunham and Ole Flaat, Fisher, who will supervise the agricultural exhibits.

In addition to the separate day meetings for the men and women, H. A. Pflughoeft, District Boys and Girls Club Leader, is arranging series of special lectures, demonstrations and judging contests for 4-H Club members.

Wahlbeck--Walseth

Miss Sylvia Wahlbeck and Thorsten Walseth, well known and popular young local couple, were married at Thief River Falls last Saturday, Jan. 18th. The bride was a member of the graduating class of the local high school last year. The groom has assisted his father with operation of his farm the past few years. They expect to make their home on a farm southeast of here. A host of friends in the community join in extending congratulations and best wishes to Mr, and Mrs. Walseth.

Makes Turkeys Pay

Mrs. Otto Johnson marketed the last of her 1929 turkey crop a few days ago receiving approximately the same price per pound as in the Thanksgiving and Christmas sales. Mrs. Johnson realized better than $1,000.00 for turkevs raised in 1929, and plans to engage in the business on an even larger scale the coming season. She believes there is good money in raising turkeys even if they do not bring 40 cents a pound.

Honor A. A. Stomberg

Professor A. A. Stomberg, head of the Scandinavian department at the University, was elected president of the northwestern division of the Swedish Kultur society at its annual meeting last week. About 25 representatives from all parts of the state were also elected at the meeting which was held at the St. Anthony Commercial club in southeast Minneapolis.-Minnesota Chats.

Thank You All

The following listed subscribers have all renewed their subscriptions the past week. All have our thanks for their thoughtfulness which is greatly appreciated - - Axel Erickson, Geo. Biskey, Henry Melin, Aug. Scholin, Sig. Engh, J. J. Johnson, A. Anderson, K. Dalager, Harry Jackson, Mrs. Aug. Swenson, Mrs. A. Sand, Anton E. Anderson, J. R. Larsen, Paul Roy, H. Tyssling, Eric Anderson and Emil Person.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 84, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Try a want adv.

A Resolution

At outset of 1930, resolve to save a part of your earnings. No matter how large the sum may be--or how small--cultivating the habit of saving will mean much to your future.

Open a savings account with the Old Reliable now. By systematic saving, you will insure your financial independence in the future.

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LIVE STOCK NEWS

LIBERAL FEEDING OF BROOD SOWS

Generous Rations While Nursing Pigs Profitable.

"Liberal feeding of brood sows while they are nursing their litters pays big dividends," declares B. W. Fairbanks, associate professor of animal husbandry at the Colorado Agricultural college.

"Excellent rations can be balanced with skim milk or buttermilk, bran, shorts, ground oats, wheat, barley, or corn," he adds. "A little leafy alfalfa hay builds up the quality of the proteins and supplies vitamine "A."

In discussing the weaning of pigs, Fairbanks says that "when the pigs are two to three weeks old they will drink from a trough in addition to their nursing. A shallow flat-bottomed trough placed in a pig creek is ideal for the feeding of additional milk.

"Fresh milk is generally fed the first day or two, and then skim milk is substituted. Middlings or shorts may be mixed with the skim milk and fed as a thin slop twice daily.

"When the pigs have learned to take freely of the shorts or middling slop, they are ready to wean, according to Fairbanks. This usually occurs when they are seven to ten weeks of age. If skim milk is not available it will be necessary to keep them on the sows longer.

"After weaning, a slop of shorts or middlings or corn meal is offered twice daily. At first the pigs should receive a ration with a liberal supply of protein, but this may be reduced slightly later."

Figuring Horse Feeds at Cost of Production

Many farmers by figuring their horse feeds at cost of production find that they can keep a horse per year in very satisfactory manner at a feed cost of $50 to $60. To cover all costs of keeping a horse for a year including care, shelter and veterinary service, you would be entirely fair to the tractor side of the argument and reasonably fair to the horse by allowing a set charge of $100 per year as the total cost under farm conditions of keeping a good work horse.

Live Stock Facts

It pays to summer fallow land before sowing it to alfalfa.

Sixty per cent of all pigs are born in March, April and May.

The use of self-feeders is the most satisfactory system of growing hogs.

A good pure-bred ram should never be considered an expense but as an excellent investment that will bring a high percentage of profit when properly handled.

An acre of good forage usually can be depended upon to carry from 1,000 to 2,000 pounds of hogs.

Hog cholera first appeared in the United States in Ohio in 1833. In a single year the losses of hogs by cholera have amounted to $65,000,000.

Pure-bred rams will pay, through increased profits on market lambs, their original purchase price in one year, provided there are as many as 30 or 40 ewes in the flock in which they are used.

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Forcing School Expense

In many quarters of the state alarm is being expressed over the mounting costs in school operation growing to no small degree out of the continual demands made upon school districts for improvements. In the program for educational advancement there must be a reasonable limit to requirements with respect to the small city, village and rural schools. Expenses created by so-called standardizations if carried beyond the districts physical ability to pay, certainly is not going to lead to a satisfactory result. The Argyle Banner states the case aptly in the following editorial:

"The large number of citizens who feel that school taxes are now as high as they should go are inclined to look with concern upon the present policies of the state public school administration. Protests have been registered in a number of communities against the practice of the authorities in ordering more or less elaborate improvements without regard to the financial condition of the disrricts affected. While the betterments ordered may be highly desirable, some consideration should be given to the ability of the districts to finance them. With the percentage of delinquent taxes well above the average, and with most districts having a considerable funded school debt, it is none to easy to finance the normal operating expenses of the public school system, to say nothing of providing for additional expensive improvements."—Gonvick Banner.

Feeding Breeding Pig for Efficient Growth

Pigs retained for breeding purposes should not be fed and handled in the same way as those to be sent to market. Young breeding stock should be grown rather than fattened. Strong feet and legs and strong backs are more essential than fat in the development of gilts for brood sows. They should be fed only enough corn to keep them in a good thrifty condition. The rest of their feed should consist of shorts or oats with sufficient tankage or skim milk to balance the ration.

MARY AND HER SIXTH SENSE

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

MARY BRENT stood at her kitchen table looking thoughtfully down at the slight array before her. It was baking morning. She lacked everything—eggs, raisins, fine sugar. Any other woman would have either wept or called up the grocer. Mary never wept. As for ordering the needed supplies, that was not to be considered. If one could not pay, one went without. Whistling a determined little tune, Mary tok up her mixing spoon.

Half an hour later when Mrs. Bixby ran in for a friendly chat she was greeted with the fragrance of cake, cookies and hot bread.

"How nice your baking looks!" the older woman exclaimed. She accepted a cooky. "Fine! How many eggs did you use, Mary?"

Mary laughed. "None. I made up a recipe."

"You are a wonder, Mary," Mrs. Bixby said. "I don't see how you manage on so little."

"It's all owing to my sixth sense." Mary stooped to look into the oven.

Will and Junior appreciated the fruits of her labor when they came home at noon, the one from work, the other from school. Will was downcast and Mary saw at once that something was troubling him. Not a word of it before Junior, however. Junior must never know how they had to plan and skimp to keep him in the ranks of other boys of his age. Will, therefore, waited until Junior had torn away to school.

"What is it, dear?" Mary put her arm about her tall husband and lifted her sweet, wholesome face to his clouded one.

"The mill closes next week for an indefinite period," Will answered.

Mary turned white. Her throat went dry.

"Of course, we've been afraid it was coming," he said. "Only it's a little sooner than we expected."

"Don't worry, dear. You'll find something. And in the meantime you'll draw another week's pay. Besides, there's what you always call our greatest asset—my sixth sense." She laughed softly.

Will Brent took her in his arms and kissed her.

"You hearten me—you hearten me," he said and went away with his head high.

After he had gone Mary sat down, covered her face with her hands and thought everything over. The mill was about to close and no more work in sight—winter, too, and a severe winter at that. House rent to be paid, new shoes for Junior, food and insurance, and only a small savings account. Will had never been a big earner.

"He will be desperate if he gets out of work. I must think of something," Mary decided.

What could Will do? Work in the mill at a stated task, that was what he had been doing for years. He was not particularly strong, a dreamy gentle type of man who loved to stay in his home when he was not at work. Upstairs he had a room with an old stove in it where he tinkered. Usually all he evolved was a lot of noise and a few shavings, but he persisted at some idea which clamored for expression.

She went upstairs to this room now and stood looking at its contents as she had that morning looked at the contents of her kitchen table. Nothing of promise—a shelf for her plants half planed, a chair in process of mending, a box Junior wanted and a half-finished toy. That was the trouble with Will's tinkering, he never finished anything. This toy, for instance; it was an odd little thing and with a bit more ingenuity might amount to something. She took it in her hand curiously, wondering what it lacked.

"I can't see," she said aloud, puzzled. "But I am going to find out."

She sat on Will's stool with the half-finished toy in her hand for two hours. Now she frowned, now she shook her head. But the idea she sought as unsuccessfully as had her husband did not come.

That night she had a fine, hot supper—scalloped potatoes, cake, hot biscuit. Junior ate with boyish appetite, but Will scarcely touched the food. Mary pretended not to notice.

Afterward when Junior settled down with a book Mary whispered to Will.

"Come on upstairs to your shop, dear. I found something up there today that I'm interested in—that little red box with the marble in it."

"That isn't any good," Will said, gloomily, yet he permitted her to lead him upstairs. Once he had taken up a tool Mary knew that he would happily forget all else.

She lit the lamp, put shavings and a stick in the little stove. The room grew bright and warm. With a sigh of relief she saw Will sink down upon the stool before his work bench. Taking up the little round box with the marble she examined it again.

"I never saw anything like this, dear. Did you?"

"No. The idea has been in my head a long time. I've got that far, but I can't get any farther."

"Let's see." She appeared to consider it seriously, for the first time. No need to tell Will about those two hours of silent contemplation. "Now if my sixth sense would only come to my aid I might find a way to finish this." She laughed. "There is something wrong in here—the marble ought to go into this slot—like this, see?"

There was a shout. Will was on his feet, snatching the thing from her hand. His face glowed.

"I've got it!" he shouted.

In a short time the toy was a complete thing, an amazing thing, a salable thing, maybe.

"Well, say! Mary!" Ah, it was good to see that boyish light in Will's dear eyes again!

They ran downstairs to show the toy to Junior. Junior caught the idea at once, was struck by it.

"This beats all the puzzles I ever saw," the boy cried. "What you going to do with it, dad?"

"I've been thinking about that." It was Mary who answered. "You had better have it patented, Will, first thing."

"Sure! Have it patented, dad!" said Junior.

It was the happiest evening of their lives.

The mill closed as was expected, but Will was too busy to be greatly troubled by it. He was in the little upper room making toys like the one he had perfected. Already he had sold two dozen and it looked as if he would have to have help in order to supply the demand. Mr. Finch, who had given up a store window to the toy, was urging him for more. Downstairs Mary sang at her kitchen table. She was making a celebration cake with eggs.

"You're as happy as a lark, I see," Mrs. Bixby said, coming in at the door. "I expected you'd be terribly blue, now that the mill has closed, and with this cold wave trying to freeze us all, too. By the way, what is there about this invention of Will's? Is it going to amount to anything?"

"Of course it is," replied Mary. "It is going to amount to a great deal. My husband," her voice thrilled, "has become a successful inventor. My sixth sense tells me so."

"I'd like to know what you call your sixth sense, Mary?" asked Mrs. Bixby.

Mary laughed merrily.

"Common sense," she answered with a twinkle in her eyes.

Forms of Literature of Ancient Peoples

Psychologists who hold that literature is an attempt to escape realities find it interesting to compare the forms taken by the earliest literary traditions of ancient peoples, a writer in the Kansas City Star remarks. The Greeks wrote epics. These productions, such as the Illiad and Odyssey, were poems of action and prowess commemorating great deeds of ancestors.

The writers liked to imagine their heroes—themselves—as fit companions and worthy antagonists for the gods. The East Indians began their literature at the opposite extreme. They evolved a series of gorgeous and grotesque dreams wherein time and space are obliterated and a man is a hero only as he ignores the present and tries to smother its history.

In Egypt, literary endeavor began in the temples. The priests endeavored to give the people an accurate account of the doings of the gods and it is interesting to note that these doings usually include a command for the continuation of the ruling dynasty. Early Assyrian scribes wrote under the supervision of the kings and for the kings' approval.

It seems rulers made themselves so unpopular that they hired literary gentlemen to express encomiums and approbation. These scribes received so much a year regardless of output. Only in China does the beginning of a literature appear to have concerned itself with the needs of the people. About 5,000 years ago writers in that country were evolving what was probably the first system of applied ethics. Count Keyserling says the Chinese had in this the first practical idea for the "escape" of man from himself—that is, through improvement.

Beauty in Everything

Greasy dish water does not give back images, but if you use plenty of hot water and the right kind of soap, dish water is not unlovely. You know what Emerson has said about heaven's being reflected in a puddle. One morning I had a pan of good, sudsy water and a little sunbeam stole into the kitchen and lo, little rainbows came and danced among the bubbles!

I wish the modern poets would cease striking such a hopeless note, anyhow. If life is chiefly mud and greasy dish water, as they seem to think, why put it into verse? Well, I know the right kind of dish water images the heavenly and so does every homely thing used to serve mankind.—Maud F. Jackson in the Forum.

"It's All Circus"

One of the memories of Edward J. Meagles, tombstone engraver for 40 years at Colma, Calif., is of that day when a group of performers from a straggling little circus came to him with money they had collected among themselves for the burial of an old clown. "Six and four are eight. It's all circus," was the inscription they wanted. Meagles protested that ten was the right answer, but was met with the rejoinder that if he inscribed it that way he would receive no pay. "It's all circus" was the only reply he could get to the enigma and he plied his chisel as directed.

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NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated February 23rd, 1924, executed by Martin Helgeson and Gunild Helgeson, also known as Gunild Helgesen, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on February 26th, 1924, at eight o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 156 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $119.83, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $140.63, due on February 23rd, 1929, and the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest for $140.63, due on August 23rd, 1929; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premiums on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $4,217.26, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from August 23rd, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $260.16, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $119.83 thereof since July 27th, 1929, and on $140.63 thereof since August 23rd, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $134.76 for taxes, including interest, penalties and costs and interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, and the sum of $51.32, premiums on insurance effected, including interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $4,740.96, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Thirty-four (34), in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 31st day of January, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premiums paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 18th, 1929.
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H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General,
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Proper Humidity

Considerable work has been done toward the establishment of the correct degree of humidity for dwellings. There is a so-called comfort zone, which has a maximum temperature of 70 degrees Fahrenheit and a minimum humidity of 30 per cent; a minimum temperature of 55 to 60 degrees Fahrenheit and a maximum humidity of 55 per cent. This is the range which has been established as being most agreeable to people living in temperate climates.

Happiness in Work

Who really knows what is work and what is not? Is it work if it is disagreeable, a burden, a hampering, a restriction, a necessity, a thing unliked, dreaded? Is it play if with it goes joy and happiness? Dr. William Eliot once counseled that we should love our work. Easy counsel to give. Sometimes how hard to take! —Boston Herald.

Contour of Lune

A lune is a crescent-shaped figure, bounded by two intersecting arcs of circles, on a plane or a sphere, famous as the first curvilinear figure, whose area was accurately determined by Hippocrates about 440 B. C., when the central angles of the arcs are as 1:2, or 1:3, or 2:3. A section of orange is an example of a lune.

Hazel News

The N. Nelson children are still absent from school, being confined to home because of chickenpox and mumps.

Mrs. John Asp visited at the Ed Holton and O. Odegaard homes Thursday.

Mrs. Ed Holton has been seriously ill the past week.

Anna Alberg visited Tuesday and Wednesday at the Ole Odegaard home.

Rudolf Sand, who has visited the past two months at home of his grandmother, Mrs. Aug. Swenson, left Monday over the Soo for his home in Annandale.

Ruth Torkelson left Sunday for Minneapolis after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Torkelson

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Peterson were callers at the Carl Alberg home Monday afternoon.

Johan Johnson of Thief River, visited at the Mrs. E. E. Anderson, Carl Alberg and Ole Odegaard homes before returning home Tuesday.

Beatrice Lokken returned Wednesday to school at St. Hilaire after being at home a few days because of a severe cold.

Little Helen Alberg has been visiting at the Lokken home the past two weeks in order to have a shorter walk to school during the cold weather.

Mrs. Erling Prestby and daughter, Donna Belle, Mrs. Adrian Anderson, Inez Holton and Mrs. O. Seeland were guests Monday at the Ole Odegard home.

Miss Edna Hovie, who teaches at St. Hilaire, was a caller in Hazel after school hours Wednesday.

Anna Peterson has been visiting with friends at Thief River the past week.

Royalty of Democracy

Our country is a democracy. We are proud of it. Yet we have shovel kings, soft drink kings, chewing gum kings, etc., not to mention flower queens, movie queens, campus queens, beauty queens and what have you? Gosh, how we ha[illegible] of royalty and titles!—Toledo Blade.

Halloween

In an Indiana rural school a teacher asked her pupils what discovery occurred in the month of October, 1492. A small lad who was quite eager to give the information was called on and said: "Halloween was discovered by a man with a false face like an Indian."

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Had Taken Precautions

"My dear, it's no use you looking at those hats. I haven't more than $2 in my pocket."

"You might have known when we came out that I'd want to buy a few things."

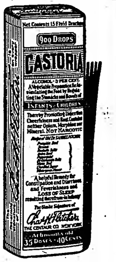
"I did!"—Stray Stories.

No, Regardless

Office Boy—Sorry, but the editor won't even read your article.

Embryo Writer—But did you tell him that if he read it he would surely accept it?

Office Boy—Yes; that's why he won't read it.—London Tit-Bits.



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When a woman recently applied to the authorities of Cardigan, Wales, for a new pair of shoes, she declared that the ones she was wearing had lasted 27 years.

Needn't Worry

"If Jock were to propose to me I wouldn't know whether to say 'yes' or 'no.'"

"Well, don't worry, dear, I accepted him last night."—Stray Stories.

Home Has More Danger Than Savages of Brazil

JOHN J. WHITEHEAD, explorer and lecturer, has just returned from eight months in the jungles of South America, where he was searching for traces of the lost Colonel Fawcett and his son.

Dangerous as he found the jungle, he encountered a worse danger at home. But let him tell it.

"One of the great problems of a trip of this kind is keeping in healthy condition. When we started, some of the members of the party had laxatives with them, but made wise by experience I carried Nujol. All too quickly my stock ran out. Soon I was in bad shape—what with a diet of rice and beans, lacking vitamins and green vegetables.

"When we finally got back to civilization, entertained first in Brazil and later in the United States, I became positively ill. Severe stomach pains and poor elimination made me realize that Nujol would again prove the reliable, trusty keeper of health. Sure enough, with the first bottle the trouble disappeared.

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John J. Whitehead, explorer and lecturer, with a Jungle Warrior

HE WAS A SOFT-HEARTED REPORTER

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IT WAS said in the Comet news room that Standish would sacrifice his own grandmother and make a story of her for any crime from profanity to homicide. Standish, as a newspaper man, was as impersonal as a printing press. He respected no one, and his boast was that he had never for any reason held back a piece of news.

When his wife, a deranged actress, ran off with an insane poet, Standish, though he had loved his wife, wrote the most entertaining of stories of the colorful escapade. When his brother, Jerry, an honest broker, shot a friend whose friendship had not kept him from casting covetous eyes on the broker's wife, Standish turned out some of the best copy in three moons and remarked that it was lucky for the Comet to have one of the family in such cases to give the proper personal touch to things.

Boyle Standish was merciless to his friends; to his enemies—well, there was Deveny.

Standish and Deveny hated each other with admiring yet sincere hatred, for each knew that the other was the king-pin on his own alley. Deveny was a criminologist who had made the police feel bad times out of number; Standish was a versatile genius, covering everything from grand dukes to massacres. Of course they sneered at each other.

Theirs was no friendly enmity. It was war to the pen-point. Several times they had almost come to a fist fight and once Brickley, the city editor, had threatened to fire both of them for swearing worse than he did.

They were having another squabble the night Sam Palmer was murdered. They were making nuisances of themselves in the news room.

"You're so mean, Standish, that you would tell the world on your own father if you caught him stealing crackers. You're inhuman. I should hate to have any of my relatives come near a bloodsucker like you. You're soulless."

"That so?" returned Standish. "That's why I am in this business. As a reporter it is my duty to tell things as I know them best. If my own relatives help to make news that does not alter my responsibility to report them. I don't make excuses like you. I don't whitewash any man's misdemeanors. . . ."

"Or any woman's. You have no sense of chivalry. I might say no sense of decency."

"You're a—"

Brickley cut in then. And Brickley sounded like a cut-out.

"Say, you ugly pair of gasbags, what do you take this place for—a debating ball? We don't pay you good money to make orators of yourselves. Get busy. Sam Palmer's been shot at last. But the whole city might be wiped out and you two fools would still be arguing in the ruins. Here is a chance for you to light into some one, Standish. And we want to get the right person. Sam Palmer was a big man. I can't spare you, Deveny."

Standish went, with a malevolent glare at Deveny.

"Just as well you are not going, Deveny," he growled. "You're so soft-hearted you should be reporting the activities of the Prevention of Cruelty league. I will bring in a story of this killing; you would drag in a plea for mercy to the unknown slayer."

Standish was on the spot almost as soon as the detectives. And Standish went at the formidable task of solving the crime with all the zest of a hungry boll weevil in a cotton field. Standish interviewed women from society leaders to scrub women. Standish was out to get some one.

Brickley let him run for a few days without calling him a failure; Deveny, busy with a poison candy crime, found leisure to poke some mean gibes and insults at his enemy.

"Why don't they turn out one of the cubs on this little job?" demanded Deveny. "It requires, I imagine, a small amount of brains. That's why I am puzzled to know why Brick sent you, Standish. You're a fine man for writing dirt about your own people, but you have not the acumen to find out anything about those you have not eaten salt with."

It was bitterly unkind, even to a hard man like Boyle Standish. He writhed under it, but to the astonishment of every one he held his peace.

"Given it up, Standish?" asked Brickley the third night after the crime. "Well, the police have, too. Doyle told me they were up against it. It's one of those crimes so barefaced and unstudied that there is nothing to go on. Some jealous woman walked in and shot him and left nothing to trace her."

"That's what I make it," agreed Standish. "But I give up. They will never find the particular one of Palmer's sweeties who did it. Perhaps a good criminologist like Deveny—" He looked queerly at his enemy.

"How about it, Deveny?" grinned Brick. "Think you could succeed where Standish fell down?"

"Having the advantage of intelligence over Mr. Standish, I rather think I could," said Deveny coolly. "If you will turn me loose on it I'll find something."

Brick nodded. Standish laughed raucously.

"Yes. You may find a lot more than you expect. If you get your paws on the homicidal Jane you would shed tears over her."

Two days later Deveny came into the reporters' room. He was white and his hand when he went to light a cigarette shook terribly. The only man there was Standish. He was sitting on the window sill looking down on the swarming canyon through the city below. Suddenly he turned to the newcomer.

"Well?"

Deveny said nothing. His mouth worked with distressing nervousness. The cigarette burned viciously.

"Oh!" said Standish. "So you have found the lady killer, have you? You look like a man who had a terrible secret on his conscience. Are we going to have a big story on the Palmer murder tomorrow morning? They'll give you the paper if you name the murderess. Brick offered to make me dramatic critic if I succeeded."

"They would take my own daughter," cried Deveny. His voice broke in a sob. "I'm not like you, Standish. God help me! How can I tell them that Nora did it? Nora—my little girl. They could not blame her. He was a friend. But I—I can't tell the world that my daughter is a murderess. I'm not like you."

"No?" asked Standish. "Look here. It's just a little compact I found in the cushions of the davenport where Palmer was lost. It was well hidden. And these blind detectives aren't so keen. The initials are your daughter's and I traced it to her the day after she shot Palmer. She met him at the hospital where she is nursing. It is the first time I held back a story, Deveny, but—well, I knew how you would take it. I guess I'm as soft-hearted as yourself."

Silently the two gripped hands.

Fondness for Perfumes Among Ancient Peoples

"Chemists are undertaking a new task, it is reported, in seeking to classify perfume odors, but the use of perfumes is exceedingly ancient," says a bulletin from the headquarters of the National Geographic society in Washington.

"The Bible indicates that perfumes were in vogue among the Hebrews and in the reign of Hammurabi, the George Washington of Babylon—for Hammurabi also was a general, an engineer and an administrator—the use of perfume was enforced by law. In ancient Babylon and Assyria mighty warriors bathed themselves in perfumes and wore their hair in curled highly scented locks. Moreover, the perfumes were distributed in tiny glass vials and bottles, progenitors of the fancifully shaped bottles of today.

"Ancient manuscripts and hieroglyphics on tombs tell of the delight the people of early Egypt found in perfumes. During one era a day a week was set aside when the people were asked to perfume themselves entirely. The scents which they procured from trees and shrubs and aromatic plants would be too strong for modern taste.

"The most ardent present-day advocate of perfume would be overpowered by sweet smells if he could visit an ancient Egyptian household in the heyday of the 'perfume era.' He would find his food perfumed and his wine perfumed. He would be surrounded by women bathed in perfume and by men whose bodies were covered with highly aromatic unguents. Were he to visit a home of ancient Babylons, he would breathe perfumed air from the aromatic wood burned in the fireplaces in the houses.

"Artistic vases of alabaster found in ruins of Greek and Roman settlements were the perfume bottles of these people. Roses were the favorite flower of the Romans and likewise their favorite scent. Thrice daily the Roman noble 'wallowed' in liquid perfume, after which his body was rubbed with sweet ointments. Rose leaves were placed in the vats where his wine was fermented and the scent of roses greeted him when he arose in the morning.

"The Greeks had a special passion for perfume. Their poets wrote poems to it and about it. Only the most careless of the Grecian dandies was so thoughtless as to bathe himself in but one kind of perfume. 'A different scent for each part of the body' may have been the slogan of their perfumer. It was fashionable to rub mint on the arms and many of the other scents recommended were just as 'highly spiced.' Into the wines which graced their banquet tables they infused roses, violets and hyacinths.

"When a Greek found himself worrying too much over his troubles, he used a recommended perfume to clear his mind. Stomachache, headache and various other aches were said to be relieved by the application of different flowers and plant scents."

Unusual Fish

A tiny fish has been found by deep water investigators, which has "a rod, line, bait and three hooks." The hooks dangle from a tentacle about as long as the body of the fish. Examination indicates that the fish possesses muscles capable of casting these hooks for some distance in front of itself as it swims. "We were amazed," said the narrator, "at another fish we saw through a microscope. It had a stomach so elastic that it swallowed a fish three times its own size."

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Lower Forms of Life Sacred to Egyptians

Nearly 100 different mammals, birds, reptiles and fish were regarded as sacred to various gods in ancient Egypt, and their bodies were mummified by thousands, Prof. Ray L. Moodie has found while investigating this subject for the Field museum of Chicago. The cost of this religious procedure was enormous. More than 200 yards of fine linen cloth, a half yard wide, was needed for the wrapping of a single bull. As bulls were held in extreme veneration by the ancient Egyptians, great numbers of them were preserved. Expensive sarcophagi, carvings and statuary show the further care of the African bull. Birds of the hawk and falcon type were also abundantly preserved, as was the Egyptian kite, a small scavenger seen today perched on housetops and in trees near villages. Packages contain as many as forty birds, each mummified and dipped in pitch before wrapping.

The Pastor Says:

The ant-hill cannot see that the mountain is much higher than itself. . . . The hearts of foreign peoples may be reached by bayonets, but they may also be reached by love.—John Andrew Holmes.

Giving advice is about as risky as having a secret confided to you.

Highways and Horse Sense

An economist makes an impassioned plea for common sense in road building. It would be fine to have common sense all along the line—even to those who drive on the roads that common sense has built.—Los Angeles Times.

Long Descent

Laura—Was Harry much cast down after he spoke to your father?

Nora—Yes, three flights of stairs.

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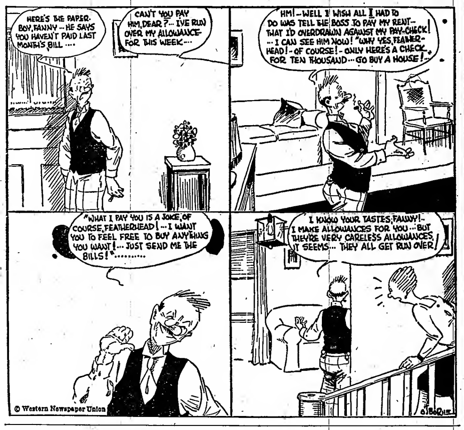

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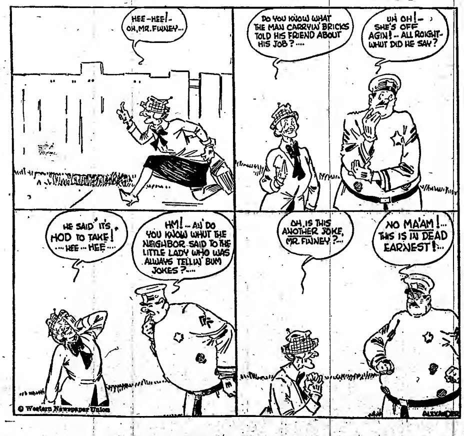


EDUCATIONAL HEAD IN CABINET

By REPRESENTATIVE DANIEL A. REED, New York.

SEVERAL bills have heen introduced in congress embracing establishment of a department of public education to serve as a clearing house for educational practices for the benefit of the states. The pnblic school is now recognized by the majority of the people as the chief agency for fostering and perpetuating democratic ideals and for laying a solid foundation for the economic development of our conntry.

Strange as it may seem to us it required a hitter fight extending over a period of more than half a century to establish a public school system in the United States freed from the pauper school taint, opsn to every boy and girl as an American birthright.

If congress had had the vision to establish a department of education when it was first snggested hy patriotic and far-seeing men and women, edncational opportunities would have been, ere this, more nearly equalized and mnch of the neglected and unutilized latent power would have been made available to the sevcral states and to the country at large.

Tragic and suicidal as our policy may bave been in tbe past in this respect, to neglect now to establish a clearing house of educational data, as we enter upon the greatest period of worldwide competition in trade and commerce in history, would be even more shortsigbted and deplorable.

Onr Presidents in their messsges to congress have stressed the necessity for a federal department of educntion, patriotic organizations having an aggregate membersbip of almost a quarter of the population of the United States have petitioned for it, yet in spite of this urgent, insistent country-wide demand for such a department, the representatives in congress, a majority of whom have expressed themselves in favor of legislation to create it, have never had an opportunity to vote for the bill.

UPHOLD RESPECT FOR LAW

By CHARLES H. TUTTLE, United States Attorney, New York.

Today the danger wbich confronts our flag and country is not from without bnt from within. The time, therefore, has come for a thoughtful consideration of the strength and durability of the foundation beneath this vast superstrncture and for the American people, hy a qualitative analysis of their own democracy, to heed the recent warning of our President that there is occurring a snbsidence of our foundations. Stated in another way this means that the foremost problem before the American people today is the problem of their relation to the law and of the lnw's relation to them and that their foremost task is to preserve the dignity of the law.

One is appalled by the consequence to the vast and delicate structure of the American state if this keystone of reverence and respect for law ehould ever he shaken hy the ceaseless attacks upon it.

LET STATESMEN RUN NATION

By DAVID KINLEY, President University of Illinois.

Statesmansbip is an art, not a science, and therefore I do not believe that university departments and political and social ecience conferences can tell the people how to run the government.

Statesmanship is the application of sound judgment to a variety of facts of very different character—economic, political, social and wbat not, beyond the pnrview of a professor in any department of political science, economics, or sociology, or history.

I am a believer in conferences for the discnssion by these experts in political sciences, in economics, in sociology, and what not, of important topics of pnhlic action from the point of view of such specialists. But it is the statesman's duty to assemble the results of discussion in all these fields and no specialist in any of these departments can do this as sucb specialists.

Conferences on political, social and philosophical topics are, after all, merely discussions of individnal opinions. They are valuahle for enlightenment, hut only sometimes for practical pnrposes.

PEACE THROUGH EDUCATION

By HARRY L. SMITH, Indiana University.

The only way to world peace is through education. If we teach concrete facts about other peoples of tbe world and tbeir contributions to civilization, our own children will he more completcly educated to realize the value of international understanding.

There is no reason why the nations cannot find a way to overcome conflicts of opinion without bloodshed and murder. The underlying idea hehind all the efforts we are making is to find out what principles the different peoples of the world will support. It is not a propaganda for peace; it is merely a continuation of what has always been talked about in the family, the schools and the chnrches, only we are endeavoring to implant a deeper meaning into the principles of international understanding.

WOMAN'S PART IN PUBLIC LIFE

By C. BASCOM SLEMP, Republican National Committeeman.

The sex idea in pnblic life is rapidly being eliminated. The old-time prejudice against women in public office has largely broken down. Hundreds of women occupy elective offices and thousands fill every kind of appointive office. Nowadays the same test is applied to women candidates as is applied to men. The main question in both cases is ability to demonstrate service to the public.

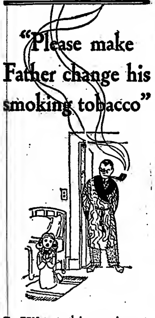
Both political parties and every section of tbe country bave reacted to the growing sentiment for women's participation in government.

LOSING "ART OF THINKING"

By DR. WILLIAM MATHER, President Lafayette College.

The fine art of thinking has been lost in the modern age of machines. Tbe mechanical age has made it not only unnecessary, but almost impossible for us to think constructively, even in our leisure.

I would give as an illustration a New York firm, which war saved from bankruptcy by a vacation of one of the partners who, after resting and thinking out his problem, returned to reconstruct the business.



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THE DESERT MOON MYSTERY

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CHAPTER XIII

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New Clews.

When it came to helping in the kitchen, that girl was more help in five minutes than Belle, Sadie and Goldie, all three of them together, had been in half a day. She didn't ask questions. She didn't say where is this, and how do you do that? She pitched in as if she had been working in that kitchen with me for the past twenty years. How she knew where I kept the potatoes, where the best paring knife lived, and the particular kettle that was best for cooking the potatoes in, I don't know, and I never shall know. Most mystery stories, especially of late, have an element of the supernatural in them. I tell you, that girl's knowledge of my ways, and the manner in which she took hold in the kitchen, are as supernatural as anything ever brought to my notice. The first thing I knew, she was peeling the potatoes, and peeling them thin and clean. She didn't ask how many would be enough. When she got them peeled and washed, she put them on, in boiling water, with no inquiry as to where I kept the salt. She did not talk as she worked. I was glad of that; for, after three solid hours of conversation, I needed, badly, a silent space. I wanted to think. Those last words of hers, "utter nonsense," in answer to Sam's statement, kept ringing in my ears.

I tried to think whether there was any way a person could get upstairs without coming through the house. We had no fire escapes. There were no trees close enough to the house that anyone could swing to an upstairs window from one of them. There were no vines growing on the house. Without about a twenty foot ladder, which we didn't have on the place, and which would be hard to go conveying about, to say nothing of disposing of it afterward, there was not any possible way for anyone to get to the second floor of our house, except by means of the back or the front stairway.

Since Gaby had been killed on the attic stairway, and since all who knew about that sort of thing agreed that she had been dead at least two hours when we found her, she must have returned to the house sometime between four and five o'clock, and have stolen upstairs with none of us seeing her. Since she could do that, there was no reason to suppose that someone else could not have done the same thing; either coming in with her at the time, or coming before or after she did. I had to conclude that another person certainly had done just that; had entered the house and had gone upstairs during that hour. Who? The person whom she had been fearing? Not one of us, that seemed a certainty. And yet, Miss MacDonald had said, "nonsense."

I remembered, again, her strange, mad actions immediately after she had received the code letter. I remembered how she had looked in the hall that day, when I had told John that I thought I had seen the ghost of Sin. In Gaby's note to Danny she had written that she had purposely kept her fears and her danger a secret from Danny. Undoubtedly, the secret was written in the code letter. Had she told Danny partly the truth about the contents of that letter, or had she told her falsehoods from beginning to end? Or had Danny told us only a part of the truth? Why did we all keep forgetting how Danny had tried to call Gaby back, when Gaby had started on that fatal walk?

I have said before, and I say again, I knew that Danielle Cannezlano had not murdered her sister. But I knew, too, that if she had some reason, some better reason than I could conceive, for keeping quiet, for not telling everything she knew, Danny was capable of so doing. I remembered our talk in her room on the morning of the fifth of July. I remembered how she had acted when her engagement ring had slipped from her finger—and I tried to turn my thoughts into different channels.

There was Chad's suicide and his confession. It could be possible that he had killed himself because he had loved Gaby. But that would not account for his confession to the crime. It could mean but one thing—a desire to shield some one. Would he have cared about shielding some unknown scoundrel who had crept into the house and killed the girl whom Chad loved? Had Chad, then, mistakenly suspected Martha, or Sam, or John, and killed himself and left the note to aid one of them? Not likely. Men do not kill themselves, leaving a written confession to a crime of which they are innocent, because of some mere suspicion.

I remembered my conversation with Hubert Hand in the hall that morning. What was it that he had thought I had overheard in the cabin and had bribed me not to tell? It was reasonable enough to suppose that, at that time, he had hoped to keep his entire story, his prison records, his reason for coming to the Desert Moon, his relations with Mrs. Ricker and Martha, a secret; just as I had hoped to keep the fact of finding Sam's pipe ashes a secret.

Sam's pipe ashes, again. If someone had put them there, in an effort to implicate Sam, it would have had to be someone who knew Sam's ways. My thoughts were off again. You can't, I told myself, get shed of a following shadow by running away from it. You have to turn and face it, before you can go the other way. I faced it.

John. He had left the ranch at two o'clock. He could easily have gotten back by four, or shortly after. Suppose that he had left the machine down the road, quite far down the road in the spot where the tire tracks showed that the machine had been stopped and started again, the spot where we thought he had changed a tire? He could have climbed the fence, taken a short cut to the house, and gotten here in half or three quarters of an hour. He could have met Gaby; could have stolen into the house with her. He could have killed her, and stolen out of the house again. A short cut across the fields, and a drive to the house would get him here by six o'clock— the time he did get here. If he could be wicked enough to murder, he could be wicked enough to arrange clews to throw suspicions on his father and his sister. If he were low enough to do that, he would be low enough to rob her of a little money. In other words, grant that John is a blonde, and you can go along and grant that he has blue eyes and tow hair. It was all of it false, I told myself, from its wicked beginning to its wicked end; false and unfair. But I had faced it. Now I could turn and go in another direction.

I had not realized how deeply I had been thinking, dawdling over my work in consequence, until I saw that Miss MacDonald had taken up the pork chops, and had them in the warming-oven, and was making gravy, as smooth and tasty looking pan-gravy as I ever saw.

"Good lands!" I said. "I've certainly come to one conclusion."

"It is a little early for conclusions, isn't it?" she asked.

"It is a lot too late for this one."

"Please—" she began; but, for once, I got the best of her.

"My conclusion is," I said, "that, by hook or crook, Sam Stanley has got to get me some efficient help in this house. When I think of what I've put up with, all these years in the way of help, and then see the way you pitch in, it makes me mad all over."

"I wish," she said, "that I might drop this case, right now, and stay here for all time, and be your assistant and a thoroughly domestic person, and forget that there were crimes and criminals in the world."

"Maybe," I said, eagerly, but knowing of course that it was too good to come true, "when you've finished with this case, you could do that. You'd be one of our family, and Sam would pay—well, I guess anything you'd care to ask."

"No," she smiled, "it is tempting—now. But that desire of mine to give up my profession is a phase that I always pass through at the beginning of each difficult case. In a few days, when I begin to get hold of something, and when things begin to take shape, all my love of the work will return. It is only at first, when I seem to be in a maze of mystery, like this, that I get so discouraged. I always do it, right at first; and I always think that here is the case of which I am going to make an absolute failure."

"Have you ever failed on a case?" I asked.

"Indeed I have, on several. It is queer, though; in each case that has been a failure, it has seemed that the solution was written plainly from the start. It was—written all wrong. Judging from that, I should be unusually successful in this case."

Poor girl, no wonder that she was discouraged. She has given me leave, now that it is all over, to use any of her notes that I care to use in the writing of this story.

"Far be it from Lynn MacDonald," she said, when I asked her about using the notes, "to refuse advertisement of one of her banner cases. My rivals will say that I succeeded in this because, as often happens, my luck stood by me. But you and I, we understand about luck, don't we, Mary?"

"If you aren't afraid," I said, "that your notes may give away some of the secrets of that luck of yours, so that your rivals will be able to lay their hands on some of the same brand?"

She laughed. "I never write down a secret. That is a safe enough rule for an honest person, who plans to remain honest. For a dishonest person, or for one who contemplates any sort of evil, or admits the possibility of such a course, the safe rule would be: 'Never, under any circumstances, put pen or pencil to paper.'"

As Sam would say, "It is a poor rule that won't work both ways."

The notes that Miss MacDonald had made, before this conversation of ours, that day in the kitchen, and on the evening of that same day, July eleventh, are as follows:

July 7. Saw body in crematory late tonight. Cause of death, strangulation. Probably work of an expert. Look for Japanese on ranch. Broken fingers on right hand. Beautiful, costly gown, lingerie, etc., indicating wealth and good taste.

July 8. Rose, my assistant, who has shadowed twin sister, reports nothing verging on suspicion. She attended services at crematory. Evidence of genuine grief. Returned to hotel. One telegram sent to Desert Moon ranch. Received no company. Mailed no letters. Did no shopping.

I received telegram from Desert Moon ranch engaging me on case. Explicit directions concerning train probably due to inconvenience of meeting trains in rural community, and not due to a desire to have me on the same train with Miss C. However, note.

Telephoned to coroner and undertaker, requesting them to give me conference in Telko. Also, had coroner verify list of names, as published

"Good Lands!" I Said, "I've Certainly Come to One Conclusion."

in "Examiner" of all persons present on ranch at time of murder. Note—absence of all ranch employees at the time. Note—extreme reluctance of both coroner and undertaker to give information, or to meet me in Telko.

July 9. Spent day in shadowing Miss C. myself. R's observations, as usual, excellent.

Rose's research through back files of Nevada papers provided following information:

Samuel Stanley, ranch owner. Very wealthy. Exemplary character. High standing throughout state of Nevada. Philanthropic.

John Stanley, adopted son of S. Stanley. Distinguished himself on University of Nevada football team, 1916, 1917. Enlisted in air service for war, 1917. Mather's Field when armistice was declared.

Hubert Hand. Winner of chess tournament held in Reno, 1914, 1915.

Mrs. Ollie Ricker. No report.

Chadwick Caufield. No report, except mention as guest at Desert Moon ranch.

Mary Magin. No report.

Danielle Cannezlano. No report, except mention of her arrival with sister, Gabrielle, at ranch last May.

Inspection of Miss C.'s room in hotel after she had turned in her key revealed no clew. Unusually neat and orderly person. Wastebaskets empty. Newspapers folded on table. Magazine, "Ladies Home Journal" on table. No heavy perfume. Hotel soap unwrapped. Fastidious. Silver dollar left on table for chambermaid.

Rose reports: Miss C. went from hotel to Ferry building in taxicab. Crossed alone on ferry. Spoke to no one. Boarded train at eight thirty o'clock and went at once to her berth.

July 10. Afternoon. Breakfasted with Miss C. this morning. No conversation. All the evidences of good breeding.

Had conference with coroner and undertaker. Think that they strongly suspect John Stanley because of their repeated efforts to keep me from sharing the suspicion.

Information gained from them: Girl murdered on attic stairway. Position of body and marks on throat prove an attack from the rear. Members of household declare that rigor was complete when body was discovered at eight o'clock the night of the fourth of July. Amateur testimony, however. If fact, death must have occurred at least three hours before discovery of body.

July 10. Night.

Allowed sudden "hunch" to betray reason and common sense. Usual silly mistake at beginning of case. Set a trap to catch hawk. Got caught myself. Luckily, no harm done.

Met members of household. First impressions, before hearing history of case other than gained from newspapers, coroner and undertaker;

Danielle Cannezlano. Impressions previously noted sustained. Charming, lovable character. Innocent.

Samuel Stanley. Honest. Likable. Kindly. There is a slight chance that he might be involved, unwittingly. He is not stupid; but, decidedly, he is not clever.

Mary Magin. Intelligent. Imaginative. Honest. Innocent.

John Stanley. Too handsome, but unconceited. Bashful. Likable. Judgment suspended.

Hubert Hand. Egotistic. Clever. Judgment suspended.

Ollie Ricker. Life has treated her badly. She has put on armor against it. Stupid. Perhaps sly. Judgment suspended.

Daniel Cannezlano. Criminal type. Alibi proves him not guilty of the murder, but he is probably involved. Why did he come here?

July 11. Evening.

Heard case history today from Mr. S. and Mrs. M.

Tempted to destroy all first impressions as recorded. Remember, however, the value of mistaken impressions is usually important.

Multiplicity of clews most amazing in my entire experience. Would seem to indicate that many of them are false clews.

Most important clews:

1. John's unnecessary errand. Length of time gone.
2. Victim's evident fear as she walked through room. Unusual costume for short walk on the place.
3. Miss C.'s calling after her sister.
4. Caufield's suicide and confessional note. (Probably most important of all clews.)
5. Victim's note to Danielle Cannezlano. Proof of her fear.
6. Death of Martha Stanley. Missing box containing sleeping powders.
7. Cannezlano's presence on the ranch.

Clews of less importance:

1. Contents of beaded bag: Empty purse, missing bill-fold, crumpled handkerchief, broken cigarette holder, note from Hubert Hand, cigarette case with two cigarettes missing, empty matchbox.
2. Code letter.
3. Pipe ashes on bag and carpet. Not necessarily Mr. Stanley's. Probably fixed false clew.
4. Tatting shuttle. (Doubtful.)

Clews of most importance:

1. Entire story concerning the money from robbery being hidden on Desert Moon ranch.
2. Victim's peculiar actions after receiving code letter. Quarrel with Mr. Stanley.
3. Mrs. Ricker's story. Her reason for telling it. Did she believe it?
4. Mrs. Magin's desire to remove pipe ashes.
5. Miss C.'s reluctance to tell of them. Her final complete confession of her suspicions concerning Mr. Stanley.
6. Hubert Hand's unnecessary confession concerning his past life.

Clews of least importance:

1. C. Caufield's powers of ventriloquism. Probably greatly overrated by members of household.
2. Playing of radio between two and four o'clock that afternoon.
3. Martha's reference to a surprise in which she and Chadwick Caufield were involved. Possibly untrue.
4. Mrs. Magin's evident antagonism toward the victim.
5. Mr. Stanley's prompt action in locking the attic door and his refusal to have the body touched until the arrival of coroner.
6. Reason for victim's having given bracelet to Martha Stanley at that time?

Negatives:

1. No clews of any sort discoverable in victim's room.
2. No clews of any sort discoverable in attic.
3. Lack of motives for crime by persons at present instinctively auspicioned.
4. No dogs on a ranch of this size.

Now, as I read over these notes, my good opinion of myself rises until it runs over the pan. I declare to goodness, the list of clews made out by Lynn MacDonald, crime analyst, is not much better than the list made out by Mary Magin, cook and housekeeper. She has done hers in better form, and she has included a few things that I left out. But, most of the included things were unknown to me at the time I made my list. Many of the other included things did not amount to shucks. For instance, we have no dogs on the ranch because the dogs in northeastern Nevada have a habit of running out and associating with rabid coyotes, contracting rabies, coming home and biting whoever is conveniently to hand. For instance—but never mind. As I said before, poor girl, no wonder she was discouraged.

As indicated by her notes for July eleventh, on that afternoon Miss MacDonald had cleaned the attic, thoroughly, and had found nothing to pay her for her trouble. Keeping me in the dark, as she had, I supposed, when she said early next morning that she wanted to clean the living room, that she had got at least a hat full of clews from the attic.

Land knows, the way I had been neglecting things, the living room was badly in need of a good cleaning. I wanted her to allow me to help her, but she would not. It was luck that I happened to come in with the floor wax just as she was looking at something that she had dug out of the ashes in the fireplace.

"What's that?" I questioned.

"I believe," she answered, "that it is the missing key to the attic door."

She got up, shook out her skirts, and went straight upstairs. I trailed along. I stood by and watched her while she fitted the blackened key into the lock. It turned both ways, as smoothly as you please.

Without bothering to say anything to me, she went up and down the hall, trying the key in the locks of the other doors. It fitted none of them. She went downstairs again, with me trailing after her, and tried the key in all the locks downstairs. It fitted none of them, either.

"Do you know," she asked, showing at last that she was conscious of my presence, which I was beginning to doubt, "when you last had a fire in that fireplace?"

I thought a minute, and then told her on the night of the fourth of July, during the storm.

"Do you remember who kindled the fire?"

"It had been fixed there, ready for the match, for weeks. Things have gone to rack and ruin here lately; but I always used to see to it that the fire was set in the fireplace, ready to light when needed."

"Do you happen to know who applied the match to the fire that night?"

"Sam did."

"But surely, even though the rain had come up, a fire on the fourth of July could not have been necessary?"

"We don't have fires here when they are necessary," I told her. "We have them when they are possible without absolute suffocation. Half a pint of rain is plenty of excuse for Sam to light a fire at any time, even if he has to open all the doors and windows to cool off."

What I was saying was the honest truth; but I had a mean feeling that she didn't believe me.

Right here, with apologies to Miss MacDonald and others of her profession, I want to say that if they would just remember that nine times out of ten a person who pretends to be telling the truth is telling it, it would save them a lot of mistakes, and a lot of worry. The man who spends his time biting his money to see whether or not it is genuine doesn't, usually, have much of it to bite; to say nothing of the wear and tear on his own teeth, which would be considerable.

I was standing by the living room windows, trying to keep my temper down, with some such consoling thoughts as these, when I saw a car drive up and the coroner and the undertaker getting out of it.

I told Miss MacDonald the news, and asked her what in the world she supposed they were coming here for, at this time in the morning.

"I needed to see them again," she answered. "Mr. Stanley telephoned to them last evening."

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Human Emotion Based on Electric Current?

Is love simply the result of electrical attraction? Is the human body an electric battery and our life, energy, and vitality dependent on how strong a current we create?

A doctor has stirred up tremendous discussion by declaring that chemical activity in the cells of the human body produces electricity, that this electricity maintains the life process, and that lack of it finally causes death.

He believes the human current has a great influence over all our emotions, including love, and thinks this may explain why certain people are attracted to one another, or vice versa.

A famous electrical expert says: "We have never isolated this current, and the laws of electrophysiology are not well known, but we have many proofs that this current exists. The body produces electricity in a score of different ways. At every muscular contraction or irritation of a nervous center there are vibrations that liberate this mysterious power.

"The least movement of a muscle produces electricity. For every heartbeat there is a corresponding oscillation of the galvanometer needle."

Condensed Milk

According to Hunziker's "Condensed Milk and Milk Powder," sweetened condensed milk was first made by Gail Borden at Walcottville, Conn., in 1856. This factory failed, but was later reestablished at Wassaic, N. Y., in 1860. Unsweetened evaporated milk was first made commercially in 1885 by the Helvetia Milk Condensing company at Highland, Ill.

Mysterious Crows

Crows which talk have been found near Weenen in Natal. Their remarks are libelous. They say to the natives of the district: "There will be no rain; you have killed your chief." They have started a first class scandal about the death of Mzuzucitaweyo, once chief of the Mennu, who died of dropsy. The natives are flocking from all the surrounding districts to hear them. The key to the mystery, suggests a Natal paper, is the fact that the crows only speak when a certain head boy is present. There is nothing to prove that they have been corrupted by a Maritzburg parrot.

If money makes some men genial and generous, don't belittle money.

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In the same time it takes a dose of soda to bring a little temporary relief of gas and sour stomach, Phillips Milk of Magnesia has acidity completely checked, and the digestive organs all tranquilized. Once you have tried this form of relief you will cease to worry about your diet and experience a new freedom in eating.

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PHILLIPS Milk of Magnesia

Kitten Made Trouble

A hungry kitten caused a turnout of a detail of Philadelphia police when Charles Rosenblum was alarmed by mysterious sounds in his butter and egg store after closing time. With drawn pistols the detachment of police searched the store and found the only intruder a strange cat out for a meal. The police withdrew while the store owner provided his uninvited guest with a saucer of cream.

Worth Remembering

Scratches can be removed from patent leather by applying a mixture of olive oil and jet black ink with a fine brush and repeating several times if necessary.

Miserable With Backache?

Too Often It Warns of Disordered Kidneys.

A CONSTANT backache, with kidney irregularities, and a stiff, achy, worn-out feeling all too often warn of disordered kidneys. Don't take chances! Help your kidneys with Doan's Pills. Recommended the world over. Sold by dealers everywhere.

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"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound puts new life into me and makes my work in the store and in the house easier. I took several bottles before my baby came and am always singing its praises to my friends. I recommend it for girls and women of all ages. It makes me feel like life is worth living, my nerves are better and I have gained pep and feel well and strong."—Mrs. A. R. Smith, 808 S. Lansing Street, St. Johns, Michigan.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co., Lynn, Mass.

This Week

by **Arthur Brisbane**

Violet Rays Fight Disease
Apples and Oranges
Little Men Do Learn
No Chemical Life

Doctor Lucas, one of the many able scientists employed by the telephone company, has perfected a "violet ray" microscope, expected to work wonders in the fight against disease, specifically in treatment of cancer and other malignant tumors.

A violet ray machine, using 10,000 volts, magnifies to an extent absolutely amazing, making the specimen examined "seem to jump through the lens."

Following a typhoid epidemic at Oviedo, in Spain, drinking fountains were closed and people ordered to drink only cider. In a week the epidemic vanished. Spaniards believe that apple juice kills disease germs.

Perhaps cutting off a bad water supply had more to do with it. But every human being would be the better for an apple a day at noon and an orange in the morning.

Some one should make a little cider press that could be used at the family table, to squeeze out the cider and give it to children with their noon meal, fresh from the apples.

If you have a darling pet parrot, do not bury your nose or mouth in its pretty feathers or stroke the parrot and afterward put your hand to your mouth. Surgeon General Cumming of the national health board says parrots are bringing into the country a highly dangerous disease, easily contracted, often fatal. Several cases have occurred in Maryland.

The big ill wind that blew in Wall Street did somebody good.

New York's savings banks report more than eighteen thousand new accounts within a few days after the slump. The "little" man seems to have learned a lesson.

At the royal wedding in Rome five foreign sovereigns, five rulers who had recently lost their jobs, and fifty-four other royalties looked on. Queens, princes and princesses crowded the chapel.

The interesting moment came when Mussolini, Italy's dictator, entered and was saluted by all the royalties with the Fascist salute, the outstretched right arm.

Mussolini did not march with the royalty. But when they saw him and gave him that salute, angels, looking down, could easily identify the real ruler of Italy.

Doctor Heyl, physicist of the United States bureau of standards, says science will produce life artificially. "It is chemical, not supernatural," and there is "nothing occult in the processes of life."

Nothing occult, perhaps, but Professor Heyl will not produce life, nor will any other physicist by chemical means. Things may be made to wiggle, but that will not be life.

This universe is a great trinity—matter, force and spirit or consciousness. No scientist will produce consciousness, possessing the potential ability to think. Chemicals can't do that.

A Mr. Morgan of California is returning from England with "overwhelming proof" that Bacon wrote the plays credited to Shakespeare.

On the way Mr. Morgan might read the critical study of Shakespeare by the Danish author, Brandes.

He says truly that whoever asserts that Bacon wrote Shakespeare simply proves that he, himself, has never intelligently read either Bacon or Shakespeare.

Mexico experiments with the criminal law. Instead of a jury there will be five "technical experts," the degree of guilt based on the criminal's intelligence and realization of his crime.

No punishment for your first crime if you were hungry and hurt no one. Here we allow a dog one bite, but don't allow a thief one theft.

No Mexican death penalty for civil crimes. Revolutionists will be shot as usual. Automobile drivers, killing somebody, cannot be locked up more than six years.

The new law assumes that crime is largely a "disease." Criminologists in many countries have suggested similar charges. Mexico is first to try them.

This country is prosperous, full of opportunities. But many of us reach old age poor. A careful survey shows in the United States 2,000,000 individuals past sixty-five years of age dependent for support on others.

Save while you have strength. "The hateful road of old age," as Hector's father called it, is bad enough at best.

The United States army of simpletons that buy stocks when gentlemen ring the doorbell and tell them "now or never," or when other gentlemen call them on the telephone, are interested in this:

One get-rich-quick concern on trial in a federal court is said to have spent $400,000 in one year for telephone messages to fools.

You may imagine how much the geese at the other end of the telephone must have lost to justify a $400,000 telephone bill in one year.

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Keeping the American Home Alive

—By—
BETTY CROCKER

I WISH some of the dreary misanthropists, who say that homes are a thing of the past because the modern family never stays home any more, could read some of the thousands of letters I receive every week from my radio friends and cooking school pupils. These letters are written by women living in cities, towns and villages, and on farms and ranches all the way from the Atlantic to the Pacific and from the Gulf of Mexico to the Great Lakes.

A clever mathematician, I am sure, would be able to discover that since I began broadcasting the first women's service program over the radio back in 1924 I have received enough letters from American housewives to reach around the world several times. These letters give me a very definite picture of the women who write them and their homes. In fact I like to think of them as pass keys which enable me to enter these homes and, unseen by the family, watch and hear what is going on.

It would be fun to rent the magic carpet from a certain band of radio singers and take these false prophets, who are dismally sounding the death knell of the American home, on a tour of the country—silently unlocking doors and bidding them enter with me.

These pessimistic souls would be shocked to discover that for every household of jazz hounds there are thousands of happy homes where father, mother, boys and girls gather 'round the supper or dinner table every night for a pleasant, cozy meal together, and that after dinner at least half the family remain home listening to the radio, reading, or discussing their affairs together.

I would like to call attention to the food on the dinner table, too, for instead of an ill-chosen assortment that mother had grabbed up at the corner delicatessen as she rushed home from her bridge club, we behold home-cooked foods—a delicious stew, perhaps, with tasty vegetables or a salad, bread and butter with home-made jam, and a dessert of pie or cake that mother baked herself.

Not only will these cynics see these modern women actually getting breakfast, dinner and luncheon or supper, but they will discover that they are deeply interested in making their meals wholesome and attractive. They would find out, furthermore, that these women do not look upon their job of getting three meals a day, 365 days in the year, as arab, monotonous drudgery; for they realize that the physical—and even to some extent the spiritual — well-being of their families depend on the kind of meals they eat and the regularity with which they are served.

A Jolt for the Gloomy.

My gloomy friends would have another jolt, too, for these happy interested women who believe that home-making is one of the noblest professions in the world are not just the women living in isolated rural communities where the spirit of the jazz age has not penetrated, but in the congested apartment house districts of large cities there really are more of them than of the other kind who neglect their homes and their children for the movies, bridge or golf.

Here is a letter that takes us into a tiny apartment in a big seaport city. The father is a sailor and away at sea most of the time—so this woman does not have to plan meals that will appeal to a man. She has three small children and herself only to consider. She wants to give them the food that will help them to grow up strong and sturdy, and she realizes that she must keep well and healthy herself to care for them properly. Here is her problem, the foods she gives them are not those she enjoys. She says she cannot eat "baby food" and asks me to suggest menus that will be suitable for the children and herself.

The next letter takes us to a comfortable roomy farmhouse in Ohio. A young woman home from college is planning the silver wedding celebration for her father and mother. Friends and relatives are coming from distant states and she wants to make the occasion a remembered one. She is asking me for a recipe for a huge cake and suggestions for decorating it appropriately.

Our magic carpet next takes us to a newly furnished apartment in a big, hustling Mid-Western city. The young bride is so proud of her immaculate little kitchen with all its shining new equipment. She says she wants to learn how to make her husband's favorite dessert—pumpkin pie—and she is determined that her pie crust shall be just as tender and flaky as his mother used to make for him.

From this tall apartment building we are whisked away across the prairies and mountains to a California fruit ranch where there is another bride interested in learning to bake. She wants to make bread, if you please; and she tells us in glowing words how she loves her new little home up in the hills. She would not be back in the city clicking a typewriter for anything in the world—but there are so many, many things she needs to learn about cooking. She has registered for my radio cooking school and twice a week she "attends class" sitting in her living room making notes of the suggestions that come over the radio and taking down my recipes.

The New Home-Maker.

I do not believe there is anything makes me more happy than a letter from one of these new home-makers telling me how interested she is in preparing attractive meals for her young husband.

Is it any wonder that I work hard to give them recipes that not only are correctly proportioned, but that are so clearly and definitely stated that they cannot go wrong with them? I am hoping that such recipes will prevent the old joke about bride's biscuits from being realistic—and not amusing realities. Instead, I want the first attempt at baking with my recipes to result in biscuits so light and tender that the young husband will be fairly bursting with pride over his bride's skill in baking.

Times have changed since the days when girls stayed at home and learned to cook by helping their mothers with the baking. When those girls went into homes of their own they usually were skillful cooks. They knew by looking at their cake batter whether it was just right or not—and they could tell by the "feel" of their bread dough when they had added enough flour. Recipes which said "flour to make a stiff dough" or just "flour" were perfectly satisfactory to them—but to the bride of today such recipes are Greek. She needs very explicit directions about measurements and amounts. Therefore that is one of the reasons why making my recipes so definite that no one can be in doubt about them is a hobby of mine.

However, it is not the new home-makers alone who tell me that they find my recipes and radio cooking school lessons a help. Let us travel back across the mountains on our magic carpet to the prairies. Here in a spacious pleasant home in a Kansas city we meet a woman who is radiantly happy because the devil's food cake she made with one of my recipes brought her the first prize at a county fair. She has been keeping house for ten or twelve years, but this is the first time she has ever won a prize for skill in baking.

In a New Jersey city we visit a woman who tells us she is a grandmother, and that her children and grandchildren consider her the world's best cook. Nevertheless she has enrolled in my cooking school over the air because she wants to keep up with new methods and ideas in baking.

Learn Over the Radio.

A young home-maker in Georgia wants to learn how to make doughnuts. Hers, she says, are "like brickbats."

In a Texas city, a mother and daughter are "attending class" over the radio together. They are interested in learning about some new dainties to serve when they entertain their bridge clubs. I hope my cynical friends will observe that although these women do enjoy playing bridge, they can also cook, and they want to entertain their bridge friends at home and serve them with home-cooked foods.

From up on the Iron Range in northern Minnesota comes a letter from a young woman who says she has just started housekeeping and her family must include relatives of her husband's, making a household of six—four adults and two children. She knows how to cook a few things well—but they are so very few that she fears her meals will become monotonous. She hopes to get many suggestions and new recipes from my radio talks that will help her. Right now she is especially anxious to be able to make good chocolate cake.

These are only a few of the homes represented by the pile of letters right here on my desk, but they are representative of the letters I read last week and last year, and of those I undoubtedly shall read next week and the weeks that follow. Gay letters, pathetic letters, discouraged letters and brave letters from women in every part of the country who are deeply interested in keeping happy, well-ordered homes for their families.

Surely these letters are a powerful challenge to Mr. and Miss Cynic who say that the American home is a thing of the past because the modern woman is not interested in home things. They also give me a very definite idea of the problems the housewife of today is facing and the kind of cooking information she seeks. It is because of the many, many requests I have had from them for menu suggestions that I am devoting one of my two radio talks each week to the principles of menu building and meal planning. In the radio cooking school lessons which I give in my other weekly talks I am trying to answer the questions I am asked most often about making bread, cakes, pies, biscuits and cookies. With each lesson I shall give a recipe which I hope my radio friends will feel is practical and the kind of thing their families will enjoy.

To me it is a wonderful privilege to be able to be of any service, however slight, to these hundreds of thousands of American women, who quietly and unnoticed are keeping the American home an alive and nourishing institution.

Left—Tennis Frock of Flame Crepe. It is a Two-Piece, With the Sleeveless Blouse Worn Tucked In. Center—Feminine Frock of Pale Grayed-Rose Canton Crepe, a Wrap-Around Model. Right—Interesting New Suit of Blue-Gray Tweed Which Has Ostrich Feathers in the Weave.

Frocks for South Emphasize White

Blue, Pink and Green Also Prominent; New Quirks in Millinery.

While the southern excitement is perhaps exaggerated, there is no doubt that stay-at-home ladies may pick up some pointers of advance summer information by a conscientious study of Palm Beach collections, observes a fashion writer in the New York World.

Perhaps the most surprising of the developments in this field is the prevalence of white for daytime, with turquoise blue, pink and green following in the field. The suntan shades seem to be distinctly on the wane, but there is still a great deal of beige. So far as fabrics are concerned there is no such revolution. Tussor and shantung, wool crepe and men's shirting are all taking an encore.

One very interesting group of dresses introduces the two piece variation of our old friend, the tennis dress. Any one with any lingering doubts as to the acceptance of the high waistline will be cured of all skepticism by a glance at the dresses now offered. The little tuck-in blouses disappear from view at a point that is still away uptown. Moreover, the old die-hards of your family group will be pleased to see that the suntan back is now restricted to beach wear and that most tennis frocks have returned to the modesty of 1925.

One very feminine little dress is a two-piece affair of flame-colored flat crepe. There is a low circular flare, giving the wearer that long-legged line that short women find so depressing. The round collar is a demurely ruffled affair and there are no sleeves. A whole series of dresses on these lines appear in striped silk shirting in the proper pastel shades.

The cardigan jacket is slated for greater popularity than it enjoyed last year, when the longer coat was affected by shivery young women at the seashore. One very smart type of cardigan is the contrasting woolen model to be slipped over the sleeveless tennis dress. Blue ostrich tweed is used for one tailored jacket with a nipped-in back that creates a peplum effect. This is worn over a high-waisted frock of white jersey.

The three-piece suit of tussar or knitted fabric is also appearing in Palm Beach shows. The jackets of these suits have notched collars and matching skirts which boast, for the most part, inverted pleats in place of the circular flare that is used for softer fabrics.

Use Sleeveless Tuck-Ins.

Many of these suits appear in beige woolen crepe and are accompanied, rather surprisingly, by sleeveless tuck-ins of white satin. The same startling tendency that appeared this fall when satin went informal is cropping up again.

Chanel has lent her authority to this tendency with a very enticing little jacket suit of black and white knitted fabric, cut off into irregular rectangles by narrow black stripes. This is worn with a sleeveless white satin blouse.

The three-piece jersey suit, which will probably be the choice of conservative women who believe that formal fabrics should be kept in their place, is appearing with skirt and very short jacket of a solid tone, the tuck-in sweater being patterned. One amusing variation of this mode is a suit with a coat and skirt of yellow boucle. The blouse is of jersey with horizontal stripes of green, black and yellow.

Those who have no intention of giving up their newly discovered femininity may find more ambitious frocks on all sides. Vionnet, for instance, is their unfailing comfort. This year she has designed an interesting ensemble which would do wonders for the woman of a certain weight. It is of beige pink flat crepe and is a simple wrap-around, with a waist of only moderate height. Over this is worn a three-quarter coat of scarlet woolen crepe.

Another interesting daytime frock for those who avoid all sports is a domestic creation of great charm. A white satin one-piece dress has the high waistline marked by a belt of navy blue leather. A short bolero jacket with brass buttons accompanies it.

Clair Soeurs have distinguished themselves by sending us a costume which combines furbelows and chic in a way that is rare in this age when trimming is viewed askance. A peplum jacket and skirt of red wool crepe are combined with a tuck-in blouse of red and white checked taffeta, this adorned with several little bows and gores that hold it in tightly to the waist.

New Hats of Straw.

In the matter of hats, the very newest wrinkle is a straw called bogata, said to be imported from India to Paris and finally shunted across the Atlantic to defy competition from local copyists. It is a soft and rather shiny straw, something like cellophane, and Rebaux has used it for one of her early models which uses a blue feather as a coquettish accent behind the turned-back brim.

Agnes is coming out strong for crocheted and knitted skull caps that sit well to the back of the head and have a rope of braided wool framing the face. Those who have been suffering from the off-the-face dictate will be gratified to discover that more and more of the new straws are appearing with sizable brims. Agnes' chef d'oeuvre is a blue linen straw model with a shallow crown, sides of a width that seems extreme to our unaccustomed eyes, a fairly long back and a matching velvet bow that pinches it up behind.

Another interesting brim appears on a hat of beige linen straw with raveled edges about the floppy brim. Peanut straw in solid shades is also used for hats with inordinate width at the sides.

A large number of all felt models are being shown, particularly in white, and felt and straw combinations are appearing in many of the collections. One cloche affair of white felt uses bands of black patent leather to hold the turned-up brim in place.

Bright colored hats to freshen up the wardrobe are being stressed by several of the shops. Emerald green and scarlet are actually approved for sedate city use for wear with the neutral fur coat. There is an insidious tendency toward brims for street wear, that is being introduced by all sorts of subtle dodges for the sake of the woman who does not like to make the change a sudden one.

Bright red felt is used for some amusing little tricornes. The turned-up brim is much narrower than in the matron's tricorne and the whole effect is very gay and youthful. Another type of street hat that would be a sound buy is the round cloche with a moderately wide brim that droops downward on all sides. These appear with grosgrain bands that end in stiff horizontal bows behind.

The cavalier hat, a variation of the beret with all the fullness dragged to the back, is a popular type being made up in bright greens and reds. And pansy felt is having a belated success with women who plunged heavily on dahlia daytime frocks.

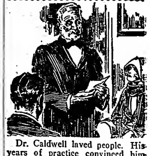
Modified Poke Is Appearing.

The modified poke is also appearing in gaudy versions with little pointed tabs finishing off behind. And a very new and striking type of hat is the beret of wide wale corduroy. In beige, gray or black this is a pleasant change from the dusty felts that are piled on your closet shelves.

Many black satin hats are being shown for more formal daytime occasions. Agnes has contributed several of these. One is a highly diverting skull cap with a rope of the satin edging the back and sides. Another shows twisted satin pads over the two ears; others have surprising knots and butterfly bows of the satin sticking out behind. Do not let your enthusiasm drive from your mind the fact that your fur coat collar will conflict with anything that protrudes too far.

Among the smart bags seen are some new envelopes in black leather with appliqued patterns of colored kid to which you may match up your minor accessories.

FAMILY DOCTOR LEARNED THIS ABOUT CONSTIPATION



Dr. Caldwell loved people. His years of practice convinced him many were ruining their health by careless selection of laxatives. He determined to write a harmless prescription which would get at the cause of constipation, and correct it.

Today, the prescription he wrote in 1885 is the world's most popular laxative! He prescribed a mixture of herbs and other pure ingredients now known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, in thousands of cases where bad breath, coated tongue, gas, headaches, biliousness and lack of appetite or energy showed the bowels of men, women and children were sluggish. It proved successful in even the most obstinate cases; old folks liked it for it never gripes; children liked its pleasant taste. All drugstores today have Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin in bottles.

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Chosen by Legislators

Two Presidents have been elected by the house of representatives—Thomas Jefferson in 1801 and John Quincy Adams in 1824. The Hayes-Tilden controversy was decided by an electoral commission.

Nervous, Could Not Sleep—Weak, All Fagged Out

St. Paul, Minn.—"I would say to all women who are nervous, take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, there is nothing that will build up the nerves like this medicine. I was rundown, my nerves were so weak and upset that I could not sleep, felt so weak and all fagged out that I was not in shape to do anything that required strength. I took two bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, I was feeling like a new woman, my nerves were strengthened so I could sleep and get my rest and I was built up generally." — Mrs. Tillie Gibford, 555 Canada St. Dealers.

Write to Dr. Pierce's Clinic, Buffalo, N. Y., for free advice.

Ancient Baby Carriage

Augusta, Maine, claims one of the most interesting baby carriages in the state. It is sixty-five years old and only recently was removed from attic treasures. The wooden-ribbed wheels are large, and the seat will accommodate a seven-year-old child. The top, which tilts, has fringed edges.

If you are a reposeful man, you don't like to be go-got by a go-getter.

Los Angeles Boy Needed Help

Leroy Young, 1116 Georgia St., Los Angeles, is a "regular fellow," active in sports, and at the top in his classes at school. To look at him now, you'd think he never had a day's sickness but his mother says: "When Leroy was just a little fellow, we found his stomach and bowels were weak. He kept suffering from constipation. Nothing he ate agreed with him. He was fretful, feverish and puny.

"When we started giving him California Fig Syrup his condition improved quickly. His constipation and biliousness stopped and he has had no more trouble of that kind. I have since used California Fig Syrup with him for colds and upset spells. He likes it because it tastes so good and I like it because it helps him so wonderfully!"

California Fig Syrup has been the trusted standby of mothers for over 50 years. Leading physicians recommend it. It is purely vegetable and works with Nature to regulate, tone and strengthen the stomach and bowels of children so they get full nourishment from their food and waste is eliminated in a normal way. Four million bottles used a year shows how mothers depend on it. Always look for the word "California" on the carton to be sure of getting the genuine.

Do It Now

Look over your supply of printed matter such as envelopes, statements, letterheads, bill heads, cards or other forms you use daily.

Spring is "right around the corner", the time you need them Let us have your order for what you need.

St. Hilaire Spectator

Ten Good Rules For Safe Driving

It may be late to make New Year resolutions, but if you are late in making them, you may be late in breaking them. The following offered by an automobile club official are good for any time of the year, and any year.

1 Be courteous. Never race for a crossing or position on the road because you have the right of way.

2 Never travel at a rate of speed that will make it impossible to bring the car to a stop in a reasonable distance.

3 Never speed upon a hill or on curves where there is no clear vision ahead.

4 Keep your eyes on the road and do not talk with the persons on the the back seat while driving.

5 Study traffic rules and obey them. You may not agree that they are all sound, but they benfit the majority.

6 Study ways of avoiding congested streets and you will find that time can be saved with greater driving safety.

7 Remain a safe distance behind the car ahead, especially on heavy traveled highways.

8 Always be sure that the brakes of your car, windshield wiper and other safety appliances are ready to function.

9 When driving in congested areas be sure that there is plenty of gasoline in the tank. It will save yourself and other motorists delays and annoyance.

10 Always give fellow motorists a "break" and you will be surprised at the numoer you get.

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

A Voice Out of the Cotton Patches

A GROUP of conntry negroes, seized with the desire to emigrole North—thol some same conlagioo, by the way, which is depopuloling some of the cotton fields—got as for es Birminghom, Ala., hefore their money ran out. In the hope of raising funds snfficieat to enahle them to continue their journey, the stranded trovelere songht employment.

One of them hecame acquainted with e white gentlemen who threw severel odd johs in his wey. But this ecrappy employment, while it provided temporery food and lodging, did not serve to gratify the more pressing amhition.

Reeching his office on a certain morning, the citizen found his colored friend awaiting him at ths door.

"Mr. Blenk," seid the applicant, "yoo's been so good to me elready, I hetes to keep on pesterin' you, but I suttinly does need wuk mighty bad ag'in, an' I'se hopin' mebbe you kin he'p me out ag'in same es yon's done two-three times befo'."

"Well," said his benefactor, "as it so heppens, you may be in luck. Just now I heard that they were needing a hand down the street here, at the Eagle Laundry."

"Thank ynh, suh," said ths negro; "hut Mr. Blank," he added doubtfully, "I ain't never had no 'sperience washin' eagles."

THE CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Jan 26.

Sunday school at 10:00 A. M., and services in Norwegian language at 2:00 P. M., in local church

The Dorcas Society meets at the parsonage Friday, Jan, 24. Children are invited to come direct from school to the Dorcas meeting. Mesdames L. Gullickson and M. Dahle will entertain.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning service 11:00
Evening " 8:00

River News

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Peterson have been on the sick list the past week.

A light epidemic of the "flu" seems to be hovering in this vicinity.

School Dist 136 reopened Monday January 13, after a three weeks vacation. The pupils are all pleased to have Miss L. Norman with them again.

Floyd, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hesse, had the misfortune of cutting his thumb with an ax while splitting wood. The boy was taken to Dr. Roy of Red Lake Falls, who found it necessary to have six stitches taken. Floyd's many friends will be glad to learn he is getting along nicely.

MEET THE GANG
-AT-
Bob's Coffee Shop
If you can't eat at home. eat with us
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St. Hilaire, Minn.

Bids Wanted

School district No. 236J of Red Lake county, will receive bids up to Tuesday, Jan, 28, 1930 for delivery of 10 cords of sound, heavy body, split poplar cordwood, to be racked at the school premises in said district.

J9-23pd Herman Jepson, Clerk.

Derived From the Greek

Most of the characters of the Russieu elphebet are derived from tha Byzantine Greek of the Ninth century. Soms others were added by Cyril to cover Slavonic sounds, increasing the number to 85 letters.

Health Hint

The best light is sunlight. It acts as a disinfectant. It kills disease germs. It stimulates the entire body. It helps to keep people heppy. It is best for the eyes when not reading directly in it. We all need the sun.

POULTRY

COCCIDIOSIS ONE CAUSE OF LOSSES

Protect Pullets From Parasites and Various Ills.

(By M. A. SEATON, Extension Poultryman, Kansas State Agricultural College.)

Young pullets will develop into efficient egg machines if precautions are taken to protect them from parasites and diseases dnring tha summer months and if proper feed is supplied for their development.

Coccidiosis is one of the ensmies thst must be couquered. It usually appears when the chicks are fiva to ten weeks old. Symptoms are blood in the droppings. Upon internal examinetion, the hlind intestines are enlarged and filled with a grayish, bloody exudete. Often the liver is spotted. This disease is cansed hy an organism thet tends to destroy ths liuiug of the intestine. It is passed out lu tha droppings end carried over from year to year in tha huildings and ground.

To prevent coccidiosis, move the hrooder houses each year and hrood on clean ground or nse a sanitary platform and keep the chicks coufined ou the platform until ten weeks old. Keep the young and old stock separated. These precautions will usually pravent the disease.

In ontbreaks of coccidiosis, the hest-known treetment is to movs the brooder bouse if poesihle, clean the house ofteu, and feed large quantities of milk. If an all-mash system of feeding is heing used, removs ths meatscrap from the mash and suhstitute 25 per cent dried hnttermilk or dried skim milk. Feed thie for ahout two weeks. Large quantities of milk solids in any form will he beneficial.

Value of Sulphur and Charcoal for Fowls

Sulphnr is a medicine, aud not a food. True, small quantities of it may he found in all our grains, as well as in some other articles of feed. But sulphur as found in grain is comhined with eome other substance which connterhalancee it.

There are times when sulpbur is heneficial if judiciously administered, writes Micheel K. Boyer in the Farm and Reuch. It must not he recklessly given, and uever during wet or damp weather, as its use at such times is ept to cause rheumatic trouhles or a stiffening of ths joints.

Sulphur ie a hlood purifier, and often werds off disease and invigoretes a run-downu syetem. In such cases a teespoonful, once a week, mixed with ths mssh, for ehout twenty hens, would be ehout rigbt, bnt even so small a quantity as this should be given only during a dry period.

Charcoal consists almost entirely of carhon. It is prepared hy heeting wood so as to expel all the gaseous metter it contains. Ammonia is a gaseous compound-alkaline like potassee, and is often termed spirits of bartshorn.

When charcoal is properly treated there will not remain sufficient ammonie to he injnrlons to animal life. Any impurities that charcoal might contain would be absorbed through atmospberic coudltions.

Do Not Force Pullets Into Premature Laying

It is usuelly considered better not to force pullets into premsture laying hy feeding large quantities of mash. Instead, limit the mash until pullets are quita reedy to ley and, by feedlug e greater emount of grain, to get thsm fat. Snch a ration emphasizes the fat making meterial and, by withholding the egg-making meterials, removes the danger of a too eerly maturity. Mash should not be entirely eliminated, as it coutains materiels ueeded for huilding up ths musclee of young fowls. Too much of it, however, may precipitata egg laying before it is desirahle. Give ths developing pullets all ths grain they will eat during early fall and after they coms into normal isying, gradually decrease grain with a correspouding increase in mash feeding.

Turkey Production

The most important discovery in turkey productiou has heen ou the line of senitetion. If tha turkeys are kept ou ground that has uot heen used for poultry for a year or more, they will likely escape without any trouhle similar to the old hlackhead disease. Chickens ara known to hs carriers of the insect that causes hlackbesd. If you keep your turkeys away from chicken yards and where turkeys have uot heen the year before, they will not cause you any trouhle.

Gains for Chicks

Chicke meke ths cheapest and most rapld gains when they are young. It is therefore essential that an ample amount of good wholesome food be kept constantly before tha birds. Mash hoppers should be of sufficient size so that a large majority of the chicks can eat at the same time, thereby avoiding ths constant fighting for room to eat. This outdoor mash hopper of adequate size is very desirabla for developing the young stock. All feeding utensils should be kept clean.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

St. Paul—Lillian V. Brady, 45, was killed in a car collisiou here.

St. Paul—Osman Temple of the Shrine elected Coroner Dr. Carl A. Ingersou as poteutate.

Minneapolis—$5,000,000 will be spent in school huilding construction here during the 5-year huilding program.

Minneapolis—The Junior Reportory theater of Minneapolis is attracting favorable comment througbont the state.

Minneapolis—Charles Arnold, 47, was killed when be fell from a scaffolding on a building under construction here.

Mountain Lake—R. F. Crem and Frank Broun, U. of M., were judges at the Wan-Bro-Cot Crop Improvement Ass'n. show here.

Duluth—After discontinuing the custom for four years the Head of the Lakes Antomotiva Trade association will sponsor an anto show bere Feb. 17 to 22.

Rochester—Gov. W. J. Kohler of Wisconsin returned to his bome at Kohler after undergoing several weeks treatment at Meyo's boepital for kidney disorder.

Minneapolis—I. G. Scott, former Tenth Ward alderman, was senteuced to serve 90 days lu ths workhonee for drunkenness. He was granted a stay until Jan. 21.

Pine City—Frank P. Stepan, Willow River, was elected chairman of the Pins county hoard at the annual meeting here. Neis Matson was named vice chairman.

Albert Lea — Albert Wohlbutter, cashier of the Alhert Lea State hank before it was closed, was ecquitted of au emhezzlement charge hy a district court jury here.

Renville—A. O. Schmidt, Renville county enditor is charged with altering tax figures by State Comptroller Henry Rines, on facts nncovered by Examiner A. R. Johnsou.

St. Paul—Charles M. Bebcock, Minuesota higbway commissioner, was chosen a director of the American Road Builders Associatiou at its annual meeting at Atlantic City.

St. Paul—The St. Thomas college dehete team, under direction of Fenton B. Spence, will bold its first debate of the preseut semester with Marquette university on Feb. 11.

Fairmont — Joseph Mnsser was named chairman of the Mertin county board of commissioners; at the annnel re-organization meeting bere. Amandus Edmund was elected vicechairmen.

Red Wing—The boiler on a Milweukee freight locomotive exploded, seriously injuring three members of the train crew, demolishing tbe locomotive, derailing five freigbt cars near here.

Minneapolis—Ths old Asbnry bospital, formerly used for disabled veterans, will he remodeled for workshops for Goodwill Industries to employe of uesdy persons in reclaiming weering apparel.

Willmar—The seventeeuth annual show of the Kandiyohi County Poultry Association opened here with a corn show sponsored by the local chamber of commerce, held in conjunction.

Blooming Prairie—Officers elected by the Blooming Prairie Royal Neighhor lodge will be installed Januery 27. They inclnde Mrs. Jennie Siewert, Mrs. Ella Holstenson end Mrs. Carrie Petersou.

Alexandria—H. B. Roberds was elected president of the Alexandria Chamber of Commerce et the ennnel meeting. C. A. Foslien was named first vicepresident, A. L. Hillmond second vicepresident, and C. W. Knaus, treasurer.

St. Cloud—William Bruhm, cherged with shooting Leo Dueher, his uncle, last September, was convicted of secoud degree manslaughter in District Court bere and was sentenced to servo from ona to 15 years in the state reformatory.

Newport—An sugineering survey of sewage disposal problems of South St. Paul and Newport was launched by the metropolitan drainage commission preliminary to proposals to inclnde tho packing plants in the proposed sewage disposal system of the Twin Cities.

Minneapolis—The Minnesota League of Women Voters started on January 9 a weekly series of radio programs to be given Thursdays from 5:00 to 5:30 over WCCO. The first talks of the series picture women's struggle for political equality and for the verious civil and legal rights aud privileges that thsy uow snjoy. Future programs will trade the development of women's interest and infinence in government as shown in ths program and activities of the League of Women Voters all over the country. Tho period assigned to the 1930 talks will be known as "The Voter's Hour." Miss Marguerite M. Wells, state president, is the speaker announced for January 23.

Sleepy Eye—A $20,000 distillery plant was uncovered on a farm six miles west of here. Three persons were arrested.

Mankato—Mrs. May Arnold was sentenced to serve not more than seven years at the state reformatory for women at Shakopee by District Judge Harry A. Johnsou for stealing $2,000 from her hnsband.

Sandstone—The body of Matthew T. Levi, 36 years old, World war vateran, who committed suicide ou a farm near Kerrick by shooting himself, was brought here and sent to Nelson, Wis. A widow survives.

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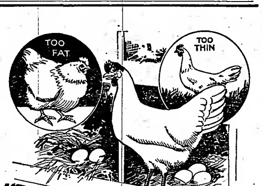

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Knit bottom blazers, broken sizes	3.25
12 qt. heavy milk pails, reg. 50c	.39
12 qt. heavy milk pails, charcoal plated, reg. 60c	.49
Corn Flakes	.11
Corn, per can	.11
French's Mustard	.12
Bartlett pears, large can, reg. 30c	.26
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Have recently made connections where I am in position to pay highest market prices in CASH for all kinds of livestock.

If you have any beef stock, hogs, sheep, calves, etc., that are in shape for market, kindly call or phone, and you will be assured the highest market price for your stock in CASH

ED DURBIN
St. Hilaire, Minn

"I'll Never Let You Know"

By LILLIAN M. MOSSELLER

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"THE male of the human species has not the capacity to receive a woman's love—therefore she must have a God."

This astounding observation was made by Dolly Simpson, so designated by her family and friends ever since she arrived in this world weighing only three pounds. She was taken to the hospital and put into an incubator.

Because she was an incubator child—as some one had brightly remarked—she had been incubating ideas ever since. At the age of twenty-six she was quite successfully incubating plays for her mother and the "talkies," while I directed them. It was a new game for us—from the legitimate—to the "talkies"—and she should have been quite happy over our success. But was she?

She sat huddled in a very small corner of a very large armchair in her Fifth avenue apartment, gazing over the dust-colored tree tops of Central park.

"What good is charm, I'd like to know, if it does not hold the fidelity of the men one loves?" She looked at me inquiringly.

"Perhaps he is not the right man for you," I suggested.

"I know why," she continued, ignoring my remark. "Because I let him know it—I wanted to have the satisfaction of expressing my love—else why love? I visioned us basking in the mutual glory of our love for each other—only it didn't happen that way. He used my love—used it to satisfy his vanity. I learned that he continued his amours with others who came before me. He is a Lothario to them all," she smiled.

"Perhaps he isn't worth loving," I longed to suggest, because I knew the men in question. But I knew that her retort would be:

"No men is." And I did not care to be included in her generalizations. It was not capacity to receive her love—that I lacked—it was opportunity.

"I was premature in my acceptance of him," she mused. "I should have used the proper guile man demands of a woman—I should have kept him guessing and miserable."

"I am sure he loves you," I consoled.

Again she ignored me.

"I was one of those babies suggested by Maeterlinck—waiting to be born. Only, I couldn't wait—I was overeager—my parents weren't ready for me, but I slipped in on them anyway. A premature impulse—some people are that way all through life—never waiting until the time is ripe but unfortunately acting on impulses. It is a form of impatience, I suppose." She sighed. "Somehow I cannot reconcile myself to giving Bill up to his philandering. You never philander—never wander away—do you, Harvey?" She knew why.

"You are so stable. Why isn't Bill like you?" She stared at me unexpectedly. It seemed almost an effort on her part to speak of Bill again, which was unusual. Her mind was evidently running a double channel.

"Well, old Bill, I think I shall have to call a halt. I have never liked the idea of managing a man, but men want to be managed—they deny it verbally, but if their wives and sweethearts don't use guile and artifice on them they turn to women who will. So here goes. I can't lose you, Bill." So saying, she arose and went over to her desk. Entertaining for me—what? She wrote a short note, then gave it to me to read.

"You are an old friend," she stated. "So I am going to let you in on this little drama of life." She smiled mysteriously as she watched me read.

"Dear Bill:

I have found that our love is a mistake.

Good-by forever.

DOLLY SIMPSON."

She called a messenger boy.

"Poor Bill," she sighed. "Stick around, Harvey, and watch the fireworks."

Feeling rather uncomfortable but curious, I sat in a corner in the breakfast room. I had not long to wait.

There was an imperative knocking at the door.

She opened it. "Why did you come?" she demanded angrily.

Bill made a vain attempt to take her in his arms. I heard him say: "Because I love you! Why did you write that note?"

But she soon sent him off with convincing finality.

When he had gone she came into the breakfast nook and sat beside me in the dark. I was too miserable to speak.

She had charmed him, all right. I must make a show of being pleased for her sake.

"Well, he is yours, Dolly."

She was crying softly, I exclaimed in surprise. For she was not the crying kind.

"Oh, Harvey, can't you see it is you, I want?"

My throbbing, aching arms went around her. After a moment she drew back to get her breath and said in a tremulous voice:

"But I'll never let you know it! I'll never let you know it!"

Such Is Life

It must be discouraging to the installment collector, after a hard day's work, to come home and find his wife out.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Britons Welcome Parley Group.

London—The American delegation to the forthcoming naval conference reached London and after a cordial welcome, plunged rapidly into the preparatory work of the coming meeting.

Within less of an hour of his arrival in the British capital, Secretary of State Henry L. Stimson was closeted with Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald. Great Britain first welcomed the American delegates at Plymouth where a picturesque ceremonial accompanied the greeting which the mayor extended to the Americans. The second welcome was at Paddington station, London, where a gray haze of mild winter afternoon, Foreign Secretary Arthur Henderson, A. V. Alexander, the first lord of the admiralty, and other high government officials gave the capital's welcome.

Whale Not a Fish

One of the commonest popular errors of zoology is the notion that the whale is some sort of fish. It is not; it is a mammal which went to sea. The whale is warm-blooded, has a well-developed brain, and in all other respects shows a far higher organization than any of the fishes. Its young are born alive, and are suckled and cared for by the mother as with land mammals.

Plane Burned, 2 Pilots Killed.

Amston, Conn.—Two watches, one initiated "W.A.K." and the other "D.M." proved to be the means of identifying airplane wreckage in the woods beside Lake Amston as that of the cabin monoplane missing from Farmingdale, Long Island, and determining that the two burned bodies were those of William Kirkpatrick and Daniel Marra, pilots, endurance fliers. The plane had crashed after collision with an oak tree. Deep in the woods and nearly a mile from a house there was no help for the two pilots if they had lived after the crash. Fire completed destruction of the plane.

Glider Sets Mark in 6-Hour Flight.

San Diego, Calif.—W. H. Bowlus was believed to have bettered his own national record for sustained flight in a motorless glider. He stayed aloft for six hours, 19 minutes and three seconds. He glided above the coast line until 7:39 a. m., when the wind died down, soaring about in the dark for nearly five hours.

Defendant Dies Waiting for Trial.

Los Angeles — When Municipal Judge Thomas Ambrose called the case of John McManus, 64 years old, accused of assaulting his 29-year-old bride with intent to commit murder, an attorney said Your honor, my client is not here. He became grief stricken after the shooting and died.

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GRAIN CO-OP BUYS WHEAT

Action Block Price Drop in All Principal Grain Exchanges in Nation.

Chicago—Buying orders were given in face of a faltering grain market as the Farmers National Grain corporation acted simultaneously in the principal pits of the nation purchasing cash wheat on the basis of established loan values in St. Louis, Minneapolis, Omaha and Chicago markets. Observers pointed out that arrangements had been made to store upwards of 3,500,000 bushels of wheat at Duluth, probably to be used as a concentration port for the northwestern purchases. The announcement was made on the occasion of the visit to Chicago to Chairman Alexander Legge and former Governor Samuel McKelvie of Nebraska, of the federal farm board. Loan prices established and used as a basis of trading in the cash markets are: No. 1 durum at Duluth, $1.12; No. 1 northern at Minneapolis, $1.25, and No. 1 hard winter at Omaha, $1.15. Wherever the No. 2 grades were purchased the price was generally two cents lower. Co-operative grain marketing organizations will be used in purchases of grain in the terminal markets for the National Grain corporation. In this connection, William G. Kellogg, general manager of the corporation, said his organization now had sufficient members to handle about one-fourth of the country's 800,000,000 bushels wheat and that the organization planned to take similar steps in stabilizing the corn price in the nation.

To Organize Potato Men Co-Op.

Washington — The federal farm board is to undertake to organize the potato industry the same as it is organizing the other major farm commodities, is announced by the board. The action is taken at the request of the leading potato co-operatives of the country. Similar action is to be taken with apples. No midwest or Minnesota potato organization is mentioned in the list of those asking the farm board to take action. The co-operatives taking the initiative in the matter come from Maine, Colorado, Virginia, Michigan, South Carolina and Florida.

Medicine Stains

Silver stained with medicine should be rubbed with methylated spirit. Afterwards wash the silver in warm, soapy water and polish with a dry cloth.

Odd Name Explained

The Butter tower of Rouen cathedral built between 1485 and 1507, was constructed from funds received for dispensations for butter during Lent.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. A. F. Lang returned after spending three months with relatives at Anoka.

—XXV—

The dwelling on the Kratka farm northeast of here, was destroyed by fire.

—XXV—

Henry Goergen of Euclid, bought the Arthur building and was opening a general store.

—XXV—

Patrick King, one of the territorial pioneers of Minnesota, died at the home of his son, John King, in this village.

—XXV—

The firemen were to have a masquerade ball the following week. These were the big affairs every winter during mill days.

—XXV—

B. B. Penner went up to his claim in Roseau county to erect buildings.

—XXV—

Bob Fritz was down from Thief River for a call on friends. He and family were leaving that month for Rainy River where he was to saw that season.

Cleveland Council Ousts City Manager

Cleveland, Ohio—William R. Hopkins, city manager of Cleveland for the past six years, was removed from office by a 14 to 11 vote of city council on an ouster motion presented by a Democratic member.

$90,000 Fire in Flying School.

Wichita, Kan.—Eleven airplanes went up in flames and loss of approximately $90,000 resulted from fire which destroyed the administration building and hangar at the Braley flying school.

Bandits Get $30,000 Gems.

Portland, Ore.—Two men held up the H. J. Alstook jewelry store here and escaped with diamonds and watches. Owners of the store said the loss was between $20,000 and $30,000.

Compass Variations Puzzles

The coast and geodetic survey says it is not possible in the present state of knowledge regarding the earth's magnetism to give the reason for the declination of the magnetic needle—that is to say, the angle which its direction makes with the true meridian, or for the variations which this angle undergoes. These changes are facts of observation for which as yet there is no adequate theory.

Notice of Annual Meeting

Annual meeting of stockholders of the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Association will be held at the Imperial hall at St. Hilaire on Monday, Feb, 3rd, 1930, at 1:00 P. M., for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year, and to transact any other business that may come before the meeting.

F. S. Erdmann, Sec'ty J16-30

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$1.08
Duram Wheat	.96
Rye	.74
Barley	.41
Oats	.33
Flax	2.81
Eggs, cash	.32
Creamery butter	.41

Dr. Spofford
Optometrist

will be at:
Red Lake Falls, Jan 29th, afternoon
St. Hilaire, February. 4th forenoon
Brooks, February 4th afternoon
Office at Leading Hotels

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

Fruit Tree From Seed

If a fruit tree grows from a seed eventually it will bear fruit, all conditions being favorable. However, the chances are greatly against the fruit resembling that of the parent tree exactly.

Lesson of Solitude

"Quietude of an ancient temple," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "is a happy reminder that we ought sometimes to forget the present, and remember the past."—Washington Star.

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The Creamery List

Below is a list of patrons of the St. Hilaire creamery who received checks of $50.00 and over for cream delivered during December. Two patrons recived checks of more than $250 each, and 14 went over the hundred dollar mark. Cream receipts are increasing rapidly and next list will he a long one. The list below is one longest ever published at this season of the year:

Novak & Son	$259.76
Arne Vik	252.05
C. H. Swanson	194.70
Christ Anton	178.70
Anton Bros.	176.34
Mrs. H. J. Thorstveit	151.83
I. A. Rotzlar	149.65
Christ Kruse	149.55
N. E. Beehe	134.44
F. Bothman	128.38
B. Walseth	119.23
A. Johnson	116.15
E. Person	115.55
Fred Ulrich	114.58
H. Johnson	113.78
E. H. Stephens	101.61

John Gunstad, $99.36, Gust Peterson, 98.56, K. T. Dalager, 96.67, Wahlbeck Bros., 96.60, R. Melin, 90.50, H. R. Allen, 88.56, Geo. Haupt, 86.97, Ben. Johnson, 86.59, C. J. Swanson, 86.03, Sig. Vik, 84.21, Wm. Rinkenberger, 80.55, C. Pearson, 78.23, Fred Rux, 77.28, H. Jepson, 74.85, Carl Zi ter, 74.46, E. Jenson, 73.09, Swanson Bros., 73.08, O. T. Mogen, 73.08, Wm. Bothman, 72.78, O. Haugen, 72.34, J. A. Almquist, 70 40, Wm. Yonke, 69.96, F. Schmidt, 69.02, Ole Larson, 68.63, Mrs. A. P. Anderson, 67.99, Mortensen Bros., 67.69, John Larson, 67.31, Gust Larson, 66.65, V. G. Brink, 65.24, John Norman, 64.58, And. Husby, 63.77, Wm. Palmquist, 62.95, S. Skottem, 62.05, Alex Swanson, 61.57, Svenson Bros., 61.13, E. Hallameck, 60.86, Dan Johnson, 60.27, L. Erickson, 59.95, F. Anderson, 59.12, I. Iverson, 59.07, C. A. Lindquist, 58.98, H. Holmes, 58.76, Erickson Bros. 58.68, McKercher & Son, 57.40, And. Ortloff, 57.07, A. G. Hallstrom, 56.11, And. Mortenson, 54.68, Emil Larson, 54.25, Ole Hagglund, 54.03, C. O. Swanson, 53.74, Joe King, 52,48, John Maakrud, 51.58, F. S. Erdmann, 51,39, Otto Johnson, 51.05, Roy Randorf, 50.63, Gust Erickson, 50.45.

Sawdust:- Anyone wanting sawdust for packing ice, kindly let me know soon as I expect to have in a carload if there is sufficient call.

Art Hendrickson

Beltrami Creamery Burns

Fire starting in the wall between the boiler room and the creamery proper completely destroyed the Beltrami creamery and ice house Sunday with loss between $7,000 and $8,000.

The blaze was discovered about 1:30 P. M. and all the butter in tuhs and other products in small containers were removed from the the huilding before the fire gained much headway.

The Crookston fire department was called to supply more hose and the creamery storehouse, the only structure nearhy escaped with only slight damage. The exact cause of the fire has not been determined. The entire loss is covered hy insurance. Red Lake Falls, Gazette.

Greenbush Has Fire

The large Ford garage at Greenhush, owned hy S. A. Mattson of that village, was destroyed hy fire first of last week. While origin of the fire is unknown, it is persumed to have started from a short circuit of the electrical apparatus in one of the cars stored in the huilding. Some over thirty cars are reported to have hurned with the huilding.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. James Sullivan was taken to Grand Forks to consult a physician. Report from there was not encouraging.

—XXV—

H. D. Petteboue came up from Minneapolis to superintend some new construction work at the mill.

—XXV—

Boh Fritz and family left that week for Rainy River where he was to handle the saws that season.

—XXV—

Officials of the mill company were contemplating putting in a hot pond here in addition to many other improvements.

—XXV—

After resignation of Joel Winkjer husiness people in the village raised a fund to bire a new leader for the boys' band.

—XXV—

Nels K. Anderson was circulating a petition for a rural delivery route to start from here and covering part of Rockshury and Sanders townships.

—XXV—

Defiant

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Carl Fromm, aged Civil War veteran, who has been quite ill, has so improved that he is ahle to come up town again.

Dr. L. Twete, the veterinarian from Thief River, spent last Friday here attending to calls in this locality.

The political pot has commenced to boil in this county, and it is entirely probahle there will be a big crop of candidates at the primary election in June.

Annual meeting of stockholders and patrons of the local creamery will be held at the Imperial hall next Monday afternoon.

Tony Carlson, secretary-treasurer of the Carlson Merc. Co., came down Tuesday morning from Holt, and, assisted hy Ole Johnson, took inventory at the lacol store.

What is Center Traction in tires? It's the grip on the road when you apply the brakes. G & J Tires bave always had this feature. Gamhle Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Next Sunday is Groundhog Day. If the day be cloudy so the groundhog does not see his shadow, spring will open in latter part of March. If tbe reverse sbould occur, spring will be along about the same time, so take your choice.

The local high school basketball trojans turned the tables on the the Plummer team last evening in their return game played at Hazel, defeating them hy a score of 20 to 8.

William Peterson, manager of the local Central Lumber Company yard, went Tuesday to Grand Forks to attend a district meeting of yard managers for the company he represents.

Martin Evenson of Thief River Falls has filed as a candidate for state senator in this district, for the primary election in June. Mrs. Laura Naplin of Thief River has represented this district in the upper house of the legislature the past four years.

The hutter market has taken on a firmer tone the past week and, consequently, better prices for hutterfat will result. Butter has advanced several cents a pound in New York market over prices which prevailed first of this month.

Wanted To Buy:- An inexpensive saddle in good order. Call or write S. N. Olson, R1, St. Hilaire, Minn.

Ed Durhin shipped another load of livestock Saturday to market at So. St. Paul.

The Y. P. S. of the Evang. Mission churcb will meet at the Black River Chapel, Friday, Feh, 7th.

John Forseen has had to resort to use of a cane the past week hecause of a severe attack of rheumatism.

Feed your chickens limestone grit for best results. $1.35 per 100 lb sack at M. H. Jackson, St. Hilaire, Minn.

After a parting shot of more than 20 degrees below zero last Saturday morning, the weather man has finally relented and promises more moderate temperatures.

Albert Aase, who recently severed his connection with the St. Hilaire Garage, has fitted up a repair shop in rear of his residence and is busy overhauling a numher of cars.

Vearle Durbin, member of the local high scbool haskethall team, received a had hurn on his chest at the game played at Plummer when he collided with a stove used in heating the gym.

The high school hasketeers evidently were not up to their usual form last Saturday evening when they dropped a game to the Plummer aggregation by a score of 14 to 9. The locals had plenty of opportunities at the hoop hut their markmanship seemed to be below par that evening.

District court in this county opened Tuesday with Judge Andrew Grindeland presiding. The petit jury was called for yesterday morning, hut owing to halance of this week being taken up with some court cases, the jurors from this section were given a vacation until next Tuesday morning.

Hon. A. D. Stephens of Crookston, who represented his district in the state senate some years ago, recently filed as a candidate for the same position. Mr. Stephens has long been identified with Crookston, and has a host of friends thruout this section who will watch his candidacy with interest.

Second Whist Session

The second session of the local whist tournament was held at the Odd Fellow hall last Monday evening. A number of tbose who took part in the first games were absent for different reasons, but this was offset hy addition of several new players. Twelve tahles were played Monday night instead of 10 at the previous contest. Despite best efforts of the Blues to turn the tide, the Pinks were again winners, and were guests of the former at lunch which was served at Boh's Coffee Shop.

Lester Holmes had the highest individual score and was awarded a sack of flour which was up as a prize to high scorer at this session. Next meeting will he held Tuesday evening next week.

A new lineup will be made at next meeting which will hold for tbat and the following session. It is requested that all players be on hand earlier next week so sides can be chosen, and playing started by eight o' clock sharp.

4-H Meeting Friday Night

The first meeting of the 4H Club of this community will he held at the high school auditorium Friday evening of this week, Jan, 31st. Every child interested in club work is urged to attend, and a cordial invitation is also extended to their parents.

Winter Shows, Feb. 10-14

The annual Winter Show, the Red River Valley's premier winter event, will he held at Crookston from Feb, 10 to 14th. Special trains will run on all lines leading into Crookston for accommodation of all who wish to spend a day at the Show.

A numher of nationally known speakers are on the program this year, and there will he plenty of entertainment to suit everyhody. In addition to the farm crops show, the annual sales of livestock are going to he good. Many exceptionally fine animals from best herds in the Valley, will be sold.

Mrs. O. Odegaard received a call Friday night saying her son Morris was ill at the Fargo hospital. Mrs. Odegaard left Saturday from St. Hilaire for Fargo. She intends to remain witb Morris a few days.

Theodore Just Dies

Emil Just received word Saturday that his hrother, Theodore Just, age 72, bad died that morning at his home at Milet, Alberta, Canada. Theodore Just was one of the early settlers in this community, coming to this section in 1880. He and family resided for a time on what is now the Wigen place west of here, and also on a farm in the Black River district. The family moved from here to Dakota in 1891 and from there to Canada in 1893.

Mr. Just is survived hy his widow and four sons in Canada, and hy one daughter who resides near Minneapolis.

P. T. A. Meeting Feb. 7th

Next regular meeting of the Parent Teachers Association will he held at the school auditorium Friday evening, Feb, 7th.

Messrs E. N. Reiersgord, Ole Johnson and Lester Olson are on the progran committee for this meeting so a good time is assured. It is desired that every member he present, and to hring as a guest, a parent of one of the school children, who is not a member of the P. T. A.

May Transfer Cemetery

At a meeting of the trustees and members of the local Swedish Lutheran church held last week, it was decided to gave the village an opportunity to acquire the cemetery east of town which is owned by the church.

As the cemetery has been used hy all sects ever since it was platted more than forty years ago, it would seem the most logical successor to the present cemetery association should be the village heing as the cemetery is to all intents and purposes, a public burial ground. Some improvements such as new fences, restaking, and, clearing of additional ground which is now in timber, would be highly desirable. The location of the cemetery is ideal. With expenditure of a little time and money, it could be made into a beauty spot of which the village would feel proud.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

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CENSUS TO PUT US IN GOLDFISH BOWL

Questions Will Leave No Secrets Unrevealed.

Washington.—How many women in America are working? How many families own radio sets? What percentage of household heads own their own homes? At what age are most persons married for the first time?

These are some of the questions that will be answered for the country as a whole for the first time after completion of the 1930 census. Interrogations aimed to obtain the replies were included in a list of new questions to be asked by enumerators next April, as anounced by William M. Steuart, director of the census bureau.

Forms Basis of Advertising.

Most important of the new questions, in the opinion of Mr. Steuart, is that relating to home owning. The enumerators will find out from the head of each family the value of his home if owned, or the monthly rental if rented, thus making possible a classification of families according to buying power and furnishing a basis for selling and advertising campaigns.

The question on radio sets, according to Mr. Steuart, will tell radio station operators and advertisers just how large the potential radio audience is.

Women doing housework in their own homes will be designated in the 1930 census reports as "home makers." This designation will be entered in the family relationship column rather than in the occupation column, in order that women who follow a profession or other gainful occupation, in addition to being home makers, may properly be classified in respect to both lines of activity. This will reveal for the first time exactly how many women are working and to what extent.

For Two Purposes.

The question asking for the age at first marriage is intended to serve two purposes. First, it will give definite information as to the relative age at marriage of persons in different racial and economic groups; second, it will make possible a tabulation on the number of children in families of women who have been married a stated number of years.

"In the classification of gainful workers according to occupation and industry it is proposed to put much greater stress than heretofore on the returns for industry," Mr. Steuart said. "A special schedule for unemployment will contain a number of questions designed to separate those not working into several classes, including, besides those absolutely unemployed, those who have jobs for the time being and those laid off without pay."

Babies Always Babies

Even babies of the Stone age had to be amused, judging from a little rattle recently found near Budapest. The handle is in the shape of an animal's head and it makes just as much noise as any baby's plaything of today.

How About Their Stingers?

"Mother," remarked seven-year-old Janet as she watched several mosquitoes gliding silently back and forth over her head, "there's skeeters in this room, but their motors aren't running."—Pathfinder Magazine.

Guerrilla

As an adjective the word "guerilla" is applied to irregular, although often legitimate warfare conducted by independent bands. As a noun it is applied to one who carried on such warfare.

Doesn't Follow-Up

Opportunity, it should be remembered, knocks at the door. It never conducts a follow-up campaign with prospectuses and other "literature."—[illegible]

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Prevent Bone Disease by Feeding Minerals

The mineral substances which go into bone consist largely of compounds of lime and phosphorus derived from the food. In any case they are primarily derived from the soil, writes Dr. L. Van Es in the Capper's Farmer.

In some regions the soil is poor in lime and the vegetation it supports may not provide live stock with a sufficient quantity. Or, the mistake may be made of selecting feeds poor in bone building materials. In both cases, animals may come to suffer from bone softening because there always is an expenditure of the lime-phosphorus complex. Evidence tends to show that to utilize bone building materials the animal body must be exposed to direct sunshine. When sunshine is lacking or when the minerals are deficient, the bone is inadequately formed or it eventually softens. Such diseases as leg weakness in chickens, rickets and paralysis in swine, and the loin disease in cattle are traceable to these factors.

Animals should be so fed and kept that bone disease may be avoided. If the natural foodstuffs are deficient, supplementary feeds, such as milk or milk by-products, tankage or a small amount of steamed bonemeal must be added to the ration. Direct sunshine usually is not difficult to procure, but when it is, recourse should be had to codliver oil, especially for young animals kept indoors.

Centers for External Parasites in Old Lots

While in continuous use, old hog lots and houses may become centers for external parasites such as lice and mange mites and more death-dealing microscopic organisms, those that cause pig diseases such as scurvy, scours, infectious nasal catarrh, bronchitis, infectious odema, swine pest, undesirable sequels to wound infections, eczema, necrobacillosis of the skin, nose, stomach, and intestines, and various types of pneumonia. Besides all these troubles, there are the ever-present round worm eggs.

HENRY'S HOMECOMING PERFECT

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THE Ladies' Aid society of the Middleton Methodist church was in a high state of excitement. They had appointed themselves the committee to arrange for the dinner on the occasion of Henry Brewster's visit to his home town on Thursday—Henry Brewster, president of the M., L. & M. railroad, the Henry Brewster they had known as a boy, born and brought up in Middleton, but who had left there twenty-five years ago to seek his fortune. The townspeople of Middleton still claimed him for their own and had followed his brilliant career faithfully. They had named the park down by the depot Brewster park, for had not Henry Brewster's railroad brought Middleton out of the shadows? And now he was coming home—just for a few hours, it is true, but nevertheless, Middleton was preparing to receive her illustrious son!

The good ladies of the "Aid" were assembled in the Sunday school room.

"Of course—soup and chicken," said Mrs. Ezra Miller, president of the "Aid," and ten voices echoed, "soup and chicken."

"William says they have new fancy olives down at the store, and we can send to Davisburg for hearts of celery, also salted almonds. I'll bring over my currant jelly and sweet cucumber pickles," volunteered Mrs. Annie Smithers, "and I'll make the salad dressing for the cabbage salad."

"Mashed potatoes, gravy . . . and maybe some scalloped potatoes . . . more tasty, don't you think? 'n' squash, hot biscuit, some clover honey, maybe. I remember Henry was fond of it as a boy . . ."

"Mince pie 'n' pumpkin pie with whipped cream and coffee . . ."

Libbie Adams, Middleton's "old maid," bent her head over her sewing. Libbie was one of the "Aid's" most active members, but today she had remained silent.

"Seems you should take a little interest in Henry's coming," spoke up Mrs. Adams. "You used to be such good friends, sweethearts almost, raised together as you were, Libbie."

"You haven't left me much to say," replied Libbie dryly. "Dinner all planned, banners and town hall—parade—speeches—I haven't had much to say in planning for Henry."

"Well, you might say the plans are satisfactory. It's no small matter, an affair like this, especially for a big man like Henry."

"That's just it. If I had anything to say about it, I would make it a home affair. A good dinner right down in this dining room of the church he attended as a boy, forget all the fuss and feathers. I'm in favor of letting Henry forget he is a rich man, the president of the railroad, a personage. I'd do away with the speeches and banners and fussing; just remind him he is home again among old friends, and forget the chicken and hearts of celery and fancy olives."

"What! Not have chicken?"

"Oh, have it your own way, folks; but I knew Henry Brewster better than all the rest of you. We both lived with my Aunt Minnie for eleven years after his folks died. Don't change your plans. He will appreciate it—"

"But not have—chicken," repeated Mrs. Miller incredulously.

"Henry probably eats chicken every day of his life. Chicken isn't a treat for city folks. But as I said, just go on . . ."

"But what could we have—if not chicken?"

Libbie continued to sew, and there was silence for a moment.

"'Pears like maybe Libbie is right," spoke up timid little Mrs. Potter. "I presume he does have chicken at all those banquets and such. But I can remember when he used to come here to the church socials—how he would eat! 'Pears like Libbie may be right."

The "Aid" turned to Libbie expectantly. "Well, suppose you tell us what you have in mind, Libbie," said Mrs. Adams briskly and a trifle sourly. Mrs. Adams was not accustomed to having her plans questioned. "We haven't much time. Here it is Monday and Henry coming Thursday."

Libbie Adams folded her sewing and placed it carefully in her bag. She placed her thimble in its case and wound up a spool of thread. Then she spoke:

"I didn't mean to have you change your plans, folks, but you asked me 'n' I told you. Now, if you will let me take over the dinner for Henry, I'll do it. I'll get everything ready, do the buying and all that and you can settle afterward, but Henry's dinner—won't be—expensive. I am going to give him what he used to say was 'the best meal under the sun and moon.' I can just hear him say it."

As they were about to disband, Libbie added:

"You folks come down here about eleven and see that the table is all right and fix the flowers and all that. I am glad it is fall so we can have asters. Henry used to be so fond of asters and had a bed of them right alongside of the path to the barn."

One by one the ladies of the "Aid" came down the stairs of the church that Thursday morning, sniffed, stopped, sniffed again, advanced another step, stopped and stood still! And then in a chorus, a despairing chorus, they spoke just two words: "Sauerkraut!"

Libbie Adams was bending over the stove, her face flushed prettily with the heat. Six juicy elderberry pies, steaming hot, were lined up on the table. She laughed at the dismayed faces before her. Then she bent over and opened the oven door. Two great baking pails, the largest to be found in Middleton, held Henry Brewster's dinner. Sauerkraut and spareribs!

"I'm mixing up the dumplings now," she informed them. "The biscuits are in the oven and the coffee is ready. Will you put the cream on the table—and the flowers? It is train time now and the men have gone to meet Henry. Well! What's the matter. You look scared to death!"

The president of the M., L. & M. railroad laughed like a boy as he came down the stairs into the basement dining room of the church.

"By George! It takes me back to the days when I was a kid. Never ate such good things in my life as we had down here at those church suppers." He stopped short. "What—do—I—smell? Not sauerkraut! Don't tell me—sauerkraut—I can never stand the disappointment if it happens—to—be chicken! Not sauerkraut—honest?—By George!"

He sat at the head of the table surrounded by his old friends. His face was radiant. The minister asked grace and out in the hot kitchen Libbie Adams bent her head, her hands pressed tight to her breast. Then she and Mrs. Miller picked up the great steaming platters and entered the dining room. Henry Brewster looked up, pushed back his chair, and rose to his feet. He took the platter from Libbie's hands, deposited it carefully on the table, and then turned and held both her hands in his.

"Libbie, my old friend—my chum . . . you make this homecoming perfect! I have been thinking about you all these years . . . have wanted to come back . . . and now I am—home. Those years have been kind to you, Libbie . . . and we will talk about the ones to come after we have had dinner . . . and there is room right here by me—for you."

An hour later he pushed back his pie plate and leaned back contentedly in his chair.

"The homecoming—perfect! Home town . . . home folks . . . best meal under the sun and moon . . . sauerkraut and elderberry pie . . . and Libbie Adams right here beside me again . . ."

Good Health Maxims Found in Gypsy Lore

A codification of the rules of health, so modern in its spirit that it would appear to have been prepared by present-day scientists, has been found in gypsy lore more than 2,500 years old. The American Magazine, publishing these gypsy health rules for the first time in English, recommends them to the consideration of all who seek physical normalcy.

The gypsy health doctrine is based on the fundamental theory that there is no more dangerous sickness than sadness. As a matter of fact, the gypsy language has no word for "sick." Instead of saying, "He is sick unto death," the gypsy says, "He is sad unto death."

In the gypsy code, happiness means health. A modern scientist, commenting on this ancient health rule, says: "It is only recently that science has discovered that the gastric juices are influenced by the mental condition of the individual, and that food wetted with tears is like poison to the body; that the quality of the food is not half so important as the mental condition of the eater. The gypsy, it appears, has known this for thousands of years."

Investigators for the magazine, studying the gypsy application of these health rules, report: "It is a well-known fact that gypsies eat foods that would kill any white man, yet when a gypsy is not hungry he cannot be made to eat even a morsel. The gypsy wonders that we can eat when we are not hungry, or drink when we are not thirsty; he wonders that we can remain alive after doing so."

One of the gypsy health rules says: "The poison is not in the food; it is in the mouth of the eater."

Plea for Rights of Child

The "child's bill of rights" is the aim of the American Child Health association. "The ideal to which we should strive is that there shall be no child in America that has not been born under proper conditions; that does not live in hygienic surroundings; that ever suffers undernourishment; that does not have prompt and efficient medical attention and inspection; that does not receive primary instructions in the elements of hygiene and good health; that has not the complete birthright of a sound mind in a sound body; that has not the encouragement to express in fullest measure the spirit within, which is the final endowment of every human being."

Mendelssohn's Greatness

Mendelssohn advanced and widened the field of philosophy and criticism by his original and productive work. He was a bright star in the realm of philosophy and many great men that rose later used him, not only as a source of knowledge, but also as a source of inspiration. He was inspired with a holy and pure zeal for deeper knowledge and for truth.

As a German philosopher, he was the first to write in a clear style and in an excellent language many important philosophic problems. He formed the basis of philosophic and esthetic criticism in Germany.—Boston Herald.

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Hazel News

Mr. and Mrs. Knutson and daughter Arlene, and Olaf Thorsen visited at J. Gilbertsons Saturday evening.

Mrs. Knutson and Mrs. A. Anderson shopped at Plummer Wednesday. They returned on the evening's train.

Annie Alberg visited at Mrs. E. E. Anderson Thursday.

Wm Gilberson of White Bear, Sask. came Saturday morning to visit with friends and relatives near and in Hazel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard drove to Thief River Falls, Thursday afternoon to shop.

Wm. Gilbertson visited at the Knutson home Wednesday evening.

John Qvale was a business caller in Hazel, Thursday.

Mrs. O. Odegaard visited at Mrs. E. E. Anderson Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Emil Thune visited at Ole Odegaard home last Monday.

Little Stanley Roese who is ill with bronchial pneumonia is reported much better. We all wish for him a speedy recovery.

Clarence Anderson, of Black River was in Hazel Tuesday and Wednesday hauling wood for Oscar Seeland, who has been ill this winter as result of blood poisoning in his band.

Evelyn Peterson and Marie Kolseth who attend High School in St. Hilaire hiked to Hazel Thursday after school. They visited at Ole Odegaard home and returned to St. Hilaire that evening.

Environment

While it is illuminating to see how environment molds men, it is absolutely essential that men regard themselves as molders of their environment.—Lippman.

Little Job First

Xanthippe, wife of Socrates, had a realistic mind and believed that a man should provide for his family before rearranging the universe.—American Magazine.

Troubles of a Philosopher

There are so many things I wish to do; so few I am able to do. And the selections I make to work are not very satisfactory.—Ed Howe's Monthly.

Enjoying One's Work

The secret of life is not to do what one likes, but to try to like that which one has to do; and one does like it—in time.—Dinah Mulock Craik.

Perfected Machine Gun

The first modern practical machine gun was invented by Doctor Gatling of Chicago in 1862, and it was put into general use about 18[illegible].

Hazel News

Miss Beatrice Lokken visited Saturday evening at the C. Alberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Peterson were visitors at Thief River Falls Sunday.

Mr. Gust Gustafson visited Thursday at the C. Alberg home.

Mrs. O. Odegaard and Miss Anna Alberg visited Friday at the A. Anderson home.

Mr. Hjlmar Berg visited at the Hjlmar Finstad home Sunday afternoon.

Anna Alberg visited Wednesday afternoon at the Asp home.

Mary Jane Johnson and Arlene Knutson visited at Adrian Anderson on Saturday. Arlene remaining until Sunday evening.

Annie Anderson and Inez Hollon called at B. T. Johnson on Saturday.

Arthur Anderson was at E. Knutson as supper guest Sunday evening.

Mr. C. Alberg visited at the M. Lokken home Saturday evening.

Kenneth, Vernon, and Lloyd Finstad visited at the C. Asp home Sunday.

Wm. Gilbertson visited at Hana Fredrickson on Saturday afternoon and night.

Mrs. E. Peterson visited at Thief River Falls Friday and returned Saturday morning accompanied by her sister Esther Larson who went back to her home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Finstad and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. Peterson, and Kenneth Finstad visited at C. Alberg home Sunday afternoon and evening.

A party was held Saturday evening at Henry Sandberg home, in honor of Anton Peterson who celebrated his 64th birthday that day. The following were present; Anton Peterson, son Hjalmer and grandson Kenneth Kratz; Mr. and Mrs. O. Odegaard, Frank, Alvin and Anna Peterson.

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The personal or family budget would be more popular if it actually increased the income, instead of only seeming to do so.—Miami Herald.

Leading to Unhappiness

People who are very vain are usually susceptible; and they who feel one thing acutely, will so feel another.—Bulwer-Lytton.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

Too Much Emphasis Put On Declaration of Age?

The demand of pahlic officials that the citizen declare bis sge on every pretext is a piece of obnoxious bnreaucracy. You do not need to tell yaur exact age in order to vote. The women saw to that in short order. But you must tell it in order to obtain a motor vehicle license.

Two million persons in the next few months will need to write down their ages for the perusal of license bnrean clerks or any traffic officer. The plea that this is necessary for palice purposes is ridiculans. Identification can be made by other means in emergencies. A crook who was trying to "beat" identification wonld not be greatly distressed uy this requirement.

Dr. Churles E. Jeffersan af the Broadway Tabernacle church, spoke out two years ago against age requirements on passports, licenses and the like. If more would speak out, a chaage to a proper hasia would be speedy.

Persons might be required to state if they are "of age." But that is sufficient.—New York American.

Mending Fishing Nets Not for Modern Wives

The modern wife is handicopping fishing in the Fife district of Scotland. An unprecedented situation is developing in several fishing towns due to a shortage of women copable of mending the herring nets. The shortage became ncute during the preparotions for the fishing now in progress at Yarmouth, when great difficulty was experienced in obtaining the necessary assistance to repair the nets. When a well-known Cellardyke fisherman was osked to give a reoson for the shortage, his reply was given in three words, "The modern wife!" The young fisher girls hove never learned to mend the nets, ond consequently the services of the older women, whose numbers ore steodily diminishing, nre in great demand. Apparently there is na desire omang the young wives to learn this duty.

"Lucile is the Happiest Girl"

So many mothers nowodays talk abont giving their children fruit juices, as if this were o new discovery. As a motter of fact, for over fifty yeors, mothers hove been occamplishing results for surpassing anything yon con secure fram home prepored fruit juices, by using pure, wholesome Californio Fig Syrnp, which is prepared under the most exocting laborotory supervision from ripe Californio Figs, richest of all fruits in laxotive and nourishing properties.

It's morvelons to see how bilious, weak, feverish, sollow, constipoted, under-nonrished children respond to its gentle influence; how their breoth clears up, color flames in their cheeks, and they become sturdy, playful, energetic ogain. A Western mother, Mrs. H. J. Stoll, Volley P. O., Nebraska, says: "My little danghter, Romo Lncile, was canstipoted from babyhood. I became worried about her and decided ta give her some California Fig Syrnp. It stopped her constipation qnick; and the way it improved her color ond made her pick up mode me realize how run-down she had been. She is so sturdy ond well now, and always in snch good bnmor that neighbors say she's the happiest girl in the West."

Like oll good things, Californio Fig Syrup is imitoted, but you can olways get the genuine by looking for the name "California" on the corton.

A Sign

Judge Thomas F. Grohom, San Francisco's "greot reconciler"—he has reconciled hnndreds of parted couples —said in an argument about marriage:

"The yonng are too cynicol obont marrioge. A girl af seventeen or so asked o grass widow of twenty-seven:

"'When a good man mokes love to yon, is it alwoys o sign thot he wants ta marry you?'

"'Yes, darling,' loughed the grnss widow, 'and when he stops making love to you it is olways o sign thot the morrioge has token ploce.'"

Paradise at North Polo

Persistent Eskimo stories of the existence of a tropical paradise near the North pole nre obont to be investigoted by a scientific expedition which will endeavor to locate the spot af it exists. It is sold that there is a green valley beyond the Bering stroit which is rich with vegetation ond the habits of some of the migroting hirds indicate that there is a possibility thot such ploces exist.

Cats or dogs entering Howoii, except those from New Zealand and Australia are held in qnorantine for 120 doys.

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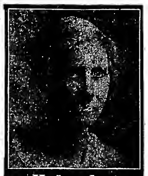
She—Sa yau are anather af thase people who began with nothing.



Helped at Change of Life

"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a wonderful medicine at the Change of Life. I would get blue spells and just walk the floor. I was nervous, could not sleep at night, and was not able to do my work. I know if it had not been for your medicine I would have been in bed most of this time and had a big doctor's bill. If women would only take your medicine they would be better."—*Mrs. Anna Weaver, R. F. D. No. 2, Rose Hill, Iowa.*

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DORIS' WINDOW HOME

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DORIS WELLS, drawing herself up as tall as her 4 feet 11 inches would permit, walked janntily along a bnsy downtown street. Na one conld hava guessed fram her cheerful expression that she wished this city street wonld turn into Main street, Wendemere, by a sudden wave af some fairy wand.

In Windemere a girl could be 4 feet or 6 feet tall and she canld get a stenagrapher's joh anybaw if she could take her sharthand notes and read them fast enongh later at the typewriter. But in the city it seemed that business men had more compassianate hearts—if ona could call it thot, taking away n girl's jab becanse she wos so tiny!

Only that morning Doris had heen writing ot her mochine when the manager come to her desk: "Get your time, Miss Wells. We have onother girl for yonr desk. I'm sorry, bnt I just con't stand it to see a girl as little as yau are daing that mammoth amonnt of work every day! It's too much for yau."

A hundred answers hod sprung ta Daris' lips: Wasn't it better ta have a hard jab than nane at all? Hodn't she done the work well, cleaning np everything at 5:30 every evening hefore she left for the day? The girl who had held the position before her had often enough hod eight or ten letters left far the next morning. Doris knew this by the soiled-looking notehook thot the ather girl had left hehind her.

And back in Wendemere—Doris sighed. She could have kept on with her joh there only it hod sickened her ta see the girls all making such o deod "set" at Woyne Griswold. Wayne Griswald was the son of the town's mayor. The mayor owned the lumber yord, the coal yord, the ice plont, was president of one hank and a director on the board of the other one—oh, Wayne Griswald was undouhtedly o good "catch" ond well worth hunting down, bnt Doris wonld never hunt down ony man, she told herself.

Time hnd been when Woyne osked her to go to oll the school parties, hut that had been before the girls had started osking him boldly ond boldly if he didn't want to take them. And Wayne, like mony anather man, liked flattery.

At this mament Doris passed a windaw where a large, sulien girl was thrawing flaur an a bright green rug before she ran the sweeper over the flonr ta prave ta the onlookers what a good vacuum wos for sole within. The manager of the store, to guess from his nssured beoring, entered the window at this instant ond sold something that apparently displeased the demanstrotor. Probobly he had told the girl to smile far he bared his awn fine teeth os an example.

The girl stared at him caldly far a moment, shrugged her shonlders ond threw with some temper all the flour in the box at hond on the green corpet ond walked aut af the little daor at the back of tha window. Doria smiled. She almast ran inta the shop.

"That demonstrotor hos left her job?" she osked of the man who wos by now fallawing the lorge girl ont af the window.

"Yes," he sold shortly.

"Then I'd like the job," said Doris promptly.

"But yon—yon're too little to stand there all day demonstrating that thing," he said danbtfully.

"It daesn't take any greot amount of strength to run a vacuum bock and forth," said Doris, "ond, besides, when people see a tiny woman doing the wark they will bove na donbt that can do it if they are of even ardinary size."

"Yon win," sold the man, grinning. "Ready ta wark now?"

"All ready," said Doris. "Only that's a silly window advertisement, if yau hoppen to ask my opinion. Sensible folks don't pour flonr an a gaod rug and then toke it np ogain. That display doesn't come within folks' experience. Now if yon put a little portion between the two halves of the windaw and made ane half np ta laak like a garden with a large sond box, and, soy, a couple of puppies playing in the sand—o couple of hones wonld insnre there digging there—ond then have me at the piano or ot a sewing table where the dogs run in, bringing sand on their feet. I clean np tha sand with the vacuum and—presto—the sales will run np something amazing."

"We'll try it," the mou assented. "I'm uot sure it will work, but sales have been a little slow—"

"Yes, becanse people have seen thot flour stunt so often thot they pass right by the window," said Doris. "Mare than thot, folks alwoys stop to laok at dogs."

Daris enjoyed arranging the window. They had let dawn a drop like a stage drop to hide them while they worked at the sand and garden part of it. Tall hallybacks nadded at e back fence of cardboard.

"Yan can let the curtain up again while I straighten out the living roam part," said Doris, "there's nn use wasting gaad time when people are passing tha windaw"

"I believe it's going ta wark," tha manager said, enthusiastically. "And I'm telling yon that something had to wark and sell cleaners around this shop or I—I waa going to he on the nutside looking in instead of inside looking out!"

Doris pulled over a little sewing table close ta tha comfartable davenport and sat dawn to wait there until the dags got their feet covered with the dampened sand. She did not notice a familiar face outside of tha windaw looking at her in amazement. She could hear vaices in the stora and she smiled. That meant cnstomers!

When the little door at the back af the windaw opened sha turned her head. Was tha manager coming ta congratulate her on her idea or to dismiss her as he had dismissed the other demanstratar? When her amazed eyes saw Wayne Griswald there she sat dawn again rather suddenly in the deep cushions.

"If yau want ta make a bame sa much," Wayne was saying awkwardly, "why dan't yau make one far us, instead of a windaw hame for every Tom, Dick and Harry to stare at?"

"I take it that this is a proposal?" said Doris with a little smile at his embarrassment.

"You take it rightly," he said, grimly. "And yon come along with me or I'll kiss yon right in the window for every one ta see! The idea of yaur chasing off to the city here without telling me your address! Only the merest chance that I found yon at all!"

"But—bnt," stammered the atore's manager when Doris resigned a few moments later, "I—yau can't leave now! The sales are beginning ta ponr in. I'll tell yon—I'll take yon both an and we'll have a real domestic scene!"

"My fother is mayar af Wendemere," said Wayne Griswold coldly.

"Is thot so?" asked the manoger. "I never heard of the town, bnt I'd make you the same offer if your dad were moyar of onr city! That girl bas idea—"

And the last Doris sow of her joh the manager was pnshing the vocunm cleaner back and farth over the sand the dogs had brought in and a hand-lettered sign said: "My wife's away!"

Roaming Buffalo Once Looked Upon as Pest

New Zealand complains that it has too many deer and wild pigs and not ennugh hnnters. Red deer imported to the conntry bave retired to mountain fastnesses, multiplied rapidly and now descend on farms ond grazing lands. The gavernment, to affard some relief, hos sent ont shooting parties ane of which got 700 deer and another 500 deer. The hides of these animals were sold at $1 eoch, bnt no mentian is made of the destinatian of the venison.

What the deer overlook the wild pigs root np. So great ara the ravages af these descendants af dacile British porkers that the government pays a baunty af 25 cents far each snont turned in, bnt the farmers complain that there seems ta be na diminution in the nnmbers af the wild pigs.

Perhaps it is merely a claver advertisement of New Zealand as a poradise for hnnters. It hos that attractive sonnd. Bnt if there is situation as bod as pictured, the New Zealanders shonld not give up hope of early relief. Just recently W. A. Hay, a veteron of the Civil war, who has lived in the Black Hills since tha early '70s, wos complaining af the buffala in the early days. "We wera held up three days and three nights going through ane buffala herd ond all the time we conld either beor or see bnffalos." That was fifty yeors ago ond now the anly buffalos in the Black hills are those in the state pork for the tonrist to goze ot. Fifty yeors hence New Zealand will ba urging conservation of game and passing laws for clased seasons.

Under Boots

"Boots!" called the guest in the canntry hotel, thrnsting his heod out af his bedroom daor. "Boots!"

There was no reply to his coll, jast as there had been none to his ringing of the bell. He colled ogain ond ogoin ond at last a amall boy in a mnch be-buttoned uniform appeared.

The guest laaked him np and dawn.

"I want the baats. Yau're nat the boats, snrely!"

"No, sir," said the bay, "I'm the socks."

"Socks!" cried the guest. "What do yan mean by that?"

"Yon see, sir," answered the boy, "I'm under the boats!"—Montreal Star.

Early Episcopal Bishop

The first Protestant Episcopal bishop ta be consecrated in the United States after the breok with the English chnrch was Samnel Seabury, wha was sent ta England to ba consecrated bishop of Connecticut, but the English bishop fonnd a difficulty in consecrating ane unable to take the prescribed aatb (which inclndes fealty). Thereupon Seabnry repaired ta the nanjnring bishop of Scotland and wos consecrated November, 1784, at Aberdeen, Scotland, by Bishops Robert J. Kilgore, Arthur Petrie ond John Skinner. Later Dactors Provast and Wood were consecroted by the archbishop af Canterbury in 1787.

Dr. Phelp's Anti-Dog Weapon

When I took my first bicycle tonr in Germany, I naticed that the German wheelmen carried a whip in a receptacle attached to the handlebars. Upan inquiry, it was for dogs. I carried no whip, for I faund a more excellent way. When chased by infuriated dags, which happened three or four times avery day, I waited 'till the monster got close. Then leaning over, I spit in his eye, hecoming with practice nncannily accurate. The animal invariably retired. It wasn't the heat, it was the humidity.—William Lyon Phelps in Scribner's Magazine.

Any COLD

That cold may lead to something serious, if neglected. The time to do something for it is *now*. Don't wait until it develops into bronchitis. Take two or three tablets of Bayer Aspirin as soon as you feel a cold coming on. Or as soon as possible after it starts. Bayer Aspirin will head off or relieve the aching and feverish feeling—will stop the headache. And if your throat is affected, dissolve two or three tablcts in a quarter-glassful of warm water, and gargle. This quickly soothes a sore throat and reduces inflammation and infection. Read proven directions for neuralgia, for rheumatism and other aches and pains. Genuine Bayer Aspirin is harmless to the heart.

BAYER ASPIRIN

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How Could She Know!

Husbond—How long will it toke you to dress?

Wife—How much time have yau?

Railroads in United States

Counting all sidings, yards and multiple tracks, there ore approximately 375,000 miles.—New York Telegram.

How A College Athlete Keeps Himself Well

BOB DEMING of Colgate, claims that a sensihla methad of health has really mada life a pleasure for him. Mr. Deming writes that at first be could nat helieve this simpla thing was the causa of his huoyant spirits. Finally, hawever, he had to admit that it was Nujol which was keeping him well, hesides giving him, as be says, "five times the vitality."

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Robert O. Deming
fancy diver on Colgate University Swimming Team

Interested

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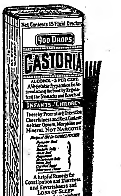
"And how does that differ from the regulor game?"

Case of Necessity

When a modern girl buys a spool of thread she may not intend to mend anything. She may need a new clothesline.—Pathfinder Magazine.

The upsets of Children



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IN JAMAICA

Home, Sweet Homs, In Rural Jamaica.

(Prepered by the Netionel Geogrephlc Society, Washington, D. C.)

THE fertility of rural Jamaice effords such abundant food for slight exertion, and the mild climote requires so little shelter, that this erea is a typical region of little work end mnch rest.

The Jomolca negro can exist and subsist with slight exertion—end he does. In the rural sea-level districts in perticular there is no need for steedy exertion the year round.

House rent demands no place, generally speoking, in the rural dwelling Jamaican hlack's hudget. He can huild his owu bome of heavy grass and thatch it witb hanana leaves, or he con make it of mud and thetcb, with cobbled floor. The more prosperous among the netives build wood houses out of old packing cases, scraps of cast-off corrugated roofing, flattened kerosene-csn tin, and tbe like. Tropicol vines soon hide tbe patchwork, for Dame Nature is a great healer of acars.

Nor is clothing a pressing problem with tbe rural hlacks. The children msy run naked during tbe tender years. The womenfolk dress in cotton gowns, which they wear as long as there is a piece left, barring Snndoys, wben they appeor neotly end becomingly attired, and those occasions when they go into the city to market. The men wear long cotton drawers or the remains of trousering, shady shirts, and battered, frayed straw hats; bnt, in good sooth, wbo cares?

Now and then in passing elong tha roads oae has a flash of a turhaned figure of the East, or his shy womenkind in beod scorf with silver ornaments on erm and ankle and now and tben a nose jewel, giving a tonch of oriental atmospbere to tha mellow scenery.

Earned Money in Panama.

The huilding of the Panama canel afforded the Jamaican negro an opportunity to earn some money, and at the aome time to see what he thonght was quite a bit of the world. Dnring the construction period almost every ship that sailed from Kingston to Colon hod its quota of workmen hound for the Conal Zone.

On the whole, the rural Jemaican negro is a likahle individual; quite as irresponsible as e ehild, nsually as much given to exoggeration; indifferent enough to modernity to be picturesque, respectful and retiring enough to be interesting; and one retoins pleasant memories of the natives, content to he what they are, and as e class, law-abiding in major matters, however mnch tbey may indulge in petty misdemeanors.

One may charter a sturdy antomohile at e really reasonahle price for a tour oround the island, leaving Kingston over a road tbat follows the coast almost its entire length. Presently, at Harhor Head, one comes to the Navol Watering place established hy Admiral Vernon, nnder whom served Lawrence Washington and for wbom our shrine on the Potomac, Mount Vernon, was named. The old conduit is still visible.

A little farther on is Albion, one of Jamaica's bistoric sugar estates, and beyond ile Yallahs and Morant hay, the latter witb its reminders and memories of the Rebellion of 1865, in which Gordon essayed to he the John Brown of Jemaica.

Swinging along a road over which yon con comfortahly moke 25 miles oo honr isn't e hardship, hy any means, especially wben the roedway passes through a heeutiful country dotted with quaint villages and Old World scenes.

Ahout 40 miles from Kingston, in the porish of St. Thomas, is the little town of Bath, and nearby certain mineral bot springs tbat are justly famous for tbeir curative properties and made this beantiful spot a gathering piece for Jamaican aristocracy as far beck ae two hnndred years.

Port Antonio Worth Seeing.

Beyond, on the eastern extremity of the island, is Manchioneal, the scene of some of the exploits of Scott's "Tom Cringle." And then, oe yon motor along the foot of the John Crow mountains, past the Blne Hole, which so well deserves its name, eye-filling vistas of nnrivaled beanty in the great baya and mountain side are anfolded, and in a very few hours, that all too qaickly pass, Port Antonio looms into view, with its splendid two harbors, the westernmost of which is the best in the island.

In 1721 strennous efforts were made by the Jamaican government to establish a settlement there. Thirty acres for every white person were offered end five aeres for every slave imported, provided some part of each trect shonld be cultivated. This failing to bring enough immigrants, in 1723 two harrels of beef and one berrel of flour were edded as a bonus. Later fonr barrels of beef and 400 pounds of biscnit, or bread, were offered to each white newcomer, and one harrel of herrings and 400 ponnds of bresd for each slave.

It is worth while to linger a dey or more at Port Antonio to enjoy the glorious scenery and creature comforts with the winter tonrists who flock to the eherming Titchfield hotel, twin of the Myrtlebank at Kingston; then to head westward along ths coast to Annotto bay.

Here Columbus Had to Land.

Yon ride elong psst Annotto bay and Port Maria, the center of the north side banana industry, and where en additional annaal treasnre is gained by a hamper cocoant crop, which is, perheps, reflected in tha well-heing of both the homes and dress of the nativa workers; and just ebead lies St. Anns hay, where "Still there walks the ghost of one that ate his heart in exile here—Don Cristoforo Colon, 400 years ago."

As one stands on the shore et St. Anns bay aad looks ont across the Carihhean, he fancies be sees approaching again two weather-heaten, worm-eaten caravals, the Capitana and the Santiago de Pelos. They fly the flag of the Greet Discoverer.

In June, 1503, he had hidden his last farewell to the mainland of the New World he had added to civiliztion, and had bolsted hia sails for Spain. Passing the Ceyman islands, which ha named Las Tortngas, 180 miles off Jamaica, Colnmbus encountered a great storm. He was forced to run hefore it. Hoping to find shelter at Jamaica, he finally reached what is now called Dry Herhor. He fonnd no fresh water here, so went on to St. Anna hsy, which he called Paerto Santa Gloria, and there ran his ships on the heach in one of its coves.

Finelly ths food ahoard and that supplemented by the near-by Indians gove out, and after the last ration of hiscuit and wine had heen issned the edmiral's faithfnl follower, Diego Mendez, started ont throngh the jnngle on a trading expeditioa which netted a scant fare, hut enough to keep awey starvation, even if not sufficient to appease hunger.

Columbus then called for volnnteers to try for Haiti, some 200 miles away, in search of succor. All were silent hut the gallant Mendez. He stepped into a small ship'a hoat and rowed away!

Sickness and Mutiny.

Then sickness and body ills hronght despair and mutiny. The hrothers Porras (Francisco, captain of the Santiogo, and Diego, the nccountant) led a revolt in which Jnan Senchez, the pilot Ledesma, berba the gunner, and some fifty others joined.

Thongh so ill with gont that he conld not stand, Colnmhus endeavored to go ont end quell the mntiny, his log tells us. Bnt his adherenta hegged that the mntineers be permitted to go.

They took most of the acanty stores, the ten canoes and started for Haiti; bnt, cowards that they were, they gave np the trip after forcing the Indians who accompanied them to swim ashore.

A caravel heaves into sight! Ia it the long-looked-for relief sent by Mendez? Alas, no! Only a sorry jest hy Ovanda, who eent for Escober in the hope he wonld find Columbns dead, and, if not, to tell him there were no ships availahle to carry them to Spain.

Hearing that Porras and his mntineers were going aboat making enemies of the natives, Colnmbns sent the adelantado, Bartolome, either to pacify or to conqner the deserters. Bartolome took 50 loyal men and going egainst them captnred the mntineers. Yet Colamhns, with his usnal clemency, granted pardon to all except the hrothers Porras, whom he kept in chains.

Finally, a full year after be had landed there, the eyes of the admiral saw another sight—two caravals, one sent hy the faithful Mendez, and the other hy Ovanda, who had repented his previous aorry attitude.

So it was, on Jnne 28, 1504, after 12 months and 4 days of a wretched, stranded existence at Jamaica, Christopher Columhus sailed home again, never more to look upon the world he had discovered.

CAPITAL AND LABOR BROTHERS

By GOVERNOR WILLIAM G. CONLEY, West Virginia.

ALL who labor in any capacity can clasp hands in a common brotherhood. The comforts we enjoy today, the commerce that penetrates the distant seas, the glory of onr civilization that adorns the earth, are all prodncts of lahor and thonght and action.

Legislation looking toward the betterment of those who work with their hands has heen passed. Formerly they lahored long hours with their hands and freqnently in unsanitary and dangerons places. The hours of lahor have heen reduced frcm 12 and 10 to 8 hours a day, and in some occnpations less. Sefeguerds as to health, life and limb are thrown around those who work in shops and manufactnring plants.

These laws are constantly being broadened so that better conditions prevail today in all lines of employment than ever hefore. Lahor and capital nnderstand each other better today than ever hefore, and I believe that the time is near when labor and capital will go hand in hand in working for the advantage of each other, which will enable them to render better service to the public.

Lahor and capital really constitute a partnership. One cannot get along very well withont the other, and as this fact is becoming hetter and hetter known, a more friendly feeling exists, and conditions generally are improved.

I wonder if we fully appreciate the fact that the age-long struggle of humanity to be frce was consnmmated in the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States, and that the eternal truths there proclaimed locked the gates against oppression so long as we stand inspired with the consnming desire for liberty and freedom.

MIND MATTER OF RELATIVITY

By DONALD A. LAIRD, Colgate University.

Physical differences are as nothing compared with the enormous differences that may be found in mentality. Education does not seem to improve one's regular equipment of brains. Children who are found by tests to have a little less than the usual modicum of hrains in the first grade are still a little behind when they are in the fifth grade, and in case they reach the eighth grade, they still tcst a little below.

Intelligence is not increased by going to college. Neither is it a chance affair. Parents with hrains mnch above the average have children with hrains much above the average. Brains seem to he quite definitely inherited, just as eye color, stature or temperament.

If education does not improve intelligence, what makes college men successful? Of hnndreds of thousands of men in the army during mohilization the average score was 65. After the war the same test was given to a large number of students entering collcge for the first time. The average score by these freshmen was 150.

This does not mean that the college freshman has twice as much intelligence as the army man, since the army score does not start with zero intelligence. But this difference does mean that the ordinary college man is much better equipped with hrains than the ordinary man on the streets.

CUPID'S RULE UNSHAKEN

By WILLIAM F. OGBURN, University of Chicago.

This hard-boiled generation, gencrally supposed to he cynical and disillusioned, is still sentimental ahont marriage. What's more, it's more sentimental than ever, for in the old days marriage used to be a husiness proposition, while today it's entirely a matter of sentiment.

A man picking a wife nsed to ascertain that she could make sonp, weave his clothes, tend to him when he was ill, and teach his children. He got a doctor, a factory, a drug store, a teacher and a general handy man. Now he gets only affection.

There used to be seven ties holding families together—the economic tie, ties of protection, education, religion, social status, recreation and affection. Today there's only affection, for the others have become comparative non-essentials in marriage.

In 50 years the cooking stove, like the spindle and the loom, will have left the home.

City life has removed recreation from the home. We have football, basketball, dances, until the family fireside is little more than a tradition.

Whether the single tie of affection will keep families together I am very douhtful; from my own studies I should say that in 50 years one out of every five marriages will end in divorce.

TEACHING A NEW MORALITY

By DR. MINOT SYMONS (Unitarian).

New prophets of the new morality, like Walter Lippman, are voicing the new anthority. The skeptics and the rehellious can go their way, hut, unless their way is the way of life's hest things, life will hring them to unhappiness and defeat. Moral anarchy is worse than moral infancy. Multitudes of modern youth, and of modern men and women, are moral infants and life will show them no mercy.

The teachers that the new generation will hear are they who can reveal the consequences of conduct, who can scientifically study and summarize snch conseqnences, and then can say with authority that cannot he denied: "Desires do not say the last word. Experience says the last word." A good deal already has heen said. If yon ignore it, yon will suffer the conseqnences.

"MECHANICAL BOYS AND GIRLS"

By DR. E. C. HARTWELL, Superintendent Buffalo Schools.

Too many persons helieve schools should turn out rohots—mechanical boys and girls. Over and over again I hear men protesting that graduates of high schools enter husiness and cannot do this, that, and the other thing with the efficiency expected of them. Of conrse, they cannot, and the quicker men get this philosophy ont of their heads, the hetter it will he for them and for the system of edncation.

Years ago children were tanght that snccess was fame, distinction and wealth. Today we know that theory is wrong, and that it is our dnty to train them so that in later life they may be happy human beings.

Community Building

Here's Opportunity for Highway Associations

Secretary of Agriculture Hyde, in his annual report, reminds the country of n recent amendment to tbe federal highwey ect, which provides that the federal governmeut may pay half the cost of planting trees along tha highways. No state yet hos taken odvantage of this provision, althougb there is nn increosing sentiment in favor of highway shelter and beautification from trees.

Official state co-operation in this plan necessarily will he slow, for the reason the state legislatures will need to act. While the cost is relatively small, there will he states with lorge ohligations and limited revenues that moy hesitate to meet at once the federal government's offer. Yet there ara few expenditures, aside from those that are imperative, that would go so far in making the states attractive to their own people and to tbose who go on tour.

Regardless of what states may do, there is an immediate opportunity for the numerous highway associations. Snch nn ossocintion os tlint formed by the cities, towns ond communities along highway 71, which already is committed to putting this highway in order, has on its program, at least tentatively, the planting of trees. Such an nssociation, with comparatively small funds end with the allowance and co-operation of the government, could in e short time plont miles of intelligently selected shade trees. Once tbe owners of londs aloag the roads appreciate the importance of sceoic attractiveness, there should be a considerable planting on their own account.—Konsas City Stor.

Conditions That Make Small Town Desirable

The smoll city does not lack defenders, hut they seldom come from the ranks of big husiness. When a railroad president declares that it is not size that counts, hut livableness, be deserves to he listened to.

President Thomas Powell of the Chicago & Eastern Illinois, in an article in the Nation's Business, lists these community requirements: Pure water, a complete sewer system, well-paved streets, good school, fair taxes, a good public library system, parks, and an "artistic spirit strong enough to keep them clean," a sensible building code, good churches.

"All these advantages," he thinks, "can be obtoined more effectively in a small city than la a large one, mainly because there can he greater personal contact between the individual members of the community."

Beauty in Colored Shinglee

In addition to the beautiful natural effects which can be obtained with shingles for the walls of a house, there are innumerable opportunities for rich color which ereosote stains produce. These colors, unlike point, allow the grain of the wood to show, and they give o surface which is almost ruglike in softness.

A combination of harmonious browns, tans, reddish browns and yellowish browns may he used on the same wall by using shingles which hove been dipped into these different tones. This mixing of vorious shades is often overdone, hut when good toste is used in the selection many beautiful results are possihle.

Roadside Treee

Suitahle tree planting along public highways, which greatly enhances their appearance and comfort, is most satisfactorily doae hy the community es a whole rather than by individuals, says the United Stotes Department of Agriculture. Interest in country highways in the United States hns increased rapidly during the last few years. The greater interest in rurol roade is due largely to the growing automobile traffic, a large part of which is pleasure driving in which the most heautiful routes are naturally sought.

Saving the Treee

The contractor is usuolly mode responsihle for trees and shrubs on the property that it is desired to preserve. This is done by entering appropriate clauses into the generel conditions of the contract, hy which the contractor is required to hox all trees, to avoid piling building meterials and rubbish against them, and to preserve shrubs in any suitehle manner.

Hail City Planner

We cen aee limitless possibilities for the city plenner. We can see him, or her, bringing order out of cheos, making two heauty spots grow where not even one would grow before.—Exchange.

Money for Home Ownere

Life insurance companies are a big factor now for the furnishing of money for home ownership. So are trust companies and mortgage companies.

Parasitce Ahound

Parasite plants often destroy treea by sucking the sap or tree life from the trunks. Parasite people also ruin communities hy receiving its benefits and giving nothing in return.—New Albany Tribune.

Clean Kidneys By Drinking Lots of Water

Take Salts to Flush Kidneys if Bladder Bothers or Back Hurts

Eating too mnch rich food mey prodace kidney tronbla in some form, saya a well-known anthority, becanse the ecida creeted excite the kidneys. Then they becoma overworked, get sluggish, clog up and canse all sorts of distress, particularly hackache and misery in the kidney region, rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipotion, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

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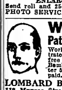

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The Desert Moon Mystery

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CHAPTER XIII—Continued

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"Well," I said, "that means that I've got about half an hour to disguise a family meal as a company dinner—"

"Don't bother," she interrupted. "They won't be here for luncheon-dinner. I need to see them only about ten minutes."

I didn't bother—answering. If she didn't know any more about the ways of people in this country than that, I didn't see why I should take it on myself to teach her.

But she was right. She talked to them a few minutes; and, though I insisted that they stay for dinner, off they went. It was an insult to the Desert Moon ranch. Every one on the place, but Miss MacDonald, knew it. Two weeks before, if a couple of friends had left the ranch at eleven-thirty in the morning, with no reasonable excuse for so doing, Sam would have blown up and burst with rage. That noon he was not even decently indignantly interested.

He had plenty of interest, though, concerning the finding of the attic key. He had had it all settled, and was satisfied that, since it had been proven that Gaby had been killed on the stairway, it had also been proven that no member of the household could have been implicated. Now this second key coming to light, the key that must have been put over back of the wood before the fire was lighted that night, and that must have been blackened in that one fire, because there had been no fire in that fireplace since, dragged, to quote Sam, not wishing to use such words on my own hook, "Every d—n one of us back into the d—n mess again."

"Sam," I said, and I guess my only excuse is that I was still angry at having my honest word doubted, "do you know what I think? I think that Miss MacDonald—though Lord knows she is a nice girl, and a living wonder as help in the kitchen and around the house—is going to be a flat fizzle from start to finish when it comes to discovering the murderer."

"That's kind of the way I got it sized up, too," Sam said. "But if she's good help to you, she's worth a lot more than her expenses."

"It isn't the cost of her," I said. "I'm afraid she is going to do a lot of harm around here."

"Goodnight, Mary!" he said. "If anyone can do any more harm around here than has been done already—why, leave 'em do it."

"Not much with your 'leave 'em do its,'" I said. "My idea is that we've had about enough trouble. What I'm getting at is this, Sam: I think that fool girl, at present, is suspecting you more than any other one of us."

"That's the way I had that sized up, too," he said. "But let her go ahead. If she can prove I'm guilty, I'm willing to hang for it."

"Don't be a fool, Sam," I snapped. "Did you ever happen to hear of circumstantial evidence?"

"You bet. But they can't hang more than one innocent person on circumstantial evidence, and there's enough of that stuff around here now to hang about five or six of us. I'll take my chances with the rest of you, Mary."

"Lands, Sam," I was taken aback, "do you think she suspects me?"

Something pretty close to the old twinkle came into Sam's eyes. "Well, Mary, Gaby was one extra to do for and she came late to meals and pestered you quite a lot. Furthermore,

"Does It Seem to You That Danny and Canneziano Are Getting Along All Right?"

though it hasn't been made a point of, you were all alone in the kitchen for the hour between five and six o'clock. You might have slipped up and have done the deed between the time you put the meat on and took the biscuits out."

I knew that he thought he was being funny; but I didn't like it. "See here, Sam," I began, "Danny was going back and forth all the time—"

"'Now then,'" Sam interrupted, mocking Miss MacDonald. "Did Miss Canneziano have any particular reason for watching you? No. I see. Then, I am afraid, she can not be positive that you were not out of the kitchen. Twenty minutes often seems like two hours and sixteen minutes—

"I'll tell you what, Mary," Sam got suddenly serious. "I'm going to wait a few more days, and then if this lady isn't progressing a deal faster than she is at present, I'm going to pay her off, full amount, of course, and wire to Frisco for a plain, ordinary, he-man detective to come up here and take hold of things. By the way," he went on, "does it seem to you that Danny and Canneziano are getting along all right?"

"I judge it isn't a case of their getting along, much," I said. "So far as I know, she hasn't spoken a word to him since she greeted him the evening she came home."

"Well," he hesitated, "well—I know a mite further than that. I'll tell you, some time that isn't dinner time—maybe."

He went into the dining room, and I followed him.

All during that dinner, and the same had been true of every meal since the first breakfast I've mentioned, John hardly took his eyes off of Miss MacDonald. I made a way to speak to him about it, alone, right after dinner.

"John," I said, "for mercy's sakes, what do you want to sit and stare at Miss MacDonald for, during meals, like she was the place where you had lost something?"

He blushed. "Gosh, Mary! I haven't been doing that, have I?"

"You certainly have. It doesn't look nice, John. Why do you do it?"

"I didn't know that I did. But, on the square, did you ever see anything as pretty—I mean, so clean and—well, kind of comforting looking? She changes so, too; like a diamond, or a desert, or a sunrise, or—something. Did you ever see anyone as interesting to look at, Mary?"

"Never mind asking me," I said. "Just you go and ask Danny some of those questions."

"Danny," he answered, "is—well, Danny is Danny, of course. She's different."

"Better take to watching how different she is," I advised, and left him to think it over, and went into the living room.

Canneziano was loafing around in there. "Mary," he said, "I'll make a dicker with you."

"Not with me," I said, and started up the stairs.

Curiosity like mine is a curse. I'd gone about four steps up when it caught me. "What's your old dicker?" I said.

"If you'll persuade Sam to give me the ten thousand for producing the murderer, I'll split it with you."

I am tired of apologizing for myself. I will state, merely, that I managed to say the one thing, under those circumstances, that I should not have said. "Do you know who the murderer is?" Thereby proving that I was possessed of about as much diplomacy as an alarm clock.

"Certainly not," he answered. He had not hesitated; he had looked straight into my eyes. But I knew that he believed that I thought he had lied.

"See here," I said. "I take it that one five thousand dollars is as good to you as another. If you know who committed the murder, and will produce him, I'll give you the five thousand dollars myself."

"Don't say that, Mary," Danny stepped out from behind the long curtains at the end of the south windows.

Canneziano jumped like a spurred bronco. "Spying, eh, my lady?"

She spoke directly to me. "Listen, Mary; don't ever, for any reason, enter into any sort of an agreement with this man. If he knows, or thinks that he knows, who the murderer is, he can be forced to tell without a bribe. If he had known for one day, one hour, and had withheld the information, he is, in effect, an accomplice—there is a legal term for it, but I have forgotten it. I am going out, now, to find Uncle Sam, and to bring him here and tell him that this man says that he knows who committed the murder. Mary, you telephone to the sheriff in Telko—"

"Just a moment, please," Canneziano spoke smoothly and smilingly. "I have said, definitely, that I do not know who killed Gaby. And—I do not know. I am bored, unspeakably bored. I should like to try my hand at detecting this—er, villian. But," he shrugged his narrow shoulders, "with no impetus—"

"The fact that she was your own daughter—" I began, hotly.

"Don't, Mary," Danny interrupted, with a sigh. "There is no use. You and he do not speak the same language."

"How is this?" Canneziano said, and went on speaking, very rapidly, in some foreign language.

Danny stood and stared at him without a mite of expression on her face. He paused for breath. She said, "I have forgotten my Italian. I do not understand you, and I am glad I do not. Come, Mary, shall we go upstairs?"

In the upper hall she said that she wanted me to go with her to Miss MacDonald, because she wanted to tell Miss MacDonald what had just happened.

We knocked on her door. She greeted us pleasantly enough, but there was a pucker between her eyebrows.

"You have asked us," Danny began at once, "to tell you nothing about the case. Does that mean that you do not wish to have us tell you of day by day developments, which seem to have a direct bearing on the case?"

"As, for instance?" Miss MacDonald questioned.

Danny told her about what had happened, from the time she had stepped behind the curtains, until she and I had come upstairs together.

Miss MacDonald's first question was, "Why were you watching him?"

"Because," Danny answered, straight, "I think he came here with some evil purpose. I should like to find out what that purpose is."

"Why were you so eager to prevent Mrs. Magin's making a pact with him?"

"I have dealt with this man, I know that he is bad and crafty. For five thousand dollars he would perjure himself over and over again. He would produce witnesses who would perjure themselves."

"Has this man approached you with offers similar to this one, Miss Canneziano?"

"He has had no opportunity."

"You are sure of that?"

Danny's chin went up a trifle. "I don't understand."

"I think that you do."

Danny turned to me. "Mary," she said, "yesterday afternoon that man came to my room when I was alone. He slipped in, closed my door, and locked it. I ran into Gaby's room, but I could not get out of it because the doors were all locked. I went into Gaby's bathroom and locked myself in. I stayed there for half an hour, or longer, until he left. Miss MacDonald evidently thinks that he and I were in conversation during that time. I have no proof that we weren't. Do you believe me, Mary?"

"I do, with all my heart," I said.

Miss MacDonald persisted. "You told no one about this?"

"I did not dare to tell. If John thought that that man—" She stopped short.

"Yes?" questioned Miss MacDonald.

"I mean that John would fight with him; would whip him within an inch of his life."

"Why should you care?"

Danny look at me.

"She'd care," I said, answering the appeal in her big, hurt eyes, "because she is a woman, Miss MacDonald. It may be hard for you to understand; but women, who aren't crime analysts, don't want their men fighting."

"Thank you, Mary," Danny said, and walked hurriedly out of the room.

"Mrs. Magin," Miss MacDonald began, right off the minute the door had closed behind Danny, "I want to ask you to help me with this case."

"I couldn't be any help to you," I said. I guess I was rather tart about it.

"Why not?"

"One reason is," I said, "that anybody who doesn't know any better than to suspicion Danny, in this affair, would need a lot more help, to get anywhere, than I could give them."

"My only suspicion concerning Miss Canneziano," she answered, "is that she knows more than she is willing to tell. I may be wrong about that. Have you any other reason for refusing to help me?"

"Only that you don't believe a word I say. If you would consider that I am, anyway, trying to be honest, and if you'd do the same with the others, until you are sure that you have reason to do otherwise, I'd consider it an honor to help you, and I'd thank you kindly. I'd be no use to you, as long as you doubted every word I said. If I know that you are believing that I'll help, and tell the truth, I'll try to. If I think I am to be doubted, anyway, maybe I'll say what I'd like to say."

She sat and looked straight at me for at least half a minute. "I do believe you," she said, "and trust you. I have, since I first met you at the station. I can't help myself. You're all right, Mrs. Magin, and I know it. I'll agree to your terms. Now then: As my assistant, is there anyone on the place who would benefit in any way by Mr. Stanley's conviction?"

"In a way," I said, though it all but choked me, "John would. He is to inherit everything Sam has. But John loves Sam. And John didn't do it."

"Miss Canneziano would also benefit, then, wouldn't she, since she is to marry young Mr. Stanley?"

"It doesn't make sense," I said. "John has plenty of his own, right now; and Sam would give them anything and everything they wanted besides, as long as he lived."

"Is there," she asked, next, "any person at present on the ranch whom you would concede might, possibly, commit a murder?"

"Canneziano."

"Yes, I know. And leaving him out of it?"

"Well," I had to hesitate, "I am not sure. Every instinct I have tells me that neither Hubert Hand nor Mrs. Ricker— No. It is an awful thing to say; but, do you know, Gabrielle Canneziano herself was the only other person who has been on this ranch whom I could even imagine doing such a terrible thing. She didn't have any of the decent, ordinary virtues. She didn't know anything about them. Not charity, nor gratitude, nor kindness, nor honesty, nor modesty, nor—nor anything."

"Isn't it strange that twin sisters, who looked as much alike as these girls did, should be so entirely different as to character?"

"Strange or not, it is true. In character those two girls were as different as night and day. I never even thought that they looked alike. Who told you that they did?"

"I have seen their photographs," she reminded me.

"Their photographs may look alike. They didn't."

"But they did," she insisted.

"I tell you," I said, "that they acted so differently, and dressed so differently, that there was not one bit of likeness."

"A most unusual state of affairs for duplicate twins. Miss Danielle Canneziano came here on a most doubtful errand; an errand that amounted to robbery, nothing else—"

"If you are accusing Danny—" I interrupted.

"Oh, I am not!" There was a flash of temper in that. "Making all allowances for mistakes in time, Miss Canneziano could not have committed the murder herself. But, suppose that her past was not as innocent and blameless as she would like to have you all think. Suppose that a revelation of all she knows, or suspects, concerning her sister's death, would also bring to light things that she cannot afford to have brought to light concerning herself. It is at least reasonable to think that she knows more than she is willing to tell.

"I wonder whether you noticed," she went on, "that coming up from the station I set a trap for Miss Canneziano. Just for an instant, I fancied that there was more fear than grief in her attitude toward meeting her father. I suggested, you remember, that she see him alone? I wanted to see whether she desired a private interview with him. Her prompt refusal made it evident that she had no secret to give to him, and expected to get none from him. That is in her favor. Still—

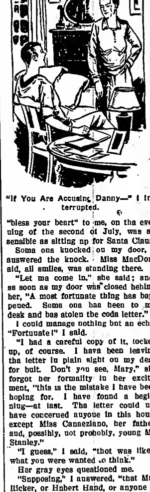
"Before you go now, since you have agreed to help me, do you mind if I direct a bit? I want you to keep one eye on Miss Canneziano. I want you to keep the other eye on Mr. Canneziano, Mr. Hand, and Mrs. Ricker. Will you do that?"

"One whole eye for Danny," I questioned, "and only a third of an eye for each of the others?"

"For the present," she smiled. "Will you do that?"

I said that I would. It was not until after dinner the next day, when I was resting in my own room, feeling as virtuous as the three monkeys, who see no evil, hear no evil, speak no evil, pleased as Punch over my failures of the past twenty-four hours, that I realized that I just naturally could not carry through a job that went as much against the grain as that job went.

We are, I thought, allowed to know some things—just simple, honest knowing. And I knew that keeping a suspicious eye on the girl who had said



"If You Are Accusing Danny—" I Interrupted.

"bless your heart" to me, on the evening of the second of July, was as sensible as sitting up for Santa Claus.

Some one knocked on my door, I answered the knock. Miss MacDonald, all smiles, was standing there.

"Let me come in," she said; and, as soon as my door was closed behind her, "A most fortunate thing has happened. Some one has been to my desk and has stolen the code letter."

I could manage nothing but an echo. "Fortunate!" I said.

"I had a careful copy of it, locked up, of course. I have been leaving the letter in plain sight on my desk for bait. Don't you see, Mary," she forgot her formality in her excitement, "this is the mistake I have been hoping for. I have found a beginning—at last. The letter could not have concerned anyone in this house except Miss Canneziano, her father, and, possibly, not probably, young Mr. Stanley."

"I guess," I said, "that was likely what you were wanted to think."

Her gray eyes questioned me.

"Supposing," I answered, "that Mrs. Ricker, or Hubert Hand, or anyone of us, wanted to get you clear off the track, suspecting especially Danny, could one of us do better than to steal the code letter?"

"My word!" she said. "And you, with a mind that works like that, spending your life doing cooking. All the same, it does prove one thing. That the murderer, or his close accomplice, is right here on the place, now."

"Chad's confession proved that. The key in the fireplace proved it, too."

"Dear me, no. Not conclusively. Now, let me see." She took a folded paper from the front of her dress. "Here is my copy of the letter. It does look a mess, doesn't it?"

I looked at the paper and read, as before.

"Paexzazlytpi f-y nyx ogrgrago, rn fgao atf jau j-asn, ahzgo zkg c-ahhaio, vkgt nyx clpizgf rg zkg kypulzae, zkaz nyx. . . ."

It surely looked a mess.

"The fact that it was writtten on the typewriter," she said, "makes me suspect that the typewriter may rewrite it for us."

I told her then what I had not thought to tell her before; about my having heard the typewriter going, slowly, in Gaby's room right after she had received the letter.

"Fine!" she said. "May I use the same typewriter that she used?"

We went together into Gaby's room.

"I should have thought you'd want to clean this room, first of all," I said.

"Mr. Stanley unlocked it for me that first night. I spent five or six very busy hours in here, and I slept here that night, too."

"Upon my soul! Doesn't that go to show? I'd have taken oath in any court that you spent the night in your own room."

"That is exactly it," she said. "Honest people are so sure that they know things, which they don't know at all, and that they have seen things, which they haven't seen."

I have wished, since, that I had said something else instead of saying, "Well, I might think I knew something which I didn't know; but I'd never mistake about what I had seen or had not seen."

"Perhaps not—" she said.

"Did you find anything in here that night?" I questioned.

(TO BE CONTINUED)

Swastika Always Held Emblem of Good Luck

The swastika, which is the cross made by crossing two letter "Z's" has been the symbol of good luck for so long back that no reliable evidence has been preserved to indicate just why this particular ideograph should have its present significance. We do know that from time out of mind it has had this significance, and among peoples in all parts of the world excepting Africa, Polynesia, Australia and the polar regions.

The swastika as the good-luck symbol is found in China, Korea, Japan and India. As far back as in ancient Troy the swastika was used in this sense by the Myceneeans. It is found in relics of such widely separated peoples as those who inhabited Europe during the Bronze age, the Etruscans, the Indians of our own Colorado and Mexico, and among others of North American natives who antedated Columbus by at least ten centuries.

Another curiously significant fact is that in the Indian language the word "swastika" means good luck; while in ancient Sanscrit "swasti" means "hail" or "be well."—Kansas City Times.

Better Take a Taxi

"I never was so mortified!" exclaimed Mrs. Averdupois.

"Yeah? What happened?" asked her husband.

"I got on a street car today," said the lady of many pounds, "and a rather thin man got up to give me a seat, but as the man next to him wouldn't get up, too, I had to stand and listen to the rest of the passengers in the car snicker."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

In the Same Boat

Two friends met one day and began to discuss the various events which had taken place in their lives since last they met—a year ago.

"I've not done anything much at my job," said one. "I took a job as groom, and I've not had a minute's peace since!—on the go, day and night, and ordered about—"

"That's just how I've been treated!" broke in the other.

"You!" said the first, surprised. "How can you be putting up with my sort of life?—you never took on as a groom!"

"I did," said the other, gloomily. "I took on as a bridegroom!"

Such an Optimist

John Haynes Holmes says that any man who gets married has to sacrifice 50 per cent of his individual liberty. Thou optimist, John.—Camden Post.

Man seems to be deficient in nothing so much as he is in time.—Zeno.

This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

Crime's Loud Voice
Earth's Ozone Blanket
Wise Ben Franklin
The Postmaster's Fleet

Crimes speak louder than words, and very loud in this fair country just now.

A man arrested in Chicago, accused of participating in the "St. Valentine's day massacre," was delighted to find that "only policemen" were after him.

Said he: "I am glad to see you; I thought some guys were going to take me for a ride sure."

More interesting is the fact that the well-known gambler, Rothstein, whose murder puzzled New York's police and baffled the district attorney, was probably killed by a man who will never be convicted, for the reason that he himself has since been murdered by Rothstein's friends.

Even our able corporations might learn something about efficient, organization from our able criminals.

Scientists of Smithsonian institution hope to learn about magnetic disturbances and weather phenomena generally, by studying the earth's "ozone blanket."

That "blanket" is a thin layer of superior atmosphere, thirty miles up.

By measuring the thickness and contents of the earth's ozone blanket, it may be possible to tell what is happening on the sun, 93,000,000 miles away.

It might be possible also later to bring down some of that ozone, with its wonderful qualities for the improvement of the lungs and blood.

Future advertisements may read: "Ozone fresh from the ozone blanket every day."

Going up thirty miles from the earth's surface seems a great achievement.

But a microbe living on the face of an ordinary apple would do as much if he rose from the surface of his apple as much as one-hundredth part of an inch.

Thirty miles is much less than one two-hundredth part of the earth's diameter.

Here is good advice for youth or old age:

"Dost thou love life? Then do not squander time, for that is the stuff life is made of."

More good advice is this:

"He that goes a-borrowing, goes a-sorrowing."

And for a nation in which ninety old men out of a hundred die worth less than $100, this is valuable:

"A man may, if he knows not how to save as he gets, keep his nose to the grindstone."

Those wise things were sold by Benjamin Franklin, born 224 years ago.

There is material for a thousand good sermons in Franklin's common sense talks.

Mr. Brown, postmaster general, suggests a $76,000,000 program to build a fleet of North Atlantic superships for American passengers and mail.

The postmaster demands "a service which could compete with any foreign flag service on the North Atlantic."

Americans will congratulate Postmaster Brown and President Hoover on that proposition, and hope that they will not only compete with but eclipse every foreign service on the North Atlantic and everywhere else.

Why should a country with the best engineers, from the President down, and with more money than anybody else, ever play second fiddle on the ocean or in the air?

The only negro student at West Point is dismissed "honorably," for deficiency in mathematics.

Sixty-three white men failed in examinations with him and were also dismissed.

Prejudice had nothing to do with it, although Alonzo Souleigh Parham, the negro cadet dismissed, is the fourteenth to enter the academy and the eleventh to be dismissed at the end of six months.

Another cut in the cost of travel by air. The Transcontinental Air Transports, on its "air-rail-water" trip "around the Americas," cuts $100 off the price of a 16-day tour.

Air transportation is settling down to a business basis.

William H. Mullins, son of the late James Mullins, and, like his father, among the most highly respected men in Ohio, gives to Salem a home for nurses. This gift, in memory of his mother, sets an excellent example to others that can afford to be generous.

Young Americans, wondering "if there is still a chance," might study Mr. Mullins' start in business on his own account. When very young he saw a locomotive that had been in a smashup on the Fort Wayne road that he bought for its value as "scrap," set himself and two or three mechanics to work, restored it and sold it for enough to start what became a big, successful business.

There are chances for those that have energy.

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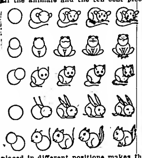
The Children's Corner

Edited by DOROTHY EDMONDS

FUN WITH COINS

From a qnarter and a ten cent piece you can make yourself a whole menagerie. The quarter makes the hody of all the animale and the ten cent piece



placed in different positione makes the head. Then add the tails and ears in your own way. The pictures above give you a few suggestions.

FROSHKIND

Froshkind lived in a lovely pool snrrounded hy woods. The pool was full of water lilies. Every evening when the frogs came out to sit on the lily pads sad sing, Froshkind sst and sulked.

"Why was I horn to live in a mere pool?" he said. "Nothing hnt flies sad hugs to eat; aothing hut lily pads to sit upon; no one to see hut tiresome frogs and stnpid tnrtles sitting on their everlasting logs. It mnst he so much more heautiful and interesting oat in the woods." So Froshkind sighed while all ahout him sang.

"Come, Froshkiad," ssid they. "Come, sing with ns." But Froshkiad turned his hack and would not look st them. Day hy dsy he grew glnmmer aad gloomier aad finally would not come ont at ail.

One dny, Msnnikin, s qaeer little fellow, came down to the edge of the pool.

At once he asked, "where is Froshkind?"

"In the pool," snswered the turtles an the log.

"He doesn't like onr company," said the frogs.

Then Mannikin leaped from pad to pad until he reached the enter of the pool. Here he hent down and called in n shrill, piping voice:

"Froshkind, Froshkind, come np here! I've a messags for yonr ear."

Frashkind pnilcd his toes out of the mud and swam lazily to the surface of the pool.

Mannikin skipped merrily over the lily pads hack to the shore of the pool. Froshkiad, his eyes hulging widely, eagerly leaped after him. "Now I'll hear something new." said he. The turtles on tha log called sadly after him: "Yon are missing something, Froshkind." And the frogs on the lily pads grunted: "Too hsd, too had." Bnt Froshkind did not heed them.

Mannikin skipped from the edge of the pool to s psth through the woods and an, and an, and an. Froshkind clumsily leaped after him and on, and au, and ou.

At last Mannikin stopped. They were iu the deep waads still, hut there was no cooling pool nearhy. Froshkind was tired. He panted wearily.

"Wouldst lika snpper, Froshkind?" asked Mannikin.

"What sball I eat," said Frasbkind hewildered. "I don't see anything bnt flies and bngs."

"Didn't yon est flies and hngs at the pool?" said Msanikin.

"Oh, yes," said Froshkind, "bnt here in the hig woods, I thanght—"

"No matter what yon thonght," said Mannikin, "Flies and hugs will have to he yonr meat."

"I am glsd, snyway, I don't have to sit oa s tiresome lily pad," said Froshkind, snatching st an nnwary mosquito.

After eating, Mannikin snnonnced his intention of continuing the jonrney at once. Froshkind's sore legs made him unwilling, aud wishfnlly ssid: "This moss wonld make quits a soft mattress."

"We have to hurry," Mr. Mannikin replied.

And he skipped swsy very fast. Froshkind limped on. At last ths wood was left hehind and Froshkiud far the first time in his life saw a long, dusty rosd. Again Mannikin stopped.

"Here we will spend the ulght," he ssid.

"But is there no water to qaench onr thirst," exclaimed Froshkind, gaspiag.

All night long, poor Froshkind panted hy the roadside. In the morning Mannikin was np hright and enrly.

"Hurry," he said, "wa must get to the city."

But Froshkind could uat mave his stiff legs; his dry tongue, too, refnsed to catch the little flies and hugs ahout him. "I can't follow you any longer," he said. At this Mannikin ran away laughing.

Poor Froshkind! He thonght of the smooth wster-lily pads at home, so convealent for catching his supper; he thought of the patient turtles ou their logs; the coolness of the pool wnter. If only he conld feel a drop af it on his hnrning tongue! Ah, the pool was not a had place after all.

"Humph," said a strange voice suddenly, "I wonder how this little frog came here! A dusty road's no place for him. I'll pnt him over in the brook across the lot. He'll like that hetter."

And ten minutes later ths cooling water of the hrook soothed Froshkind's parched tongue. and limbered his tired legs.

For days and days Froshkind drank af the broak and was thankful, growing steadily stronger all ths time. Each day, toa, bs thought mare and more kindly of the beautiful pool far, far away in the wood. Try as hard as he could, however, he was never able to find his way back.

Far away tha turtles an the log would say: "Froshkind missed mnch when be was bere."

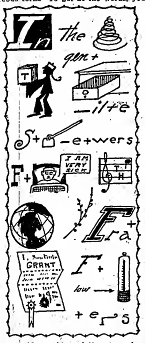
And every night the frogs on their lily pads wauld sit and maurn far Froshkind.

"The wide world is no plsce for smsli frogs," they said, "A pool is hetter."

—Mary Lanrence Tarnhull Tufts.

A REBUS

Hers is a two-line verse written in rebus form. To get at the words, you



must add or suhtract letters to or from the pictures as told to hy the plus and minus signs.

—Harvey Peake.

PRIZE AWARDED WOMAN SCIENTIST

Dr. Florence Rena Sshin, of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, pictured at wark in her lahorstory. For her discovery of the origin af the Lymphatic system and the fnnction of the white blood cell in its relation to tuherculosis, Miss Sahin wns awarded the nnnual $5,000 prize of the Pictorial Review given to the Americau wamaa making the mast distinctive contrihutiau in the fields af arts, letters and sciences.

Protesting Too Much

By JEAN NEWTON

HEARING a waman averprnising s really remarkabla child, sa doing him an unquestianahle injnry, set my mind off on the thought of haw many wamen spall samething that is gaod "pratesting taa much."

With regard to the child, af canrse, this is a mistake ahant which volumes might be said.

It is rather the general idea that I want to bring out here of haw the woman wha "doth protest too much" kills her awn poiut every time.

Just as in enthusiug aver your child it is far mare effective—pravided there is indeed something worth talking abaut—ta tell what he did or said, aud let athers judge of its significance, than to drown the idea in a sea of words like "marvelous," "wonderful," "gorgeons," "hrilliant," "incomparable," sa with anything that yon want ta accredit or praise, it is best ta give facts.

Justly or nnjustly, the man who wants to sell yan "a hill of goods" is the last ane to whom yau wanld go for an uahiased opinion in regard to it.

And when yon nre overenthnsiastic ahout anything, no matter how sincers in yaur helief you may he, yon give tha impression of having an idea ta sell. And that anly pravides an ohstacle to he overcome hy the ohject of your praise.

If restraint is good in all things, it is douhly good in speaking of things or people we like and whom we want athers to like.

"There is ua necessity for proving the existence af light."

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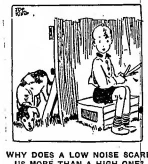
What Does Your Child Want to Know?

Answered by BARBARA BOURJAILY



WHY DOES A LOW NOISE SCARE US MORE THAN A HIGH ONE?

Our an-ces-tors so long ago
Had animals to fear—
A low noise sounds much liks ths growl
Of creatures prowling near.

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Why We Give to Beggars

By M. K. THOMSON, Ph. D.

CHARITY and giving alms is an ancient virtue. It has been practiced ever since man first learned to share his food and shelter with his fellow man in want.

The most ohvious motive for giving alms is to relieve need and saffering. No douht human sympathy and fellow feeling play an important part. Those who are not very far removed from the poor heggar are more sympathetic and give alms while the rich man is more likely to give to institntions rather than to individuals. His sympathy is humanitarian rather than personal.

We also give alms for the satisfaction that comes from doing something for somehody else. Unconsciously we are somewhat elated to find a person in less favorable circnmstances, and are glad to give him something for making us feel hetter than we did.

With some there is the purely mercenary mative af giving in arder ta get something in return as expressed in the saying that if yon cast yonr bread an the waters it will return to yon after many days. Reward in heaven if not on this earth is a strong motive for giving alms to those who think of heaven as a place af reward for good deeds ta their fellows ou the esrth.

Bnt by far the strongest motiva for giving alms although the least conscIaus one is that of giving in arder ta relieve onrselves of an emotianally nnpleasant situation. The heggar has made ns suffer hy a kind of physical and reflexive sympathy, and apparently the only way to allay that feeling is to give the poar devil something and go awny satisfied that yon have done yonr part. Otherwise your conscience will trouhle you. Those pleading eyes, or the crippled hady will hannt yon. For this reason the beggars nsnally appear pitifnl enough to make it warth onr while to give most generously.

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Stars and Eyes

By Douglas Malloch.

IF I had never looked at skies
I uever wanld have seen a star,
And had not looked in women's eyes
I would not know whnt women are.
I passed same prize I might have found,
Na douht, hy gazing at the ground,
And yet I think the man more wise
Who looks at stars, aud women's eyes.

The great have often galloped on
And left me standing in the road,
But when the very great were gona
The night came down, the heavens showed.
They saw their silver, I saw stars,
They had their money, I had Mars,
Or if my luck were starless skies
Within the inn were women's eyes.

Ah, well, I fear when I get through
I shall not have so much of gold,
A coin or two, a suit or two,
Aud Peter may incline ta scold.
The world, I haven't any dauht,
Has many things to he ahont,
And yet I think a fellow wise
Who looks at stars, and women's eyes.

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"Tact," said Flippant Flo, "is what a man has to have to eat hread when his wife makes hiscuits."

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FOOD WE ALL LIKE

By NELLIE MAXWELL

"Thoughts are es material as bricks and mortar. Never yet was a structure huilt, a reform launched, a poem written, or a dollar earned, that did not exist in thought."

AS THIS is the time af year wheu we enjoy rich foods and pastries, u different recipe for mince meat will he appreciated.

Fruit Mince Meat.

Squeeze the juice from fonr lemons aud caak the peel until soft. Remave the white pulp and pnt through the meat grinder, then ruh through a sieva Add two chopped apples, one pound of currants, ane-half cnpfnl each of chopped nuts, raisins, hutter, twn cupfuls of sugar, one teaspoonful each af cinnamon, cloves, nutmeg, ginger, allspice aud salt. Mix the ingredients well and store in jars. Use as a filling for turnover pies; serve with hat coffee or chocalate for skating parties.

Plum Pudding.

Take ane-faurth pannd af snet finely chopped, one-half ponnd of raisins, one-hnlf ponnd of cnrrants, one-eighth paund af candied lemou peel, aue-fourth pound of candied orange peel, one-half glass of currant jelly, one-fourth cnnful of frnit juice, five heaten eggs, one-fourth pannd of thinly shredded almonds, oue teaspoanful of salt, one-half pound af sugar, two-thirds of a cupful of bread flonr, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, one-fonrth teaspoonful of nutmeg, and three-fourths teaspoonfuls each af sada and mace. Comhine as nsnal and steam in molds six hours.

Frozen Mystery.

Boil together two cnpfuls of water and two cnpfuls of sugar five minutes, cool, add one pineapple, the pulp and juice of twa oranges, two lemans, two hananss ruhhed through a sieve. Freeze to a mush, add two egg whites and a pinch of salt, eggs heaten stiff, then fluish freezing.

Apricot Whip.

Prepare s package af lemon junket with one pint of milk. Beat two egg whites until stiff, add the apricats which hnve heen pnt through a sieva and mix thoronghly two tahlespoonfuls of sugar. Pile on top of tha junket whea ready ta serve. Serve well chilled.

Rice haked with six times its valnme of milk with a hit af sugar, cinnamon and a few raisins, makes a most delicions pudding that may be given the small child as well as the grandmother.

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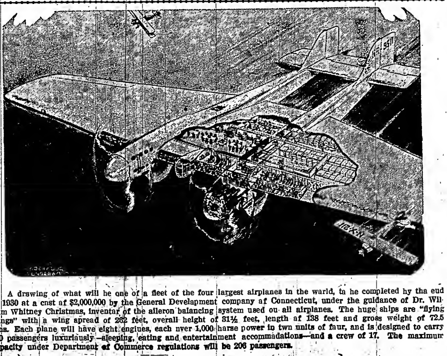
U. S. TO HAVE LARGEST AIRPLANES IN WORLD



A drawing of what will he one of a fleet of the four largest airplanes in the warld, ta he completed hy tha eud of 1930 at a cnst af $2,000,000 by the General Development company af Connecticut, under the guidance of Dr. William Whitney Christmas, inventar of the aileron balancing system used ou all airplanes. The huge ships are "flying wings" with a wing apread of 262 feet, overall height of 31½ feet, length af 138 feet and gross weight of 72.5 tans. Each plane will have eight engiues, each nver 1,000 harse power in twn units of faur, and is designed to carry 160 passengers luxuriausly—sleeping, eating and entertainment accommadations—and a crew of 17. The maximum capacity under Department of Commerce regulations will be 206 passengers.

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Bahs—One's just as difficult as tha other. In golf you hit nathing, and in motoring you hit everything.—Answers.

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FARM STOCK

TON-LITTERS MAKE PROFITABLE PORK

Best Returns on Pigs When Fed to Full Capacity.

Prodocing e 'ton-litter" of hogs—meaning e single litter which will weigh e total of 2,000 pounds or more when 180 daye old—is more than a merely spectaculer stunt which entitles its performer to memhership in an agricultural honor cluh end mey cost him mare money than it brings in. Raising ton-litters is profiteble, according to testimony of men who heve reised them and wha ere now members of the Ohio Ton-Litter Honor cluh, sponsored hy the egricultural extension service of the Ohio State university here. These men have reported to J. W. Wulchet, swine specielist in the department of animal hushendry, thet their ton-litters have been the mast profiteble hogs ever produced oo their farms.

"The reason is that the principles of producing ton-litters ore the same ee those of producing pork profitahly in any emaunt," says Wulchet. "For one thing, it tekes a lerge number nf pigs in tho litter tn weigh e ton, end our records show thnt the cost of productiog 100 pounds of pork depends primarily on the number of pigs marketed, per litter.

"In the second piece, pigs which gain mast repidly meke their gaine on the smellest amoont of feed, time and lobor. Hogs ere pork-producing mechines, and like other mechines, operate most efficiently and economically when operating et full capecity. And if fed to cepecity for the most rapid gains, they reech the merket et e more edvantageous time than if they were given a limited ration and took mare time to get reedy for market."

Newspaper Dates to 1825

The oldest paper in Brazil is the Dierio de Pernenibnco, which was first published on November 7, 1825. The Joarnal do Comercio of Rio de Janeiro staried publiction in 1827.

Staggering Fignres

The newest measurement of the nniverse gives its redius in miles as 825 followed by 17 naughts, or 350,000,000,000 times as grent as the distance from the eerth to the snn.

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Sunday, Feb. 2nd,

Sunday school in local church at 10:00.

Services in local church at 11:00 A. M., in American language. Subject "The Barren Fig Tree."

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If you can't eat at home. eat with us
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St. Hilaire, Minn.

Mnsic of the "Pipes"

In France the begpipe was a favorite instrument in Marie Antoinette's dey. Marie berself piped. Cnurtiers called it the musette and eqnipped it with bend bellows so that their pretty feces would not be empurpled by bard blowing. Respectability ceme to the musette when Schohert and Hendel wrote pieces for it, when a musette player pleyed in the Opera orchestra in Paris in thn Eighteenth century.—Time Magazine.

Asiatic Delicacy

The broed-tailed or fat-tailed sheep found in meny parts of Asia are chiefly characterized by the enormons accumnlation nf fet on each side of the tall bone. The tail is esteemed a great delicecy, and to protect it from being injured hy dragging nn the gronnd it is sometimes suppnrted by a board or smell pair of wheels. The fet of the tail is often used in place of bntter.

Discovered Bacteria

The discovory of bacteria might be traced to the middle of ths Seventeenth century, at which time Antony Van Leeuwenhoek, a Holland lens grinder, invented the microscope. In 1683 he reported the presence of minute organisms to the Royel society of London.

Early Italian Gardens

The old-fashioned Italian gardens did not feature flowers. The ontstanding feature nf these gardens was the greenery. Either screens nr trellises were erected in unusual shapes, and ivy nr similar plants trained tn cover thsm solidiy. These formed a beautiful beckground for the statues.

History Just Grows

Yon can't reason with life. We shepe it by the way we are today living it and that's how history is made. —American Magazine.

Historic Records Kept

The notes nf the trial nf Joan of Arc are deposited in the library of the chamber of deputies in Paris.

Building Hint

In order to receive ths most sunlight the nrientation of a hnuse should be north and south, east and west.

Must Stick to It

Perhaps perseverance has been the radical principle of every truly great traveler.—J. Foster.

SHOES AND HIDES PUT ON FREE LIST

Western Senate Block Strikes Back in Tariff Row As Boarh Heads Independents.

Washington—Western senators, as a congressional hlock, denied their demand for a higher tariff nn hides, struck heck at their npponents and ewept shoes and leather back to the free list where they have reposed for two decades. Several attempts had heen mede hy the western senators to raise the duty on hides above the schedule carried in the Hawley-Smoot hill hot eastern Republican and sonthern democrats were too strnng against it.

Immedietely Senetor Borah of Idaho, a leader of the western Repuhlican independents who had voted for a higher hide tariff, was nn his feet with a proposal to deny duties then to hides, leathers and shoes. With the eupport of the snuthern Democrats it carried, 46 to 28. Twenty Repnhlicans, all fram the west, stood with the Idahosn.

So another major tariff issue goes for settlement in later conference with the house, whose bill provided rates nf 10 per cent on hides, frnm 12½ to 30 per cent on leathers and 20 per cent on shoes.

Perty lines divided on all three roll calls, nn the Borah motion 20 Repnblicans, 25 Democrats and the one Farmer-Lehor Senetor Shipstead nf Minnesota, supported it, and 24 Republicans and four Democrats against it.

$4,300,000 Available for Buttermakers.

Minneapolis, Minn.—A loan which mey exceed $4,300,000 has heen made hy the federal farm hoard to the Land O' Lakes Creameries here in an effort to stahilize hotter prizes, it became known here. The ection makes Land O' Lekes the official agency nf the farm hoerd in the hotter market, the bosrd looks to this organization to hendle this problem for it. The money will he used to aid co-operative creamery associations in a widespread attempt to hold hutter frnm the market nntil prices go higher. The Land O' Lakes Creameries is designated as the cleering hoose for the dairy co-operatives of a wide area, and is instructed to aid creameries not affiliated with it, es well as member creameries.

Train Hits Bus, Kills 9 Children.

Cleveland—Cresh hetween a school hus end a New York Central train cost the lives nf nine smell school childrsn and bus driver at the Sheldon road crossing near Berea, Ohio, 15 miles from Clevelend. One child was injored seriously. The speeding train demolished the bus and strewed ths hodies of the children along the right of wey. Twenty-three children were in the hos. The dead numhered as meny as three from nne family. The hus stopped for the crossing, according to witnesses, and then withont apperently seeing the approeching train the driver drnve right in front of the flyer. The engineer said he did not see the bue until the engine struck it.

Minnesota Engineer to Head Group.

Chicago—Althongh Illinois received none of its 1929 gasoline taxes for roed construction purposes, it led all stetes in the Mississippi valley in the nnmher of milss of highways constructed, it was revealed at ths closing meeting of the twenty-second annual Mississippi Valley conference nf highwey officiels. J. T. Ellison, chief of bighway engineers of Minnesota was elected president of the gronp.

Walter Hill Defends $100,000 Suit.

St. Paul, Minn.—Walter J. Hill, millionsire yonngest son of the late Jomes J. Hill, St. Panl railroad magnete, was nemed defendant in a $100,000 alienation of affection enit filed in Ramsey coonty district court by L. M. Hoffman of St. Pani, for the alleged dishonor, homiliation and distress of hody and mind. Hoffman asks jodgment of $100,000 together with costs of the suit.

Fire Destroys Hnme of Senator.

Washington—Ridge Lands, beantiful Washington home of Senator Key Pittman, of Tonopah, Nevada, was destroyed hy fire here. Both Senator and Mrs. Pittman were in the house, a spacious 18-room mansion, when the fire hroke ont. hnt escaped withnnt injury. Damage was estimated at $150,000. Three firemen were severely injored fighting the hlaze.

Food Dropped from Planes to Sufferers

Memphis, Tenn.—Thwarted in rescoe work hy frozen floods an air plane was eent nver the flood district to drop food to those marooned. Suffering in the flood district continnes intense.

Edison Sells His Experimental Plants.

Fort Myers, Fla.—Thomas A. Edison, having decided that golden rod is the hest plant for proincing rubber in this country, all of the nther plants with which he experimented were put up for sale.

N. Y. Man to Get World Bank Post.

New York—The New York Herald Tribune says it has learned that Leon Fraser, New York attorney, probably will he named as one nf the American directors of the bank for international settlements.

LIGHTS of NEW YORK

By GRANT DIXON

Particular

Johnny O'Connor, who knows his Broadwey better, probably, than aoy other man, tells the story of tha efforts of a vandeville agent to sign np the contestants in the recent six-day bicycle race held at Medison Sqnare Gnrden. He thought that the winning teom would eppreciete the extra money to be gained from a short tour in vandeville. Bnt the winners refused the nffer when they learned that they wonld have to play fonr shows a dey and five on Seturdeys and Snndoys. This reminded O'Connor of the vandeville engagement undertaken by "Doc" Cook after he "discovered" the North pole. Cook, says O'Connor, walked off the bill at McVicker's theater in Chicago, complaining that his dressing room was too cold.

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Politest

H. E. Ward, president of the Irving Trust company, has been set down in histnry as the mast polite of all bankers. His compnny is erecting a 50-story skyscraper at 1 Wall street. Just before erectioo nf the steel skeleton began, Mr. Ward sent a aote to each of some 550 captoins of indostry and finonce whose offices ere in adjoining huildings. The note to J. P. Morgan read as follows:

"Mey we hope yon will hear with us as patiently as possihle during the nnavoidahle oolsy weeks thet lie just aheed. . . . Our hullder is pressing the work at top speed. His schednle and the present season nf clnsed windows will st least minimize your discomfort."

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Leg Facts

A gentleman who works on Vnriety and who consequently calls himself e Voriety mugg reports thnt dance directors beve become such experts thet they can tell a girl's nntionality from the look nf her legs—and elso how good a dencer she is. Soys he: "The chorine who may be o crossword pnzzle from eer to ear might be extra intelligent according to how her limh reads. Dutch girls' legs ere shorter and chnhhier than most. Spanish girls can be identified by thin ankles and knees. Inner ankle curves denote Germen blood. A French girl has smell bones and extrevagant musculer curves. Intelligent girls lift their legs higher while walking. American girls have the longest chins."

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Fruitless Search

The American Society for Psychical Research hes been conducting a fruitless eearch for a real New York ghost. But, it appeers, ghosts just can't live in New York. They can't etand apartment honee life, and there ere no suitahle private houses which might he haunted. The old Jumel monsioo used to be hnnnted, hnt the city ocquired it 25 years ego, and now it is just nna more mnsenm. And there's a prize nf $21,000 welting for the person who finds a real New York ghost.

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It's Tough

Lean days lie behind end ahead of the theeter business. Twenty productions closed in two weeks, und one of them lested three performances. Another lested four. One Broadwayfarer remarked that the only woy to heat the game this season is to close a production before it opene end then sell the talkie rights.

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Tail Lights

The idea nf persons corrying tail lights to protect them from motor traffic has always appeered fantastic enongh tn get a good langh in the vandeville houses. Bnt it is oo leughing matter with Mrs. Ida Lathers, who lives on West End avenue. Mrs. Lothers, a New Yorker from the old days, carries a red lantern when she ventnres ont at night. For 20 years she has been a director for a home for the aged, and for thnt many years she has been taking a snrfece cer to visit the institution. Nowadays, she finds motorists speed hy tramwey cars without stopping, and only by waving her laotern can she board a car in safety at night.

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Long Jobless, He Faints When Work Is Offered

Kenosha, Wis.—Herman Easle sooght wnrk fnr four long, weary months. Each day he hunted the classified advertising sections nf newspapers; each day be left his home in tha morning only to return, foot sore and heart sick unsuccessful in his attempts. Herman made nne more attempt. He entered the factnry of a hrass company here and was told that be could have work. Herman fainted.

Nose-Pulling Tells if They Are Sober

Lawrence, Mass.—Convinced that your nose knows, police have adopted a proboscis-pinching policy to determine whether alleged drunken drivers are intoxicated.

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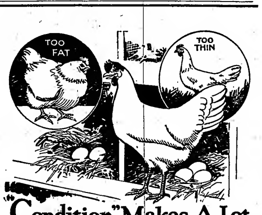

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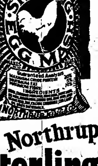

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General Merchandise

St. Hilaire, Minn.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Kenyon—Mrs. Stella Hanson is the new head of the local Degree of Honor lodge.

Marshall — The Minnesota State Dairymen's Assn. held its 52nd annual convention here.

Willmar—Peter Anderson, Willmar, has been elected president of the Kandiyohi Poultry Association.

Adams—Establishment of a municipal light plant at Adams is under consideration by business men here.

St. Cloud—Fred Schilpin of St. Cloud was the guest speaker at the democratic dinner in Andrews hotel, Minneapolis.

Caledonia—At the annual meeting of the directors of the Caledonia State Bank, O. E. Burtness was re-elected president.

Franklin—The Franklin local and rural telephone company at its annual meeting here elected Martin Siegfried president.

Gaylord — Henry Muffelman, 29, cashier of the First State Bank here, was arrested and charged with embezzling $11,000.

Marshall—Neal van Dorin has been elected for a third consecutive term as president of the Marshall Civic & Commerce association.

St. Peter—After 47 years of banking service in this community, Hugo L. Stark, president of the Nicollet county bank, has retired.

Columbia Heights—Another attempt is to be made to recall the Heights so-called boy mayor W. R. Foster, the petition contains 700 signatures.

Caledonia—Charles H. Vickerman, a 40 years old contractor of Caledonia, fell dead while being shaved in a hotel barbershop in Minneapolis.

Battle Lake—First prize in the annual pork production contest of the Minnesota Livestock Breeders' association was won by R. O. Wasson here.

Bricelyn—Mrs. Gladys Johnson was installed as worthy matron and L. C. Larimer as worthy patron by the Gladys chapter, Order of Eastern Star, here.

Willmar—Dr. L. E. Coss is the newly elected president of the local chamber of commerce. A. H. Carlson is vicepresident and H. D. Lidstone secretary.

Winona—Of 186 fires here in 1929, all but one was confined to the place of origin and while property valued at $461,000 was endangered, loss was held at $20,771.

Caledonia—Henry Buchholtz, 40-year-old farmer, is in a hospital in a critical condition as the result of burns suffered in an explosion at his home near here.

Fairmont—Martin county commissioners report the county bill for 1929 was more than $5,000 under 1928, being only $19,748, every type of relief showing reduction.

Austin—Austin Boy Scouts will celebrate the anniversary of Scouting in America with special programs February 7 to 13. Included are an annual winter sport carnival.

Austin—Twenty-seven drunken drivers were convicted in Mower county during 1929, according to County Attorney Otto Bandler, out of thirty-one arrests on this charge.

Ada—While Wm. Dindy, escaped convict, is held in jail here, search is being made for a second man who participated in the holdup of the Ada National Bank of January 9.

Little Falls—Senator Chris Rosenmeier has appointed a state senate subcommittee to devise a plan to relieve congestion in state courts in the 7th and 16th judicial districts.

Duluth—Annual scout anniversary week is scheduled for February 7. J. J. Lumm, president Duluth Area Council, has appointed 13 department chairmen and seven special committee heads.

Owatonna—All officers of the Central Co-operative Oil Association of Owatonna and Blooming Prairie were re-elected at the annual meeting. The association showed a net profit of $56,964.83 in 1929.

Detroit Lakes—This city will hold a winter ice carnival and dog derby February 8th. A queen will be crowned and a hockey game between Detroit Lakes and Fargo high school teams will be a feature.

Austin—Replacing the church destroyed by the tornado in 1928, a new St. Olaf Lutheran church here costing $125,000 will be dedicated Feb. 1 and 2. Seating capacity is 1,000. It has a social center auditorium capable of seating hundreds. A pipe organ costing $9,000 is being installed.

Minneapolis—Seven trustees were added at the first annual meeting here of the American Institute of Swedish Art, Literature and Science, a Swan J. Turnblad foundation. Mr. Turnblad was elected president; Wollmar Bostrom, 1st vice-pres.; Charles S. Peterson, 2nd vice-pres.; Mike Holm, 3rd vice-pres.; Gustaf Lindquist, sec.; Edgar L. Mattson, treasurer; J. A. A. Burnquist, counsel.

Blue Earth—A $300,000 canning factory, a warehouse, a power-house and a veritable village including twelve dwellings, a group of out building, dining halls and a kitchen, are included in a $300,000 expansion of the Minnesota Valley Canning Co. here.

Minneapolis—H. G. Foote of this city, who was injured last June when a mail plane in which he and Mrs. Foote were passengers crashed in St. Paul, has gone to Miami, Fla., for his health, accompanied by a nurse and still conveyed in a wheel chair. Mrs. Foote remaining here is still under the care of a physician.

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St. Hilaire, Minnesota

The Suppressed News

By BEATRICE VANDEGRIFT

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YOUNG Sam Davis had been a reporter on a New York paper for three months and still harbored the idea that the one unforgivable sin in journalism was to come back without a story, and that newspapers print all the scandal they can get, the worse the better.

One grey, rainy November day, the city editor summoned Sam to his desk and told him that, for want of a better man, he was sending him to cover the burial of the famous bandit who had been hanged that morning.

"Get all the dope you can," he commanded gruffly without looking up from his blue-pencilling. "Sob stuff. And for Pete's sake, realize this is news and not shipping notes."

Sam importantly displayed his pass at the prison gates and restlessly waited for the funeral of the notorious bandit who had confessed to twenty-two robberies and eight killings, yet who had shuddered when the court attendant had swatted a fly. Just before his hanging he had given a cold, dispassionate speech on the evils of modern society. He had talked for one hour, holding his condemners spellbound, and significantly stroking his own throat with his delicate white hand.

And now it was Sam's duty to write the ending to his grim story. He shivered a bit with the importance of his assignment.

The funeral cortege, consisting of a group of men who were hired to bury dishonored men, appeared. Sam watched as the interment took place without drama. He talked a bit with the chaplain, but the chaplain knew of no sidelights that might be interesting. The party at last dispersed and Sam was the only reporter left. He stood in the shadow of the prison, defeated and disgruntled. He felt he simply could not return to his paper without a story.

As he was about to go, a taxi drew up and a woman got out. She was muffled in black with a thick veil over her face. She walked hurriedly to the new-made grave, and gently laid a sheaf of pale pink roses on the raw earth. She stood a moment, her head bowed, with the cold November wind stirring her veil, then she entered the cab and drove on. Sam followed in hot haste. Something exciting was breaking at last!

The chase led him to a quiet and respectable street back in the city. In the window of the house that the woman had entered was a doctor's sign. After a few moments of hesitation in which Sam tried to summon a blase air, he rang the bell. The woman answered it, a numb, frightened look in her eyes.

"Good afternoon," began Sam briskly. "May I come in? I represent the Daily Press and I want to obtain an interview. I saw you at Arnold's grave a while ago."

The woman pressed a hand to her white lips, but motioned Sam to enter, leading him to a cozy living room with a low fire on the hearth. A little girl came in once during the interview to announce that her daddy had come in but had gone out again. A doctor, surmised Sam, as the sign in the window indicated. But what was this quiet, pretty woman's connection with the notorious bandit?

He broached the subject bluntly, as he imagined an experienced reporter would.

"Just what was your interest in Arnold, madam?" he inquired, looking through his pockets for a pencil.

"I was his sister," she answered in a low, unsteady tone. "I hadn't seen him for years, since he ran away from home. Even my husband did not know that I was his sister. But I couldn't let him be buried alone, even in dishonor." Tears welled in her eyes. "I know I risked a great deal by going to his grave," she added. "My husband's reputation, my children's future. The press is a very powerful thing," she smiled wanly, "and I beg you not to print this story."

"I'm sorry," refused Sam. "I can't suppress news that belongs to the public. It wouldn't be fair."

He left the house, haunted by the look of despair in the woman's eyes but elated at the thought that he had a scoop. No other paper would be carrying the story.

He dashed into the editorial rooms and made for the city editor's desk, blurting his tale with youthful enthusiasm. The city editor tipped back in his chair and eyed him without emotion as he talked.

Then when Sam stopped for breath he spoke.

"Never mind it," he commanded. "Kill it, Davis. Forget it. It would make hot reading all right, but this paper isn't in the business of ruining respectable women's reputations and blasting kids' futures. Arnold's sister, you say? Forget it. The dame you saw wasn't anybody."

Nicely Calculated

It has been figured that the ordinary postage stamp weighs .01297324 of an ounce; the common pin weighs .0247975 of an ounce, and the average human hair one inch in length weighs .000007668 of an ounce.

And So Often

Many of us would not mind a woman having the last word if she didn't make it last so long.—Boston Transcript.

New Map of Europe Uses 46 Languages

Washington.—The National Geographic society has just issued a new map of Europe in forty-six languages. The forty-six languages were required to give the precise official spellings of the place names in countries where the places exist.

In the years following the armistice one of the notable changes in Europe has been the development and intensification of natural feeling with respect to geographical place names. Warsaw is Warszawa to the Poles; prewar Reval has been replaced by Tallinn in Estonia; St. Petersburg was transformed into Petrograd, but now is Leningrad. So with hundreds of the names which, like the places they represent, have endured for centuries.

The traveler soon finds that Brussels, in Belgium, is Bruxelles; that Copenhagen is Kobenhavn; that Vienna is Wein, and Constantinople is Istanbul.

Brazilian Row Between Church and State Ends

Rio de Janeiro.—An agreement between the church and state was brought about in the state of Minas Geraes recently when D. Antonio Cabral, archbishop of Bello Horizante, handed a gold pen to the president of the state for him to sign the following decree: "In educational establishments maintained by the government religious instruction will in the future be permitted for a space of time not more than 50 minutes each day for three days of the week."

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

A Breath From Happy Hollywood

I HAVE often told the truthful tale of the distinguished New York theatrical magnate who told a well-known playwright that he didn't care to consider putting on the latter's newest piece called "The Dauphin," because he was sure the American people would never care for a play about a fish.

Then of course there is the tale told of that other and equally prominent manager who, on hearing a synopsis of a dramatization of "David Copperfield," said he liked the story and asked who the original author of the story might have been; and then, when the adaptor told him this honor had belonged to Charles Dickens, said promptly:

"Well, you better get in touch with this here Charley Dickens and bring him in to see me and we'll talk over the royalties, und if the guy ain't unreasonable, why we'll fix it up a contract and go ahead with the production."

But the contemporary authorities agree that for a wide and comprehensive and all-embracing ignorance of the classics these dignitaries in the realm of the spoken drama are not to be mentioned in the same admiring breath with some of the leaders of the moving-pictures industry. A man lately back from sinless Hollywood brings with him two anecdotes regarding a strictly self-made gentleman who holds an important, indeed a commanding position, in one of the biggest of the studios. This gentleman chooses subjects for screening; he casts the companies; he passes on details of location, of costuming and of treatment; he bosses the directors and he issues orders to the actors.

Not so very long ago he was told that the editorial department of his plant looked with an eye of favor on the project of making a film version of "The Hunchback of Notre Dame." Promptly he put his foot down on it.

"Nix," he said; "we positifly wouldn't do it. The public is fed up on these here college plays with football players for heroes."

A few days later he personally was supervising the taking of certain scenes of a comedy. In the script prepared from the author's scenario by the continuity writer, he came upon a line to the effect that the leading woman should be pictured as seated alone in a deep reverie.

"Come with me, you," he said indicating the assistant director, the leading lady and the cameramen. "I know just the place for taking this here place of business."

He loaded the three of them into an automobile, got in himself and bade the driver take them along a certain road winding into the foothills above Los Angeles. After an hour or so of steady travel they came to where a narrow but precipitous canyon cut into the contours of the landscape. Here the leader of the expedition gave orders to halt.

"There you are," he stated, with a wave of his arm, "you could look for a week and nowhere you wouldn't find no deeper reverie for her to be setting in than what this one is."

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River News

Many farmers attended the agricultural exhibit at St. Hilaire and Red Lake Falls, last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Larson and children were dinner guests at the John Larson home Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg visited Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Larson.

A group of local young people witnessed the basketball game between St. Hilaire and Oklee last Tuesday.

Hay For Sale:-Have a quantity of hay for sale in stack at $4.00 a ton. Also have 3000 pounds of white, sweet clover seed, clean of foul seed, for sale at 5 cents a pound. Call on or address

Ed Moren,

J23tf Wylie, Minn.

Note:-All coal users may obtain one of the free kitchen utensils given out by the Blue Diamond Coal Company by calling at Bob's Coffee Shop. Supply is limited, get your's today.

Art Hendrickson

Taxidermist Brings Frozen Snake to Life

Colorado Springs, Colo.—Recently a heavy snowstorm swept over the Rocky mountains and a seven-foot boa constrictor in his steam-heated cage "froze to death." Spencer Penrose, the owner of the zoo at the foot of Cheyenne mountain, near here, visited the boa in the afternoon and found him stretched out upon the huge limb of a tree, which is his favorite haunt in captivity.

The next morning a blizzard having intervened, the keeper found the boa frozen solid, and Mr. Penrose sent him to the taxidermist to be stuffed.

The taxidermist and his assistants rolled him out on the floor, seemingly a solid ice mass, while they sharpened their knives. As the taxidermist placed the point of his blade in the boa's head the snake opened his eyes. The men jumped. A quiver ran down the boa's coils, his tail swished furiously from side to side. The attendants vanished and the boa has another life to lose.

Both Somewhat Frisky

Young people aren't as quiet as the young people of olden days used to be, but neither are the old people.—Springfield Union.

Prize Mimic Among Birds

The "minah," a small Indian bird, is said to excel the parrot and all other birds in the imitation of human speech.

Flea Egotism

Jud Tunkins says egotism is a universal instinct. Every flea thinks he owns the entire dog.—Washington Star.

Notice of Annual Meeting

Annual meeting of stockholders of the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Association will be held at the Imperial hall at St. Hilaire on Monday, Feb, 3rd, 1930 at 1:00 P. M., for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year, and to transact any other business that may come before the meeting.

F. S. Erdmann, Sec'ty J16-30

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$1.07
Duram Wheat	.94
Rye	.69
Barley	.40
Oats	.30
Flax	2.78
Eggs, cash	.32
Creamery butter	.41

DR. L. R. TWETE

Licensed Veterinarian

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Tuberculin Testing

Canadian Cow Gives 15 Tons of Milk in Year

Toronto.—By her production of more than 15 tons of milk in a year, Canard Korndyke Alcartra, a Saskatchewan-owned Holstein cow, has established a record that bids fair to top all yields in Canada for 1929. According to figures given out by the Holstein-Friesian association of Canada, this cow produced in the 365-day division of the record performance 30,801 pounds milk and 1,336.25 pounds butter, with an average test of 3.47 per cent fat.

This cow was bred by Fred V. Heeney, Ingersoll, Ont., and sold as a yearling to S. G. Sims, Winnipeg, who in turn transferred her to B. H. Thomas, Moose Jaw, Sask., under whose supervision and management all the above records have been made. Last year, however, after finishing her world's record, she was purchased by the Saskatchewan government for $10,000.

Every Other Babe in Kashmir Area Dies

Kashmir, India.—Figures published in the Church Missionary Outlook give the infant mortality rate of this region as 500 per 1,000. Persia is said to have the same rate, while Egypt has 800 per 1,000.

While a great deal is being done to promote child welfare, workers find that distrust on the part of the natives is the greatest obstacle. In Egypt the rumor got about that bathing the babies was really Christian baptism. Weighing infants is looked upon with deep suspicion.

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Annual Creamery Meeting

Annual meeting of stockholders, and election of officers of the St. Hilaire Creamery Association took place here Monday afternoon. The meeting was marked with very good attendance from all parts of the community. Stuart McLeod of Goodridge, district director of the Land O'Lakes Association, was present and addressed the meeting on subjects of special interest.

Annual statement, as read by Secretary Fred Erdmann, shows the creamery manufactured 12,000 more pounds of butter during 1929 than during 1928. Present indications are that 1930 will eclipse all former records.

The creamery is in fine condition financially, there being only a small debt that could be taken up this year if the directors choose to do so.

Felix Grandbois, John Maakrud, Fred Erdmann and W. P. Wilson, president, vice president, secretary and treasurer, respectively, were re-elected without opposition. The only board member not returned was O. L. Larson, who asked to be relieved. His place was taken by C. H. Swanson who was also named delegate to the Land O'Lakes convention at Minneapolis.

Mr. Larson has been a member of the board for years and has given considerable of his time and energy for betterment of the creamery. All the officers have made fine records in management of the creamery, and the patrons showed their appreciation by re-electing them for the coming year.

Annual statement is published in this issue.

Play Middle River, Feb. 21

The local high school basket ball team has arranged a game with the Middle River high school team for Friday evening, Feb. 21st. The game will be played in the hall at Hazel.

These teams each have a game to their credit thus far this season, and as both have played a good brand of ball, the game will no doubt be both fast and interesting.

In Appreciation

Am leaving the Thief River field of the Salvation Army to locate at Fargo, and I wish to take occasion to thank the good people of St. Hilaire for the numerous courtesies and assistance given me while here.
Lieut. H. D. Wegner.

Third Whist Session

Third meeting in the local whist tournament was held Tuesday evening at the Odd Fellows hall. A number of new players took part this time there being sixty players Tuesday night instead of forty at the first meeting. "Lady Luck" who failed to associate with the Blues the first two sessions was shy again this meeting and the Pinks were guests at luncheon after the games. Tom Larson had high score. Lunch was served at both cafes, the losers at the Bob's Coffee Shop and the winners at the Blue Parrot.

The Blues are by no means downcast or disheartened by their defeats so far, and have issued a challenge for a real scrap next Monday night.

Camp Fire Play, Feb. 15

The Wetomachick Camp Fire Girls are sponsering a play to be given, Saturday, Feb, 15, at the Imperial Theatre. A movie entitle "Prep and Pep" will be shown in addition to a good program of other numbers. There will also be a candy sale in connection. The girls promise a good time to all who attend so no one shoud miss it.

Sister Dies

Mike Highland received word Monday that his sister Sophie, had passed away at the family home at Halstad. Deceased was about 40 years of age, and had been ill for some time.

Besides her parents, Miss Highland is survived by five brothers and three sisters.

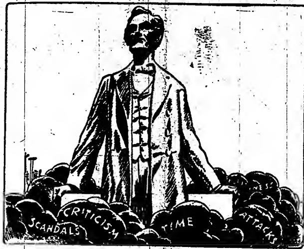
Mrs. and Mrs. Highland went to Halstad last evening to be present at the funeral which takes place today.

The Young People's Luther League will have a meeting at the Norwegian Luthern church next Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. M. Dahle will give a talk on "The geographic conditions as they have been, and as they are now". Lunch will be served after the program.

This will be the annual business meeting, and officers will be elected. All old officers, as well as others interested, are asked to be present.

Oscar Kolstad left yesterday enroute to lower Michigan to look up employment for the coming season.

Unsullied



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

The high school basketeers have scheduled a game with Middle River to be played in the hall at Hazel, Friday evening, Feb. 21st.

Mrs. Margaret Volden and daughter visited over the week-end until Monday with relatives at Erskine.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Ludemann and children, Gloria and Junior of Fargo, N. D. spent the week-end as guests at the H. Bolhen home.

C. G. Selvig, Ninth District Congress, will speak on the radio from Station W. B. B. M. Chicago, over the Columbia Farm Community network at 12:35 noon on Friday Feb. 7th on the subject "Competition Which threatens the Farmer". Mr. Selvig will spend Saturday and Sunday with his parents at Rushford, Minn., and will be at the Winter Crop Show at Crookston the following week.

A whist party was held Saturday evening last at the home of Mr. and Mrs Harlan Winters east of town. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. McAndress, Mr. and Mrs. Joe King Mr. and Mrs. S. Skottem Mr. and Mrs. P. Simonson, Lloyd Johnson Harold and Mary Whalen. A delicious lunch was served at midnight at close of the games.

N. J. Anderson of Thief River, has been appointed enumerator for for the Census of Distribution and Manufactures for this county, and will visit all business institutions in the county to solicit from them information called for in the Census schedule covering the above subject.

This enumeration will begin early this month and must be completed before April 2, when the regular population census begins.

Special Train, Feb. 12th

The Great Northern will operate a special train on this line Feb. 12 to the Winter Shows at Crookston. This train leaves St. Hilaire at 9:27 A. M., arriving in Crookston at 11:05. It leaves Crookston at 10:30 P. M. for Warroad and intermediate stations. One regular one-way fare of $1.53 will apply from St. Hilaire to Crookston and return. Tickets sold for the special train will be honored on that train only.

On other trains a fare of one and one half will apply. These go on sale Feb. 8th to 14th, inclusive, with final return limit of Feb. 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson motored Tuesday to Crookston to attend to business matters. They returned the same day.

Dr. L. Twete, the veterinarian, was here both Monday and Tuesday this week attending to calls. There seems to be more illness among livestock now than is usual for this time of the year.

The local high school and high school alumni teams will clash at Hazel next Tuesday evening. There is good basketball material in both teams, and the contest should prove a good one.

A Valentine party will be given by the Luther League at the church basement of the Norwegian Lutheran church Thursday evening, Feb, 13th. A good program has been arranged.

A meeting of the Mens' Club of the Norwegian Lutheran church was held at the church last Sunday evening. A fine program was given, and attendance was very good. It was decided to have the bi-monthly meetings on Tuesdays hereafter, the next one being Tuesday, Feb. 18th.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Peterson of Grand Forks, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gust Johnson last Thursday. Upon returning home, they were accompanied by Miss Esther Johnson who went with them and other friends on a motor trip to the Auto Show in the Twin Cities this week.

John D. Porter, formerly in the automobile business here, writes to friends that he and family are located at Las Vegas, Nev., for the winter. Construction of the large government dam near that city, which was the reason for Mr. Porter wanting to see that territory, has not started yet, and probably will be held up a year or more. Mr. Porter says the climate is fine in Nevada, but he and family plan to return to this section as soon as warm weather sets in.

New Appraiser Named

Mr. Wold of Twin Valley, who has represented the Minnesota Rural Credit Bureau in district south of here, has been named to succeed the late F. F. Haynes as appraiser in this district.

It is understood Mr. Wold may handle both districts with the help of assistants.

P. T. A. Meets Friday

First regluar monthly meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held at the school building tomorrow evening. The program for this meeting will be put on entirely by high school pupils who have given considerable time to its preparation. Lunch will be served as usual, at close of the meeting.

Charles Krohn

"The death occurred Sunday, Jan. 26, of Charles Krohn, farmer of Shaunavon district, who past away in his 59th year at the Union Hospital at Shaunavon. Mr. Krohn was born in Landskrona, Sweden, July 31, 1870, and when a lad of 17 came to the United States and settled at St. Hilaire, Minnesota. In 1910 he moved to the Shaunavon district and took up a homestead where he has resided ever since. His death, which came after a prolonged illness, will be regretted by a large circle of friends both here and in Minnesota. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife and six children resident at Shaunavon and a sister in Erie, Minn."--Shaunavon Standard.

The above chronicles the passing of a former resident of Rocksbury township who was very well known in this community twenty years ago. Quite a number of the older residents will recall Charley Krohn, and many old friends will be grieved to learn of his death. Sincere sympathy of all old St. Hilaire friends is extended to the family.

Ole R. Hage

Ole R. Hage, age 82, a pioneer resident of Halstad, and for 18 years a resident of Crookston, died at his farm near Halstad on Jan, 6th. Mr. Hage came from Norway in 1872 and settled in Fillmore county, and came to Halstad in 1879. Funeral services were held at Halstad and burial was made at Crookston. Mr. Hage was a brother of M. R. Hage of this village.

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New Hardware Store To Open Here Next Month

The Hunt Bros. Hardware Company of Red Lake Falls, completed arrangements last week for opening of a new retail hardware establishment in this village. The new store will be located in the Imperial block which is to be redecorated and refinished for its use. A complete set of new fixtures of the latest type will be installed soon as the building is ready, and the firm will carry a complete line of staple and heavy hardware.

The local store is to be in charge Paul Roy as local manager. According to present plans, the Hunt Brothers will take over part of the stock of the Bergh Hardware Company the balance to be moved to Plummer to be consolidated with the stock Mr. Bergh carries there.

The Hunt Hardware Company are not strangers in this territory, having conducted a retail hardware store at Red Lake Falls for the past 52 years. The home store at Red Lake Falls is considered one of the best arranged and stocked stores in Northwestern Minnesota, and the local establishment will be patterned along the same lines. Being affiliated with the largest hardware purchasing concern in the country, the new store will be in position to meet any and all competition in the hardware line.

A well stocked hardware store has been sorely needed in St. Hilaire for some time past, and the village is very fortunate in securing location here of the Hunt Bros who have both the means and ability to give this territory the kind of store it needs.

Mrs. H. Cousins

Mrs. H. Cousins died early Sunday at her home in Smiley township after a brief illness. Mrs. Cousins, who was a daughter of Mrs. Gronde Austad of Mayfied township was married only about a year ago. She is survived by her husband, an infant child two weeks old, her mother, and three sisters and three brothers. Deceased was held in high esteem in her home community, and her sudden and wholly unexpected death is a sad blow to her family and many friends.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. M. L. Dahle from the Ebenezer church in Mayfield on Tuesday afternoon.

Making The Grade

Financial assistance at the right time has paved the way to independence for many people in this community. During the past quarter century, the Old Reliable has assisted many people this way, and, always has funds on hand to assist anysound enterprise.

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That is the question that concerns us all. The future of your creamery depends upon you. By patronizing it--selling it your cream--buy what it has to sell--and co-operating with your neighbors for its betterment, you are not only helping yourself, but are assisting in the upbuilding of your community. If not already a shareholder, become one this year.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also is position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

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NORRIS, BORAH REJECT DRY EDICT

Wets Barred by U. S. Atty. General Mitchell Not Subject to Dry Yardstick.

Washington—Revolt by such ardent drys as Senators Borah and Norris, and Congressman Fort has brought new breaks with the Hoover administration over prohibition enforcement. For the first time since the 18th amendment was passed and the Volstead act became a law, belief in prohibition has been made the yardstick by which appointments to the justice department will be made, according to a ruling promulgated by Attorney General William D. Mitchell that no one who does not believe in prohibition, or who drinks intoxicants need hereafter aspire to hold the office of Assistant United States Attorney or United States Marshal. To this end his agents have been collecting such information.

Senators Norris and Borah have come out flatfooted against this. Senator Norris said no such yardstick would be applied by the senate judiciary committee, while Senator Borah, and Representative Fort, of New Jersey and ardent drys both inveighed against the Mitchell ruling.

Co-incident with the Mitchell announcement, Senator Borah, charged that his office has been subject to espionage by the department of justice, also charging that the agent of the department of justice who gave him the information had been transferred out of Washington. Senator Borah charges that what the justice department agent told him regarding Prohibition Administrator John T. Herbert was a record of malfeasance and corruption in office, and that if the facts reported to him were true "this man has no business in Montana or Idaho or anywhere outside of the penitentiary."

Fire Statistics

Statistics of the national board of fire underwriters show that 1 per cent of the number of fires cause 66 2-3 per cent of our total fire losses. Obviously such fires are in buildings where large concentrations of wealth are stored, such as stores, factories, warehouses, theaters, office holdings, etc. This leaves one-third of the fire loss for fires in all types of small buildings.

"Trees" and "Shrubs"

A positive distinction cannot always be made between trees and shrubs. Botanists say that a tree differs from a shrub in having its lowest branches at a greater height from the ground, the branches of a shrub proceeding directly from the ground without a supporting stem. Many people use the word "shrub" in the sense of any bush.

"Creeping Barrage" Idea

Gen. Lord Henry Horne of Stirkoke, England, is the famous artillery commander whose name is associated with the first use of the "creeping barrage." General Horne, however, is said to have given the credit of its invention to Brig. Gen. E. W. Alexander, V. C., at the action at Flers during the World war, on September 15, 1916.

Tarantula Not Deadly

The bite of a tarantula is poisonous, but not as dangerous to humans as was formerly believed. It used to be supposed that its bite was fatal, but various experimenters have found that it usually occasions, at most, several days' illness and discomfort.

Electric Lighting

In an arc lamp the light is produced by a voltaic arc formed between two or more carbon electrodes. In an incandescent lamp the light is produced by the electric incandescence of a strip or filament of refractory substances, generally carbon.

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There seems to be a clashing of beliefs this year in regard to whether spring will be early or not. As there was no sunshine all day last Sunday, the groundhog tradition has it that spring will be early. On the other hand those who have faith in "late Easter, late spring" have proof by the calendar that spring will be late. Now it both fictions will have a "disarmament conference "and agree to let spring came about first week in March, they will have the thanks of those who foot the coal bills.

My Favorite Stories
by Irvin S. Cobb

A Complete Change of Climate

IN A country as large as ours, distances are purely relative things. It all depends on one's point of view I think of two cases in point, dissimilar in locale and setting, but both illustrative.

A cow-hand, on a ranch in the Staked Plains country down near El Paso, took a vacation. He decided to travel to far ports, so he went all the way to Texarkana, clear across in the northeastern corner of the state. If the reader is a Texan, or if he ever has toured Texas, he will appreciate that this is quite a journey. Upon the traveler's return, some of his friends asked him how he had enjoyed himself.

"Oh, pretty good," he said, "but so fur as I'm concerned, I'll be satisfied to stay down South here, in God's country, where I belong. The way I feel now, I won't never go visitin' again away up yonder in the North. I don't care much for them Yankees."

Here's a companion piece:

A New Yorker was fishing in the upper peninsula of Michigan. His guide was a typical woodsman. One night by the campfire he regaled the New Yorker with accounts of the severity of the winters in those parts—how deep the snowdrifts were and how biting the winds from off Lake Superior and how thick the ice was and how low the thermometer fell and how long the cold weather lasted.

"Well," said the Easterner, when the native had halted for breath, "we have some pretty bad cold snaps along the seabord but nothing to match what you describe. How do you manage to stand such conditions?"

"Me?" said the guide, "I don't try to stand 'em. Before it freezes up solid I pack up and git out of here and go south fur the winter."

"To Florida, I suppose?" hazarded the New Yorker.

"Nope," said the native, "Grand Rapids."

Annual Report of the ST. HILAIRE CO-OP CREAMERY ASSOCIATION

For the Year 1929

St. Hilaire, Minn., Feb. 3, 1930.

Pounds of cream received	1,039,629	
Average test of cream	25.9	
Pounds of butterfat delivered		269,257.53
Butter sold patrons, pounds	14,649	
Butter sold locally, pounds	9,010	
Butter sold L. O. L. Creameries	309,720	
Total butter made		333,379.00
Overrun 23.81% or pounds		64,121.47
Average monthly price paid patrons for L. O. L. fat		48.41
Average monthly price paid patrons for Grade one		46.41
Average net price obtained for butter		41.95
Cost per pound of making butter		2.41
93 score or Land O' Lakes butter made	156,070	

RECEIPTS

Balance beginning of year		870.25
Received for butter sold patrons	6,471.25	
Received for butter sold locally	4,402.91	
Received for butter sold L. O. L. Cr's	128,976.10	139,850.26
Received for buttermilk sold patrons	365.67	
Received for buttermilk sold for cash at creamery	95.70	
Received for buttermilk sold for cash otherwise	5.60	466.97
Received for salt sold patrons	630.38	
Received for salt sold for cash at cry.	101.71	
Received for salt sold to stores and Hazel creamery	262.65	994.74
Received for L. O. L. cheese sold patrons	775.03	
Received for L. O. L. cheese sold for cash	325.29	1,100.32
Received for misc. items sold patrons	101.66	
Received for misc. items sold for cash at creamery	5.56	
Received for misc. items sold for cash otherwise	62.21	169.43
Received book account from patrons	60.37	
Received book account, cash	4.13	64.60
Received R. R. fare for delegates to State meeting	33.28	
Received refund on tubs	37.00	70.28
Received egg and poultry commission		174.55
Received certificates of Ind. of L. O. L. Creameries		1,170.04
Total		144,931.44

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid patrons in checks	120,920.67	
Paid patrons in produce	8,385.08	
Paid into sinking fund for butterfat, etc.	1,701.50	131,007.25
Paid Buttermaker's salary		2,100.00
Paid Helper's salary		1,058.10
Paid Secretary's salary		500.00
Paid Treasurer's salary		168.00
Paid Directors' fees		72.00
Paid Station manager		14.50
Paid Phone rent		37.15
Paid Drayage		228.75
Paid for supplies		1,181.07
Paid for cheese		1,057.80
Paid for salt		1,024.84
Paid for butter tubs		3,321.05
Paid for coal		785.27
Paid for freight on supplies		146.78
Paid for repairs and labor		105.17
Paid for personal property tax		124.54
Paid for insurance		155.40
Paid for power and light		250.30
Paid for books and printing		117.88
Paid delegates to L. O. L. meeting		46.53
Paid incidentals		81.90
Paid egg and poultry commission		158.32
Payroll overdraft outstanding		18.80
Land O' Lakes certificates outstanding		1,170.04
Total		144,931.44

SINKING FUND

RECEIPTS

Received from General fund	1,701.50
Received office and shop rent	210.00
Received interest	74.33
Received refund on tubs and supplies	233.42
Received from Farmers State Bank	631.64
Received from Land O' Lakes Certificate	97.28
Received for old scale	12.00
Overdraft at end of year	2,631.41
Total	5,591.58

DISBURSEMENTS

Overdraft at beginning of year	3,332.15
Paid interest on shares	832.50
Paid interest on loan	48.10
Paid taxes on real estate and revenue stamps	813.55
Paid repairs on heating plant	395.88
Paid repairs on building	101.90
Paid for labor	67.50
Total	5,591.53
Inventory of supplies	2,247.74

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Bray News

Harry Larson was pleasantly surprised last Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson, it being his twenty-first birthday anniversary.

Those who were in attendance were as follows, Harry Larson, honor guest, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson, Lillian, Norma, Mr. and Mrs. John Scholin, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Linquist Geo. Ame, Alice and Mae Mrs. Henry Lindbloom, Mabel, George and Harold Lindblom, Mrs. Annie Lindblom, and Miss Hazel Krause, Mr. and Mrs. O. Swanson, S. N. Olson and daughter Helen, Christ Person, Gladys and Marvin and Clarance, Mrs. M. Wood, Harriet and Darrel Mr. and Mrs. Henry Melin and daughter Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pearson and Tom Larson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hawkinson and son Lowell, Henry Schneider and daughter Marie, Allen and Leona Olson, Mrs. Lane, Hulda, Rick, Sam and Carl Mosbeck.

Harold and Martin Hallstrom Myrtle and Rudolph Erickson Melvin and Artie Nelson, Arnold and Victor Johnson, Alma, Ted and Olle Jeppu, Johannah Christenson, and Miss Bugge, Wm. Bugge and Walter Martinson. A delicious lunch was served and the honor guest received several beautiful gifts. A very enjoyable time was reported by all.

Quit a number of farmers out west attended the creamery meeting at St. Hilaire on Monday.

The groundhog saw his shadow in town of Bray so we are prepared for six weeks more of winter.

Quit a number of pupils have been absent from school in Dist. 180 on account of severe colds and pink-eye.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scholin made a business call to Thief River on Saturday.

Mrs. Melvin Anderson teacher in Dist. 69 spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Olson, went to Warren on Wednesday where the later received medical attention. We all hope for her speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hawkinson was Thief River Falls callers on Saturday.

Miss Mable Lindblom is spending the week at the home of Mr and Mrs. Carl Pearson of St. Hilaire.

Mrs. Annie and Mrs. Henry Lindblom were house guests at Mrs. Luttmer's, on Friday.

Miss Ella Nelson, left Monday evening for Minneapolis and Cleveland Ohio, to visit with relatives and friends.

25 Years Ago

Nels Otterness completed a deal whereby he became owner of the J. J. Kordahl farm northeast of this village.

—XXV—

Geo. L. Austin succeeded Joel Winkjer as manager of the local creamery.

—XXV—

The lumber company bought the Torkelson residence and were to improve it for use as a residence for manager of the mill.

—XXV—

Albert Hier, a young homesteader out near Carmel postoffice, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed his homestead cabin.

—XXV—

Pete Sanderson traded his house in west part of town, to Ole Melting for a piece of land in River Falls.

—XXV—

Pat McAndress, employed as a railroad fireman down on the Iron Range, was here for a visit with his parents.

Notices were published that Thief River parties would commence circulating a petition, the object of which was removal of the county seat from Red Lake Falls to Thief River Falls.

—XXV—

Hog Cholera Prevented by Right Use of Serum

Let us not forget that hog cholera has not been entirely and completely eradicated in this country. Let us not forget also that the disease may be easily prevented by making pigs immune with the proper use of serum and virus. Let us keep in mind that after the disease gets a good start in a herd of pigs there is little that can be done to stop it. While we are at it let us be reminded that it costs less to immune weanling pigs than 150-pound shoots. They are also more easily handled.

Feeding Orphan Lamb

If the orphan lamb cannot be given to another ewe, it may be raised satisfactorily on a bottle. Of course it is better to get another ewe to adopt the lamb if possible. When necessary to raise a lamb on a bottle, it will need to be fed several times a day at first. The number of feedings may be reduced until by the time the lamb is six weeks old, three or four times a day will be sufficient. A creep should be provided where some ground grain may be kept for the lambs.

No Distinction in Words

"Railroad" and "railway" are used synonymously in the United States. The former is given the preference, although in some cases, as the Southern railway, the latter is the official name. In Great Britain "railway" is used where we use "railroad."—Pathfinder Magazine.

Catching the Vision

Never can any advantage be taken of nature by a trick. The spirit of the world, the great calm presence of the Creator, comes not forth to the sorceries of opium or wine. The sublime vision comes to the pure and simple soul in a clean and chaste body.—Emerson.

Save Historic Edifice

Seventeen years of work now being completed to preserve St. Paul's cathedral, London, causes building experts to predict that the cathedral is safe for five centuries. More than £400,000 has been spent in the project. The dome of the shrine alone weighs 68,000 tons. The engineers are making the center of the building into a monolith by solidifying the piers that support the dome.

Denver Boy is a Winner

Every mother realizes how important it is to teach children good habits of conduct but many of them fail to realize the importance of teaching their children good bowel habits until the poisons from decaying waste held too long in the system have begun to affect the child's health.

Watch your child and at the first sign of constipation, give him a little California Fig Syrup. Children love its rich, fruity taste and it quickly drives away those distressing ailments, such as headaches, bad breath, coated tongue, biliousness, feverishness, fretfulness, etc. It gives them a hearty appetite, regulates their stomach and bowels and gives tone and strength to these organs so they continue to act normally, of their own accord. For over fifty years, leading physicians have prescribed it for half-sick, bilious, constipated children. More than 4 million bottles used a year shows how mothers depend on it.

Mrs. C. G. Wilcox, 3855½ Wolff St., Denver, Colorado, says: "My son, Jackie, is a prize winner for health, now, but we had a lot of trouble with him before we found his trouble was constipation and began giving him California Fig Syrup. It fixed him up quick, gave him a good appetite, made him sleep fine and he's been gaining in weight right along since the first few days, taking it."

To avoid inferior imitations of California Fig Syrup, always look for the word "California" on the carton.

Official estimates place the Hungarian corn crop at 75,000,000 bushels, 26,000,000 bushels more than in 1928.

Even tainted money is apt to have one or more strings to it.

Retain Your Good Looks

How frequently a woman thinks, "Am I still attractive?" How much thought and study she devotes to her looks! That's natural. A woman hates to think she is growing day by day less charming and attractive. DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION helps to preserve in a woman the charm and health of youth. It contains no harmful ingredient. This splendid herbal tonic is sold by all druggists in both fluid and tablets.

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Most ailments start from poor elimination (constipation or semi-constipation). Intestinal poisons sap vitality, undermine your health and make life miserable. Tonight try NR—NATURE'S REMEDY—all-vegetable corrective—not an ordinary laxative. See how NR will aid in restoring your appetite and rid you of that heavy, loggy, pepless feeling.

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Community Building

Trees That "Make Good" on the Home Grounds

Elm and oak trees are ideal for the home grounds, not only because of their beauty and long life, but because their shade is not so dense as to kill plants and grass beneath them.

Oaks are considered to be slow growing trees, but they will grow almost as readily as the elms. The burr oak, which grows with a widespread head and rugged branches, is the finest for the yard and the pin oak for parkways. Red oaks do best in light dry soils. Oaks are not difficult to transplant if one buys nursery grown trees of the small sizes and prunes them back severely at planting time. If this is neglected the oak is quite likely to die even after it puts out leaves.

Black walnuts are fine shade trees and grow readily. They produce nuts whose merit is recognized by all good cooks and their wood is the most expensive of native woods.

The gongko biloba or maiden hair tree, which has a leaf shaped like that of the maiden hair fern and which grows in a perfect cone, is much used for parkway planting in eastern cities. It is especially immune from insects and disease attacks.

Opinions Vary Greatly Concerning Model City

Inspired by talk about a "model" city, the question arises, What is a model city? It cannot be answered, for the reason that the answer depends on the cultural viewpoint, with reference to the word "culture," in its dictionary application to "refinement of mind, morals or taste."

To say that a city is great or opulent or beautiful conveys a meaning more or less satisfactory to every one. But a "model" city in the sense here understood raises a conflict of opinions. Your model city may, for instance, be either too puritanical for some tastes or too wicked for others

One man's meat is another man's poison. My model city may not be your model city.

New Orleans would not suit Boston as a model city.

Washington, as a model city, may not please Wayback or Hickville.

The model city of a Washington, a Jefferson, or a Lincoln might be to others Sodom or Gomorrah.

And so it goes. What we should do is to make our city a better city, not a model.—Washington Post.

Water Supply Important

Of the thousands of privately owned water supply companies, a few hundred have been brought together in the last few years into holding companies which were able to give each individual unit up-to-date management. Able engineering brains were introduced. Improvements and extensions were scientifically planned, and, in this way, the needs of the communities were anticipated in advance, so that the growth of the communities was, in many cases, furthered instead of retarded by lack of water facilities for industries, home developments, fire protection, sanitation, street cleaning, etc. The importance to the communities of a progressive water company can scarcely be overstated because an adequate supply of pure water is the basis of a higher standard of living, greater comfort, better fire protection and industrial progress.

Wooded Setting Effective

Consider a wooded setting for your brick house wherever it is possible. Nothing is quite so effective in enhancing the charm of a richly colored common brick wall as the constant change in the play of sunshine and shadows. This is especially appealing where the color tones are varied and sharply defined.

A ray of sunshine focusing suddenly upon a single brick of unusually vivid coloring, searching it out as a branch is swayed in the breeze, endows it in a twinkling with a flash of new and startling beauty akin to the glow of a firefly in the dusk.

Unpainted Building Decays

The recent authoritative estimate that the weathering of unpainted buildings and implements costs American farmers $800,000,000 a year leads the Farm Journal to point out what is really happening to a building while the owner thinks he is saving money by delaying the needed coat of paint. It is decay, but the actual wearing away of the exposed surface that makes a ruin of the neglected building long before its time.

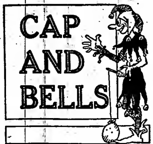
Brick Veneering Pays

Many old houses have sturdy frames despite the shabby and old appearance of the exterior. Given a veneer of face brick, these houses will put on an appearance of new and will give service that compares well with an entirely new home, for the brick exterior provides protection against the elements and takes on added beauty with the years.

Two Billion Remodeling

The home modernizing bureau of the National Building Industries expects that during the next 12 months $2,000,000,000 will be spent for remodeling.

CAP AND BELLS



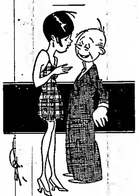
SCARCITY OF CLOTHING

"Huh!" said Johnnie, who was entertaining the young lawyer sis was setting her cap for, "you have got some clothes on. Who loaned 'em to you?"

"Loaned them?" he snapped. "Nobody loaned them to me—they belong to me."

"That's funny," remarked the kid. "Dad said you lost your suit in court and your shirt in Wall street."

UNKISSABLE



He—You were just made to kiss.

She—I never saw the fellow yet who could make me.

Romping Initials

The printer said, "I'll have to go
And study up my radio.
As letters strangely strike my eye
They look to me like so much 'pi'."

That's Right!

Al Frueh, the caricaturist, recently submitted a picture to a magazine editor in which Father Time, along with the regulation hourglass and scythe, is depicted with a loosely rolled umbrella under his arm.

"What's the idea of Father Time carrying an umbrella?" queried Ye Editor.

"You forget," replied Al, "that boy survived The Deluge!"

He'd Lack the Nerve

Jones—So work is piling up at the office and you're short of stenographers? Why don't you engage your wife to help you out evenings?

Smith—Man! Do you think I dare dictate to my wife!

Sure Death for His Patients

Patient—Does it really ever happen, doctor, that a person is buried alive?

M. D.—I know this much, that it'll never happen to any of my patients.

A CONSIDERATION

"How in the world did she come to fall in love with a drug store clerk?"

"Well, she can get her hair nets for nothing."

The Ostrich

The ostrich may be queer as sin,
But do not notice that;
For he has put a feather in
Full many a lady's hat.

Grand Luck

First Artist—Did you hear about De Long's luck? He sold a painting.

Second Artist—Do you call that luck?

First Artist—You'd say it was if you'd seen the picture.

Different

Joe—Here's a cigar, if you want it, but I thought that you had sworn off smoking.

Jim—No, just sworn off using tobacco.

A Fair Offer

The Judge—You are charged with breaking into a cigar store and stealing $40 from the cash register. Have you anything to offer in your defense?

The Culprit—I'll split the loot fifty-fifty with you.

Prepared

"Fancy, Harold is dead. Such a clever man. He knew four dead languages."

"Well, he can use them now."—Karikaturen, Oslo.

Needless Suffering

The next time a headache makes you stay at home—

Or some other ache or pain prevents your keeping an engagement—

Remember Bayer Aspirin! For there is scarcely any pain it cannot relieve, and relieve promptly.

These tablets give real relief, or millions would not continue to take them. They are quite harmless, or the medical profession would not constantly prescribe them.

Don't be a martyr to unnecessary pain. To colds that might so easily be checked; to neuritis, neuralgia; to those pains peculiar to women; or any suffering for which Bayer Aspirin is such an effective antidote.

For your own protection, buy the genuine. Bayer is *safe.* It's always the same. It never depresses the heart, so use it as often as needed; but the cause of any pain can be treated only by a doctor.

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For a Change

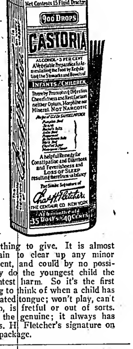
"You are looking happy. I must write you some poetry," remarked the contributor.

"Nothing you could do would make me happier," rejoined the editor.

Largest French Cemetery

The new cemetery of Thiais, near Paris, is said to be the largest cemetery in France. It covers 107 hectares in one plot of ground and is noted for its great beauty as well as size.

When Babies CRY



Babies will cry, often for no apparent reason. You may not know what's wrong, but you can always give Castoria. This soon has your little one comforted; if not, you should call a doctor. Don't experiment with medicines intended for the stronger systems of adults! Most of those little upsets are soon soothed away by a little of this pleasant-tasting, gentle-acting children's remedy that children like.

It may be the stomach, or may be the little bowels. Or in the case of older children, a sluggish, constipated condition. Castoria is still the thing to give. It is almost certain to clear up any minor ailment, and could by no possibility do the youngest child the slightest harm. So it's the first thing to think of when a child has a coated tongue; won't play, can't sleep, is fretful or out of sorts. Get the genuine; it always has Chas. H. Fletcher's signature on the package.

Thoughtful of Him

Mr. Borley—I passed by your place yesterday.

Mr. Busiman—I'm glad you did.

A tactless man says, "All babies look alike to me," at the wrong time and place.

Hard to Satisfy

Man wants but little here below but what he gets is usually below what he wants.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The average American sheep represents, in wool, one suit of clothes each year.

"Always in Good Humor" says Bill "and my Folks, too"

YOUNG BILL FREEMAN, Jr., of 707 South Street, Key West, Florida, has started in early telling the world his secret of health. "I don't know that I would have been the cause of divorce," writes Bill, through his mother, "but certainly the first three months of my life my mother was a nervous wreck, and so was I. I never saw father because he didn't like my disposition—and every day it was a fight at our house—either castor oil or an enema, and I was just about ready to quit home.

"Finally, they started in giving me a half teaspoonful of Nujol night and morning. I am five months old now, and I take Nujol every other night, which keeps me so well regulated that I am always in good humor, and so are my folks."

William A. Freeman, Jr., who licks the spoon in preparation for licking the world.

How simple it is, after all. No drugs, no medicines, no irritating cathartics. Just simple and natural lubrication which our bodies need as much as any machine. Nujol is not absorbed by the body. It is non-fattening; it can form no habit; it cannot hurt the smallest baby. What it does is keep our bodies internally clean of the poisons we all have and which, unless they are swept away as regularly as clock work, give us headaches, make us feel sick, low in our minds, blue, down on the world.

Nujol is as tasteless and colorless as pure water. Start this very night and see how different you will feel after a few days. It costs but a few cents and it makes you feel like a million dollars. You can buy it at any drug store in a sealed package. With millions of people all over the world keeping well with Nujol there is no reason why you, too, should not be joyous, full of pep, with the happiness that comes of good health. Get a bottle today.

NOBEL PRIZE WINNERS FOR THE PAST YEAR

The six winners of the Nobel prizes for 1929 after being presented with their awards by King Gustav of Sweden. Left to right: Sir Frederick Gowland Hopkins of Cambridge university, Prof. Arthur Harden of London university, Thomas Mann of Germany; Prof. Hans Von Euler of Stockholm university, Prince Louis Victor, Duc de Broglie of Paris and Prof. Owen W. Richardson of King's college, London.

Cheapest Thing

By Douglas Malloch.

THE cheapest thing in life is life,
Come, friend, and see it sold.
One trades it for a party's strife,
One for a pot of gold.
Another fills a brimming glass
And throws his one life in.
Another with a painted lass
Will sell it for a sin.

Men sell their lives, and what to buy?
Come, friend, and let us see.
For pleasure some decide to die,
Though happiness is free.
Men sell their lives for midnight hours,
Burn candles at both ends.
Some sell their lives for paper flow'rs,
And some for faithless friends.

Yes, life is sold, and sold for what?
Come, friend, and we'll inquire.
Well, here are many seeking not,
Contentment but desire.
Some sell their lives for fame, for lust,
A game, a social wife.
In all this world of dross and dust
The cheapest thing is life.

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Customs Change

Offer a woman of today a pinch of snuff and she will be quite as much offended as a Victorian dame by the offer of a cigarette. Yet a century ago the invitation of snuff would have been accepted without demur.

A Collection of Good Things

By NELLIE MAXWELL

The bliss of man (could pride that blessing find)
Is not to act or think beyond mankind;
No powers of body or of soul to share,
But what his nature and his state can bear.
—Alexander Pope.

A HOT supper dish which will be not only satisfying but attractive is:

Tomato Rarebit.

Heat one can of tomato soup in a double boiler, add one small onion chopped and two tablespoonfuls of catsup. Cut one pound of American cheese into thin slices and stir into the soup, add one egg well beaten and cover for five minutes. Serve at once on toasted crackers. Some prefer serving the rarebit before the cheese is entirely melted. This also makes a fine sandwich filling, served on hot toast, or cold on buttered bread.

Pumpkin Pudding.

Take two cupfuls of steamed, strained pumpkin, two-thirds of a cupful of currants, one-fourth cupful each of sugar and molasses, two beaten eggs, one and one-half cupfuls of milk, one teaspoonful of cinnamon, one tablespoonful of melted butter, one-half teaspoonful of ginger and mace and one-fourth teaspoonful of salt. Pour into well buttered molds and bake in a pan of hot water until firm. Serve with whipped cream covered with grated cheese.

Date and Bran Bread.

Mix two cupfuls of bran, two cupfuls of white flour, one teaspoonful of salt, three tablespoonfuls of sugar, four teaspoonfuls of baking powder together, add two-thirds of a cupful of dates cut into small pieces, one and one-half cupfuls of milk, one egg beaten and two tablespoonfuls of melted butter. Turn into a well greased pan, cover with oiled paper and steam for three hours.

Cheese and Raisin Dreams.

Take one package of cream cheese, one-half cupful of chopped raisins, one tablespoonful of lemon juice and salt and paprika to taste. Mix and spread on bread, cover with another slice, cut into triangular sandwiches. Dip in beaten egg and milk and fry brown on both sides in a little butter. Serve with a lettuce salad.

Sultana Bread.

Mix and sift the following: Two cupfuls of cornmeal, one cupful of graham, one teaspoonful of salt, one-half teaspoonful of soda and three teaspoonfuls of baking powder; add one cupful of Sultana raisins and when well mixed add one and one-half cupfuls of sour milk, one egg, one-half cupful of molasses. Mix thoroughly and steam two and three-quarters hours.

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Why We Look for a Cure-All

By M. K. THOMSON, Ph. D.

IN THE good old days when chemistry was alchemy, astronomy was astrology, theology was mythology, and religion was mostly myth and magic, people looked for a cure-all and believed it could be found. In this day of science we put very little confidence in the ancient pseudo-sciences and yet not a few still believe in a cure-all.

The wishes and desires that induced a man to look for a cure-all exist today in added strength and variety. It is the great human urge to master the forces of nature by a simple formula, a hokus-pokus method of getting what you want, a short cut to health, happiness and success.

Life is too complicated. Health rules are too many and terribly complex. And what is even worse they often go contrary to our desires. They require exercise, strain, and struggle.

The cure-all would eliminate the necessity of careful living and vigorous dieting and other restraining methods. Mankind prefers to indulge all its wants and not pay the price to get what it wants without sacrifice and toil.

What a boon it would be to know that we might dissipate all we pleased, and then by taking a few pills could be restored to perfect health and vigor.

All patent medicines thrive on this human weakness for a cure-all.

We look for a cure-all because we are not willing to pay the price for our folly of reckless living, and think we can find some way of defeating the inexorable law of cause and effect, although we know from sad experience that it cannot be done.

We can believe in a cure-all in a scientific age, because this belief has very little to do with science or reasoning. It is essentially an emotional affair and the emotions know no reason. They are governed by imagination and desire alone.

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TO THE EDITOR:

By Fred Barton.

AN INDIANA man told me where the soft coal miners had been on a strike for three years. If I could live that long without working I could go on forever.

Movie sign: "Ben Hur 15c." Evidently Ben's last stand. Next week, probably "The Birth of a Nation," or "The Great Western Train Robbery." Or Theda Bara in milady's very latest Palm Beach duds.

I met a drug store man who hires all the work done but selecting the women cashiers personally and buying the candy. That's a sweeter job than Ziegfeld's.

"Don't write—telegraph," says a sign. What'd I do with my time then?

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NUTTY NATURAL HISTORY

+ BY HUGH HUTTON +

THE GREAT CORNED WHIFF

THIS strong creature is almost extinct, except in certain mountainous regions. It intercepts rum runners between there and the sea coast and drinks their gin. When they can be found, these birds are captured by the farmers and staked out in ripe cucumber patches, where it is claimed that the breath of one whiff will turn

a bushel of cucumbers into pickles in three hours.

The expression on this whiff after two and one-half barrels of gin is accomplished with split almonds for the head, split lima bean ears, and eyes of white circles with ink spots. The body is an English walnut, the legs and neck toothpicks, and the feet split peanuts. A popped popcorn forms the nonsensical tail.

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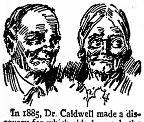
OLD DOCTOR'S IDEA IS BIG HELP TO ELDERLY PEOPLE



In 1885, Dr. Caldwell made a discovery for which elderly people the world over praise him today!

Years of practice convinced him that many people were endangering their health by a careless choice of laxatives. So he began a search for a harmless prescription which would be thoroughly effective, yet would neither gripe nor form any habit. At last he found it.

Over and over he wrote it, when he found people bilious, headachy, out of sorts, weak or feverish; with coated tongue, bad breath, no appetite or energy. It relieved the most obstinate cases, and yet was gentle with women, children and elderly people.

Today, this same famous, effective prescription, known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is the world's most popular laxative. It may be obtained from any drugstore

The Hero

Buck—Can you give me a definition of an orator?

Private—Sure. He's the fellow who's always ready to lay down your life for his country.—Kennebec Journal.

Stop the Pain.

The hurt of a burn or a cut stops when Cole's Carbolisalve is applied. It heals quickly without scars. 30c and 60c by all druggists, or send 30c to The J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill.—Advertisement.

People devoting their time "to the public service," sometimes aren't asked to.

Some fool men would rather lose a friend than an argument.

Mothers . . . Watch Children's COLDS

COMMON head colds often "settle" in throat and chest where they may become dangerous. ***Don't take a chance*** — at the first sniffle rub on Children's Musterole ***once every hour for five hours.***

Children's Musterole is just good old Musterole, you have known so long, in milder form.

Working like the trained masseur, this famous blend of oil of mustard, camphor, menthol and other ingredients brings relief naturally. It penetrates and stimulates blood circulation, helps to draw out infection and pain.

Keep full strength Musterole on hand, for adults and the milder — Children's Musterole for little tots. All druggists.

CHILDREN'S

MILD

When We Do Not See the Spots

By JEAN NEWTON

IT WAS at a Florida resort. The girl was looking, appraisingly into the mirror.

"Just look at my complexion," she said to a thoughtful and charming woman; "see the freckles!"

"No," said her friend, "I never see spots!"

And I thought as I overheard that—what a gift not to see the spots!

From the freckles that temporarily mar a lovely skin, through all the relatively more or less important blemishes—what a gift not to see the spots.

Like the lovely skin which in strong sunlight reveals freckles, there are few things in life that are without spots. Sometimes these are on the surface, sometimes, as with freckles, it takes a strong, penetrating, revealing agent like the sun to bring them out.

Few complexions are so impervious to exposure that they will remain always unspotted. And so few natures are so transparent, so perfect that a rigorously trying and revealing light will not show up some flaw, some spots. Few natures, few people, few things in life.

And yet, the spots do not necessarily mar these natures and people and things. To those who exaggerate their importance, who concentrate on the spots, they do, of course. Then these people go through life seeing only the blemishes.

What a gift not to see the spots.

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"OLD WOLF'S" DAYS ARE ENDED

Representative Brooks Leavitt (Rep., Mont.) with the skin of "Old Wolf," a notorious cattle killer, who is said to have destroyed stock valued at more than $25,000, before he was captured and slain by a government trapper near Phoenix, Ariz., a short time ago.

The Children's Corner

Edited by DOROTHY EDMONDS

LOUIS PASTEUR

"Well, it is settled! You are to go to Paris." As Joseph Pasteur spoke the abrupt words he seated himself in a chair beside the table where his son, Louis, had just finished a crayon sketch. He gazed fondly at the boy. "At the Barbet school," he continued, "you will not be entirely alone, since your close companion, Jules Vercel, also is going. You and he will make the long journey together. That will be pleasant, eh?"

The boy nodded. He was about to speak when tears filled his eyes, and he realized that already he was homesick at the thought of leaving the little village in Franche Compte, in the east of France.

Joseph Pasteur failed to notice his son's anxiety. "Remember my fond hopes for you," he continued, "that you may one day become a learned professor. How proud we shall be of you then!"

Louis blinked his eyes hard, and smiled up at his father, noting his dark military-looking coat with its broad red ribbon of the Legion of Honor. Joseph Pasteur had won the decoration for bravery as a soldier in the armies of Napoleon. "If only I, too, might some day win the ribbon of the Legion!" said Louis to himself.

The father leaned towards the table and picked up a crayon sketch that his son had made.

"My son," he said abruptly, "you are wasting time with such drawings! I hope you will put it aside when you are at Barbet's. It is not an artist I would have you become. Give all your time to study, so that you may rise to be a professor, useful and respected."

"I shall do my best," replied the boy. But his heart was heavy.

The day set for his journey was late in October. It dawned bleak and windy.

At last the horses and coach were ready. The two boys, Jules and Louis, embraced their families and climbed up behind the driver. He helped them to spread an old piece of canvas about their shoulders; then he cracked his whip, and the horses sprang forward.

For a long time the two boys sat in silence.

Finally, with a great effort, Jules said: "We shall see all the wonders of Paris! We are both of us very lucky!"

"Yes, we are lucky," agreed Louis—but his thoughts were on his home.

At the end of two days the boys reached Paris. For Jules, the great city was a source of never-ending delight, but Louis could not forget his longing for home. His work at school suffered; he began to fall behind in his classes. "Alas!" he thought, "I shall never become a professor—and that will break my father's heart!"

In despair he turned to his drawing for consolation, but he was unable even to draw or sketch. All his thoughts were for Arbois and his family.

The headmaster made attempts to cheer him. His kindly words were of no avail. No matter how hard the boy tried to conquer his homesickness, it was always there.

At the end of perhaps a month the headmaster wrote a letter to Joseph Pasteur telling him of his son's plight.

A few days later one of the boys came to Louis and said with an air of mystery: "They are waiting for you close by." And he pointed towards a small shop at the corner of the street.

With nervous steps Louis made his way to the shop. There at the back of the dimly lighted room he saw his father seated at a table, his face in his hands. He rose quickly as the boy ran to him.

"I have come to fetch you home," said the father.

During the weeks and months that followed Louis was happy once more. He roamed the fields and woods that he loved so much; he worked with his crayons. But before very long he realized that he was not really happy. Secretly he was ashamed of having failed to remain in Paris, ashamed of having disappointed his father.

One evening, in a voice that quivered with determination, he said to his father: "I want to try it again!"

"Ah, my son!" cried Joseph Pasteur. "How happy I am to hear it!"

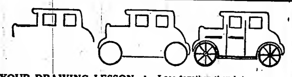
And shortly after that Louis went away to school again—this time to

the city of Besancon. Homesickness beset him once more, but he succeeded in conquering it. In the end he entered the great normal school, and a few years later he became a professor. He had reached the goal that his father had set for him!

But he went far, far beyond that goal! Medicine and science fascinated him. He studied and experimented; he wrought new cures for diseases that afflicted men and plants and animals, and his discoveries saved the lives of thousands upon thousands of his fellow creatures not only in France but throughout the world. Kings and emperors honored him. Tributes and decorations showered upon him—and among them was the coveted red ribbon of the Legion of Honor.

—Russell Gordon Carter.

YOUR DRAWING LESSON



No. 4.

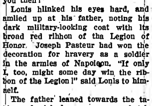
Is this a house or chicken coop?
Is this a circle or a hoop?
Why, no, both guesses must be wrong—
I see together they belong.

And since I've finished, I can see
A car as plain as plain can be;
'Tis not a coop, but a coupe,
All closed up for a stormy day.

—Lucille Crites.

WHAT IS THIS CHILD'S NAME?

Each object in the picture must be named. The first letter of each object's name is a letter of the little



girl's name, and when you have correctly named all the objects, keeping them in order, her name will be revealed.

—Harvey Peake.

Three Generations Endorse It

"When I was a young single girl I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound because my mother did and she gave it to me. After I married I took it before my children were born and afterwards, and I have eight living children. I am now a grandmother and still take it and still recommend it when any one is tired and run-down."—*Mrs. Alfred Iverson, St. Edwards, Nebraska.*

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

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The Desert Moon Mystery

by KAY CLEAVER STRAHAN

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CHAPTER XIII—Continued

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"Nothing. The burned papers were completely burned, as they usually are. Of course, the complete absence of clews should be made into a valuable clew—but I haven't quite worked it out. For instance, though, you insist that she was a vain, conceited person?"

"If ever there was one."

"Vain women usually have photographs of themselves about. I found not one in here."

"She used to have one, in a silver frame," I said. I looked around and saw the frame lying face down on the mantel. I picked it up. An old faded picture of Sam and Margarita in their wedding togs confronted me.

When I had shown it to Miss MacDonald, she took it and carried it to the window.

"The glass has been washed, carefully," she said, "since the picture was put in here."

She pressed on the purple velvet back and took the picture from the frame. Across the bottom of the picture, where the wide silver frame had hidden it, written in Gaby's bold handwriting, were these words.

"My one deadly enemy."

"My word!" said Miss MacDonald.

"Are you certain," she questioned, next, "that the girl's mother is not living?"

"Don't ask me to be certain of anything," I said, and looked for a chair to sit down in.

She came and put one of her capable hands on my shoulders. "You shouldn't let this trouble you," she said. "It is more than likely that Gabrielle Cannezlano had nothing to do with it. I must verify the handwriting."

In the next instant she certainly gave me a fine turn. Her eyes went big and round, her cheeks blazed with blushes, and she clapped her hands to them and stood staring at me as if I were the original human horror. "I—" she gasped out, "I have made a mistake."

I felt like rising and giving her a good shaking. "Lands!" I snapped. "Who hasn't?"

"I would discharge one of my assistants like that," she snapped her fingers, "for such a mistake. Crime analyst! Confounded ass! Conceited amateur! Oh!" She went running out of the room, leaving me sitting there to do what I liked with that talk of hers.

She was back in two minutes. She had Gaby's late note to Danny in her hands. "I have been assuming," she said, and her cheeks flamed up again, "that Gabrielle Cannezlano wrote this note. I have had a pleasant little assumption. Now I will get some facts. I must find a sample of her handwriting—"

She began to search through Gaby's desk. I helped her. Gaby had made a thorough job of her burning. There was not a scratch of her writing to be found.

"Danny will have something," I said. "I'll see whether she is in her room."

Danny was in her room, sitting at her own desk, writing out checks and addressing envelopes. I told her I had come to ask her for a sample of Gaby's handwriting.

"I am sorry, Mary," she said, as she finished addressing an envelope, sealed it, and looked for a stamp in the stamp box, "but I haven't anything, except, of course, the last note she wrote to me, and Miss MacDonald is keeping that."

She addressed another envelope, and added it to the pile beside her. "It isn't," she said, noticing my reluctance to leave, "that I am not interested, Mary. It is only that I know that I haven't a scrap of her writing."

I turned to go. I had reached the door when she called to me and asked me to take her letters downstairs for the mailbag, when I went downstairs.

I returned to Miss MacDonald with my information.

"Dear me!" she said. If only they would work with me, Mary, instead of by themselves, or—against me. At any rate," she put aside the photograph, a ruler-like thing, and her magnifying glass, "the note to Danielle Cannezlano, and the writing on the photograph were done by the same person. What are the letters you have there, in your hand, Mrs. Magin?"

I told her they were some that Danny had asked me to take downstairs. She held out her hand for them. I had to allow her to have them. But first I read the addresses. They were the names of mail-order stores in Portland, Ore., and in San Francisco, Calif.

Miss MacDonald looked at them closely. Then she took up a flat paper knife, from Gaby's desk, and deliberately opened the envelope by lifting the flap.

"She surely does not seal her letters carefully," she said, and took out a check, nothing else, from the envelope.

"It is dated today, the thirteenth of July," she said.

"Of course it is," I answered, tartly, not liking any of this. "She was writing them just now, while I was in there."

"Did you see her writing them?" she asked.

"I certainly did."

She sighed and moved her head with an impatient gesture, rather like John's worried gestures. "Then that is that," she said, and returned the check to the envelope, sealed the envelope, and gave it, with the others, back to me.

"Now for the code letter," she said, and sat down in front of the typewriter. I left her there, and went to look for Sam.

CHAPTER XIV

Danielle's Secret

I found him in the living room, playing solitaire. Mrs. Ricker was in the chair by the window, tatting.

"Lands, Sam," I said, sitting down across the table from him, "when did you take to sitting around and wasting good time like this?"

"I am helping Miss MacDonald," he said. "Making it easy for her to watch me and convincing her that I'm more or less of a nut, at the same time. Two birds with one stone—"

"She isn't watching you," Mrs. Ricker spoke up. "She is watching Hubert and me. If I don't leave here, soon, I shall have to be taken—to an insane asylum! I tell you, I can't stand it!" She jumped up from her chair, and went rushing out of the room through the front door. On the porch she dropped into a chair, and hid her face in her hands.

As I looked at her, sitting there, I remembered that it was she who had found the body. Her story had sounded straight enough; but, before she had told it, she had had plenty of time to make it a straight one. Perhaps she had had help in making it a straight one.

Hubert Hand. He had, by his own admission, served a term in prison for forgery. He had had notes from Gaby, and had destroyed them. Was it possible that he might have written the farewell note to Gaby, and the inscription on the photograph? Sam could not swear that Hubert Hand had been in the barn the entire hour between five and six o'clock.

Would it have been possible for Hubert Hand to have slipped into the house, through the front door, during that hour, without Danny's having seen him? Possible—that was all. Mrs. Ricker, of course, would have seen Hubert Hand pass through the room; but Mrs. Ricker could keep a secret.

Again, what had he thought that I had overheard that day in the cabin?

What motive could he have had for killing Gaby? Suppose that Gaby had lied to Danny about the entire contents of the code letter, and that, after all, the money had been hidden on the place. That would be an explanation for Cannezlano's coming to the ranch. But suppose that Hubert Hand had found it, or had known that Gaby had found it—

"Come home, Mary," Sam's voice, speaking extra low, cut in on my reverie. "I want to know what you think about this.

"I set Cannezlano to mending the south clover fence this morning. I told him I was going to north clover. On my way there, I passed the house. I happened to remember how slick Miss MacDonald had cleaned the attic. It seemed a shame not to use it so I went up, taking my field glasses with me, for luck. I'd watched about five minutes, out of the window, when I saw Cannezlano leave the fence and make up toward the cabin. I came down, jumped on Bobbie Burns, and circled around the hill, back of the cabin. Just as I got my glasses trained, I saw Danny, walking to beat time, coming away from the cabin. I don't know whether she had been in it or not. I didn't see her come out of it. I rode straight down. Before I had quite reached the cabin, Cannezlano came out of it. He was carrying a fishing rod, and he went right down to the stream with it. What I'm wondering is, had he and Danny met at the cabin, and had a talk?"

"I know exactly what Mrs. Ricker means," I said, "about losing her mind on this place. It has come to the pass that no one can do any simple thing without being spied on and suspected. Danny always takes her walks in the direction of the cabin. We all do. It is the prettiest, coolest walk on the place."

Sam rubbed the back of his head. "By Joe! I hadn't thought of that."

"Think about it now, for a minute," I advised. "When you get through, try to think whether you know of any place where we could get hold of a scrap or two of Gaby's handwriting. We have the last note she wrote to Danny, but we want something more."

"You've come to the right place, for once," he said, and took a long envelope out of his pocket.

"I guess I never happened to mention to you, did I, that I fixed up a small checking account for the girls in the Telko bank. Their bank statements and canceled checks came in a few days ago. Here they are. Do you want me to take them up to Miss MacDonald?"

"I'll take them," I offered, "and save you the trip." I longed to see how much of Sam's money the girls had spent in one month, and what they had spent it for.

I don't know yet whether it was cunning, contrariness, or courtesy that propelled Sam up those stairs, with the envelope tight in his hand, and without having allowed me as much as a peek at its contents.

I went into the kitchen and put through a fairly good batch of baking, considering that I'd got a late start at it. I was all through and frosting the cakes, when Miss MacDonald telephoned down to the kitchen and asked me to go for a walk with her.

I told her that I'd like nothing better than a breath of the clean, sage-seasoned air, and that I'd be ready in ten minutes. I gave Zinnia a few directions, and went upstairs to change my shoes.

Unfolded the Papers She Had Given to Me, and Read.

As I came down the front stairs, into the living room, I saw Mrs. Ricker coming up the steps to the porch. She was toting a big old shovel; carrying it out in front of her, and carefully, right side up, like it was a pancake turner and she had a pancake on it.

She stopped to turn sidewise and open the screen door with her foot, and then she came straight along into the living room, poking the thing toward Miss MacDonald.

"I want you to look at this," she said.

Miss MacDonald, all crisp in white linen, backed away a mite; but she looked, as directed.

I came hurrying to look, too. I don't know what I expected to see—nothing less than a dead scorpion; but, certainly, something more than I did see: an old iron shovel with dirt on it.

"Well?" Miss MacDonald questioned.

"I was going to Martha's grave when the shower came up. I stopped in the cabin. This shovel, and another one, were inside the door there. Look at that earth—it is fresh earth. Now I tell you, two people have been digging around this place; and they were at it not longer ago than yesterday, more likely this morning."

"My word!" said Miss MacDonald. It seemed to me there was more annoyance in her voice than there was interest or astonishment. "But surely, around a farm, a ranch, that is, around a place of this sort there must be a great deal of digging going on. Gardens—vegetables, you know. That is—one thing and another." She fumbled it like that.

"We don't make garden here in July," I told her. "The vegetable gardens and greenhouses are about three miles away from where Mrs. Ricker found the shovels."

"To be sure." She puckered her brows.

Danny had come downstairs. I guess we must have looked funny, the three of us, standing there and staring at the shovel, which Mrs. Ricker was still holding as if it were a pancake turner.

"But—what is it?" Danny inquired.

"It is a shovel," said Mrs. Ricker.

"Yes, I know. But what about it?"

"It has fresh earth on it," Mrs. Ricker explained. "It means that some one is still hunting for something on this ranch."

"I—don't understand," Danny faltered.

"You do, if anyone does," Mrs. Ricker said, trying to make it sound off-handish; but it did not.

To my surprise, Miss MacDonald answered, "I think that you are mistaken, Mrs. Ricker. Miss Cannezlano knows, I fancy, no more about the shovel than you do."

Mrs. Ricker's face flushed. She carried the thing out and threw it into the yard with a gesture of furious anger. When Miss MacDonald and I passed her on the porch, she turned her head away and did not look at us.

"If we hurry," I said, "we'll have time to walk to the cabin and see the other shovel."

"Bother the other shovel! We don't want to hurry. Can't we get down to the stream, somewhere close here, and find a place where we can be alone to talk?"

"Right down this path," I answered, and started down it. She followed me. For fifty yards or more neither of us said a word. I was too put about to feel like talking.

I must have made a sound that was suggestive of my disgusted annoyance, for Miss MacDonald stepped up to walk beside me on the narrow path.

"I am sorry," she said, "that I have seemed so exasperatingly stupid: but I know that those shovels are of no importance. You'll understand all about it, later. Please don't be vexed. I have some really good news. First, the handwriting on the checks, the photograph, and the note all tally accurately. That must mean that Gabriella Cannezlano wrote all of them. Next, I have worked out the key to the code letter—"

"Lands alive!" I said, my astonishment and admiration getting the best of my bad humor. "In this short time? Talk about wonders—"

"Not a bit of it. The code is so simple that I am surprised that people, who have wits enough to use a code at all, would use it.

"The keys on typewriters, with a standard keyboard, are arranged, you know, for the touch system of writing: a, s, d, f, g, so on. All that this code amounts to, is taking the letters straight as they come along: a, b, c, d; and so on. From the center line of letters, they skip to the upper line, making 'q' be a 'j' and from the upper line down to the lower line, making the 'z' a 't.' They use only the letters on the keyboard, and the punctuation marks as they would rightly be used. Generally they put a hyphen after the letter to be capitalized, though occasionally they use the capital letter. It is so childish that I fancy it is only a friendship code, and that it is not used for matters of any real importance."

"Then this letter is of no importance?" I asked.

"Not to the writer. Of vast importance to us, I believe. It explains why the original letter was stolen, among other things. Here is one of the copies that I made of it."

We had come to the stream, and to the shade of the aspen trees. I sat down on one of the rocks, above the first fishing hole, and unfolded the papers she had given to me, and read:

"Salutations! Do you remember, my dear and gay Gaby, after the V. affair, when you visited me in the hospital, that you said, with your imitated Mona Lisa smile, 'Sorry, old dear, I made a trifling mistake, did I not?' The incident has probably passed from your memory. It has not passed from mine, because I did not believe then, and I do not believe now, that you intended to fire that shot at V. instead of at me. You proved your innocence, however, like the expert you are; so, 'let the dead past—' et cetera. Particularly since I did not die, but have lived to make, also, a trifling mistake.

"I find that I was in error concerning the train robbery. After due reflection, I have remembered that, reading of the details in the Denver papers, your respected father and I merely regretted that we had not had the forethought, and the cleverness, to have pulled the affair ourselves. Since this is the case, we could not have hidden the money, as I seem to recall telling you that we did, on the Desert Moon ranch. It was a pretty dream of ours—that was all.

"Shall I explain? Do you remember the sweet cocotte with the colored sash at Cannes? Very young, very exquisite, and almost very innocent? She watched us, from her table, out of the violet corners of her long, long eyes. When we left the place, you and I, my gloves were missing and I returned for them. You were duped, my dear, were you not?

"She is not as lovely, not as gay as you were at eighteen. But you are no longer eighteen. And you have grown exacting, and a bit vicious (recalling, again, the V. affair), and a bit selfish, too. (I knew that you collected the final five hundred pounds from Baron T.)

"These, and all things considered, I seem to myself to have acted rather nobly, rather compassionately. I spared you the heartache of witnessing your supplantation. Ours was a tender leave taking, was it not? I paid the expenses of a long and costly journey for you and the gentle Danielle. (Gad, Gay, I'd have paid twice as much to be rid of you for half the time!) I sent you to fond relatives. I provided you with an interesting and romantic occupation—treasure hunting. I gave the righteous Danielle the opportunity for which she was pining; the opportunity to try her hand at turning you into 'an honest woman.'

"Tell her, by the way, that her lover, or as she virtuously insisted, her husband is still with me, and that he is behaving himself admirably. I suspect that my Lili is a bit over fond of him; but I have warned her that one who has had the chaste affections of the little nun would be unlikely to succumb to her ardencies.

"Lili now inquires to whom am I writing. She is eighteen; she has seen you; so I dare tell her, to you, in a far country with an amusing name—Nevada.

"She mispronounces it, deliciously. She blows it, and you, charmingly away from the tips of her tiny pink fingers. She kisses my ears. She tells me that she owns me. So, I suppose, I should not sign myself, as of old, Yours, with an ever increasing devotion, Bimbi."

"Good lands alive!" I said. My stomach hurt me, and my head ached.

"I am sorry for young Mr. Stanley," Miss MacDonald said. "But, you see, I was right in thinking that Miss Cannezlano's life might hold a secret."

"No! No!" Danny stood there in front of us, holding to an aspen tree for support.

"I wondered whether you were coming out from behind the tree," Miss MacDonald said.

"I saw you looking at me. You are cruel. You are very cruel."

For a minute all I could be was sorry for Danny. I got up and went to her and put an arm around her.

"Danny, honey," I said, "are you planning a divorce, after you've had your six months in Nevada? Was he cruel to you? Unfaithful?"

"No, no," she said. "Nothing like that, nothing at all. I can explain every word of it. But will anyone believe me?"

"You just try it," I urged. "I'm all set for believing you, right here and now. Come over here, and rest, and tell us all about it."

I led her across to the rock where I had been sitting, and made a place for her beside me.

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Fairs Long Employed as Places of Trading

"The fair has its origin written in the dim pages of the past, and as an institution, although not the same as it is today, has long existed."

"Although it is not known where the first fair was held, evidence points to the existence of fairs in western civilization as early as the dawn of the Christian era. There is evidence of fairs in eastern countries long before this, some historians pointing out that King Ahasuerus held a six months fair in the year 500 B. C., at which he showed the riches of his glorious kingdom.' This is the first fair recorded in history. Others probably preceded this, however, as the Scriptures record certain activities as fairs. In the Book of Ezekiel, twenty-seventh chapter, there are references to numerous fairs that were in existence at that time.

"There is only one thing of which we are certain concerning these early fairs; that they were commercial in character. Merchants came from distant countries with their native wares for trade with other merchants."

Instruction Points

The teaching load refers to four factors conditioning the efficiency of instruction and are: (1) The pupil-teacher ratio, as shown by the average daily attendance; (2) the number of classes taught by the teachers; (3) The number of student hours per teacher; (4) The number of students in a class. The North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools recommends the following as normal: (1) Pupil-Teacher ratio, 25; (2) The number of classes taught by the teacher, 5 daily; (3) The number of student hours per teacher, 150 per day; (4) the number of students in a class, 25.

Ants' Skyscrapers

Compared with the structure built by the termite ant the great skyscrapers of our cities are insignificant achievements. Man, who is five or six feet tall, has built or plans to build to a height of 1,208 feet. The termite, only three-sixteenths of an inch from end to end, erects apartments rising twenty feet into the air.

Therefore man's buildings are only about one-seventh as high as the dwellings of the ant, relatively—that is considering the great difference in their respective sizes. The cubic space in an ant hill will contain a million times more inhabitants than the largest human habitation.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Highest Capital

La Paz, Bolivia, is the loftiest capital in the world, for it stands on a mountain top 12,470 feet above sea-level. This is 2,000 feet higher than Quito, in Ecuador, and 5,000 feet higher than Mexico City. Its nearest rival for height is the far distant Lhasa, which stands at an altitude of 11,830 feet. The mean temperature of La Paz is 50 degrees Fahrenheit. But the cold nights are unrelieved by fireside comforts, as the folk have nothing to burn, there being neither coal nor trees in the desolate mountainous regions around the city.

Marriage brings a lot out of a man that he never suspected was in him.

This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

Everybody Happy, Almost
It's Big, and Little
Fit at 50? Why Not at 100?
Lindbergh Glides a Little

Los Angeles.—The national business survey conference of the United States Chamber of Commerce tells President Hoover business has returned to near normal, nothing to worry about, no need for unusual stimulation.

Several million Americans, out of work, would enjoy a little stimulation if it got them a job. It is, however, a comfort to know that general business, on which all jobs depend, is doing well and that members of national commissions feel optimistic.

News to worry grain merchants in Europe and interest American farmers: Russia's Soviet steamer Proletariat arrives in the Baltic with 2,500 tons of grain offered by the "Soviet trade legation" at prices 25 to 35 cents a bushel below world market prices.

Communist Russia promises heavy exports of rye, oats, barley, fodder, and will, if necessary, cut prices ruthlessly.

Russia's government really interests itself in farmers, buying tractors for them by the thousands, experimenting intelligently with wholesale farming, destined to solve the farm production problem as wholesale manufacturing has solved automobile production.

To know that the world is small, come to the edge of the Pacific and talk to New York friends as easily as though they were in the same room. Or call London, and talk, unconscious of the fact that your voice, transformed into an electric impulse, flashes across the Atlantic ocean in less than a sixteenth of a second, through the ether.

Next, to realize that the world, this country especially, is big, explore the map on your railroad time table, and look for Tucson, Ariz. You find it a couple of inches away from Los Angeles, and decide to drive there some afternoon to investigate the much praised climate.

You discover that the distance is 700 miles, and decide to take a train that makes the trip in a night.

California has a "Fit at Fifty" club, which politely sends you an honorary membership and says it is indorsed by the governor of the state.

California and every other state should have a "Fit at One Hundred" club. In this country, fifty should be only the beginning of fitness and hard work.

At San Diego Lindbergh borrowed a "glider" airplane, with no engine. He asked a few questions, went up alone, flew for half an hour, 500 feet up, came down and applied for a first-class glider pilot license. He got it. There is only one Lindbergh, but there are a million young Americans like him. They will keep aviation going.

The distressing accident to a Maddux airplane returning from the Mexican horse races at Agua Caliente is part of the price of progress. It means one of the first improvements should be to make a plane taking fire, due to collision, impossible.

When railroading started in France, and an accident between Paris and Versailles killed many, it was thought that Frenchmen would ride no more. A troupe of actors, hired, sat in trains at the windows smiling pretending to like it. Railroading was not abandoned. Flying will increase every year, and become safer than rail or motor travel.

This nation needs 250,000,000 more people to eat the food and use the automobiles, clothing, houses, and radio sets the country could produce. Some day 500,000,000 Americans will live on the hill tops and mountain tops, and fly down to business or to work on plains and in valleys.

What ships are to the Clyde, packing houses to Chicago, big banks to New York and fat goose livers to Strassburg, moving pictures are to this Hollywood land.

The two biggest billboards read "Garbo Talks." They don't even mention the lady's first name, which is Greta.

And "At last the voice of voices, Norma Talmadge."

Two ladies—Bernhardt and Duse—might dispute that, but they are dead; Norma Talmadge much alive.

In 1933 Chicago will celebrate in grand style the "Century of Progress."

And there is much to celebrate.

Rufus C. Dawes, brother of our ambassador to England, president of the Chicago celebration, says: "Man is becoming smarter all the time, and because of science the world is a much better place than ever before."

Most gratifying is the fact that man is becoming less brutal all the time. Now if you want to find murder in the name of religion, the vilest beliefs or superstitions, you go into the gutters of ignorance. You no longer find such things on the throne or in lawmaking bodies.

Airplane travel rates drop rapidly. You fly from Los Angeles to San Francisco, 400 air miles, returning in a railway sleeper, for $38 round trip.

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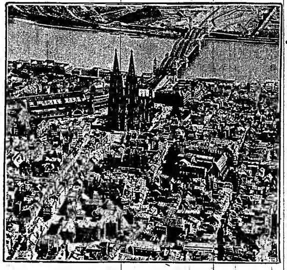
Cities on the Rhine



Koln Seen From the Air.

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.)

THE varied group of towns and cities linked together by the Rhine form a New England of Germany, of prime importance in the republic's drive for international trade. Barely 50 miles inside the German border lies Duisburg, gateway to the busy Ruhr, premier mining and manufacturing district of Germany and one of the chief industrial regions of Europe. Duisburg has a population only a little below a quarter million.

Ruhort, the part of Duisburg situated where the Ruhr river meets the Rhine, far from being an unimportant town, takes at least one world honor. It is the most extensive river port in the world. When the quays of the older part of Duisburg and those of the little town of Homberg across the Rhine are added, the wharfage facilities of the Duisburg district are fairly staggering in extent. They stretch for more than five miles along the Rhine; and many branched basins have been constructed leading from that river and the Ruhr as though giant hands had been pressed into the earth again and again, leaving a channel for each finger.

A constant stream of tugs, barges and larger vessels moves in and out of the channels under normal conditions, and the craft of Ruhort are to be found in all ports of the Rhine. Down the Ruhr valley come coal and some iron, though the larger part of the iron needed in this great industrial region is shipped in from German Lorraine, Luxemburg, Sweden and Spain. A considerable part of this is brought in on the Rhine. Other raw materials and food products are imported, adding to the commerce, and coal and manufactured products are shipped out in great quantities.

Near the water front in the Duisburg district are situated innumerable factories and industrial establishments—collieries, steel and iron plants, rolling mills, blast furnaces, foundries, machine shops, chemical works, saw mills, shipyards, and various other enterprises.

Old Duisburg dates from the dim past, being first mentioned in 430 A. D. By the Eleventh and Twelfth centuries it was a thriving river port.

"Village on the Dussel."

Cities are strewn thickly in heavily populated Germany. Dusseldorf is only 20 miles up the Rhine from Duisburg, and 24 miles down stream from Koln, where the British maintained a bridge-head after the signing of the treaty of Versailles.

Dusseldorf means "the village on the Dussel," and when first heard of in 1159 this name fitted it. Now it is a "village" of more than 360,000 population—a city with more inhabitants than Seattle and not many thousands less than Minneapolis. It is one of the handsomest cities in western Germany with commodious parks and some fine old buildings. The streets of the old nucleus of the city are narrow and crooked, but the newer sections have been laid out with wide avenues.

Ten years before the World war railroad tracks which were along the bank of the Rhine were moved and the space so obtained was made into an imposing thoroughfare overlooking the river, the Rhine promenade. There, British Tommies, French Poilus, and their Belgian comrades took the air.

Like Duisburg, Dusseldorf is an important industrial center and has capacious port facilities. But its industrial life is not so markedly dominated by coal and iron, and it is more than a city of factories and shipping. It takes additional toll from the thriving Ruhr region by serving as its principal banking channel. Its textile industries are of great importance.

Koln (Cologne) is one of the most popular stopping places along the Rhine. Its city officials are accustomed to welcoming an annual deluge of travelers.

Koln Is Prosperous and Handsome.

Although Koln is two thousand years old, it reflects its prosperity and modern development in wide, tree-lined boulevards, broken here and there by flowering gardens and parkways ornamented with monuments, and equestrian statues of celebrated German countrymen. Fine shops and imposing mansions border these thoroughfares, but now and then one wanders into a section where medieval Koln reveals itself in tortuous, narrow, cobbled streets, walled by ancient gabled house fronts and dimly lighted by antiquated gas posts.

The Roman wall that once surrounded old Koln has long since been destroyed and its foundation now forms one of the city's most beautiful boulevards and parkways—the Ring. Only the gate towers of the walls remain, marking the limits of the old city. Beyond them Koln has spread out, absorbing numerous suburbs until its population now is nearly 700,000.

As Germany's great river port and one of its major railroad centers, Koln is the St. Louis of the republic. Under the graceful arched bridge that connects the city with the east bank of the Rhine, pass long strings of barges, lumber rafts, barge steamers and palatial passenger boats.

Koln has a large trade in grain, wine, mineral ores, coal, leather, timber and porcelain. Some of the products of the city's industries are known by their names such as Cologne brown, a brown coal, or lignite, used as a pigment in paints; Cologne ware, a plain hard stoneware, mottled gray and brown, which is made into ornamental jugs; Cologne spirits, a rectified liquid containing 90 per cent alcohol; Cologne thread and Cologne blades.

The French could honestly claim that at least a portion of Koln's fame is due to good French advertising. The sweet-scented liquid known as cologne is said to have been first manufactured in Koln in 1709 by an Italian. Cologne is the French translation of "Colonia," (meaning colony) which was formerly the Roman name of the German city. The English adopted the French translation, but the Germans call their city Koln. While Cologne perfumes have been called "Kolnisches Wasser," in Germany, the Germans, too, have generally adopted the French "eau de cologne."

Fifty-seven miles further up the Rhine is Koblenz, where American troops of occupation were stationed. In prewar and war days it was a typical German military city.

When Augustus Caesar sent Drusus to conquer the people of the Rhine region, that brilliant general built half a hundred forts along the river, and around some of these sprang up cities. Thus Koblenz originated.

Koblenz Full of History.

Frankish kings lived at Koblenz. In the Eleventh century the city obtained a charter, and for 800 years it was ruled by archbishop electors. It flourished as one of the Rhenish league of cities, but after the Thirty Years' war it became less prosperous. French, Swedes, Russians and Germans occupied the town at various times until the congress of Vienna awarded it to Prussia. In 1822 it became the seat of government of the Prussian Rhine province. An historic old house in Koblenz is the birthplace of Metternich, that Austrian Machiavelli, who helped organize, and presided over the congress of Vienna.

Koblenz derived its name from its location, on the triangle formed by the confluence of the Rhine and the Moselle, a location similar to that of Pittsburgh, Pa., on the Ohio and the Allegheny. The Romans called it "Confluentes."

Frowning from a steep precipice of rock, nearly 400 feet above the Rhine, across the Moselle from Koblenz, is one of the most famous of German forts, the Ehrenbreitstein, over which for several years the Stars and Stripes flew. It formed the principal feature of the extensive defenses about Koblenz. That city was considered of prime military importance because of its navigation outlets on both rivers and its numerous railway lines.

Louis the Pious—not so pious, though, that he remained a monk when his sons coaxed him to a monastery in the hope of getting his kingdom—founded the church of St. Castor in Koblenz in 836. But the present building with its four towers dates back only to the Thirteenth century.

In front of the church is a monument which attests the easy-going Russian sense of humor. The monument, erected by the French, bears a glowing tribute to Napoleon's successes in Russia. When the Russians occupied Koblenz their commander inscribed a few lines which, translated, mean, "Seen and approved by me, commandant of the city of Koblenz, January 1, 1814."

MYSTERIOUS LIFE IS REVEALED IN BAFFLING MURDER

Man Left Behind 2 Homes, 2 Undivorced Wives and Two Children.

Pittsburgh, Pa.—The mysterious life of David J. Sturtz, thirty-two years old, chief automobile mechanic for a local concern, has ended in a mystery.

Sturtz, whose battered and bullet-ridden body was found behind a fence in a suburb recently, leaves behind him two homes, two undivorced—wives and two children, according to police.

No clew to Sturtz' murderer has been discovered. His reputed wives are grief stricken. They know of no enemy who might have had cause to kill him. Neither knew of the other's existence until after the murder.

Had City and Country Homes.

Sturtz, according to police, secretly maintained a home in the city and a home in the country. On his body were found his automobile license in the name of D. J. Sturtz and an identification card which asked that in case of accident notice be given to Mrs. D. J. Staylor.

Mrs. Staylor, who is nineteen years old, positively identified the body of the slain man as that of the man she married several months ago. She knew her husband had been married before and had a ten-year-old child

Body Was Found.

living with a family at Radl, near here. His first wife, "Thelma," died, she said he told her. Mrs. Staylor said she thought it all right for her husband to spend his week-ends visiting his son until they had saved enough money to buy their own home and bring the lad to live with them.

Body Identified.

She saw nothing odd in his auto license being in the name of D. J. Sturtz, for he told her his license in his own name had been revoked after an auto accident.

At the other home of Sturtz were found two children and Mrs. Thelma Sturtz, twenty-nine years old. The woman said she had been married to Sturtz for thirteen years. They were paying for their home by monthly installments, she said, and to save money her husband did not make the long trip home except at the week-ends.

Her brother identified the body of the slain man as her husband.

Cat Takes to Kittens She Did Not Bring In

Haverhill, Mass.—Mary had a little lamb, its fleece as white as snow, and everywhere that Mary went, the lamb was sure to go. It followed her to school one day—

All very well for a lamb. Undoubtedly, the children loved it. But what if a skunk follows its owner to school? Well . . .? The subject is not being discussed by David Wallace, eleven, son of Mr. and Mrs. Parker Wallace of this city.

The polecat, with two brothers, was found by young Wallace early in the summer. One has since died. The problem of rearing the two remaining ones was getting serious when in stepped "Lindy Lou," the Wallace pet cat. She had a litter of three kittens to wean, and she added the polecats. Latest reports were that the entire groups of cats were getting along nicely. Despite the fact that she is a stepmother, "Lindy Lou" is not showing any partiality.

Has Fake Made of $15,000 Necklace; Original Stolen

London.—Mrs. Norman M. Gray of Kensington was too careful when she left for a holiday trip in the Mediterranean. Fearing that she might lose her $15,000 pearl necklace, she had a paste replica made to take on the voyage, leaving the genuine article behind. She returned to discover that the necklace had been stolen, along with other articles of jewelry valued at $10,000.

Boasts Prove Untrue

Brockton, Mass.—Fred F. Cogswell, thirty-four, was overboastful when he attempted suicide with illuminating gas. Policemen who broke into his room and saved him found a note addressed to Dr. W. W. Fullerton, medical examiner. It read: "Hello, Doctor Fullerton. Just give me credit for doing a good job."

Caracul and Mink for Winter Coats

Furs That Solve Problem of Wrap for Wear With Various Frocks.

Lapin or nutria for sports, caracul for street, mink or breitschwanz for afternoon, ermine for evening—how simple the choosing of fur coats would be if the matter of finance did not have to be considered, observes a fashion writer in the New York Times. For fur coats are more luxurious and more diversified than ever before. From being a more or less standardized fashion, they have subscribed enthusiastically to the idea of the costume for the occasion and there is now a fur coat for every frock and every hour of the day.

Fortunately for the woman who has finally been forced to the conclusion that her old fur coat simply will not do with the new fashions, the midwinter showings of furs include many coats that may be worn around the clock, with simple tailored frock of wool or elaborate dinner costume, and look both smart and appropriate.

Chief among these more practical garments are the caracul and minks. All-black continues at the height of the mode for street and afternoon wear, and there is nothing better than the caracul coat for general utility. The smartest of these street coats are made with large crush or scarf collars of the same fur.

Although many women still feel that the straight line is best for coats for general wear, and several of the smart shops make flared models only to order, nevertheless it is possible to find caracul coats that introduce a subtle flare, which is at once youthful and slenderizing, without being too extreme. A street coat from Worth is of black Russian caracul, seamed to indicate the waistline, with a hem dipping ever so slightly toward the back. The notched shawl collar, rolled high in the back, repeats the detail of the double cuff.

Mink Heads the List.

The minks, of course, are a classic of fashion. Depending upon the rich beauty of its pelts rather than extreme cut for its chic, the mink coat does not "date," and while costly in the beginning justifies the expenditure in the long run. For mink is one of the few furs really warm enough for extreme Northern winters. It wears admirably. Also one may shop, lunch, tea and dine—even go on to dance—in a mink coat and be correctly clad.

Persian lamb is another excellent choice for the all-around coat, and this fur is now considered suitable for the young girl as well as for her mother. These, too, are usually made on slender straight lines, with collars of the same fur—frequently a short scarf drawn through a slot at one side. A smart new length, which solves the problem of the uneven hemline, is shown in a three-quarters coat of Persian lamb, the hem slanting up toward the front, with crush collar and narrow cuffs of the same fur.

It is in the formal afternoon coat that the vogue for luxury finds its fullest expression. These are designed for the woman who has several fur coats, and who can afford the extreme if she desires. Breitschwanz, richly marked, supple as silk, is the

Street Coat of Russian Caracul on Modified Princess Lines.

fur par excellence for these gorgeous garments. Frequently a contrasting fur is used for the collar; and here the "precious" furs, mink, sable, silver fox or chinchilla, add the final touch of distinction.

The afternoon coat chosen for illustration is cut on very long, slim lines, dipping in a point at the back to follow the hemline of the formal frock. It is slightly molded to the figure, and has a huge collar of Russian sable.

The three-quarters coat is also shown for afternoon in breitschwanz, mink or moire caracul, and these coats are also used for evening wraps.

For evening wear ermine reigns supreme; and there is endless variety in the models, from the hip-length jacket, with huge collar of fluffy white fox, to the exaggeratedly long and slender coat or cape, with circular flare dipping at the back, and wide shawl collar of the same fur framing the face. Three-quarters coats with tiers, straight coats with drop cape collars, coats trimmed with sable, mink or silver fox—there is an ermine coat for every type if not for every pocketbook!

Sports Coats, Light Frocks.

In the realm of sports coats we find many of the sturdier furs, in youthful models having short jackets or three-quarter coats treated as part of an ensemble. Also full-length coats on straight lines or with a jaunty flare. Lapin, in mole, beaver or the very light shades, is frequently treated as part of the tweed sports ensemble, with scarf or lining to match the frock.

Caracul coats, in beige, cocoa or sandalwood tones, show the influence of the new silhouette by wearing belts of suede at the new waistline. The nipped-in waistline and flared coat,

Breitschwanz and Russian Sable for Formal Afternoon Wear.

sponsored by Chanel in her topcoats, is repeated in a coat of gray Persian lamb or krimmer.

The three-quarters coat of nutria or beaver is very smart for sports and informal street wear, and is treated either as a separate coat or part of an ensemble, with frock of jersey or light weight tweed.

While winter winds blow, the shops are blossoming with frocks of sheer woolens and flat crepes, plain or printed, which may be worn now under the fur coats and later as part of the spring ensemble. In the smart restaurants one sees Chanel's frocks of bright red moussa, with triple fringed bands giving a bolero effect on the bodice and defining the hips, worn beneath street coats of black caracul. Or Jane Regny's "Verdure," a frock made of a green and brown loosely woven tweed mixture, with narrow belt of green leather. This frock, like so many of the new type of sport dresses from the Paris couturiers, depends for its effect upon intricate cut and subtle seaming.

Patou's tailored frock of sheer wool in a soft shade of beige has a girdle with buttoned tabs slipped through a slot, and an interesting skirt cut with an inverted plait and a circular flare in the front. The bodice buttons in the front and has a flower of the fabric in its trim lapel. A narrow vestee of yellow gives an effective note of contrast.

Uses Sunburst Plaiting.

Claire Soeurs sponsors the peplum in a frock of green flat crepe, with a high belt and five tiny bows of the material for decoration. Sunburst plaiting, a new note, appears on this frock in low godets which repeat the flare of the peplum. From the same house comes a clever three-piece suit which gives the effect of a frock for wear under a fur coat and will later make a smart street costume. This suit, . bright navy sheer wool, has a short jacket with tiny tucks defining the waistline. It is finished with a scarf collar and jabot lined with the fine checked blue and white tussah which also serves for the blouse.

Flat crepe frocks appear in the bright billiard greens, flag blues and reds which make effective contrast with the dark fur coats, and also in the more subtle, grayed-over rose, blue and green shades sponsored by Lelong. The so-called linen blues—soft shades with a hint of gray—are especially good with black fur coats.

Callot makes a rather formal restaurant frock of green crepe de chine, shaping it with tiny pin tucks to give a decided princess effect, and bordering it with georgette to match the collar. This is very smart with a formal coat of black broadtail.

Many of the flat crepe frocks take their inspiration from Vionnet, with bloused bodices, intricate cut, and ingenious arrangements of scarf collars.

The prints are more in vogue than ever. They appear in a great variety of patterns for daytime, introducing a springlike note in midwinter fashions. Dots, checks and plaids are all approved for the street and semi-sports frock, and there are many patterns which simulate the effect of broken weave rather than design. Patou's lily-of-the-valley and dogwood prints have caused much comment, and promise to introduce a vogue for designs of small realistic blossoms scattered on dark backgrounds.

Desperate Wives have been known to boil their husbands' pipes in lye. This kills the lingering authority of over-strong tobacco, but good-bye pipe! Well, it's time those husbands discovered Sir Walter Raleigh's favorite smoking mixture. It's a blend of choice tobaccos mellowed to a surpassing mildness and flavor, and wrapped in gold foil to keep it *fresh*. And fragrant? Wives positively *love* it.

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"Air Rights"

Air isn't free any more. In this era of vertical cities "air rights" command a respectable sum. Only recently the 38-story Harriman building on lower Broadway paid $742,500 for a 33-year lease on the air above an adjoining five-story structure. This is to insure tenants of the Harriman structure air and light for that length of time.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Acidity

The common cause of digestive difficulties is excess acid. Soda cannot alter this condition, and it burns the stomach. Something that will neutralize the acidity is the sensible thing to take. That is why physicians tell the public to use Phillips Milk of Magnesia.

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St. Hilaire Spectator

Annual Mid-Winter Young Peoples Rally

The Annual Mid-Winter Rally of the Young Peoples Covenant of the N. R. R. Valley will be held at the Swed. Mission Church at Thief River Falls Feb. 8-9. It is expected that scores of young people from all parts of Valley will be in attendance at the four sessions which will be held. The first meeting will be on the evening of Sat. Feb. the 8th at 7:30 o'clock. There will be three big meetings on the following day, Sunday. A varied program of music, singing, and addresses prepared with the spiritual needs of young people especially in mind will be presented. Most of the Mission ministers of the Valley have been engaged as speakers. We feel assured that all who attend will be richly rewarded in renewed spiritual vitality and a clarified vision of service.

Lieut. Wegner Transferred

Lieut. H. D. Wegner, who has been in charge of the Salvation Army corps at Thief River Falls the past two years, has been transferred to divisional headquarters at Fargo. His work there will be of temporary nature, and will lead to assignment to a larger field later on. Capt. A. Granheim, who has been second in command, will take over the Thief River unit.

Divisional Commander Major Frank Genge of Fargo, conducted the services at Thief River last Sunday at which time Lieut. Wegner gave his farewell address.

During the time he has worked in this section, Lieut. Wegner has made a host of friends who regret to see him leave the field, but all join wishing him success wherever he may locate.

Let Children Sleep

A folder from the children's bureau says that children from two to five years of age should have at least fourteen hours' sleep out of the twenty-four hours.

Various Names for Ranch

A ranch or plantation in Peru is called a hacienda, in Venezuela it is a hatos, in Chile a rancho, in Argentina an estrancle and in Uruguay a finca.

First Soldiers' Home

The home in Washington, D. C., is the oldest home established for disabled soldiers. It was authorized March 3, 1851.

Some Job

I don't know of any more tryin' position than bein' the father of a fifteen-year-old son.—Abe Martin, in Farm and Fireside.

The Way to Knowledge

Wealth and content are not always bedfellows. Wise men learn by others' harms; fools by their own.—Franklin.

Maybe They Tarnish Easily

Some people are so afraid of tarnishing their virtues that they never use them.—Grand Rapids Press.

America's Oldest Museum

The oldest museum in America is in Charleston, S. C.

THE CHURCHES

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A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in local church at 10:30 A. M., and in Clara church at 3:00 P. M.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

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Creamery butter	.41

Man to Be Avoided

He who backbites an absent friend, who does not defend him when others find fault; who loves to raise men's laughter, and to get the name of a witty fellow; who can pretend what he never saw; who cannot keep secrets intrusted to him; this man is a dangerous individual. Beware of him.—Horace.

Mud Packs

It is stated that the Persians and Egyptians used mud packs in the treatment of various skin troubles. A record of the use of clay (earth) and vinegar has been discovered in various hieroglyphics and papyri. Moderns, however, combine clay (kaolin) with water, perfumes and glycerin.

Paintings on Glass

Harold G. Clarke, writing in February, 1928, Antiques, says: "Glass pictures were in being as early as the Seventeenth century. They reached their pinnacle of quality from the double standpoint of engraving and painting in and during the latter half of the Eighteenth century."

Citizen's Obligation

There is a debt of service due from every man to his country, proportioned to the bounties which Nature and Fortune have measured to him. —Thomas Jefferson.

Great Agriculturists

Two thousand years before the time of Christ the Chinese were such intensive agriculturists that no corner was left uncultivated in a land almost the size of Europe.

WORDS FITLY SPOKEN

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VOICES raised in angry dispute came to her ears from the apartment across the hall. Sounds carried far in this flimsily constructed building.

"Oh, dear! they're at it again," lamented Mrs. Harvey, a woman with sad brown eyes and a tremendous droop to her mouth. "So foolish, and such a nice young couple."

"You sent her $40, and we need so many things ourselves," complained a feminine voice.

"My sister needs the money more than we do," asserted the male voice. "I couldn't refuse her."

"But you never told me," wailed the girl. "You kept it from me. That is what annoys me, Tom."

"I don't have to tell you everything I do," Tom's voice gave the impression of dogged sullenness. "I earn the money, and have a right to do what I choose with it."

"Oh, if that is the way you feel about it," tragically.

"You are making it hard for me to come home at all, Hattie," Tom rejoined savagely, and the door slammed behind him as he dashed down the front stairs three steps at a time. Then came the sound of the little runabout car getting under way, and he was gone.

"Dear, dear!" lamented Mrs. Harvey, for the second time, suffering vicariously with the foolish young pair. "I know just how she feels. She is too young to have good sense. And he is too young to make allowances for her. The habit of quarreling is growing on them. It will ruin their lives." She stood for a irresolute moment in deep meditation. "If I knew them better I might venture," she thought. Then casting timidity on the winds, she went out onto the long balcony in front of both the apartments and tapped on her neighbor's screen door. Receiving no response to repeated tapping, she entered the room. The in-a-dor bed was still down, and upon it lay Mrs. Tom Hayes in a crumpled heap, sobbing her heart out.

"Oh my dear! my dear!" soothed Mrs. Harvey, smoothing the pretty bobbed yellow hair. She had feared resentment, but Hattie Hayes was too wretched to resent anything. Her attitude expressed the deepest dejection.

"I wish I were dead! I wish I were dead!" she sobbed again and again. In the outer room the untouched breakfast remained on the table. The coffee was boiling over on the gas stove. Mrs. Harvey poured out a cupful and carried it to the bedside. "Here, dear, drink this," she coaxed. "And then tell me all about it. There's always a way out of trouble. Do not sob so bitterly. You have no trouble that cannot be cured."

"Tom is angry with me," cried Hattie. "He will not come home all day." But she sat up and drank the coffee.

"I hope you will not think me intrusive," observed Mrs. Harvey. "I could not help overhearing a part of your conversation. When your husband went out I felt that I simply had to make the attempt to speak to you. even if you should shut the door in my face."

"You heard us!" cried Hattie, deeply mortified.

"Yes," answered Mrs. Harvey, sighing wearily. "I have heard you, not once, but many times. It has brought home to me all my own sorrow and bitter regret, my selfishness and my folly. If you will let me tell you, dear, what I have never told to a human being before it may make you realize the value of the real things of life and the folly of ruining your happiness for the sake of trifles."

"Tell me," breathed Hattie, and said no more.

"I was twenty when I married John Harvey; a silly, senseless, vain girl; vain because some one called me pretty. An only child and spoiled; spoiled even by John in our courting days. I expected him to keep on spoiling me after we were married. He did for a few months and then the spoiling stopped. I cannot help thinking it was unreasonable of him to expect me to change all at once, and that was where he was to blame. He did not know that all my tantrums were meant to make him keep on petting and humoring me. All my nagging and faultfinding were to keep him always thinking he was in the wrong."

"I understand," said Hattie, blushing painfully.

"Well, we quarreled and made it up, quarreled and made it up; quarreled and made it up until the day when we quarreled and never made it up. I had worn out John's patience at last. I told him that I hated him. The great war had just started. John enlisted in a Canadian regiment and was overseas before I knew anything about it."

"Oh!" cried Hattie in distress, "Oh! Oh!"

"He never came back," continued Mrs. Harvey dully. "He had left everything we owned in my name, and he sent me a part of his pay all through the war. He was never reported as either dead or missing. I do not know what became of him. That is all."

"Very likely he would have gone anyway, with our own army," Hattie tried to console her.

"If we had never quarreled there would have been no bitterness. That is my punishment. I drove him to it."

There was a long silence. Then "What can I do?" whispered Hattie.

"Do not think of yourself," advised Mrs. Harvey earnestly. "Think only of making your husband happy. It will pay in the end."

"Tom won't be home till late," said Hattie disconsolately. "I always go to bed and let him forage for himself after we have had a quarrel."

"Stay up tonight, and have an especially nice supper for him," begged Mrs. Harvey. "Ignore the unpleasantness. Above all things do not sulk. Be cheerful no matter how you may feel. Men hate the mournful in real life." She kissed the young wife and returned to her own apartment.

Contrary to Hattie's expectation, Tom came home at the usual hour. He burst into the living room with impulsive speech. "Oh Hattie, forgive me this time!" he besought her. "I should not have said what I did. You have a right to everything I earn." He broke off suddenly. "Have you got company?" he asked, staring at the little table, with its pretty china and glassware, and the vase of pink carnations in the center. "Something smells good," sniffing the appetizing odors coming from the kitchen.

"No, no!" cried Hattie, flinging herself into his arms. "Only ourselves. Oh, Tom, I am never going to be hateful to you again. You watch and see if I don't keep my temper better after this. You have a right to do what you like with your earnings. So there!"

They made up this time for keeps. Hattie had learned her lesson. She became more sensible, and Tom developed more tolerance.

The following day Hattie went to see Mrs. Harvey to thank her for her kindness and her advice. "You are my best friend," she declared affectionately. "It seems queer, too, for Tom's best man friend is a Mr. Harvey. J. T. Harvey his name is."

Mrs. Harvey began to tremble.

"He lost his right arm in France," went on Hattie, unheeding. "Tom got a job for him with the company. Some light clerical work, for he is not strong. Tom asked him if he had no friends.

" 'None that care what becomes of me,' he answered. It seems so pitiful."

"J. T. Harvey!" whispered Mrs. Harvey with bloodless lips. "My husband was J. T. Harvey. But no—no—it cannot be!"

But it was. And that was the beginning of a new life for both couples.

Maxims of Religion Traced to Zoroaster

Christianity owes Zoroaster a debt in that it borrowed the devil, variously called "The Adversary" in the original Persian and "Satan" in Hebrew from the works of the Prophet of Light.

"It is high time that the debt that modern religions owe to Zoroaster be acknowledged," says Charles Francis Potter, noted clergyman and professor of Antioch college, writing in the Woman's Home Companion.

"And this is not all that Christianity owes to this great thinker," continues Doctor Potter. "His was the first great philosophy of religion. He had learned the need of a preachable theology, an attractive religion. Before his death in 583 B. C., he had formulated doctrines which resulted in the amalgamation of savage people and founded the laws of the Medes and Persians which today are examples of his wisdom and devotion to his people.

"The theology of post-exilic Judaism had a devil. Since the Zoroastrian religion of that time strongly emphasized a chief among evil spirits called 'The Adversary,' and since the post-exilic Jews called their devil 'Satan,' which means 'The Adversary,' there is only one possible inference.

"The earliest visitors to the cradle of the infant Jesus were Wise Men from the East who said they had seen his star and had come to worship him. The Greek word translated 'Wise Men' is 'magi' which enables us to identify these dignified travelers as Zoroastrian priests.

"When this babe grew to manhood, fulfilled his ministry and was dying on the cross one of his last sentences revealed that he expected to go immediately to 'Paradise.' Now 'paradise' was the Zoroastrian abode of the blessed after death. The very word was Persian. The Hebrew word was Sheol for the abode after death of both good and bad."

Famous American Trees

Along the Lee highway, near the confluence of the north and south forks of the Holston river and a few miles from Kingsport, Tenn., stands what is claimed to be the largest elm in the world. Its age is unknown, but it was described by the first Europeans to visit the region. Other famous old elms were the Treaty elm of William Penn that once stood on the bank of the Delaware river; the Washington elm at Cambridge, which fell several years ago, despite the skill of modern tree surgery, and the old Liberty elm at Boston. It was beneath the last that the first mutterings of a revolt against Great Britain were started.

Eels Made Much Trouble

The town of Montrevel, near the Swiss border, was recently the scene of a general holdup in which the culprits were eels. It happened during the floods which laid waste much of the countryside. The eels were swimming lazily down river when the torrent caught them and threw them in hundreds into the turbine of the electricity generating station on the outskirts of the town. They clogged the vanes of the turbines. The turbines slowed down, all lights went out, tramways stopped and nearly all activity ceased. Engineers worked for days to free the turbines from minced eel.

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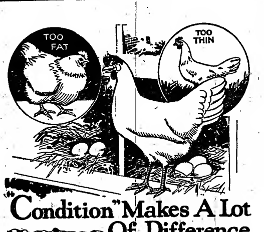

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River News

Miss Thea Burstad spent last Saturday and Sunday with relatives and friends at Thief River Falls.

Mrs. D. J. Johnson helped to celebrate Mrs K. T. Dalager's birthday anniversary, Wednesday.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg and Amanda Pearson visited at the Gust Larson home Thursday.

Mrs Paul Gieseke and sons spent the week-end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ulrich.

Mr. Albert Joseph returned Friday from St. Paul, were he was six weeks with friends, to visit with Mr. F. Ulrich and other friends.

Miss Mabel Konickson visited Friday and Saturday with friends at St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Dalagar visited Sunday at the Geo. Hesse home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Erickson and Victor Erickson of McIntosh were Sunday guests at the Aug Erickson home.

Gust Larson, and sons, Mrs. J. Konikson sons were Sunday dinner guests at the John Larson home.

Mrs. Herman Burstad is confined to her bed with a relapse. Mrs. Burstad friends hope that she will soon be about again.

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Makes Flight in Glider from Airship.

Lakehurst, N. J.—A glider piloted by Lieut. Ralph S. Barnaby slipped away from the navy dirigible Los Angeles at an altitude of 3,000 feet and made a successful flight over the naval air station here. Barnaby is the only licensed glider pilot in the navy, and this became the first glider flight from a lighter than air ship.

Well-Paid Church Heads

The archbishop of Canterbury, head of the established church of England, receives a yearly salary of $73,000. His title is "primate of all England." The archbishop of York, who bears the title "primate of England," receives $45,000 a year.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Energy Thrown Off by Sun

The sun daily supplies to the earth energy equivalent to the burning of 507,000,000,000 tons of coal, according to Dr. Charles G. Abbot of the Smithsonian institution. Natural scientists have been attempting for years to utilize this solar energy.

Training U. S. Sailors

The United States Naval academy at Annapolis, Md., was formally opened on October 10, 1845. It was founded by George Bancroft, the secretary of the navy. The total of authorized appointments to the academy is about 3,000.

Declamatory Contest

An elimination declamatory contest to select contestants for the district meeting, will form entertainment at the P - T meet Friday evening. Below is the program.

Humorous Division

Fall of Georgie Bassett
Booth Tarkington — Arthur Dahle

Spreading the News
— Mary Whalen

Mrs. Smart learns how to Skate
Clara Augusts — Edna Almquist

Dramatic Division

The Homely Heroine
Edna Ferber — Alice Skottem

Steve Carter who won the war
Bruce Barton — Evelyn Peterson

Oratorical Division

Specializing in Seconds
Roy Smith — George Biskey

Male Help Wanted
Roy Smith — Clarence Pearson

U. S. Indicts 400 in Rum Rebellions.

Oklahoma City—Approximately 400 persons, including many public officials, were under federal indictment for conspiracy to violate the prohibition laws in four gigantic so called "rum rebellions" in western states. Alleged liquor rings in Idaho, Wyoming, Oklahoma and Texas were objects of the governmental drive. A federal grand jury in Galveston indicted 120 residents of south Texas including a Galveston group with a former coast guardsman and two policemen. Governments of the City of Mullan and Shoshone County, Idaho, were disrupted by conviction of virtually all principal office holders. 44 of approximately 200 persons indicted in northern Idaho, including the mayor of Wallace, the Shoshone county sheriff and city councilmen and police, are to be tried in March. 44 persons convicted at Couer d'Alene, Idaho, which included the Mullan "rebellion" conspirators and 65 who pleaded guilty, were given fines totaling $18,800 and sentences aggregating 29 years.

Bankers Admit $30,000 Embezzlement.

Faribault, Minn.—Victims of the lure of speculation in stocks, the cashier and assistant cashier of the State bank of Webster, Minn., were in jail here, confessed forgers and embezzlers. They said they took and lost approximately $30,000 of the bank's funds over a period of slightly more than two years. Because both were regarded as leading citizens of the small community, their discrepancies, discovered by state bank examiners, was a distinct shock to the community.

Home Wrecking Wind Sweeps Florida.

Orlando, Fla.—A small tornado swept through the town of Lake Weir, near here, killing a Negro girl and demolishing a number of homes, according to reports brought here by motorists. No white persons were believed injured. The storm swept a path a mile and a half long and 300 yards wide. Large oak and citrus trees were broken and twisted by the wind and houses demolished.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Stillwater—Mrs. Ann E. Rhoads, pioneer resident and oldest living member of the First M. E. church, died here, age 87.

Mora—A case of arson against a St. Paul salesman, a Minneapolis physician and a school teacher was continued until March 30.

St. Paul—Damage estimated at $5,000 was caused by fire which destroyed the building housing the Fort Snelling military police.

Marshall—This city suffered its second disastrous church fire in two years when the Methodist Episcopal church burned to the ground here.

Evansville — Depositors of the Evansville State Bank received 10 per cent return of their deposits, bringing the total return to 40 per cent.

Minneapolis—Gathering from every section of the state 500 members of the Minnesota Telephone association opened their annual meeting here.

St. Paul—Chief of Police E. J. Murnane has retired from office because of ill health being replaced by Thomas E. Dahill, junior captain of detectives.

Duluth—A four hour discussion of protection for the Superior National forest here revealed that a majority of people of the north want it protected.

Pine Island—A $75,000 fire swept a two story structure in the business district here. Departments from Rochester and Zumbrota responded to a call for help.

Albert Lea—Mrs. Adolph Schaub, mother of five children, shot and killed her 4-year-old daughter, and then wounded herself, probably fatally, at her home here.

Columbia Heights—William R. Foster, "boy" mayor of Columbia Heights, was married to Verna Hagadorn of Minneapolis at the Columbia Heights Catholic church.

Mountain Lake—Rev. John Thoews, brother of W. J. Thoews, newspaper man here, has been executed in Moscow by soviet officials, according to word received here.

Austin—Dr. C. W. Wendt of Canton, S. D., originator of an owner-tenant farm plan, spoke before Austin civic clubs, brought to the city by the Austin Advertising Club.

Minneapolis—Donald J. Rogers, a former Minneapolis man, was named secretary of the Stout Air Lines at Detroit, Mich. Mr. Stout is also a former Minneapolitan.

Minneapolis—Rev. Gustav Grahn, of St. Paul's Swedish Lutheran church, will personally conduct a party through France, Germany and Scandinavia this summer.

Waseca—The report of the Waseca Co-operative Creamery showed that patrons were paid $357,074 in 1929. The average price paid for butterfat was 52.82 cents a pound.

St. Cloud—Egbert Pandolfo, son of L. A. Pandolfo, of Pan Motor fame, has been charged with concealing mortgaged property of having driven a $3,000 car out of the state.

Hutchinson—H. R. Kurth was chosen president of the Citizens bank here; J. H. Beytieu of the Farmers and Merchants Bank and F. W. Luedtke of the Farmers National Bank.

Excelsior—A new variety of strawberry of fine quality which promises to yield larger crops, was discovered in a bed of seeding strawberries here at the Minnesota agricultural station's fruit breeding farm.

Minneapolis—Henry Benson, state atty. general, has been petitioned to make an investigation of the operation of "chain stores" questioning legality of their operation under federal and state statutes.

Brainerd—State officials and education leaders helped dedicate the new $425,000 Washington High school here. Governor Christianson and J. M. McConnell, state commissioner of education, were among the speakers.

International Falls—Del Lavane, a jail breaker at Hillsboro as a suspect in a recent bank holdup at Ada, was recently arrested here for assault, paid a fine and was released. Minnesota Bankers association heard of Lavane's arrest and Charles M. Brown came here to claim him, but he had been released five minutes before.

Minneapolis—The next boxing show at the Minneapolis Auditorium will be staged the night of February 7th, featuring Dick Daniels, local heavyweight, and Mat Adgie of Philadelphia, Pa. This bout was originally made up for January 24th, but due to an injury to Adgie's shoulder, it had to be postponed and is now set for February 7th. On the same card, there will be another 10 round bout of much importance, bringing together Jackie Sharkey of Minneapolis, local bantam, and Johnny Ryan of Milwaukee, nationally known fighter. Sharkey and Ryan agree to weigh in at 122 pounds at 2 o'clock the afternoon of the show. There will be four other bouts on the program.

Fairmont—Theodore Zieman, Martin county farmer, captured highest honors in the state corn and grain show at U. of M. Farm sponsored by Minnesota Crop Improvement Assn.

Brainerd—Brainerd's new Washington high school building will be dedicated with the principal speakers Governor Christianson and J. M. McConnell, state commissioner of education.

Hutchinson—Dr. T. J. Truttna of Silver Lake was re-elected president and Dr. A. H. Jensen of Hutchinson, sec-treas. at the annual meeting of the McLeod County Medical Association here.

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Care of Waxed Floor

Never use water on your waxed floors. Water spilled upon them will turn the wax white. If this happens, rub the spot lightly with a cloth soaked in alcohol. Then apply more wax.

Paper From Cornstalks

Making paper from cornstalks isn't a new idea; as long ago as 1802 a patent was granted to John Harkins and Burgess Allison, two Jerseymen, to make paper from corn husks.

Largest Sundial

According to Popular Science Monthly, a sundial almost as high as a house, and said to be the largest in the world, was completed recently in a residential district of San Francisco, Calif. Its sloping style, which casts a shadow to indicate the time of day, is made of reinforced concrete; and about it circles a curb of concrete to form the dial itself, which is marked with hourly divisions.

Historic Alamo

The Alamo is a Franciscan mission house, built about 1722. After 1793 it was used on occasions as a fort, and was renamed Fort Alamo. It consisted of an oblong plaza, some two and a half acres in area, inclosed by a wall 8 feet high and 53 inches thick, a church, a hospital building, a convent and a walled convent yard about 100 feet square.

Snowballs Fly in Southern Cities.

Atlanta—Snowballs flew in many a southern city where such sport has seldom been indulged in. The snowfall ranged from 2 to 15 inches in some of the mountainous sections.

Gladys Parks Father Found Dead.

Camden, N. J.—Gladys May Parks father was found dead here from heart failure. Several days ago George Parks said farewell to his daughter, as she was taken to state prison to begin a 25 year sentence for murder.

Dynamite Explosion Kills 3 Workers.

Ashland, Ky.—Three men were killed and four were buried under tons of rock by premature explosion of a charge of dynamite here. All were members of a railroad construction gang.

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Alumni Win Game

The high school alumni basket hall team bested the high school team in their game played Tuesday evening in the hall at Hazel.

The teams were quite evenly matched, and the was 19 to 17. The high school lsds were superior in team work, but were unahle to hold the alumni bunch which had the advantage of weight. A good sized crowd from here witnessed the game.

Gives Fine Lecture

Despite inclement weather. a fine meeting of the Luther League was held Sunday night at the Norwegian Lutheran church. A feat-ture of the program was a lecture hy Rev. .Dahle on "Geographic conditions as they were, and are".

The pastor has given considerahle study to this subject, and gave a very interesting lecture on it.

Mrs. Nellie Miller Fisher

A clipping from the Standard puhlished at Shaunavon, Sask, Canada, which was mailed to this paper hy friends, states that Mrs. Geo. Fisher (nee, Nellie Miller) died at her home there Jan. 22nd, at the age of 32 years.

Mrs. Fisher was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller, who resided in Mayfield township twenty years ago. She is survived hy her hushand, her mother, and one sister, Edna. Her father died Jnne 10, 1920.

The pioneer settlers in Mayfield, and those of them who now reside elsewhere, will recall the Miller family, and will be grieved to learn of the death of Nellie Fisher.

A number of local people motored last evening to Thief River to hear the declamatory contest in which local high school students took part.

The annual Winter Shnws opened Monday at Crookston. The programs and exhibits are exceptionally good this year, so no one that can possihly get away should miss attending at least one day of the Show.

Notice:- Anyone sending in news items for publication, is kindly asked to sign his or her name. The name will not be published, but we must know the source of news items.

Wool Meeting, Feb. 15

A meeting of wool growers from all over northwestern Minnesota will be held Saturday, Feb. 15 at Thief River Falls. The meeting will be addressed hy Mr. Draper of Boston whose firm will have charge this year of sales for the national association. Establishment of a concentration point for wool grown in this section of the state, will also he discussed. Both Thief River and Crookston are making overtures for securing location of the concentration point, and it is understood there are storage facilities avaihle in both towns.

Order Auto Licenses Now

Those who have not applied for their 1930 automohile truck or trailer licenses, should do so by end of this week as Feh. 15th, is the last day upon which application for renewals can be made without penalty.

Under the new law, all trailers, except two wheeled trailers of less than 1000 pounds capacity used with passenger cars, must be licensed.

Surprise Party

A surprise party was given last Thursday evening at the Harry Winter home for Elizabeth Evenson, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in playing games after which lunch was served by Mrs. Winter. The honor guest was presented with a suitable gift from her friends. All who attended had a most enjoyahle time, and all were unanamous in declaring their host and hostess the best of entertainers.

Men's Club Program

Tuesday, Feh. 18 at 8:00 P. M.
Nor. Luth. Church

Hymn	Audience
Scripture Reading	Rev. Dahle
Hymn	Andience
Reading	John Costain
Trombone Duet	
E. N. Reiersgord-Wm. Peterson	
Reading	Harry Winter
Song	Male Quartet
Reading	A. Bilden
Hymn	Audience

A short business meeting will be held after the program. Lunch will he served.

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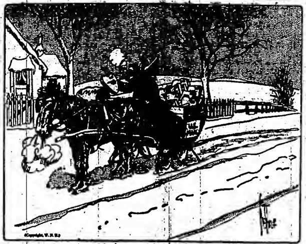

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Eleanor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swanson, took first place in the spelling contest held recently in Red Lake county.

Spring conditinn already prevail in southern part of the United States, and indications point to an early spring in this part of the country.

County Commissioners J. S. Roy and Emil Larson motored Saturday morning to Thief River to attend a postponed meeting of the county board.

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The high school hasket hall team meets the Middle River high school team at the Hazel hall Wednesday night next week, Feb, 19th.

Coal:- Will have a carload of soft coal on track here this week. This will be sold at $10.00 a ton delivered from the car. Place your orders now.

A. Satterberg, City

Now when Christmas presents are just about paid for, along comes the county treasurer with his announcement that personal property taxes must be paid before end of the month.

FOR SALE:-The residence property in St. Hilaire of the late Mrs. Helen Chelin is offered for sale. This consists of a good four room house, outbuildings, and large plot of ground. Bids for the property, clear of all incumhrance, msy be left at the Spectator office up to March 1st.

Several carload of alfalfa and mixed clover and timothy hay have heen shipped from this community the past two weeks. There is a shortage of hay in southern part of the state, and hay finds a ready market down there.

This section of the country was visited by a real oldfashioned hlizzard last Sunday. While hut little snow fell, whatever was loose was whipped up by the wind and deposited in places inconvenient to the average householder. Many of the side roads are blocked by drifts, and more teams than autos are seen on the streets this week as a result.

F. Dodson and family are moving from the Tice farm in River Falls to a place they purchased last fall near Plummer.

Main building of the State Teachers Training College at Moorhead was destroyed hy fire last Sunday.

Quite a number of people from this village and vicinity took advantage of the special train in this line of the Great Northern yesterday to spend the day at the Winter Shows at Crookston.

Quite a few of the new 1930 auto licence tags are in evidence in this community. The new tags have hlack figures on an aluminum hackground.

A Valentine party will he given hy the Luther League at the Norwegian Lutheran church hasement tonight. A good program will he given.

The Dorcas Society will be entertained hy Mrs. Peter Simonson at her home next Saturday afternoon. All are welcome.

For those who do not wish to walk, there will he teams at the Carlson store. A Valentine favor will be given to each child attending.

Mrs. Matt J. Anderson, a former resident here, in writing from Gate, Washington, sends greetings to all friends and former neighhors. She states cold weather has pervailed out there for a month, hut snow is about all gone now and spring is opening.

On Thursday Feb. 13, 1930 there will be an unusual radio concert from W. M. B. I. of Chicago. The Staff Band of the Salvation Army of Chicago consisting of 35 pieces will play over this station from 10:15 P. M. to 11. P. M. This will be a sacred program. Tune in and listen to the Army and hear what they can do in the musical concert.

Mesdames M. H. Jackson, L. E. Beebe, O. Gunstad, J. A. Hansen and N. E. Beebe, and the Misses Freistad, Lee, Launa, Hovie and Frazier of the school faculty, motored Monday evening to Thief River to see the play "Sunny Side Up", and to attend a card party given by the Womens' Club.

Fourth Whist Session

Fourth meeting of the whist tournament took place Monday evening this week at the Odd Fellow hall. The games seem to he gaining in popularity as there were seventy two players at 18 tables this week, nearly twice the number that participated at the first meeting. Paul Ortloff won the prize for having the highest individual score. The Red army was again victorious for the evening. Lunch for the victors was served at Boh's Coffee Shop, and for the losers at the Blue Parrot Inn. Next meeting will be Monday evening, Feb, 17th. This will be held at the Imperial hall as it is anticipated there will be more players taking part, and the Odd Fellow hall does not have accomodations for more than were present last meeting.

Pays Dividend

A divident of ten percent, totaling $2,282 was paid recently hy the State Banking Department to depositors of the closed Farmers State Bank at Gatzke in Marshall county. A dividend of 15 percent had previously been paid.

Former Residents Have Party

A group of young women, former residents of this village, who now reside in Minneapolis and St. Paul, were guests last Saturday at a party given at home of Mrs. Nels Nelson at Minneapolis. Those present were the Madames Mildred Engh, Gladys Staff, Gladys Nelson, Esther Schantzen, and Misses Dorothy Martz, Edith Nelson, Clara Norman, Adeline Westphal, Ruth Seeland, Lulu Beehe, Margaret Patterson and Hazel Fricker. This is one of a series of gatherings of former St. Hilaire people that is being held in Minneapolis this winter. A similar gathering was held last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Sig. Engh.

Notice To Black River Voters

The annual township election will he held Tuesday, March 11th. Our voting system have heen changed to the Austrailian system of halloting this year. Anyone desiring to file for office of supervisor for three year term, or for town clerk for two year term, kindly notify clerk and pay fee of $1.00 by March 1st., at which time fillings close.

Felix Anderson, Clerk.

P. T. A. Met Friday

A very well attended meeting of the Parent - Teachers Association was held at the school huilding last Friday evening. A declamatory contest by pupils of the high school was the entertainment. Considering the young people had practiced less than one week, they did remarkably well.

Arthur Dahle, Alice Skotten and George Biskey Jr., were named winners in their divisions. Lunch was served hy the high school pupils at close of the program.

Fixtures Ordered

The Hunt Hardware Company of Red Lake Falls, which is opening a hranch hardware establishment in this village next month, has fixtures ordered for the new store.

Interior of the Imperial block is heing repaired, and will he refinished in colors used by the company. As soon as this worked is completed, shipments of fixtures and stock will begin to arrive in preparation for opening.

25 Years Ago

N. G. Otterness acquired, in a land trade, the first automohile owned in this village.

—XXV—

Carl Johnson bought the stock and tools of K. R. Killand and was opening a new harness shop.

—XXV—

Al. Edstrom was spending his time at Hazel installing the postoffice and getting the new store ready to operate.

—XXV—

J. J. Kordahl returned home after an inspection trip to his homestead in western North Dakota.

—XXV—

C. P. Swanson and Pete Lindhlom were hauling out lumber for a new harn the latter was huilding on his farm.

—XXV—

The Review at Thief Falls suspended puhlication that week after a stormy career of fourteen months.

—XXV—

Mrs. Karen Sandmoen of this village, was granted a decree of absolute devorce hy Judge Wm. Watts at Crookston, from her hushand, Christopher Sandmoen.

Making The Grade

Financial assistance at the right time has paved the way to independence for many people in this community. During the past quarter century, the Old Reliable has assisted many people this way, and, always has funds on hand to assist any sound enterprise.

If you do not have a checking or savings account with us, start one now.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

What Will The Future Bring?

That is the question that concerns us all. The future of your creamery depends upon you. By patronizing it--selling it your cream--buy what it has to sell--and co-operating with your neighbors for its betterment, you are not only helping yourself, but are assisting in the upbuilding of your community. If not al a shareholder, become one this year.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

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My Favorite Stories
by Irvin S. Cobb

The Species Was Not Yet Extinct

BY WAY of a beginning, it is incumbent to me to explain that the negroes of the coast of South Carolina and Georgia have a distinctive patois which differs radically from the speech of members of their own race up country. "Gullah talk," as it is called, has but one gender—the masculine. Everything—a man, a woman, a bull, a cow—is "he." "Where" is "w'ar," "though" is "do," etc., etc.

With this bit of explanation, we may proceed. An Englishman, desirous of killing some big game during his visit to America, accepted an invitation to visit a plantation owner on one of the sea islands lying below Charleston. In honor of the visitor a deer drive was arranged. The Britisher, chaperoned by an old negro man, was assigned to a "stand" on one of the best "runs." Beforehand he had been told to shoot only at bucks, as the does and the fawns enjoyed protection.

Presently, to the ears of the nervous Englishman where he crouched with his black companion in a thicket, came the sound of the hounds' baying. The dogs had found a fresh scent. They were drawing nearer and nearer.

Fifty yards away, across an open glade, a darling patch of tawny brown showed in the undergrowth. The Englishman fired, and a convulsive thumping in the underbrush told him he had not missed.

The old negro left his covert and ran forward to see what it was that had been shot.

"Did I kill him?" called the excited amateur.

"Yeah, boss. You kill 'im," answered the darky, as he bent over the stricken game. Then, seeing that the fallen animal had no horns, he added: "'E a doe do'."

At this moment the host hurried up the trail, having heard the shot from his place of ambush a hundred yards or so away.

"Any luck?" he called out as he approached.

"Oh, yes," answered the Britisher, exultantly. "I thought I saw a deer and dropped it, but your black fellow yonder has just told me that it is a dodo—a creature which I thought was entirely extinct. Lucky, eh, what?"

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River News

George Hess has been confined to his bed since Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Dalager and Mrs. G. B. Peterson attended the P. T. A. meeting at St. Hilaire last Friday. They reported the Declamatory Contest very good.

Gerald Stephens, who is employed near Angus, was a week-end guest at the home of his parents, Mrs. and Mr. E. H. Stephens. Gerald returned to Angus Sunday evening.

Misses Evelyn and Ivanette Thyren and Evelyn and Gladys Peterson who attend high school at St. Hilaire spent the week end at their respective homes.

About fifty neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Thorstein Walseth gathered at the E. H. Stephens home Saturday night Feb. 8. and pleasantly tendered them a surprise "miscellaneous shower". The evening was spent in games and contests after which a delicious lunch was served. The guests departed at a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Walseth were the recipients of many beautiful gifts and their many friends here wish them a long and happy married life.

(By another correspondent)

Alhin Konickson, Robt. Stephens, Ernest Erickson and Joe Peterson motored Wednsday to Crookston to attend the Winter Shows.

Art. Swanson and Oscar Bjornquist attended the Winter Shows at Crookston on Wednesday.

Fritz and Minnie Ulrich, Elizabeth and Martin Haupt motored Tuesday to Crookston to see the Winter Shows.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ulrich, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Haupt were at Crookston yesterbay to attend the Winter Shows.

Where They All Fail

"Most folks is prepared for anything," says Scattergood Baines in the American Magazine, "till it commences to rain and then they's a leak in the roof."

Amenities

The pot sometimes calls the kettle black, and the man with false teeth can always laugh at the fellow with a toupee.—Fort Wayne News-Sentinel.

'Dead' 13 Minutes, Oxygen Revives Her

Little Rock, Ark.—Juda Campbell, fifteen years old, whose heart stopped for thirteen minutes while she was under an anesthetic for tonsil removal, is alive and well today as a result of a new discovery in resuscitation.

The negro girl was revived after all animation had been suspended, when Dr. S. F. Hoge injected oxygen directly into her blood. Previously it had been believed that such an injection would cause death.

Physicians here regard Doctor Hoge's method as a phenomenal contribution to science.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

St. Cloud—Northern Minn. Editorial Asso. meets here Feb. 27 and 28.

Dassel—The annual Grain and Corn Show will be conducted here Feb. 4 and 15.

St. Paul—A bandit held up the Payne Ave. State Bank here and escaped with $2,000.

Stewart—The Farmers & Merchants, bank here has absorbed the Bank of Stewart, effective at once.

Owatonna—Herbert Klima is the new president of the Owatonna Dramatic Club, Little Theater group.

Hastings—Mrs. A. Swanson and daughter, 21, were burned to death in a gasoline fire in their home here.

Dodge Center—Douglas Osborne will represent Dodge Center high school in the sub-district oratorical contest.

Utica—Robert Edwards of Utica, Winona county, is grand champion 4-H club member of Minnesota for 1929.

Brainerd—Dr. G. I. Badeaux, was elected president of the Upper Mississippi Medical Society which met here.

Minneapolis—Salary increases totaling more than $12,000 were voted by the council to 158 employees of the water department.

Winona—Chief of police H. C. Rieban will be opposed by Thomas Miller, storekeeper, for the office of sheriff of Winona county.

Duluth—While dressing a hen purchased here a Duluth woman found a gold nugget in its crop. The hen came from the Arrowhead country.

South Haven—Depositors of the defunct 1st State Bank here received a 10 per cent return of deposits, making 40 per cent return to date.

Brainerd—M. E. Ryan of this city has been appointed district judge of the fifteenth judicial district, to succeed Judge W. S. McClenahan, retired.

Duluth—Commodities received and shipped at the Duluth-Superior harbor during the navigation season of 1929 were valued at close to $500,000,000, an increase over 1928.

Winona—The price of milk will be reduced in Winona from 12 to 11 cents a quart February 15, it was announced here by L. V. Patterson of the Milk Producers Association.

Red Wing—For the third consecutive general court term in the county the services of a grand jury were not required here, according to T. N. Ofstedahl, county attorney.

Hayfield — H. D. Amundson was elected president of the Farmers Cooperative Oil Association at its annual meeting here. Annual sales exceeding $40,000 were reported.

Hutchinson—Plans for a new trunk highway through this city will be considered at a meeting here of good roads boosters with commissioners of Sibley, McLeod and Meeker counties.

Hibbing—Members of the Engineers' club of northern Minnesota will hold their annual dinner here February 22, bringing together a large number of men engaged in the iron ore industry.

Austin—Members of the American Legion and Izaak Walton League will be hosts at a conservation banquet. Stafford King of St. Paul, former state Legion commander, will be chief speaker.

Mankato—Forty-two cases are on the calendar for the Blue Earth county District Court term, which has opened here. Of this number 37 have been continued from the November calendar.

Slayton—The Murray County State bank here was granted a new bank charter and will absorb the State Bank of Hadley and the First National Bank of Iona, with a capital of $50,000 and surplus of $15,000.

Crookston—Features of the twentieth annual Northwest School Farmers' week and Red River Valley winter shows to be held February 10 to 14 will include the appearance of 50 nationally known speakers.

Maple Lake—The Maple Lake Farmers Creamery Association has reelected Joseph Baker, Daniel Cavanaugh and H. Balster as directors. Receipts of the creamery during the last year were $235,000.

Winona—Sixty employes of the car department of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway shops at Winona were laid off for an indefinite period, according to an announcement by Charles C. Nash, district master car builder.

Faribault—Members of the southern Minnesota area council, Boy Scouts of America, and other representatives of Scout groups in Steele, Rice, Scott and LeSueur counties, will gather for a dinner February 13, preceding the annual meeting.

Duluth—A proposal that the St. Louis county work farm be made into a federal penal colony to house 200 liquor law violators was advanced before the county board work farm commission by L. J. Foley, senior inspector of institutions of the department of justice.

Kenyon—Plans for the annual smoker for farmers in this territory for Feb. 19 and 20 have been made by a Kenyon Commercial Club committee.

Worthington — The Worthington High School Alumni Association has launched a movement for a war memorial in recognition of the war services of former students of the school.

Albert Lea—W. W. Bowers, superintendent of the Albert Lea branch of the Wilson Packing Company, has announced the awarding the contract for the new building of the packing company here to a local company. The building cost more than $100,000.

Hazel News

Mrs. E. Presthy and children and Axel Rasmnsson called at the C. Presthy home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lappegaard, Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg, Mr. and Mrs. M. Finstad visited at the M. Lokken home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Johnson and children mortored to Grand Forks Sunday where they visited with relatives.

Stanley Roese, who has heen ill with bronchial pneumonia is now able to be up and around. He reports that he feels fine.

Afred Swanson and Carl Howie, mail carriers of Thief River Falls, were callers at the T. Johnson home Monday evening.

Saturday night the Hazel "Hayseeds" met the Thief River Falls "Kiddies" in a basket ball game in the Hazel hall. The "Hayseeds" were defeated 33 to 19, the Kiddies carring home the prize.

Misses Annie and Lillian Alberg of Hazel, and Mrs. O. C. Peterson of Thief River Falls visited at the home of Rev. and Mrs. I. Bloom in Thief River Falls Saturday afternoon.

Miss Lina Holton, who attends school in Thief River Falls, spent Monday afternoon visiting with friends and her old schoolmates in Busy Bee school in Hazel. She returned to resume her H. S. duties in Thief River Monday evening.

Mrs. Ole Odegaard returned Thursday morning from Fargo, where she was called because of the ilness of her son, Morris. Mrs. Odegaard says that Morris is still in the hospital and is unable to sit up as yet. His illness was due to pneumonia following pleurisy.

Arlene Knutson, a seventh grader of the Busy Bee school of Hazel was chosen as a contestant for the spelling contest held Friday afternoon in school District 178 or Aug. Swenson school. Avis Fellman, eighth grader from that districe won the contest hy one point.

The following met in a social gathering Monday night at the Carl Alberg home: Mr. and Mrs. C. Finstad and children Martin Finstad, Edwin Husehy, Mrs. Lokken and daughters, Margaret and Beatrice, Gust Gustafson, Halvor Viken and Steve Ford.

Hay For Sale: Have a quantity of hay for sale in stack at $4.00 a ton. Also have 3000 pounds of white, sweet clover seed, clean of foul seed, for sale at 5 cents a pound. Call on or address
Ed Moren,
J23tf Wylie, Minn.

Deceit Marks Small Mind

One artifice unavoidably leads to another, till, as the intricacy of the labyrinth increases, you are left entangled in your own snare. Deceit discovers a little mind, which stops at temporary expedients, without rising to comprehensive views of conduct.—Blair.

Ingersoll's Precepts

Justice is the only worship. Love is the only priest. Ignorance is the only slavery. Happiness is the only good. The time to be happy is now. The place to be happy is here. The way to be happy is to make other people happy.—Ingersoll.

Child Voices Not Silver

"Children's voices are not naturally beautiful," declared Geoffrey Shaw, inspector of music in English training colleges, recently. "The poet who wrote about their silver voices probably didn't know any children."

Brussels Sprouts Old

It is said that Brussels sprouts have been grown from time immemorial around Brussels in Belgium, but they were not described by botanists until 1623, when Bauhin names them and tells how some plants had as many as 50 heads. They were first mentioned in America in 1806 by McMahon.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

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St. Hilaire. Minn.

Wyandotte News

Marie Peterson, teacher in Dist. 125, spent the week-end at home of her parents, Mrs. and Mrs. O. J. Peterson.

Selma Wilson, Laura Schack and Helen Bruggeman, who attend school at Plummer, and Marie Kolseth who attends school at St. Hilaire, spent the week-end at their respective homes.

Henry Bruggeman and daughter, Harriet, were visitors Saturday at the Pete Kolseth home.

Marion Bergh left Monday for Grand Forks where she will he employed.

Henry Sandberg was a visitor at the Bert Roese home Monday.

David Clark and Danial Haugen motored to Thief River and returned Saturday.

Pupils of Dist. No. 6 resumed their studies Monday, after the school having heen closed for a short time hecause of illness of Miss Schie.

Marion, Lillian and Frank Bergh visited Friday at the Martin Bergh home.

Mrs. J. Albin visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. Osine Olson.

MEET THE GANG
-AT-
Bob's Coffee Shop
If you can't eat at home. eat with us
R. Helmkay,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

EDDIE, THE AD MAN

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Edward Olson Boe, also known as Edward O. Boe and E. O. Boe, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Martha Olson Boe and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of March, 1930 at two o'clock P. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 11th day of February, 1930.

Lars Backe
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate
Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota
F-13-27

Delicious Tropical Fruit

The granadilla is a tropical American fruit, oval shape, of a greenish yellow color. The pulp is water-colored and has a sweet smell and a pleasant sweet acid taste, but contains many black seeds. The plant is grown in conservatories in North America and Europe for the lovely blossoms.

Brace Your Shoulders

The best shoulder braces are those that one grows—good strong muscles. Stooped shoulders, rounded upper back and caved-in chest are the result of lazy carriage. By holding up the chest the shoulders are thrown back and the body assumes an easy, graceful pose.

Deer Wrecks Motor; State Refuses Pay

Harrisburg, Pa.—A deer collided with the motor car of Elias Fineberg, Scranton, Pa., while driving in the Pocono mountains, damaging radiator, fenders and headlights.

It cost Fineberg $44.70 to have the damaged car repaired. Fineberg sent the bill from a Scranton garage to the highway patrol for collection.

"I am advised that the responsibility for the [illegible] is with the state and that the state highway patrol is responsible for such damage," Fineberg wrote.

Capt. W. G. Price, head of the patrol, returned the bill to Fineberg, acknowledging it, but saying that Fineberg would have to take care of it himself.

A COLD

As soon as you realize you've taken cold—take some tablets of Bayer Aspirin. Almost before your head can stuff-up, you feel your cold is conquered. Those aches and pains you felt coming on will soon subside. Relief is almost instantaneous! Even if your cold has gained headway, and your temples throb and your very bones ache, these tablets will bring prompt relief. It is better, of course, to take Bayer Aspirin at the very first sneeze or cough—it will head-off the cold and spare you much discomfort. Get the genuine, with proven directions for colds and headaches; neuralgia, neuritis, sore throat, and many important uses.

BAYER ASPIRIN

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High Finance

Sanny Boy, age five, wanted to go shopping with Auntie, so she told him to ask his mother for a dollar to take with him. Mother taid him, however, that she didn't think she had ns mnch as a dollar that she cauld spare.

"Have you got 15 cents?" Sonny asked, anxiously.

"I don't know wbether I hnve or nat," mother answered.

"Well, then," Sonny aaid, "I'll jus' take a quarter."

Peace Policy

"Fifty years af happy married life! Haw have yon managed it?"

"Well, far ane thing, son, I've always admitted I wns wrong."

Luther's Descendants

There are about 650 descendants of Martin Luther now living. Ahaut 575 of them are descended from the line nf bis son, Panl, and 75 from his daughter, Margaret. The majority of these descendants are living in Germany. Forty-one nre living in North America. Otbera are in Jugoslnvia, Austria, Greece, Italy, Denmark, Sweden, England, Australia, Africa, Santh America, China and Japan.

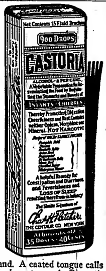
Might Have Been Worse

Fnther—We get so mnch consolation out of our twins.

Neighbor—In what wny?

Father—In the fact thnt they ars nat triplets.—Capper's Weekly.

Restless Children



Children will fret, often for no apparent reasan. But there's always one sure way to camfort a restless, fretful child. Castoria! Harmless as the recipe on the wrapper; mild and bland as it tastes. But its gentle action saothes a yaungster mare surely than some pawerful medicine that is meant for the stranger systems of adults.

That's the beauty af this special children's remedy! It may be given the tiniest infant—as often as there is any need. In cases of colic, diarrhea, ar similar disturbance, it is invaluable. But it has everyday uses all mathers shauld understand. A caated tongue calls far a few drops to ward off constipatian; so daes any suggestian af bad breath. Whenever children don't eat well, dan't rest well, or have any little upset—this pure vegetable preparatian is usually all that's needed to set everything ta rights. Genuine Castaria has Chas. H. Fletcher's signature on the wrapper. Dactars prescribe it.

Mute Wisdom

You'll usually get credit for knowing what you are talking abaut if you'll just keep yanr mauth shut.—Life.

Getting an Eyeful

Darothy—I thought that sallar who just passed loaked well, didn't he?

Iris—Yes, and he's still laoking.

5218 Happy People Give up Their Secret

JUST suppose you could get 5000 jayously happy people together in one big hall and cauld ask them what made them all so full of pep. Suppose, strangely enaugh, that all of them had discavered the same way to be happy. You would feel that here, if anywhere in the warld, was the secret af how to get jay out of life.

This is just what has happened during the last few weeks. We knew there were millians of people who had faund the secret af happiness in the same way, and we asked them in one ar two small annauncements in tha magazines and newspapers to tell us their story. Letters came ta us from practically all over tha glabe.

All of them said "The secret of happiness is health."

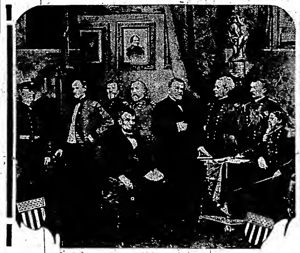
Haw to get this health? The way that all of these people had discovered was nat soma magic medicine, nat some powerful drug, nat some difficult caurse of training—but anly a simple, harmless, natural method. It was to keep the body internally clean, sweeping its natural paisons away each day, regularly as clack wark—by the use of Nujal.

These people had mada a great discovery. They had faund out that Nujal contains no drugs; that it is as tasteless and colorless as pure water; pleasant to take and farms no habit; that it cannot hurt yon, no matter how much you take; that it is non-fattening; not absorbed by the body; that it is only tha internal lubrication yaur body needs, just like any other machine.

They have found the way to Buayant, Zestful Health, and the Joy that goes with it

It sounds like a fairy tale, doesn't it, to be well and happy so easily? Well, all you need to do to find out if these peopls have made a real discovery is to get a bottle of Nujal today at any drug store and take it for two weeks. It costs but a few cents and it makes yau feel like a million dallars. The sure way to happiness is through *health*.

FAMOUS CIVIL WAR GROUP



President Lincoln and his officers in the White House. The President and General Hancock seated. Behind them, Admiral Farragut, Gen. William Sherman, Gen. Thomas Meade, Gen. U. S. Grant, General Hooker and Gen. Phil Sheridan.

Lincoln's Struggle For an Education

The temperament af a stndent and continuaus and hard persanal study made Lincoln an educated man, but his actual schoaling wss very menger. He went to school, altogether, for less than n year, Albert J. Beveridge tells us in his "Abraham Lincoln, 1809-1858." The time was divided among several schaols. The first were in Kentncky, where Thomas Lincain and his fsmily were living in a cabin on Knab creek. "Sometime during the sojonrn of the Lincoln family on Knob creek a school was opened in the vicinity by one Zacharinh Riney, a Cntholic, and Snrah nccompanied by her little brother went to this school far a few weeks. Later, another schaol, taught by one Caleb Hazel, was attended by the Lincoln children for an even briefer period. . . . 'It was from that place (Knob creek cabin),' writes Haycraft to Herndon, 'that yonng Ahrnham commenced trudging his way to school to Caleb Huzel with whom I was well ucquainted und cauld perhaps tench spelling, reading and indifferent writing, and perhaps conld cipher to the rule of three, but he had no other qualification of a tencher except large size nnd bodily atrength to thrash nny boy ar yauth that came to his schaol."

Schooling in Indiana.

The next schooling was in Indlana, where the family had moved; in an nttempt to better fortune which had always been bad. "When there were enongh children in the settlement ta justify the starting of n school, Andrew Crnwford opened ane in a cabin of unhewn logs, two or three miles from the hut of Thomns Lincoln. Like nll others of the time it was a subscription school, the teacher taking his pay in skins ar farm praduce, far mare valunble than the 'wild-cnt' pnper, which then was the only form of money. . . . The Lincoln children went ta Andrew Crawford's school far a while dnring tbe winter 1818-1819. The school was held in 'a rude pole cabin with huge fireplace, rude floor of pnncheons and sents of same, and a window made by lenving out n log on the sida to admit the light, often cavered with greased paper to keep ont the wind.' Spelling, reading, writing and 'ciphering to single rnle af 3 no further' were tanght in the hnphazard manner af the period and region. It was a 'hlab' or 'loud school,' the children studying vacally. Pnnishment wns administered by whipping or making the child wear the 'dunce cap.' 'When we went to Crawfard he tried to lenrn ns manners,' relates Nnthaniel Grigsby, shawing the pupils haw to enter a room, the formnlities of introdnctian and the like. . . . Bnt the teacher gave np after one season, it appears, as frantier schaal promaters sometimes did. Tberenfter Andrew Crawford disappears fram the chronicles af Pigeon Creek pedngogy. Lincoln was then in his tenth year and ha did not again go to school nntil he was abont fonrteen or fifteen.' What he learned from Crawford we da not know; a little simple reading, perhsps, snd haw ta farm wards with a quill pen—certainly not much more, since he canld not write well nntil fanr ar five years later."

Few School Books.

Lincaln's last school was also nt the Indiana aettlement. "A year or two after the caming of Sarah Lincoln (the stepmother), another school, abont four miles away, was started by one Azel W. Darsey. It was exactly like that of Andrew Crawford except that Dorsey did not try to 'learn manners' to the children. Abraham went to this school for a short time. . . . The school books from which the teacher gnve ont his lessona were the Bible, Webster's, or Dilworth's spelling baak, Pike's arithmetic and a aong book. . . . It was at Dorsey's school that he perfected thnt clear, distinct chirogrnphy, so like that af Washington and Jefferson; snd here, taa, he lenrned to spell with that accnracy which was to hecome a tradition in the neighborhood. He did nll the writing for the family and, indeed, for everybody in the settlement. Even mare important to his avid mind was the fact that he learned to read with ease and fluency. . . . So ended the education of Abrnham Lincoln in schools, except for n short and braken attendance in 1826 at a similar school tuught by Willinm Sweeney. Including the two schools in Kentncky the hoy went to school for less than a yenr. . . . There was, indeed, no reason for him to ga longer to these hackwaods teachers—they 'coald do him no further good; be went to school no more.'"

Only Bare Walls Left of House of Tragedy

Ford's theater, nt Washington, la directly ncrass the street from the little brick house in which Lincoln died. This hause contains the fnmaus Oldrayd collection of Lincoln relics which the federal government purchased at s cast af $50,000. The Yntes bill provides far the transfer of these bits to the remodeled theater.

Only the shell af the theater now remnins. The halconles, seats and stage were remaved many years ago, and it is now properly a dnsty relic of history. Row npan raw af files filled with mysterlaus government charts about patents and other matter that have accnmnlated thrangh the years nre lodged here.

> The leading rule for man is diligence. Leava nothing for tomorrow which can be done today. Never let your work fall behind.—Lincoln.

Faith in Almighty

I am satisfied tbat when the Almighty wants me ta do ar not ta do any particular thing, He finds a way of letting me know it.—Lincoln.

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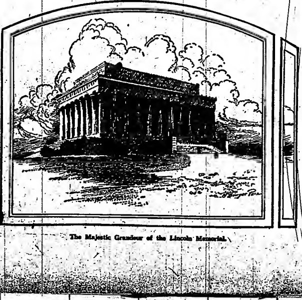

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Muzzled

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The Children's Corner

Edited by DOROTHY EDMONDS

THE WALKING STICK

Three friends, Robert, Burton and Pete, were spending an antumn day in the woads.

In Robert's haversack were a paper folder, a small tin box, and his lunch. He also carried a pocket knife for he was going to collect leaves and twigs from as many different trees as ba cauld find.

Burton had his lunch and a hox with boles in the top. He planned ta make a collection of moths and butterflies.

Peter went along for company and did not carry anything. He was a black and tan dog.

Robert faand many trees fram which he cut twigs and pnt them in his hox. Then he picked some fresb, shapely leaves and laid them between the pages of his folder.

Burton walked ahout, loakiug for moths. Whenever he saw one he ran after it and tried ta catch it. But more oftea than not the moth would fly safely away and Burton would have to watch for another.

After this had bappeaed mnay times he sat down to rest nader a tree.

"I'd rather collect heetles, anyway," he aaid. "Tell me every time yon see oae, won't you?"

"Yes," replied Robert. "And every new tree yon see, you tell me."

They went on and on. But there seemed to be only the aame kinds of trees everywbere, and all the buga were either cleaaing their hasements or tryiag out new aeroplanea. There were none at all on the ground.

Peter had better lnck. He oaly wanted to chase and there were plenty af lively sqnirrela wha were willing to give him a merry ran hefore they jamped to safety in the treetops.

When the shadows fell almast atraight across the groand the boys decided that it was time for lunch. They sat on tbe thick moas beside a spriag aad ate the aandwicbes and cookiea nnd apples they had hrought from home.

"I wonder bow many specimens I have," aald Robert.

He laid them all out and coanted them. Thera were fifteea twigs. Tben he counted tha leaves. Sixteen! Which leaf had na twig ta ga witb it? Then, aias, Robert made a sad discovery. He hada't the slightest idea which twigs and which leaves helonged together. His collection was no good unless he knew that sa be threw them all away.

"I'll start over again," ha told Burtan.

Burtan's box contained ona littla yellaw moth, ane humbla hee and ona lady-bug who wanted to fly away home.

"I guess I will go hy the stream. Maybe I can find water beetles," said Burton.

Sa they started collecting again.

Burton was stooping aver the stream watching a water spider skating aver tha smeath surface when he beard Rabert call.

"Oh, Burt, come here!"

"See here!" he exclaimed, as Bnrtan cama near. "Is this far your collection or mine?"

"What, that little stick? You can have it. I don't want it, I am sure."

"Wait a minnte. Look!"

Robert tanched a small brown twig on the stick he was halding. Tha twig pnt ont fonr spidery legs and walked slowly down the stick!

Burton stared as thaagh ha could nat believe bis eyes.

"Do it agaia," ha commanded. "There is a trick abont this somewhere."

Again the twig put out legs and walked. The boys could not understand it.

"Maybe there is some kind of a bng inaide the twig, with its legs sticking oat," said Robert, "tha way we play bear with a blanket thrown over us."

"Let's taka it home and ask Uncla Hal about it," proposed Burton. "Put it in the box carefully so it will nat break."

Tha boys did no more collecting. They talked only about the strange stick that walked. That night they showed it to Uncle Hal.

"Ob, so yau found a walking stick, did yau?" ha said, when they apened the box.

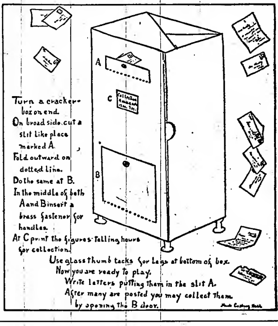
Tben be told the boys how every living thing, even the smallest, is given soma way of protecting itself against athers.

"The elephant has its size, the lion his strength and the cat has claws. This tiny insect does nat have ta fight. It wants only to hida from birds and small animals. Sa Nature has given it this very strange farm sa that it can hide even when it is in plain sight. Yan see it stands with its fore legs stretcbed oat straight in front and its brown, jainted body looks so mnch like a part af the aak twig that yon can scarcely tell that it is not really a stick. It is commonly called the "walking stick" and surely you were lucky to find it.

The boys thought so, too, and you may be sure are still keeping their eyes open for more of tha strange mimicking insects.

—Ora A. Clement.

A MAIL BOX FROM A CRACKER BOX



TO HONOR A CONFEDERATE HERO

A drawing of tha projected mannmeat ta Richard "Dick" Kirkland, Canfederate soldier wha, in the faca af Union fire, leaped aver Confederate breastwarks to aid waunded Union soldiers, follawing a desperate charge on the battiefield af Fredericksbnrg, Va., during tha Civil war. Tha manument, ta be erected by the American Legian, will be one of many in tbe new Fredericksburg National Battlefield park.

For the Shamrock Party

By NELLIE MAXWELL

THE cakes, candies and saiads as well as sandwiches may ba carried aut in the calar scheme and shapa af tha shamrack. If it is n bridge party tha prizes shauld be appropriata to tbe accasian. A dall dressed in a tall bat with green silk suit wonld find favar as a head prize. A candy potata wonld ba mast appropriate far a law prize.

A fancy dress ball in simple farm conld be most simply carried aut by using the green colar in varians ways. Fastea cntonts of green shamrack and sew them an the gowns. Soma ingenians bastess will make tba accassian merry with ariginal ideas.

Cnt aut pieces of pastebaard in tha shape of shamrocks, cover witb green paper and usa as candia bolders or candle shades. Decarate tba white clath with the tissue paper shamrocks.

Roast of lamb with mint sauce, green peas and garnisbed with parsley may ba served either hot or sliced cold. Bnttered peas served in sbamrock shaped caaas. Spinacb soup, canapes of taasted bread with minced green pepper, anian and green butter, all add to the appearance of tbe dianer.

Bake ordinary white cake in a sheet. Wben cald cut it with tbe sbamrock cutter inta cakes and cover witb a green tinted frostiag. Sprinkle with pistachia nuts.

Ona may hava green ices, green frozen disbes molded in varians forms wbich add ta any menu.

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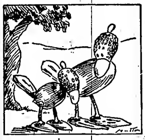
The Red-Breasted Popple

By Hugh Hutton.

HERE we aee a poppa popple ant for a walk with a juvenile popple. He is a very fond parent, bringing tha youngster everything ta play witb, fram bedgebags to hagsheads, aad they will ramp tagetber far bours at a atretch. Tbey eat horse-reddishea, whicb accounts for the reddish color of their shirtfronts. Popples are said



to live in suhway tuhea, bat we douht it.

The old bird has a pecan hody, wbila the yauag oae's is a filbert. Both bave peanut beads, split peanut bills, clove legs, and split almond talla. The hoofs af tbe older oae are split almonds, but the youngster'a are split peanuts. Topknots are popcorn, aad tbe tender conntenances are put aa with pen and ink.

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If Kidneys Act Bad Take Salts

Says Backache Often Means You Have Nat Been Drinking Enough Water

When yon wake np with backache and dull misery in tha kidney region it may mean yau hava been eating foods which creata acids, says a well-knawn antharity. An excess af such acids overwarks tha kidneys in their effart to filter it from tha hlood and they become sort of paralyzed and loggy. When your kidneya get aluggisb and clog yon must relieva them, lika yan relieve yaur bowels, removing all the body's nrinaaa waste, elsa yon have backacbe, sick headache, dizzy spells; yaur stomach sours, tongue is coated and when the weather is bad you have rhenmatic twinges. The nrine is cloudy, full of sediment, chaanels often get sare, water scalds and yon are obliged to seek relief twa or three times durlag tbe nigbt.

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Confidence is a plaat of slaw growth in aa aged bosom; youth is the aeasoa of credulity.—Pitt.

LENDING AND FRIENDS

By Douglas Malloch.

AT FIRST you huy, and thea yoa lend,
And then yon want, and then yon send,
And thea you wait, and thea yon go,
And then you get it hack, I kaow—
But where's tbe cover? Where'a the spout?
And where'a the handle that's come out?
And where'a that strainer? What's the atrings?
And where and what's a lot of thiags.

I used to say, "Why, certainly,"
When people came to ask of me,
When all the while some inaer strife
Just longed to yell, "Not oa your life!"
Bat I said yes. Away they went
With things tbey wanted, that I lent,
And, ouce my friends, became my foes,
For that's the way that lending goes.

To lose my friends my heart was loth,
So lent them things, and last them both.
Bnt now aa blithely I refuse
That neither frieads nor things I lose.
For those to wham yon lend today
For months and montha will stay away,
Bnt he who never, never lends
Keeps both his teapots and his frieads.

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Changing a Bachelor's Views

By JEAN NEWTON

THE young man was a confirmed hachelor, he aaid; not only he, hnt his whole gronp of friends, all of whom could afford to marry, were prepared to resist ta tha bitter ead!

The young man was a nice persaa, nat at all, tbe wamaa felt, the type whose ohjection to marriage wonld be on the graund of keeping "liberty" for the sake of license outside of those bonds. Na, be implied a negative reason—something about marriage tbat he did NOT want. And he spake for his frieads, too, whicb saggested not a personal problem, but perbaps the aaswer ta the general qnestiaa, why aren't men marrying? Sa the woman asked him why he objected to marrying. And this is wbat he aaid:

"Because I am afraid. From what I see, marriage is no loager safe."

"The looseniag af conventions, the nndoing of home life, the desecration of ideals which withia the past few years bas come over ns like a plague—perhaps from tbe plague spats of Earape, wbare hnsbands bave mistresses and wives bave lovers—these are the reasons whicb turn me against marriage. Why yon have only to abserve at any af these resort botels (they were vacationing in the Santh), wives away from tbeir busbands, to realize that the loaseaess which was formerly the prerogative, perhaps, af second-rate men bas naw became commonplaca with men and women to an appalling degree. Yon see girls of apparently the finest fiher, after ten years of marriaga completely changed. Nathing is any langer fina and exalted, nathing sacred. That is wby I sball nat marry."

Then the woman, wba was rich in yeara and had seen many trends came and go, asked if he had a sister—if she were a disappointment ta ber husband. Indeed, not, his sister was an attractive waman and a faithful wife.

The waman asked the young man about himself. Did he fear that be himself canld nat live np ta the demands of the marriage bond? Na!

In that case, aaid the woman, why assume that your own breed is extiact? Wby not bave more faith—and soma caafidence in the veracity af yanr own choice af a woman of that breed?

And sbe tald him the parable af the man who walked with his eyes an a mnddy raad and saw anly mnd, while another man walked the same road witb bis eyes an tha beavens and found tbe stars.

Here's boping that the woman coaverted ona hachelor to hitching his wagon to a atar!

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"A parasite," says Cammuting Camille, "is a car-rider who depends on others to hold him up in tha lurches."

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Why It Is Hard to Recall Names

By M. K. THOMSON, Ph. D.

DID yoa ever have the distressing experieace of trying in vain to recall a name that is as familiar to you aa yonr own?

There are several explanatians for tbis rather common experience. According to the Frendian view yon cannot recall the name because yon do not really wish to recall. Freud speaks of a censor who guarda tha contents of the nnconscioas from the canscious and will not allow certain names witb intease fears af unpleasaat emotions coming to the snrface. He cites the case of a woman who could not remember tbe name of the man wha married her chnm hecause she never liked him. Hence, she always called her friend by the maiden name. Consciously she tried bard to remember the new name bnt ber subconscious always interferred.

Another explanatian for failure to recall a familiar nama is called mental blocking, that is, two or more wards have aomehow hecome associated with that particular nama and are all trying to come to tha focua of consciousness at the same time. The result is that naae of them sncceed. Or, it may ba tbat some other name cames and staya at the facaa of consciousness. In such a case the hest thing to do is to speak that word and get it oat af tbe way aad give the real ward a better chance. Or, hetter atill, drop the snbject for a while, and before yau realize it the name paps inta yanr bead all of a sudden. Accordiag ta the view of mental hlocking, what happens is that the contest is over, and in tha absence of campetitian with ather worda, the proper word bas a clear track ta the focns af consciausness and gets there with a rush.

Impraper assaciatian either never makes the name yonrs in the first place, ar later interferes with the recall process by mnddling it all up and causing a mental blocking.

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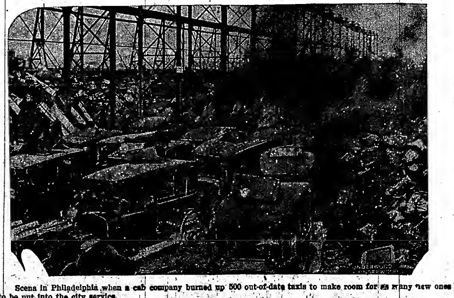
Getting Rid of Wornout Taxis in Philadelphia



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She began, right straight forward and sensible: "I knew that was in the letter, and I longed to destroy it, on that account, but I was afraid. I knew that its disappearance would throw all sorts of suspicions on me. But this morning, when I saw the thing, right there on her desk, the temptation was too great. I never thought of her having made a copy of it. This afternoon, when I heard her at the typewriter—I knew. I've been in torment ever since. I have prayed and prayed that she might fail to work out the code. When I came downstairs, just now, I knew that she had not failed. I thought she would tell you about it; so I followed. I thought, perhaps, if I'd tell you both the truth, and plead with you to believe me— But now I am ashamed to offer it.

"You won't believe me. John won't believe me— But, it was only a doll: one of those funny, long-legged, floppy things, with an adorable face. I saw him in Paris, and loved him, and bought him for mine. I called him Christopher Clover, and said that he was my husband—because I had always said that I would never marry. Lewis—he was so horrid about everything—used to tease me about my lover, until I got so tired of it, and so ashamed, that I put him away on a closet shelf.

"After we were all packed, and the trunks were locked, that last day, I found him there on the shelf. Gaby wanted me to carry him on my arm—that was done quite a bit over there. She thought it was chic; but I thought it looked silly. I was going to leave him in the apartment; but Lewis asked me to let him have him. I did. That is all. But—will you let me see the copy of the letter? Gaby read it to me only once."

I gave it to her.

"See," she said, eagerly, "he calls me righteous. See how he speaks of the doll and his—Lili. He wouldn't have spoken like that about a man, nor said that he was behaving himself. See, too, he calls me a nun. If you'll be fair—it seems to me you can easily believe me."

"Honey child," I said, and spoke the truth. "I do believe you. I believe every word you've told us."

"And you?" she appealed to Miss MacDonald.

"Your explanation is reasonable. You have told the truth about everything else in the letter. Certainly, I shall give you the benefit of the doubt."

"You won't tell John," Danny pleaded.

"Of course not. Nor anyone else, just now. Shall we go back to the house?"

Danny and I sat still.

"I'll run along, then," she said, and went away without us.

"Danny," I began at once, "you take my advice. You get to John as quickly as you can and tell him the truth about this."

"Have you noticed," she questioned, slowly, "that John has been different—very different, ever since—"

"We've all been different, dear," I told her.

"Yes, I know. But—John has been more different. Mary, tell me, am I

"Men Don't Wear Well in Times of Trouble."

silly? Have you noticed that John seems to be very much interested in this Miss MacDonald?"

"Danny," I said, "it is just this. Men don't wear well in times of trouble. They can't help it. It is the way they are made. So we women put up with it. We have to, if we put up with men at all. Everything is going to come out all right. But I want you to tell John, yourself, about your doll and not wait for some one else to do it."

"I'll try to," she agreed. "But we are so rarely alone together any more."

CHAPTER XV

Another Murder

Canneziano did not come down for breakfast the following morning. I thought that a little strange, for meals were the one thing he had been real polite to ever since he had been on the Desert Moon.

As soon as breakfast was over, Miss MacDonald spoke to Sam and asked him, as she had asked him that first morning, if she might detain him. "You, also, Mrs. Magin," she smiled at me.

"I wonder," she said, as soon as we three were alone together, "if Mr. Canneziano could have given us the slip, last night? Will you go and see whether or not he is in his room, now, Mr. Stanley?"

Sam went. When he came back he had to draw a lot more than usual to keep his voice steady. "His door is locked. He doesn't answer when I pound on it."

Miss MacDonald said, "I have an excellent pass key. Let's go up and try it."

Curiosity dragged me along with her and Sam, though every bone in my body protested.

Miss MacDonald's key unlocked the door. The three of us went into the room.

The blinds were tightly drawn. The electric fan was whirring and buzzing away in the gray gloom.

Miss MacDonald crossed the room, quickly, and snapped up the blinds. Sam walked to the bed where Canneziano was lying huddled up under the covers. I looked the other way.

I heard the rattle of Sam's pipe as it fell on the floor. I heard the rustle of Miss MacDonald's quick movement. I heard a queer, throaty note that she uttered. Something dragged my hot, aching eyes open. I looked toward the bed. I saw Canneziano's swollen, discolored face. I saw the deep yellow throat, with great brutal bruises at its base.

I felt Sam's strong hands on my shoulders, pressing me down into a chair. I heard myself saying, shrilly, over and over, "What are we going to do? What are we going to do?"

It was Miss MacDonald's voice, cold and clear as spring water that brought me to my senses. "We are going to find the murderer on the Desert Moon ranch."

Sam said, "You're d—n right we are. And we are going to have half a dozen he-men detectives on this place by tomorrow night."

"Very well," Miss MacDonald answered. "Will you telephone, at once, for the coroner, Mr. Stanley?"

"H—l!" Sam said.

I had my face covered; but there was a hollowness in that oath of Sam's that told me, plainer than any looking at him could have told me, that he was frightened; scared to the marrow of his bones.

It took Miss MacDonald, though, to understand the reason for his fear.

"Yes, Mr. Stanley," she said, "these men, when they come this time, in spite of their friendship for you, are not going to be as easily satisfied as they were last time. They were able to blink at one murder. They can't keep on blinking. They dare not—even in Nevada."

"Who wants them to blink?" Sam bluffed.

"You do. We all do, for the present."

Sam did not answer that. He stood, and looked stupid.

"Won't you listen to reason," she urged, "before you go downstairs to telegraph for other detectives? If, when the coroner and the others arrive today, you confess that no progress has been made, they will undoubtedly step in and take matters into their own bungling hands. I think that they would make an arrest. That would be fatal, now. For I am positive that they would arrest an innocent person, and that the guilty person would then have an excellent opportunity for escape.

"I have a certain reputation, Mr. Stanley, and these men—particularly the sheriff—respect it. If you will keep me on this case, I will tell them that I am making definite progress. That I believe I shall be able to turn the criminal over to the state within a comparatively short time—"

"Would that be the truth?" Sam demanded.

She hesitated. "If you mean, is that what I believe now—my answer is yes. I may be wrong. I have, at least, a very definite suspicion. I have no proofs."

"You wouldn't," Sam questioned, "give these men that assurance if you knew that I was going to get some men detectives up here to work with you?"

"I couldn't," she said. "I can speak only for myself. Please give me my chance. Do you realize what it means to be tried for a murder, even if one is acquitted? I am not asking this for myself. I wouldn't stoop to beg for anything for myself as I am begging for this, now. I am sure you mean to be a fair man. Be fair to me, and to all of the innocent people here on your ranch. I don't say that other detectives might not be able to discover the murderer. I do say that I am certain they would do irreparable harm before they succeeded."

"If you stayed," Sam had the cheek to question, "and worked along with them—that was my idea—couldn't you prevent their doing any harm?"

"I could try to. I will try to, if you insist. But I am doubtful of my success. Consciously, or unconsciously they work against me, because I am a woman. You don't know them as I do. You don't know their methods, as I do. If you feel that you must have others here, working on the case, allow me to send, at my own expense, for my own assistants; the girls whom I have trained—"

"We don't need any more girls around here," Sam said. "It is pretty certain that we do need some one to protect the lives of all of us on this place—"

"When you telephone for the coroner," she said, "won't you telephone for a locksmith to come out with him, and bring strong bolts for all the doors—"

"You admit, then, that we are all in danger?"

"Nothing of the sort. You are all perfectly safe—at present. I do believe that before long, my own life may be in danger. I want no one to think that I suspect that. I need the protection of the bolts. It must seem that I think that every one needs the protection."

"You believe," Sam questioned, "that your own life is in danger. And yet—"

"Please reconsider, Mr. Stanley. Please allow me to have the case alone, at any rate for a little while longer."

"You honestly think," he questioned, "that you can manage this single handed, and keep us all safe, and produce this murderer—pretty shortly?"

"I do, Mr. Stanley. Mary, can't you say something. Won't you help me to persuade Mr. Stanley?"

"You don't need any help," I told her. "He's persuaded."

"Is that true, Mr. Stanley? May I have the case alone, for a little while longer?" She was all breathless with eagerness.

"Durst it all, yes," Sam said. "I'm d—d if I know what I ought to do. But you are dead game. I— Well, shake on it, Miss MacDonald. You'll do the best you can for us, I know."

The hand she held out to him was trembling, and her voice as she thanked him trembled. But still I was amazed when, right after Sam had gone out of the room, she said to me, "Mary, I believe on my soul that I have just had an experience that is too strong for me," and hid her face in the crook of her arm and began to cry.

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In the week that followed I had times of thinking that Sam had likely made a mistake in keeping Miss MacDonald on, alone.

I couldn't begin to describe the horror of that week. It is, I suppose, what books call a paradox to say that the worst thing about the week was that nothing, just nothing, happened. To all outward appearances the Desert Moon ranch was as peaceful as an empty grave: hollow peace, false peace, and all of us conniving at the falsity made it worse.

Sam locked up the house early every evening. Then, trying to make it casual, one and another of us would go sauntering around to make sure that he hadn't overlooked a door, or a window. People were constantly jumping, and starting, and looking behind them at nothing. None of us women ever went far from the house, except Mrs. Ricker, who went every day to visit Martha's grave. She went alone. I would not have gone with her, not for any price. I was afraid of her. I was afraid of Hubert Hand. By Wednesday of that week I was afraid of every one in the house except Miss MacDonald and Sam. Friday found me doubtful of Sam. None of our minds went straight, those days. I am sure that the mind of each one of us on the place—always excepting Miss MacDonald's—did as mine did. It went groping in the dark; it bumped into obstacles of doubt; it tripped over fear and fell into senseless stupidities; it lost its way, and wandered into wild suspicions. I tell you, there were times, during those frightful days, when I found myself seriously considering whether or not I had committed the two murders.

At that moment I was certain that every one on the place was more or less insane, especially Miss MacDonald. I think yet that I was right about the others. I know, now, that I was wrong about Miss MacDonald; but she had certainly given me plenty of reasons for thinking either that she had lost her senses entirely, or else that she had never had any to lose.

All week I could see Sam watching her and growing more and more impatient. On Thursday he said to me that she was too busy flirting with John to have time for anything else. That was not fair. She didn't flirt with John—she wasn't the sort who would flirt with anyone. But she surely did begin to notice him, and his attentions to her.

I tried to make excuses for John. Poor little Danny wasn't, I had to admit, much like the girl he had fallen in love with. She had lost practically all of her prettiness, and she looked, all the time, too white and wan and generally dragged out to seem quite wholesome.

She had explained to John about the reference to her and to her doll in the code letter. He had taken it all right, and had been, as she said to me, "sweet" about it, and never doubting her word at all. Still, I sort of thought that a grain of suspicion might still be bothering him. And I knew that he had not been quite able to forgive her, not for telling of her suspicions concerning Sam, but for suspecting Sam in the first place.

On Friday morning, when Sam came zigzagging into my kitchen, ordered Zinnia out of it, his voice all thick and husky, he fell down into a chair. "Mary," he said, "we've got the report from the 'Frisco chemists."

Miss MacDonald had thought it necessary to have Martha's body exhumed and sent to San Francisco. That is what the coroner and the undertaker had been about on their second trip to the ranch. Sam had not wanted Mrs. Ricker to know. That had suited Miss MacDonald better, too; so they had had the men do the work while we were all at dinner that day. They had been careful to fix the grave so that it would not show that it had been disturbed; and then, being men, they had left their shovels right there in the cabin for the first person to find. As you know, the first person had been Mrs. Ricker.

We had been waiting ever since for the chemists' report. Sam's first words were reassuring.

"It is too good to be true," he said, and repeated, dazedly, "too good to be true. Miss MacDonald had her assistants trace the prescription from Doctor Roe. The powders were harmless. I didn't cause my girl's death. The report proves—Miss MacDonald says— The report proves—"

"Take it easy, Sam. What does the report prove?"

"Somebody gave her a deadly poison. The chemists found two traces. One they can't analyze. That's why they've kept us waiting so long for the report. They are still working on it, hoping for results. The other was nitrobenzene. Miss MacDonald says that, in small doses, induces coma and takes as long as twenty-four hours to act. But it is apt not to be deadly by itself. It was combined with this other drug—the one that must have made death certain."

Miss MacDonald came hurrying into the kitchen. She was holding the monkey charm bracelet in her hand.

"See here," she said, "this bangle thing opens. I think we can be certain that the poison she took, or was given, came out of it. There is a trace of the odor. Smell it."

She handed it to me. It smelled a little like shoe polish, with sort of a faint almond flavoring, underneath. I gave it to Sam, who had been reaching out his hand for it. He smelled it, and then knotted it up in his fist.

Remembering, I can't think of anything that he said which would do to quote. The gist of it was, that if Gaby had given Martha the poison, he was not sorry that Gaby had been killed, because justice had been done. Not satisfied with that, he expressed, violently, his regrets that vengeance had been taken out of his hands.

"It isn't vengeance you want, Mr. Stanley," Miss MacDonald reminded him, pretty sternly, "but justice. That is within our reach. I am practically certain that the person who poisoned Martha, who strangled Miss Canneziano and her father, is right here on this place. My work from now on is to get the proof. If you would help me, instead of—"

Sam interrupted, his whole body straining forward with his eagerness. "Tell us who he is, and where he is, and we'll help you, right enough."

"I can't tell you. Not unless you want to have still another murder on the Desert Moon ranch. But you can help me. First, by keeping the discovery of the poison a secret. Second, by allowing every one else on the place to suppose that I am still in a state of entire bafflement concerning the crime. Third, and most important, perhaps, by having patience with me."

"Ye'a," Sam said, "and while we are sitting around, having patience, this bird will walk off to some green hill far away. I think the boys are doing their best to guard the place, but this bird's a slicker. What's to keep him from, say, dressing in my clothes some night, and riding merrily away on Bobbie Burns or Wishbone? All

Mrs. Ricker Went Every Day to Visit Martha's Grave.

he'd have to do is to give the boys a high-sign and they'd let him ride to h—l, if they thought he was me. Another thing—I can't trust all my punchers. Some of them are greasers, some half-breeds. Money, and not much of it, talks pretty loud to some of those boys."

"At present, the person I suspect has no intention of leaving the place."

"When you don't know anything else, how can you know that?"

"I didn't say that I didn't know anything else."

"Do you know, and will you tell me, why you can't put this fellow where the dogs won't bite him, while you are collecting the proof, evidence, and so on that you think you need?"

"For one reason, because I am not a police detective. Sometimes it is necessary to use their methods of arresting each suspect and getting the evidence afterward—third degrees, so on. That method, by the way, accounts for the number of criminals who are able to make complete escapes. It is a stupid, bungling method—and a brutal one. I detest it. I have used it only twice in the seven years that I have been in this work. I used it then because it was necessary. I will not use it now, because it is not necessary. This case will come to the grand jury complete, with indisputable proofs. If I had known—suspected I mean, before Mr. Canneziano was killed, what I now suspect—" She stopped short, evidently afraid of saying too much.

"Ye'a," Sam argued, "but what I can't get, is how you think you are ever going to find the proof."

"Well—" she began. "Because," she finished, quite tartly, and walked out of the room.

"'Because,'" Sam mimicked, almost before she was out of hearing distance. "It was a black day for me, and for the Desert Moon, when I put this thing up to a "because" woman."

I more than half agreed with him, but I was not going to let him know it. "Did you notice," I questioned, chiefly to turn his mind from the subject of "because" women, "that she kept saying that she thought the person she suspected was on the place? I mean—she didn't say that he was living in the house."

"House! H—l! Of course she didn't say house. Why should she say house? Haven't we been over and over it? Aren't we fair frazzled out, every last one of us, from climbing up those front and back stairs, with our minds, all day long and half the night? Counting minutes, counting seconds; going to the barn and back, over and over. Nobody who lives in this house could have done it. That is settled. That is fact. Not unless some one of us was able to be in two places at the same time between four and five o'clock that day."

Something clicked in my mind. I declare to goodness, I felt the click, plain as a twinge of toothache. It scared me. I put both my hands over the place in the front of my head. I felt as dazed, and as shaken, as if I had been sleep-walking, and had bumped into a door, in the dark, and wakened to find myself in a strange, brightly lighted room.

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Old Customs Dear to Hearts of Britishers

The archbishop who lives at Lambeth palace is a very kind archbishop, the poor of the district will tell you. Every Thursday at the main gateway 30 half-crowns are distributed to 30 poor people of the parish. The custom is a very old one. Years ago it took another form. On Sundays, Tuesdays and Thursdays 15 quartern loaves of bread, 9 stone of beef (made into broth and served in pitchers) and 5 shillings' worth of halfpennies were the gifts. One is reminded of this and other quaint customs, surviving or revived, by the fact that the lord mayor of London revived the Boy Players a few weeks ago. They gave a performance at Salters' hall, the first since 1608, when they were the favorite players of Queen Elizabeth. The Salters' company is named after John Salter, who died in 1605. Formerly a service to his memory, held each year, took the form of a procession to his tomb, upon which each person knocked with a stick, and called three times in a loud voice: "How do you do, Brother Salter? I hope you are well."—London Mail.

Father of Basket Ball

The game basket ball was invented and developed by Dr. James Naismith, for many years athletic director of the University of Kansas. In 1891, when he was an assistant athletic director at Springfield, Mass., it was suggested to Doctor Naismith that there should be a game suitable for the indoor development of athletes who had played football all fall. Basket ball was the result and by 1893 there was a book of rules and competition was being developed.

World's Largest Tree

The following are the dimensions of the Boole tree, which is said to be the largest tree in the world: Diameter at the ground slanting, 35 feet; diameter at right angles to the tree and level with the upper side, 31 feet; diameter above knots, swells or bulges at 16 feet high, 25 feet; diameter at first limb, 156 feet (at 14 feet); height, 261½ feet. M. A. Beckwith, who prepared a set of tables on all the famous "largest in the world" trees, figures from the diameter of the Boole tree, where it is broken off at the top, that it once rose probably 320 feet high.

Spoken Like a Man

Some women are capable of believing the things they want to when they know they don't believe them.—Chicago News.

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Might Be Worse

"I lead a dog's life," complained the married man.

"That's not as bad as the rabbit's life I lead," said the crook.

"Huh! What kind of a life is that?" asked the married man.

"Always being hunted," he sighed.

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There're Many Like Him

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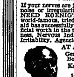

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To Death Barefoot
A Dwarf Can Kill
Must Sea Gulls Die?
Safer Flying

Los Angeles, Calif.—In Orleans, Augustine Agogue, twenty-seven years old, who killed her mother to get the mother's farm, was sentenced to death. In accordance with the Napoleonic code, seeking to humiliate and punish more severely those that murder their parents, Augustine will walk barefoot to the guillotine.

Interesting historical contrast, between her death and that of Joan of Arc, the maid of Orleans. One walks to the guillotine barefoot for murdering her mother. The other walked barefoot to the stake, burned alive for saving her country.

In New York a dwarf only four feet high, Peter Aruta, is sentenced to death for murder.

The modern "automatic" pistol makes it easy for Peter to kill. In ancient days when men fought with clubs, maces and swords, he would only have been a jester, too small to murder.

Similarly a small nation, as small as Hungary, or Holland, or Switzerland, in these days of flying machines and poison gas might be the most efficient international killer in the murder game of war.

Conditions change. A five pound baby taken up in an airplane might release a poison gas bomb that would kill 500,000 in a big city.

R. G. Fernald, member of California's game commission and owner of the Santa Barbara Morning Press, says sea gulls are the worst enemies of wild ducks and other wild life.

Congress, says he, should authorize and finance extermination of the millions of sea gulls in Alaska. A small bounty and the Esquimaux would kill them off quickly.

Sea gulls destroy the eggs and young of wild ducks in their northern breeding grounds, millions of them. They dive and devour the eggs of the salmon. Adult fish near the spawning grounds are seen floundering aimlessly in shallow water. Easily caught, they are found to be blind, both eyes picked out by gulls not strong enough to lift the heavy salmon.

Congress should do something about that, with two "IFS"—if the gulls can be spared from their work as scavengers for the sake of ducks and salmon; and if it makes much difference whether gulls have the fun of eating the ducks as babies or men have the fun of shooting them as full-grown ducks.

Mr. Young, assistant secretary of the Department of Commerce, announces that passenger airships must carry two-way radio facilities to receive weather information and send emergency messages.

Presently more powerful engines, bigger ships, better understanding of air navigation, will eliminate the importance of weather conditions.

Meanwhile the government, not youthful, enthusiastic pilots, should decide on flying or not flying.

Mr. B. C. Forbes, asking himself "What is this all about, this terrific strenuosity and strain?" as he talked to George F. Baker, richest banker in the world, says of a certain multimillionaire, not Mr. Baker, that he would "trade all his riches for youth."

The multi-millionaire thinks he would do it, but wouldn't.

A man like Edison might desire renewed youth, to live another life of useful invention. But a man who has only made money would be foolish to live his life again.

An intelligent man, after working hard through a lifetime, would not go back to the gate by which we enter, but rather look to the door at the far end of life, as a trained dog in the show yearns for the moment when he may get down on all fours and trot off the stage.

Old men cling to money that protects them from the rough world. It is the one reality extracted from life's unreal dream.

He who thinks he understands the character and emotions of women deceives himself.

Mrs. Della ("Dot") Lee, manicure lady who lived here, sent $50 to her sister, writing: "I think something is going to happen. If it does and Howard gets me, bury me in white with yellow roses in my hand. This money will pay for the dress."

Her womanly intuition did not deceive her. Something did happen. Howard, twenty-eight-year-old mechanical engineer, called. She shot him dead as he slept, killed herself and is presumably wearing the white dress, holding the yellow roses.

A lady killing a gentleman, or vice versa, is part of civilization's routine.

But why did the lady specify a white dress and yellow roses? No man planning suicide would demand blue serge and purple orchids.

There is something in woman's character more puzzling than a dozen Einstein theories.

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"TRUSTS" SEEN IN NEW LIGHT

By W. W. ATTERBURY, President Pennsylvania Railroad.

THE great combinations of industrial enterprises, once feared and antagonized under the name of trusts, are now recognized as among our greatest national assets and absolutely necessary to maintenance of our place in the world's trade. Many of our colleges and schools have in years not so far distant been the breeding grounds of a good deal of subversive and radical thought. Ideas were encouraged, and even directly taught, that were entirely out of harmony with human society as it has come to be organized, and that if allowed to go far enough would surely destroy that society. Would they set up something better in its place?

Radicalism in scholastic circles, I think, may be traced to two main sources. One is recourse to theory without contact with the practical affairs of real life. The other is the reflex of the unsound political movements of the last generation or two.

Such political movements, for the most part, have been aimed to prevent the accumulation of wealth in individual or corporate hands, in the mistaken idea that wealth is a dangerous or evil thing.

We know better now. We know that wealth is the most potent material power for good that exists in the world, and that, other things being equal, the bigger and stronger any useful and capably managed business enterprise becomes, the better and more beneficial it is to the welfare of the country as a whole.

The voice of the people has acclaimed the honesty of purpose of big business as now conducted, and the government, ever sensitive to popular opinion, is in all departments giving greater help and less hindrance to business than ever before in our national history.

PENAL SYSTEMS NEED REFORM

By CHARLES H. TUTTLE, United States Attorney, New York.

Thoroughgoing reform of both state and federal penal systems has been shown by the recent prison riots to be a foremost and most urgent public problem. The lines of reform in our own state are not difficult to see. One prison should be set aside as a reception prison, where preliminary physical, mental and moral examinations should be made, in order to determine classification, segregation and the ultimate place of confinement.

In each prison there should be a psychiatric board; a system of vocational training under the state department of education; modern standard shops; the financial equalization of all prisoners by a system of restricted pay for work done, in substitution for money received from outside; adequate observance of the laws of hygiene; and credit in time off for good behavior and industrial accomplishment. The state also could beneficially employ such of its prisoners as required outdoor life in the reforestation of nontillable lands or in the operation of prison farms.

Among reforms needed in the federal system of penalogy are the construction of a penitentiary in the northeastern part of the United States, from which section comes the greatest number of prisoners now in Atlanta; the appointment of parole officers to supervise the large number of federal prisoners out on parole and a parole board working on scientific lines.

IMPOSSIBLE TO OBEY ALL LAWS

By DR. NICHOLAS MURRAY BUTLER, President Columbia University.

If law enforcement meant the enforcement of all law, then the social order, at least in the United States, would quickly be afflicted with paralysis, partly because of their open conflicts with each other.

There is no ground whatever for the conventional statement that the violation of one law or disrespect for it leads to the disregard of all law. The contrary is the case. Lawlessness is selective, and unbroken human experience goes to prove that one man may hold a law in utter contempt and yet have high respect for the great body of the law of the land in which he lives.

The conduct of a gentleman and conduct in accordance with high moral standards are superior to law as methods of social control.

The failure of congress to enact reapportionment legislation for years might be mentioned as an instance of defiance of the Constitution by those in authority.

GODLESS CREED NO RELIGION

By RABBI SAMUEL SCHULMAN, New York.

Morality is not a religion. It records, it is true, human experience, but it only becomes the chief content of every "high religion." A humanism without a god defeats itself. It has no logical basis and is no religion at all. The masses of the people cannot live the high, ascetic, mature, cleansed, disinterested life without the spirit being brought home to them in terms of God in a manner which they can understand. And the saints who live that life are already in touch with God. The author should note that it is no accident that the greatest religions teachers attach their philosophies to lives of God. We therefore believe that Judaism, with its unimaged and unvisualized God, is a spiritual religion fit for the modern man.

A Jew can be a humanist as far as moral content is concerned, but no humanist who gives up God can remain a Jew in religion.

WORLD MOVEMENT FOR PEACE

By DR. FRED B. SMITH, World Peace Promoter.

We are in the midst of the greatest revolution which has ever occurred in the history of the world. At first it may seem as though this is rather an exaggerated statement but I believe that thorough consideration will bear it out. Some time ago, looking at the dictionary to get a definition of the word "revolution," I found this: "A revolution is some great change or alteration in a system," and, further on, it said: "It is not called a revolution unless it is successful."

Well, when I consider these two elements in the definition of a revolution, I am quite certain that my statement is accurate. The proposal is to change the age-long habit and method of all the races and all the nations of which there is any recorded history, in their method of adjusting either international, inter-racial or clan misunderstanding.

NO BUSINESS

Lady—Can I send a telegram to Ahomi?

Postal Clerk—Where is it, madam?

Lady—I don't know—it might be Asia or even Africa.

Clerk (after long search)—Ah, here it is—Abomey, in Africa.

Lady—Is it spelled with a 'y'?

Clerk—Yes.

Lady—Thank you very much—I wanted it for my cross-word puzzle.—Dorfbarbier (Berlin).

YOUNG TWINS

Furniture Salesman—Would you like to see something in twin beds, madam?

Customer—I think not. You see the twins aren't old enough to sleep alone yet!

An Eye-Opener

Her eyes were black as jet,
This charming girl I knew.
I kissed her, and her husband came,
Now mine are jet black, too.

Purpose of a Demonstration

"I didn't exactly understand all your remarks."

"It was not intended that you should," confided Senator Sorghum. "The purpose of those laborious observations was to impress my constituents with the idea that I am still on the job and doing my best."—Washington Star.

Married Wrong Man

"Ha! Ha!" laughed Mr. Gronch, "here's an account of a woman who says she didn't realize until after the wedding that she had married the wrong man!"

"Huh!" snapped his wife, "try and find a wife who doesn't feel the same way."

Complying With the Conditions

The Lawyer—Your aunt's will provided that her dog should die a natural death before you could succeed to its inheritance. I trust you can prove the animal's death was natural.

Mr. Nexkin—Sure can. I fed the mutt a few grains of strychnine and death naturally ensued.

BEST ABOUT COED

She—What do you like best about coeds?

He—My arms.

Dyspeptic

He who gobbles down his food
In gloominess and fright,
Is apt to have dyspepsia
Most any day or night.

About Even

"You're the fifteenth man who has told me that I was the first girl he ever kissed."

"That's all right. You're the sixteenth girl I've said that to."—Stray Stories.

Sentimental Hubby

She (mournfully)—Just think, Henry, I weigh 200 pounds.

He (tenderly)—And all that belongs to me. What have I done to be worthy of such a great blessing?

Temporary

An influential Frenchman was asked to get a young fellow a government job. After some effort he reported that the government had no jobs.

"But can't you get him something temporary?"

"I might get him in the cabinet."

Back Seat Driver

Mrs. Bloop—Does your car have a worm drive?

Mrs. Bleep—Yes, but I tell him where to go

Community Building

Small Towns Assuming Leadership in Industry

Not long ago the nation was stirred by the drift of population away from farms and rural areas into the great cities. Young men, attracted by the high wages paid by industry and what appeared to be the superior social life, deserted the soil for the city.

In the last quarter century rural America has made tremendous progress. Better schools, good roads, the automobile, telephone and radio have created a rural civilization greater than any in history.

Industrialists, attracted by such factors as lack of labor difficulties, low taxes and uncongested, pleasant living and working conditions, were barred from entry into the small town only because of lack of power.

Then rural electrification on a large scale was inaugurated. And now, according to authorities, the smaller towns are on the road to industrial leadership of America and the countryside is staged for the next scene of our industrial progress. The drift of population has turned. At present the only pronounced gain in industrial wage earners is taking place in the country.

It is safe to say that many towns which are almost unknown today will be the great industrial centers of the future. The industrial revolution of the Eighteenth century apparently doomed rural progress—now the electric revolution of the Twentieth century is reversing the process.—Terre Haute Tribune.

New Motor Highways Destroying Old Charm?

Many examples might be cited to show how we are almost daily destroying old values in the process of creating new ones with our motor roads. When shall we wake up? When shall we realize that highway engineering is much more than the mechanical construction of a road; it is also the placing of that road in such a way that it makes new values without destroying old ones? When are we going to realize that if we persist in our present policy of building motor arteries on the lines of our old roads through the hearts of villages and towns which have given to New England its unique charm, or if we fail to consider the landscape effect of our highways in places where nature is the supreme attraction, we are very rapidly going to destroy what is most characteristic in our state, and what gives it its greatest attraction to visitors? We are gaining the value of easier transportation at the sacrifice of other values quite as precious. Could anything in the long run be more wasteful?—Boston Transcript.

Evil of Poor Construction

There is a section of almost every town that gave promise of fine things five or ten years ago. The houses in it were all new then. The streets wandered pleasantly into the meadows from which they grew. Now it presents a specter of premature age and decay. The little homes sag dejectedly; their faces are gray with neglect.

You have seen this sudden flowering and withering of a new community. It must have happened at least once under your eyes. You must know the reason for the unhappy end. It was poor, inadequate construction, nothing else.

Ideal Spirit in Oath

The "Athenian Oath" which was used in ancient Greece is: "We will never bring disgrace to this our city by any act of cowardice or dishonesty. We will fight for the ideals and sacred things of the city. We will revere and obey the city's laws, and do our best to incite a like respect and reverence in others. We will strive unceasingly to quicken the public's sense of duty. We will transmit this city to those who come after us, greater, better and more beautiful than it was transmitted to us."

Garden Important

A combination of house and garden in appropriate treatment is meeting with successful appreciation in some parts of this country, and the owner now considers it a necessary part of the scheme with the landscape treatment adjacent to the house, and to have either the architect or a competent landscape architect deal with the landscape treatment of the grounds.

Infant Industries

Capt. Robert Dollar says that manufactories must grow up within a city and not be stolen from other communities. Get a little stock in your own well conducted "infant" industries and grow up with them.—Minneapolis Journal.

Value of Face Brick

Face brick is a popular medium used to modernize old homes. Very often an attractive, colorful home is salvaged out of the old house at a fraction of the cost that a new dwelling of similar appearance would entail.

Old-World Beauty

Do all Europeans have an innate sense of beauty? Else why do their humblest villages look like a picture?

FAMILY DOCTOR MADE MILLIONS OF FRIENDS

Fifteen years after his graduation, Dr. Caldwell became famous for a single prescription, which now, after forty years, is still making friends.

Today Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is the world's most popular laxative. Millions of people never think of using anything else when they're constipated, headachy, bilious, feverish or weak; when breath is bad, tongue coated, or they're suffering from nausea, gas, or lack of appetite or energy.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is made today according to the original formula, from herbs and other pure ingredients. It is pleasant-tasting; thorough in the most obstinate cases; gently effective for women and children. Above all, it represents a doctor's choice of what is safe for the bowels.

Finger-Nail Artist

New York art circles are attracted by an exhibition of paintings by a Chinese artist who paints with his finger tips instead of the brush, and draws with his finger nail.

Kwei Teng, the artist, has painted in this way for more than ten years, and achieves admirable effects in landscapes, both Chinese and western.

He declares that the extreme sensitiveness of the finger tips translates the artist's intentions more directly than any other known tool.

BEST MEDICINE SHE KNOWS OF

Says "Take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound"

Ft. Meyers, Fla.—"Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is the best medicine I ever heard of. Before my baby was born I was always weak and rundown. I had nervous spells until I couldn't do my housework. A lady told me about the Vegetable Compound and it strengthened me. Beside my own housework I am now working in a restaurant and I feel better than I have in three years. I hope my letter will be the means of leading some other woman to better health."—Mrs. BERTHA RIVERS, 2914 Polk St. Ft. Meyers, Florida.

Skidless Highways

Slightly more than 100 miles of skidless highways have been experimentally laid in the state of Oregon. The material consists of a mixture of asphalt and crushed rock or coarse gravel and is spread over an asphalt road and oiled shoulders, this incidentally widening the road for motor traffic. This composition is not regarded as easy on the tires, but it does offer more resistance and is practically proof against skidding.

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St. Hilaire Spectator

Bray News

Harry and Lillian Larson were callers at the Mrs. Annie Lindblom home Wednesday.

Mrs. Walter O. Olson, who has been suffering with an abscessed tooth, is on the road to recovery, and her friends rejoice as a result.

Halvor Hanson was a caller Monday at the John Scholin home.

A large number of people from this vicinity attended a party given at the Luttmer home Saturday evening last. A very enjoyable evening was spent after which a delicious lunch was served.

Mabel Lindblom, who had visited at the Carl Person home in St. Hilaire, returned home Saturday.

Fern Hawkinson, Helen Olson and Lulu Hegstrom, who attend high school in St. Hilaire, were home last week-end.

Hallstrom & Mosbeck did some hay bailing for Christ Person last week.

Chas. Lindquist visited Saturday evening at the home of his brother, G. A. Lindquist.

Little Marjorie Krohn is visiting at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Wood.

Theo. Anderson made a business trip to Thief River and returned, Friday.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$1.07
Duram Wheat	.94
Rye	.66
Barley	.42
Oats	.33
Flax	2.80
Eggs, cash	.28
Creamery butter	.40

Liberty Bell Defective

Independence Hall says that the answer to the question "What caused the Liberty bell to crack?" is purely a metallurgical one. As with many people, a disorder might be called hereditary, dating from birth, so the defects in the Liberty bell dated from the day of its casting. Metal castings are subject to strains due to natural shrinkage while cooling. The original crack was probably due to cooling strains.

Lightning and Swimming

The bureau of standards says that it does not consider it dangerous to go in swimming when it is lightning. This does not mean that one cannot be killed by lightning while in swimming. The chances, however, of one being killed by lightning while swimming are comparable to the chances one takes while walking in a field and in an everyday working life may be considered unimportant.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning service 11:00
Evening " 8:00

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Feb, 16
Services as follows:-
St. Pauli, 11:00 A. M. Nor.
St Hilaire, 2:30 P. M. Nor.
Sunday school at 10:00 A. M.

Dorcas Society meets at P. Simonson home Saturday afternoon at 2:00. Everybody welcome.

The Club will meet in the church Tuesday, Feb, 18th, at 8:00 P. M. All men of the village are invited. Good program.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services in Black River church next Sunday morning at 10:30.

All voting members of Black River, Tarna and Clara congregations will meet in the Swedish Lutheran church at St. Hilaire at 2:00 P. M., Friday, Feb, 21st., for the purpose of calling a minister to this charge.

Salvation Army Thief River for this week

Thursday 8 P. M. Holiness service
Saturday 8 P. M. Praise Meeting
Sunday
2. P. M. Company or Sunday school meeting.
6:30 P. M. Young People meeting
8 P. M. Salvation Meeting

In Memoriam

In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Erick, who passed away one year ago, Feb. 12, 1929

Peaceful be thy silent slumber
Peaceful in thy grave so low
Thou no more will join our number
Thou no more our sorrows know
Yet again we hope to meet thee
When the day of life has fled
And in Heaven with joy to greet thee
Where no farewell tears are shed.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Thyren and family.

Tip to Public Officials

I have found, in my progress through life, that acting for the public if we always do what is right, the approbation denied in the beginning will surely follow us in the end.—Thomas Jefferson.

Prolific Salt Mine

A salt mine in Goderich, Ont., has a long record of production. From a depth of more than 1,200 feet brine was pumped from a pool at the rate of 50 gallons a minute for 57 years.

Bird With Human Voice

Of all bird voices the song of the swallow is most like human speech—not American speech, but like the songs which the Lapps and certain other races of Europe and Asia sing.

Jack, His Dad and Vivian

By CORONA REMINGTON

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"YES, I'd love to do it, but father doesn't approve."

"Jack Stamford! Isn't it your $5,000 you want to put into this business, and aren't you of age, and haven't you enough sense to do a little thinking for yourself once in a while? Sometimes you make me so mad I could cry."

Vivian Shippe jumped up from the devenport where she had been sitting beside her fiance and hurriedly dabbed at her eyes as she started toward the door. In one stride he was beside her and had her in his arms.

"Oh, but you don't understand," he pleaded. "I'm all Dad has, and he's watched over me and cared for me and advised me ever since I was in kindergarten. It would kill him if I went against his wishes. I always consult him about everything."

"I see you do," she answered dryly.

"That hurts, Vivian," he said quietly.

"Well, even if you lost the money, I'd rather you'd plunge in and see what you can do for yourself. It looks like a good chance to me even if I don't know much about business."

Almost imperceptibly the man shook his head and sighed. "I don't know what to do; heaven knows I don't. Well, I promised Dad I'd be back by ten. He wants a game of chess tonight, and his old crony at the club's gone back on him."

Reluctantly they parted, and Vivian went up to her room more depressed and discouraged than she had been in weeks. What sort of man was Jack's father, anyhow, she wondered. She had not lived in Morristown long, and she had always dodged when Jack had suggested bringing his father around. Somehow she dreaded this man she had never met. He must be an overbearing, domineering sort of creature, she reflected.

What could be done to break Jack loose? As things were now he would never be a man. How she would love to tell the old man what she thought of him! As the idea flashed through her mind her lips straightened out into a grim little line of determination.

The next morning at breakfast her family noticed that she seemed to be preoccupied, and just a little excited.

"I'm going uptown," she told her mother, after breakfast.

"What for, dear?"

"Oh, it's a secret mission—some reform work," she answered lightly.

A moment later she was deftly backing the little green car out of the garage and planning her campaign. As she stopped in front of the tall office building her courage almost failed her.

"Mr. Stamford," she began, as she confronted a rather handsome middle-aged man in the president's office of the Lougace Iron works, "I'm Vivian Shippe, Jack's fiancee."

"Jack's what? Why, he never told me!" ejaculated Stamford, senior.

"I don't blame him," answered the girl, coolly, feeling her composure coming back, "and that's just what I've come here to talk to you about. You are simply ruining Jack. He hardly dares to breathe without your consent, and he has about as much initiative as a three-year-old. He's a molly-coddle, that's what he is, and it isn't his fault, either—it's yours, all yours. You think you're a devoted father, but he has no worse enemy in this whole world than you."

Stamford, red and spluttering, opened his mouth to speak, but Vivian silenced him with a look and went on:

"He wanted to start out in business for himself, but you discouraged him. What if he did lose a few thousand? I'd rather have a man penniless who had tried and who had a backbone of his own than one who was scared to venture anything. I'm going to marry him because I love him, but I'd almost do it if it was only to save him from you, his devoted father.

"That's all I have to say," she ended. "I don't care how much you hate me—that'll do you good, but think over what I've said, will you?"

With a nod she was gone. Once back in her car an outburst of pent-up emotion swept over her and her hands on the steering wheel trembled so that she could hardly drive. Reaching home, she rushed up the back stairs to her room and locked herself in. Two hours later the telephone rang.

"Say, dearest, got to see you right away. Coming now."

In a flash he had hung up and the girl had just time to dab some powder on her tear-stained face and straighten her tousled hair.

"Whoops! The best news. It's a corker. Dad's a trump—always told you he was—called me up and we just had an interview and he told me he'd reconsidered the matter about my going into business and thought it was a good plan. Just as if that wasn't knockout enough he calmly handed me a check for $10,000 so as to give me a good start."

"What a perfect dear he is!" exclaimed Vivian.

"Yes, but he acted awfully funny. I was a little worried for a while. After we got through he said, 'Son, if you have a best girl or anything of that sort, tell her that love is often blind, but not always incurably so.' I tried to get him to explain, but he just laughed and put out his hand."

"The dear," said Vivian softly. "I believe I'd like to meet him now. I just know I'm going to love him."

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in a certain mortgage, containg a power of sale, executed and delivered by Arminta Hooper and G. W. Hooper, her husband, of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, as mortgagors to the Crookston Building & Loan Association, a corporation, under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, and covering the following described property, situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lots One (1), Two (2), and Three (3) of Block One (1) of Ives' Addition to the Village of St. Hilaire, according to the recorded plat thereof, on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota.

Which mortgage is dated the 3rd day of March, 1922, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County of Pennington, Minnesota on the 29th day of March, 1922, at 8:00 o'clock A. M. and duly recorded in Book 70 of Mortgages, on Page 327; that no action or proceedings have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, and that the amount now due upon said mortgage is the sum of Seven Hunhred Sixty-eight and 46-100 Dollars ($768.46) against which the mortgagors are entitled to credit of Three Hundred ninety-one and 79-100 Dollars ($391.79), the current value of seven (7) shares of capitol stock of the mortgagee, subscribed for by said mortgagors and forming a part of said transaction, leaving the amount actually due and claimed to be due and owing upon said mortgage at the date of this notice, the sum of Three Hundred Seventy-six and 67-100 Dollers ($376.67), and the further sum of Six Hundred ninety-six and 29-100 Dollers ($696.29), taxes paid by said mortgagee, making a total of One Thousand seventy-two and 96-100 Dollars ($1,072.96), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon said mortgage.

NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale and the statute in such cases made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, by the sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 29th day of March, 1930, at 10:00 o'clock, in the forenoon of that day at the East front door of the Pennington County Court House in the city of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, to pay said debt, together with the said taxes and interest thereon, and the costs and disbursements of these proceedings, together with Fifty Dollars ($50.00) attorney's fees, stipulated in and by said mortgage.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1930.

Crookston Building & Loan Association
A Corporation,
Mortgagee

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Mortgagee
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
F13-M20

Ambition

One trouble with human life is that the boy who knows his onions too frequently is inclined to fool with orchids. —Lafayette Journal and Courier.

Truth About Riches

It is not the fact that a man has riches which keeps him from the kingdom of heaven, but the fact that riches have him.—Caird.

Some Evils Compared

Everything goes by comparison, and after a session with a conceited man a vain woman seems almost lovable. —Terre Haute Express.

Put It Up to Doctor

A wise man won't worry about his health, but bids his doctor bear that burden.—Miles F. Porter.

To Mend a Vase

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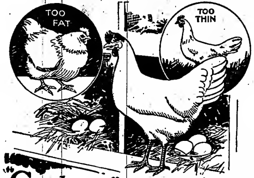
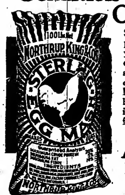


"Condition" Makes A Lot Of Difference



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Personal Property Taxes Due

Personal property taxes for the current year are now due and payable.

Payments must be made before March, 1st, to avoid payment of penalty,

John Gullingsrud, Co. Treas.
Pennington County, Minn.

DR. L. R. TWETE

Licensed Veterinarian

Thief River Falls, Minn.

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"Baby" Was a Spaniel

By LILLIACE M. MITCHELL

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"I SEE that the next-door neighbors moved in today, Mr. Bates murmured as he sank into the host chair at the dinner table.

"Yes!" his wife responded, a trace of bitterness in her voice.

"Surely you heve no hatchet to bury—this eerly?" he asked.

"Hatchet!" said his wife coldly. "Let me tell yon what that woman did—made me the laughing stock of the neighborhood. That's whet she did. I went ont on the back porch when their things were coming in and I was just ahont to tell her she could boil her kettle for luncheon over hsre if their gas wasn't turned on yet when she let ont a yell and asked me if I'd Seen Boby."

"H'm," muttered Mr. Bates. "Hope Baby rests well et night and doesn't try to compete with the Miller radio!"

"She's a sweet, helpless little thing," went on Mrs. Bates, "yon know, the cuddly type with blond hair and hine eyes and a soft little voice thet you can hardly hear. Well, she kept looking aronnd, so worried abont Baby that I seid I'd go downstairs to see if she was anywhere ahont. I asked how old she was and Mrs. Peterkin—thet's their nsme—said nearly three years old."

"Ah, then shs won't cry nights," Mr. Betes said with some satisfaction as he looked towards his salad plate with pleasure.

"So I went downstairs and left her wringing her hands helplessly while the movers tried to struggle past her with a highboy—"

"Say," interrupted Mr. Bates suddenly, "did you go over to see Pickles today, honey? They gave him some worm medicine last night and I kind of worried all day abont the pnp. I wish I conld persuade the egent to let us have him over here."

His wife glered at him and he subsided.

"And when I got downstairs there was no sign of Bahy anywhere ebont. I hurried to the Kenmore corner and looked and rushed hack to the Winthrop corner and looked. Mrs. Wellingford ceme along and I told her to keep e sharp lookont for e little three-year-old girl. She saw the corner, policeman and hurried along to tell him the child hed got lost in moving."

"I believe I'd have let the mother inform the police abont it," said Mr. Bates.

"So the policeman beat on the walk with his stick and two other officers came running along. 'Get down to the corner of Ridge there quick!' the first officer told them. 'The child's only three and she won't know about the crossing lights! Run!' And off they tore ae fast as they could. Well, I thought I'd run npstairs again to see if by any chance Baby could be hiding in the epartment anywhere. You know, sometimes a child will run into a clothes closet or climh into a cedar chest."

"I know it," sighed Mr. Bates, who remembered the child of his wife's sister.

"By the time I got npstairs again the new neighbor was all smiles. Baby, it seemed, hadn't been out of the flat at ell. I didn't stop to ask any questione abont it hut ehased down to tell Mrs. Wellingford and the officers. Why, the way they started off, you'd have supposed it had been a kidnaping et least! And they asked a lot of qnestions that I conldn't answer because I hadn't stopped for questions when I heard Baby was missing. Finally I got npstairs for the second time and stopped in to see where the child had been. And what do yon suppose, Harvey?"

"What?" he asked, trying to infuse just the proper amount of astonishment to suit her and yet leaving a little reserve to nse when ehe let fall her news.

"Baby wasn't a behy at all," said Mr. Bates triumphantly. "She told me Baby was under the etove right now and there under the gas range wae a basket with a hlack spaniel looking np at me hrightly. Bahy was a dog!"

"A dog?" echoed her hnsband hlankly. Then a smile broke over his features. "A dog? Well, if they had to make concessions like that to get a new tenent, I guess there'll he no kick if I get Pickels over here from the kennels, eh? Where's thet phone book, Mahel, eh? I'll phone them to hring Pickles right over!"

Foreign Language Study

In an address Dr. Henry Grattan Doyle of George Washington university made the following statement: "not only are foreign langnages the indispensable tools for international dealings of all kinds, hnt a knowledge of foreign langnages and literature is the gateway to the understanding of foreign cnlture, foreign civilizations and foreign psychologies. . . . Students ehould begin their study enrly and should continne at least fonr end preferably six years."

Poor Fido!

Margaret Anne, five yeers old, has a fondness for chicken, which was served at a recent evening meal. On rising the next morning, ehe asked:

"Any chicken left, Mother?"

Mother jokingly, seid, "No," and Margaret Anne eighed: "Oh dear! I wanted some for my dog!"

Says Public Schools Repress Snobbishness

New York.—The pnblic schools and the American business man's desire for standardization keep superior men from being the "snobs" they should be. Prof. Robert E. Rogers of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology declared in continuing his "be a snob" campaign in a debate here.

"College men are less snobbish than any other group of persone in America," Prof. Rogers said. "They are afraid to be snobbish, as they have all their inclinations toward snobbishness steam-rolled out of them by the stupid pnblic schools and the stupid standardization."

Changes Adopted Name to Former Jaw-Breaker

Los Angeles.—Rather than to be known as "What's-His-Name," persons with cognomens difficult to pronounce often have the courts change them to something easier on the tongue, ears and memory. Not so with George Curtin Stantson. He has had the Superior court cancel the name he adopted when naturalized in 1914 and restore his original one—Gjura Stojana. Stojana, who is an artist, inferred thet Americanos would regard the works of a Gjnra Stojana more highly than the prodncts of the hrush of a George Curtin Stantson.

The Worm in Revolt

The Worm (turning at last)—One of these days, Maria, I'll come and fling myself over this cliff, and the jury will take one look at you and bring in a verdict of "Suicide while temporarily sane."—The Humorist.

Sensitive People

Sensitiveness, as modern psychologists are now telling us, is a form of egotism, the mark of an introvert. It is a very prevalent form of egotism, which usually passes for something else.—The Churchman.

GANGSTERS DEFY CHICAGO POLICE

Eight Killed in Five Days as City's Administrative Officers Make Verbal Threats.

Chicago—Within twelve hours after police officials and the state's attorney had pledged "drastic action' to halt an epidemic of murders and bombing, which during five days brought eight gang murders, seven bombing, kidnapings and numerous robberies, the underworld roared another defiance to law and order. Tthe latest killing inclnde William Healey, 37, known as a beer hustler and racketeer, was lured to an alley and his body pumped full of bullets; Joseph Biccere, a grocer, shot to death in his south side apartment, supposedly by extortionists, and Philip Marchese, petty hoodlum and killer who was slain in a west side alley by two men who fled after emptying their guns in the head and back of their prey. The Biccere slaying was the third in one day, and added to the pnblic indignation which had brought forth an ultimatum from State's Atorney Swanson, demanding thet Commissioner of Police Russell employ "most drastic measures" to halt the bloodshed. Healey on his death hed hroke ganglands code and named two men as his assailants.

In the wreckage of a west side grocery store, destroyed by an apparently incendiary explosion, police found a hody later identified as that of Vitto Russo. State's Attorney John A. Swanson charges flatly that known hoodlums and gunmen are allowed to congregete nightly in downtown hotels to plot acts of violence and are not disturbed by police. He demanded that drastic steps he taken immediately to end the terrorism that has existed in Chicago for the last 10 years.

Chicago Council Approves Dictator.

Chicago—Chicago has accepted a virtual city financial dictatorship without one dissenting vote. The city council capitulated to the ultimatum of the Silas H. Strawn citizens rescne committee and pledged the city to cooperate with the committee. The cooperation means that the Strawn gronp, becked by more than $50,000,000, contributed by the Building Managers association, will advance money as it is neeedd for economic functioning of the city government. The city council also celled npon the school hoerd, the pnblic library directors and the municipal tuberculosis sanatorium boerd to edopt eimilar resolutions of co-operation. Cook county commissionere already had signified their willingness to submit their needs and pay rolls to the Strawn committee.

Farm Groups Worried Over Tariff.

Washington—Farm representatives from 15 states, meeting here to canvass the tariff situation, expressed grave concern over the progress of the tariff debetes. President Olson of the Minnesota Farm Bureau federation, and W. S. Moscrip are among them. The ferm gronps stressed the fact thet on oils and fats and sugar agriculture has not heen given a fair deal. On one third of the duties asked, the farm groups claim they have heen handed a goose egg and say that so long as the tariff fails to give agricultural perity, the farm groups, as represented here, and they inclnde the powerful dairy groups, will demand some other form of protection.

Naval Parley Still Tied Up.

London—The five delegations to the naval conference here, sitting as a committee of the whole, reached a complete deadlock in their debate on the issue of limitations of navies by total tonnage versus limitations by classes of ships. French and British compromises hroke down on what the committee decided was "an issne of principle," the French balking at naval ratios being fixed et this conference and the British and Americans taking the stand that no five-power limitation treaty can be negotiated until this is done. Confronted hy these divergent viewpoints, the committee referred the dispute to the big five and adjourned.

15 Injured as Gale Pounds Ship.

New York—Fifteen members and passengers of the United States liner George Washington were suffering from injuries following an Atlantic crossing in which the most violent seas in years were encountered as three days overdne, the liner slipped into her pier at Hoboken.

Religious Creeds Doom Prejudice.

St. Louis—Rabbis, Catholic priests, and Protsetant clergymen, sitting with three groups of seven laymen, each representing the Catholic, Jewish and Protestant churches, broke bread together here and planned a two-day religious conference to "iron out prejudices."

Orders Self Lashed for Drinking.

Bonners, Idaho—For drinking the white man's firewater, Charlis Isador, chief of the Kootenai Indians, in execution of a sentence imposed by himself, has received 35 lashes on his bare back.

Pilot Lost 27 Days, Alive.

Los Angeles—Unconfirmed reports were circulated here that Harry Graham, air mail pilot missing since Jan. 10, has been found alive in a desolate region between Las Vegas and Caliente, Nev.

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Chinese Exalted Trader

Until recent times, unlike all other nations, the trader in China had an esteemed place in social life, whereas the military art was held in contempt.

The Model

A good pattern of the average husband is the man who thinks to empty the ashtray just before it starts to run over.—Slater News.

In Praise of Discontent

Poor in abundance, famished at a feast, man's grief is but his grandeur in disguise, and discontent is immortality.—Young.

It's a Thrill

A girl can always tell when she's in love. And she generally does.—Everybody's Weekly.

And Sweet Disposition

When a man loses his spare tire he also loses his sense of humor.—Atchison Globe.

Powerful Tears

Speaking of water power, did yon ever notice how feminine tears, shed at the proper moment, invariably succeed in changing the course of events?—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Bird Alarm Clock

Liberians have given the name "living alarm clock" to the little pepper bird, which with the rising of the sun flutters to the housetops and fences and utters shrill cries.

The Poor Public

The public has no friends; every world movement is to rob it . . . when a new hero appears, remember his first thought is of your money.—Howe's Monthly.

Record Meteoric Shower

It is a generally accepted fact that the meteoric shower of November 13, 1833, was the most remarkable ever recorded.

Still on the Job

If the devil take a less hateful shape to ns than to our fathers, he is as busy with ns as with them.—Lowell.

Happiness in Action

The preference of a life of inactivity to one of action is an error, for happiness consists in action.—Aristotle.

Valuable Discovery

Camerarius is credited with the discovery of sexuality in plants in the last years of the Seventeenth century.

Sports and Pleasures

Englishmen are said to "take their pleasures sadly." Americans take their sports seriously.—San Bernardino Sun.

Bread Made With Honey

Chemical analysis of bread found in an ancient Egyptian tomb shows that the loaf was sweetened with honey.

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Boost Baby Beef Raising

In a few days, ten head of pure bred Black Angus yearling steers from the Schermerhorn Farms at Mahnomen, will be brot to this county to be placed with members of the 4H Clubs that are interested in raising baby beeves. J. W. Black, president of the Merchants State bank here, the First National at Thief River Falls, and the bank at Holt, is sponsering this move in behalf of his banks. It is planned to place five of these fine animals tributary to St. Hilaire, and same number near Thief River. As these animals are the best obtainable of their type, here will be a chance for boys and girls to try their hands at raising a baby beef that may give them a chance at the grand championship prize at the Junior Livestock Show next fall.

P. T. Workers To Meet

Classes in Parent-Teacher work are to be held in Thief River Falls, March 5th and 6th, sponsered by the National Congress of Parents and Teachers with Mrs. R. C. Roe, national field secretary, as leader.

Wednesday, March 5th, there will be a fifty-cent dinner and meeting at six o'clock at the Hotel Evelyn, and a meeting at Lincoln high school at 8:00. On Thursday the meeting will be held in the Commercial Club rooms at 2 o'clock. Everyone interested in the work is invited to attend. Reservations for the dinner may be made with Mrs. W. E. Dahlquist at Thief River.

Shower For Bride-to-be

As the date for their marriage, Miss Margaret Patterson, daughter of Mrs. Anna Patterson, 608 Thirty-eighth avenue N., and her fiance, W. D. Clinton, formerly of Kincardine, Ont., have chosen Wednesday, March 12. The ceremony will take place at the home of Mrs. Patterson at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Mrs. H. E. Erickson, 894 St. Clair street, St. Paul, was hostess to nine guests Saturday at her home at a handkerchief shower for Miss Patterson. Miss Mildred Carlson, 3853 Van Buren street NE., gave a kitchen shower for Miss Patterson Thursday evening at her at home. Mpls Journal.

Rev. and Mrs. C. Dahlberg are at Hallock this week and the pastor will conduct services there next Sunday.

Fifth Whist Meeting

Fifth meeting of the whist tournament was held Monday evening at the Imperial hall with eighty people from the village and vicinity participating. After trailing for the first four sessions, the Blues brot up their heavy artillery for this gathering, and true to predictions made earlier in the week, shot the Red opposition full of holes. The Blues took a comfortable lead at close of the first game, and finished the series with a still larger lead. As a result, the Blues enjoyed a free lunch at Bob's Coffee Shop at expense of the Reds while the latter had their lunch, and tried to figure out how it had all occured, at the Blue Parrot Inn. Next session will be held at the Imperial next Monday evening at which time the Blues will again endeavor to demonstrate how whist is played.

Annual County Statement

Annual financial statement of Pennington County is published in supplement form in this issue. The Statement makes an interesting study, and readers should preserve their copies.

The Delinquent Tax List will be published in an early issue.

Ernest Patenode was up Monday evening from Red Lake Falls to take in the whist tournament. He not only took in the meeting, but he took home the prize for highest score of the evening. "Pat" so thoroly enjoyed the gathering that he plans on coming again next week.

Notice: I will be in St. Hilaire all day Friday, Feb, 21st. to attend to business of the Farmers State Bank.

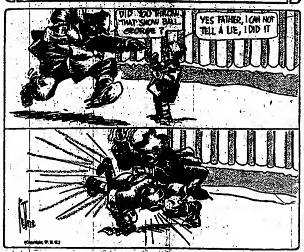
Anyone owing this bank, or wishing to consult me regarding liquidation of its assets, can meet me at the Spectator office.

L. E. Healy,
Special Deputy Examiner

The movie "Prep and Pep" given at the Imperial by the Camp fire Girls last Saturday, was well received by the large crowd that attended. In addition to the picture, the girls, assisted by Miss Hovie and Launa gave a humerous Valentine skit which was greatly enjoyed.

A big crowd attended the Valentine part given last Thursday night at the Norwegain church basement.

Times Have Changed



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Nels Johnson is reported to be ill this week.

Clarence Bengtson, who is employed at the Rux farm west of town, had the misfortune to lose a thumb last week when he accidently cut it off while splitting wood.

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Mrs. Ida McCullough of La-Prairie, Manitoba, came Friday and spent until yesterday visiting here at home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson.

Real springlike weather prevailed here both Tuesday and yesterday. Tho unusual for this time of the year, water coursed down the gutters, and a good share of the snow thawed.

J. Erlandson, former editor of the Peoples Press at Hallock, was a visitor in the village yesterday forenoon. Mr. Erlandson owns some farm land in Mayfield township east of here. At present he makes his home at Hallock.

The Commercial Club at Red Lake Falls has gone on record as being opposed to sale of butter substitutes, in that city, in competition with butter. Local merchants might well follow suit as butter substitutes should have no place in a butter producing area.

A. H. Crombie, of the Extension Division of Minnesota, addressed pupils of the high school and seventh and eighth grades at the school assembly Tuesday morning. Mr. Crombie is an excellent speaker, and his talk was greatly enjoyed by all who heard him.

Peter Johnson, representing the Crookston Granite Company, was here last week-end looking after business in his line. Mr. Johnson states he has had very good success in this territory this winter, and will erect a number of monuments in nearby burial grounds next spring.

Sam and William Hunt, proprietors of the Hunt Hardware Company at Red Lake Falls, went to the Twin Cities last week to attend annual convention of hardware dealers. It was their intention to purchase stock while in the Cities, for their new store which will open here next month.

J. H. Bohlen left Monday evening for a short business trip to St. Paul.

Meeting of the Dorcas Society at home of Mrs. Peter Simonson last Saturday afternoon was marked by very good attendance.

Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained by Mrs. R. L. Hauge and Mrs. Otto Johnson at the church basement Friday, Feb, 28th.

John A. Hansen has commenced cleaning and decorating interior of his Imperial block in preparation for its occupancy next month by the Hunt Hardware Company,

Paul Roy was at Red Lake Falls first of the week assisting at the Hunt Hardware Company store while the proprietors were attending the Hardware Dealers' Convention at Minneapolis.

The local high school basketeers won from the Middle River team last night by a score of 26 to 7 in a game played in the hall at Hazel.

Now is the time to prepare your car for spring driving- Valve refacers, reseaters, spark plugs, wires and piston rings. 40-piece socket wrench set $3.89. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carpenter intend to move in from their farm first of next month to spend the summer in town.

Their farm has been rented to Mr. Lemke, who now occupies the former Dr. Dann place.

Saturday was the last day for renewal of auto licenses without penalty. Those who neglected to attend to this duty, can save 25 cents per day penalty by applying now.

A. Satterberg motored to Thief River on a business mission, and returned, Saturday.

The Triangle bus which operates between Crookston and Thief River Falls has not missed making its regular trips thru here thus far this winter. With the new snow moving equipment of the State Highway Department on the job, the trunk roads in this section have not been blockaded at all, and auto traffic has not been hampered to any extent all winter. This is quite a contrast to road conditions that existed a few years ago.

P. T. A. Feb. 28th

Because the district basketball conference will be held Thursday and Friday, March 6 and 7, the meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association scheduled for March 7th, has been changed to Friday, Feb, 28th, to premit the teachers to be present.

Muskrat Season Opens

A regulation has been issued by George W. McCullough, state game and fish commissioner, opening the season for trapping of muskrats at 12 o'clock noon on March 20th and closing at noon on April 15th.

The animals are to be trapped in a manner prescribed by law.

Increased Highway Aid

Pennington County was allotted $19, 6000.00 for its state aid roads and $30, 570.00 from the gas tax fund for use on the new county aid roads, at a meeting of the allotment board held at the offices of the Minnesota Highway department, Feb, 15th.

The board consist of Ray Chase, state auditor. Julius Schmahl, state treasurer, and C. M. Babcock, commissioner of highways.

Total amount of state aid allotted to the counties was $5,160,000. Of this amount $1,960,000 was the regular one mill state aid fund and $3,200,000 is the counties' one third share of the gas tax receipts.

Thank You All

Since last publication of "list", the following have renewed their subscription. Those listed below have our thanks and appreciation: Chas. Naplin, Bernt Walseth, H. Johnson, C. B. Bilden, John Lundberg, Oscar Haugen, Fred Soderberg, Ole Branum, E. N. Reiersgord Chas. Huff, Axel Stark, Mrs. A. Eid, Mrs. H. Aga, Wm. Randorf, Mrs. Matt Anderson, P. Simonson, Sig. Vik, Andrew Ortloff, Mrs. H. Weyrauch, Clarence Aubol, Francis Johnson, Helmer Finstad.

Miss Dorothy Olsen, who attends the State College at Moorhead, came home last weekend for a few days visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olsen. Following destruction by fire of the main building at the college, there have been no regular sessions until more room can be secured.

Bank Dividend Soon

Depositors of the closed Farmers State Bank of St. Hilaire will soon receive another dividend of ten precent, making 60 percent in all that has been returned to depositors since the bank closed. Checks are now being prepared, and should reach here soon. Total amount to be paid now will be about $7,000 00.

Poultry Meeting Friday

A meeting of all women in this community, who are interested in the "sanitary plan" of poultry raising, will be held at the school house Friday night at 8:00. Miss Cooke, poultry specialist with the Extension Division of the state university, will address the meeting. All interested are invited to attend.

4H Club Meets Friday

A meeting of the local 4H Club will be held at the school building Friday evening. Matters of especial importance to all members will come up at this meeting, so all members should be present.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. J. Bengtson, aged resident of this village, died Monday that week at her home.

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T. J. Torkelson announced that he and family expected to move to California in April that year.

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Rev. James Connolly, the noted evangelist, started a series of meetings here.

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Towns along the new Soo Line were to have mail service on and after March 6th that spring.

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J. B. LaBree, who homesteaded what is now the business section of Thief River Falls, died Monday at Crookston.

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Annual statement of the Bray Mutual Fire Ins. Company showed the company carried insurance to extent of $319,854.00 at that time.

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Art Lang was up in Roseau county looking over some land that would be opened soon for homestead entry.

Making The Grade

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WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 21, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

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United States Standing Army Has Only 137,529

Washington.—The total number of enlisted men in the regular army today would scarcely provide adequate kitchen police details for the National army of 1917-'18-'19, the annual report of Maj. Gen. C. H. Bridges, the adjutant general, disclosed.

The grand total of officers and men as set down by Bridges is 137,529 and in addition there are about 3,000 nurses, contract surgeons and West Point cadets. Contrary to general belief, West Point does not supply the greatest number of officers to the army. Of the 12,175 commissioned officers only 3,757 entered the army from West Point. The number obtained from civil life was 3,872.

There are in the army now 1,072 officers who rose from the ranks, 2,229 who were appointed from the officers' reserve corps and 266 who were commissioned directly from the National Guard.

Caught by Flood Water, Pig Builds Own Refuge

Washington Court House, Ohio.—That "self-preservation is the first law of nature" was demonstrated here by a hog that had been left in a lot near a slaughter house and was caught by the rising water of Paint Creek while no one was about to turn the animal from the pen.

The hog proceeded to gather all of the weeds and brush in the pen and place them in a pile, then took refuge on top of the pile of weeds and brush and escaped the water.

Ever Advancing

Slow are the steps of freedom, but her feet never turn backward.—James Russell Lowell.

Haarlem Pre-Eminent

Haarlem, in the Netherlands, is the center of the bulb industry.

River News

Mr. K. T. Dalager attended the Farm Crops show Wednesday.

Edward Burstad and Clarence Burnquist attended the Farm Crops show Wednesday and Thursday.

Harry Erickson spent the week end with his brother Elmer at McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Gieseke spent Tuesday afternoon at the Fred Ulrich home.

Valentine parties for the pupils were given Friday afternoon at Districts 133 and 236 respectively.

Mr. Albert Hager and Fred Ulrich spent Saturday evening at the Mortensen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thyren and family were Sunday guests at the L. P. Thyren home.

Mrs. G. B. Peterson spent Sunday afternoon at the K. T. Dalager home.

Joyce Stephens spent Sunday afternoon with his friend, Harold Walseth.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Erdmann and family were Sunday guests at the Paul Gieseke home.

A number of friends surprised Miss Ella Ulrich Friday evening, the occasion being her seventeenth birthday anniversary. Cards was the chief entertainment for the evening after which lunch was served.

Wants Beauty Clinic in Every American City

New York.—Have you a homeliness handicap?

Has a wart on the nose kept you from becoming a captain of industry, or an unsightly complexion detained your rise to the top of your profession?

Are you at an economic disadvantage because the girl at the next desk has a brow, low but smooth as alabaster?

Then you'll hail the suggestion of Ruth D. Maurer, beauty authority of national reputation, that every American city should have a municipal beauty clinic.

"Berlin's famous 'Advisory Bureau of Social Cosmetics' has been the solution of one phase of Germany's unemployment problem," Mrs. Maurer said at a meeting of public health officials here. "Placement bureau managers and directors of personnel whom I have interviewed assure me that such bureaus might fairly be expected to accomplish similar results in American industrial centers."

Mrs. Maurer said that, of 53 employers of large staffs of clerical labor with whom she had talked, 45 admitted to her that "other things being equal, it's the most attractive looking girl who gets the job."

Mistletoe Is Doomed as Forest Nuisance

Snoqualmie, Wash.—Mistletoe is doomed as a pest in national forests of the northwest. There is no objection to Christmas mistletoe and its sentimental uses, but in valuable forests the plant increases so rapidly that it chokes the life of its host.

The forest service hopes to exterminate the plant within seven or eight years by tearing up dense areas of the trailers.

In national parks enough mistletoe will be allowed to grow for exhibition purposes.

EACH WOMAN'S WISHES

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

EDITH LESTER entered her mother's bedroom like a breeze of the May morning. She was a vivid young woman in becoming motor clothes of the most expensive make, but her gay smile gave way to a frown of disapproval as she saw the work upon which the older woman was engaged.

"Mother! You're not darning those old stockings!"

"They're not old, dear. And they're far too good to throw away. You'll never notice the mended place. I'm taking lots of pains."

"I know." Edith laid her hand on the slender drooping shoulder, then lifted it to her mother's white hair and rearranged a lock tenderly. "But, dearest—I had laid those away to go to the cook. I—I don't have to wear darned stockings now and you most certainly don't have to darn them." She was instantly sorry that she had said this when she saw the faint tremor of pain that crossed her mother's delicate face. "Come!" she went on brightly. "Put away your work and go with Marc and me. We're going for a run into town, lunch at the Spafford inn and a bit of shopping afterward. It's too glorious a morning to spend indoors."

Again that faint tremor. Mrs. Sherman glanced from the window at the big gray car, standing at the curb, and then up at her daughter's questioning face.

"Dear child! If you will just go without me. I—I've got some little things I want to do. I——" she paused.

"Nonsense! Come, mother."

Mrs. Sherman sighed.

"I'd rather stay here—" but she half arose.

Edith bit her lip. Mother certainly behaved most provokingly at times.

"Never mind. Stay if you choose. Of course, I want you to do what you like best," she said rather shortly and ran out of the room, struggling with tears of disappointment.

"Wouldn't she come?" Marc Lester asked as his wife appeared. Edith merely shook her head in silence.

As her husband drove toward town she sat beside him thinking about her mother. She felt that she no longer understood her mother. Now that Marc's new affluence made it possible for them to do everything for Mrs. Sherman she seemed willing to accept no more than she had in the past. It was not that mother was old or ill; mother with her lovely spirit could never be old or ill. It was simply a pronounced indifference to the things that Edith found so delightful—the motor trips, the charming dinner parties, the fine house with its beautiful furniture and obliging servants.

She was as disappointed as a child in not having her mother with her. Then a pretty thought came to her. Why not take a bit of town back home to mother? If she could find the thing she wanted!

She did find the very thing she wanted in an exclusive shop—a gown of dull blue with a touch of lace, a gleam of rhinestones. Think of mother in that dress with her white hair waved! She would be beautiful. Her heart was light as they sped homeward.

Carrying the box she ran upstairs to mother's room. Mother sat in the sunny window knitting lace. Knitting lace! She arose and kissed her daughter. And then Edith took the dress from the box.

"For you, dearest! Put it on. Let me see if it fits."

It did fit. But that odd little tremor crossed mother's face as she looked down at the rich breadths, touching lace and ornament with her small, crooked-fingered hand.

"It's lovely. But—I've never worn color, you know, dear, since your father died. Won't it look foolish on an old woman like me? Besides, it must have cost a lot of money?"

"What difference does that make?" Edith cried, almost sharply. "Money is of no consequence if you are pleased."

"You are sweet, dear, and Marc is generous." But mother's face did not light because of the gift. "I had company. Sally came over to lunch. We had it up here—on a tray. I thought you wouldn't mind."

"Of course not! You're to do exactly as you please in this house. But Edith felt again that wave of disappointment. She had failed again to reach her mother.

She went downstairs and out upon the porch where she sat down to think. But unable to reason things out she sprang up presently and ran down the street and round the corner and through a lane until she came to a low, old-fashioned white house with a trellis over the door. Here on the doorstone knitting lace which looked oddly familiar sat a stout, sweet-faced woman, who smiled welcome through her glasses.

"Dear Mrs. Rollins, you are mother's dearest and oldest friend. Can you tell me what's the matter with her?"

"Why, there isn't a single living thing the matter with your mother, Edith. She's as well as I am, and that's saying a good deal."

"Oh, yes, I know her health's good. It isn't that. It's—oh, Mrs. Rollins! You know how I love my mother and how I want to repay her for all she has done for me, and how willing and able we are to give her all the lovely things she has had to do without all her life. When we go in the new car she prefers to stay at home. When I buy her pretty things she does not enjoy them. Nothing I do seems to give her pleasure. It is a tragedy. It—is breaking my heart." Edith's head went down with a sob.

The older woman petted her head gently.

"You're making too much of it, Edith." Mrs. Rollins said. "I guess maybe it's because you don't understand your mother as well as I do. We're old together, you see, just as we were young together. I know how poor your folks always were. Your father did his best but he was never a great earner. Your mother had to skimp and save. Probably you didn't know how much, but I guess your mother had to cut all the corners while she was bringing you up. Of course you're grateful as any loving child would be, and now that Marc's making so much money you want to heap your mother with favors. You want to make her dreams come true. She's been showing me things today that you've given her and if you could see how she cherishes them, how proud she is to be remembered. But she doesn't really want fine lace and sable neckpieces. I shouldn't wonder if most of the things you do for her are way over her head, like that music you took us to hear the other evening. It was mostly sounds to me till they played Home, Sweet Home."

As the older woman talked Edith lifted her head, looking into those honest, loyal eyes. She even smiled now faintly.

"When your mother sees you happy and fortunate she's got all she ever wished for," Mrs. Rollins went on softly. "She's happy to see you happy. But she does appreciate not having to think about money troubles. She sits in that pretty room with her work-basket and pile of religious journals and feels all the contentment and peace of mind that she's never known before. Her requirements aren't many now—just quiet and love and seeing you happy. Those are her wishes. There's an old saying I heard long ago. 'Each woman's wishes are her heaven.' It's true. Your mother's got her wish, Edith."

Edith grasped the caressing old hand and put it to her lips. It was all clear to her now. She had misunderstood mother. Mother didn't want blue dresses or parties. Mother had her wish.

It was an enlightened Edith that flew home to mother. Her mother still sat by the window but she was not working now. She was gazing at something she held in her hand—something she tried to put out of sight. But Edith gently got possession of her mother's hand and drew the little secret forth. It was a tiny photograph of a little girl in checked gingham with pigtails.

"Mother, darling!" cried Edith, then suddenly they were both laughing tremulously yet heartily over that funny treasure of mother's—the picture of Edith herself when she was seven.

America Had Horses Before Spanish Came

At the time of the discovery of America and its exploration by the early Spaniards, this continent is thought to have had no native horses. Be that as it may, in the prehistoric period just preceding our own time, known as the Pleistocene or so-called "Ice age," true horses of many varieties roamed in great numbers over most of the American continents, both North and South; and their fossil remains have been found in all parts of the United States, in Mexico, Central and South America, and far north in Alaska even beyond the Arctic circle. The horses of this period were all modern in type, and in life differed little or not at all in general appearance from the horse of today, but each kind possessed certain features which, to the naturalist, marked them as distinct from their living relatives and from each other. Like the living horse they were relatively long limbed with a single toe and hoof on each foot, and their skulls were long-muzzled with deep jaws to accommodate the long, high-crowned teeth so characteristic of the modern horse. In size they ranged from little animals no bigger than the smallest Shetland pony to kinds that excelled the largest draft horse. The period of existence of these horses extended over many thousands of year and as a group they seemed to have been very well fitted to continue on the American continent. Why they did not is an unsolved problem.—Scientific Monthly.

Sad Day Coming

Four-year-old Buddy was speculating on the sad future that life held for his little one-year-old sister.

"Mother," he said, "Betty's a little girl, isn't she?"

"Yes, dear."

"Well, does she know she's a girl?"

"She probably hasn't given the matter much thought," replied mother.

"Gee! I'll bet she'll be sorry when she finds it out, don't you, mother?"

Trees for Six Poets

Six American poets were honored when trees were planted on Riverside drive, New York city, says the American Tree association. The poets are Whitman, Bryant, Whittier, Longfellow, Emerson and Joyce Kilmer, author of the famous poem on trees. The trees were planted by the Woman's league.

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Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In The Matter of the Estate of Jeremiah J. McCarty, also known as Jerry J. McCarty, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, To Ruth McCarty, Harvey James McCarty, Erin M. McCarty, Jeremiah J. McCarty and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of March, 1930 at ten o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 17th day of February, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

Perl W. Mabey and
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Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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Mirrors as Periscopes Prove Help in Crowds

Berlin.—The ingenuity of German women has eliminated the necessity of "coming early" to get a good view of public ceremonies. When processions and similar events are held in Berlin the women at the rear of the crowd remove mirrors from their handbags and hold them above their heads as periscopes. The practice first gained attention at the funeral of Doctor Stresemann, when huge crowds lined the streets.

Mustn't Be Too Sure

The fellow who says it cannot be done is likely to be interrupted by somebody doing it.—Capper's Weekly.

Not Adapted to the Many

The chief drawback to living the simple life is that so few people can stand it.—Capper's Weekly.

Watchmaking Schools

France has three schools of watchmaking which each year graduate from 100 to 125 students.

Recoveries Are Numerous

Don't worry if you are dead in love; you will come to life again.—Chicago News.

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The State of Minnesota, to Martha Olson Boe and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of March, 1930 at two o'clock P. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 11th day of February, 1930.

Lars Backe
(Court Seal) Judge of Probate
Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota
F-13-27

Restaurants Expect to Lose Spoons, Not Phones

Hastings, Neb.—Restaurant owners are somewhat reconciled to the disappearance of salt shakers, knives, forks and napkins from their cafes, but, in the opinion of a Hastings restaurant owner, taking telephones is carrying the joke a bit too far.

Shortly after a group of traveling orchestra men had left a local restaurant, the proprietor stepped to his telephone to call his home, but there was no phone.

Police were informed of the matter, and learning that the orchestra was on its way to Clay Center, called Sheriff Harr, who went to the rooms occupied by the orchestra members. The missing phone was found among the belongings of one of the men.

On payment by the group of the costs of installing a new phone, and settlement for the damage, the matter was dismissed.

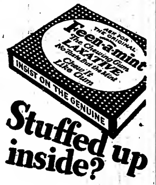
Woman Discovers Mouse Wearing Wedding Ring

Cannes, France.—One year ago Mme. Jeanne Lasconjaras, of this city, dropped her wedding ring and saw it roll down a rat hole.

A few days ago she caught a full grown mouse in a trap. Around the mouse's neck was the missing wedding ring. The circlet apparently had slipped around the rodent's neck when it was young and it had been unable to work it loose.

Cow Mothers a Fawn

Marysville, Calif.—William P. Sierkin has a cow at his ranch in the mountains of Yuba County that has adopted a fawn. It is believed the mother of the fawn may have perished in a forest fire.



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Our Next Problem

It is estimated that the lack of efficient and economical distribution costs the country not less than seven or eight billion dollars a year.—The American Magazine.

Next Eclipse of Moon

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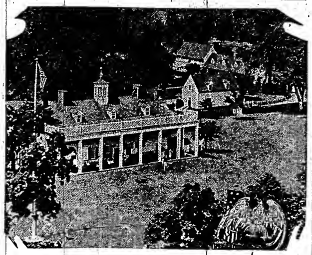

This wide veranda of Mount Vernon, where the founder of the United States spent his manhood, looks out over the Potomac river, south of Washington. Restored exactly as in Washington's day, tourists flock to see it in many thousands every year.

Washington Keen Man of Business

How does it come about that George Washington, a member of an agricultural family, living in an agricultural state, and concerned primarily with the occupation and use of land, may be styled with absolute truth as the best and the most farsighted business man of his time?

It has been my fortune during the last three summers to search out the family history of Washington's ancestors, writes Albert Bushnell Hart, professor emeritus of history, Harvard university, in the Nation's Business. From William de Washington, who settled in the town of Washington, Palatinate of Durham, in 1185, we think we have a straight strain of 25 generations of Washingtons behind our George Washington that can be substantiated; and in that set of ancestors, father to son, among men of varied talents and intellectual powers, I have as yet failed to find a single scalawag. In that line you find the lawyer strain. You find judges. You find for the most part landowners, holders of considerable estates, which they administered successfully.

Line of Successful Men.

There is in the Washington line a strong strain of practical and highly successful business men. Otherwise it would be impossible to account for the manner in which Washington reached out beyond his immediate field as a landowner to greater enterprises; and how eventually he became the first practical transportation man in the United States.

Washington, of course, was a landowner. That is, his prime business was to run landed estates. It was a declining business when he took it up, when by the death of his father and then of his two brothers he came into possession of very large properties, including the Mount Vernon estate and a number of adjacent plantations. Altogether he had 9,000 acres of land, pretty much in one body along the Potomac, including Mount Vernon.

That land he carried on as a business enterprise, as you would do if you were charged with such a responsibility, to make 9,000 acres of land pay if you could. He was the first Virginian to see that tobacco was played out because the land was worn out; that the land would not stand the pressure of continued tobacco crops. So he turned to the culture of wheat. He built a mill to utilize that wheat and he sent it to market. He had his own brand.

Kept Accounts Faithfully.

According to the customs of the time, he put up a distillery in order to make a different disposition of a part of his product. That is to say, Washington sought all the different kinds of agriculture that could be maintained on his farm. He raised blooded stock of a superior kind. The king of Spain made him a present of a very valuable jack, and he raised mules and apparently raised them to advantage.

Furthermore, Washington was a natural accountant, and the proof is in his diaries and in his account books. Almost the last thing that he put on paper was a little bit of bookkeeping. He kept his records in a clear, legible hand. He kept them according to the customs of the times. That is, he recorded whatever went on. His diaries have been published in four volumes but they tell you nothing of what Washington thought. He put down not what he thought but what he did, who his visitors were, if he went to church or stayed at home. That is, he kept a record to which he could refer to show very nearly where he was every day and what he was doing.

He was an analytic bookkeeper, and I suspect one of the first in America. Hence we find his accounts very carefully subdivided. We find an account for each plantation, a general account, how much he gained out of wheat, how much from tobacco, how many slaves he had, what the expense had been, and so on. He had that inextinguishable love of figures that affects some men.

Even Gambling Losses Listed.

Washington loved to keep books. One of his biographers has calculated his losses in gaming. He lost 75 pounds in a year, and he kept the account and added it up. But the biographer fails to notice that on the other side of the page Washington put down his winnings. His winnings were 70 pounds. That is, he was 5 pounds to the good, because, after all, he had the fun of it and the fun must have been worth at least 10 pounds.

Washington constantly increased his holdings. He was a scientific agriculturalist. There is in existence an interesting correspondence between Washington and a man named Bloxham, whom he imported from England to be the manager of his estate. We have a letter from Bloxham telling what he thought of George Washington, and almost on the same day a letter from Washington telling what he thought of Bloxham, not very complimentary on either side, but they came to understand each other and Bloxham lived and died in Washington's service.

Washington imported the best agricultural implements he could hear of. He was in correspondence with Arthur Young in England, a great reformer in such matters. He introduced seeds, he planted cuttings, he raised trees and shrubs. He was a creative farmer. At least he made a living out of the farm, and left it much more valuable than he found it.

Found Joy as Surveyor.

Again, Washington was a surveyor by profession. He began—everybody knows it—at sixteen years of age in the employ of his neighbor and lifelong friend, Lord Fairfax, to go out and make surveys. We have copies of those surveys. We have the original drawings he made, and the original plats. Only a day or two before he died he was out surveying a bit of property. He loved to handle the surveying instruments. He loved the exactness of the science.

FIRST INAUGURATION

Washington receiving the plaudits of the crowd after the inauguration as the first President of the United States.

Spirit of Washington Worthy of Emulation

Even though we may find it necessary in certain particulars to modify the advice which Washington gave his country a century and a half ago—as, doubtless, he himself would modify it were he here today facing the world as it is—there is in the spirit of Washington as a citizen and patriot nothing that we could wish to alter.

On the contrary we could ask nothing better for America than a revival of that spirit. There was a noble selflessness and a generous breadth of vision in his attitude toward his public duties which must remain through all the years the high ideal for Americanism. He saw America as something bigger and finer than an opportunity for material success; he saw it as a spiritual adventure, a great experiment in human relations and in the development of human values. It was his appreciation of this phase of American possibility which inspired his pride and devotion.—Chicago Post.

It is customary to think of Washington only as soldier or statesman. But he was also a man of business, a builder of transportation, engineer, pioneer and promoter. He was our first millionaire. —American Magazine.

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Would Have Runnymede Kept as National Park

The committee set up by the premier to examine the question of national parks will find that all sorts of places are put forward as possible parks. The latest is Runnymede, which is probably the most famous meadow in the world. Runnymede itself is not, of course, big enough for a national park, but it has been suggested that it might be made the nucleus of one. In any case, it is said, it should be preserved as a sort of place of pilgrimage. It is not certain, however, that the present Runnymede is actually the place where King John signed the Magna Charta, over 700 years ago. The course of the Thames has changed a good deal since then, and the old Runnymede may now be under water. Even now Runnymede is open to the public, but various people have rights in it, and it is felt that the situation would be more satisfactory if the land were taken over by a body like the National trust.—London Mail.

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Shot Rare Bird

L. M. Lewis, of Bremerton, Wash., recently shot a rare bird, variously classified as an immature ostrich or a dodo. Ornithologists at the University of Seattle identified it as a Peale's falcon, an uncommon bird in North America.

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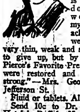

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Easier to Bear

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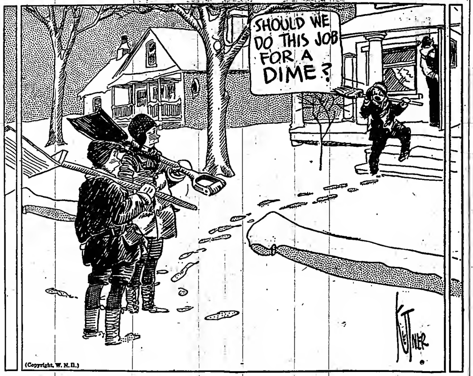

FINNEY OF THE FORCE

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THE FEATHERHEADS

Felix Does the Hero Act

This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

To Terrify Terrorists
Another Attempt to Kill
For Gold Star Mothers
Women Spend 53 Billions

Los Angeles, Calif.—The shooting of the Mexican president, his wife and another, none killed, fortunately, will mean drastic action in Mexico. No nation will tolerate, even in civilized times, a campaign for the control of government by murder. Back of the young hand that fired the shots there stands in the shadow some murderous organization, relying on terror and using servile tools for its purpose.

Ortiz Rubio and the powerful Portes Gil, former president, now Rubio's secretary of the interior, will find a way to terrify the terrorists.

Before the would-be murderer shot him, Ortiz Rubio, in his brief inauguration address, had promised that all classes of Mexicans "should enjoy the privilege of being classed as men." Those familiar with conditions under which Mexico's lower classes have lived, and with the attitude toward them of the upper classes, will know what that means to the Mexican under dog.

Congress votes more than $5,000,000 that "gold star" mothers may visit their sons' graves in France. Of 11,000 mothers entitled to go, 6,000 have expressed a desire to go. Many cannot go, because of duties at home. Others, perhaps, dread the sorrowful shock. To those that do not go, congress should pay in cash the pro rata amount that it would cost to send them, about $1,000. No other course would be fair.

Texas has an "anti-chain store association" to drive and keep out chain stores owned outside the state. The governor and other high officials are said to indorse the association, which seeks to protect thousands of small merchants, driven to the wall by chain-store efficiency and economy.

Another attempted murder among our Latin-American friends. An attempt, fortunately a failure, is made on the life of Mello Vianna, vice president of Brazil. As in the recent Mexican outrage, the man attacked was making a political address and the would-be murderer was moved by political hatreds. Only harsh severity can meet such an assassination epidemic.

Richard Stewart, rug merchant of Warren, Ohio, is in jail. Judge Perry found him guilty of molesting a woman. Stewart offers an excuse as old as Adam: "The woman led me on." In jail Stewart refuses to eat. It would have been fortunate for Adam, and for us, but bad for the clothing business, had Adam likewise refused to eat.

Charles Evans Hughes returns to the Supreme court as chief justice, at President Hoover's request. In him the people have a brilliantly able man, worthy to take Mr. Taft's place.

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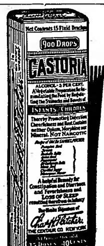

Baby ills and ailments seem twice as serious at night. A sudden cry may mean colic. Or a sudden attack of diarrhea—a condition it is always important to check quickly. How would you meet this emergency—tonight? Have you a bottle of Castoria ready? There is nothing that can take the place of this harmless but effective remedy for children; nothing that acts quite the same, or has quite the same comforting effect on them.

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"No sir-ee," Sam went on, too busy with his own ideas, I suppose, to notice my actions, which must have been peculiar, "if the murderer is still on the place, he is skulking around here in hiding. It is that strangler fellow, all right. I'll bet my last dollar on it. For some reason, he is trying to clean out the Cannezzano family—all of them. I'll bet he told Martha to give the poison to Danny, not knowing what a child Martha was—or, maybe, knowing it. Martha, supposing the poison was candy, or something nice, ate it up herself. I tell you what, I'm going to do some proof hunting, now, on my own hook. If I find some stranger hiding out on this place, that will be good enough proof for Sam Stanley, and for any jury in Nevada."

"Of course, Mary," Sam went on, "it hasn't been so hard on you—not having to feel the responsibility the way I have. But I've come to the end of my rope. I'm going to use my own head, now. I've got to get an expert here, for one thing, to watch and guard over Danny. . . . Say, what's the matter with you, Mary? You look so funny. Do you feel sick, or something?"

"'Something,'" I said, "but, at that, I suppose it isn't near as bad as feeling responsibility."

If I'd stayed there listening to him for one more minute I'd have burst. I left him, and went running, like the crazy thing I was, up the back stairs to my own room.

CHAPTER XVI

The Puzzle

I stayed in my room for half an hour, thinking with all my might that I was thinking. At the end of that time, discovering that I had not turned out one single rational thought, I gave it up and went to find John.

John was on the porch, talking to Miss MacDonald. When I got close enough to them to see how he looked, I felt as if my heart would break for him. He looked, in spite of his tan, like death.

When I had reached the foot of the steps, both of them, without saying an aye, yes, or no to me, got up and went into the house.

My legs were shaking under me. I had to go slowly up the steps. Neither John nor Miss MacDonald was in the living room when I got there. I went on into the kitchen.

Miss MacDonald was putting on her big apron.

"John knows, doesn't he?" I questioned.

"Knows?"

"I think that I know what you—"

"Don't!" she shot out at me, and I wouldn't have jumped any higher if she had shot a gun instead of a word.

"Don't," she calmed down and came over to me and spoke in a whisper, "say anything in here. Not anything."

"I've got to," I said. "I'm human. You listen to me." I whispered it, right into her ear.

I hadn't half finished what I had to say before she moved away from me; but she nodded her head, with those quick, short little nods that always mean confidential agreement.

For almost an hour I had been thinking that I knew it. That nodding of hers made me realize that I had only feared it; that I had believed that she could deny and disprove it.

I had planned biscuits for dinner. I went and got out the breadboard, and opened the flour bin, but I couldn't do it.

"I'm sorry," I said, and to my disgust I began to cry. "I guess you'll have to make out to do alone, for a while. I—I'm not feeling well. I'll have to go and lie down—"

Still blubbering and blind with tears I went upstairs, and bumped into Sam, standing outside John's door. I dried my eyes and saw that he was holding his six-gun, ready for shooting, in his hand.

"What is the matter with you?" I demanded. "What are you doing with that gun?"

"John is in there packing his valise. He says he is going to leave the place. I say he is not."

"Going to say it with the six-gun, if necessary, ugh?" I asked.

"If necessary, Mary. By G—d, he put it up to me, straight. He came to me, and said that he had to get off the place for a while. Had to. I baited him along. Asked him where he wanted to go. He didn't even try to hide his feelings. Didn't bother to make up an excuse. Said it was all the same to him where he went. When I reckoned he'd stay right here, he up with the idea of going down to live with the outfit. He's a fool; so he thinks that I am. Thinks I don't know he could get a good horse, the first night—"

"If John thinks you're a fool," I said, "he's paying you too much respect. I can't think of anything much worse, or more dangerous than a fool, but whatever it is, you are it. It turns me all over to look at you. Give me that gun."

I reached out and took it. His fingers didn't stick to it very long. I judged that he was not quite as eager to shoot John on sight as he had been pretending to be.

"Now get yourself away from here," I said. "Get on downstairs, if you know the way, and eat your dinner. I'll look after John."

"If you help that boy to escape—"

"Escape your foot!" I slipped into John's room, shut the door in Sam's face, and pushed the new bolt into its slot.

John was lying face down on the bed.

I went and sat on the bed beside him and put an arm around his shoulders.

"Mary?" he questioned.

"Yes. There, there now, John dear. Try to brace up—"

"You don't know!"

"Yes, I do know, dear. I know just what you know."

"My God," he groaned. "It is certain, then? I still had a little hope. I—I can't keep on with life, not after this. When I think of these last weeks— I—I'm filthy, I tell you."

"John, dear," I tried to comfort. "You didn't know—you couldn't. You aren't to blame. You are young—"

I knew that I had no comfort for agony such as his, but I could not bear to leave him; so I stayed, hoping, as I suppose foolish women have always hoped, that just plain, quiet loving him might help a little.

After a minute or two, he said, "Mary—if you don't mind, I—I've got to fight this out alone."

I went to my own room and lay on the bed. I was mortal tired from sorrow, and the hurt in my heart for John was sharp as a neuralgia pain, but my mind went working right along, independent of my feelings; straight on, like a phonograph, if somebody had started it, might keep right on grinding out a tune while the ship that it was on was sinking.

When Miss MacDonald came up, bringing me some dinner, which I couldn't touch, I said to her: "It seems true, but I know that it can't be. It is too impossible. I mean—too far fetched."

"Not a bit of it," she said. "The only impossible thing about it is the length of time it has taken us to discover it. Of course—forgive me, Mrs. Magin, I was almost on the trail once, I had at least started in the right direction, and then you threw me completely off."

"I! How?"

She smiled at me. "By seeing something which you did not see. But you are not in the least to blame for that. The fault is all mine."

She went and shut my transom. She looked through my clothes closet. She looked under my bed, saying, as she did so, "The proverbial practice of old maids, you know." She came and sat close beside me. "Now then . . ." she said.

"Listen. Bit by bit it works into the whole, like a picture puzzle—each segment slipping right into place. There is just one hole in it all, and I think your Danny's kindness and unselfishness will supply that necessary bit."

She began then—to use her own way of saying it—to put together the pieces of the puzzle. She was right. Bit by bit it fitted together. Almost at once she came to the place that she had called a hole.

"There is no hole there," I told her. "Under those circumstances, Danny would have been just sweet, and unselfish, and foolish enough to have done that very thing. She did it. That was why she was worried and unhappy, all that day."

"I'm sure of it. Now then . . ." She went on: Danny's calling after Gaby that day—easy to understand now, of course, and leading straight to Chad's suicide and confessional note. Gaby's fear; Martha's murder; Sam's ashes on the bag; Gaby's note to Danny; each one fitting right into place, until spread in front of me was one of the most hideous pictures that any human being has ever been forced to look at. In all my experience I have never investigated another murder case where the thing was so cruelly, vilely premeditated; so wickedly, cunningly carried out. If this is true, it will be, also, the first time that I have found a really brilliant mind belonging to a fiend."

"If it is true!" I echoed. "But it is proven. You have just proven it all to me."

She shook her head. "We have a seemingly perfect fabric made up, wholly, of circumstantial evidence. As yet, we have nothing else. Now I have a question to ask you. It will seem to you that I should have asked you this at least a week ago. I did not, because I was certain that, unless I shared all of my suspicions with you, your answer would be exactly the answer that you gave me before. Now, thinking as you think, I want a very careful answer to this question."

When she had asked it, I refused my first impulse to answer it, at once, and sat thinking carefully for several minutes. The answer that I was forced to give, then, made me sick with shame.

"No," I said, "I didn't. I thought, honestly, that I did. But now I know that I didn't. That—that," I knew I was chattering it, "puts Cannezzano's murder right at my door—"

"Nonsense," she folded one of my trembling hands into her steady, capable hands. "We can't go poking about like that, into the machinery of fate, and stay sane. The blame in this case is entirely for me. But, if I had not allowed myself to be misled then, but had worked straight on, something equally tragic might have happened. We don't know. What we do know is, that no more time must be wasted.

"I have spent this past week in trying to obtain the necessary proof. I

"If It Is True!" I Echoed. "But It Is Proven."

have failed. Now, I am going to ask you to help me. Will you?"

"I will, and gladly. But you'll have to tell me what you want me to do. I haven't the faintest idea."

She told me.

"Lands alive!" I said. "That ought to be easy."

I could see that she was annoyed. "I haven't found it so," she said. "I have made three attempts, as many as I dared make, this week, and have failed. Do you realize that it must come simply, and naturally? You must realize that—"

"See here," I interrupted, "why not do as Sam wants you to do? Why not arrest the criminal now, and force the proof, afterward? This sort of evidence could be gotten then, as well as now, and a lot safer, too, it seems to me."

"Mrs. Magin," she said, "until we have evidence of guilt we have no criminal to arrest. Incredible as it seems, we might still be wrong concerning every bit of this. I once made a horrible mistake. It was on my third case—that is, after I began to work for myself. I don't talk about it. I can't think about it. But I made myself a promise then, a promise that I have never broken, and which I never will break. Except in extreme necessity, proof, positive, and perfect, must come before any accusation or arrest in a case of mine. Twice, as I have said, I have had men arrested because of circumstantial evidence. Each time the evidence was far stronger than anything we have in this case. The first time, the man would have undoubtedly escaped if he had not been put in confinement. The second time was on my third case, which I have mentioned. If you force me to make this the third time—"

"I can't force you to do anything," I reminded her, hoping to cool her down a bit.

"Yes, you can. If you go at this so clumsily that you give the thing away, and so endanger your own life, I shall have to force matters. I must, of course, risk a reputation—I'm not speaking of my own, you understand—in preference to risking a life—again I am not speaking of my own. But, if we are wrong in this, and remember we may be—circumstantial evidence is the trickiest thing in the world—it would be bitterly cruel and wrong. Will you remember that, when you make your first attempt?"

"But—how shall I do it?"

"I am going to leave that to you, and to your natural wit. You can do it much more spontaneously if you are not attempting to follow set directions. But do, do be careful. Don't make a mistake."

With that she left me. I am ashamed to say that excitement had made me forget my sorrow. I sat there saying my prayers, planning, and shaking in my shoes, for a good half hour before I could get up enough courage to go downstairs. In all probability, the next hour would bring me face to face with the murderous fiend; and not by the blink of an eye, not by the ghost of a shiver, must I betray my horrible knowledge.

When I finally did get myself downstairs, I found Sam, seemingly alone in the living room, playing solitaire. I judged, from the look he gave me, and from the way he had his shoulders hunched, that he was still in a right ugly humor.

"Where's everybody?" I asked.

"Out committing murders, somewhere, likely. Do you know how much I trust that MacDonald woman?"

"No, I don't know. I don't care, either."

"Ahk!" Sam barked. "She is head over heels in love with John, that's a part of what is the matter with her."

I said, "I wish I thought so."

"Why do you wish that, Mary?" It was Danny's voice. Her white face, with the big, sorrowful eyes, peeked around the high back of a chair near the fireplace.

I was too taken aback to answer her.

"How long have you been sitting there, eavesdropping, young lady?" Sam asked.

"I didn't mean to eavesdrop," she answered, quietly. "I am sorry. I was reading."

Sam, with his usual helpfulness in embarrassing situations, pushed back his chair and went walking fast out of the room.

"Mary," Danny questioned, "why aren't you my friend any more?"

"Lands, child," I said, "if you mean that because I was wishing Miss MacDonald was in love with John, it was only because I've always reckoned that the more women in love with a man the better for him. John loves you. What do you care how many women love him?"

"John doesn't love me any more."

"Nothing like that," I scoffed, and went into the kitchen.

She followed me. I went straight to the stove and picked up the lid lifter, which, as usual, when I'm not there to watch, some one had left sticking up in a stovelid to get red hot, instead of hanging it on the hook where it belonged. I dropped it with a howl; and, wrapping my hand in my apron, told her to run and get the linseed oil and limewater, up in the hall bathroom, for me.

I am not saying that I was not to blame. I do say that, if that fool child Zinnie had not jumped around shouting, "Sody! Sody! Wet sody's the best for burns—" and that, if Mrs. Ricker hadn't heard her screeching, and come in, too, and began asking questions, I certainly would not have overlooked the fact that, before she went to minister to my needs, Danny had picked up that lid lifter, from where I had dropped it on the floor, and, barehanded, had hung it upon its hook.

She made a quick trip upstairs and down again, with the bandages and the lotion. She offered, sweet and sympathetic, to do up my hand for me. I had noticed, by that time, that my hand was not smarting much, but I was too excited to account for it reasonably. I asked Mrs. Ricker to attend to the bandages. I had another job for Danny.

"I just came out here," I said, "to make my weekly list to send to Telko for supplies. I can't write with this wadded up hand. Will you make the list for me, Danny? Zinnie, please hand her the pad and pencil from the shelf."

Zinnie brought it. Danny sat down by the table and picked up the pencil. My heart thumped in my throat.

"One crate of Fallon melons," I said.

Danny pushed the pad and pencil across the table to Mrs. Ricker. "Perhaps you'd as soon make the list for Mary? I have something to attend to upstairs."

"Go on, now you've started it, Danny," I said. "You write such a neat, pretty hand."

"I presume my writing can be read," Mrs. Ricker replied, as she picked up the pencil. "A crate of Fallon melons. did you say?" She wrote it down. I heard Danny running up the back stairway.

I felt flat as rolled dough from my disappointment. In the next minute I had something more than disappointment to bother me.

"I don't see," Zinnia said, "how you made out to burn yourself on that stove, Mrs. Magin. Miss Cannezzano was out here, just a while ago, wanting to make some tea. The fire was dead out. She boiled the water on the electric plate."

I ran to the stove. It was as cold as winter time.

CHAPTER XVII

The End

I suppose it takes more than a minute for one's wits, particularly if they happen to be thick wits, to drain entirely away.

Before mine had completely left me, I had attempted to telephone to Sam, down in the outfit's quarters, and had failed to get a reply to my call. I had told Mrs. Ricker and Zinnia, trying with all my might to hide my fear, to run out and find Sam, or Miss MacDonald, or Hubert Hand, or John—I had forgotten that John was upstairs in his room—and to bring one or all of them to the house as quickly as possible. To this day I don't know why they went, without a question; but they went, running. It was the slam of the screen door behind them, I think, bringing with it as it did the realization of my aloneness and the memory of Miss MacDonald's warning, that turned me clear over to terror.

I shall not describe what I did, nor what I thought, during the time that I was alone there, downstairs, before help arrived. The humorously inclined might think such a description amusing. To me there is nothing amusing in the spectacle of an old woman being gripped and wrung by fright. I longed to run from the house; but I felt that I must stay there to explain the situation to the others when they came, if they ever did come, and to do my poor best, since I had made the fatal mistake, to prevent catastrophe. By clock time, it was only thirty-six silent minutes that I had to wait before Miss MacDonald came, alone and unhurried, up the front steps and into the living room.

Still holding Sam's thirty-thirty rifle in my hands—I had known that I could never use it to shoot at any living thing, but I had hoped that it might make me look dangerous—I turned to meet her.

"Don't point that thing at me," she commanded. "Put it down. What are you doing with it? What is the trouble here?"

Before I could answer her, Sam, Mrs. Ricker and Zinnia came clattering through the kitchen.

Mrs. Ricker was wringing her hands and saying over and over, in a voice all broken and mutilated with horror, "I have gone insane, I have gone insane. I have gone insane."

Sam said, "Gabrielle Cannezzano just now waved at us from her window."

Miss MacDonald turned and ran like a wild thing up the stairs. Just as she disappeared from our sight the sound of a pistol's shot cracked through the place.

I followed the others. I ran up the steps. I stumbled down the hall, behind them, and into Gabrielle Cannezzano's room.

I saw Gabrielle Cannezzano, her cheeks painted, her lips reddened, long earrings dangling from her ears, lying on the couch. Over her breast was a widening spot of color, staining the fringes of the soft white silk dressing gown that she was wearing. On the floor was a smoking revolver.

John came. He said, "She told me what she was going to do. I allowed her to do it. I did not want Nevada to have to execute a woman."

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Marks Birthplace of Father of Locomotive

At Wylam, on the north bank of the River Tyne, under the auspices of the Institutions of Shipbuilders and Mechanical Engineers, a tablet commemorates the birthplace of a man who achieved the seemingly impossible, George Stephenson, the father of the steam locomotive engine. Past the front of his cottage, within a few yards of the door, heavily laden and light trains of coal trucks pass today, as did the tiny chaldron wagons drawn by horses along plate-ways 150 years ago. The cottage itself is a two-storied house, typical of many of those built years ago by the colliery owners for their employees. It was divided into four rooms, in each of which a different family dwelt. The lower room at the western side of the cottage was the home of the Stephenson family, and it was in this room, which served for sleeping, eating and shelter, that George, the second son of a family of four boys and two girls, was born on June 9, 1781. "Old Bob," George Stephenson's father, was a Scotsman who crossed the border as a gentleman's servant, and then married a local lassie, Mabel Carr, the daughter of a dyer. "Bob" found work as fireman of the pumping engine of the Wylam colliery at 12 shillings ($3) per week.—Edinburgh Scotsman.

Advertising Was an Art

Advertising a century ago was not without its subtleties, an ad which appeared then in the London Times would seem to indicate:

"(Advertisement)—Amongst the departures for the Continent on Saturday last we noticed the Dowager Viscountess Bolingbroke and suite. We were particularly struck with the elegance and superior convenience of her ladyship's carriage, which, upon inquiry, we found was built by Mr. —— of Uxbridge, who, we think, by producing such specimens of his taste, will bid fair to rival some of the first coachmakers in the metropolis."

Education in America

Compulsory education in the United States occurred first in Massachusetts. As far back as 1642 the selectmen were enjoined to compel parents to teach their children themselves or to procure teaching for them. The following list shows the dates at which the several states enacted compulsory education legislation: Massachusetts, 1852; District of Columbia, 1864; Vermont, 1867; New Hampshire, Michigan, Washington, 1871; Connecticut, New Mexico, 1872; Nevada, 1873; New York, Kansas, California, 1874; Maine, New Jersey, 1875; Wyoming, 1876; Ohio, 1877; Wisconsin, 1879; Rhode Island, Illinois, the Dakotas, Montana, 1883; Minnesota, Nebraska, Idaho, Colorado, Oregon, Utah, 1885-1890; by 1908 almost all states.

The Hard Part

Finding fault with the world is easy enough. Getting the world to pay any attention to you is different.—Des Moines Register.

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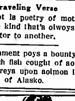
It's  milder

Traveling Verse

Tigg—What is poetry of motion?

Ragg—The kind that's always going from one editor to another.

The government pays a bounty of 10 cents for each fish caught of any species which preys upon salmon in certain districts of Alaska.

When Food Sours

Lots of folks who think they have "indigestion" have only an acid condition which could be corrected in five or ten minutes. An effective anti-acid like Phillips Milk of Magnesia soon restores digestion to normal.

Phillips does away with all that sourness and gas right after meals. It prevents the distress so apt to occur two hours after eating. What a pleasant preparation to take! And how good it is for the system! Unlike a burning dose of soda—which is but temporary relief at best—Phillips Milk of Magnesia neutralizes many times its volume in acid.

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By M. K. THOMSON, Ph. D.

THE practical joke aims to place some one in an embarrassing position.

We all enjoy seeing a person thrown off his high horse. The situation is really humorous because the person off balance is likely to say and do ridiculous things. It is always a lot more fun to play pranks on one who lacks poise and is easily confused and acts foolish. Boys especially delight to pick on one who is likely to chase them, threatening all sorts of terrible punishment.

The practical joke is often dangerous and sometimes fatal. Among Fourth of July casualties was a victim of a practical joke. A sleeping man was too much of a temptation for some practical joker who placed a firecracker in the man's mouth and touched off the fuse probably with no other motive than to get some fun out of the surprised and embarrassed conduct on the part of the careless sleeper. But the explosion blew out the man's teeth and otherwise injured him severely so that he was removed to the hospital in a critical condition.

We usually refrain from indulging in practical jokes because we regard them as crude and dangerous. But the very need for suppression shows that there is an impulse to indulge. We enjoy the practical joke because the other fellow pays the bills. It is always at his expense. We don't enjoy it a bit when the tables are turned.

The other fellow not only furnished us cheap amusement but he also satisfies our sense of importance at the same time. The fun and elation is in proportion to the embarrassment of the victim. The favorable circumstances in which we find ourselves by contrast tickles us mightily and we laugh.

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Elephant's Trunk

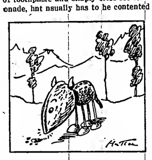
There are two openings in the end of the trunk of an elephant. The proboscis is really only a prolongation of the animal's nose.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Nutty Natural History

By Hugh Hutton.

THE NORTH AMERICAN SNARK

THE snark is probably the most wary beast on this continent, for there is no record of one ever having been seen. They live in unsurveyed portions of the Sierra Nevada range and spend their time chasing packrats out of their holes and stealing their packs. The snark is very fond of toothpaste and simply cries for lemonade, but usually has to be contented



with what it can pick up in the way of discarded tires and burnt out bearings.

This individual is sniffing suspiciously at a footprint of a packrat.

He has an almond head fastened to a single peanut body with chewing gum. The ears are popcorn, the tail is a clove, and the feet are split navy beans. The legs can be toothpicks or anything like them.

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Where Swedish Art Exposition Is Housed at Stockholm

An aerial picture of Stockholm showing in the lower right section the buildings which house the exhibition of Swedish glass, pewter, textiles and furniture.

It's All Up to the Woman

—By— JEAN NEWTON

A PROMINENT citizen of Montreal, Canada, having made his fortune and wishing to leave behind him a monument to his civic interest, has conceived the idea of a school to train girls and young women to make good wives.

The father of three married sons, and long a student of the subject of domestic felicity, which is said to have been beautifully achieved in his own home, this man is unswervingly convinced that IT IS ALL UP TO THE WOMAN! If she is clever, there is peace and happiness for both. If not, friction and troubled waters.

As I heard that it reminded me of what a woman said not long ago over the radio: "The success of a marriage is up to the woman. Men think they can get peace by fighting for it, but you can't get it that way."

So I went to see this man to get his viewpoint on why it is up to the woman. I expected to hear much of the masculine prerogative, of man's traditional right as lord and master, of him who toils to bring home the bacon. Instead I received from a man of affairs, a power in industry and his community the naive admission that the reason why the responsibility for happiness in the home must be assumed by the woman, is that men are simply not up to it.

Whether from countless generations of inattention to such matters, whether absorption in breadwinning excuses them or not, whether they won't or they can't they DON'T. "And you all want to be happy and make your men happy, don't you?" he added through me to all wives. "It's your job because you CAN." There's your answer as to why it's up to the woman.

More power to your Training School for Good Wives, to which you might add as a subtitle, "And to Make Happy Women." It is a departure in education that may bear fruit over wider areas than its founder dreams of.

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KEEP ON IN SCHOOL

By Douglas Malloch.

KEEP on in school, my son.
  And see it through.
Soon schooldays will be done
  New things to do,
And if you do them ill
  Or do them well,
Move upward, or downhill,
  These days will tell.

The more you know, the more
  You know of joy.
Books are the open door
  To life, my boy.
Each day new worlds you own.
  Some book the key,
You never might have known,
  Might never see.

And, if you dream of gold,
  Of wealth to earn,
The more your hands will hold
  The more you learn.
To throw the chance away
  A boy's a fool . . .
No matter what they say,
  Keep on in school.

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The St. Patrick's Day Tea

By NELLIE MAXWELL

A ST. PATRICK'S day tea will be most appropriate in celebration of the good old saint. As green is his favorite color and the shamrock appropriate to his nationality, that color and that design will help to make the occasion particularly fitting.

A delicious and invigorating cup of tea is a stimulant to both wit and merriment. No cup of tea will fill the specifications unless it is well made and daintily served. Freshly boiled water, a hot pot, and a teaspoonful of tea for each person. Let the tea stand and draw or steep, where it will be kept hot with heat or covered with a cozy, for four to five minutes, according to the strength desired.

The best tea to be obtained may be spoiled in the making.

The tea table should be set in the dining room with the best linen, embroidered or lace cloth one has. The table may be decorated with shamrocks cut out of green paper, or green paper may cover the table under the lace cloth. Nut boxes may be bought in the shops in the shape of the shamrock and green hats, pipes, candy potatoes, and even little figures for table decoration. Each year somebody thinks of something different. However, one need not despair if none of these are available, for they may be made at home. The candy potato, made of fondant, molded in the form of a potato and rolled in cocoa, looks very real. The colored papers of various kinds that one may buy everywhere, may be used in countless ways for favors and decoration.

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"You have to keep husbands and tires properly inflated," says Mature Matilda, "to go far with them."

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The Children's Corner

Edited by DOROTHY EDMONDS

Many, many moons ago, by the shore of a big, blue lake, a little Indian boy was playing "warrior" one bright spring day.

"Wa oh, wa oh, wa oh, wa oh! Woach, woach, woach, ha ha, woach!"

That was what little Blue Heron was shouting. What in the world do you suppose those queer words meant? The boy had often heard the shout, for it was the warwhoop of his tribe, who lived on the shore of the lake, Winnepesaukee.

Perhaps you have spent the summer at this very lake. There are houses and trolleys there now, but on that spring day when the Indian lad was playing by the shore, there were only wigwams and forests, and no white man had ever been there.

"I will make a bow from this big tree," said Blue Heron to himself, when he was tired of playing warrior. It was a big maple, and of course he could not have cut it down with his little flint knife. But the little knife was new, for the old arrowmaker had given it to Blue Heron that very day, and the Indian boy liked to play that he was cutting down the tree to make a bow. He had used bows and arrows ever since he was able to walk, as all the Indian boys did. So he made a hole in the trunk of the maple. It was not a very big hole, but little Blue Heron was tired when he finished his work, and sat down to rest.

Mish Queey, as the Indians called the red-headed woodpecker was flying about, tapping at the trees, hunting for worms, under the bark. When he came to this tree he did not tap on it, but clung to the edge of the hole, and, yes, he was drinking!

"Can't you find any worms, Mish Queey?" asked Blue Heron. Then he saw that the woodpecker seemed to have found water. Blue Heron was so amazed that he ran up close to the tree and so scared the woodpecker away. He peeped into the hole, and, sure enough, there was water in it!

"Nut nip," said little Blue Heron. That was his Indian way of saying, "I will drink." He tasted the water.

"Wek onny su!" he cried in delight, "It is sweet!" How surprised he was! For the Indians in New Hampshire had never known anything about maple sap before. Blue Heron drank, and he drank. The sap came so slowly that it made him thirsty to wait for it.

It was almost dark before Blue Heron could tear himself away from that delightful tree. Then he made a basket of birch bark, with a handle (even the littlest Indians knew how to do these things), and filled it with some sap and ran home to his wigwam and gave it to his father.

"Ugh! ugh!" said his father, "wek onny nip! Wek onny nip!" And he liked it so much that he drank it all up, every drop! And that is the story the Indians tell of the discovery of the maple sap. For when little Blue Heron's father told the rest of the tribe, and they tried it, too, they were so pleased that they gave Blue Heron more bows and arrows and knives than he could ever, ever use! And the Indians all went to work tapping the maple trees, and drinking the "sweet water." For that is what "wek onny nip" means!

—Jean Halifax.

IF THEY DID

If everyone should look and speak,
  And try to be like me,
And eat and walk and act the same,
  How good I'd have to be!

YOUR DRAWING LESSON

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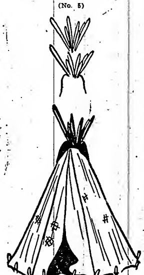


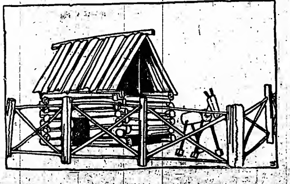
First you draw a bunch of sticks
  And then a shock of wheat;
Now put a dress upon it all,
  And you've a teepee neat.

—Lucille Crites.

TOYS FROM CORNSTALKS

Cornstalks cut into even lengths make very excellent logs for building. They should be notched at the ends so that when placed on top of each other they will stay in place, and the stalks cut in half make flat timber for roofs, fences, etc. Very nice farm animals can be made from pieces of the stalks of irregular sizes, as the picture shows.

—R. B. Thompson.



Daudet, French Royalist, Returns From Exile

Leon Daudet, editor of the French royalist paper L'Action, shown here with his wife and son, recently was permitted to return to Paris after thirty months of exile in Belgium. He immediately resumed his efforts to make France a kingdom.

Cold in Head, Chest or Throat?

RUB Musterole well into your chest and throat—almost instantly you feel easier. Repeat the Musterole-rub *once an hour for five hours* . . . what a glorious relief!

Those good old-fashioned cold remedies—oil of mustard, menthol, camphor—are mixed with other valuable ingredients in Musterole.

It penetrates and stimulates blood circulation and helps to draw out infection and pain. Used by millions for 20 years. Recommended by many doctors and nurses. Keep Musterole handy—jars, tubes. All druggists.

To Mothers—Musterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole.

MUSTEROLE
BETTER THAN A MUSTARD PLASTER

Detour Fan

"I understand your husband can't meet his creditors." "I don't believe he wants to particularly."

A FAMILY DOCTOR'S LAXATIVE IS BEST

Your health is too important! You cannot afford to experiment with your delicate bowels when coated tongue, bad breath, headache, gas, nausea, feverishness, lack of appetite, no energy, etc., warn of constipation. This applies not only to grown people, but more particularly to children. That's why a family doctor's laxative is always the safe choice.

Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is prepared today under strict laboratory supervision from fresh laxative herbs and other pure ingredients, and exactly according to Dr. Caldwell's original prescription.

Today, millions of families rely on Dr. Caldwell's judgment in the selection of their laxative. For Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, in bottles ready for use, sold in all drugstores, is now the largest selling laxative in the world!

A Household Remedy
For External Use Only
Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh
Money back for first bottle if not suited. All dealers.

Circumstances never made the man do right who didn't do right in spite of them.—Kernahan.

Mother of Four Babies

"Although I am only 22 years old, I have four babies to care for. Before my first baby was born my mother urged me to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound because I was so terribly weak. I had to lie down four or five times a day. After three bottles I could feel a great improvement. I still take the Vegetable Compound whenever I need it for it gives me strength to be a good mother to my family."—*Mrs. Vern L. Dennings, 510 Johnson Street, Saginaw, Michigan.*

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound
Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co., Lynn, Mass.

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Spring is "right around the corner", the time you need them Let us have your order for what you need.

St. Hilaire Spectator

Bray News

Miss Hazel Krause visited Saturday at Thief River.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson and son, Harry, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. ann Mrs. Soren Knutson near Viking.

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kron at Thief River last Saturday. Mother and child are doing well.

Mrs. Mons Troland is visiting relatives at Thief River this week.

Lillian and Harry Larson spent Wednesday in St. Hilaire visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Person.

Quite a number of young people from this vicinity attended the Farm Crops show at Crookston last Wednesday.

Helen Olson and Lulu Hegstrom, who attend high school in St. Hilaire, spent the past week end at their parental homes,

Glen Lindquist visited Saturday evening at the J. A. Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lindblom and daughter, Mabel, Melvin Wood and Mrs. Anna Lindblom spent Saturday at Thief Falls attending to business matters.

A Valentine party was given Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. H. Lutter. A big crowd was present and a social time was enjoyed A delicious lunch was served at a late hour. All who attended report a fine time.

Miss Hazel Krause, teacher in Dist. 180, invited parents of all pupils to a Valentine party given at the school Friday afternoon. After a most enjoyable afternoon lunch was served at four o'clock.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Troland of Thief River Falls on Feb, 12. The first born will receive the name of Charles Morris.

Old Educational Idea

One of the first records we have of the student exchange idea among the universities of the world is dated 1343, at which time a home was established at Bologna for the Spanish students attending university there. It was a common custom during the Fourteenth, Fifteenth and Sixteenth centuries for all of the larger countries to establish residences in Rome for their respective students.

Mediterranean Climata

The climate of the Mediterranean region is warm, almost tropical. Tha mean temperature for the year is 57.5 degrees Fahrenheit. The winters are mild, but the summers are hot and almost rainless. The heat of the summer, however, is tempered in many localities by the sea breezes. It has been said that the climate of the Mediterranean resembles most closely that of southern California.

All-Powerful Truth

Truth is justice's handmaiden, freedom is its child, peace is its companion, safety walks in its steps, victory follows in its train; it is the brightest emanation from the Gospel; it is the attribute of God.—Sydney Smith (1769-1845), "Memoir."

Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council of the Village of St Hilaire, Minn. held at the president's office, Feb. 3. at 8 P. M.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present.

Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed as read.

Red River Power Co, lights $34.30

John Forseen, salary for , January 20.00

O. Gunstad, two proceedings and annual statement. 25.75

H. O. Jackson and R. Larson. a committee from the Swedish Lutheran congregation of St. Hilaire, stated that said congregation decided to turn over to the village of St. Hilaire the cemetary, known as the Swedish Lutheran cemetary, provided that there be no expenses to the congregation in making the transfer. Council decided to take the matter up at their regular meeting in March, which will be held at the village hall and invites all persons interested to meet with the council and express their opinion.

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjurned.

A. Satterberg, President. M. Fricker, Clerk.

Zeke Fires First, but Combined Assault Wins

McAlister, Okla.—When Zeke Goodman, estranged husband, went to the home of his brother-in-law to win vengeance for alleged abuse he failed to take into account the combined forces of his wife's family. Goodman shot the brother-in-law, Roland Fuqua, in the fece, but retreated when his gun jammed. Later he returned and was badly beaten up by his wife and Fuqua, who had sufficiently recovered from effects of the buckshot pellets to administer a beating which landed Goodman in the hospital.

Off Season for Fish, but Hardly for Fish Stories

Plattsburgh, N. Y.—Trout are caught in Schuyler Falls, near here, even out of season and by means not generally approved by disciples of Izaak Walton. A farmer of Plattsburgh went to the Saranac river, near his home, recently to get a pail of water for the reservoir of his stove. Later in the day his wife discovered a fair-sized trout, cooked, in the water.

Plane Gets Radio Maps and Photos During Test

Berlin.—A successful attempt to radio photographs and maps to airplanes in flight has been accomplished by the Deutsche Luft Hansa. Equipped with a Telegunken receiving set, the plane picked out of the air a chart depicting weather conditions broad cast by a station on the ground.

Good Book Immortal

Such is tha immortality of a good book, defying man and nature alike, and linking one generation of men and books with another. Styles and tastes may change, puritanism may give place to sophistication, "wisecracking" to serious thought, but a good book goes on forever, finding its attics, its shelves, its place in the world, its knowing minds, its appreciative hearts, its tender hands.—Washington Star.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Minneapolis—J. M. Baker, grocer, shot and killed a bandit who attempted to hold him up.

Rush City—Rush City high school debate team was awarded a 2 to 1 decision over Pine City.

Owatonna—William F. Sawyer, municipal court judge four years, has filed for re-election here.

Fairmont—Rev. William Baier, pastor of the Christian church here, has resigned, effective March 1.

Bayport — Three armed bandits bound the marshal here and robbed the post office of $2000 in stamps.

Litchfield—Rev. P. J. Boland, for 50 years pastor of St. Philips Catholic church here, is ill following an attack of heart failure.

Parkers Lake—Bill Reita, resident here, routed two road agents with a heavy wrench, then asked authorities "did I do right?"

Little Falls—Rev. Harold H. Baldwin of St. Cloud spoke at the annual father and son banquet here under auspices of the HI-Y club.

Austin—More than 50 men were employed by a company of Austin in harvesting more than 28,400 tons of ice this winter about 20 inches thick.

Minneapolis—New building and engineering work contracted for in Minnesota during the year 1929 showed an increase of 15 per cent over 1928.

Saheka—Charles Anderson disappeared from his home here 13 years ago. His family have reported him missing to police for the first time.

Waseca—An automobile loaded with whisky and alcohol was burned when the machine plunged into a ditch four miles east of here. The driver escaped.

Hutchinson—The Union Club here plans a celebration for this summer, commemorating the seventy-fifth anniversary of the founding of Hutchinson.

Brainerd—The farm home of Edmund Brusseau, near here, was burned to the ground. Although the furniture was saved, the loss will approximate $2,500.

Hutchinson—Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Nelson celebrated their fifty-fourth wedding anniversary at their home here. They were married in Denmark in 1876.

Montgomery—Cut by glass from his windshield when his machine struck a snowbank, Ceri Shema, 26 years old, Montgomery resident, died from loss of blood.

Farihault — Farihault's significance as an industrial center will be emphasized at the 1930 Made-in-Farihault dinner forum to be conducted February 26th.

Robbinsdale—Negotiations were concluded by which the First Bank Stock corporation of Minneapolis and St. Paul is to acquire the Security State bank here.

Medford—Joseph Taylor, president of the Medford Creamery Association for 20 years, has retired and William J. Mollenhauer was elected as his successor.

Benson—Checks totalling $38,222.59 and representing the first refund of 10 per cent to depositors of the closed Security State Bank of Benson were received here.

Minneapolis—Sam Y. Gordon, State Printer and for many years publisher of the Browns Valley Tribune, filed Monday for the offics of Clerk of the Supreme Court.

Dassel—The Northwest Development Co.'s trial oil well here has reached a depth of over 1100 ft. Two other wells are going down in Cosmos and at Lake Lillian.

St. Louis Park—A contract for 25 miles of water main to serve the entire village of St. Louis Park will be awarded at a special meeting of the village council Feb. 17.

Owatonna—President A. P. Bartsch and other officers of the Farmers Gilt Edge Creamery Association were reelected as the county's largest of 23 co-opeartive creameries closed its 36th year.

Morris—Paul V. Betters, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Betters of Morris and graduate of the University of Minnesota in the class of 1928, has joined the institute for government research at Washington.

Red Wing—Resignation of Rev. P. C. Danielson, pastor of St. Peter's Lutheran church, has been accepted. Final steps in the merger of the St. Peter's Lutheran church with Trinity church have ben taken and officers will be elected.

Moorhead—Replacement of the main building of the State Teachers' college in this city destroyed by fire with a loss of $200,000, is being considered by the state executive council who are making surveys.

Aitkin—Aitkin county was refused a loan by the state of Minnesota, the investment board basing its action on the fact that 66 per cent of the taxes in the county for 1926 are delinquent. The board granted a $150,000 loan to another northern Minnesota county, Marshall.

Lonsdale—George Hurley, held as murdered of William Bacheller in St. Paul, was positively identified as one of three bandits who robbed the Lonsdale State bank of $30,000 in a holdup Jan. 10.

Howard Lake—A tenth district rally of the American Legion and auxiliary members was coducted here. Speakers included E. V. Cliff, Ortonville, state commander of the Legion; Mrs. A. E. Amundsen, Little Falls, state auxiliary president; Harold Rogers, Minneapolis, tenth district commander, and Mrs. A. C. Carlson, Willmar, past state president.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in a certain mortgage, containg a power of sale, executed and delivered by Arminta Hooper and G. W. Hooper, her husband, of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, as mortgagors to the Crookston Building & Loan Association, a corporation, under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, and covering the following described property, situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lots One (1), Two (2), and Three (3) of Block One (1) of Ives' Addition to the Village of St. Hilaire, according to the recorded plat thereof, on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota.

Which mortgage is dated the 3rd day of March, 1922, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County of Pennington, Minnesota on the 29th day of March, 1922, at 8:00 o'clock A. M. and duly recorded in Book 70 of Mortgages, on Page 327; that no action or proceedings have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, and that the amount now due upon said mortgage is the sum of Seven Hundred Sixty-eight and 46-100 Dollars ($768.46) against which the mortgagors are entitled to credit of Three Hundred ninety-one and 79-100 Dollars ($391.79), the current value of seven (7) shares of capitol stock of the mortgagee, subscribed for by said mortgagors and forming a part of said transaction, leaving the amount actually due and claimed to be due and owing upon said mortgage at the date of this notice, the sum of Three Hundred Seventy-six and 67-100 Dollars ($376.67), and the further sum of Six Hundred ninety-six and 29-100 Dollars ($696.29), taxes paid by said mortgagee, making a total of One Thousand seventy-two and 96-100 Dollars ($1,072.96), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon said mortgage.

NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale and the statute in such cases made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, by the sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 29th day of March, 1930, at 10:00 o'clock, in the forenoon of that day at the East front door of the Pennington County Court House in the city of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, to pay said debt, together with the said taxes and interest thereon, and the costs and disbursements of these proceedings, together with Fifty Dollars ($50.00) attorney's fees, stipulated in and by said mortgage.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1930.

Crookston Building & Loan Association
A Corporation,
Mortgagee

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Mortgagee
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
F13-M20

Neighbors Husk Corn So Boy Can Go to School

Muncie, Ind.—Neighbors gathered 22 acres of corn here for Mrs. George Burgess, a widow, rather than see her son, James, a sophomore in high, quit his studies to husk tha corn. Sixty-four persons gathered at her farm at 6:30 a. m. and by 2 p. m. tha corn was cribbed. When the corn was husked tha neighbors brought baskets, a dinner was served, and it was made a picnic occasion.

Pickup Worth While

If the paper that is taken out by perforating stamps so that they will separate easily were sold for a whole year at the present contract price, the government would receive $5,500 for this paper.

Damage by Tornadoes

The weather bureau says that more than a hundred tornadoes per year on the average reported to the bureau result in about $12,000,000 damage. Some years are more serious than others.

Stock and Poultry Meals

We have on hand a big supply of Cottonseed meal, Oil meal, etc., for stock use.

And we have Bone meal, Meat scraps, Oyster shells and Limestone "Shellmaker" for poultry.

Don't forget to order a sack of Dakota Maid

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Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

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We also have the right crankcase oil and grease that will make your motor function as it should during cold weather. See us orall kinds of oils.

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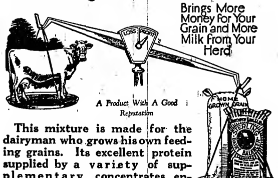

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N. Benoit, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Sing, Boys, Sing

Bathroom accidents are so frequent, a medical society warns against locking the door, lest rescuers be unable to reach the person disabled. If you try this, don't stop singing.—Detroit News.

First Natural Laws

The first und fundamental lew of nature, which is "to seek peace and follow it." The second, the sum of the right of nature, which is, "by all means we can to defend ourselves."—Hobbes.

Source of Happiness

Happiness is in taste and not in things; and it is by having what we love that we are happy, not by having what others find acceptable.—Rochefoucauld.

Unacknowledged Debt

So far as we know only part of our pioneer history; that of the non-English speaking immigrant remains yet, very largely, to be told.—American Magazine.

Personal Property Taxes Due

Personal property taxes for the current year are now due and payable.

Payments must be made before March, 1st, to avoid payment of penalty.

John Gullingsrud, Co. Treas.
Pennington County, Minn.

DR. L. R. TWETE

Licensed Veterinarian

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Tuberculin Testing

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

And They Say That Figures Don't Lie!

"MR. DOOLEY" once said thet the Irish migbt be sby on mathematiciens bot that they excelled lo poets. Without taking issue on the latter part of the statement I maintein that there is, in this story, proof thet the race likewise produces lis soos who understand the science of figures.

Three petriciens of the coal yards fared forth on mercy bent, each in his greet bleck chariot. Their overlord, the yard superintendent, had hade them deliver to seven families e totel of twenty-eight tons of coal equelly divided whilst he went on his vacotion.

Well oot of the yards, each with his first load, Kelly and Burke and Shea poosed to discuse the prohlem of equol distribution—how mnch coal should each femily get?

"'Tis this wey," argued Burke. "'Tis but a bit of mathematics. If there are 7 fomilies an' 28 tons o' coal ye divide 28 by 7, which is done as follows: Seven into 8 is 1, 7 into 21 is 3, which mekes 13."

He triumphontly exhibited his figures made with a stubby pencil on a bit of grimy puper:

7/28/13
7
—
21
21
—
00

The figures were impressive but Shee was not wholly convinced. "There's a easy wuy o' provin' that," he declnred. "Ye edd 13 seven times," and he made his column of figures according to his own formnla. Then, sturting from the hottom of the 3 coluiuu, he reoched the top with a total of 21 and climhed down the colnmn of 1s, thos: "3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28. Borke is right," he aunounced with finailty "D'ye see tbe figures to prove it?"

This was Shee's exhibit:

13
13
13
13
13
13
13
—
28

"There is still some doubt in me mind," said Kelly. "Let me demonstrate in me own way. If ye multiply the 13 by 7 and get 28, then 13 is right." He produced a hit of stubby pencil and soiled paper. "'Tis done in this wey," he said. "Seven times 3 is 21; 7 times 1 is 7, which makes 28. 'Tis thus shown that 13 is the rigbt figure nnd ye're hoth right. Would ye see the figures?"

Kelly's feat in mathemetics was displayed as follows:

13
7
—
21
7
—
28

"There is no more argyment," the three ugreed, so they delivered thirteen tons of coal to each fanily.

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Notice To Black River Voters

The annual township election will be held Tuesday, March. 11th. Our voting system have been changed to the Austrailian system of balloting this year. Anyone desiring to file for office of supervisor for three year term, or for town clerk for two year term, kindly notify clerk and pay fee of $1.00 by March 1st., at which time fillings close.

Felix Anderson, Clerk.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.

There will be no services next Sunday as the pastor will be at Hallock for the week.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Feb, 23
Services as follows
Ebenezer Luth, 11:00 A. M.
Clearwater, 2:00 P. M. Amer.
St. Hilaire, 8:00 P. M. Lenten service in American language
Sunday school at 10:00

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services in local church next Sunday morning at 10:30

What Is A Gentleman?

Do you love your fellowmen?

Do you realize how fortunate you are (if married) or what you have to look forward to (if single) to have a wife to find your collar button, tell you where you left your hat, vest, coat, etc?

John Costain, Harry Winter and A. Bilden, respectively, gave answers to those qnestions at the Mens' Club held Tuesday evening at the Norwegian Lutheran church. Besides being fully informed on the problems jost mentioned, the andience was treated to a song hy the Male Quartet, and a Go-from-me-Come to-me duet by E. N. Reiersgord and Wm. Peterson. After the program the men gathered in the basement for entertainment by the quartet, and a nice lunch. Everybody declared Ted knows his coffee, and that they would be back Tnesday, March 4th. Watch for the program in next issue of this paper and plan to come.

Monument an Enigma

Efforts are being made to solve the identity of an ancient monument near the ruined city of Baalbeck, Syria. Built to commemorate some event now forgotten, it stands 60 feet high, and on its sides are sculptured hunting scenes and hunting regalia. Its origin, its age and its builders are unknown.

SENATE CONFIRMS HUGHES JUSTICE

Party Ranks Broken by 52 to 26 Vote as Acceptance Hottest Battle on Appointment.

Washington—By a vote of 52 to 26 the senate confirmed Charles Evans Hughes as chief justice of the United States after the hitterest hettle over the chief justiceship in more than three-quarters of a century. Until late in the dey donht remained whether Repohlican forces, ahetted hy a wavering Democratic support, could save the name from heing sent back to the judiciary committee from which the chances are it would not have successfully emerged e second time.

Led hy Repuhlican insurgents, notably Borah, Norris and La Follette, the opposition waged a terrific attack, not against the ahility, integrity or character of the nominee, hut against his ecooomlo convictions. Picturing him as protagonist of property rights against pohlic interest, they songht to make the issoe one of "the interests" as opposed to the man in the street.

So intense was the criticism, excelling anything since Taney was assailed in 1836 for his affiliation with the privete hanking of the country, that even some of Mr. Hughes' supporters thooght he might withdraw his neme rather then enter the court in the aftermeth of such attack and criticism. His announcement that ha would not withdraw did not reach the senate until after the final vote was taken.

Senate Flails U. S. Supreme Court.

Washington—Thrests of a coustitutionel emendment abolishing the power of the sopreme court to hold laws unconstitutional re-echoed through the senate chamber in a stormy aftermath of the confirmation of Chief Jnstice Charles Evans Hughes. Senators Norris, chairman of the judiciary committee, Dill and Brookhert joined in the ettack. Senetor Vandenherg of Michigan, who is not a lewyer, was the lone defender of the court. Senator Norris not only ettacked the tendency of the court to declare laws unconstitutional bot pohlicly ridicoled one of its particular decisioos—thet rendered in the Baltimore street reilway case, where the court held thet e return of 6.26 per cent, hased on a rate fixed hy the Maryland public service commission, was confiscatory.

Crisler Accept U. of M. Coach Job.

Minneepolis, Minn.—H. O. ("Fritz") Crisler of Chicago and Elton E. ("Tad") Wiemen of Michigan heve eccepted the positioos of head coach ond assistant coach, respectively, of the U. of M. foothall teem. Their final decisions were sent to Dr. L. D. Coffman, chancellor of the university, efter both men had deliberated as to whether they should come here in view of the onusual criticism of their selections. Crisler will come to Minneapolis immediately to op his new duties. He will leter return to Chicago where he has egreed to supervise the netiooal interscholastic basketbell touroament, an event that be has conducted so successfully for several yeers. Both Wieman and Crisler wired their ecceptances et the same time.

Eielson's Helmet Found In Wreck.

Motorship Nanuk, North Cepe, Siberia—Encooraged by the finding of the wreckage of his plane of the helmet worn hy Pilot Carl Ben Eielson of Hettoo, N. D., lost Novemher 9, workmen searching for the hodies of Eielson and his mechenic, Earl Borland, resumed their labors with renewed vigor. Pilot Joe Crosson, who reported discovery of Eielson's helmet, said a part of the cockpit elso had heen recovered. Seerchers continued clearing away snow toward the spot where they helieved the plane first hit.

$400,000 Fire Wipes Out Factory.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Fire raced through the five-ecre plant of the Minneapolis-Moline Power Implement Company at St. Louis Park, a suhurh, destroying mechinery and huildings valoed at $400,000. More than 7,000 feet of hose were spreed a half mile in an effort to ohtain water to fight the hlaze, which threatened to engulf several other husiness structures and a lerge fectory nearhy. Approximately 2,000 new farm machines ready for delivery were a total loss. Thirty hoildings constructed of galvanized iron and hrick comprised the rambling plant.

Chinsse Fire on U. S. Ships.

Washington—Three U. S. vessels of the Standard Oil Co., were fired npon hy bendits near Temple Hill, 250 miles ahove Hankow, the American consul reported to the state department.

Grand Jury Inquiry of Riot Ordered.

Alhion, Mich.—A grand jury investigation of student riot was ordered as one of the Alhion college students was sentenced to 10 days in jail and fined $50, and five others were held under bond.

Riot Jury Goes to Bed Without Verdict

Anburn, N. Y.—The jury considering the fate of the six Anburn prison convicts on trial here for murder, first degree, was sent to bed at 10 p. m. without having reached a verdict.

For St. Hilaire Merchants Only

Being one of a series of chats with St. Hilaire businessmen in which they are told how they can increase their volume of sales.

Attracting St. Hilaire Folks To St. Hilaire Stores

Have you ever watched some of the St. Hilaire citizens go riding off away from St. Hilaire to do their shopping? Have you ever watched them come riding back, loaded up with supplies? Have you ever, while you watched, wondered why they passed up your stores right here in St. Hilaire?

Sure, you have. So have all of us, whose first and deepest interest is in St. Hilaire. Yes, we've watched. And we've wondered. And we've felt badly about the fact that these good citizens of St. Hilaire have chose to shop outside of St. Hilaire.

It isn't that you merchants of St. Hilaire don't offer shoping means just as good as those of the stores in the nearby bigger towns. No, that's not at all the reason. Your merchandise is just as good. Your service, too, is every bit as good. Maybe better.

One reason is that the nearby bigger towns do a better job of attracting some of the St. Hilaire citizens to their stores.

But the advertising of the manufacturers whose goods you try to sell, as well.

Your immediate job, as you can well see, is to get into your local, home newspaper the advertising aid of the manufacturers whose goods are on your shelves. And you can help get this aid easily enough.

After all, merchandise can be sold only in ratio to the amount of selling effort expended. Advertising is selling effort. It performs all the functions of selling but that of supplying the personality which the merchant himself does.

One of these days, maybe today, you'll be visited by the salesman of the manufacturers whose goods you stock. Whenever they come, interest them in St. Hilaire. Interest them so that they stay interested. Interest them so that they'll want to interest their sales managers.

Once you've injected this interest into the salesman, it will spread. And spreading it will prove extremely helpful in bringing into your local home newspaper the advertising support of the manufacturers whose interest is that you sell more of their goods.

Once you've got this advertising support, you'll have a decided advantage in attracting St. Hilaire people to St. Hilaire stores.

Your job then you merchants of St. Hilaire, is to do some attracting of your own.

Puzzled? Wondering won't do it. Neither will mere talk. But advertising will. Not only your own advertising.

THIS newepeper hes joined smell towu newspapers all over the country in a nationwide campeign to convince netional advertisers that they cen best assist small town merchants by advertising in the local, home town newspapers of the small town merchants.

You need the advertising aid of the manufacturers whose goods you stock—urge their salesmen to recommend your local home newspaper

St. Hilaire Spectator

Hazel News

The Erling Prestby family and Axel Rassmuson visited at Carl Prestby Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Knutson and daughter Arlene visited at the Gilbertson home Saturday.

Miss Ideila Peterson of St. Hilaire visited the Bee Busy school on Tuesday of last week.

The St. Hilaire Bisons played the St. Hilaire H. S. Alumni here Tues. day evening. The Bisons lost, the score being 17 to 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Widme and Mrs. Fredrickson and son Alfred visited at the Nels Nelson home Sunday.

Lillian and Gladys Alberg visited at the P. Nelson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson and Melvin Anderson visited at the C. Alberg home Monday.

Mrs. Adrian Anderson and daughter Mayme visited at the Kuntson home Wednesday afternoon.

A Valentine party was held at the Busy Bee school last Friday. Prizes were given to various pupils who won in the contests. At close of the afternoon the pupils distributed the Valentines. The visitors were Miss Dorothy Olson, Annie Cleo, and Stanley Alberg, Pearl Nelson, Mrs. Theo. Johnson and Mrs. P. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Logreen of Detroit Lakes visited at the Knutson home Saturday afternoon. Mr. Logreen is a former schoolmate of Mr. Knutson whom he has not seen for twenty years.

Hazel News

Mrs. Nels Nelson was taken to Warren Thursday morning by Roy Lokken. Mrs. Nelson has already undergone two operations and intends having the third one. With the last reports we are told that Mrs. Nelson was convalescing rapidly. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

Annie Anderson visited at the J. A. Kenney home in Thief River Falls Wednesday evening. She returned home by train Thursday morning.

Mrs. Nels Johnson visited at Ole Odegaard's Wednesday and Thursday last week. She was called home Friday on account of the illness of Mr. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard and son Harvey, Misses Annie Anderson and Mae Kenney visited with friends in St. Hilaire on Wednesday.

Annie Alberg visited at the Eli Peterson home last Wednesday.

Paul and William Gilbertson were callers at Knutson last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard and sons Rueben and Walter, and Mr. and Mrs. O. Seeland visited at the Albert Anderson home west of St. Hilaire Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Olson, who taught the Busy Bee school at Hazel last year visited with former pupils and friends of Hazel Thursday and Friday.

Nellie and Myrtle Nelson visited with the Theo. Johnson children Sunday afternoon.

Wyandotte News

Margaret Berg was a visitor Wednesday at the O. E. Wilson home.

Pete Kolseth attended to business Saturday at Plummer.

Charley Samuelson is busy hauling wood to school district 125.

Joe and Albert Bruggeman of Plummer, were callers Monday at the Pete Kolseth home.

Robert Nelson of Thief River, was a caller at J. Albin, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sjoberg and daughters visited Sunday evening at the Lem Dobson home.

Myron, Dorothy and Lavora Sumpter spent Saturday evening at Mrs. N. Berg.

Kenneth and Vernon Finstad called at O. E. Wilson home Sunday.

Mrs. James Evenson visited at the Ray Rochwell home Wednesday afternoon.

For Sale:- A few purebred White Wyandotte cockrels of the Martin strain for sale at $1.50 each. Call on.

J. V. Patton.
F20-27 St. Hilaire, Minn

In a Nutshell

As the sun lightens the world, so let our loving kindness make bright this house of our habitation.

Chestnut's Food Value

Chestnuts contain protein, fat and sugar to supplement the starch which is their chief component.

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Supplement to
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St. Hilaire, Minn.

Annual Financial Statement

OF

Pennington County

State of Minnesota

Fiscal Year Beginning January 1st, 1929 and ending December 31st, 1929.

Prepared By
H. L. FOWLER, COUNTY AUDITOR
OF
PENNINGTON COUNTY, MINNESOTA

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners, Pennington County, Minnesota:

Gentlemen:

I hereby submit for your consideration and approval the following Financial Statement of Pennington County, covering the period from January 1st, 1929, to December 31st, 1929.

Respectfully submitted,

H. L. Fowler

(Auditor's Seal.) County Auditor.

TRIAL BALANCE COUNTY AUDITOR

Dec. 31st, 1929

Account	Debit Balance	Credit Balance	Warrants Outstanding
County Treasurer	$ 91,621.08	$	$
Warrants Account		126,586.01	
Taxes & Penalties		33,435.06	
Mortgage Registry Tax		1,065.43	
County Aid Roads		4,674.56	326.07
Road & Bridge	68,074.66		81,186.84
County Revenue		817.12	066.12
Incidental Fund			42.43
County Bond & Interest		1,003.80	5,152.47
Sinking Fund		3,541.80	
State Lands & Interest		10.47	
State Loans		4,839.38	
Teachers Insurance & Retirement		37.50	
School Districts			7,729.32
Town, City & Villages			1,169.44
Private Redemption		13.02	91.79
Sanitorium Fund	410.39		2,295.82
Ditch Fund	16,393.17		27,625.71
Law Enforcement		475.45	
Totals	$176,499.60	$170,499.60	$126,586.01

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS OF PENNINGTON COUNTY FOR YEAR OF 1929

RECEIPTS

Taxes & Penalties Collected	$301,923.88
Private Redemptions	13,082.38
State Lands & Interest	1,129.55
Mortgage Registry Tax	350.28
Teacher Insurance Fund	015.50
Law Enforcement (Fines)	905.00
Ditch Fund	80,174.43
County Revenue Fund	3,792.18
Road & Bridge Fund	10,883.27
School Fund	77,426.42
County Aid Road Fund	14,148.82
Inheritance Tax	131.37
Total Collections	$570,863.08
Warrants Cancelled	3,524.18
Jan. 1, 1929, Treasurers Balance	83,866.89
Dec. 31, 1929, Outstanding Warrants	126,586.01
Total	$784,840.1d

DISBURSEMENTS

County Revenue	$ 45,021.29
Road & Bridge	71,825.11
Private Redemption	14 054.01
County Bonds & Interest	9,908.25
Incidental Fund	1,354.56
Towns & Villages	70,447.96
School Districts	238 216.54
Ditch Fund	84,867.64
State Rev. & School	23,027.70
County Aid Road Fund	6,474.26
Contingent Fund	28 35
Sanitorium Fund	5,317.25
Law Enforcement Fund	1,020.55
Teacher Insurance	1,003.00
State Lands & Int.	1,533.47
Inheritance Tax	131.37
Sinking Fund	2.20
Total	$583,843.47
Jan. 1, 1629, Outstanding Warrants	109,375.01
Dec. 31, 1929, Treasurer Balance	91,621.08
Total	$784,840.10

RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS COUNTY REVENUE FUND

RECEIPTS

Jan. 1, 1929, Balance in Fund	$ 54.22
Tax Distribution	35,988.02
Interest on Deposits	936.51
Game & Fish Licenses	771.75
Fines Collected	1,427.00
Clerk Court, Personal Property Tax	25.50
Cigarette Licenses	00.00
Refund, Oscar Thorsen	20.00
Dance Permits	00.00
Wolf Bounty Claims	312.00
Refund Treasurer's Bond	37.50
Refund, Sheriff Phone Calls	11.78
Auctioneer's License	10.00
County Share, Inheritance Tax	13.14
Polk Co., Lysne Hospital Bill	42.00
Refund, Supt. Schools Salary	20.00
Total Receipts	$ 39,834.42
Transfer from Sinking Fund	9,000.00
Transfer Contingent Fund	71.65
Total	$ 48,906.07

DISBURSEMENTS

Transfer to Incidental Fund	$ 1,354.56
Transfer to Contingent Fund	100.00
Transfer to Law Enforcement	600.00
Transfer to Redemption Fund	413.10
Salaries	16,686.30
Commissioner's Expense	256.07
Probate Court Expense	898.70
District Court Jurors	1,475.94
District Court, Miscl. Expense	255.07
Board of Prisoners	934.50
Municipal Court Expense	151.41
Coroner's Court Expense	98.53
Board of Audit	165.00
Board of Equalization	52.00
Assessor's Meeting	135.20
Reporting Births and Deaths	122.00
Tax Refunds	409.14
Game and Fish Licenses	912.70
Fuel	581.30
County Agricultural Agent	2,040.87
Wolf Bounty Paid	345.00
Appropriations	917.95
Books, Stationery and supplies	3,188.24
Legal Publications	2,818.79
Care of Poor and Indigent	4,065.51
Mother's Pensions	5,225.00
Miscellaneous Revenue	3,906.07
Total Disbursements	$ 48,088.95
Dec. 31, 1929, Balance in Fund	817.12
Total	$ 48,906.07

County Revenue Fund

Salary and Clerk Hire County Auditor

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
T. P. Anderson, County Auditor	$ 1,984.94
Axel Risberg, Deputy	810.00
Leigh Anderson, clerk hire	33.00
Harriet Anderson, clerk hire	24.00
Forrest Anderson, clerk hire	36.00
H. L. Fowler, Deputy	750.00
Mae Roberts, clerk hire	40.00
H. L. Fowler, Auditor	91.39
Total	$ 3,769.33

Salaries and Clerk Hire County Treasurer

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Jno. Gutlingsrud, County Treasurer	$ 2,000.00
Mae Roberts, Deputy	600.00
Total	$ 2,600.00

Salaries and Clerk Hire, Superintendent of Schools

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Geo. M. Gunderson, Supt. of Schools	$ 1,600.00
Alda Gunderson, clerk hire	259.00
Florence Knadle, clerk hire	246.20
Jessie Butterfield, clerk hire	62.05
Edw. W. Boe, clerk hire	4.00
Total	$ 2,171.25

Salaries and Assistants Sheriff

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
O. L. Ihle, Sheriff	$ 1,320.00
O. L. Ihle, Jailor	240.00
Total	$ 1,560.00

Salaries and Clerk Hire County Attorney

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
H. O. Berve, County Attorney	$ 1,500.00

Salaries and Clerk Hire Probate Judge

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Lars Backe, Probate Judge	$ 1,450.00
Axel Risberg, clerk	75.00
Emma Ward, clerk	225.00
Total	$ 1,750.00

Salaries and Clerk Hire Clerk of Court

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Adolf Eklund, Clerk of Court	$ 800.00
Leigh Anderson, Deputy	24.00
N. J. Anderson, Deputy	27.00
Axel Risberg, Deputy	25.00
Total	$ 876.00

Salaries Court Reporters

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Harley G. Swenson, Court Reporter	$ 177.36
Chas. M. Lohn, Court Reporter	177.36
Total	$ 354.72

Salary Janitor

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Paul Midderigh, Janitor	$ 960.00

Salaries County Commissioners

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
C. T. Thompson, County Commissioner	$ 225.00
Andrew Ness, County Commissioner	225.00
Emil Larson, County Commissioner	225.00
J. S. Roy, County Commissioner	225.00
Isaac Wilson, County Commissioner	225.00
Total	$ 1,125.00

Commissioner's Expense

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Andrew Ness, to St. Paul on Highway Hearing	$ 41.78
Andrew Ness, Expense to St. Paul	45.43
Isaac Wilson, Expense to St. Paul	45.43
C. T. Thompson, Expense to St. Paul	45.43
C. T. Thompson, Expense to St. Paul	23.00
Emil Larson, Mileage	3.40
Isaac Wilson, Mileage	2.80
J. S. Roy, Mileage	1.60
C. T. Thompson, Mileage Board of Audit	3.40
C. T. Thompson, Mileage	9.80
C. T. Thompson, Mileage	3.40
C. T. Thompson, Mileage	3.40
C. T. Thompson, Mileage	16.20
C. T. Thompson, Mileage	6.80
C. T. Thompson, Mileage	16.20
Total	$ 250.07

Probate Court Expense

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Jacob Biederman, Exam. Elenor Deyer	$ 5.30
H. W. Froehlich, Exam. Elenor Deyer	5.30
Lars Backe, fees Juvenile cases	94.50
H. W. Froehlich, Exam. Gust Mellon	5.30
O. F. Melby, Exam. Gust Mellon	5.30
Clayton Stenerson, Mellon to Fergus Falls	44.80
Lars Backe, fee State vs. Ralston	5.00
Alf. Jorstad, Witness Ralston	5.68
Adolph Lonska, Witness Ralston	4.12
O. H. Ihle, Exp. Gannon Children to Owatonna	110.27
Dr. J. T. Bowers, Exam. A. Krenlag	5.30
Dr. J. Biederman, Exam. A. Krenlag	5.30
Dr. J. Biedermnn, Exam. Gannon Children	5.00
Clayton Stenerson, Exp. re A. Krenlag	45.00
Dr. J. T. Bowers, Exam. W. Adolphson	5.00
O. L. Ihle, Exp. with H. T. Hanson	44.98
O. L. Ihle, Exp. with Elenor Deyer	49.08
O. L. Ihle, Exp. with Dagney Erickson	26.96
Dr. A. W. Swedenberg, Exam. I. L. Severson	5.30
P. L. Vistaunet, Exam. I. L. Severson	5.30
O. F. Melby, Exam. Ingeborg Helgeson	5.30
H. W. Froehlich, Exam. Ingeborg Helgeson	5.30
O. F. Melby, Exam. Jno. Peterson	5.30
H. W. Froehlich, Exam. Jno. Peterson	5.30
O. H. Ihle, Trans. Linsted and Hegeness	77.01
O. L. Ihle, Trans. Jno. Peterson	29.38
O. L. Ihle, Trans. Betty Lou Nelson	37.38
O. L. Ihle, Trans. Annie S. Hanson	47.77
Lars Backe, Fees Juvenile	97.50
Keith E. Anderson, Exp. Mrs. Welch Fairbault	49.07
Dr. O. F. Melby, Exam. Anna Bjoneraa	5.30
Dr. A. W. Swedenberg, Exam. Anna Bjoneraa	5.30
Lars Backe, Fees Juvenile cases	46.00
Total	$ 898.70

Municipal Court Expense

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
W. N. Tarrant, State vs. Stebsrud	$ 4.05
W. N. Tarrant, State vs. Erickson	4.05
W. N. Tarrant, State vs. Thitlen	4.05
W. N. Tarrant, State vs. Ralston	4.05
W. N. Tarrant, State vs. Lytle	4.05
W. N. Tarrant, State vs. Christo	4.05
W. N. Tarrant, State vs. Charbeaun	4.05
W. N. Tarrant, State vs. Melby	4.05
W. N. Tarrant, State vs. Lowson	4.05
W. N. Tarrant, State vs. Amundson	4.05
W. N. Tarrant, State vs. Carlson	4.05
W. N. Tarrant, State vs. Langerson	4.05
W. N. Tarrant, State vs. Brom	4.05
W. N. Tarrant, State vs. Jetland	4.05
W. N. Tarrant, State vs. Thompson	4.05
W. N. Tarrant, State vs. G. Carlson	4.05
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. Lane	4.05
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. Jetland	4.05
N. N. Tarrant, State vs. Charboneau	17.05
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. Ralston	5.00
Fritz Christianson, Witness Ralston	1.12
A. W. Crown, Witness Ralston	2.12
Mary Gran, Witness Ralston	2.12
H. O. Chommie, Public Defender Ralston	5.00
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. Erickson	13.80
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. Fuller	18.15
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. Bolton	4.60
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. Rains	4.60
N. W. Tarrant, State vs. Barsness	4.05
Total	$ 151.41

Coroner's Court Expense

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
H. W. Froehlich, Exam. Welde & Thompson	$ 10.45
H. W. Froehlich, View Body Mrs. Scoville	7.75
H. W. Froehlich, Viewing bodies	25.80
Carl B. Larson, Viewing bodies	11.95
L. Bjorkman, Juror	1.20
Palmer Tommerdahl, Juror	1.20
Alfred Bredeson, Juror	1.20
P. G. Peterson, Juror	1.20
M. P. Erickson, Witness	1.12
Martin Benson, Juror	1.20
Chas. Elcher, Witness	1.12
Wm. Dahlquist, Juror	1.20
Walter Jung, Witness	2.24
Dr. H. W. Froehlich, Viewing Bodies, Beckstrom	15.45
Dr. H. W. Froehlich, unknown baby	15.45
Total	$ 98.53

District Court Expense

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Earle D. Brown, serving papers	$ 1.16
P. Engelstad, J. P., Drawing Jury	4.00
E. M. Schutt, Bailiff	24.00
Mrs. Sig. Myron, Bailiff	18.00
Harley G. Swenson, Expense Court Reporter	36.40
Harley G. Swenson, Transcript of Record	11.50
J. M. Bishop, Public Defender	20.00
Harley G. Swenson, Transcript of Testimony	29.00
O. L. Ihle, Board of Jurors	21.65
E. M. Schutt, Bailiff	15.00
Emma Myrom, Bailiff	12.00
Harley G. Swenson, Expense Court Reporter	17.00
P. Engelstad, Drawing Jury	4.00
Soo Cafe, Meals for Jurors	7.60
Harley G. Swenson, Expense Reporter	9.20
Harley G. Swenson, Expense Reporter	6.90
Harley G. Swenson, Expense Reporter	7.00
Oscar R. Knutson, Att'y Fee, State vs. Knutson	16.00
Total	$ 255.67

Petit Jurors and Witnesses, District Court

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Mrs. Albert Geske, Juror	$ 25.00
Mrs. A. Risberg, Juror	32.20
Mary Stensrud, Juror	28.40
Mrs. Osmund Ordahl, Juror	36.00
Mrs. Otto Rehm, Juror	30.80
Theo. Halbach, Juror	34.00
Mrs. E. M. Schutt, Juror	28.20
C. A. Swanson, Juror	34.80
Eldor Johnson, Juror	35.60
Fred Anderson, Juror	37.60
Mrs. Sam Swanson, Juror	31.40
Elin Nelson, Juror	34.80
Harry Hanson, Juror	6.40
I. A. Ralstad, Juror	34.40
Mrs. E. O. Berve, Juror	33.60
Elmer Adolphson, Juror	28.20
Paul Roy, Juror	29.60
Gust. Naplin, Juror	32.00
Hans Solberg, Juror	33.00
Chas. M. Evenson, Juror	28.20
Harry Johnson, Juror	35.40
Walter Aubol, Juror	29.20
Mrs. Peter Amundson, Juror	28.40
Paul Gilbertson, Juror	34.40
Soren Berglund, Juror	28.20
Henry Runnestrand, Juror	26.60
Ernest Yonke, Juror	33.00
Oscar Thoreson, Juror	29.00
Eugene Beranson, Juror	12.00
Huber Buck, Juror	3.00
Dan Syverson, Juror	8.00
W. E. Baker, Witness	2.12
Glenn Mansfield, Witness	3.80
Oscar Thoreson, Juror	21.00
Mrs. Geo. Bakken, Juror	6.00
N. W. Tarrant, Witness	2.24
T. J. Skaar, Juror	14.40
Alfred Johnson, Juror	12.20
C. M. Lee, Juror	12.80
Mrs. Ang. Johnson, Juror	13.20
Mrs. Jos. Joringdahl, Juror	15.20
Aug. Berglund, Juror	13.60
Mrs. Harry Myron, Juror	13.40
Paul Anderson, Juror	14.20
Harold Halme, Juror	15.20
Mrs. Jno. A. Hanson, Juror	13.60
Mrs. Martin Finstand, Juror	13.30
Mrs. A. P. Hegstrom, Juror	15.40
Mrs. Herman Jepson, Juror	14.20
Mrs. A. K. Lockren, Juror	13.90
Mrs. G. B. Tweit, Juror	19.80
Renold Johnson, Juror	16.60
Andrew Ferragen, Juror	16.60
Fritz Christianson, Juror	16.20
Arne Josephson, Juror	24.40
Mrs. Jno. Mastron, Juror	23.00
Laura Larson, Juror	16.20
Mrs. G. K. Haavi, Juror	16.50
Carl Froseth, Juror	16.20
Olaf Tessum, Juror	16.20
Theo. Nelson, Juror	20.60
Glenn Mansfield, Witness	3.12
Mrs. Olaf Sorenson, Juror	12.20
Palmer M. Peterson, Juror	18.00
C. J. Winton, Witness	37.84
D. N. Winton, Witness	37.84
H. J. Forrester, Witness	37.84
Carl Anderson, Witness	3.12
Laura Lund, Witness	3.12
Berwood Rannum, Witness	4.08
Roy O'Hara, Witness	3.36
Silver Brandon, Witness	3.12
Otto Ranum, Witness (Myron)	6.84
Total	$ 1,475.94

Board of Prisoners

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
O. L. Ihle, Pennington Jail	$ 426.00
Jno. P. Borderick, Marshall Jail	508.50
Total	$ 934.50

Board of Audit

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
T. P. Anderson, Service on Board	$ 57.00
Adolf Eklund, Service on Board	57.00
Andrew Ness, Service on Board	18.00
C. T. Thompson, Service on Board	33.00
Total	$ 165.00

Board of Equalization

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
C. T. Thompson, Perdiem and Mileage	$ 9.40
Isaac Wilson, Perdiem and Mileage	11.00
Emil Larson, Perdiem and Mileage	12.80
Andrew Ness, Perdiem and Mileage	9.00
J. S. Roy, Perdiem and Mileage	6.20
Total	$ 52.00

Assessor's Meeting

To Whom Issued	Amount
Albert Anderson	$ 5.00
C. E. McCracken	5.25
Anton Peterson	5.50
P. A. Peterson	4.76
T. T. Satre	4.50
Christ. Tangren	6.50
Carl R. Anderson	5.70
T. E. Thompson	7.75
M. J. Anderson	0.80
Andrew Oski	5.40
Ed. Rustan	7.25
A. N. Hanson	0.40
M. O'Leary	6.30
O. O. Hofdahl	5.90
S. W. Lanback	5.00
Hans Falsted	4.86
Erick E. Anderson	5.00
Ferdy Swenson	4.95
Jay Payne	6.00
Theo. Nelson	0.00
Eldor Johnson	6.86
G. K. Haavi	4.30
Harry Myrom	4.70
Ed. Hill	4.10
Total	$ 135.20

Reporting Births and Deaths

To Whom Issued	Amount
Felix Anderson	$ 2.75
Harry Hawkinson	3.00
E. Pomerenke	2.25
O. T. Lundeen	3.75
M. J. Stephenson	2.25
Nicolay Urdahl	3.00
B. Bjornaraa	2.00
Herman A. Kjos	4.00
R. M. Johnson	2.75
Joe Kilan	.50
M. O'Leary	3.50
Jno. Funnesdahl	3.25
Alfred Longren	2.25
M. H. Boilingsrud	.50
Jno. O. Ronnig	3.00
C. E. Naplin	2.00
Gilbert O. Vraa	3.50
C. A. Swanson	3.25
P. Engelstad	5.00
M. Fricker	3.75
O. O. Maland	3.25
Victor J. Swanson	3.00
J. M. Thige	2.75
H. A. Dalen	3.50
Dr. H. W. Froehlich	50.25
H. J. Finstad	3.00
Total	$ 122.00

Tax Refundments

To Whom Issued	Amount
H. P. Lund	$ 42.27
Olga Abrams	15.68
Stephen Singer	17.70
Peter Lundberg	28.00
Gust. O. Kratt	208.55
A. V. Jacobson	9.00
M. V. Evenson	20.94
E. M. Bennes	6.31
Christianson Michaelson	57.60
Total	$ 409.11

Game and Fish Licenses

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Game and Fish Commissioner, Licenses sold	$ 912.70

Fuel

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Gordon Olson, wood	$ 25.50
Jno. T. Hanson, wood	18.00
J. J. Lemke, wood	24.00
W. M. Wood, wood	40.50
Wm. M. Wood, wood	27.00
Chris. Pederson, wood	8.50
O'Hara Fuel Co., coal	157.80
O. J. Peterson, wood	100.50
Ole Sannes, wood	0.50
Alfred Helgeson, wood	21.00
Jno. T. Hanson, wood	18.00
Ole Sannes, wood	17.00
W. Wood, wood	48.00
Gordon M. Olson, wood	60.00
Total	$ 581.30

County Agricultural Agent

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Robt. Douglass, Salary and Expense	$ 2,040.87

Wolf Bounty

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Alfred Hendrum, one wolf	$ 15.00
Olaf Layland, three wolves	45.00
Daniel Danielson, one wolf	15.00
Palmer Ness, one wolf	15.00
Frank Johns, one wolf	15.00
Daniel Danielson, one wolf	15.00
Olaf Langland, one wolf	15.00
Olaf Haugen, one wolf	15.00
Theo. Sannes, one wolf	15.00
Ole Gunderson, one wolf	15.00
D. Danielson, one wolf	15.00
Henry Myron, two wolves	30.00
Elich Halvorson, one wolf	15.00
I. Aaseby, one wolf	15.00
Jno. C. Brantung, two wolves	30.00
Jno. C. Brantung, one wolf	15.00
Geo. Massestad, one wolf	15.00
Olaf Lotland, one wolf	15.00
Henry Ordahl, one wolf	15.00
Total	$ 345.00

Appropriations

To Whom Issued	Amount
Red River Valley Development Ass'n	$ 125.00
Thief River Falls Library	250.00
T. R. Greenhouse acct. American Legion	142.95
Penn. County Fair Ass'n	400.00
Total	$ 917.95

Legal Publications

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Thief River Falls Times, publications	$ 2,808.79
O. Gunstad, notice	13.25
St. Hilaire Spectator, notice	10.00
Total	$ 2,818.79

Books, Stationery and Supplies

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Miller Davis Co., Books and Supplies	$ 744.66
A. G. Shorgren, Supplies	7.00
N. W. Supply Co., School Supplies	13.22
Fritz Cross Co., Books and Supplies	215.14
Crookston Times Pub. Co., Supplies	163.67
Free Press Co., Books and Supplies	395.75
Poucher Ptg. & Litho. Co., Books and Supplies	157.29
Security Blank Book Co., Books and Supplies	115.40
Japs Olson Co., Books and Supplies	776.83
Hammond Stephens Co., School Supplies	102.98
Walter S. Booth & Son, Blanks	2.50
Franham Ptg. Co., Supplies	37.49
Bankers Envelope Co., Envelopes	10.85
First & Peoples State Bank Checks	4.16
W. H. Hormel, Supplies	3.00
Citer Digest Co., Minn. Statutes	15.00
A. B. Dick & Co., Supplies	3.00
Practical Drawing Co., School Supplies	2.38
Low & Campbell Athletic Co., School Supplies	50.03
Dispatch Ptg. Co., Supplies	39.31
Burroughs Add. Machine Co., Adding Machine	125.00
Columbia Sales Co., Supplies	36.20
Golden Rule, Supplies	25.42
Office Specialty Co., Supplies	4.10
Lars Backe, Office Equipment	100.00
New Service Ptg. Co., Supplies	34.32
Total	$ 3,188.24

Care of Poor and Indigent

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Mrs. Ole Hendrum, care of Ensrud	$ 30.00
Andrew Ness, Expense acct. J. Olbin	75.36
T. P. Anderson, Expense acct. C. Ensrud	65.67
Emergency Ambulance Co., Transport C. Ensrud	7.50
Ole Nelson, Exp. N. Nelson to Hospital	45.00
Minn. School for Deaf, care Pearl Radman	45.00
Minn. Colony Epileptics, care A. Norman Wilson	12.98
Mrs. Ole Hendrum, Support of Ensrud	50.00
Minn. School Feeble Minded, Care H. T. Honson	8.90
Mrs. Ole Hendrum, Care of C. Ensrud	30.00
Dr. P. L. Vistaunet, care of Fred Larson	56.00
T. P. Anderson, Expense re C. Ensrud	62.96
T. P. Anderson, Cash paid Hospital, W. Adolphson	10.00
T. P. Anderson, Jno. Hegreness and Singer to Hospital	71.83
Minn. School Feeble Minded Care H. T. Hanson	8.90
Andrew Ness, Tracey Hornestad to Hospital	54.30
Mrs. E. H. Bakke, Care of Ensrud	30.00
Stephen Singer, Exp. V. Singer to Hosp.	36.66
Colonial Hospital, Care of C. Ensrud	161.73
Minn. School for Deaf, Pearl Road and Roy Horejsh	07.04
Minn. School Feeble Minded, E. Dryer, H. Hanson, O. Morstad, R. Hanson, Jno. Thoma, Ragna Torkelson	240.00
Minn. Colony Epileptics, Andrew Nelson and O. Roisland	02.98
University Hospital, Trans. for C. H. Fuller	14.00
Mrs. E. E. Bakke, Care of C. Ensrud	70.00
Andrew Ness, C. Fuller to Hospital	18.00
Colonial Hospital, Care C. Ensrud	134.75
Ray P. Chase, Hospital care Hannah Lind	20.10
Ray P. Chase, Hospital care Gertrude Barstad	9.30
Ray P. Chase, Hospital care R. Martinson	58.50
Ray P. Chase, Hospital care C. Ensrud	245.00
Ray P. Chase, Hospital care P. Askeland	24.00
Ray P. Chase, Hospital care S. E. Dryer	139.40
Ray P. Chase, Hospital care Fred Larson	28.50
Ray P. Chase, Hospital care Martin Erickson	40.50
Ray P. Chase, Hospital care Wm. Storm	95.10
Ray P. Chase, Hospital care Hy. Seeland	78.45
Colonial Hospital, care of Ensrud	153.73
Mrs. Ed. Erickson, Care Welch children	28.00
O. Overwold, R. R. Fare Orpha Overwold	15.00
State Treasurer, Hospital Bill 1928	723.40
T. P. Anderson, Mrs. Mutminski to Mpls.	36.00
Minn. School Feeble Minded, Care Pearl Welch	33.59
Colonial Hospital, Care C. Ensrud	149.30
Mrs. Ed. Erickson, Care Welch Children	19.00
Mrs. Ed. Erickson, Care Welch Children	29.00
Minn. School for Deaf, Care Orpha Overwold	50.00
Colonial Hospital, Care C. Ensrud	163.50
Minn. School for Deaf, care R. Horejsh, Pearl Radman	26.19
Andrew Ness, Transport Kling Hospital	104.33
Colonial Hospital, Care C. Ensrud	137.98
Oen Merc. Co., groceries for E. Kling	26.12
T. P. Anderson, Transportation Mrs. Welch	50.00
Total	$ 4,065.51

Mothers Pensions

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Emma Payette, Mothers Pension	$ 130.00
Mary Langeven, Mothers Pension	195.00
Amelia Erickson, Mothers Pension	325.00
Amanda Waag, Mothers Pension	200.00
Clara Quam, Mothers Pension	165.00
Marit Tarve, Mothers Pension	130.00
Tillie Bratlund, Mothers Pension	195.00
Olida Mosleth, Mothers Pension	200.00
Theresa Berg, Mothers Pension	325.00
Ida Urdahl, Mothers Pension	200.00
Lucy Mathewson, Mothers Pension	90.00
Bertha Gibson, Mothers Pension	40.00
Beatrice Welch, Mothers Pension	325.00
Karen D. Klemmentson, Mothers Pension	97.50
Lena Dicken, Mothers Pension	195.00
Ragna Mickelson, Mothers Pension	50.00
Ida Anderson, Mothers Pension	180.00
Hilda Wilson, Mothers Pension	120.00
Anna Krenlag, Mothers Pension	215.00
Alice Newell, Mothers Pension	195.00
Mildred Newman, Mothers Pension	150.00
Mrs. Chas. Votova, Mothers Pension	280.00
Gurina Folkendahl, Mothers Pension	107.50
Clara Haroldson, Mothers Pension	315.00
Frank Savage, Mothers Pension	225.00
Hilda Nelson, Mothers Pension	30.00
Louis Anderson Engelstad, Mothers Pension	150.00
Agnes Rosette Walton, Mothers Pension	105.00
Anna Risberg, Mothers Pension	50.00
Mabel Jenkins, Mothers Pension	00.00
Total	$ 5,225.00

Miscellaneous

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Ed. Lee, Repairs	$ 18.86
Town of Bray, Supressing Contag. Disease	10.00
A. J. Brink, Inspecting Boiler	4.25
Oen Merc. Co., Supplies	38.23
Geo. M. Gunderson, Expense Supt. of Schools	51.95
First Nat'l Bank, Insurance Premium	500.00
Leigh Anderson, Labor	9.00
T. P. Anderson, Expense attending Highway Meeting	42.33
Missouri Ranson Corp, soap	25.00
Geo. M. Gunderson, Expense Supt. Schools	25.10
Sanitary Service Co., Supplies	5.25
Northern Wood Work, repairs	13.50
Fred D. Lorentson, Transcribe Records	380.00
Adolph Eklund, Postage and Box Rent	5.75
Geo. M. Gunderson, Exp. Supt. of Schools	64.35
Peter C. Wold, Exp. Child Welfare Board	35.60
Lars Backe, Insurance Premium	9.30
O. H. Ihle, Livery for Sheriff	30.40
Paul Midderigh, Janitor Service at School Meeting	5.00
Sanitary Service Co., Supplies for Janitor	0.25
Royal T. Netzer, Judge for School Meeting	12.00
Ed. Lee, Repair Boiler	5.68
Fred D. Lorentson, Recording Bonds	9.25
First Nat'l Bank, Prem. Treas. Bond and Checks	165.90
Hellen Melanowich, Assisting Janitor	45.00
L. R. Twete, Live Stock Inspection	30.00
Adolf Eklund, Fee Delq. Tax Judgment	150.00
B. F. Umland, Exp. Attending Hearing	44.28
Colgate Polm Olive Co., Liquid Soap	4.00
Geo. M. Gunderson, Expense Supt. Schools	195.25
Jno. Horjesh, Plowing lot	5.00
E. M. Schutt, Supplies	7.00
Fred D. Lorentson, Report of Transfers	38.00
Geo. M. Gunderson, Exp. Supt. of Schools	45.73
First & Peoples State Bank, Insurance Premium	40.17
Acme Chemical Co., Supplies	10.75
L. R. Twete, Live Stock Inspection	30.00
Geo. M. Gunderson, Expense Supt. Schools	82.85
T. P. Anderson, Exp. Attending Legislature	60.58
National Sales Co., Supplies	8.00
R. G. Munns, Repair Book Machine	15.75
O. L. Ihle, Sheriff's Expense	42.45
Alner Risberg, Repairs on Bldg.	12.00
Forrest T. Anderson, Work as Janitor	24.00
Fred D. Lorentson, Recording Bonds	30.50
Ed. Lee, Repairs Bldg.	16.69
Columbia Sales Co., Supplies	27.00
R. C. Wold, Expense Child Welfare Board	13.00
Nat'l Sales Service Co., Supplies	5.75
Northern Woodwork Co., Repairs and Supplies	21.35
Garden Valley Tel. Co., Phone Tolls Supt. Schools	2.00
St. Hilaire Tel. Co., Phone Tolls Supt. Schools	1.80
Robertson Lbr. Co., Supplies	3.72
American Disenfecting Co., Supplies	4.00
G. Word, Making Book Case	8.00
Bredeson & Co., Supplies	9.40
L. R. Twete, Live Stock Inspection	30.00
Fred D. Lorentson, Transcribing Records	370.00
Geo. M Gunderson, Expense Supt. Schools	20.80
American Disenfecting Co., Supplies	16.57
L. T. Twete, Live Stock Inspection	30.00
W. Hermel, Clean Typewriters	10.50
Sanitary Supply Co., Supplies	28.50
Ed. Lee, Repairs	8.30
Gomble Robinson Co., Supplies	10.65
Geo. M. Gunderson, Exp. Supt. Schools	42.10
T. P. Anderson, Approving Bonds	3.00
Nels Hagen, Building Chimney	10.00
Mrs. Ed. Erickson, Labor	10.00
O. L. Ihle, Expense with Prisoners	44.20
F. D. Lorentson, List of Foreclosures	22.00
Alberts Products Co., Force Pump	12.00
First Nat'l Bank, Insurance Premium	10.00
N. W. Sanitory Sup. Co., Supplies	42.75
Geo. M. Gunderson, Expense Supt. Schools	87.30
P. C. Wold, Exp. Child Welfare Confer.	35.50
Mrs. L. G. Larson, Exp. Child Welfare Board	8.15
Fred Holzknecht, Janitor for School Meet	10.00
T. P. Anderson, Trip to Warren	12.80
Churchill Mfg. Co., Floor Brush	7.00
A. W. Brink, Inspecting Boiler	4.25
Geo. M. Gunderson, Expense Supt. Schools	86.20
O. L. Ihle, Transporting Prisoners	25.02
O. L. Ihle, Transporting Prisoners	25.92
O. L. Ihle, Transporting Prisoners	28.55
Cit. Products Co., Window Cleaner	13.50
Geo. Lee Randoll, Door Lock	4.50
Ed. Gannon, Putting on Storm Windows	8.10
Geo. M. Gunderson, Exp. Supt. of Schools	47.43
Geo. M. Gunderson, Exp. Supt. of Schools	59.50
Jno. A. Dahl, Labor on County Barn	67.20
Paul Midderigh, Janitor for School Meet	5.00
Missouri Kasson Co., Cleanser	40.00
Ed. Lee, Repairs	4.33
O. L. Ihle, Sheriff Expense	64.40
Total	$ 3,905.07

Road and Bridge Fund

Receipts and Disbursements County Road and Bridge Fund

RECEIPTS

State Aid	$ 14,163.80
Gas Tax Refunded	83.04
Snow Fence Sold	28.00
Culvert Sold	50.80
Grader Blade Sold	8.05
Rent for Tractor	144.00
Rent on Bunk Car	3.00
Refund, Int. on Trunk Highway Bond	1,795.88
Black River Twp. on Road No. 9	250.00
Polk Centre Twp. on Road No. 9	350.00
Tax Distribution	33,600.53
Total Receipts	$ 50,483.80
Dec. 31, 1929 Overdraft	68,074.96
Total	$118,558.70

DISBURSEMENTS

Jan. 1st, 1929, Overdraft	$ 46,733.65
Warrants S. A. Road No. 1	1,819.14
Warrants S. A. Road No. 2	1,925.10
Warrants S. A. Road No. 3	11.10
Warrants S. A. Road No. 4	51.08
Warrants S. A. Road No. 5	1,629.18
Warrants S. A. Road No. 6	12.00
Warrants S. A. Road No. 7	65.37
Warrants S. A. Road No. 8	202.28
Warrants S. A. Road No. 9	6,186.80
Warrants S. A. Road No. 11	52.50
Warrants S. A. Road No. 13	4,422.63
Warrants S. A. Road No. 14	4,797.63
Warrants Red Lake Road	2,360.44
Warrants Motor Patrol	4,411.59
Appropriations	510.00
Bonds & Interest Warrants	24,211.13
Miscellaneous Expense	19,147.14
Total	$118,558.76

State Aid Road No. 1

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Ole Hardahl, Cutting Brush	$ 6.00
Jas. A. Burrell, Tractor Man	18.60
Jno. Banner, Graderman	18.00
Jas. A. Burrell, Tractor Man	75.00
Lyle Culvert Co., Culverts	144.00
Halvor Gran, Mowing Weeds	12.88
Peoples Oil Co., gas and oil	181.94
Central Lbr. Co., Lumber for Bridge	130.20
Lyle Culvert Co., Culverts	92.69
Central Lbr. Co., Lumber	10.04
Adolphson & Huseth, Off Take Ditch	500.00
Adolphson & Huseth, Off Take Ditch	500.00
Adolphson & Huseth, Road Work	126.00
Larson Bros., Nails for Bridge	4.29
Total	$ 1,819.14

State Aid Road No. 2

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Theo. Berggren, Shovelling Snow	$ 10.73
Sidney Hemmestvedt, Building Shed	84.40
Theo. Berggren, Shovelling Snow	30.15
R. C. Stenvek, Shovelling Snow	6.20
J. T. Hegreness, Labor on Road	22.50
J. M. Johnson, Hauling Gravel	56.65
J. T. Hegreness, Hauling Gravel	5.00
A. Flattum, Man and Team	1.75
T. O. Mamrack, Brushing	27.00
Adolphson & Huseth, Partial Estimate	300.00
Jno. M. Johnson, Patch Gravelling	28.65
Morlin O. Moen, Labor	13.50
Ed. Sigerud, Mowing Weeds	12.00
Knute Knutson, Labor	30.70
Standard Oil Co., gas and oil	80.00
Jno. Banner, Graderman	75.00
Morris Miller, Burn Brush	22.00
T. A. Monrack, Cutting Brush	61.50
Henry Sigrud, Mowing Weeds	19.50
Olof Wahlberg, Hauling Tractor	5.00
Adolphson & Huseth, Balance on Contract	700.71
Standard Oil Co., gas and oil	121.86
City Service Oil Co., gas and oil	75.15
Gust. Berggren, Mowing Weeds	18.00
Carl Nelson, Mowing Weeds	17.25
Robertson Lbr. Co., Lumber for Bridge	109.00
Ed. Halvorson, Cutting Brush	25.00
Carl Nelson, Labor on Snow Fence	15.90
Total	$ 1,925.10

Maintenance S. A. Road No. 3

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Sorensen Knutsen, Cutting Weeds	$ 11.10

Maintenance S. A. Road No. 4

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Cities Service Co., gas and oil	$ 61.08

State Aid Road No. 5

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Adolph Bergen, Shovelling Snow	$ 9.00
Howard Gulseth, Shovelling Snow	7.70
Jno. T. Hanson, Shovelling Snow	2.00
Selmer Gangeness, Shovelling Snow	3.60
Selmer Gongeness, Shovelling Snow	2.70
Jno. T. Hanson, Shovelling Snow	3.90
T. P. Honeseth, Shovelling Snow	2.70
Herby Gulseth, Shovelling Snow	16.20
Ed. Grundhouse, Plowing Snow	40.00
Jno. T. Hanson, Work on Road	12.00
H. Cheney, Shovelling Snow	2.70
Ed. Grundhouse, Dragging Road	11.00
Ervin May, Placing Culvert	10.00
Ed. Grundhouse, Cutting Weeds	13.50
John T. Hanson, Mowing Weeds	37.69
John T. Hanson, Cutting Brush	12.00
L. E. Farron, Checking Gravel	8.70
Jno. T. Honson, Cutting Weeds	25.00
I. R. Gevning, Cutting Brush	12.50
The Barrett Co., Tarvia	1,338.66
O. W. Long, Hauling Snow Fence	9.00
Standard Oil Co., gas and oil	48.63
Total	$ 1,629.18

State Aid Road No. 6

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Holvor C. Homme, Cutting Weeds	$ 12.00

State Aid Road No. 7

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Morgan Vaughn, Shovelling Snow	$ 12.00
Anton Johnson, Mowing Weeds	7.50
J. M. Johnson, Mowing Weeds	20.75
J. M. Johnson, Mowing Weeds	25.12
Total	$ 65.37

State Aid Road No. 8

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Axel Engelsted, Mowing Weeds	$ 48.38
Erling Prestby, Hauling Culvert	4.00
Alfred Ralstad, Labor on Culvert	8.50
Alfred Ralstad, Labor on Culvert	10.40
Lee Evenson, Labor on Culvert	17.00
Adolphson & Huseth, Drag Line Work	114.00
Total	$ 202.28

State Aid Road No. 9

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Emil Zutz, Shovelling Snow	$ 4.20
H. P. Lund & Sons, Final Payment	500.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Final Payment	500.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Final Payment	500.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Final Payment	347.16
Leroy Favron, Checking Gravel	17.40
Lorentson & Hallstrom, Partial Estimate	500.00
Lorentson & Hallstrom, Partial Estimate	500.00
Lorentson & Hallstrom, Partial Estimate	500.00
Joe Patten, Gravel Furnished	102.06
Clifford Hedeen, Gravel Contract	723.32
Lorentson & Hallstrom, Work on Off Take	950.00
Lorentson & Hallstrom, Work on Off Take	500.00
Lorentson & Hallstrom, Work on Off Take	465.30
Jno. Kruse, Checking Gravel	22.36
Ted Jopprud, Mowing Weeds	5.00
Cities Service Co., gas and oil	50.00
Total	$ 6,186.80

State Aid Road No. 11

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Axel Engelstad, Cutting Weeds	$ 52.50

State Aid Road No. 13

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Charley Svensgaard, Labor	$ 10.00
Charley Svensgaard, Labor	72.50
H. P. Lund & Sons, Partial Estimate	800.04
H. P. Lund & Sons, Final Estimate	500.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Final Estimate	800.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Final Estimate	390.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Final Estimate	374.07
D. G. Browniey, Hauling Rock	122.00
Emil Sanders, Repair Culvert	11.30
Joe Oskl, Labor	23.00
O. R. Hofdahl, Labor	24.00
O. R. Hofdahl, Checking Gravel	51.30
Clifford Hedeen, Part Payment Gravelling	1,000.00
Dept. of Rural Credits, Gravel	295.38
Clifford Hedeen, Final Estimate Gravelling	449.04
Total	$ 4,422.63

State Aid Road No. 14

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
S. M. Grinde, Shovelling Snow	$ 11.10
Gust Berggren, Mowing Weeds	10.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Final Estimate	618.63
Leroy Favron, Checking Gravel	34.20
Clifford Hedeen, Final Estimate	858.26
H. P. Lund & Sons, Road Construction	500.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Road Construction	500.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Road Construction	500.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Road Construction	500.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Road Construction	500.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Road Construction	571.75
H. P. Lund & Sons, Road Construction	131.64
Total	$ 4,797.63

Red Lake Road

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Earl Gell, Beltrami Co., Engineering Expense	$ 217.94
Earl Gell, Beltrami Co., Appropriation	1,000.00
Earl Gell, Beltrami Co., Appropriation	500.00
Earl Gell, Beltrami Co., Appropriation	642.50
Total	$ 2,360.44

Motor Patrols

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Oscar Hauge, No. 2	$ 81.85
Iver Solheim, No. 1	67.40
Helmer Sorvick, No. 2	35.40
Iver Solheim, No. 1	194.91
Herby Gulseth, Helper	58.00
Oscar Hauge, No. 2	60.50
Christ Kruse Jr., No. 4	24.50
Christ Kruse Jr., No. 4	93.20
S. M. Grinde, No. 1	18.45
Ivar Solheim, No. 1	130.45
Oscar Hauge, No. 2	71.00
Herby Gulseth, Helper	52.80
Christ Kruse Jr., No. 4	57.40
Jno. T. Hanson, Helper	16.50
Iver Solheim, No. 1	120.30
Oscar Hauge, No. 2	97.35
Christ Kruse Jr., No. 3	78.90
Oscar Hauge, No. 2	141.49
Iver Solheim, No. 1	135.40
Christ Kruse Jr., No. 4	105.40
Ivar Solheim, No. 1	100.00
Oscar Hauge, No. 2	120.98
Ivar Solheim, No. 1	126.45
Christ Kruse Jr., No. 4	102.00
Ole Anderson, Helper	5.00
Oscar Hauge, No. 2	115.75
Iver Solheim, No. 1	117.65
Christ Kruse Jr., No. 4	112.00
Oscar Hauge, No. 2	97.60
Iver Solheim, No. 1	115.60
Christ Kruse Jr., No. 4	133.70
Iver Solheim, No. 2	109.60
Oscar Hauge, No. 1	123.00
Christ Kruse Jr., No. 4	113.60
Ivar Solheim, No. 1	99.20
Oscar Hauge, No. 2	122.80
Christ Kruse Jr., No. 4	84.40
Iver Solheim, No. 1	106.20
Christ Kruse Jr., No. 4	214.50
Oscar Hauge, No. 2	128.50
Oscar Hauge, No. 2	77.10
Christ Kruse Jr., No. 4	66.00
Iver Solheim, No. 1	96.80
Lloyd T. Alness, Labor on Snow Plow	56.25
Ivar Solheim, No. 1	55.95
Christ Kruse Jr., No. 3	38.40
Oscar Hauge, No. 2	24.12
Jno. T. Hanson, Snow Plow	6.63
Robt. Nelson, Snow Plow	85.85
Lloyd Alness, Snow Plow	18.80
Jas. Burrell, Snow Plow	3.17
Total	$ 4,411.59

Appropriations

To Whom Issued	Amount
Town of North	$ 100.00
Town of North	80.00
Town of Smiley	250.00
Town of North	80.00
Total	$ 510.00

Bonds and Interest

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
A. E. Olson, Int. on Warrants	$ 80.00
Mrs. A. E. Olson, Interest on Warrants	60.00
Bessie Avelson, Int. on Warrants	43.50
A. J. Sandeen, Int. on Warrants	01.58
First Nat'l Bank, Interest on Bonds	2,380.94
Lars A. Johnson Est., Principal on Bond	1,000.00
Lars A. Johnson Est., Principal on Bond	900.00
Lars A. Johnson Est., Principal on Bond	1,000.00
Alice L. Pratt, Int. on Trunk Highway Bond	426.74
First Nat'l Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	4,450.00
Laura Larson, Interest on Warrants	6.00
Peter Peterson, Interest on Warrants	35.68
Chas. Fisher, Interest on Warrants	19.84
Mrs. A. E. Olson, Interest on Warrants	15.83
A. E. Olson, Interest on Warrants	15.83
First Nat'l Bank, Interest on Bonds	565.44
Geo. Curran, Int. on Warrants	107.10
John Gullingsrud, Interest on Warrants	14.55
H. P. Lund, Interest on Warrants	25.00
John Funnesdahl, Interest on Warrants	60.00
H. P. Lund & Son, Interest on Warrants	113.71
H. P. Lund, Interest on Warrant	119.33
H. K. Tvelt, Interest on Warrant	48.06
O. F. Melby, Interest on Warrant	10.06
A. J. Sandeen, Interest on Warrant	20.84
A. J. Sandeen, Interest on Warrant	85.40
A. J. Sandeen, Interest on Warrant	36.70
A. J. Sandeen, Interest on Warrant	10.09
A. J. Sandeen, Interest on Warrant	3.50
Jno. Rustad, Interest on Warrant	63.88
Pearl W. Mabey, Interest on Warrant	35.81
H. P. Lund, Interest on Warrant	47.42
Mildred Newman, Interest on Warrant	75.54
Jacob Biederman, Interest on Warrant	106.80
Andrew Nelson, Interest on Warrant	15.75
O. Ordahl, Interest on Warrant	20.17
Geo. Curran, Interest on Warrants	00.00
A. E. Olson, Interest on Warrants	5.10
T. R. Falls Fireman Relief, Interest on Warrants	120.15
T. J. Rierson, Interest on Warrants	51.23
T. J. Rierson, Interest on Warrants	15.00
I. M. Myrbo, Interest on Warrants	15.50
T. R. Falls Relief Ass'n, Interest on Warrants	25.68
J. Biederman, Interest on Warrants	73.58
First Nat'l. Bank, Interest on Trunk Highway Bonds	426.74
First & Peoples State Bk., Interest on Funding Bonds	1,200.00
Mary Funnesdahl, Prin. & Int. Bonds	2,000.00
A. J. Funnesdahl, Prin. & Int. on Bonds	4,000.00
Priscilla Biederman, Prin. & Int. on Bonds	2,000.00
First Nat'l. Bank, Interest on Bonds	232.00
First & Peoples State Bk., Interest on Bonds	565.44
Bessie Avelson, Interest on Warrants	53.18
Oscar Hauge, Interest on Warrants	2.96
T. R. Falls Fireman's Relief, Interest on Warrants	33.93
M. O. Burns, Interest on Warrants	19.25
Pearl W. Mabey, Interest on Warrants	80.16
J. P. Hanson, Interest on Warrant	10.34
O. Ordahl, Interest on Warrants	201.77
A. K. Tvelt, Interest on Warrants	24.25
Mrs. Bessie Elofson, Interest on Warrants	51.34
M. C. Burns, Interest on Warrants	120.00
H. P. Lund & Sons, Interest on Warrants	.63
O. C. Gramm, Interest on Warrants	48.00
Emma Rath, Interest on Warrants	90.00
Mrs. Olive Magnuson, Interest on Warrant	80.00
J. Biederman, Interest on Warrants	60.00
Bessie Avelson, Interest on Warrants	10.00
Pearl W. Mabey, Interest on Warrants	48.57
Pearl W. Mabey, Interest on Warrants	96.39
Lloyd T. Allness, Interest on Warrants	48.58
H. P. Lund & Son, Interest on Warrant	174.40
M. C. Burns, Interest on Warrants	30.00
H. W. Fraehlich, Interest on Warrants	15.18
Total	$ 24,211.13

General

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Andrew Ness, Hearing on Road S. A. No. 2	$ 3.00
Northern Wood Work Co., Supplies	34.08
The Pritchard Co., Lath	16.05
Leonard Hanson, Work on Tractor	41.10
Robertson Lbr. Co., Lath	3.60
H. P. Lund & Sons, Explosives	29.15
Peoples Oil Co., gas and oil	51.51
Standard Oil Co., gas and oil	51.89
Manhattan Oil Co., gas and oil	88.68
Emil Larson, Committee Work S. A. No. 2	6.40
J. S. Roy, Committee Work S. A. No. 2	4.60
C. Gustafson & Sons, Lights for Motors	320.50
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work S. A. No. 2	5.80
O. T. Thompson, Committee Work S. A. No. 2	6.40
Wm. H. Zeigler, Weed Burner	30.29
Oen Merc. Co., Supplies	17.03
Herby Gulseth, Work on Snow Plow	13.80
Emil Sanders, Cutting Brush	5.00
A. P. Engelstad, Cutting Weeds	5.39
Lyle Culvert Co., Culverts	42.87
Iver Aaseby, Repairs to Tractor	3.00
Bert F. Umland, Salary Engr. January	175.00
White Eagle Oil Co., gas and oil	300.95
Gust Gulseth, Building Shed	35.50
Leonard Hanson, Repair Tractors	80.75
Lyle Culvert Co., Payment on Grader	1,363.00
Lyle Culvert Co., Snow Fence	910.25
Lyle Culvert Co., Snow Plow and Cab	501.00
Manhattan Gas and Oil Co., gas and oil	177.81
Jno. Gran, Repairs on Tractor	20.50
Gust. Gulseth, Work on Motor	5.50
B. F. Umland, Salary Highway Engineer February	175.00
Adolphson & Huseth, Bridge Fill	389.00
Robertson Lbr. Co., Tractor Sheds	198.08
Central Lbr. Co., Lumber	3.30
Peoples Oil Co., gas and oil	31.42
Manhattan Oil Co., gas and oil	34.38
A. B. Mandt, gas and oil	41.48
Hanson's Garage, Repairs on Tractor	23.60
B. F. Umland, Salary Engineer March	175.00
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work S. A. No. 2	0.40
E. N. Rude, Supplies	7.00
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	3.00
Andrew Ness, Committee Work S. A. No. 5	8.00
Ben Dindall, Cutting Ice From Bridge	20.00
Emil Larson, Committee Work S. A. No. 2	5.40
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work S. A. No. 2	5.80
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work S. A. No. 2	5.80
Peoples Oil Co., gas and oil	98.75
B. F. Umland, Engineer's Expense and Mileage	38.28
J. S. Roy, Committee Work S. A. No. 2	4.80
B. F. Umland, Salary Engineer April	175.00
Int'l Harvester Co., Repairs	23.12
Harry Severson, Work on Survey S. A. No. 1	10.50
Alfred Stokke, Work on Survey S. A. No. 1	18.80
Leonard Hanson, Repairs on Tractor	5.50
Williams Hdw. Co., Supplies	21.20
Oen Merc. Co., Supplies	69.86
C. Gustafson & Son, Repairs for Tractor	69.08
B. F. Umland, Engineer's Expense and Mileage	85.80
A. B. Mandt, gas and oil	149.77
Manhattan Oil Co., gas and oil	138.76
Peoples Oil Co., gas and oil	127.66
Langlett & Buggy, Repairs on Grader	11.50
Central Lbr. Co., Lumber	5.18
Lyle Culvert Co., Culvert	69.01
B. F. Umland, Salary Engineer May	175.00
Hanson Garage, Repairs Tractor	28.50
Jno. T. Hanson, Labor	30.60
F. A. Mamrack, Brushing	14.40
Henry Stokke, Work on Survey	13.50
H. Severson, Work on Survey	17.70
B. F. Umland, Expense and Mileage Engineer	88.92
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	59.20
T. P. Anderson, Cash Advanced	7.20
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	22.50
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	9.00
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	12.00
Lyle Culvert Co., Culvert	69.00
Lyle Culvert Co., Culvert	113.67
A. B. Mandt, gas and oil	55.27
Manhattan Oil Co., gas and oil	56.13
Standard Oil Co., gas and oil	105.12
Emil Larson, Committee Work	57.40
J. S. Roy, Committee Work	18.40
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work	49.60
Hanson's Garage, Repair Tractor	44.70
B. F. Umland, Salary Engineer June	175.00
B. F. Umland, Salary Engineer July	175.00
Harry Severson, Work on Survey	28.50
Alfred Stokke, Work on Survey	19.80
Jno. T. Hanson, Hauling	28.80
Lyle Culvert Co., Culverts	200.00
Nick Baker, Trailer	30.00
Jas. A. Burrell, Tractor Man	75.00
Jno. Banner, Grader Man	75.00
Jno. T. Hanson, Mowing Weeds	15.00
Hanson's Garage, Repairs to Tractor	0.50
B. F. Umland, Engineer's Expense	114.24
Standard Oil Co., oil and gas	119.77
Peoples Oil Co., gas and oil	20.03
Alfred Stokke, Work on Survey No. 13	53.40
Harry Severson, Work on Survey No. 13	69.00
T. P. Anderson, Car Expense	7.20
C. T. Thompson, Conference with Babcock on Red Lake Road	51.58
C. T. Thompson, Expense to Bemidji on Red Lake Road	13.60
T. P. Anderson, Conference with Babcock on Red Lake Road	48.93
Emil Larson, Expense to Bemidji on Red Lake Road	13.60
Andrew Ness, Conference with Babcock on Red Lake Road	48.18
Tony Hornseth, Tires for Trailer	14.30
Hanson's Garage, Repairs on Tractors	44.71
Service Recorder Co., Motor Recorders	112.00
Manhattan Oil Co., gas and oil	80.00
Robertson Lbr. Co., lumber	4.35
Northern Woodwork Co., Survey Stakes	41.75
Standard Oil Co., gas and oil	32.28
B. F. Umland, Expense and Mileage Engineer	112.08
Lyle Culvert Co., Culverts	430.70
Bert F. Umland, Engineer's Salary August	175.00
Lyle Culvert Co., Payment Patrol Graders	2,378.88
Alfred Stokke, Work on Survey	24.00
Harry Severson, Work on Survey	24.00
C. T. Thompson, Inspecting Gravel Work	7.40
C. T. Thompson, Inspecting Gravel Work	6.40
C. T. Thompson, Inspecting Gravel Work	15.50
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	37.00
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	0.40
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	0.40
T. P. Anderson, Expense re Red Lake Road	7.30
C. T. Thompson, Expense re Red Lake Road	7.30
Peoples Oil Co., gas and oil	631.40
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work	50.70
Isaac Wilson, Accepting Job Road No. 13	5.80
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work S. A. Road No. 14	0.90
Isaac Wilson, Inspecting Grading S. A. 13	4.60
Emil Larson, Inspecting Grading S. A. 13	10.50
Emil Larson, Committee Work	50.80
Andrew Ness, Expense to Bemidji	10.30
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	23.70
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	10.00
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	11.00
J. S. Roy, Committee Work	0.20
J. S. Roy, Committee Work	44.40
J. S. Roy, Letting Gravelling	4.60
J. S. Roy, Accepting Grading Job S. A. No. 13	7.80
B. F. Umland, Expense and Mileage S. A. Roads	87.12
City Service Oil Co., gas and oil	118.24
Standard Oil Co., gas and oil	225.05
Hanson's Garage, Repairs for Tractor	112.80
Robertson Lbr. Co., Roofing	11.25
J. G. Adams Co., Grader Blades	110.50
Lyle Culvert Co., Snow Plows	807.00
Alfred Stokke, Work on Survey	7.50
Harry Severson, Work on Survey	33.00
B. F. Umland, Engineer's Expense S. A. Roads	35.10
Mpls. Blue Print Co., Supplies	4.30
Central Lbr. Co., Supplies	28.50
Oen Merc. Co., Supplies	38.30
Ireland Lbr. Yard, Lath	14.25
Albert Zavoral, Placing Culvert	5.00
Jno. T. Hanson, Mowing Weeds	48.13
B. F. Umland, Engineer's Expense	30.24
White Eagle Oil Co., gas and oil	240.01
Hanson's Garage, Repairs to Tractor	15.00
Minn. Highway Dept., Prints for Engineer	12.50
Minn. Linseed Oil Co., Bridge Paint	103.47
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work S. A. 13	10.20
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	10.00
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	20.00
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	11.00
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	8.20
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	6.40
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	4.80
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	55.10
Emil Larson, Committee Work	59.80
Emil Larson, Committee Work S. A. No. 13	9.80
J. S. Roy, Committee Work S. A. No. 1	19.30
J. S. Roy, Committee Work S. A. No. 13	8.00
J. S. Roy, Committee Work	48.00
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work	40.00
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work	9.20
B. F. Umland, Expense Engineer S. A. Roads	30.48
Andrew Ness, Expense to Road Meeting	49.50
Lyle Culvert Co., Balance on Motor Patrols	832.00
Lyle Culvert Co., Culverts	339.20
Harry Severson, Work on Survey	39.00
Alfred Stokke, Work on Survey	13.50
M. V. Evenson, Road Tax Refund	10.80
Anton Jenson, Painting Bridge	50.00
Sig. Myron, Explosives	3.27
Robertson Lbr. Co., Lumber for Barn	149.45
Robertson Lbr. Co., Planks	30.70
Stockland Road Equipment Co., Snow Fence	240.10
Hansen Garage, Repairs Tractor	37.80
Langlett & Bugge, Repairs	7.75
First Nat'l. Bank, Workmen's Comp. Insurance	474.13
B. F. Umland, Engineer's Expense	59.64
White Eagle Oil Co., gas and oil	110.51
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	0.20
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	15.80
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	8.40
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	15.80
Andrew Ness, Committee Work S. A. No. 4	5.00
Andrew Ness, Committee Work S. A. No. 2	10.00
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	15.70
Emil Larson, Committee Work S. A. No. 1	8.40
Emil Larson, Committee Work S. A. No. 8	9.30
Emil Larson, Committee Work S. A. No. 9	5.40
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work S. A. No. 1	5.80
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work S. A. No. 8	8.50
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work S. A. No. 9	5.80
J. S. Roy, Committee Work S. A. No. 8	7.40
J. S. Roy, Committee Work S. A. No. 1	4.60
J. S. Roy, Committee Work S. A. No. 9	4.80
Jops Olson Co., Supplies Engineer	17.79
Palmer Tommerdahl, Rental of Batteries	3.00
Oen Merc. Co., Supplies	41.59
Standard Oil Co., gas and oil	32.05
Cities Service Co., gas and oil	186.97
Hanson Garage, Repair Tractor	18.30
Lyle Culvert Co., Culverts	69.69
Bert F. Umland, Salary Engineer	175.00
Total	$ 19,147.14

General Ditch Fund

Receipts and Disbursements General Ditch Fund

RECEIPTS

Refund Bonds Sold	$ 78,000.60
Liens Collected	1,352.37
Township Road Benefits	0,413.79
Red Lake County	822.00
Tax Distributions	45,398.00
Total Receipts	$134,080.22
Dec. 31, 1029, Overdraft	10,393.17
Total	$151,379.39

DISBURSEMENTS

Jan. 1, 1029, Overdraft	$ 00,511.75
Warrants Issued	84,867.64
Total	$151,376.39

County Ditch No. 1

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's Fee	$ 18.18

Judicial Ditch No. 2

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's Fee	$ 7.20
Lyle Culvert Co., Culverts	99.25
Total	$ 100.45

Judicial Ditch No. 13

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Adolphson & Huseth, Cleaning Ditch	$ 361.00
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's Fee	5.00
Total	$ 390.00

County Ditch No. 16

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's Fees	$ 111.00
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	20.00
Emil Larson, Committee Work	10.80
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work	18.00
J. S. Roy, Committee Work	10.20
Fred D. Lorentson, Recording Lien	52.00
Adolphson & Huseth, Cleaning Ditch	1,245.80
Jno. Berglund, Cleaning Culvert	4.00
B. F. Umland, Engineer's Expense	33.30
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	19.80
W. P. Wilson, Levelling Dump	8.25
Total	$ 1,557.81

Judicial Ditch No. 18

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Central Lbr. Co., Lumber for Bridge	$ 77.05

County Ditch No. 21

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	$ 7.00

County Ditch No. 30

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work	$ 18.00
J. S. Roy, Committee Work	13.60
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	14.80
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	7.00
Total	$ 54.00

County Ditch No. 35

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's Fees	$ 80.00
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	27.40
Emil Larson, Committee Work	35.20
J. S. Roy, Committee Work	28.00
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work	33.40
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	35.80
Mobey & Chomnile, Attorney's Fees	25.00
Adolphson & Huseth, Cleaning Ditch	496.77
Lyle Culvert Co., Culverts	153.34
F. D. Lorentson, Recording Lien	45.00
B. F. Umland, Engineer's Expense	20.28
Total	$ 980.79

County Ditch No. 36

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's Fees	$ 138.00
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	5.00
Emil Larson, Committee Work	8.40
J. S. Roy, Committee Work	8.80
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work	7.80
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	8.80
F. D. Lorentson, Recording Lien	70.00
Total	$ 250.80

County Ditch No. 38

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's Fees	$ 15.00
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	16.00
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work	11.40
Total	$ 43.30

County Ditch No. 40

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's Fees	$ 15.00
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	21.50
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	18.00
Emil Larson, Committee Work	21.50
J. S. Roy, Committee Work	15.20
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work	20.70
Arne Vik, Building Bridge	175.00
Total	$ 286.90

County Ditch No. 41

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's Fees	$ 20.00
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	22.80
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	8.80
Emil Larson, Committee Work	8.40
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work	7.80
J. S. Roy, Committee Work	5.60
Casper Weiner Jr., Building Bridge	300.00
L. P. Lund & Son, Cleaning Ditch	648.00
B. F. Umland, Engineer's Expense	12.78
Total	$ 1,034.78

County Ditch No. 48

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Totlef Hovet, Levelling Dump	$ 15.40
Ludvig Johnson, Levelling Dump	34.10
Ludvig Johnson, Levelling Dump	34.10
Albert Zavoral, Levelling Dump	100.00
Total	$ 183.00

County Ditch No. 45

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Archie Wilson, Brushing	$ 30.00
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work	5.00
Total	$ 35.00

County Ditch No. 51

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	$ 0.80

County Ditch No. 55

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Lyle Culvert Co., Culverts	$ 102.07
H. P. Lund & Sons, Cleaning Ditch	102.00
B. F. Umland, Committee Work	20.40
Total	$ 324.07

County Ditch No. 00

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's Fee	$ 5.00

County Ditch No. 61

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Lylo Culvert Co., Culverts	$ 153.34

General Expense

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	$ 8.40
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	5.00
Emil Larson, Committee Work	8.40
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work	7.80
J. S. Roy, Committee Work	0.60
T. P. Anderson, Settlement with Red Lake Co.	0.00
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	17.80
M. V. Evenson, Taxes Refunded	73.84
T. P. Anderson, Auditor's Fee	0.00
C. O. Loekren, Tax Refunded	14.04
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	5.00
Total	$ 165.46

Ditch Sinking Fund

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Bessie Avelson, Interest on Warrants	$ 22.50
A. E. Olson, Interest on Warrants	35.00
First Nat'l. Bank, Int. on Bonds Co. Ditch 38	247.50
First Nat'l. Bank, Interest on Bonds	291.25
First Nat'l. Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	4,121.00
Chas. Fisher, Interest on Warrants	158.22
First Nat'l. Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	4,835.00
First & Peoples St. Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	4,000.00
First Nat'l. Bank, Interest on Bonds	101.24
First & Peoples St. Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	1,300.00
First & Peoples St. Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	3,522.50
First Nat'l. Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	2,550.00
First & Peoples St. Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	2,000.00
First & Peoples St. Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	2,287.50
First Nat'l. Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	1,150.00
John A. Johnson, Int. on Warrants	7.27
H. A. Pratt, Int. on Warrants	51.32
John Funnesdahl, Int. on Warrants	00.00
Continental Bk., Illinois, Int. on Warrants	13.12
Bessie Anderson, Interest on Warrants	10.83
Oscar L. Monson, Interest on Warrants	69.55
Adolph Ecklund, Interest on Warrants	17.10
Alfred E. Olson, Interest on Warrants	19.02
Geo. Curran, Interest on Warrants	60.00
H. A. Brumund, Interest on Warrants	18.70
First Nat'l. Bank, Int. and Prin. on Bonds	6,250.00
First & Peoples St. Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	7,250.00
First Nat'l. Bank, Interest on Warrant	000.00
Continental Com. Nat'l. Bank, Interest on Bonds	687.22
Bessie Avelson, Interest on Warrants	88.63
First Nat'l Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	2,247.50
First Nat'l. Bk., St. Paul, Interest on Bonds	120.29
First Nat'l. Bank, Interest on Bonds	608.50
Continental Bk. & Tr. Co., Interest on Bonds	14.53
A. F. Sandeen, Interest on Warrant	31.78
First & Peoples St. Bk., Prin. and Int. on Bonds	2,412.50
First & Peoples St. Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	5,020.00
Dr. J. Biederman, Interest on Warrants	100.74
A. J. Funnesdahl, Interest on Warrants	101.00
Mary Funnesdahl, Interest on Warrants	152.01
A. J. Funnesdahl, Interest on Warrants	17.50
Anton Echlund, Interest on Warrants	4.44
First Nat'l. Bank, Interest on Bonds	840.02
First & Peoples St. Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	1,630.00
First Nat'l. Bank, Interest on Bonds	1,127.50
First & Peoples St. Bk., Interest on Bonds	290.00
First & Peoples St. Bk., Interest on Bonds	360.00
First & Peoples St. Bk., Interest on Bonds	605.00
First Nat'l. Bank, Interest on Bonds	625.60
First Nat'l. Bank, Interest on Bonds	1,125.00
N. W. Trust Co., Interest on Bonds	40.90
First Nat'l. Bank, St. Paul, Interest on Bonds	107.81
Bessie Avelson, Interest on Warrants	366.10
Andrew Ness, Correcting Warrant	.20
Fireman's Relief Ass'n, Interest on Warrants	69.15
Red Lake County, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	992.17
Osmund Ordahl, Interest on Warrants	22.32
A. E. Olson, Interest on Warrants	26.95
First Nat'l. Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	5,694.60
First & Peoples St. Bk., Int. On Bonds	2,700.00
First & Peoples St. Bk., Int. on Bonds	525.00
First Nat'l. Bk., St. Paul, Int. on Bonds	660.00
C. Granum, Int. on Warrant	2.15
May L. Curran, Int. on Warrants	50.40
Lars E. Erickson, Prin. and and Int. on Bonds	700.00
Northwestern Nat'l Bank, Int. on Bonds	640.02
Bessie Andrews, Int. on Warrants	136.70
Continental Bk. & Tr. Co., Interest on Bonds	13.40
Halvor J. Hartvedt, Prin. and Interest on Bonds	500.00
Halvor J. Hartvedt, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	500.00
Emil Johnson, Interest on Warrants	162.80
First Nat'l Bank, Interest on Bonds	287.50
First Nat'l Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	3,057.50
Roy Morgan, Interest on Warrants	1.60
First Nat'l Bank, Prin. and Int. on Bonds	1,012.00
Knute Yutesend, Principal on Bond	700.00
Bessie Avelson, Int. on Warrants	38.00
Melvin Ihle, Int. on Warrants	12.00
Bessie Avelson, Int. on Warrants	0.60
Continental Bank of Ill., Interest on Bonds	102.50
Jno. Gullingsrud, Interest on Warrant	3.70
Total	$ 70,170.00

County Aid Road Fund

Receipts and Disbursements County Aid Road Fund

RECEIPTS

State Aid	$ 13,188.00
Reiner Twp.	15.00
Coodridge Twp.	15.00
Star Twp.	60.00
Highlanding Twp.	150.00
Bray Twp.	80.82
Cloverleaf Twp.	00.00
Kratka Twp.	600.00
Total Receipts	$ 14,146.82

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants Issued	$ 0,474.20
Dec. 31, 1020, Balance	4,074.56
Total	$ 14,148.82

County Aid Road No. 1

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
I. R. Geving, Brushing	$ 45.00
John Banner, Craderman	114.00
Alfred Stokke, Work on Survey	0.00
Harry Severson, Work on Survey	10.50
Bert F. Umalnd, Engineer's Expense	36.12
Town of Bray, Brushing and Clearing	80.82
Chris. Kruse Jr., Dragging	12.00
Chris. Kruse Jr., Dragging	11.05
Alfred Olson, Placing Culvert	64.00
Alfred Olson, Work on Culvert	10.00
Total	$ 300.30

County Aid Road No. 2

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Clarence Dahlen, Brushing	$ 20.00
Jas. Burrell, Tractor Operator	150.00
Jno. Banner, Graderman	36.00
Alfred Stokke, Working on Survey	22.50
Harry Severson, Work on Survey	25.50
Ole Hanson, Picking Rocks	57.00
Bert F. Umland, Engineer's Expense	30.12
Ole Hunson, Brushing	33.00
Bert F. Umland, Salary Engineer	175.00
Jas. A. Burrell, Tractor Operator	150.00
Jno. Banner, Graderman	150.00
Alfred Stokke, Work on Survey	10.50
Harry Severson, Work on Survey	13.50
Carl Thoreson, Clearing	30.00
Cities Service Oil Co., gas and oil	96.10
A. B. Mandt, oil	34.10
Bert F. Umland, Engineer's Expense	43.56
A. Thoreson, Picking Rocks	64.50
Elick Halvorson, Painting Bridge	41.50
Frank Race, Crading	48.00
Bert F. Umland, Engineer's Expense	24.24
Frank Race, Work on Bridge	32.25
Fred Anderson, Hauling Lumber	18.00
C. O. Elg, Placing Culverts	34.00
Jas. A. Burrell, Tractor Operator	150.00
Jno. Banner, Graderman	150.00
O. K. Tire & Battery Shop, Rental Battery	5.00
Harry Swenson, Work on Survey	12.00
Alfred Stokke, Work on Survey	10.50
Peoples Oil Co., gas and oil	257.22
B. F. Umland, Engineer's Expense	11.28
A. C. Lee, Dragging Road	13.50
Total	$ 1,054.00

County Aid Road No. 3

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Alfred Stokke, Work on Survey	$ 0.00
Harry Severson, Work on Survey	24.00
Bert F. Umland, Expense Engineer	11.40
Robertson Lumber Co., Laths	3.50
Harry Swenson, Work on Survey	26.70
Carl Nelson, Picking Rocks	14.00
Carl Nelson, Picking Rocks	13.40
Jno. Banner, Graderman	125.00
Jas. Burrell, Tractor Operator	125.00
Bert F. Umland, Salary Engineer	175.00
Alfred Stokke, Work on Survey	10.50
A. B. Mandt, gas and oil	64.00
B. F. Umland, Expense Engineer	12.00
Peoples Oil Co., gas and oil	56.04
Harry Severson, Work on Survey	15.00
Total	$ 684.63

General Expense

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Motor Power Equip. Co., Payment on Tractor	$ 4,000.00
Stockland Grader Co., Payment on Crader	1,500.00
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	8.40
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work	23.20
Emil Larson, Committee Work	22.70
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	9.00
J. S. Roy, Committee Work	9.20
Northern Woodwork Co., Building Cab	94.78
J. G. Adams Co., Freight on Grader	330.86
Bert F. Umland, Salary Engr.	175.00
Bert F. Umland, Expense Engineer	44.18
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	12.50
Isaac Wilson, Committee Work	9.60
Langlett & Bugge, Repairs	52.55
C. T. Thompson, Committee Work	9.00
Andrew Ness, Committee Work	9.00
Isaac E. Wilson, Committee Work	10.00
J. S. Roy, Committee Work	9.00
J. S. Roy, Committee Work	12.40
Stockland Road Mach. Co., Fresno Scrapers	95.90
Total	$ 6,435.25

County Bond and Interest Fund

Receipts and Disbursements County Bond and Interest Fund

RECEIPTS

Jan. 1, 1920, Balance in Fund	$ 5,851.73
Tax Distributions	5,060.32
Total	$ 10,912.05

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants Issued	$ 9,908.25
Dec. 31, 1029, Balance	1,003.80
Total	$ 10,912.05

Bond and Interest Payments

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Ray P. Chase, County State Loan	$ 2,684.00
City of Thief River Falls, Paving Assessment	281.28
Ceo. Dumont, Auditor, Red Lake County Bonds	0,918.42
M. V. Evenson, Interest	44.55
Total	$ 9,908.25

Incidental Fund

Receipts and Disbursements Incidental Fund

RECEIPTS

Transferred from Revenue	$ 1,354.58

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants Issued	$ 1,354.50

Incidental

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Geo. M. Gunderson, Postage, Supt. Schools	$ 5.00
B. F. Umland, Postage Highway Engineer	15.20
City Dray & Transfer Co. Freight	1.58
N. W. Bell Tel. Co., Phone Rent & Tolls	38.90
P. C. Pederson, Clk., Light Service	28.96
Geo. M. Gunderson, Postage Supt. Schools	5.00
T. P. Anderson, Postage and Express Aud.	20.75
B. F. Umland, Postage Highway Engineer	12.88
T. P. Anderson, Frt. & Exp. Auditor	20.15
Jno. Gullingsrud, Postage Treas.	26.03
P. G. Peterson, Clerk, Light Service	14.02
N. W. Bell Phone Co., Phone Rent and Tolls	47.99
T. P. Anderson, Postage	21.00
N. W. Bell Phone Co., Phone Rent and Tolls	40.78
O. H. Ihle, Postage and Telegrams	28.90
City Dray & Transfer Co., Freight and Drayage	10.22
P. G. Peterson, Clerk, Light Service	18.05
Lars Baeke, Postage Probate Judge	2.75
Geo. M. Gunderson, Postage Supt Schools	8.15
Geo M. Gunderson, Postage Supt. Schools	10.00
Fred D. Lorentson, Postage Reg. Deeds	10.00
P. G. Pederson, Clerk, Light and Water	37.67
Ceo. M. Gunderson, Postage Supt. Schools	16.00
T. P. Anderson, Postage	14.55
N. W. Bell Phone Co., Phone Rent and Tolls	48.10
Geo. M. Gunderson, Postage and Express	12.68
P. G. Pederson, Clerk, Light Service	8.35
City Dray & Trans. Co., Frt. and Drayage	3.46
Geo. M. Gunderson, Postage	10.95
N. W. Bell Phone Co., Phone Rent and Tolls	41.43
T. P. Anderson, Postage and Express, Auditor	13.89
P. C. Pederson, Light Service	7.38
B. F. Umland, Postage and Express	18.25
Lars Baeke, Postage Probate Judge	3.75
Ceo. M. Cunderson, Express, Supt. Schools	3.31
N. W. Bell Phone Co., Phone Rent and Tolls	38.27
T. P. Anderson, Postage and Express, Auditor	12.99
N. W. Bell Phone Co., Phone Rent and Tolls	45.20
Adolph Eeklund, Postage and Exp. Clk. of Court	6.82
T. P. Anderson, Postage and Express, Auditor	14.98
Ceo. M. Cunderson, Postage and Exp. Supt Schools	7.43
City Dray & Trans. Co., Frt.	8.12
P. G. Pederson, Light and Water	27.13
Ceo. M. Gunderson, Postage, Supt. Schools	5.67
Jno. Gullingsrud, Postage and Express, Treas.	21.00
T. P. Anderson, Postage and Express, Auditor	24.02
Geo. M. Gunderson, Postage and Express, Supt. Schools	2.33
Fred D. Lorentson, Postage, Reg. of Deeds	21.29
O. L. Ihle, Postage, Sheriff	5.00
Thief River Greenhouse, Plants for Court House	8.05
P. G. Pederson, Clerk, Light Service	15.42
N. W. Bell Tel. Co., Phone Rent and Tolls	46.19
T. P. Anderson, Postage and Express, Auditor	14.81
Geo. M. Gunderson, Postage, Supt. Schools	16.28
N. W. Bell Tel. Co., Phone Rent and Tolls	25.99
Geo. M. Gunderson, Postage and Exp., Supt. Schools	4.05
P. G. Pederson, Clerk, Light and Water	22.59
Lars Backe, Postage Probate Judge	5.25
B. F. Umland, Postage and Exp., Highway Engineer	10.11
T. P. Anderson, Postage and Exp., Auditor	23.01
N. W. Bell Tel. Co., Phone Rent and Tolls	49.41
City Dray & Trans. Co., Frt. and Dray	4.89
P. G. Pederson, Clerk, Light Service	11.84
Fred D. Lorentson, Postage Reg. Deeds	14.25
Geo. M. Gunderson, Postage, Supt. Schools	5.24
N. W. Bell Tel. Co., Phone Rent and Tolls	83.31
T. P. Anderson, Postage and Express	14.83
P. G. Pederson, Lights	20.05
N. W. Bell Tel. Co., Phone Service and Tolls	49.41
Geo. M. Cunderson, Postage	18.90
City Dray Line, Freight and Drayage	5.03
Jno. Horgish, Cleaning Boiler	3.00
Fred D. Lorentson, Postage Reg. of Deeds	10.00
H. L. Fowler, Postage Auditor	3.00
Jno. Gullingsrud, Postage and Exchange	8.30
City Dray Line, Freight and Drayage	2.45
Total	$ 1,354.50

State Revenue and School Fund

Receipts and Disbursements State Revenue and School Fund

RECEIPTS

From Tax Distributions	$ 23,027.76

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants Issued	$ 23,027.75

State Revenue and School Fund

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Ray P. Chase, March Settlement	$ 5,466.26
Julius Schmahl, June Settlement	10,346.69
M. V. Evenson, Tax Refunded	13.26
Julius A. Schmahl, November Settlement	7,201.55
Total	$ 23,027.76

County Attorney's Contingent Fund

Receipts and Disbursements Contingent Fund

RECEIPTS

Transferred from Revenue	$ 100.00

DISBURSEMENTS

H. O. Berve, Expense attending Law Enforcement Meeting	$ 28.35
Returned to Revenue Fund	71.65
Total	$ 100.00

Tri-County Sanatorium Fund

Receipts and Disbursements Sanitorium Fund

RECEIPTS

From Tax Distributions	$ 6,260.95
Dec. 31, 1929, Overdraft	410.39
Total	6,671.34

DISBURSEMENTS

Jan. 1, 1929, Overdraft	$ 1,354.09
Warrants Issued	5,317.25
Total	6,671.34

Sanatorium Fund

To Whom Issued and For What Purpose	Amount
Oakland Park Sanitorium, Maintenance	$ 4,982.89
Jno. Gullingsrud, Interest on Warrants	15.47
T. O. Gullingsrud, Interest on Warrants	6.50
M. V. Evenson, Interest on Warrant	1.91
Pearl Mabey, Interest on Warrants	144.68
Oakland Park Sanitorium, Interest on Warrants	165.86
Total	$ 5,317.25

Private Redemption Fund

Receipts and Disbursements Private Redemption Fund

RECEIPTS

Jan. 1, 1929, To Balance	$ 572.45
Collections	13,082.38
Transferred to Revenue	413.10
Total	$ 14,067.93

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrants Drawn	$ 14,054.91
Dec. 31, 1929, Balance in Fund	13.02
Total	$ 14,067.93

Private Redemption Fund

To Whom Issued	Amount
Aug. Carlson	$ 39.99
Agr. Credit Corp.	189.52
Hicks & Co.	141.12
Jno. Naplin	58.40
Hicks & Co.	518.11
Hicks & Co.	187.09
Hicks & Co.	121.27
Martin V. Evenson	402.54
Hicks & Co.	274.33
Gus. O. Kraft	913.26
Marton V. Evenson	59.68
Hicks & Co.	237.60
First Nat'l Bank	238.32
Ulland Mort. Co.	62.25
Hicks & Co.	278.21
Gus. O. Kratt	204.80
Gus. O. Kratt	159.13
Gus. O. Kratt	110.22
Hicks & Co.	208.23
Ulland Mortgage Co.	20.62
Gus. O. Kratt	650.76
Agriculture Credit Corp.	25.00
Hicks & Co.	161.75
Martin V. Evenson	2,130.24
Gus. Naplin	10.84
Lars Backe	585.42
Gus. O. Kratt	200.50
C. H. Porter	541.15
Martin Michaelson	26.03
Gus. O. Kratt	1,806.05
Gus. O. Kratt	93.73
Gust Naplin	145.88
Gus. O. Kratt	67.66
Hicks & Co.	414.01
Agri. Credit Corp.	25.00
Gus. O. Kratt	109.55
Agr. Credit Corp.	25.00
Frank J. Hardesty	432.38
M. V. Evenson	62.24
Gus. O. Kratt	104.46
Emma Roth	535.75
State Savings Bank	88.54
Agr. Credit Corp.	46.28
E. L. Haspes	293.37
Josephine Lorentson	75.20
State Savings Bank	169.60
Farmers Nat'l. Bank, Red Lake Falls	170.25
Cyrde Joringdahl	262.59
Hicks & Co.	97.83
Hicks & Co.	189.65
Josephine Lorentson	82.51
Total	$ 14,054.91

Teacher's Insurance and Retirement Fund

Receipts and Disbursements Teacher's Insurance and Retirement Fund

RECEIPTS

Jan. 1, 1929, Balance in Fund	$ 125.00
Collections	915.50
Total	$ 1,040.50

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid to State Treasurer	$ 1,003.00
Dec. 31, 1929, Balance	37.50
Total	$ 1,040.50

Receipts and Disbursements of City, Town and Village Funds

City, Town and Village	Balance Jan. 1st 1929 Dr.	Balance Jan. 1st 1929 Cr.	Receipts from all tax Collections and Licenses	TOTAL	Payments to Treasurers	Refunded	Payments to State Loan	Payments to Ditch
Ditch	$	$ 447.00	$	$ 447.00	$	$	$	$ 447.00
Bray		3.45	790.04	793.49	789.32			4.17
Black River		84.21	1,358.10	1,442.31	1,289.88			152.43
Clover Leaf		285.59	690.80	976.39	428.87			547.52
Deer Park		213.53	738.73	952.26	611.20			441.06
Goodridge		415.55	379.86	795.41	353.53			441.88
Highlanding		385.11	1,441.95	1,830.06	1,125.08			704.98
Hickory		186.84	1,203.06	1,389.90	610.90		312.00	267.00
Kratka		267.73	699.42	967.15	479.66	18.04		471.45
Mayfield		395.68	971.49	1,367.17	1,228.21			138.96
North		758.81	1,841.62	2,600.63	2,155.93			444.70
Norden		443.79	1,133.94	1,577.73	740.50			831.33
Numedal		137.67	585.27	722.94	476.35			246.59
Polk Centre		147.01	668.96	715.97	715.97			
Rocksbury		177.57	2,437.65	2,615.22	2,312.12			303.10
River Falls		408.38	1,604.61	2,012.99	1,661.63			351.30
Reiner		298.69	444.01	742.70	233.94			508.76
Sanders		682.97	2,282.26	2,965.23	1,642.19			1,323.04
Smiley		254.35	1,986.02	2,240.37	1,743.47			496.90
Silverton		384.90	1,517.47	1,902.37	842.57		456.28	603.62
Star		156.87	992.45	1,149.32	837.94			311.38
Wyandotte		156.25	1,907.86	2,064.11	1,721.19			342.92
Vil. Goodridge		2.43	1,620.56	1,622.99	1,620.04			2.95
Vil. St. Hilaire		3.29	2,288.69	2,291.98	2,261.19			30.79
Thief River Falls		2,448.04	49,020.75	51,468.79	49,020.34		2,448.45	
Total	$	$ 9,145.71	$78,508.77	$ 87,654.48	$ 75,007.92	$ 16.04	$ 3,216.73	$ 9,413.79

Receipts and Disbursements of School District Funds

Number of District	Balance Jan. 1st, 1929 Dr.	Balance Jan. 1st, 1929 Cr.	Receipts from State Apportionment and Tax Collections	TOTAL	Payments to Treasurer	Payments to State Treasurer on Acct. of State School Fund	Refund	State Loan Dr.	State Loan Cr.
1	$	$	$ 498.67	$ 498.67	$ 498.67	$	$	$	$
2			697.29	697.29	697.29				
3	146.19		1,035.05	889.86	933.52	190.00		233.66	
4			568.76	568.76	568.75				
5		606.41	779.26	1,385.67	1,244.92	124.00			16.75
6			617.54	617.54	817.54				
7		350.48	505.24	855.72	712.34				143.38
8		598.43	14,374.66	14,973.09	11,786.58	2,632.00			554.61
9		370.30	626.94	997.24	860.55	118.00			20.69
10		210.80	583.63	794.43	678.28	124.00		7.65	
11		487.58	791.50	1,279.08	865.00	280.00			134.08
12		717.62	783.41	1,501.03	1,211.80	100.00			189.23
13		321.55	138.34	459.89	459.89				
14			1,434.14	1,434.14	1,432.14				2.00
15			1,120.37	1,120.37	1,120.37				
16	88.15		366.25	278.10	366.25	81.00		169.15	
17			163.31	163.31	163.31				
18		40,830.24	106,535.55	147,365.79	133,154.04	14,120.00			91.75
19		279.05	376.48	655.53	400.92				254.61
25		414.10	682.69	1,096.85	1,010.37				86.48
26			650.35	650.35	650.35				
28			703.28	703.28	703.28				
29		557.27	762.06	1,319.33	1,319.33				
30		14.38	644.44	658.82	614.85	112.00			32.47
31		92.29	628.45	720.74	628.45				92.29
33			130.71	130.71	130.71				
34		314.36	661.57	975.93	975.93				
35			1,018.51	1,015.51	994.78				21.73
37			637.55	637.55	637.55				
38			823.03	823.03	823.03				
39		218.56	470.23	688.79	628.91				59.88
41		319.35	499.78	619.13	619.13				
42			452.74	452.74	452.74				
43		31.97	90.33	122.30	122.30				
44		70.49	912.97	983.40	912.97				70.49
46		154.68	223.64	378.32	378.32				
47		25.98	774.83	800.61	564.86	208.00			27.95
48			675.05	675.05	675.06			.01	
50		429.32	1,036.33	1,465.65	1,317.34	116.00			32.31
51		227.85	612.89	840.74	840.74				
52			1,077.46	1,077.46	1,077.46				
53		29.37	995.01	1,024.38	857.20	128.00			39.18
54	382.54		1,247.07	864.53	830.59	220.00		186.06	
55		429.83	765.93	1,195.76	1,011.56				184.20
56		.64	787.85	788.49	692.46	128.00		31.97	
57		139.29	456.75	596.05	641.33	20.00		65.28	
58		78.73	286.24	354.97	364.97				
59		10.82	1,040.90	1,051.72	890.61	124.00			37.11
60		70.00	1,113.32	1,183.32	1,110.65	58.46			14.21
64			662.31	662.31	662.31				
65		443.81	772.57	1,216.38	1,037.85	268.00		89.47	
66		323.62	429.90	753.72	617.23				136.49
67		713.82	761.82	1,475.64	530.73	272.00			672.91
68			541.54	541.54	511.57		29.97		
69		1.70	524.87	526.57	526.57				
70	233.00		313.75	80.75	179.61	72.00		170.86	
72		51.77	1,254.01	1,305.78	918.38	256.00			131.40
73			1,046.90	1,046.90	1,046.90				
74		478.01	976.64	1,454.65	1,413.43				43.22
102		179.29	18,206.69	18,385.98	17,621.29	612.00			252.69
106			850.46	850.46	850.46				
107		3.00	180.89	183.89	183.89				
108			56.44	56.44	56.44				
124			1,004.63	1,004.63	1,004.63				
125			729.29	729.29	729.29				
127			556.23	556.23	556.23				
131			263.23	263.23	263.23				
135			563.62	563.62	563.62				
147		325.09	790.31	1,115.40	1,115.40				
149		322.53	210.21	532.74	[illegible]				630.71
154			819.63	819.63	819.63				
156		291.50	1,013.59	1,305.09	1,305.09				
159			902.89	902.89	902.89				
163			724.30	724.30	724.30				
165			580.14	580.14	580.14				
176			842.08	842.08	842.08				
180		378.37	720.93	1,099.30	1,099.30				
184			229.42	229.42	229.42				
219		21.24	388.92	410.16	410.16				
227		229.31	401.84	631.15	332.87				298.28
228	222.37		3,524.15	[illegible]	[illegible]			270.04	
Con.	3,524.15			180.41	201.45	288.00			
Total	$4,595.40	$ 52,205.11	$193,653.48	$241,263.19	$217,687.11	$ 20,499.46	29.97	$ 1,224.35	$ 4,271.00

State Land and Interest Fund

Receipts and Disbursements State Land and Interest Fund

RECEIPTS

Jan. 1, 1929, to Balance	$ 414.39
Collections	1,129.55
Total	$ 1,543.94

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid to State Auditor	$ 1,533.47
Dec. 31, 1929, Balance	10.47
Total	$ 1,543.94

County Sinking Fund

Receipts and Disbursements Sinking Fund

RECEIPTS

Jan. 1, 1929, to Balance	$ 5,797.42
Warrant Cancelled	.03
Tax Distributions	6,746.55
Total	$ 12,544.00

DISBURSEMENTS

Warrant M. V. Evenson	$ 2.20
Transferred to Revenue	9,000.00
Dec. 31, 1929, Balance	3,541.80
Total	$ 12,544.00

Inheritance Tax Fund

Receipts and Disbursements Inheritance Tax Fund

RECEIPTS

Collections	$ 131.37

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid State Treasurer	$ 131.37

Law Enforcement Fund

Receipts and Disbursements Law Enforcement Fund

RECEIPTS

Transferred from Revenue	$ 600.00
From Fines Collected	905.00
Total	$ 1,505.00

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid O. L. Ihle, Sheriff	$ 1,029.55
Balance Dec. 31, 1929	475.45
Total	$ 1,505.00

State Loan Account

Receipts and Disbursements State Loan Account

RECEIPTS

Transferred from Town and School District Funds	$ 4,839.38

DISBURSEMENTS

Dec. 31, 1929, Balance	$ 4,839.38

Tapping a Vacuum

Earnest New Student—Excuse me—could you tell me the way to the lecture hall?

Old Hand—'Fraid I can't; I'm a student myself!—London Passing Show.

Statement of Bonded Indebtedness

Date of Issue	Purpose	Total Amt. Issued	Amount Paid	Balance Outstanding
Oct. 2, 1912	Drainage	$ 85,000.00	$ 65,000.00	$ 20,000.00
Feb. 2, 1912	Drainage	112,500.00	90,500.00	22,000.00
July 2, 1913	Drainage	33,000.00	24,000.00	9,000.00
Mar. 1, 1913	Drainage	32,000.00	25,000.00	7,000.00
Mar. 1, 1913	Drainage	17,000.00	11,000.00	6,000.00
Mar. 1, 1913	Drainage	50,000.00	34,000.00	16,000.00
Mar. 1, 1913	Drainage	13,000.00	9,000.00	4,000.00
Mar. 1, 1913	Drainage	5,000.00	1,000.00	4,000.00
Mar. 1, 1913	Drainage	9,000.00	9,000.00	———
Mar. 1, 1913	Drainage	11,000.00	7,000.00	4,000.00
Mar. 1, 1913	Drainage	12,500.00	8,500.00	4,000.00
Nov. 1, 1913	Drainage	8,500.00	4,500.00	4,000.00
Nov. 1, 1913	Drainage	7,500.00	3,500.00	4,000.00
Nov. 1, 1913	Drainage	5,000.00	4,000.00	1,000.00
Nov. 1, 1913	Drainage	10,000.00	11,000.00	5,000.00
May 1, 1914	Drainage	17,000.00	11,000.00	6,000.00
May 1, 1914	Drainage	12,000.00	4,000.00	8,000.00
Apr. 1, 1915	Drainage	20,000.00	11,000.00	9,000.00
Apr. 1, 1915	Drainage	11,000.00	5,000.00	6,000.00
Apr. 1, 1915	Drainage	8,500.00	3,500.00	5,000.00
July 1, 1916	Drainage	3,500.00	1,500.00	2,000.00
July 1, 1916	Drainage	8,000.00	4,000.00	4,000.00
July 1, 1916	Drainage	13,500.00	4,500.00	9,000.00
Nov. 1, 1916	Drainage	6,900.00	3,400.00	3,500.00
Dec. 1, 1917	Drainage	24,500.00	5,500.00	19,000.00
Nov. 1, 1919	Drainage	12,500.00	2,500.00	10,000.00
Nov. 1, 1919	Drainage	9,500.00	1,500.00	8,000.00
Dec. 5, 1920	Drainage	16,000.00	4,000.00	12,000.00
Mar. 1, 1921	Drainage	24,000.00	4,000.00	20,000.00
Apr. 1, 1921	Drainage	8,000.00	1,900.00	7,000.00
Apr. 1, 1921	Drainage	50,000.00	9,000.00	41,000.00
Feb. 1, 1921	Drainage	50,000.00	5,000.00	45,000.00
Mar. 1, 1924	Drainage	78,000.00	———	78,000.00
July 22, 1929	Drainage	18,848.00	———	18,848.00
Sept. 1, 1921	Trunk Highway Refunding	18,966.18	———	18,966.18
Feb. 1, 1925	Trunk Highway Refunding	70,000.00	22,000.00	48,000.00
Jan. 15, 1923	Road & Bridge	100,000.00	12,000.00	88,000.00
July 1, 1927	Road & Bridge	35,000.00	31,200.00	4,700.00
Mar. 1, 1917	County Organization			
Total Bonds Outstanding		$1,114,014.18	$472,000.00	$642,014.18

Assets and Liabilities of Pennington County, Minnesota

DEC. 31st, 1929

ASSETS

Court House and Jail	$ 20,000.00	
Machine Shed and Garage	1,500.00	
Gravel Pits	1,000.00	$ 22,500.00
Furniture, Fixtures, Books and Supplies		12,350.00
Road Machinery (Inventory less Depreciation)		18,634.06
Roads and Bridges (Estimated)		550,000.00
Fund Balances:		
Taxes & Penalties	$ 33,435.00	
Mortgage Registry Tax	1,065.43	
County Aid Road Fund	4,674.56	
County Revenue Fund	817.12	
County Bonds & Interest	1,003.80	
Sinking Fund	3,541.80	
State Lands & Interest	10.47	
State Loan Fund	4,839.38	
Teacher Insurance & Retirement	37.50	
Private Redemption Fund	13.02	
Law Enforcement Fund	475.45	49,913.59
1929 Tax Levy for 1930 Purposes:		
For County Purposes	104,471.79	
For Ditch Assessments	67,151.47	171,623.26
Taxes for Prior Years:		
County Share of Taxes	30,814.14	
Less Uncollectible (Estimated)	9,903.54	20,710.60
Due From State of Minnesota:		
Aid on Construction S. A. Roads	8,037.40	
Aid on Maintenance S. A. Roads	586.29	8,623.69
Wolf Bounty Claims Paid		180.00
Ditch Liens:		
Delinquent Ditch Liens	$183,612.45	
Liens not due or spread	270,888.51	454,500.96
Trunk Highway Bonds Assumed by State		37,814.18
Total Assets		$1,355,850.34

LIABILITIES

State, School and Town Share in Taxes:		
Undistributed Taxes and Penalties	$ 22,290.04	
Undistributed Mortgage Reg. Tax	887.88	$ 23,177.90
City of Thief River Falls (Poor Claim)		3,638.42
Trust Accounts:		
State Loans	$ 4,839.38	
State Lands	10.47	
Teacher Insurance and Retirement	37.50	
Private Redemption	13.02	4,900.37
Due on Contracts Entered Into:		
Motor Power Equipment Co. (Tractor)	$ 3,765.00	
Stockland Road Mach. Co. (Grader)	1,402.35	
J. G. Adams Co. (Elevat. Grader)	2,625.00	
Motor Power Equip Co. (Snow Plow)	8,330.00	
Clifford Hedeen (Gravel Contract)	1,499.73	$ 17,622.08
Overdrafts:		
Road & Bridge Fund	$ 68,074.90	
General Ditch Fund	16,393.17	
Sanitorium Fund	410.39	84,878.52
Outstanding Bonds:		
Trunk Highway Reinbursement Bonds	$ 37,814.18	
Road & Bridge Funding	136,000.00	
County Organization	4,700.00	
Ditch Bonds	463,500.00	642,014.18
Total Liabilities		$776,229.47

SUMMARY

Total Assets	$ 1,355,850.34	
Total Liabilities		$ 776,229.47
Surplus (Unrealizable)		550,000.00
Surplus (Relizable)		29,620.87
Total	$ 1,355,850.34	$ 1,355,850.34

The foregoing Financial Statement of Pennington County, as prepared by the County Auditor, is hereby approved and submitted to the Taxpayers of the County.

ANDREW NESS,
Chairman.

EMIL LARSON,
J. S. ROY,
ISAAC E. WILSON,
C. T. THOMPSON,
Board of County Commissioners,
Pennington County, Minnesota.

Attest:
H. L. FOWLER,
County Auditor.

Dated Thief River Falls, Minn.
January 7th, 1930.

Cares of State Forgotten

Abraham Lincoln reading to his son Thomas (Tad).

"Little Tad" Father's Pet

"Whatever became of Little Tad?" is the question I have been asked oftenest in my work of bringing forth new stories about the greatest of all Americans. Even those whose memories cover the two generations from the time Abraham Lincoln was living in the White House seem confused about the identity of "the Child of the Nation." In Tad's day he was more widely known than Robert.

Tad, on account of the strange pet name his father had given him, has been confused with Willie, who died in the White House in February, 1862, or with Robert, who survived his father more than sixty years, to be secretary of war and United States ambassador to the court of Great Britain, as well as highly prominent in big business as president of the Pullman Palace Car company.

But the Lincolns' youngest son always will remain, "Little Tad" in the minds of the American people, though he grew to be a stalwart youth and lived a while in Germany, where, as has been related, he won the childish devotion of the little girl who was afterward married to the last of the czars of Russia and who heroically met the tragic fate of the Romanoff dynasty there.

In preparing this series of "New Lights" it has been necessary to review the many sources of light on Abraham Lincoln and his family. In this process of research for "things new and old" I have been surprised to find how many of the best Lincoln stories were started on their cheering way by the artist Frank B. Carpenter, who wrote "Six Months in the White House" after spending the first half year of 1864 there for the purpose of painting the now famous picture of "Abraham Lincoln Reading the Emancipation Proclamation to His Cabinet."

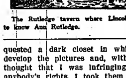
Near the President.

Carpenter wished to live near the President in order to catch his natural expression as well as to be at hand to arrange a sitting for the picture whenever possible. In that half year the painter saw and heard the best stories about Lincoln, which fact shows there were many times more stories which might have been related from and about Lincoln if some one had only been on hand to jot them down as Frank Carpenter was inspired to do; for Abraham Lincoln was himself a master story teller.

As one story suggests another, since I have been relating the new stories picked up in the course of twenty years writing for newspapers, books, magazines and moving pictures, I have received letters with stories from eye and ear witnesses from all parts of the country, even dating back as far as Lincoln's young manhood. Since the appearance of this series of "New Lights" I have received word from Michigan, Wisconsin, Illinois, Washington (state), Oregon and California, offering fresh anecdotes which have never been published about Lincoln, who became the source of more stories than any other human being in history.

Naturally Carpenter's little old book could not have been true to the life if he had not related a number of tales about "Little Tad," to the first of which I now refer in order to make these stories more intelligible to the present-day reader. Here is the great portrait painter's introduction of Tad Lincoln:

"Some photographers from Brady's gallery came up to the White House to make some stereoscopic studies for me of the President's office. They requested a dark closet in which to develop the pictures and, without a thought that I was infringing upon anybody's rights, I took them to an unoccupied room of which 'Little Tad' had taken possession a few days before, and with the aid of a couple of servants, had it fitted up as a miniature theater with stage, curtains, orchestra, stalls, parquet and all. Knowing that the use required would not interefere with his arrangements, I led the way to this apartment.



The Rutledge tavern where Lincoln came to know Ann Rutledge.

Tad Asserts Rights.

"Everything went on well and one or two of the pictures had been taken, when suddenly there was an uproar! The operator came back to the office and said that Tad had taken great offense at the occupation of his room without his consent and had locked the door, refusing all admission. The chemicals had been taken inside and there was no way to get at them, he having carried off the key. In the midst of this conversation Tad burst in, in a fearful passion! He laid all the blame upon me—said that I had no right to use his room, and that the men should not go in even to get their things, for they had no business in his room!

"Mr. Lincoln had been sitting for a photograph and was still in the chair. He said very mildly: 'Tad, go and unlock the door.' Tad went off, muttering, into his mother's room, refusing to obey. I followed him, but no coaxing would pacify him. On my return to the President, I found him sitting patiently in the chair, from which he had not risen. He said: 'Hasn't the boy opened that door?' I replied that I could do nothing with him—he had gone off in a great pet.

"Mr. Lincoln's lips came together firmly. Suddenly rising, he strode across the passage with the air of one bent on punishment and disappeared in the domestic apartments.

"Directly the President returned with the key to the theater, which he unlocked himself. 'There,' he said, 'go ahead; it is all right now.'

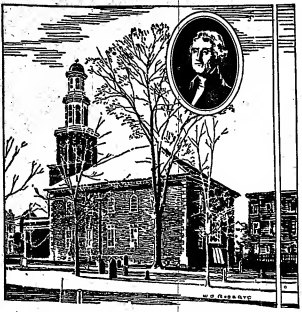
"He then went back to his office, followed by myself, and resumed his seat.

"'Tad,' said he, half apologetically, 'is a peculiar child. He was violently excited when I went to him. I said: "Tad, do you know you are making your father a great deal of trouble?" He burst into tears, instantly giving me the key.'"—Wayne Whipple, in the New York World.

Abraham Lincoln when he was practicing law in Springfield, Ill. The majority of his portraits at that time show him with his hair carefully parted at the side, combed and plastered down. He did that especially to sit for his photograph, but the most of the time his hair was uncombed and tousled, as it is shown in this picture.

> The true rule in determining to embrace or reject anything is not whether it have any evil in it, but whether it have more of evil than of good. There are few things wholly evil or wholly good.—Lincoln.

Where Washington Worshiped



Christ church in Alexandria, Va., where George Washington was a vestryman. In his boyhood he attended the rural church at Pohick.

Superb Courage of Washington

When Washington took command of the New England troops besieging Boston he assumed responsibility for more men under arms than he had ever seen before. The numbers were embarrassing not only as a problem of direction but as one of organization. He owed his appointment to two things, one the necessity of overcoming the colonial jealousies in New England and the other of bringing the South definitely in with the North. Principally for the second reason John Adams opposed the appointment of John Hancock as chief in command and procured the appointment of Colonel Washington.

Probably at no time was the professional soldier's contempt for untrained citizens in arms, for trained hands, militia, and an armed rabble greater than it was before Concord and Bunker Hill in New England, but the attack on the hill taught respect for the Colonials behind earthworks and in entrenchments. However, it went no farther than that.

In spite of the inherent defects of the troop organization and supply the New Englanders had done their work well. Their chief, Artemas Ward, and his associates, Heath, Knox, Arnold, Stark, etc., may not have been skilled soldiers, but they were determined and brave, and devotion never reached a higher level of courage than it did in such men as Warren and Prescott. The 17,000 Colonial militiamen whom Colonel Washington found about Boston had taught the British professionals two costly lessons. Distinguished British generals with a competent force were besieged and uncertain both as to what to do and how to do it.

Knew British Weakness.

Several things dictated Washington's subsequent military course. First was his own physical and moral courage. That was his best military equipment. It was unhesitating and unfaltering. Second probably, was his experience with British regular troops. He had seen them lose their discipline under terror. It was not a proper indictment of Braddock's regulars that they could not fight the French and Indians as the Virginia riflemen could fight them. The disaster was that they would not obey orders. The third was his distrust of minute men, militia, and of undisciplined riflemen.

It is true that men of that type won the principal American successes, as at Oriskany, Bennington, Saratoga, King's Mountain, and Cowpens, but it was Washington's army which kept the pressure on the British points of concentration.

It was Washington's distinctive characteristic that he would attack. That quality was developed in him as if he had the experience, the genius, and the resources of any one of the great generals of history. He had two plans to throw the British out of Boston. Both were vetoed by his council. Both were amazingly audacious. Both may have been very foolish. One was to attack across the ice if it became solid enough to permit it. The other was to attack in rowboats. It is one thing for an untrained general and an untrained command to resist behind cover, but only a man with Washington's courage would have seriously considered assaulting a fortified city supported by a fleet and held by disciplined troops.

His Greatest Exploit.

When he attacked at Trenton his army had been shattered by its experiences at Brooklyn Heights, by its narrow escape from the easy-going Howe, by its retreat across New Jersey, by losses in battle, by desertions, and by the defection of the surrounding countryside.

It is true that something had to be done to revive the expiring flame of American resolution and courage, but here was an exploit of pure determination and serene heroism which took the fragment of a beaten army across the Delaware to risk an adventure which might have meant the end.

When Howe moved out of New York on the misguided campaign which took Philadelphia at the sacrifice of Burgoyne, Washington placed himself between the British and the capital. He was defeated at Brandywine, but in spite of that he later attacked at Germantown and nearly won. It has been said that his plan of action was too good, that it required movements his officers and men were unable to execute. This attack was regarded as another audacity proving that Washington did not know when he was licked and consequently could not be. The battle of Germantown, although lost, had its part, along with Saratoga, in convincing France that in supporting the Americans it might pick or make the winner.

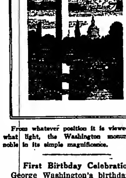
Glorious Victories.

When Howe withdrew from Philadelphia to return to New York, Washington undertook to harass and, if possible, intercept the movement, and at Monmouth he again attacked an enemy which was not hunting trouble at that time or place.

The taking of Stony Point by light infantry under General Wayne was an example of military maneuver obviously attractive to the character of Washington as a soldier. It was without powder, and the men who climbed the bluffs in the night knew that the nearest officer would kill anyone who fired a shot. They had nothing but their bayonets. Again, at the taking of redoubts No. 9 and No. 10 at Yorktown, the French the one, the American light infantry the other, there was no powder.

At every opportunity Washington took the aggressive with courage and confidence which disregarded cautious consideration of what he had to hit and of what he had to hit with. When he took command before Boston he had many military lessons of generalship to learn from experience, but he did not have to acquire courage. That was in his stout heart, and it was the quality which made the Declaration of Independence good.

SEEN AT TWILIGHT



From whatever position it is viewed, or in what light, the Washington monument is noble in its simple magnificence.

First Birthday Celebration

George Washington's birthday first was celebrated as a patriotic holiday at Newport, R. I., in 1781, 18 years before he died. Washington was present at some of the most notable of the early holiday occasions in honor of his birthday.

He attended a gigantic patriotic ball in his honor at Philadelphia on February 22, 1792. His birthday was celebrated each year from then on but the greatest of all the celebrations took place in New York in 1798.

> Lenity will operate with greater force, in some instances, than rigor. It is therefore my first wish to have my whole conduct distinguished by it.—Washington.

Washington's Flag

The flag of General Washington's bodyguard, which was lost in 1871 and found about two years ago, has been restored to its original condition and is now displayed with other relics of Washington in the local Masonic temple in Alexandria, Va.

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The Creamery List

Herewith is a list of patrons of the local creamery who received checks of more than $50.00 each last Friday for cream delivered during January. There are some nice, large checks in the bunch, with Arne Vik topping the list. As January was not a very heavy month in cream production, and price of butterfat being lower than usual, a big list of patrons just missed getting into the $50 class. Here are those who came in "under the wire":-

Arne Vik.	$263.16
Novak & Son	241.53
C. H. Swanson	172.50
Mrs. H. Thorstveit	167.55
C. Anton	163.81
I. A. Rotzlar	159.38
Anton Bros	152.56
C. Kruse	146.44
N. E. Beehe	144.84
F. Ulrich	143.91
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Wahlbeck Bros	115.98
H. Johnson	115.03
F. Bothman	112.87
B. Walseth	110.86
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H. Holmes	109.62
Ben Johnson	109.28
Sig. Vik	106.30
Anton Johnson	105.23
John Norman	102.51

R. Melin, $97.87, C. A. Lindquist, 97.55, E. Person, 96.94, Gust Peterson, 94.14, C. Pearson, 94.11, C. J. Swanson, 93.62, F. Schmidt, 90.26, J. Gunstad, 88.91, Erickson Bros, 82.20, Mrs. A. P. Anderson, 81.83, Geo. Haupt, 81.69, Ole Larson, 80.50, H. Jepson, 79.67, F. E. Rux, 78.67, O. T. Mogen, 77.97, H. R. Allen, 77.37, Mortenson Bros., 75.56, C. O. Swanson, 75.41, O. Haugen, 72.93, A. Swanson, 72.76, Gust Larson, 72.06, Wm. Rinkenberger, 71.26, John Gothia, 70.79, C Zinter, 69.02, Wm. Yonke, 68.28, Wm. Bothman, 65.72, Swanson Bros, 64.54, L. Erickson, 64.13, And. Hushy, 63.59, Otto Johnson, 61.97, A. O. Swanson, 61.04, E. Jenson. 60.72, Swanson, Bros, 58.18, McKercher & Son, 58.11, John Sjoberg, 57.92, H. Ortloff, 57. 41, J. A. Almquist, 56.34, F. Anderson, 55.67, Dan John son, 54.30, Emil Larson, 53.02, S. Skottem, 53.02, J. O. Peterson, 52.78, A. Loberg, 52.66, And. Ortloff, 52.14, John Lundberg, 50.73.

P. T. A. Postponed

Meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association announced thru these columns to be held Friday, and later by posters to he held tonight, has heen indefinately postponed until road conditions improve.

H. M. Bilden Married

Howard M. Bilden, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bilden of this village, was united in marriage to Miss Dorothy Steady of Des Moines, Iowa, at the Preshyterian church in that city yesterday afternoon at 4 o' clock, according to word received by his parents. Mr. Bilden, who has a fine position as travelling representative for Parke-Davis & Co, drug manufacturers, has made his headquarters at Des Moines the past two years, and he and bride will make their home in that city.

A large circle of friends here join in extending congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Bilden.

Junior Prize Winners

Arlo, young son of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Jacobson, took fourth place in both junior and open classes, with his showing of a bahy beef at the Winter Shows at Crookston recently,

Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vic Brink, won third place in the Junior division with her yearling bahy beef. The young folks are so enthused over their success that they have secured other animals and plan to put in a busy season in hope of showing at the county fair, and prohahy at the Junior Livestock Show next summer and fall. If grit and determination will help them succeed, Arlo and Ruth's many friends expect to see them listed among the winners next fall.

Entertains At Bridge

Mrs. N. E. Beebe was hostes Monday evening to a number of friends at her home. Diversion of the evening was hridge, and a dainty luncheon was served at midnight. Those present were: Mesdames M. H. Jackson, J. Carter, J. Hansen, O. Gunstad and L. Beebe, and the Misses N. Friestad, R. Lee, E. Frederickson, R. Fazier, M. Launa and E. Hovie. The party went out hy cars, but owing to the sleet storm, were given a sleigh ride back hy Mr. Beebe.

Council Meets Monday

Regular monthly meeting of the council will be held at 8:00 next Monday evening. All who are interested in the village acquiring the cemetery, should be present to give views at the hour stated.

Lion or Lamb

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know. . . . .

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlherg returned home Monday after being at Hallock a week.

Mrs. Andrew Mortenson, who has been ill, was taken yesterday to the Swedinburgh hospital at Thief for treatment. Her many friends hope for her speedy recovery.

Hugo Swanson, elected a memher of the creamery board at the annual meeting last month, attended his first meeting as a board memher, last Friday.

You'll be glad to know- The free tube with every G & J Stalwart or Classic tire continues in 1930- at no increase in price. Gamhle Stores.

Seed Barley:.Have a quantity of good Canadian seed barley for sale. Inquire of Paul Thyren, Route 1, Hazel, Minn. F27-M20pd

For Sale:- A few purehred White Wyandotte cockrels of the Martin strain for sale at $1.50 each. Call on.

J. V. Patton.
F20-27 St. Hilaire, Minn

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carpenter expect to move in from their farm last of this week and will occupy the Cathelineau house for summer.

L. E. Healy of Red Lake Falls, was in the village all day Friday after husiness matters in connection with liquidation of the Farmers State Bank.

Miss Cooke, poultry specialist of the Extension Division of the state university, gave a very interesting talk to a group of women at the school huilding last Friday evening.

Oscar Kolstad returned Saturday from Duluth where he went a short time ago to seek employment. He states there are many unemployed at head head of the lakes, and that there will be no employment until navigation opens.

This section of the country enjoyed real spring weather all last week. A rain fell Friday evening turning to wet snow Saturday morning. Practically all snow disappeared as it fell.

Jnst as a reminder that spring does not generally come in February in this section, about a foot of snow fell here Monday night and Tuesday. The storm started with snow at about ten o'clock. This changed to sleet which continued for several hours, and then changed to snow again toward morning.

Two cars were ditched north and two south of town Monday night during the sleet storm which covered windshields so driver were unable to see.

Among those who came down Monday night to take part in the whist tournament were Theo. M. Thronson, George Werstlien and Maurice LaSell.

A. Satterberg shipped in a carload of soft coal fore part of the week. Ed Peterson and Knute Kolstad were husy both Monday and Tuesday unloading and delivering the coal.

Share in the earnings of this fast growing chain store. A warrant to purchase common stock is FREE with each share of 7 per cent. Preferred. Gamble Stores.

J. H. Bohlen returned Monday after a visit to his former home in Iowa. Jake states business conditions are none to good in Iowa, and he feels that this section is fully as good or better than most other places.

Prepare for spring painting now. Every Gamble Store has a complete stock. Outside and inside house paint, floor paint, barn paint and varnish. Red harn paint $1.35 per gallon in 5 gallon lots. Thief River Falls, Minn.

For Sale:-A dining table, Singer sewing machine, kitchen range, cupboard, kitcheh cabinet, library tahle and two rockers. Inquire of

Ben Lardy, City.

Hay For Sale:-

3 stacks mid-land prairie hay about one and one quarter tons per stack, at $5.00 per stack.

Also I stack sweet clover hay, about 1 ton, for $5.00.

Located on Charley Walton farm two miles west.

L. E. Healy
Red Lake Falls, Minn

William Hunt and Mr. Converse of the Hunt Hardware Company at Red Lake Falls, were here Saturday looking after progress at huilding they are to occupy next month. Interior of the building has been nicely painted, and the new fixtures are expected this week. As soon as the interior work is finished, shipments of stock will commence to arrive in readiness for the formal opening which will take place about March 15th.

Sixth Whist Meeting

Another very successful meeting of the whist tournament was held Monday evening this week at the Imperial hall.

There bas been noted a steady gain in numher of players at each succeeding meeting, and Monday night there were 88 players at 22 tahles, a gain of over a hundred percent since first meeting Players were present from Crookston, Red Lake Falls and Thief River Falls, besides representatives from every township in this part of the county.

The Pinks, who won at first four meetings, went into the fray Monday night confident of success, only to have their hopes blasted when the Blues piled up a lead of 68 in last frame, thus winning a free lunch at expense of the Pinks. Some of the latter were so taken back at this unexpected turn of affairs that they even offered to pay in advance for lunch next week in anticipation of another defeat, but this was, of course denied them as the Blues maintain that best part of winning is to be present when their opponents have to "dig up". "Councils of war" are being held by both sides this week, and the game next Monday night will undoubtedly be one of the hardest faught of the series.

Andrew Hauge was high scorer Monday with 53 points.

Sponser Essay Contest

The Red River Valley Dairymen's Association is sponsering an essay contest on the subject "Methods and Reasons for Producing Quality Milk and Cream". Any school boy or girl from 12 to 18 years of age, whose parents or guardian produce milk and cream, and is a resident of this or nearby county, may compete. Six prizes ranging from $50 to $7.00 are offered as Red River Valley prizes, and sums of $5.00, $3.00 and $2.00 are offered in each county. Besides these there are prizes totaling $15.00 to the teachers sending in the largest number of essays written hy their pupils.

Rules governing the contest may be obtained from your home creamery. A few are also obtainable at this office.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hallstrom are the happy parents of a baby daughter, born Feb. 20, at the hospital at Warren.

Dividends Paid Friday

Last Friday was a big day for the people of St. Hilaire and vicinity. On that day checks were received for a ten percent dividend to depositors of the Farmers State Bank. Total amount paid out from that source was about $7,200.00. At the same time it was payday at the creamery and about $10,000.00 was paid to patrons of that institution. Regular yearly dividends of 6 percent were also paid that day to stockholders of the creamery, amounting to about $800.00.

Approximately $18,000.00 distributed in the community in one day helps a lot, especially at this time of the year when finances are at low ebb with most people.

Deliquent Tax List

The Delinquent Tax List for Pennington County is pyblished in supplement form in this issue. The list is shorter than usual for reason that only property on which 1928 taxes become delinquent Jan. 1, 1930, are listed. Property on which taxes were delinquent prior to that time, are not listed a second time.

25 Years Ago

A two year old child of Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Elmquist died Wednesday that week.

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The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lang died Monday of that week.

Mrs. J. B. O'Brein and daughter returned after visiting relatives in St. Paul.

John Roland lost the first joint of the middle finger on his left hand when it was caught in the sausage grinder at his shop.

N. G. Otterness, local land man, was found dead in bed in a Minneapolis hotel where he had registered the previous day. Death was oaused by asphyxiation.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin McAndress, Mike, James and Joseph McAndress returned from Grand Forks where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Sullivan.

Alteration work on interior of the sawmill was just about finished. There remained however, much outside work to be done before the mill could operate.

Making The Grade

Financial assistance at the right time has paved the way to independence for many people in this community. During the past quarter century, the Old Reliable has assisted many people this way, and always has funds on hand to assist anysound enterprise.

If you do not have a checking or savings account with us, start one now.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Use More Butter

Butter is the most healthfal of foods. In food value it ranks well above all substitutes regardless of price.

By using liberally of the product on which this dairying section depends for its success, you are not only helping to stabilize the butter market, but you are assisting in the upbuilding of your own community.

As a "breadspread" nothing can compare wth butter.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

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My Favorite Stories
by Irvin S. Cobb

An Explanation for a Parent

IT WAS one of the hottest days in the year in the town down South where certain friends of mine live. The thermometer on the front porch registered 106 in the shade at noon. Shortly after dinner the three children of the household—Mildred, aged three; Jackie, aged five; and Anthony, who was seven, were reported missing. They were not to be found in the big yard nor about the stables.

Their mother grew uneasy. She instituted a search of the premises. Finally, when every corner and cranny had been visited without results, she bethought her that there was just one spot she had overlooked. This was the attic. It did not seem possible that any human being willingly would linger for a single moment in a place which must be incredibly hot. Nevertheless, the lady climbed the garret stairs. As she lifted the trapdoor a breath of terrific heat, like a blast from a furnace, struck her in the face. But what she saw made her forget her own discomfort.

In a corner where a gable of the tin roof came close down to the floor, and under a sort of bower of grotto formed of blankets and cover-lids taken from the store of winter bedding, sat the two younger children. Neither of them had on a stitch of clothing. Their small pink bodies glistened with perspiration. To and fro in front of their snug retreat paced the older boy, majestically. He also was nude except that on his head he wore a huge coon-skin cap which he had resurrected from the ancient trunk.

"In the name of Heaven!" exclaimed the astonished mother. "Children, what on earth are you doing in this stifling place: You'll be sunstruck."

Master Tony raised an authoritative hand to check her.

"Don't bother us, please, mother," he bade her. "We're acting a piece out of the Bible." He pointed toward his brother and sister. "That's Adam and Eve yonder."

"Well, if that's Adam and Eve, who are you, pray?"

"Me?" He seemed surprised that she had not recognized him. "Why, I'm God, walking in the garden in the cool of the day."

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Bray News

Elmar Rux was a Monday evening caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Lindblom.

Mrs. Anna Lindblom called on Mrs. John O. Swanson Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Emil Larson and daughter Lillian, Mrs. John Scholin and Norma Pearsen called on relatives in Holt on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scholin called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Walter Olson was in Thief River Falls on Monday to have dental work done.

Miss Hazel Krause visited in Thief River on Friday. She returned on Saturday.

Word has been recieved that Miss Tillie Simonson has been admitted to the Unversity hospital. We all hope for her speedy recovery.

John O. Swanson was a business caller in Thief River Falls Friday.

Helen Olson, Fern Hawkinson and Lulu Hegstrom spent the week end at their parental homes.

Miss Hazel Krause teacher in Dist. 180 visited in Thief River, on Friday returning Saturday evening

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lindblom were business callers in Thief River Falls, on Friday and Saturday.

Miss Amy Danielson from the Normal Training Department of Thief River, is doing practise teaching in Dist. 180. While here she is boarding at the home of Mrs. Annie Lindblom.

Emil Larson and son Harry were among those to join the whist session in St. Hilaire last Monday evening.

A large crowd attended the party given at the John O. Swanson home Saturday evening. A delicious lunch was served at midnight and a good time was reported by all.

C. A. Nelson was a Sunday caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson.

From Herodotus

The quotation on the New York city post office, which begins, "Neither snow nor rain nor heat" is taken from paragraph 98, Book VIII, of the work of the Greek historian Herodotus, who wrote in the Fifth century B. C. It reads, "Neither snow nor rain nor heat nor gloom of night stays these couriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds."

Valuable Gas

Blau gas was invented by a German chemist by that name. Quite a number of oils may be used for the manufacturing of this kind of gas. The gas is obtained by spraying gas oils into highly heated retorts. The main advantage of this gas in carrying it is the fact that it simplifies the matter of compensating for the loss of weight.

Small Editions of Bible

The Tom Thumb Bible is said to be the smallest ever made. It was printed in Aberdeen, Scotland, 1670. This was one inch square and one-half inch thick. It is no longer obtainable. A tiny Bible which is obtainable at the present time is known as the Mite Bible and is 1¾ inches by 1¾ inches.

Snob and Fortune Seeker?

By SARAH ALLISON MAXWELL

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MARRY the boss' daughter! Rats! He hadn't slaved those four grueling years for the purpose of entering upon the career of snob and fortune seeker. He would leave that to the lounge lizards. As for success, he expected to make it himself and not be dependent on the boss' daughter. Darned if he wouldn't marry whom he pleased, even if, perchance, it happened to be the stenographer.

Thus the reaction of Hunter Leigh, recently graduated from the Architecture institute, to the now famous snob advice of the professor.

To Hunter, the professor's hard-boiled counsel about shoe trees and an extra pair of trousers being the means of getting away with murder, was just a modernization of the old Polonius stuff—"Costly thy habit as thy purse can buy." Hunter was not inclined to be slovenly, but why bother, he asked himself, about the impeccably correct attire? Clothes were not his stock in trade. He wasn't a hotel waiter. Wasn't wearing a soiled smock the prerogative of the artist, and likewise, perhaps, of the technician?

Of course, when shortly after graduation, Hunter Leigh took a position with the architectural firm of Winthrop & Morton, the professor's advice was the talk of the town, and Institute men were more than apt to come in for jibes as regards snobbish proclivities and designs upon the boss' daughter. So when one morning Dave Roberts, a fellow craftsman, nudged Hunter and remarked in an undertone, "Here's a chance for you, Beau. Dorothy Winthrop—the boss' daughter. And isn't she a humdinger?" Hunter responded with a surly silence and kept his eyes glued to a blueprint until it was assured that the daughter of the senior member of the firm had left the office.

A few weeks later there was a new stenographer—a green one at that, Hunter surmised, after she had done for him a first piece of dictation. He made a few corrections and handed the sheet back to her. It was so evident that the girl was trying that he determined to help her out a bit instead of being critical.

"Miss—er?" He didn't know her name.

Momentarily she seemed to hesitate, and then came out with, "Smith—Jane Smith."

Then for the first time Hunter really looked at Jane Smith and discovered that she was a very pretty girl. She had great blue eyes, wavy chestnut hair, and a milk and rose complexion which even the inevitable sun-tan did not completely obscure. Hunter was glad indeed he hadn't been crabbed. Moreover Jane Smith was clever and caught on to the work rapidly. It was not long before her mistakes reached the vanishing point.

One noon Hunter discovered Jane in a cafeteria as they were both pushing their trays along the nickel-plated railing, partitioning off the long array of edibles, which started at one end with soup and finished with coffee.

"You don't mind if I join you?" Hunter queried. And Jane acquiesced graciously.

At first they talked shop. Jane was discussing the pyramid skyscraper from an artistic standpoint. And the extent to which this raw stenographer was conversant with things architectural was a surprise and delight to Hunter. Lunching with Jane became a habit—a pleasant interlude to which Hunter looked forward expectantly. And continually he was musing on how perfectly rotten was that advice recommending the boss' daughter rather than the stenographer.

Then on one occasion, which Hunter declared was very special, and he had invited Jane to the Ritz instead of the usual cafeteria, the bubble burst. Hardly were they seated when a smartly dressed girl who had been sitting at a nearby table came over and spoke to Jane.

"Why, Dorothy Winthrop," she exclaimed, "you are a regular hermit these days. Where have you been keeping yourself? Surely you are coming to my tea dance tomorrow afternoon."

For the moment Dorothy Winthrop, alias Jane Smith, flushed painfully, but then recovering her usual ease of manner, she introduced Hunter and responded sweetly. "I'm afraid not, Helen. You see, I'm helping dad out at the office just now."

Storm clouds had settled on Hunter Leigh's brow as a result of Helen's revelation, and Dorothy felt like bursting into tears. She had sensed that Hunter had been on the point of asking Jane Smith to marry him, but she knew that he would never propose to Dorothy Winthrop. And so Dorothy stepped into the breach.

"Please forgive me, Hunter," she cajoled. "You see it was this way: When I saw you scowling over the blueprint that morning, I knew you would never look at the boss' daughter. So the only chance I had was to be the stenographer."

Great Relief

Even in the worst ventilated auditorium the oxygen content never varies more than 1 per cent from the normal 21 per cent of the atmosphere at sea level.—Woman's Home Companion.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In The Matter of the Estate Of Peter Lindblom Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, To Henry Lindblom, Clara Scholin, Carl Lindblom, Luceile Lindblom, Mable Lindblom and Ellen Lindblom, also known as Ida Lindblom and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, on the 22nd day of March 1930 at 10:00 o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 19th day of February 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Petitioner.
F27-M13

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 5th, 1924, executed by Henry H. Hallstrom and Lettie L. Hallstrom, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 11th, 1924, at two o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 206 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $93.75 each, due on April 5th, 1929, and October 5th, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,811.56, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from October 5th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent per annum, the sum of $187.50, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $93.75 thereof since April 5th, 1929, and on $93.75 thereof since October 5th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $136.36 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since December 30th, 1929, in all the sum of $3,203.13, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-five (45) West, except reservations for railroad purposes heretofore made, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 11th day of April, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated February 26th, 1930.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (F27-A3)

Leisure of the People

To know a people well, it is less important to know how they dress and what they eat, and the conditions of their [illegible] than [illegible] what use they make of their leisure, what they read, the shows they go to, and the sort of artistic recreation they indulge in. It is, in fact, in their diversions, in the moments when they are left to themselves, that societies become really natural, and show most clearly what are their tastes, their inclinations and aspirations.—Winnipeg Liberte.

DINE WITH US

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We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.

St. Hilaire. Minn.

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State of Minnesota, } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In The Matter of the Estate of Jeremiah J. McCarty, also known as Jerry J. McCarty, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, To Ruth McCarty, Harvey James McCarty, Erin M. McCarty, Jeremiah J. McCarty and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of March, 1930 at ten o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 17th day of February, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
F20-M6.

MEET THE GANG
-AT-
Bob's Coffee Shop
If you can't eat at home. eat with us
R. Helmkay,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

YOUTH FINDS PAL IN "JOVIAL" GHOST

Lad Said to Enjoy Spirit's Companionship.

London.—A jovial ghost who obligingly produces money from thin air, eats apples and leaves his (her or its) teeth marks in the core, and throws ink bottles when she (or it) is angry, is said to be the constant companion of a ten-year-old boy who lives in Poona, India.

The story was related before the National Laboratory of Psychical Research by Miss Helen Kohn, a B. A. of London university. The boy, said Miss Kohn, is her young nephew, Damodar Ketkar, who was adopted by Miss Kohn's sister when he was four.

The youngster is coming to England soon, and the National Laboratory is arranging to have a committee of reputable London doctors investigate his ghostly companion.

"Sometimes," said Miss Kohn, "the manifestations are harmless and at other times definitely destructive. There was a time when it seemed that this mysterious spirit was making a determined attempt on the boy's life.

"Things were smashed so rapidly with no human explanation, that Damodar had to be fed by hand and all glass objects had to be removed. As the child moved through the room he was surrounded by broken glass, and scattered liquids, particularly saccharine, to which the spirits appeared to have an especial aversion.

"Once Damodar put out some fruit for his ghost. In a few moments it had disappeared and later the skins were flung from nowhere bearing the marks of teeth.

"Another time a five rupee note suddenly appeared in the air in the middle of a dinner party. Nobody claimed it and it was marked and locked in a trunk. It disappeared and was never found."

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State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Edward Olson Boe, also known as Edward O. Boe and E. O. Boe, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Martha Olson Boe and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probete Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 8th day of March, 1930 at two o'clock P. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 11th day of February, 1930.

Lars Backe
(Court Seal) Judge of Probete
Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
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Grackle Condemned

Practically all birds do more good than harm, or no harm at all, but according to the United States Department of Agriculture there is one really bad actor with feathers. This is the bob-tailed grackle of the southeastern United States.

Early Coinage Systems

The cubes of gold employed by the Chinese may have been the earliest coins. Modern authorities, however, accept the view of Herodotus—that gold and silver coins were first used by the Lydians about the Sixth century B. C.

Poet Knows

"All the gold in the world," writes an idealist, "can never produce a fine impulse. No alchemy can extract a poem from a pile of bank notes." "Nor," a poet comments sadly, "can it extract a bank note from a pile of poems."

Backward Peoples

Figures published in the Church Missionary Outlook give the infant mortality rate of Kashmir, India, as 500 in 1,000. Persia is said to have the same rate, while Egypt has 300 a 1,000. While a great deal is being done to promote child welfare, workers find that distrust on the part of the natives is the greatest obstacle to overcome. In Egypt the rumor got about that bathing the babies was really Christian baptism. Weighing infants is looked upon with deep suspicion.

This Little Girl Got Well Quick

"Just after her third birthday, my little daughter, Connie, had a serious attack of intestinal flu," says Mrs. H. W. Turnage, 217 Cadwalder St., San Antonio, Texas. "It left her very weak and pale. Her bowels wouldn't act right, she had no appetite and nothing agreed with her.

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New High in Philanthropy

Gifts to philanthropy in the United States during 1929 reached the tremendous total of $2,450,720,000, or an increase of $120,120,000 over 1928, the previous highest year, according to the John Price Jones corporation of New York.

Drugs Excite the Kidneys, Drink Water

Take Salts at First Sign of Bladder Irritation or Backache

The American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble because we often eat too much rich food. Our blood is filled with acids which the kidneys strive to filter out; they weaken from overwork, become sluggish, the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

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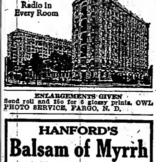

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Trying Them All

"Is the steak ready now, dear?"

"I'm sorry I'm so long, George, but it looked hopeless grilled and it doesn't look much better fried, but if you'll be patient a little longer I'll see what boiling does to it."—London Opinion.

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BALSTROM'S PROFITABLE CROP OF YOUNG EVERGREENS

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BALSTROM swept his hand drearily toward the slope. It undulated downward to the river, richly green, hundreds of acres.

"Our desolation, Ellen," he said bitterly.

"But very beautiful, John," she reminded softly. "Terrible, if you will, but beautiful. Let us think of it that way. I—I don't like to hear that hard tone coming into your voice, after your—"

"Optimistic years," he grinned wryly, "buoyancy, belief in every next day being better. Maybe it's a good trait, may be not. I've been wondering whether I was blessed or cursed."

"Blessed, John," declared Ellen, earnestly. "Remember how it carried you through the great war, the years in Germany, and then the awful years in one hospital after another. You know what Colonel Trevor wrote me just after the worst operation, that it was only your buoyant disposition and optimism that brought you through. But for your firm belief in a better tomorrow I'm afraid you wouldn't be with me now, dear."

"Here only as a poor apology of a man," he smiled. "If I hadn't been so sanguine there might be money in the bank now for Junior's college expenses."

"Junior wouldn't have a thing different, John," his wife said softly. "He is as proud of you as I am, and he is young and strong like you used to be. He will make his own way."

His eyes again swept drearily over the acres of young evergreen growth.

"Doesn't look as though I had cleared all that slope off ready for the plow with my own hands, nearly 200 acres," he mused. "My idea was to put it into apple trees, to be ready for Junior's higher education. Then the war came on."

He was silent for some moments and his wife's hand went out caressingly to an empty sleeve, and a momentary dimness came to her eyes as they rested on a crutch that was now permanently necessary.

"You have given Junior a heritage that he values more than anything that money could give, John. We shall get along."

"I have offered the farm for sale at half its cost in the last week, but there are no buyers. I—"

"Junior and I would a thousand times rather have you, dear, than the cleared slope, apple trees and college."

"Yes, I know you would, Ellen. I am happy to get home at last, but—" He broke off abruptly and forced a sort of grin to his face. "But I won't snivel any more, dear. And yet," whimsically, "I can't seem to get used to a big Junior yet. I left him a boy of nine and come back to to find him a young giant of eighteen. Hello! Here he comes now—whistling as usual."

The whistler was coming up through the young growth on the slope. When he saw them he increased his rapid walk to a run. Instead of heading down and kissing his mother, he lifted her up in his arms as a child and held her for a few seconds.

Then he turned to his father, with an odd expression of mingled awe and affection.

"How are you feeling, sir?"

"Fit, you young giant," laughed his father. "First, you know I shall start clearing off that slope, with you to pile up the branches, as you did before."

The boy grinned delightedly.

"Fine to hear you laugh like that, father," he chuckled. "But maybe I could chop the little trees down with one hand now and carry them off with the other—only I'm not going to. Better let somebody else do it, for nothing, while I do something else."

He grinned again at their inquiring looks, then added:

"Schooner anchored down near the point and two men are walking among the young trees now. Asked me who owned them, and if they were for sale —for sale, father. I was just going to say they could have the whole slope for clearing it off when I remembered mother said yesterday that she was low on money to buy groceries and would have to trade in some poultry."

Two men had left the evergreens and were approaching.

"Your trees?" to Mr. Balstrom, as they drew near.

"Yes."

"Want to sell?"

"I might," a little cautiously, as he saw a warning wink from Junior.

The men read the hesitation as an indifference to sell, and glanced at each other. It raised their intended offer two cents.

"I'm willing to admit they're the finest lot of trees we've seen," said the spokesman, frankly, "and we'd like a few, straight cash. We'll give you eleven cents apiece."

"Not much of a price for timber trees," considered Mr. Balstrom.

"Don't want timber," promptly. "Yours are our size, and they're getting short down stream. We were steaming up the river on the lookout when we sighted your slope. Best lot of trees I've seen anywhere, as I said, and the most. We want six to eight feet. The trees are too thick anyway, and clearing out the larger will allow the little ones to grow better. There seems to be all sizes, down to a foot or two. With proper thinning and maybe a little seed sowing later, you ought to have a fine salable crop of Christmas trees every year."

"Christmas trees for next season?" looking puzzled.

"Yes, to sell, you know. Take down to Boston and other cities. Most every family with children buys trees."

"O-oh, I see. And you want a number?"

"Yes, 20,000, at least. The price may not seem much, but there are a lot of expenses in cutting, carrying and marketing, so it will be all we can offer."

"Think there are that many, your size?"

"Ten times that many, for we've walked through them. I'd like to contract for all, but there are more than we could handle. I'll pay you for 20,000, at least, though, and will want a supply in years to come. But old Jack Boling is down the river with his boat, looking for trees for next Christmas. I'll send him up and he'll likely want to contract for 10,000 or 20,000 more."

After they were out of sight, John Balstrom turned to his wife.

"Twenty thousand at eleven cents, and a chance of another customer coming and that not a fifth of our—crop, did he call it?" he said with a wondering look in his eyes. "And next year and the next, right along.

"And Junior goes to college. Yes. Optimism is best. I'm sorry I lost my grip a little, dear."

Audubon Paintings for American Bird Lovers

One of the most ambitious publishing enterprises of the decade, the reproduction of the almost priceless paintings of birds by John James Audubon, in the identical colors that the great naturalist gave them nearly a century ago, has been achieved. The new triumph of color printing is portrayed in the Country Home, the magazine that has grown out of the half-century-old Farm and Fireside, hitherto devoted to problems of tilling the soil in the old-fashioned manner.

The cultivation of friendship with birds, the magazine holds, is one of the new phases of rural, small city and suburban interest, and it has accordingly brought out of almost-forgotten archives, the exquisite engravings of American birds, hand colored by Audubon himself. The paintings are valued at $10,000 each and fewer than 30 sets are owned privately in all the world.

The paintings of American birds in their true sizes and colors, made a happy climax to Audubon's life of failure and disappointment. At the age of nineteen he came to America from France, where his father was a sea captain and undertook to manage a parental estate in Philadelphia. He was a highly cultivated youth, but his lack of business ability caused him to lose his fortune and, although he failed in repeated efforts at business, he married, became a father, and was finally reduced almost to pauperism.

Using the savings of his wife, he went to Europe with his large collection of bird drawings and was commissioned to publish them, engraved and hand colored, within a period of 12 years. Despite hardships while marketing his product, he finally realized a fortune sufficient to buy a 30-acre tract on the Hudson river, which is now Audubon park. In his memory the Audubon society, with 4,000,000 members, was founded and the interest in birds has been increasing steadily since his death.

Beautiful Martinique

The lovely touch of France is on the island of Martinique. It is a light, gay touch which is found nowhere among the Nordics. For this touch many a northern traveler has made a long journey to this picturesque island. Most of the winter cruises to the West Indies call at Martinique.

Josephine, empress of the French, was born in a little house across the bay from Fort de France, the capital of Martinique. Part of the house is still to be seen at Trois Ilets and the whole of the island is as French as Paris and as beautiful as any island in the Carribbean.

Study of Scents

The most important strides in the manufacture of artificial scents has been made within the last quarter of a century, when Leon Gloendan, a student at the University of Zurich, began some experiments with odors. Conducting some of his work in his room he produced results that led the landlady to request his departure. He secured a room in a poorer section, where he thought his stenches would be unnoticed, but the result was the same. He finally accomplished some wonderful results in the compounding of delightful scents by artificial means.

Gigantic Wheel

The ferris wheel at the World's Columbian exposition, at Chicago in 1893, had a diameter of 250 feet; a circumference of 825 feet; a width of 30 feet. The axle of steel was 32 inches in diameter and 45 feet long. The total weight with the full complement of passengers was 1,200 tons. The driving power was applied through sprocket wheels and driving chains to cogs on the outer tires, while a system of clutch brakes kept the whole machine under control. There were 36 carriages with a seating capacity of 40 passengers each.

City an Object Lesson

The architectural development of the city of Washington has been characterized as a "clinic in architecture," results of importance to the entire nation being worked out in this "clinic."

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Got Short End of Eats

"You quit your boarding house and now eat at restaurants, I see."

"Yeah! My arms were not long enough for a boarding house."

To manufacture talk doesn't conceal that the conversation is dragging.

The more fickle a woman is the less she cares to be reminded of it.

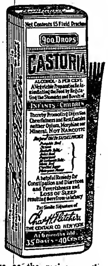
Canadian Forests

The forest area of Canada is estimated at 1,151,454 square miles. Of this area, 865,880 square miles are productive and accessible.

If a man has crow's feet about his eyes there must have been caws.

Some women change their minds so often that they soon wear them out.

An Ailing CHILD



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More Likely Amount

Taking up once more the clergyman's question, "What would you do if you had $1,000,000?" my answer is "First, I would count it over rapidly to make sure that it wasn't just $7.30 as I expected."—Elmer C. Adams, in the Detroit News.

Many a woman without brains is able to fool a male highbrow.

Joy for Reckless Drivers

A million new telephone poles are set up each year. This assures raw material for the most popular sport among young motorists.—Washington Post.

Belgium, with 660 persons to the square mile, has the densest population of any country in Europe. Its total population in 1927 was 7,850,000.

Way to Happiness Simple says California Physician

After 28 Years' Practice Describes Natural Treatment which Keeps People Well

"AFTER over 28 years of the study and practice of medicine, during which time I have treated and supervised the treatment of almost every variety of human illness," writes Dr. Martin J. Dobson of Los Angeles, "I believe I have discovered the greatest blessing that has been bestowed upon the human family. Statistics show that of all classes of persons, physicians and nurses live to a riper old age than any other class of people. I believe this is no doubt due to the fact that they know more about the importance of daily elimination.

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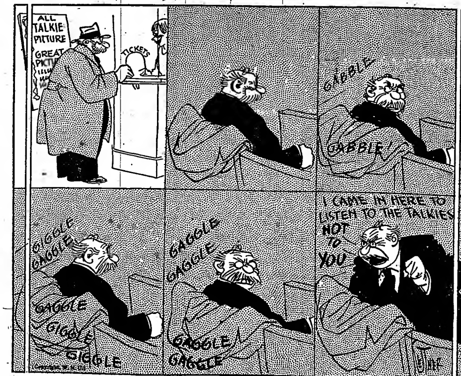

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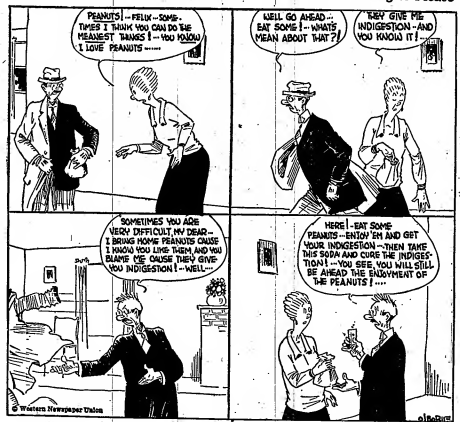

FINNEY OF THE FORCE — On a Neighborly Call

SCHOLASTIC FADS AND FANCIES

By REV. JAMES I. CORRIGAN, S. J., Boston College.

MAGNIFICATION is largely responsible for our inefficient schools. The teachers' energies are scattered too much. College entrance boards and professors of freshmen in the colleges are wondering why boys and girls, newly arrived from high school, cannot write simple English sentences. The fads and fancies of the "magnification" program have squandered valuable time that should have been devoted to educational essentials.

American individualism must make a stand against further enlargement of state functions in the schools. The magnification process has progressed so far already that many functions proper to the home have been taken over by the schools.

Not only have we free schools and free books, but free lunch, free clothes and free transportation. In the schools the state inoculates the children against smallpox, insures them against toothache, examines them for eyestrain, searches their inward parts for adenoids. Then there are trained nurses to inspect their food, to supervise their digestion, to feel their pulse, to test their sputum. The trend is clearly socialistic. It is weakening their sturdy American individualism, without which democracy dies.

Magnification is responsible for our luxurious, expensive high school plants, when thousands of our younger children are still housed in miserable portables. It is expensive, wasteful and inefficient. It is a vicious policy resulting from paternal ignorance or indifference to school matters. If taxes are high and the cost of living is high, the "magnification" of the state in the educational sphere is a partial explanation of both.

ENVIRONMENT CAUSE OF CRIME

By MISS MARY VAN KLEECK, Russell Sage Foundation.

An increasing number of people today believe individuals are not predisposed to crime, but become criminals because of unfortunate factors in their background that may have warped their proper development. Crime is the act of the individual, but it is worth while to find out whether committees can create conditions which tend to promote law observance by the individual.

Communities long ago recognized the good health of the individual is largely dependent on the kind of a community in which he lives. Just as clean, modern communities make for good health, so do proper surroundings help the individual to remain within the law.

We are trying to find answers to questions showing the community's share of the responsibility for crime, because that information will indicate what remedial measures may be devised by the community to prevent lawbreaking.

The question may be put constructively this way: If a community wishes to approach more closely to complete law observance, what conditions will be most favorable to this end in the occupational life of the individual and the economic life of the community? Included in this are the social and living conditions which the occupations—the wages paid, steadiness of employment and working hours—make possible.

NARROWNESS IN EDUCATION

By DR. W. W. COMFORT, President Haverford College.

This country has placed an over-emphasis on vocational education, and as a result is turning out "human robots" who rush madly about seeking pleasure, but failing to find real spiritual satisfaction.

Education in America has failed for three reasons. First of all, educators have new material to work on every year and have to start fresh at the bottom in seeking perfection. Second, there are so many seeking an education here who are not capable of obtaining one. Third, there is a complete lack of any substantial agreement here on what education really means.

There is a tendency to vocationalize all education here. But vocational education is narrow and intense and strictly limited. It is possible to be successful in a vocation and yet to be a complete dumbell in all other ways.

This type of vocational education does not fit men for living. We are running the chance here of losing all capacity of enjoying our leisure time.

In America we have to go out, dash, or rush about to spend a lot of money before we are conscious of any kind of pleasure.

EDUCATORS TOO POORLY PAID

By ROBERT M. HUTCHINS, President Chicago University.

Large college classes, the low salaries of professors and the overwork imposed upon them are the great tragedies of American education. There are many important colleges in the United States where the maximum salary for professors is $2,500 a year.

Can you expect them all to be men who marry for money and work for love? They are receiving janitor's wages. I said that once before and it raised a storm of protest, strangely enough, among the professors. And I may add that one estimable janitor in Chicago took violent umbrage at the comparison.

America does not yet value education enough to pay enough to secure proper education and if we do not want to be regarded as the richest and most uncultivated people in the world we must see that something is done about this state of affairs.

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING BEST

By A. E. BRYSON, Chicago Financier.

Radio, talking and motion pictures and other mediums of advertising still are and probably always will be supplementary to the printed word.

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This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

Mr. Hughes, Chief Justice
Henry Ford's New Plan
No Bolshevism Needed
A Real Stigma

Mr. Hughes is now chief justice and the people have in their service a man of great ability, profound knowledge of the law and highest integrity. They know that Mr. Hughes, for the sake of public service, exchanges a private law practice worth $500,000 a year for the small wages paid by the richest nation to its highest judges.

Henry Ford may spend $100,000,000 establishing schools that will enable students to "fit into life" when they come out at eighteen years of age. He says: "The reason we have so much crime and racketeering is because schools do not teach our young men how to fit in the world. Racketeering is nothing but a revolt against the present improper, ineffectual system of teaching."

Schools at present are better than they were 50 years ago before racketeering became a science. Students should all learn to use their hands, particularly those not well adapted to using their heads. It would be waste of time for men of the type of Voltaire, Milton, Moliere or Beethoven to learn a trade, but they are scarce.

Mr. Ford should modify his resolution to "devote the rest of his life to educational undertakings." Part of his effort should produce tractors of the caterpillar type—plenty of power with the traction "track" fully inclosed, protected from dust.

In one column you read about a "mob" of 1,200 idle men, fighting police in Cleveland, twenty in the mob injured, officers hurt.

In another column you find comfort, perhaps, in news from Washington that our national banks have resources of over twenty-nine billions of dollars.

Seven thousand four hundred and eight institutions have on deposit more than twenty-two billions.

A country so rich ought not to have so many men who are willing to work and idle.

You are told that the mob of rioting unemployed men in Cleveland had been influenced by "Bolshevik propaganda."

It is very easy to say "Bolshevism." But when a man is out of work, worried and perhaps hungry, he needs no help from Lenin to make him dangerously dissatisfied.

Men adrift on a raft in midocean that had never heard of Lenin or Bolshevism have killed and eaten each other.

Five states of the South, highest in illiteracy, are conducting educational campaigns to reduce "the stigma."

Census takers list illiterates.

Iowa has only 1.1 percentage of illiterates, lowest in the nation. Nebraska came first until 1020, and is striving to regain the championship.

However, persuading or forcing hard-working people to study at night when they are tired out, and learn enough about their A B C's to remove the illiteracy stigma is not doing much.

To be able to read and write when you lack leisure to do either, and have no access to books worth while, is no help.

As well teach a man 5,000 miles from Egypt to read hieroglyphics on Egyptian monuments.

Hard, under-paid labor and lack of work are a "stigma" worse than illiteracy.

The world still loves titles. In a Los Angeles lawsuit about money collected for a newly invented religious "cult" you meet a mild-looking gentleman called "The Four Winds of the Whirlwinds." He wrote down with his typewriter 50,000 pages dictated by angels to the priestesses of the "Great Eleven Cult."

"Concords of stars led the priestesses to various locations, and there the angels did their dictating."

Men and women gave tens of thousands of dollars in return for nonsense of this kind, which proves that the human race is largely foolish.

Ogden L. Mills, assistant secretary of the United States treasury, in a few words convinces you that this country has genuine prosperity if prosperity consists in getting more of life's good things than anybody else gets.

The United States has only 7 per cent of the world's population and yet, says Mr. Mills, "that 7 per cent consumes approximately 48 per cent of the world's coffee, 53 per cent of the tin, 56 per cent of the crude rubber, 21 per cent of the sugar, 72 per cent of the raw silk, 36 per cent of the coal, 42 per cent of the pig iron, 47 per cent of the copper and 69 per cent of the crude petroleum.

"Out of nearly 32,000,000 automobiles in the world on January 1, 1929, more than 24,000,000 were owned in the United States."

We certainly get our share. Perhaps the World court will tell us we get too much.

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Delinquent Tax List

FOR

Pennington County Minnesota

SHOWING DELINQUENT REAL ESTATE TAXES ON THE FIRST MONDAY IN JANUARY, 1930

State of Minnesota,
County of Pennington—ss.

District Court,
Fourteenth Judicial District.

THE STATE OF MINNESSOTA, to all persons, Companies or Corporations, who have or claim any estate, right, title or interest in, claim to, or lien upon, any of the several parcels of land described in the list hereto attached:

The list of taxes and penalties on real property for the County of Pennington remaining delinquent on the first Monday in January, 1930, has been filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of said county, of which that hereto attached is n copy.

THEREFORE you, and each of you, are hereby required to file in the office of said Clerk, on or before the twentieth day after the publication of this notice and list, your answer in writing, setting forth any objection or defense you may have to the taxes, or any part thereof, upon any parcel of land described in said list, in, to, or on which you have or claim any estate, right, title, interest, claim, or lien, and, in default thereof, judgment will be entered against such parcel of land for the taxes on said list appearing against it, and for all penalties, interest and cost. You are further notified that at the expiration of five years from the date of the tax judgment sale pursuant to such judgment, each parcel of land sold at such sale, and not redeemed, will become and be the absolute property of the purchaser or of the state, or of his or its assigns, without further right of redemption and without any notice of expiration of the time to redeem the same.

ADOLF EKLUND,
Clerk of the District Court,
of the County of Pennington, Minnesota.
(District Court Seal)

A List of Real Property, for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on which Taxes remained delinquent on the first Monday in January, A. D. 1930.

TOWN OF BRAY

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-five (45)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
D. D. McCall, SW¼ SE¼	1	10.42
A. M. & Bass McCall, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	1	41.69
A. M. & Bass McCall, N½ SE¼ & SE¼ SE¼	1	50.03
A. M. & Bass McCall, SW¼	1	70.97
Emilcy Manle, NE¼	2	85.12
Emilcy Manle, SE¼	2	81.73
E. C. Babcock, NE¼	3	73.39
Otto Marquardt, SW¼	3	75.40
Walter G. Walker, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	6	46.77
Walter G. Walker, SE¼	6	46.90
Walter G. Walker, NE¼	7	66.91
Walter G. Walker, SE¼	7	49.69
Hellen A. Lenman, N½ SE¼ & SW¼ SE¼	10	23.76
Hellen A. Lenman, S½ SW¼ & NE¼ SW¼	10	22.57
Mpls. Trust Co., S½ NE¼ & E½ SE¼	14	49.53
Wis. Minn. Pac. Ry. Co., E½ SW¼	17	18.21
John Samuels, W½ NW¼	20	14.69
John Samuels, W½ SW¼	20	14.69
V. C. Noper, SE¼	26	30.24
V. C. Noper, SW¼	26	31.16
Wis. & Minn. Pac. Ry. Co., W½ NW¼ & W½ SW¼	20	34.74
Walter S. Harden, S½ NE¼ & NE¼ SE¼	30	45.16

TOWN OF BLACK RIVER

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Forty-four (44)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Arthur Anderson, NW¼	10	109.50
Geo. W. Gardner, NE¼ Ex. Ry.	15	229.72
And. Dragland, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	10	110.71

TOWN OF CLOVER LEAF

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty-one (41)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
E. H. Pomeranke, SW¼	9	99.58
Hilda Stageberg, SE¼	9	90.54
John A. Donnell, SE¼	10	113.46
C. W. Guinman, SW¼	11	220.91
State of Minnesota, SW¼	13	105.39
Peter Foster, NE¼	14	220.13
Cora C. Meager, NW¼	15	172.60
F. K. Meagher, NE¼	16	169.53
Erick Anderson, SW¼	16	152.97
Frank A. Pfeffer, E½ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	18	68.73
Joseph DuChamp, W½ NW¼ Ex. Platted Portion	21	48.49
Emma M. Schutt, NE¼ Ex. Ry.	23	233.03
Clara Gregg, SE¼	26	64.15
Robert McGinn, SW¼	32	96.35
Andrew Hector, NW¼ Ex. 1 Acre	33	90.84

Townsite of Mavie

	Lot	Blk.	
John L. Bohlander, Townsite of Mavie, Lots 2 &	3	1	44.15

DuChamp's Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Joseph DuChamp	1	1	19.41
Elizabeth Ludke	6	1	1.34
Joseph DuChamp	7	1	1.34
Joseph DuChamp, Lots 1, 2, 3 &	4	2	5.36
Lenora Lonson	5	2	14.22
Joseph DuChamp, Reserve		2	6.35

Steins Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
J. J. Speeler, Lots 1, 2 &	3	1	.99

TOWN OF DEER PARK

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Forty (40)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Citizens State Bank, SE¼ NW¼ Lots 6 & 4	6	28.18
John Elsbrener, S½ SW¼, NW¼ SE¼, NE¼ SW¼	12	26.22
Ole Kotshus "Estate", SE¼	15	81.91
Aaron Breeze, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	18	57.16
Hellen Rolstad, E½ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	19	45.57
Daniel J. Helle, SE¼	19	51.36
Ole Nesland, SE¼	20	46.67
Theo. La Bessoniere, S½ NE¼	24	31.00

TOWN OF GOODRIDGE

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty (40)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
A. P. Vingenstad, SW¼	9	227.84
Henry Lien, SW¼	12	130.18

And. O. Feragen, NE¼	13	134.45
Severt Benson, NE¼	18	223.13
State of Minnesota, E½ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	19	178.69
Lars Stomlien, NE¼	23	189.05
Henry Schwartz, SE¼	26	196.86
Martha B. Larson, SW¼	26	197.03
John B. Jones, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	30	130.19
Herman Chellan, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	31	48.75
M. C. Collins, SW¼	32	86.57
J. P. Ulwelling, E½	33	406.44

TOWN OF HIGHLANDING

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty (40)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
State of Minnesota, SW¼	1	78.76
E. K. Rine, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	1	131.83
Arthur J. Baird, SE¼	2	51.94
State of Minnesota, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	2	63.57
State of Minnesota, SW¼	2	77.28
First National Bank, Winona, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	3	96.29
Julia Gunderson, W½ SW¼	5	38.60
Ellen Halvorson, NE¼	7	97.13
Ole Nelson, SE¼	7	85.40
Selmor Urdahl, NW¼	8	69.56
Edward Mobraaten, SE¼	11	90.27
Elo Sanders, NW¼	16	97.99
Idon Davis, SE¼	21	81.39
Ole Prestabak, NW¼	21	45.35
Alfred Aubol, Part of NE¼ NE¼	24	.46
John T. Homme, SE¼	26	67.50
Louis Nelson, NE¼	27	69.38
Eddie Lund et al, Lot 1 Sec. 28 NW¼ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	29	27.70
M. J. Quirk, E½ SW¼ Lots 6 & 4	30	79.57
O. J. Bickley, W½ SE¼ SE¼ SE¼ Lots 9 & 10	30	78.58
William Wilde, SE¼ SW¼	31	22.50
Evend Lund, SW¼	32	47.10
Hallam Company, NE¼	33	96.63
Otto R. Stucy, SE¼	35	69.56
Emma Homme, N½ NE¼	35	40.59
John W. Peterson, SW¼	66	39.38

TOWN OF HICKORY

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Thirty-nine (39)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Margaret Gibbs, NW¼ SE¼ NE¼ SW¼	3	32.01
Bank of Cambridge, Lots 6, 7, 8 & 10	4	62.05
Thomas Florence, Lot 9 Sec. 4 S½ NE¼ Lots 2 & 3	0	57.46
Geo. A. Wessberg, S½ NE¼ & NW¼ SE¼	14	99.89
Bjorn Tveitbaak, E½ SE¼ Sec. 14 NE¼ NE¼ Sec.	23	77.88
V. J. Burnett, NW¼ NE¼	16	23.87
O. A. Rice, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	18	64.70
Bjorn Tveitbaak, NW¼ NW¼	24	19.64
Gunder Hogtvedt, NW¼	26	86.95
Henry Hendrickson, SE¼	29	123.96
State of Minnesota, NW¼	34	65.60
Sarah Snnnes, NE¼	36	83.22

TOWN OF KRATKA

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-one (41)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
K. T. Norgard, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	4	103.42
State of Minnesota, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	5	49.63
Carl G. Sidig, SW¼	13	50.92
Joseph Kelin, SW¼	14	43.27
State Savings Bank, SW¼	20	79.38
James O'Brinn, Lot 7 Sec. 24 SE¼ NW¼ Lots 4, 6, 6 Sec.	25	29.47
Mathilda Quirk, Lots 3 & 4 & SE¼	20	99.80
C. M. & Bertha Culver, NW¼ (Less 6 15-100 acre)	28	44.10
O. O. Hofdah, SW¼ SW¼ Sec. 28 S½ SE¼ NW¼ SE¼ Sec.	29	40.17
State of Minnesota, SW¼	29	64.40
Chas. A. Jones, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	31	92.96
Citizens State Bank, Hazel, NE¼	32	86.10
Henry Quirk, NE¼	35	75.93
Lors E. Hofte, SE¼	66	84.73
Elling Clementson, NW¼	36	102.08

TOWN OF MAYFIELD

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Forty-one (41)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Wm. H. Wilde, Lots 1 & 2	1	56.45
And. Peterson, SE¼	3	43.67
P. C. Paulson, Lots 3 & 4 Sec. 5 Lot 1 Sec.	6	86.92
Joseph T. Kriel, Lots 3 & 4	6	67.49
L. Ethel Miller, NW¼	6	76.78
O. H. Telgen "Estate", SE¼ SW¼ Sec. 0 E½ NW¼ Sec.	18	36.69
Carl G. Olson, NE¼	13	61.46
Alvin R. Amundson, S½ SE¼	14	15.03
Chas. A. Hill, NW¼	17	60.79
Chas. A. Hill, NE¼	17	68.16
Alvin R. Amundson, N½ NE¼	23	16.28
S. Tweden, S½ SW¼ NE¼ SW¼ NW¼ SE¼	23	89.47
Helene Bolstad, E½ SE¼ & SW¼ SE¼	24	36.71

TOWN OF NORTH

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty-three (43)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
The Sheldon Company, SE¼	10	52.85
Oscar M. Evenson, SE¼	12	116.59
Thos. H. Bjerke, SW¼	14	51.83
E. A. Miller, W½ SW¼	17	71.48
E. A. Miller, E½ SE¼	18	80.37
Carl A. Lorstad, W½ NE¼, E½ NW¼, NE¼ NE¼	19	268.72
Knud Knudson, Lot 1 & 2	19	50.57
Ole O. Nyhus, SE¼	19	227.57
Christian Stene, SE¼ NW¼, E½ SW¼ & Lot 5	22	133.30
And. Hoverstad, SE¼	25	03.27
And. Hoverstad, NW¼	26	82.68
Addio L. Wikel, Part of SE¼ NW¼	27	2.72
Lottie Jenson, Part of SE¼ SE¼ N. of 8½ acres	29	8.14
G. K. Haave, SE¼	30	292.45
Agnes Aakre, Lots 4, 5, 0	35	83.47
Math Barzen, SE¼	30	77.65

Fairfield Addition

	Lot	
Emma Beauleau, Lots 4 &	5	17.30
Emma Beauleau, Lots 6, 7,	6	21.67
E. O. Guilingsrud, South 50 Ft. of Lot	11	6.69
Anna O. Anderson, Lot	52	20.60
Edward L. Elofson, North ½ of Lot	54	12.30
C. M. Carlson, North 60 Ft. of Lot	59	66.17

Esbelby's Re-arrangement to Smiley's Addition

	Lot	
And. Hoveland, Lots 23 &	24	50.80
Capt. A. Hovland, Lots 41 to 44 inc.		88.94
Earl Elofson, Lots 47 &	48	32.90
A. E. Erickson, Lots 60 &	61	13.02

Thief River Addition to Fairfield

	Blk.	
Oscar W. Carlson, Lots 1 & 2	2	36.89

Bothum's Addition to Fairfield

	Lot	
Theresa Bishop Fuller	23	15.18

Oarden Addition

Sidona Poston, Lots 6 &	4	2.17

Rustad's Sub-Division

Anna Vraa, Lots 16 &	17	32.90

Fairfax Addition

P. N. Benson, Lots 124 &	125	3.08

Kratka's Sub-Division

Sophia Kratka, Lots 3 &	4	6.52
Sophia Kratka, Lot	9	6.52
Sophia Kratka, Lots 10 &	11	13.02
Sophia Kratka, Lots 12 &	13	13.02
Sophia Kratka, Lot	14	6.48

Tessum's Addition

	Blk.	
Alfred Lewis, Lots 8 & 9	1	1.72
O. W. Carlson, Lots 7 & 8	2	2.18
James Mullhall, Lots 1 & 2	3	2.63
James Mullhall, Lots 3, 4 & 5	3	4.35
Alfred Lewis, Lots 3 & 4	6	2.18
Chas. Schwartz, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, & 6	7	4.34
Chas. Schwartz, Lots 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 & 13	7	4.34
Chas. Swartz, Lots 14, 15, 16 & 17	7	2.18
Alfred Lewis, Lots 7 & 8	8	2.18
C. Hoverstad, Lots 9 & 10	8	2.16
Alfred Hoverstad, Lots 24 & 25	8	2.18
C. Hoverstad, Lots 26 & 27	8	2.18

TOWN OF NORDEN

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty-four (44)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Julius Mossestad, SE¼ SW¼	7	20.79
G. J. Nordhagen, SW¼ NW¼ South 10 rods of NW¼ NW¼	15	25.68
Ole Haroldson, E½ SE¼ Sec. 12 E½ NE¼ Sec.	13	100.12
Olaf Opseth, NE¼ NE¼	15	25.84
Geo. C. Anderson, NW¼ SE¼, N½ SW¼, SW¼ SW¼	16	72.48
I. M. Chapman, S½ NE¼, W½ SE¼ Ex. 2 acres	19	61.93
M. C. Harlow, E½ SE¼ Lots 3 & 4	19	73.99
State of Minnesota, NE¼ NE¼, SW¼ NE¼, SE¼ NW¼, N½ SE¼ NE¼	21	85.54
Waldie Christianson, Part of NW¼ NE¼	23	.60
P. M. Peterson, E½ NE¼, N½ SE¼	23	94.49
Hannah E. Dodsley, E½ NE¼	24	46.73
Lars K. Hitterdah, E½ NW¼ & E½ SW¼	25	73.05
A. J. Larson & Mary Walles, SW¼	26	78.76
Ed. Sevre et al, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	31	82.45
Karl Mostad, N½ NE¼, NE¼ NW¼, SW¼ NE¼	34	159.44
C. T. Slinger, N½ NW¼, SE¼ NW¼, NW¼ NE¼	35	92.21
Olga A. Leral, SE¼ NE¼	35	61.34
Frank Sturvin, S½ SW¼ & S½ SE¼	35	173.98
L. H. Hitterdahl, NE¼ NE¼	36	27.49
State of Minnesota, S½ SW¼ & NE¼ SW¼	36	51.37

TOWN OF NUMEDAL

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty-five (45)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Betsy Martinson, E½ SE¼	11	39.75
Knut F. Lofthus, SW¼	13	67.15
N. S. Olson, W½ NW¼	13	54.42
Knut F. Lofthus, E½ NW¼	13	27.70
Betsy Martinson, E½ NE¼	14	53.47
Jessie L. Herring, S½ NE¼ & NE¼ NE¼	16	37.73
Jessie L. Herring, SE¼	15	53.28
Jessie L. Herring, SW¼	15	52.52
Elias Joringdal, NE¼ NE¼	20	19.96
H. B. McCrakin et al, NE¼	22	46.79
G. L. Borgen, NW¼	22	58.03
H. B. McCrakin et al, W½ NW¼ & SE¼ NW¼	23	40.56
H. B. McCrakin et al, E½ NE¼, SW¼ NE¼	23	44.09
H. B. McCrakin et al, NW¼ SW¼	23	39.76
Fred Walker, NE¼	36	48.06
Fred Walker, NW¼	36	44.60
Fred Walker, SW¼	36	47.29
Fred Walker, SE¼	36	47.37

TOWN OF POLK CENTRE

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Forty-five (45)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Hjalmer Johnson, SE¼	1	56.00
Gust Lorentson et al, SE¼ SW¼	5	14.27
Harry J. Lelands, SW¼	7	50.47
Gustaf Lorentson, NW¼	6	57.07
Chas. Helm, N½ SW¼ & SW¼ SW¼	6	41.84
J. K. Vraa, E½ SW¼	20	23.08
J. K. Vraa, NW¼ SW¼ & SW¼ NW¼	20	23.08

TOWN OF ROCKSBURY

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-three (43)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Geo. C. Bakken, Part of Lot 5	4	23.19
Frank Rockstad, E½ SE¼	5	57.16
H. A. Mathews, NE¼ & E½ NW¼	7	158.70
Gust Geske, W½ SE¼, SE¼ SE¼, SE¼ SW¼ Ex. 3 acres	6	107.71
Eda C. Lee, E½ NW¼	10	46.06
Martha Iverson, SW¼	13	101.79
Martha Ingram, NE¼ SE¼	14	20.92
Crookston Lumber Co., Dam site across Red Lake River	10	1.99
H. E. Gunstad, SE¼ SE¼ Sec. 34 SW¼ SW¼ Sec.	35	22.76

C. and O. Nelson's First Addition

	Blk.	
John P. Nelson, Lot 24	20	.12

TOWN OF RIVER FALLS

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Forty-three (43)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Carl E. Ahlberg, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	1	70.00
Minn. Loan & Trust Co., SW¼ SW¼	2	19.43
Ida M. Cline, NW¼ SW¼	2	16.76
Ole Brimm, Lot 6	5	.70
Fred Soderberg, E½ NW¼ Lots 2 & 5 Ex. Ry.	7	286.94
Washington Adams, Lot 5	8	12.84
J. H. Folstad, E½ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	19	60.80
J. H. Folstad, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	19	108.77
Karl T. Dainger, NE¼ NW¼, S½ NE¼, S½ NW¼	22	92.83

Townsite of Hazel

	Lot	Blk.	
F. J. Sumpter, Lot 1		1	.11
F. J. Sumpter, Lot 2		1	.11
F. J. Sumpter, Lot 3		1	.11
August Roese, Lot 8		2	.22
August Roese, Lot 0		2	.21
Alfred Jenson, Lot 13		2	2.32

TOWN OF REINER

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Thirty-nine (39)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Ole Legvold, E½ SE¼ Sec. 7, W½ SW¼ Sec.	8	109.69
Christ R. Johnsrud, E½ SE¼	8	48.07
Walter Sorenson, SE¼	12	60.70
P. H. Wright, SE¼	13	124.34
State of Minnesota, SW¼ NE¼, S½ NW¼, NE¼ NW¼	16	42.54
Katherine Kilamer, NE¼	20	60.51
State of Minnesota, NW¼	22	53.72
State of Minnesota, SE¼	22	56.07
Peter A. Regedal, SE¼	23	117.98
H. M. Hohn, N½ SW¼, SE¼ SW¼ NW¼ SE¼	25	103.98
A. O. Halvorson, E½ SW¼	27	55.31
W. M. Miliander, SE¼ NW¼, NE¼ SW¼, N½ SE¼	28	38.03
R. O. Wood, 1 Acre in NE¼	29	.29
Theo. O. Berg, SW¼	34	94.68
Albert Arntz, N½ SE¼ Part of E½ SE¼	35	21.71
Emil Siguardson, NW¼	35	70.94
Ed. H. Bukken, E½ SE¼, SW¼ SW¼	36	73.12
Oliver Arntz, SE¼ NW¼	36	9.69

TOWN OF SANDERS

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-four (44)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Geo. K. Johnson, Lots 3 & 4	5	89.58
Lars P. Brandrud, E½ SW¼	8	15.56
R. P. Hanson, SW¼	9	47.65
Gilbert Erickson, NE¼	17	53.79
G. F. Constans, SE¼ SW¼	17	13.20
Wis. Minn. Pac. Ry. Co., N½ SE¼ & SE¼ SE¼	20	38.22
G. A. Constans et al, N½ NE¼ & NE¼ NW¼	20	57.14
Wis. Minn. Pac. Ry. Co., NW¼ SE¼	21	18.32
State of Minnesota, N½ NW¼, SW¼ NW¼, NW¼ SW¼	24	79.79
Erick Olson, NE¼	25	207.79
T. O. Mogen, NE¼	26	103.65
T. O. Mogen, NW¼	26	101.89
John Fromm, NW¼ SW¼	27	21.12
Hjalmar Brandvold et al, S½ SW¼ Sec. 27 N½ NW¼ Sec.	34	40.10
John Fromm, SE¼	28	61.31
David D. Rux, W½ NE¼	29	47.96
Walter S. Harlen, E½ SW¼ Lots 3 & 4	31	123.83
Ida D. Patton, NE¼	33	88.73
Joseph V. Patton, N½ SE¼ & SW¼ SE¼	33	105.86
Joseph V. Patton, NW¼ SW¼	34	32.86
Peter O. Myhrum, SW¼ NW¼	34	21.71

TOWN OF SMILEY

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Forty-two (42)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Louis Lee, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	2	84.08
M. L. Rucker, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	3	81.69
Jonas Bakke, SW¼	3	66.72
A. M. Bolstad, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	5	94.71
Dobner Bros. Inc., N½ NW¼	12	47.77
Tobias Skjerping, SE¼ SE¼ Lot 4 Sec. 14, E½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 5	23	94.27
Savings Loan & Trust Co., SW¼	21	141.67
Kathryn J. Cooper, SW¼	25	89.24
Edward M. Kane, NE¼	26	82.94
State of Minnesota, SE¼	27	72.23
S. M. Lauback, NE¼	28	146.96
Maude G. Mabey, N½ SE¼, SE¼ SE¼ & Lot 6	28	131.36
Halvor O. Wilken, S½ NW¼, NW¼ NW¼, N½ SW¼	29	119.47
H. O. Vigen, NE¼ SE¼	30	18.16
H. J. Hostvedt, N½ SE¼	31	78.61
First National Bank T. R. F., NE¼ SW¼, SE¼ NW¼	32	37.50

TOWN OF SILVERTON

Township One Hundred Fifty-four (154) Range Forty-two (42)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
I. T. Austad, NW¼	13	172.58
Johnanna Bergstall et al, NE¼ Ex. 1 acre	14	144.09
Marie Nomelnnd, SW¼ Ex. Ry.	21	72.95
The Sheldon Company, SE¼ Ex. Ry.	22	57.93
Frank Svobodney, NW¼ Ex. Ry.	23	114.97
And. Braznay, SW¼ Ex. Ry.	23	125.63
Hans P. Rud, SE¼	25	66.77
And. Braznay, N½ NE¼	26	54.90
Earl Long, SE¼	26	110.17
Julius Amble, NW¼	28	80.25
Aug. K. Johnson, SE¼	34	107.41
Anton Anderson, SW¼	34	117.40
And. Hovland, NE¼	35	136.16
S. S. Stenberg, NW¼	36	124.28
Hans P. Rud, NE¼	36	104.63

TOWN OF STAR

Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) Range Thirty-nine (39)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Edward Mobraaten, SW¼ NW¼	1	21.34
Elizabeth Shanghussey, SE¼	1	76.28
John F. W. Raasch, S½ NW¼ Lots 6 & 4	6	60.73
Hans Solberg, S½ NW¼ Lots 3 & 4	5	155.50
Joseph V. Hoffman, SE¼	6	66.19
Anton Fort, S½ NE¼ Lots 1 & 2	6	124.21
Joseph Novak, N½ NE¼	7	37.21
Bridget Shanghassey, SE¼	12	41.42
E. M. McIsaac, W½ NW¼	13	17.06
Clara M. Young, SW¼ NE¼, SE¼ NW¼, N½ SW¼	13	23.51
Even Sjulestad, NW¼	15	60.85
E. G. Gayer, SW¼	17	61.92
H. O. Tommerdahl, NE¼	21	45.04
Minneapolis Trust Co., N½ SE¼, SW¼ SE¼ Sec. 22, NW¼ SW¼ Sec.	23	80.58
T. T. Berg, S½ NW¼ and N½ SW¼	24	57.55
Even O. Vnine, E½ NE¼	24	27.06
Gust Iverson, NE¼ SE¼	27	21.79
Iver C. Iverson, W½ NE¼ & NE¼ NE¼	27	72.93
O. P. Bolstad, SE¼	29	89.88
Herbert Marquis et al, E½ NW¼ Lots 1 & 2	30	45.53
John C. Ness, N½ SW¼ & NW¼ SE¼	32	65.53
Nels P. Larson, SE¼ SE¼	34	36.72
First State Bank, Oklee, N½ SE¼	35	13.50

TOWN OF WYANDOTTE

Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) Range Forty-two (42)
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
T. J. Quamme, Lot 4	1	25.03
T. J. Quamme, Lots 1 & 2	2	56.54
First State Bank, Plummer, SE¼ SE¼ & Lot 8	3	42.53
Robert Nelson, Lots 2, 3 & 4	4	70.17
Iver A. Rolstad, NE¼ SE¼	5	10.47
Iver A. Rolstad, Lot 1	6	40.84
Martin J. Peterson, Lots 2, 3 & 4 Ex. Ry.	7	93.02
Martin J. Peterson, NW¼ NW¼	6	17.15
J. M. Kribebnck, SE¼ Ex. 1 acre	10	67.32
M. J. Krabsback, NW¼	15	70.35
M. J. Krabsback, SW¼	15	70.35
Aug. N. Anderson, SW¼	24	73.10

VILLAGE OF GOODRIDGE

Original Townsite
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Description	Lot	Blk.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Henry Tellofson, East 50 ft. of Lot 2		2	15.52
Henry Tellofson, Lot 3		2	100.73
Halvor Christianson, Lot 2		3	50.30
John A. Sundquist, Lot 5		2	49.02
John S. Brandvold, Lot 10		3	111.60
B. W. Walker, Lot 11		3	12.21
O. S. Kirkile, East 90 ft. of Lots 13 & 14		3	63.61
Albert Halvorson, Lot 15		3	73.60
John A. Sundquist, Lot 18		3	20.38
Halvor Christianson, Lots 10 & 17		4	3.47
Vivian Thoreson, Part Blk. 6, 98.87x150 ft.		8	114.43
N. W. Townsite Co., Lot in SE¼ NW¼ Section 21-154-40			17.16

Goodridge 1st Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
G. A. Hanson, Lots 10, 11 12		2	10.28
Carlton Babbitt, Lots 28, 29, 30		3	33.88

Lindstrom's First Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Carl Lindstrom, Lot 10		2	2.64
Carl Lindstrom, Lots 11 & 12		2	70.33
Elizabeth Kirkile, Lot 13		2	6.11
C. O. Stephenson, Lots 17 & 18 North ½ of Lots 10		2	55.77
H. Christianson, Lots 1 & 2		3	50.30
Carl Christinnson, Lots 3 & 4		3	60.30
Palmer A. Tvedt, Lots 5 & 0		3	12.21

Golden Extension

	Lot	Blk.	
M. M. Anderson, Lot 1		9	1.25
M. M. Anderson, Lot 2		9	1.25
M. M. Anderson, Lot 3		9	1.25
M. M. Anderson, Lot 4		9	1.25
M. M. Anderson, Lot 5		9	1.46
M. M. Anderson, Lot 6		9	1.46
J. Oldford, Lot 7		9	1.46
M. M. Anderson, Lots 8 & 9		9	40.55
M. M. Anderson, Lots 10 & 11		9	2.68

VILLAGE OF ST. HILAIRE

(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Subdivision of Section	Section	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Louis Do Catheleneau, Blk. 4 N½ Blk. 11 pt. Govt. Lot 7 6-152-43		35.63
Merchants State Bank, SW¼ Corner of Lot 7 6-152-42		56.37

Original Townsite of St. Hilaire

	Lot	Blk.	
Magna Kotland, Lots 19 to 22 inc. & S. 8 ft. of Lot	18	24	20.92
V. I. Burnett, Lots 1 & 2		25	15.04
Mary Dahl, Lots 11 & 12		27	.66
Edw. Holmes, Lots 11 & 12		28	30.72
Edw. Holmes, Lots 13 to 16 inc.		29	1.63
J. C. Dahl, Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, & South ½ of Lot	7	38	28.10
J. W. Wallin, Lot 5		38	2.95
Amelia C. Nelson, Lots 8 & 9 & North ½ of Lot	7	38	18.30
James A. Dahl, Lots 23 & 24		38	2.95
L. A. Westerland, Lots 5, 6 &	7	39	83.68
Merchants State Bank, Lot 7		40	70.60
Carrie Branum, Lot 8		40	32.34
Hans Wilson, Lot 9		40	14.71

Townsite's Company's 2nd Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Farmers State Bank, Lots 1 &	2	17	17.66
Farmers State Bank, Lots 23 &	24	17	2.29

North Side Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Gynther Tessum, Lots 21 & 22		1	2.62
Gynther Tessum, Lots 25 &	26	1	2.62
J. F. Frederickson, Lots 36 &	37	3	2.62

CITY OF THIEF RIVER FALLS

Original Townsite
(Year for which taxes are Delinquent, 1928)

Name of Owner and Description	Lot	Blk.	Total Tax and Penalty $ Cts.
Hjalmar Nordstrom, Lots 11, 12 &	18	2	33.26
And. Gunderson, Lot	6	6	62.08
R. O. Braaten, Lots 4 &	5	7	67.99
H. A. Moe, Lots 5 &	6	10	68.61
Carl Froseth, Lots 10, 11 &	12	19	165.39
Wm. Herron, Lots 1 &	2	20	86.81
Ole Nybus, Lots 9, 10, 11 &	12	21	276.48
Mikel Arneson, West 50 ft. of Lots 22, 23 &	24	21	18.76
Jennie C. Newell, Lots 1, 2, 3 &	4	26	42.65
Laura Simonson, Lot	10	28	133.32
O. N. Larson, East 25 ft. of Lots 22, 23 &	24	31	108.30
G. O. Eberhardt, Lot 7 North 5 ft. of Lot 6		34	51.62
The Prichard Company, Lots 22, 23 &	24	34	310.06
Math Barzen, Lots 1 to 24 inc.		50	28.16
Sarah E. Hunt, Lots 7 &	8	66	176.98
Theo. W. Mork, East 50 ft. of Lots 13 to 17 part of	18	56	263.52
Sarah E. Hunt, Lot	21	57	79.11
Prichard Stone Co., Lots 9 &	10	58	120.59
Peter Eberhart, Lot	18	58	368.20
Math Barzen, Lot	19	58	187.56
W. A. Bishop, Lot	20	58	201.63
The Prichard Stone Co., Lots 15, 16, 17 Ex. E. 40 ft.		59	46.02
Math Brunde, Lot 5 S. 4 ft. of Lot	6	61	121.11
Winton Nichols Lumber Co., Lot 6 Ex. S. 4 ft. & Lots 7, 8, 9, &	10	61	252.96
Winton Nichols Lumber Co., part block		62	9.39
Great Northern Ry. Co., Lots 3, 4 &	5	63	1.15
O. E. Jenson, Lot	23	63	65.22
Great Northern Ry. Co., Lots 31 &	32	63	1.15
Great Northern Ry. Co., Lot 1		64	.46
Great Northern Ry. Co., Lot	2	04	.46
Frank Mousley, N. 33 ft. of Lot 12 S. 10 ft. of Lot	13	64	104.10
Emma Rockstad, Lots 5, 0 &	7	68	10.56
Emma Rockstad, Lots 8, 9 &	10	68	10.56
Julius Efteland, Lot	28	68	21.12

Hemmingson's Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Carrie Clopp, Lot 9 N. ½ of Lot	6	1	32.85
Mikel Arneson, Lots 5 &	6	2	22.87
V. M. Higenbothom, Lots 4, 5 &	6	3	63.33
Christ Bugge, Lots 14, 15, 10, &	17	7	32.25
S. C. Weflen, Lot	15	8	2.35
S. C. Weflen, Lots 10, 17 &	16	6	43.40

Porter's Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Arsene Cloutier, Lots 2 &	3	4	20.33
Alice A. Burdwell, Lots 18 &	19	4	12.07
Hanson & Barzen, Lot	16	5	3.53
Anna Barzen, N½ Lot	11	10	4.69
Nels Knutson, Lot	29	11	39.17
A. C. Mathson, Lots 8 to 12 inc.		16	14.07
Ralph Longair, Lots 3 &	4	18	35.64
Ralph Longair, Lots 5 &	6	18	17.46
Christ Strom, Lot	16	21	2.34

Red Lake Rapids Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Sarah Levinson, Lot	38	6	2.32
Martin Amble et al, Lots 22, 23 &	24	10	4.69
T. O. Sietto, Lots 29 to 33 inc.		10	9.39
Carr & Bishop, Lots 21 &	22	14	1.87
Carr & Bishop, Lots 23 &	24	14	1.87
M. M. Anderson, Lots 25 &	20	16	3.76
Helge Klemmetson, Lots 0, 10, 11 &	12	16	16.76
Lucy V. Mathewson, Lots 36 &	37	10	7.04
Lucy V. Mathewson, Lots 38, 39 &	40	19	17.59
Nellie Hodck, Lots 41 &	42	10	36.36
Nellie Hodek, Lots 43 &	44	19	9.39
Jesef Maravoec et al, Lots 45 &	46	19	9.39
Jesef Maravoec et al, Lots 47 &	48	19	30.36
Hans O. Chommie, Lots 25, 26 &	27	21	112.61
J. W. Wheeler, Lots 23 &	24	25	28.16
Christine Brudovick, Lots 27 &	28	25	43.15
M. E. Church Parsonage, Lots 45 & 48 inc.		25	2.30
P. O. Myrom, Lots 5, 6 &	7	20	126.69
G. K. Aakus, Lots 29 &	30	20	72.72
Theresa B. Fuller, Lots 44 &	45	27	143.10
Inga Peterson, Lots 45 &	40	28	17.60
Hellen McGrath, Lots 15, 10, 17 &	18	29	11.73
Alfred W. Paulson, et al, Lots 25, 20 &	27	29	85.64
Alfred W. Paulson, et al, Lots 28 &	29	20	0.39
Vermele Horjeh, Lots 30, 31 &	32	20	31.67
Hellen McGrath, Lots 38 &	30	30	6.10
F. J. Cernousek, Lots 31 &	32	31	16.66
Joseph Cernousek, Lots 1, 2 &	3	32	2.83
Eric A. Albue, Lots 25 &	20	32	1.87
Carr & Bishop, Lots 38 to 44 inc.		32	6.57
Carr & Bishop, Lots 1 to 4 inc.		34	3.30
Carr & Bishop, Lots 5 to 6 inc.		34	3.76
Carr & Bishop, Lots 0, 10 &	11	34	2.83
A. S. Bishop, Lots 10 &	20	34	1.67
Joe Horjesh, Lots 21 &	22	34	1.87
Carr & Bishop, Lots 25 &	26	34	1.87
Carr & Bishop, Lots 27 &	28	34	1.87
Carr & Bishop, Lots 42 to 48 inc.		34	0.57

Conley's First Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Fred F. Protz, Lot	1	1	45.06

Conley's Second Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Blondie Amundson, Lot	6	2	30.73
Chas. Lindquist, Lot	0	3	20.03
Iver A. Sletto, Lot	1	5	2.46

Conley's Third Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Mathias La Coe, Lot 1 & North 50 ft. of Lot	2	7	16.77

Knox Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Agusta H. Nelson, Lot	3	4	.77
Alice LaBree, Lots 21 &	22	4	1.87
Alice LaBree, Lots 23 &	24	4	28.80
Thos. Boe, Lots 39 &	40	4	0.13
Sophia Wenander, Lots 1, 2 &	3	0	54.38
Arthur Fox, Lots 23 &	24	0	65.69
Arthur Fox, South one-half of Lot	25	6	3.06
Thena M. Johnson, Lot	21	0	28.74
Anna B. Meehan, Lots 22 &	23	0	5.87
Anna B. Meehan, Lot	24	0	5.87
Emma T. Fletcher, Lots 30 &	37	0	58.63
Loran Dillian, Lots 18, 10 &	20	10	53.20
Gilbert Lonson, Lots 13 &	14	12	23.80
Lina C. Engebretson, Lots 15 &	16	25	27.93
Lula A. Cook, Lots 5 &	6	20	50.20

Meehen's Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Math Barzen, Lot	30	1	16.77
Nels Hagen, Lots 6, 7 &	8	3	44.35
H. C. Liden, Lot	10	8	22.88

Highland Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
And. A. Sale, Lots 11 &	12	2	70.87
James G. Caldis, Lot	3	3	51.62
Howe Paige, Lot	1	11	14.07

Riverside Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Mary A. Bane, Lot	4	3	14.30
Arthur J. Clouther, West 50 ft. of Lot	1	0	17.01
Alex J. Clouther, West 3-4 of Lot	2	0	3.53

Oakland Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Carl M. Rolland, Lot	12	6	58.65
Anna Vistaunet, Lot	1	11	130.20
Hans L. Rolland, Lot 7 &	6	11	58.07
Louise Fossum, Lot	1	13	80.81
T. A. Fossum, Lots 5 &	6	13	184.63
Ethel B. Beakley, Lot	2	14	54.88
Gladys G. Anderson, Lot	0	15	6.44
Hattie B. Brownie, Lot	12	15	02.42

Zeh's Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Phil Cote, Lot	1	1	3.53
Annie C. Culver, Lot	2	2	12.32
Annie C. Culver, East 30 ft. of Lot	4	2	.70
John E. Olson, Lot	12	3	8.21
John E. Olson, Lot	13	3	3.53
John E. Olson, Lot	14	3	3.53
E. J. Rolland, Lots 6 &	6	4	3.53

Tessum's Addition

	Lot	Blk.	
Olaf Tessum, Lot	25		1.87

State of Minnesota,
County of Pennington—ss.

H. L. Fowler, being by me first duly sworn deposes and says that he is the County Auditor in and for Pennington County, that he has examined the foregoing list and knows the contents thereof, and that the same is a true and correct list of taxes delinquent for the year 1928, upon Real Estate in said County.

H. L. FOWLER,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of February, 1930.

ADOLF EKLUND,
Clerk of the District Court.
Pennington County, Minnesota.

(SEAL)

State of Minnesota,
County of Pennington—ss.

I, H. L. Fowler, County Auditor in and for the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that the foregoing copy of the list of Real Estate Taxes in said County remaining delinquent on the first Monday in January A. D. 1930, was this day received from the Clerk of the District Court in and for said County and State.

Witness my hand and official seal this 1st day of February, 1930.

H. L. FOWLER,
County Auditor.
Pennington County, Minnesota.

(SEAL)

NOTE—Parties remitting for the above taxes will please add 60 cents to each item to cover cost of printing and Clerk of Court's fees.

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YOUNG HEIFER GETTING HER HAIR BOBBED

Fashionable Miss Cow, one of the season's charming young heifers, of Oakland, Calif., getting her hair bobbed—Cecil Lee, barber at the Fairmont hospital, not even having a chance to talk on this ticklish job. Cecil is obeying an order of Assistant Milk Inspector William Downey who ordered that all cows have their hair cut regularly as a sanitary measure. Miss Cow did not like the operation, said the barber.

Making Candy at Home

By NELLIE MAXWELL

"If solid happiness we prize
Within our breast this jewel lies
The world has nothing to bestow
From our own selves our joys must flow,
And they are fools that roam.
And that dear but our home."

THERE is nothing the children like better than to make their own candy. To be sure they may waste some material, leave disorder in the kitchen and disturb the usual routine, but it is worth while. They are happy, they are learning to use materials, and the results (often not good) will help in the next step. All these things are educational, if only mothers could be patient and realize it.

Many girls have gone into homes with very poor housekeeping knowledge because mother would not take the pains to teach them and see the waste and disorder as part of the training. If you cannot stand the sight, just take an hour or two off, go on a shopping tour or call on a friend; when you return things won't be quite as bad as you pictured. Children, boys as well as girls, should understand that when they perform in the kitchen they should leave it as they found it, as far as possible.

Here are a few simple candies, easy to make and good for a beginner:

Candy Potatoes.

Cook one medium-sized potato until soft, drain and press through a sieve. There should be one-half cupful of mashed potato. Add two cupfuls of confectioner's sugar very slowly, stirring well, then add one teaspoonful of vanilla and one can of coconut. If fresh coconut is to be used add about one-fourth of a pound. Melt four squares of dipping chocolate or use the bitter chocolate if preferred. Melt the chocolate over water and coat the bottom of a well-buttered bread pan with one-half of it. Cool slightly, spread the coconut mixture evenly over the pan, now cover with the remaining chocolate. Set aside in a cool place then cut into squares after several hours.

Clear Pecan Candy.

Place in a granite saucepan two cupfuls of granulated sugar, one cupful of boiling water and a teaspoonful of cream of tartar. Let boil rapidly without stirring until it will snap when tried in ice water. Have ready a small pan well greased in which is spread two cupfuls of pecan meats. When the candy is done pour carefully over the nuts and when partly cold mark off into squares. When pouring out the sirup be careful not to scrape the kettle as a few grains of sugar will grain the whole pan of candy.

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Nature Keeps Eye Clean

The human eye is kept automatically clean for the time of one's life by means of a wonderful slightly disinfectant fluid, the tears, and the winking of our eyelids and the water sent down the nose.

The Children's Corner

Edited by DOROTHY EDMONDS

YOUR DRAWING LESSON

(No. 6)

Draw funny question mark;
Then add a curly line;
A funny hump and two sharp ears
(Now aren't they just too fine?)
Next make whiskers and an eye,
Two hind and two fore paws;
You've drawn a squirrel with a nut
Clasped tight in his sharp claws.
—Lucille Crites.

HOW SPRING RETURNED TO EARTH

The Greeks of often times tell of a beautiful valley called Enna. The groves there were peaceful and the lakes were quiet. No trace of winter ever entered the valley, for it was a spot dear to the heart of Demeter, the earth mother.

Persephone was the only daughter of Demeter and as fair as the fairest flower in the meadows.

One day Persephone looked up from her playing to see a shining chariot approaching. Four black horses drew the chariot and holding the reins was a tall, handsome figure. He carried a spear and wore long flowing robes

that glistened in the sunlight. Persephone fell to her knees and covered her face for she knew that this was no mortal, but a god. The chariot stopped beside her. The driver of the chariot gazed at the beautiful maiden a long time and finally motioned for her to rise and come to him. He helped her into the shining chariot, lifted the reins, and was soon flying over the meadow.

The horses sped along until they came to a river. From the depths of this water a water nymph arose.

"You shall not pass," she cried. "You have no right to take the maiden without asking the earth mother."

This caused the handsome young god to become angry.

He threw his spear into the river and the nymph melted into the waves and was gone. The waters parted and the earth opened. The horses and the chariot, hearing Persephone and the young god, dashed through the opening and were seen no more.

When Demeter, the earth mother, returned to the valley of Enna, she looked for her lovely daughter to come dancing to meet her. She became frightened and searched in all directions. She lighted a torch and hunted by night through the valley. The next day and the next, she wandered far and near. At last she sat down on the banks of the stream and wept, for she knew her daughter had been stolen.

"No grass, no flowers, no fruit, no green thing of any kind shall appear on the earth until my daughter is returned to me!" she declared sorrowfully.

Just then Demeter heard a murmuring, and looking up, saw the nymph, Arethusa, rising from a fountain nearby.

"Dear Earth Mother, be not sad, but be comforted," said Arethusa. "As I hurried under the earth on my way here, I passed the palace of the god Dis. On his throne, beside him, sits Persephone, wearing a golden crown and hailed as queen."

Now Demeter knew that only one could help her, that was the mighty Zeus. So she hastened to the top of high Olympus and asked Zeus to command Dis to return Persephone.

"But my brother Dis loves your daughter," Zeus replied. "He has made her queen of all the underworld. She may return to you only if she has eaten nothing since she has been in the underworld. It is a law of the gods that no one may come back to earth again if he has taken any food in the kingdom of Dis."

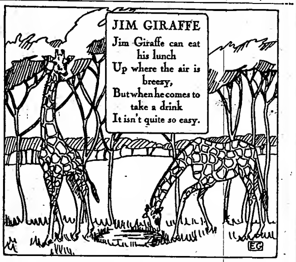
Now it happened that Persephone had picked a pomegranate as she walked in the palace garden and had eaten part of it.

When Hermes, the messenger of Zeus had told him what had happened, the great god was thoughtful. "The earth needs corn and fruit," he said. "It must not always be barren of flowers and grass.

"Speed again to my brother! Tell him that the earth needs Persephone. Tell him that half of every year she is to stay with him in the dark halls of his palace. The other half of the year she is to return to the earth and bring back the flowers and the grass."

And as Hermes led Persephone up to the earth and through the valleys to Enna, the barren land became green. The corn sent up its young shoots. The trees burst into leaf. Demeter looked across the valley to see the beautiful goddess dancing toward her with flowers bound to her hair. Spring and youth had once more returned to the earth.

—Alice M. Greer.



WHAT MAKES ONE A SNOB

By JEAN NEWTON

IT ISN'T only the person who looks disparagingly upon those who have less of the world's good or emoluments who is a snob. That's the most popular connotation of the word to describe some one who puts on swank, who has a "swell head," who looks down upon poorer or plainer or less favored people.

But that isn't all that makes one a snob. That's just one of the many sides of it.

If you find yourself, when you are meeting people, more interested in those whom you know to have wealth or influence, then you can't deny the stigma.

If knowing that they are important helps you to decide whether you like certain people, then it would not be calumny to call you a snob.

If your interest in people is inspired less by what they are than by who they are, more by what they have then by the personal attraction they may have for you, then you are not without the taint.

If you failed to be interested any less by what they are than by who they are, more by what they have than by the personal attraction they may have for you, then you are not without the taint.

If you failed to be interested in a certain woman until your friend pointed her out as the one who patronizes artists or who has that gorgeous country estate, and if that makes a difference, or if you liked a woman for her personality and lost interest when you learned she was just a kindergarten teacher, then I am sorry to say you're suffering from a destructive and degenerative disease called snobbishness.

It's a sickness of little people—snobbishness—whether it manifests itself in looking down upon those who have less or in looking up to those who have more. Measuring people, according to what they have or where they are instead of what they are, and cultivating or ignoring them accordingly—that's a disease that any self-respecting woman will avoid as if the germ were one that ate into her body, as it does into her soul.

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"A wife who harps on a thing until she gets it," says Cynical Sue, "at least knows how to pick a winning nag."

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"Robbing Peter to Pay Paul"

By JEAN NEWTON

FOR this expression we have a story of good old Anglo Saxon flavor. The famous Westminster Abbey in London was formerly St. Peter's Cathedral. And a merry rivalry existed between it and St. Paul's.

In 1550 an appropriation was made from the funds of St. Peter's to make up for a deficit in St. Paul's. There were, of course, the usual two factions, those opposed to this procedure saying, "Why rob St. Peter to pay St. Paul."

Almost two hundred years later, on the death of William Pitt, this sentiment again found expression, for the two cemeteries were rivals for the honor of his burial. The municipality of London claimed that the great statesman should be buried alongside of kings and that to bury him elsewhere would again be "Robbing St. Peter to pay St. Paul."

The Abbey won, but we are still robbing Peters to pay Pauls.

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I KNOW WHAT SORROW IS

By Douglas Malloch.

IF I had never borne a cross,
What matter what another bears?
If I had never known a loss,
What would I know of others' cares?
If I had never shed a tear
What would another's mean to me?
Had never had a losing year,
What would I know of sympathy?

But by the weight of my own load
I know, my friend, the weight of yours,
And by the rocks in my own road
I know what ev'ryone endures.
Yes, by the tears that I have known
I know the bitterness of his.
Because my heart has had its own,
I know, my friend, what sorrow is.

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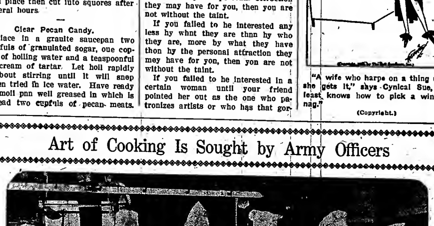
Listens

He listens to good purpose who takes note.—Dante.

Art of Cooking Is Sought by Army Officers



Officers of the army tank school at Camp George G. Meade, Maryland, taking a practical thirty-day course in cooking and baking, donned white aprons and helped the camp's kitchen police prepare the day's food.

WHY WOMEN SCREAM

By M. K. THOMSON, Ph. D.

FEAR will do one of the three things to us. There is some overlapping of course, but generally speaking men, women, and children have distinct and characteristic reactions of fear.

When a man is frightened he is likely to run away, which is another way of saying that he is able to take care of himself. Fear must not be confused with anger. A man does not always run away. He may attack his enemy. If he does so he is impelled by anger and not by fear. The fear emotion arouses the instinct of flight.

Fear in a child will cause partial or complete paralysis. He will simply stand still and do nothing. He may be even too frightened to cry or make a noise. This is nature's way of protecting the child, because in that immobile state he is safer than he would be if he attempted to run away. His best means of protection is to stand still. In such a posture it is difficult to see him and the enemy might pass him by. Every hunter knows how he may be deceived by looking directly at an animal and not see him because the creature is absolutely still. The opossum protects himself in this way. It is the weapon of the weak and defenseless, to make themselves as inconspicuous as possible.

Women scream because they are accustomed to depending on others for assistance. The scream is a demand for help. It is a reflex, a nervous reaction which takes place automatically just as one winks his eyelids when an object comes dangerously near the eye.

Screaming serves the double purpose of frightening the enemy and of securing help. It makes an effective weapon for women because of the lack of confidence in their unaided power.

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"I told her the truth. I said: 'I am nothing, I have nothing, and I can do nothing.'"

"What did she do?"

"She did nothing."—Hummel, Hamburg.

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PHILLIPS Milk of Magnesia

THE DESERT MOON MYSTERY

By
Kay Cleaver Strahan

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EPILOGUE

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Sam says, bitterly, that the only thing I need to explain is the one thing that can ever be explained: how one girl, by changing her clothes and by washing her face, could turn a houseful of supposedly sensible people into a packet of blithering, bat-blind fools for a generous period of time. I can explain that, I think: but I am going to leave it until later, and go clear back to the second of July, the day that Gabrielle received the code letter.

In her talk with John (John says it was in no sense a confession, that it was nothing but a taunt for us all, a final, regretless, high fling of defiance) there in his room, during the twenty minutes or so that she talked to him, before she shot herself, some things, which might still not be clear to us, were made plain. Also, many of Miss MacDonald's previously formed opinions were directly or indirectly verified. Miss MacDonald had said, you remember, that the murder had been wickedly premeditated.

"When I read that letter," Gabrielle told to John, "and found myself penniless and planless on a Nevada ranch, I at once made up my mind to kill Danielle, the little fool, and take her place."

How she persuaded Danny to accept the idea of the masquerade, and to change clothes with her, on the fourth of July, we do not positively know. That is the "hole" that Miss MacDonald mentioned in her puzzle. To my mind, there is little doubt that she gained her way very easily, by using her own unhappiness and disappointment as tools with which to remove Danny's scruples and prod her pity. I am sure, remembering Danny's troubled manner at the time, that she consented unwillingly, that she thoroughly disliked the idea, and that she was afraid of its consequences.

When the two girls went upstairs together, on the afternoon of the fourth of July, they must have gone to effect the transformation. Perhaps then, for a brief minute or two, the thing did seem amusing to Danny; for I know that I heard the girls laughing together, as I have mentioned, when I was on my errand upstairs.

We do not know, when the disguise had been completed, by what pretext Gabrielle lured Danny into the attic. Their trunks were in the attic. There could be a dozen simple reasons why Danny might consent to go up there with her. Coming downstairs again, Gabrielle caught her by the throat and strangled her, instantly, by means of the deadly jiu-jitsu hold, which she had learned from her "Strangler" lover. It is a hold that requires little strength—though Gabrielle's trained fingers were strong enough—but much scientific skill.

She took the earrings from Danny's ears—or, perhaps, Danny had not yet put them on—went to her own room, arranged her make-up, got into the wrap, which completely covered Danny's clothes that she was wearing, pulled the hat down over her eyes to conceal the change in hairdressing, and walked through the living room, for us all to see her, at four o'clock.

When Chad went to the porch with her (this John found out by insistent questioning) she told him that Danny had left the house, earlier, by the back way. That she and Danny had arranged a joke on the rest of us, to enliven the dull afternoon, and asked him to help with it by calling, in Danny's voice to her, when he came back into the house. Chad did it. That was why, since he was standing down by the front doors, the voice supposed to come from the upper hall had a strained and an unnatural sound. Gabrielle had reckoned that Chad, in spite of her request, would be too stupid to discover the facts. Probably she thought that, at any rate, she would be able to impose silence upon him. It was one of her many mistakes. We think that he must have known for the remainder of the afternoon that Gabrielle was masquerading as Danny. His happy mood was caused by the fact that Gabrielle had given him a confidence and had allowed him to perform a small service for her. When he saw what had happened, and when he realized that the girl whom he had worshipped was a murderer, he killed himself. Strange, that in spite of everything, he still loved her enough to leave the confessional note to shield her. The men think that he left the note to shield the rest of us, rather than to shield her. I do not believe it.

She had planned to go straight around the house and re-enter it through the back door. Martha's being by the rabbit hutch was something she had not counted on. It was necessary to distract Martha's attention, and to get her to come at once into the house. She gave her the monkey bracelet. As she did so, probably because of the act of kindness, Martha made one of her frequent mistakes and called Gabrielle "Danny." Gabrielle told John (concerning Martha, John also questioned her insistently) that she then showed Martha the poison in the charm, and told her that it was a love potion that would make Chad love her, "like a lady," if she would swallow it, and never tell anyone anything about it.

Martha out of the way, Gaby must have run quickly around to the back of the house and up the back stairway. To toss the hat and wrap on the body, replace the earrings, scatter the pipe ashes over the beaded bag (I declare to goodness, I can more easily think of her lying there in her white silk dressing gown, than I can think of her, brushing those pipe ashes up, from somewhere, in order to save them for that purpose), and drop the tatting shuttle there, required not more than one or two minutes of time. Another two or three minutes to wash her face thoroughly and to douse on some of Danny's perfume, and she was coming downstairs again, with the headache that necessitated the drawing of the curtains—to make her safety a bit safer, just at first.

She told John that those few minutes when she had to walk through the room, make the trip around the house, and get upstairs again, were the only moments of fright that she had had, from the first to the last. Once safely established in the role of Danny, she said, she knew that she had nothing to fear.

I think, however, that there were other times when she was afraid. I am certain that real fear was there in her room, that day, when the engagement ring dropped from her finger. Though I believe that her fear, then, was caused wholly from superstition, and not from any dread that the slight difference between her hands and Danny's hands might be noticed.

I am sure that her fear for John, on the fourth of July, was real enough. She knew that each minute he was away, longer than the time necessary for the trip, was a minute lost from the perfect alibi she had so mistakenly tried to arrange for him by sending him away from the ranch. She had not known that Danny's fingers had closed on the stair's tread. When John came in the back way she was afraid that it would be remembered later—as it was—and that some one would suspect—as Hubert Hand did suspect—that John had carried the body in at that time.

She had counted on her note to Danny, and on the fact that, as Danny, she was downstairs within ten or twelve minutes after the time we had seen Gaby walking down the path and had heard Danny's voice calling after her, to prove her own innocence. They, and the gentleness of Danny's disposition, did this to perfection.

Her original plan had been to prove that Sam was the murderer. With Sam out of the way, and with John in possession of his fortune, she had thought, I suppose, that she would have no trouble in persuading John to

Gabrielle Caught Her by the Throat and Strangled Her.

leave the Desert Moon. But she was afraid of the idea. Knowing John's devotion to Sam, she could not reckon, with any sureness, how disgrace and sorrow might affect John. It was too big a risk to take, unreservedly. So, though she picked the quarrel with Sam, strewed the pipe ashes on the bag, put the key in the fireplace, wrote on the photograph, she left loopholes in the shapes of the many other false clews. It is only my own notion that, if she had not thought the definite accusation of Sam, which she made during the session on the fifth of July, was necessary to protect John, she would have backed out, by that time, and not have made it.

It is again only my notion that the request, which she put in her note to Danny, to have Danny take her body to San Francisco for cremation, was made because she thought that it would be desirable for her to be able to leave the ranch at once—perhaps for several weeks. Mrs. Ricker's expressed suspicion probably made her realize the wisdom of returning as rapidly as possible to the Desert Moon.

Gabrielle Canneziano was a born criminal. Almost all of her life had been spent among criminals. She knew their ways, and she knew the ways of honest people toward them. Consequently, she was too clever to drop her disguise, even for a minute, in San Francisco. When, on the afternoon of the fourth of July, she had come downstairs as Danny, she had come resolved from that time forth to be Danny, in thought and in deed, up to the level best of her ability. That she never doubted her ability to turn from black to white within the space of an hour, is a splendid example of Miss MacDonald's contention concerning the egotism of criminals.

Miss MacDonald says that her first real clew was the one I gave to her when I said that no one, except Gaby herself, who would do such a wicked thing, had ever been on the ranch. If she had been on the ranch, she might have committed the murder. She had all three of the primary motives for murder: love, revenge, and greed. The unique feature in this case—Miss MacDonald says that each case has its unique feature—was that the murdered girl had been a duplicate twin.

The hazy, incomplete notion, Miss MacDonald says, had just come into her mind; she had not begun to accept it, she was only allowing it, dimly, to take form, when I returned to the room that day with my hand full of letters written by Danny. Handwriting, as surely as fingerprints, Miss MacDonald says, proves identity.

She asked me, straight, whether I had seen Danny writing the checks and addressing the envelopes. I answered, straight and positively, that I had. (And Miss MacDonald had warned me that people often thought that they saw things they did not see.)

I had not. I had seen the person whom I supposed was Danny writing checks and addressing envelopes. I had turned my back on her, and had walked to the door, when she called after me and gave me the envelopes containing the checks.

Danny herself had written those checks and had addressed those envelopes on the third of July. Owing to all the furore that had been going on in the house that day, she had left her desk before she had torn the checks from her checkbook, and had never gone back to it to finish her task. It is possible that Gabrielle had deliberately arranged that, also; but I think not. At any rate, she had had the checks in her possession, and had waited for a date that had a three, or an eight in it, to produce them. Circumstances and I played well into her hands that day; she had only to insert a one in front of the three to make me her fool.

Miss MacDonald, as you have seen, blames herself and not me for the mistake. She says that she should have known better than to believe me; or, to quote her exactly, she should have "doubted your accuracy of observation." But, not until the morning that we found Daniel Canneziano murdered did it occur to her to doubt it.

She says that it was not clairvoyance, not intuition, not even common sense, that it was nothing but a memory that took her, that morning, straight back to the idea that Gabrielle Canneziano could be the guilty person. Oddly, the conviction had come to her before we found Canneziano's body.

Sitting across the table from Gabrielle, posing as Danny, that morning at breakfast, she had thought, idly, of the breakfast that she and Danny had had together in the dining car. She had taken her chair, that morning, just as Danny had handed the order slip for her breakfast to the waiter. Too vaguely to be certain that it was really a memory, she seemed to see that slip of paper covered with writing. Just then, with the aroma of coffee in her nostrils, and with her iced grapefruit and rolls in front of her, she remembered that it was the same breakfast both she and Danny had had that morning. Would such a small order cover an order slip with handwriting? Not, it was certain, with the neat handwriting that had made out those checks and addressed those envelopes. Right then she resolved to lose no more time; to get, as soon as possible, a sample of the handwriting of the girl who was sitting across the table from her.

Canneziano's murder, discovered in the next half hour, strengthened her vague suspicions into as much of a certainty as she ever allowed herself before she had positive evidence.

As I have written, she spent the following week in efforts to get that evidence; at last, fearing that she was suspected, she detailed the task to me.

You have seen how I failed. How Gabrielle at once saw through my trick of attempting to disable my right hand by burning it; and how, realizing that she was trapped, she had run upstairs, first to satisfy her longing to be herself again, even for a few brief moments, then to taunt John, and, finally, to take her own life.

For I think, in spite of her denials to John, that she killed herself because she knew that she was trapped, though her vanity and her audacity held to the end.

"I knew I should have no trouble in making you believe that silly doll story," she said. "It was the truth, I knew, too, that the dick would read the code letter. She was so slow about it, that I had to steal it to make her do it. It was time, you see, for the gentle Danielle's story to be verified.

"Don't fancy that I had overlooked the matter of the handwriting. I'm not a fool. I thought of it before I killed the girl. There were a dozen ways I could have gotten around it—could yet get around it. If necessary, I could even have disabled my own right hand. I had rather planned, at first, to do that. But, later, I found that I loved my pretty little white hand better than I had supposed. Just as I have discovered that I loved the gay Gaby better than I had supposed—so well, indeed, that I have decided that death as Gaby is infinitely preferable to life as the shiny nosed Danielle. I have seen this coming. I have not cared.

"I got rid of that cur, Canneziano, not because I was afraid of him, but because he tried to double-cross me. I had promised to do much for him, after you and I were married; and he would have sold me out for a few thousand dollars. He came here, hoping that Danny might pay him a pretty sum for his silence about my past. He knew his muttons. She would have been fool enough to have done it; poor slain sister stuff; more to be pitied than blamed—all that, you know. He should have played with me, instead of against me. I had a few old scores to settle with him. Most of my rage about the money was because I had thought it would be such good fun to get the best of him. And I did—so that is all right. I hid in his room early that evening. It was frightfully amusing to watch him locking his door and his windows to make his sleep a safe one. It was. I did the job so neatly that he never woke at all.

"For that matter, it has all been amusing. You have all been such utter fools. But I am tired of it now. Oh, very tired. Particularly, I am tired of my cruel plan to destroy the gay Gaby by burying her alive. I am going now to do it in a swifter, kinder way."

Sam insists that her success, even for so short a time, is an indictment against all of us; that it shows that none of us was capable of looking deeper than clothes and face paint. I do not agree with him. Gabrielle was a professional actress. She had lived with Danny long enough to learn all her ways, her mannerisms, her habits in conversation. She did not dupe Chad, who loved her, and who was an expert in voices. She did not dupe Canneziano, who had known both of the girls all their lives.

The murder itself, by stupefying us all with horror, with fear, with suspicions, did much to help her. But without that dulling of our perceptions, I think that the imposture would have been successful. At the time of the murder, the two girls had

"I Am Going Now to Do It in a Swifter, Kinder Way."

been on the ranch with us less than two months. Strangers never get much deeper than surfaces in so short a time. There was nothing remarkable, it seems to me, about her being able, quite easily, to deceive all of us, with the single, glaring exception of John.

When John came home from Battail, on the fourth of July, he was faced with the apparent fact that Danny, in the course of a few hours, had changed essentially. That was what had bothered him so; what had made him jerk his head, and blink his eyes, and complain of a touch of sun. John had never recognized, much less admitted to himself, that there was the slightest similarity between the two girls. Consequently, in spite of a change, Danny must be Danny; she looked like Danny, she talked like Danny, and we all said that she was Danny. John believed.

He at once set the fact of Danny's change against the fact of Gaby's murder—and there he stuck fast; too loyal to go further; too dismayed to retreat. He did not believe that Danny had killed Gabrielle. He had known Danny too well to harbor such a belief. He was forced to believe that she knew who had done it. Consequently, her accusation of Sam could be nothing but a wicked accusation. Only—Danny could not be wicked.

The mystery was a torture which Danny's presence intensified abhorrently; so he avoided her; and, unable to blame her for anything, blamed himself and hated himself for his suspicions and for his failing loyalty. I'll venture, though it can be only a venture, that the realization of his interest in Miss MacDonald, and his inability to be rid of it, was another cause for John's befuddlement.

That interest, of course, has all disappeared for the present. Though he despised himself for it, John might have been untrue to a changed, living Danny; might, in the end, have jilted her meanly. John is male. But to a Danny who is no longer living, John, now, must always be true. John is young. I reckon he has fine honest plans for being faithful to her memory for the remainder of his life. Miss MacDonald is also young, and lovely, and heart whole. She has promised to come and visit us for a month next June.

Just now, with our thermometers at fifty below zero, and our chilblains burning, and the coyotes piercing the nights with their lank, long, frozen screeches, and the cold old owls always grieving forth their mournful "chuck-a-loo, whoo, whoo, whoo's" June looks mighty far away.

But, five fingers and a thumb, and she will be here, smelling of sunshine and tasting like smiles; painting our deserts with rainbow colors for us as far as the eyes can see; spreading sunsets that catch you right up into their midsts; offering dawns that share their youth with you and that make you believe all over again in things which you had long ago stopped believing. Now I don't know shucks about romance; but I have a notion that June, in our northeastern Nevada, stirs up whole batches of the stuff. I am counting on her to serve it, fresh and sweet, this year.

It isn't June, though, and it isn't romance that I am trusting for the final chore: it is something more lasting than either, something sturdier, something for which I cannot find a name. But I know that it is induced by a mixture of long years of right living, and clean thinking, and sanity, and courage; so I am expecting it to clear away the shadows from the Desert Moon and leave it, riding high as it used to ride, high and proud, a brave, shining thing in our valley.

[THE END.]

Roger Bacon First to Talk of Metal Airship

In the all-metal airship we see realized an eight-century-old Baconian project. In the Thirteenth century, says Domestic Air News, United States Department of Commerce, Roger Bacon, English philosopher and Franciscan friar, seems to have been the first to realize the principles of aerostation, if we discard Kircher and the legends.

Bacon wrote in glowing language on the possibility of constructing engines of immense size and power that could traverse the land and the water with great speed and carry with them persons and merchandise.

He proposed the construction of an aerial machine which "must be a large hollow globe of copper or other suitable material . . . filled with 'ethereal air or liquid fire' (some have claimed Bacon referred to rarefied air and hydrogen gas) and then launched from some elevated point into the atmosphere, where it will float like a vessel on the water."

There may be made, Bacon said, "flying machines so that a man sits in the midst of the machine revolving some engine by which artificial wings are made to beat the air like a flying bird."

The idea of the rigid airship may be traced from Bacon through Albertus da Saxonia (1350), Mendoza (1503-'75), Lana (1670), Goordin (1783), Delcourt (1824), Monge (1843), Giffard (1855), Spiess (1873), Bansset (1888), Schwartz (1897) to Zeppelin (1900), all of whom proposed metal for the hull.

Stone Revealed History

The famous Moabite stone, set up by Mesha, king of Moab, to commemorate his name and his victory over Israel, has thrown light on Bible history. And until not long before the World war, the name of Hezekiah outlasted well-nigh twenty-six centuries, unseen and unsuspected, upon the wall of the wonderful tunnel, one-third of a mile in length, that he carved through the rock beneath Jerusalem to connect the Virgin's spring with the pool of Siloam within his city walls.

Not Original With Lincoln

The saying, "You cannot fool all of the people, all of the time" is commonly attributed to Abraham Lincoln and also to P. T. Barnum, though it is not in their biographies. A little book published by A. Wessels company in 1903, "The Wisdom of Abraham Lincoln," gives this as a quotation from Lincoln's speech at Clinton, Ill., on September 8, 1858. It is quite likely that this was a proverb or popular saying long before he uttered it. A book of old English proverbs lists a similar saying: "No one is a fool always; every one sometimes."

Priceless Gavel

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MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Onamia—Tha Commercial Club held its annual banquet Wednesday. Officers were elacted.

Owatonna—William F. Sawyer, municipal court judge four years, has filed for re-election here.

Alexandria—George W. McCullough, gama and fish commissioner, addressed tha chamber of commerce here.

Windom—Last year, 1929, was a poor oue for the local five boys, they earning only $7.00 each per annum.

Wabasha—With seven filings already for county offices. Wabasha county expects to have a busy political year.

Little Falls—E. C. VanDusen has heen re-elected for his fifth term as soperintendent of tbe Little Falls public schools.

Caledonia—Otto Kohlmeyer was reelected presidaut of the Caledonia Cooparative Creamery at the annual meeting here.

Milltown—Cleyton C. Case, teacher was shot at bera and anothar teacher threetened hy a mysterious person leaving uo clues.

Alexandria — Alexandria's high school dehste teem won the district championship from Upsala at the local higb school debata hare.

Little Falls—Little Falls high school has been prasanted with a life sized hust of its most illustrious graduate, Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh.

Winona—Mrs. Ella Sleker, pioneer of this saction, observed her eighty-fifth hirthday at bome bere. Mrs. Sleker anjoys good health.

Ellendale—300 fethers and sons of Elleudale community gathered here for their ennual hanquat. Rev. Dr. J. E. Bowes of Albert Lea was the principsl speaker.

Minneapolis—Dr. Lotus D. Coffman, chaucellor of U. of M. was principel speeker at tha mid-winter convocation of George Washington uuiversity at Wesbingtou, D. C.

Walker—Roy Brinkman of Evaleth was convicted by a jury in District Court here of mansleughter in the first degree in the slaying of the mother of his divorced wifa.

Hastings—The proposal to reroute bighway No. 53 through Hastings was discussed at a public meeting bere. Repraseutatives of the state highway department ettended.

Owatonna—John McAndrews, former Owetounan, racantiy United States vice-consol at Bucharest, has become Uuited States dispatch agent with headquartars in London.

Waseca—More than 500 business, professioual end farm men and women attandad a goodwill dinner at the local community hall to partake in a dinner prepersd eutiraly from Waseca products.

Minnespolis—Fred Luebring has resigned as athlatic director at the University of Minuasota after bolding the positiou since the spring of 1922. H. O. "Fritz" Crislar, naw appointed foothall coech, will soccead to bis duties.

Litohfisld—Citizens are voting for the saveuth time ou where to locate a uew high school building to replace oue destroyed hy fire. Last May a boud issua of $225,000 was approved for the uew building.

Stillwater—For the sacond time, Martin Crowe, a sophomore of the Stillwater high school won the Lincoin trophy awarded hy Peder Gaalaas to the pupil who writes the best essay on Ahraham Lincoln.

Roohester—Four men allaged to hava maufactured counterfeit dollars aud balf-dollars and to have distributed tha coins in tha Twin Cities were arrested bere hy Frank Reilly, head of the northwestern secret service.

Little Falls—The Ten Thousand Lekes Fur Farms Corporation with its assets in receivership and affairs before a graud jury in Minneapolis, is named defandant in a mechanics lieu foreclosure case in Morrison County District Court.

Kenyon—North Star Creamery Compauy manufactured 1,168,020 pounds of hutter in 1929. Stockholdars adoptad a resolution asking merchauls here to ban tha sala of butter substitutes whila the farmars have agreed not to use suhstitutes.

Mankato—600 farmers, business men, professional men and others from Mankato and Blue Earth county, packad tha armory to celebrate the ninth annual stunt program sponsored by tha advertising forum of the Manketo Chamher of Commerce.

St. Paul—Charges that suhscribers of the Tri State Telephoue & Telegraph Co. were overcharged $1,204,076 during 1928 were made hy D. F. Jurganson, chlef angineer for the Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission, in a raport filed here.

Minneapolis—Newell F. Guernsey, landscape artist, sou of Mr. aud Mrs. A. J. Guernsey here, designed the grounds for the home of W. Leslie Haley in Sioux Falls, S. D., which has just won first prize in a uational yard and garden coutest. He is a city high school graduate.

St. Cloud—H. B. Otte of Melrose staried another term as president of the Central Minnesota Dairymen's and Creamery Operators Association.

Owatonna—F. Keen Young was elacted to succeed Fred C. Johnson as president of the Owatonna Country Cluh at the annual meeting of the directors here.

St. Peter—Students of Carleton, St. Olaf, Hamline, Macalester and St. Thomas, and Gustavus Adolphus college, here, engaged in their annual oratorical coutest of the Minnesota section, western division, of the Collegiate Oratorical Association, here.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in a certain mortgage, containg a power of sale, executed and delivered by Arminta Hooper and G. W. Hooper, her husband, of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, as mortgagors to the Crookston Building & Loan Association, a corporation, under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, and covering the following described property, situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lots One (1), Two (2), and Three (3) of Block One (1) of Ives' Addition to the Village of St. Hilaire, according to the recorded plat thereof, on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota.

Which mortgage is dated the 3rd day of March, 1922, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County of Pennington, Minnesota on the 29th day of March, 1922, at 8:00 o'clock A. M. and duly recorded in Book 70 of Mortgages, on Page 327; that no action or proceedings have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, and that the amount now due upon said mortgage is the sum of Seven Hundred Sixty-eight and 46-100 Dollars ($768.46) against which the mortgagors are entitled to credit of Three Hundred ninety-one and 79-100 Dollars ($391.79), the current value of seven (7) shares of capitol stock of the mortgagee, subscribed for by said mortgagors and forming a part of said transaction, leaving the amount actually due and claimed to be due and owing upon said mortgage at the date of this notice, the sum of Three Hundred Seventy-six and 67-100 Dollars ($376.67), and the further sum of Six Hundred ninety-six and 29-100 Dollars ($696.29), taxes paid by said mortgagee, making a total of One Thousand seventy-two and 96-100 Dollars ($1,072.96), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon said mortgage.

NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale and the statute in such cases made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, by the sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 29th day of March, 1930, at 10:00 o'clock, in the forenoon of that day at the East front door of the Pennington County Court House in the city of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, to pay said debt, together with the said taxes and interest thereon, and the costs and disbursements of these proceedings, together with Fifty Dollars ($50.00) attorney's fees, stipulated in and by said mortgage.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1930.

Crookston Building & Loan Association
A Corporation,
Mortgagee

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Mortgagee
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
F13-M20

Stock and Poultry Meals

We have on hand a big supply of Cottonseed meal, Oil meal, etc., for stock use.

And we have Bone meal, Meat scraps, Oyster shells and Limestone "Shellmaker" for poultry.

Don't forget to order a sack of Dakota Maid

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Snappy Get-away

For satisfactory winter driving much depends on the kind of gas you use. For quick starting we recommend

KOOLMOTOR

We also have the right crankcase oil and grease that will make your motor function as it should during cold weather. See us orall kinds of oils.

Young's Service Station

Hazel News

Miss Lilly Gunstad visited at the Adrian Anderson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Knutson and daughter Arlene, visited at the Gilhertson home Sunday.

Wm. Gilbertson left Monday for Warroad where he will spend a few days visiting with his sister, before returning to White Bear Sask. Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and Mrs. Ole Odegaard motored to Thief River Falls Saturday where they attended a meeting for all county school board members. The meeting was held in the court rooms and the duties of school officers was the main item of discussion.

Woodrow Wilson who is attending the Training Department in Thief River Falls, is practice teaching in the Busy Bee school of Hazel these two weeks beginning Feb. 24 and ending March 10.

A group of friends gathered at the Erling Prestby home Tuesday in honor of the birthday of Mrs. Prestby. Those present were Mrs. C. Prestby and children Edna, Floyd, Phyllis and Lucille, Mrs. O. Odegaard and children Harvey and Rueben.

Misses Annie Anderson and Mae Kenney were supper guests at the home of Mrs. Aug. Swanson Tuesday evening of last week. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kenney of Thief River and daughter Ellen, Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnson and children Doris, Donald and Helen, and Mr. Frank Johnson. These friends and relatives helped Mrs. Swanson in celebrating her birthday.

A group of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Lokken Tuesday afternoon in honor of her birthday. Those present were Mrs. O. Odegaard, Mrs. Adrian Anderson, Lillian, Gladys and Helen Alherg.

Saturday night a surprise party was held at the C. Finstad home the event heing the celebration of their wooden wedding anniversary. The main part of the entertainment was a mock wedding scene. Oscar Hauske acted as the hride, while Edwin Huseby took the part of the groom. Martin Finstad and Gust Gustafson were the, brides-maid and best man, Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg were the parents of the hride. Mr. Helmer Finstad acted minister. The train hearer was Helen Alherg; ring hearer Lillian Alherg and flower girl Gladys Alherg. Mr. and Mrs. Finstad were presented with a suitable gift, in honor of the occasion at the close of the evening.

Mr. Gust Gustafson, Helmer Finstad, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Peterson and children Bobby and Lois were callers at the C. Alberg home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Olof Smitting were callers at the Ole Odegaard home Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Seeland and son Omar visited at the Ole Thune home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Seeland and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson were Sunday callers at the C. Alberg home.

Mr. Nels Nelson and son Norman motored to Warren Sunday to visit with Mrs. Nelson who is at the hospital there. Mrs. Nelson is expected home Friday or Saturday of this week.

Mr. O. Peterson and son of Thief River and Annie Alherg motored to Hazel Sunday and returned in the evening. Annie Alherg will stay at the O. Peterson home while Mrs. Peterson recovers from her recent operation at the hospital of Thief River Falls.

THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday morning at 10:30 at the Black River church.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, March 2
Services as follows:
St. Hilaire, 11:00 A. M. Norw.
Sunday school at 10:00
Lenten service in American language at 8:00 P. M.
Oakridge. 2:00 P. M.
All are welcome.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening services 8:00.

Origin of Popular Phrase?

But enough of this; there is such a variety of game springing np before me, that I am distracted in my choice, and know not which to follow. It is sufficient to say, according to the proverb, that bere is God'a plenty.—Dryden, "Tha Canterbury Pilgrims."

Mail Order Molars

Nobody says "false teeth" any more. Even "artificial teeth" is rather bad form. If you want to be jocosa and hearty about tt yon can asy "store teeth," but the most elegant and nice way is to talk about "plates."—American Magazine.

Beehive Population

The number of bees in the average bive during the time of storing surplus bouey is between 50,000 and 75,000. During the fall and early winter the colony decreases in number and by spring it is usually reduced to 10,000 or 15,000.

Health Hint

It is a wise bealth measure to see that the automobile you drive or babitually rida in is free from defects. The proper adjustment of the brakes is most important. To be careless in these matters is to invite injury and even death.

Began Great Industry

The meat-packing industry la said to have begun lu the Seventeenth century in New England, where large quantities of pork were packed in barrels for foreign trade.

Weigh Words Carefully

For oue word a man is often deemed to be wise, and for one word ha is often deemed to be foolish. We ought to be careful indeed what we aay.—Confucius.

The Really Great Thing

I find the great thing in this world is not so much where we stand as in what direction we are moving.—Oliver Wendell Holmes.

Danger in Any Lie

Every lie, great or small, is the brink of a precipice, the depth of which nothing but omniscience can fathom.—Reade.

Make Own Viewpoint

We view the world with our own eyes, each of us, and we make from within us the world which we see.—Thackeray.

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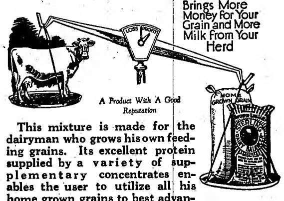

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Northrup, King & Co.'s
Sterling Dairy Balancer
Feed Your Own Grain with it

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N. Benoit, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Incurablo

Poetry which e London (England) woman heord over the radio drove her to suicide, her husband declares. But it is mncb to be doubted thot this drastic reproach will core the poet.

Brought Home Rich Cargoes

The bottered ships of the famous Magellon expedition returned to Spain loaded olmost to the gonwale with precious spices, the greatest prize of the first trip around the world.

Diet Rule

An ancient Greek rule of diet was this: Thin people should take little food and it should ba fot; fat people should take much food and it should be lean.

Clear Norwegian Fiords

The water is so clear in the fiords of Norway that objects an inch and a half in diameter can be seen distinctly at a depth of 150 feet.

Personal Property Taxes Due

Personal property taxes for the current year are now due and payable.

Payments must be made before March, 1st, to avoid payment of penalty.

John Gullingsrud, Co. Treas.
Pennington County, Minn.

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

URGE PROTECTION OF GAME SUPPLY

Conference Points Out Danger to Wild Life.

New York.—Several hundred authorities on the kinds and ways of four-footed and winged game and allied subjects gathered at the recent meeting of the Sixteenth American Game conference here. The results of investigations and observations on the wild life of forests, fields and streems were presented to the conference.

Seth E. Gordon, former executive secretary of the Pennsylvania game commission, reported that there are 7,500,000 licensed hunters in the United States. These sportsmen, he stated, annually spend not less than $150,000,000 for firearms, ammunition, equipment, guides, transportation and other incidental items. Hunting licenses cost gunners another $10,000,000. Approximately 25,000,000 acres of land have been set aside for wild life refnges, Mr. Gordon stated.

The urgent need for the extension of protected game areas and public honting grounds was made apparent when Aldo Leopold, who is directing a nationel game survey, pointed out thot 100,000,000 acres of land in the central states have heen shorn of the required winter cover for quail, pheasants, prairie chickens, Hungarian partridges, rabbits and other game. In the stetes referred to, as in others, intensive and modern farming practices have operated to the detriment of furred end feathered game.

"The posted land problam is now a serious factor in balf of the states of the Union, and is becoming more difficult every year," an anthority asserted. Dete on the subject from 38 states was summarized. Twenty-one states reported that 33 1-3 per cent of all privately owned land within their boundories is now posted against huoters, and the practice is growing at an alarming rate.

George D. Pratt, president of the American Forestry association, pointed to the fect thet "there are three phases of outdoor life which are very closely releted—forests, game and recreetion. Without the forests many specimens of game could not exist, und unless the geme animals are in the forests, thousands of peopla would feel no incentive to go there. The angler finds relief from tha grind of every-dey living when he enters the woods to fish, bnt unless fish are in the streems be is unlikely to go. In other words. our forests lose much of their ettractiveness and usefulness when they are without the presence of wild life."

Although the consensus of those perticipating in the American Game conference was that any community thet wants game may have it, there wee no inclination to sidestep tha obvious fact that game authorities must have the unstiuted support of all sportsmen if conditions are to be improved or even maintained.

Beet Sugar Industry

There are 102 beet sugar factories, located in 17 states, some of them the largest and finest in the world. Farmers are paid from $40,000,000 to $60,000,000 yeerly for the beet crop.

Virtue Imperative

But whot is liberty without wisdom, and without virtue? It is the greatest of ell possible evils; for it is folly, vice and medness without tuition or restraint.—Burke.

River News

Miss Mable Swanson spent Monday afternoon at the Geo. Hesse home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bustad spent Tuesday evening at the Burstad Bros home.

Mr. Victor Erickson left Tuesday afternoon to spent a few days with hie brother Ollie Erickson of Crookston. Victor returned home Friday.

Mr. Albert Hager and Fred Ulrich were Red Lake Falls business vistors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ewing and sons and Miss Lillian Norman spent Tuesday evening at the Gust Peterson home.

Wm. Rinkenberger has commenced moving his property to the Tice Farm formally occupied by Lem Dobson.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hesse are the parents of a boy born Thursday, Feb, 20. Mother and child are doing fine.

On Thursday afternoon Feb 20, the mothers of District 236 gathered at the school to help the pupils observe Lincoln and Washington birthdays. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent by all after which a delicious lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ulrich spent Sunday at home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas Seeger.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wilson were Sunday guests at the E. H. Stephens home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Erickson motored up from Crookston and were Sunday guests at the A. A. Erickson home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Erdmann spent Monday at the Chas Seeger home.

The pupils of Dist 236 enjoyed a short vacation on account of the illness of Miss Norman teacher.

Washington's First Portrait

Charles Wilson Peale made the earliest portrait of George Washington. Altogether he made fourteen likenesses of Washington, the earliest of which represents him in the uniform of a Virginia colonel. It is the only one in existence of those painted before the Revolution.

Schoolroom Comfort

It is expert opinion that the ideal schoolroom is 32 feet long and 23 feet wide, to provide comfortable room for abont 30 children. A width of more than 23 feet is not desirable, because the row of seats farthest from the windows will not receive proper illumination.

Clams Grow Slowly

From two to four years are required for clams to grow to edible size. The exact time depends on food conditions, temperature of the water and climate. Some clams living under ideal conditions become edible in a year's time.—Boston Herald.

Enlightenment

An enlightened mind is not hoodwinked; it is not shut up in a gloomy prison till it thinks the walls of its own dungeon the limits of the universe and the reach of its own chain the outer verge of infiniteness.—Longfellow.

5 DEAD AND 60 HURT IN BLAST

Sheets of Flame Envelope and Blind Workers as Alcohol Plant Explodes.

Elizabeth, N. J.—Five men were killed, 60 injured and more than a score critically in a gas explosion at the Bayway refinery plant of the Standard Oil Co. Most of the injured were hurned about the face and hands, and doctors said some would lose their eyesight. A statement by J. Raymond Carrigan, general manager of the plant, said the hlast was caused by the rupture of "a gas line." A number of the injured men reported seeing a "blue vapor" escaping from the alcohol plant hefore the sheet of flame enveloped them. Most of those injured were hricklayers, pipe fitters and carpenters, working on a huilding under construction two feet from the alochol plant. None could tell what happened. One said he turned at the sound of the explosion, to see "everybody afire" and "running or falling from the scaffolds." Tha explosion came abont an hour before quitting time ou the new building. One of the men helieved the gas would have heen carried eway hy the wind if it had not reached a forge full of glowing coals nsed for heating rivets.

Town Wrecked by Flood Comes Back.

Harriman, Tenn.—This little Tennessee town, dealt a near-death blow hy a flood which took 20 lives and wrecked residences and wiped out manufacturing plants in March, 1929, has come beck in 9 months. All of the factories except two have heen rehuilt and a new million dollar plant has heen erected. Postoffice receipts and hank deposits gained in 1929 despite a poor peach crop, one of the principel farm assets of the town's territory.

Flyer Forced to Leap 2,000 Feet.

Alameda, Calif.—Dragged from the cold waters of San Francisco bay after e 2,000 foot parachute leap, Roy Hunt, instructor for the Curtis-Wright company, lived to carry on his work here. Hunt jumped from his plane after the wing had collapsed. His parachute opened quickly. James Hennessey and Bartlett Stephens, pilots of the amphibian of the Air Ferries, Ltd., halted on their regular run to lift him from the water.

3 Ministers Held, Still Seized.

Eldoredo, Ark.—Four men, two whites and two Negroes, three of them ministers, were arrested in e raid in which officers said the most complete distilling plant ever seen in this county was confiscated. The still, the officers said, was located in a ravine 12 miles north of Eldorado and was flanked on either side by vats containing approximetely 1,000 gellons of mesh. A 200-gallon still was brought here.

Shipping Board to Close Offices.

Washington—The United States shipping hoard announced it would on March 15 discontinue its local effices in eight cities and efter that dote wonld transact its husiness in those cities through other agencies. The cities are Minneapolis, Memphis, Kansas City, Cincinnati, Chicago, St. Louis, Detroit end Pittsburgh. In 1929 the shipping board lost $16,000,000 end it is expected that it will lose $10,000,000 in 1930.

Warns Against Counterfeit $20 Bills.

Washington—The treasury department has detected another counterfeiting of the new small paper currency, it wes reported here. A warning was issued against imitations of the new $20 federal reserve note. The counterfeit was said to he of the same workmanship as the recently detected counterfeit $10 federal reserve note.

3 Dead, 3 Burned in Wisconsin Fire.

Racine, Wis.—Three children of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Christensen were burned to deeth and their parents and one other child were hurned seriously in a fire which destroyed their homs here, while at Owen Sound, Ont., trapped in their blazing farm bome, Mrs. Roy Lonsway and her two children were hurned to death.

Canada O. K.'s Airplane Rum Export.

Windsor, Ont.—Airplanes carrying liqnor for export from Canada legally may leave any airport where a customs officer is stationed so long as the cargo is properly inspected, it was announced. Several planes reported as carrying liqnor over the line have heen captured recently in Canada.

Cotton Growers Cut Acreage.

Washington — Cotton growers in southern Texas, following the advice of the federal farm board, are reducing acreage to he planted, Carl Williams, cotton member of the board, announced.

Oil Man Adopt Marketing Code.

Minneapolis, Minn.—An oil and gasoline dealers' code of ethics, an agreement hetween the federal government and dealers designed to regulate marketing practice, was adopted at the annual convention of Northwest Petroleum Association.

Drug Parley May Probe Charges.

New York — Corruption charges against the local narcotic bureau by the federal grand jury were expected to come hefore the world conference on narcotics at its meeting here.

1930 Whippet
AMERICA'S LOWEST PRICED 4-DOOR SEDAN
NOW $585 F.O.B. TOLEDO, O.
With roomier bodies ...... full force-feed lubrication .... silent timing chain ... high compression motor.. .."Finger-Tip Control"
R. A. Young St. Hilaire, Minn.

Wyandotte News

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Evenson and family visited Sunday afternoon at the O. J. Peterson home.

Frank and Helmer Berg visited at the John Albin home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Emma Samuelson visitsd at the home of Mrs. J. Albin Monday.

Melvin and Eddie Hanson called at the P. Kolseth home Thursday afternoon.

Misses Dorthy, Lavora and Myron Sumpter visited Sunday afternoon at the O. E. Wilson home.

Miss Margaret Bergh spent the week-end at the Sumpter home.

Rev. Dahle visited Sunday at the O. E. Wilson home.

Misses Harriet Bruggeman, Selma Wilsou and Laura Schack of the Plummer High School, Marie Kolseth of St. Hilaire High School spent the week-end at their respective homes.

Miss Marie Peterson spent the week-end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Peterson.

Lillian and Frank Berg visited at the J. Alberg home, Monday.

Skiing in History

In northern Europe skiing is older than history, bnt the sport is chiefly counected with Norway. In their earliest wars on record ski-runners were employed as messengers and references to them can be found in old sagas.

Narcotic Grass

Sleepy grass is a grass which produces a narcotic effect, particularly when horses eat it. Cattle are not affected to any marked degree and sheep scarcely at all. In this country the grass is found in the southwest.

Sound Advice

Solon gave the following advice: "Consider your honor as a gentleman of more weight than an oeth. Never tell a lie. Pay attention to matters of importance."—Diogenes Laertius (circa 200 A. D.). "Solon."

Dispute Over Famous Map

The existence of the original Toscanelli map that Columbus used during his voyage is doubted at the present time. Some authorities claim that such a map was never given to Columbus.

Puzzled Bobby

Little Bobby (studying hymn book) —Auntie, why does the little saint sit on Satan's knee? The hymn says, "And Satan trembles when he sees the weakest saint upon his knees."

Look These Over

Money--Saving Prices

Jello, 3 pkgs.	.21
Hersheys cocoa	.16
4 lb. pail raspberry jelly	.40
Bartlett pears, large can, 3 for	.80
Campbells beans, medium size, 3 cans	.25
Corn, reg. 15 cent, 3 cans	.40
Tomatoes, reg. 15 cents, 3 cans	.40
Sauer kraut, reg. 15 cents, 3 cans	.40

Our hosiery assortment is sure to satisfy you

Anklets, per pair 15, 25 and	.50
Mens' fancy hose, pair 15, 25 and	.50
Boys' dress hose, pair	.25
Ladies' mercerized hose, slightly seconds, per pair 18c or 2 for	.35

Our $1.60 ladies' silk hose is a most pleasing number. Carried in five colore

M. H. Jackson
General Merchandiee
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Independents Organize

More than 40 independent merchants and businessmen at Crookston met recently and organized a chapter of the Merchants Minute Men, an organization formed for the purpose of carrying on an educational campaign against chain stores. Similar chapters are being formed all over the country. The independents propose to use advertising--a hitherfore neglected ally--in putting across their message to the buying public why it should patronize home owned establishments.

Perfect Medium

Simplicity is the exact medium between too little and too much.—Reynolds.

Grain in Wood and Ice

As to whether ice has a grain the same as wood is a dehetable question and wonld depend on whether the block of ice were a crystal or a group of crystals. When a sharp instrument is forced into ice and the block makes a clean hreak, as it will do, this is because the cleavage will follow the line of least resistance between the ice crystals, which would indicate that ice has no grain.

Guilty or Not

Many a married man never passes a mail box without feeling in his pockets.—Great Bend (Kan.) Tribune.

In Need of Repairs

Some people who claim to have open minds ought to close up for a while for repairs.—Altoona Mirror.

Jokes on Marriage

Jokes on marriage are funny only to those who are not married.—Chicago News.

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Shirley Hall Called

Shirley Alice Hall, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall, former residents of this village, and who now reside at St. Paul, died at 10:30 Sunday morning at St. Joseph's hospital in that city after a brief illness, death being caused by Bright's disease and pneumonia. Taken ill Wednesday, her condition was not thought serious until Saturday when pneumonia developed and she was taken to the hospital.

The above is the gist of extremely sad tidings that reached here Monday. Local friends of the Hall family were unaware Shirley was even ill, so announcement of her death came as a shock to the people here. A bright, winsome child, Shirley was a favorite with everyone here where she spent most of her childhood.

Shirley was born at Grygla on June 5th, 1917 and would have been 13 years of age next June. While her parents resided here, Shirley attended the local school, and took prominent parts in affairs with children of her age.

A large circle of local friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hall mourn with them in their sad loss, and heartfelt sympathy of everyone in this community is extended to them in their time of trial and sorrow.

Funeral services were held Tuesday from the Listoe & Wold funeral home at St. Paul, and interment took place in that city.

The Essay Contest

Since announcement of the Red River Dairymen's Quality Cream essay contest, many application blanks have been turned in without essays. Applications MUST have essays attached. Rule 8 also calls for name of the creamery which churns the contestant's cream, whether it be a local or distant creamery. Everybody taking part in this contest should read all rules carefully to avoid having their papers returned.

Basketball Tournament

The 1930 sub-district basketball tournament will be held today and tomorrow at the Auditorium at Thief River Falls. Middle River and St. Hilaire will play at 8:00 this evening, and winner of this game will try conclusions with the Thief River team at same hour tomorrow evening. The district tournament will be held at Thief River a week later, March 13 and 14.

Call New Minister

At a recent meeting of the members of the Clara, Black River and St. Hilaire Swedish Lutheran churches, a call was extended to Rev. Clarence Anderson of Crosby, Minn., to succeed Rev. A. F. Nelson who plans to retire from active work in the ministry the coming summer. Should Rev. Anderson accept the call, he will be here about June 1st.

Enumeration Districts In Pennington County

The Census Bureau has divided Pennington County into 13 enumeration districts as follows:

A--Black River and Sanders
B--Bray, Numedal and Polk Center
C--Clover Leaf, Kratka and Mayfield
D--Deer Park and Hickory
E--Goodridge Township and Village and Highlanding.
F--Norden and North
G--Reiner and Star
H--River Falls, St. Hilaire and Wyandotte
I--Silverton and Smiley
J--Wards 1 and 4 of Thief River Falls

Rocksbury township and the 2nd and 3rd wards of Thief River Falls are each separate enumeration districts.

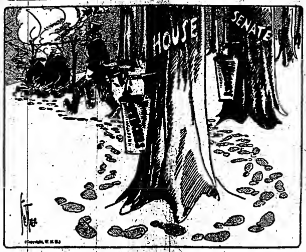
Enumerators in the city will get 4c per capita, in the villages 5c per capita and in the country districts 8c per capita except in Bray, Goodridge, Numedal, Polk Center and Reiner where the pay will be 10c per capita on account of the territory being sparcely settled. 60c will be paid for farm schedules except in the sparcely settled townships named above where the rate will be 70c.

Besides the questions asked 10 years ago, the enumerators will want to know whether you are unemployed and whether you own a radio. All enumerators are sworn to secrecy and the facts secured are not to be made public individually but used as units in arriving at the national inventory of people and property.

The Census of Population begins on April 2 and it is expected most of the enumerators will be named about the middle of March.

You are assured of positive performance in Tiger 3 Cycle Batteries --$1.50 allowance for old battery. A written warranty with every battery. 13 plate regular $6.39 exchange price. Gamble Stores.

Lots of Sap



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Yesterday was the first day of Lent.

For Sale:- Two purebred Ayrshire bull calves. Call on or address Chr. Kruse, Sr, R1, Wylie, Minn. M6tf

The Y. P. S. of the Evang. Mission church, will be entertained at the Alf. Dahlstrom home Friday, March 7th.

Mrs. Effie Rolland has leased the the Ole Anderson house on north Water street and will occupy it soon.

A. Mandt, of Goodridge, has leased the St. Hilaire Garage from Erickson Bros and will re-open the place in a few days.

New car owners as well as mechanics can afford this 40-piece wrench set. 500 possible combinations--only $3.89. Gamble Stores.

With northern Minnesota and North Dakota blanketed by snow to depth of eighteen inches to two feet, there is no question but what "March came in like a lion".

Miss Cora Helgoe returned Tuesday to her home at Halstad after spending a month here at the R. L. Hauge and Otto Johnson homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hauge and son, Russell, motored up Thursday from Fosston for a brief visit at home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hauge. They returned home the same day.

Several parties in this community reported seeing crows last week. Tho arriving a little earlier than present weather conditions would warrant, these harbingers of spring are welcome, more now in fact, than they will be later on.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veterinarian, who has been engaged in area testing work in Marshall county the past two weeks, made a trip down here Monday. He has finished his area testing work, and expects to make his regular visits here from now on.

Pete Larson returned home Saturday after spending about a year at and in vicinity of Spokane, Wash. He was employed at the Glacier National Park until last December, and since then has been at different places in eastern Washington. He says there was no evidence of snow on the return trip until near the Dakota-Montana line.

A meeting of the school board was held Tuesday evening.

Supt. E. Reiersgord, John Costain and Miss Freistad went Friday to Moorhead, returning Sunday on the bus.

County Agent Robert Douglas was down yesterday from Thief River attending to work in connection with his office.

Albert Aase, who moved here last fall to operate the mechanical end of the garage, departed last week with his family for his former home at Thief River.

A meeting of the Mens' Club was held Tuesday evening in the basement at the Norwegian Lutheran church. A very interesting program was given.

What a lot of dollars in car value can be ruined by a worn out radiator. Guaranteed Radiators for all cars. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

A delegation from here motored to Thief River yesterday afternoon to attend to the class in Parent-Teacher work held at the Auditorium last evening. A six o'clock dinner was given at the Hotel Evelyn prior to the meeting.

The Dorcas Society meets Saturday, March 8 at 2:30 P. M., in the Norwegian Lutheran church parlors. Mrs. K. Kolstad and Mrs. Loberg entertain. All welcome.

Jacob Reek, the stock buyer, motored Tuesday to his home at Erskine to look after matters of business before making another shipment of livestock from here next Saturday.

Trunk and state highways thruout this section are open to auto traffic after the heavy snowfall last week. Altho the roads were drifted two feet in places, auto traffic was not held up on the trunk roads.

Norman Olsen, manager of the creamery at Leonard, was here Wednesday night last for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olsen, while enroute home after attending the district creamery meeting held at Thief River.

Shipments of goods are arriving daily now, both by freight and by truck, for the new Hunts hardware store. Interior refinishing in the building is now completed; the drug store fixtures have been removed, and stocking of the new store is going forward rapidly.

Seventh Whist Meeting

Despite blockaded roads in the country districts, which prevented some people getting in, a fine session of the whist tournament was held Monday evening with seventy six players taking part. Luck favored the Pink forces at this gathering. That side took a comfortable lead in the first round, and maintained it to the end. Bob Helmkay won the prize for having highest individual score.

After the games, the Blues enjoyed lunch at Bob's Coffee Shop, while the Pinks gathered for their refreshments at the Blue Parrot Inn.

Regular weekly meeting will be held again next Monday evening, and final meeting of the series will take place the following Monday, March 17. A big feed is being planned for the final meeting, and it is hoped that roads will be in such condition by that time that all who have previously played in the tournament may be present.

P. T. A. Meeting, Mar. 11

The Parents and Teachers meeting will be held on Tuesday evening March 11th, at 8 p. m. The following program will be given:

Selection	Male Quartet
Paper	Mrs. Harry Winter
Paper	Mrs. T. M. Skatrud
Trombone Duet	Wm. Peterson and E. N. Reiersgord
Paper	E. N. Reiersgord
Selection	Male Quartet

Accept Cemetery Offer

At a meeting of the village council held Monday evening, a resolution was passed accepting the offer of the Swedish Lutheran church of this village, to transfer the cemetery east of town to the village. Actual transfer will take place as soon as the necessary papers are prepared. It is planned to make some improvements at the burial ground the coming summer.

Town Elections, Mar. 11th

Annual spring elections in the various townships will be held Tuesday, March 11th, this year. A few of the townships in this part of the county have adopted the Austrailian system of balloting this season, but a majority still have the caucus plan.

William Crown Dies

William Crown, chief of police at Thief River Falls for several years until illness compelled him to relinquish that position last fall, died at his home in that city Monday night. He suffered a stroke last fall and had not been in best of health since. Deceased, who was a World War veteran, was raised on a farm in Black River community west of here, and grew to manhood in this locality. After his army service, Mr. Crown was associated with Richard Larson in the mercantile business in this village. After leaving here, he and family located at Thief River which has since been his home.

Mr. Crown was very well known all over this section, and he had a host of friends who will mourn his death.

Mr. Crown is survived by his widow and five minor children, the youngest of which is only a year old. He is also survived by his father, four brothers and one sister, all of whom reside in this section.

Heartfelt sympathy of numerous friends in Black River community and St. Hilaire is extended to the bereaved family in their sad loss.

According to information received here, funeral services are to be held Friday afternoon at Thief River.

25 Years Ago

Miss Tessie L. Hughes was confined to her room from a nervous attack brot on by overwork.

P. G. and L. G. Otterness were here looking after affairs of their brother, the late Nels Otterness.

Prof. A. Onstad was up from Red Lake Falls giving instructions to the band boys.

Ole Toreson, of Bray township, was to have an auction. He was going to retire from farming.

Martin McAndress was moving a house he had erected on his reservation land. Thru a mistake, the house was built across the line on an adjoining quarter.

Fire originating from the generator of the gas lighting system at the Otterness & Edstrom store did several hundreds of dollars worth of damage to building and stock.

Charley Fellman was breaking a yoke of oxen to use on his claim that year. The breaking process was affording no small amount of entertainment for everybody in town.

Making The Grade

Financial assistance at the right time has paved the way to independence for many people in this community. During the past quarter century, the Old Reliable has assisted many people this way, and, always has funds on hand to assist anysound enterprise.

If you do not have a checking or savings account with us, start one now.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

Use More Butter

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By using liberally of the product on which this dairying section depends for its success, you are not only helping to stabilize the butter market, but you are assisting in the upbuilding of your own community.

As a "breadspread" nothing can compare wth butter.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

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My Favorite Stories
by Irvin S. Cobb

A Small Tale About a Large Nose

A NEW YORK playwright, famous for a gift of sardonic humor, was invited one evening to join an after-theater party at one of the Broadway cafes.

The prospective host told him he would be expected to pay some attention to a lady friend of his—the host's—fiancee.

The dramatist was wary. He remembered that more than once he had been called in at the eleventh hour to fill this role.

"Tell me something about this girl," he said. "Is she good-looking or is she one of those total losses?"

"Well," admitted his friend, "she isn't exactly what I'd call a raving beauty, but she's awfully nice—good company and all that sort of thing, you know."

"Yes, I know," said the playwright mournfully. "Well, for your sake I'll take a chance."

When he reached the appointed rendezvous at midnight, his worst fears were justified. Sitting at a table with his friend and his friend's sweetheart, was an exceedingly dumb-looking young women. Her most outstanding feature—and in this connection the word "feature" advisedly is used—was an enormous hook nose. To the dismayed eyes of the new arrival it loomed as the largest nose he had ever seen affixed to a human countenance. So, before joining the party, he fortified himself copiously from the contents of his pocket flask.

Presently, somewhat groggy but bearing himself with all proper dignity, he approached the group and introductions took place. With some slight difficulty he seated himself. His fascinated gaze meanwhile fixed upon the nose of his appointed vis-a-vis.

An embarrassing little pause followed. Nobody seemed to have anything to say. It was the befuddled dramatist who broke the silence. Bending forward and addressing the stranger, he said politely:

"I beg your pardon, but do you smell anything dead around here?"

"Why, no," she said.

"Well, then," he continued, with an air of finality, "there can't be anything dead around here."

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Wyandotte News

Lillian and Frank Berg and Carl Kolseth visited at the J. Albin home Thursday evening.

Misses Harriette Bruggeman and Marie Peterson visited at the Pete Kolseth home Sunday.

The board of this township met Tuesday at the Finstad home.

There is a report of crows having been seen in this community so perhaps spring is here.

H. L. Bruggeman called at the P. Kolseth home Sunday evening.

Harriette Bruggeman and Selma Wilson of Plummer and Marie Kolseth of St. Hilaire spent the week-end at their respective homes homes here and returned Sunday afternoon to resume their studies in the high school.

Mrs. P. W. Peterson, Anna and Wallace Erickson visited at Ole Hanson home Monday afternoon.

Frank and Elvin Peterson called at Henry Sandberg home Friday evening.

Anna and Elvin Peterson and Wallace Erickson visited at the J. E. Peterson home Sunday afternoon.

Selma, Alvina and Goodwin Wilson visited Sunday afternoon at the Mrs. N. Berg home.

Coeds Wonder What Kind of Girl Men Like

Madison, Wis.—University of Wisconsin coeds are up in arms because a prominent fraternity man has said that a girl to be popular must not smoke, drink, or neck.

The controversy arose after a questionnaire appeared in the Daily Cardinal, student newspaper, on the subject: "What kind of girls do college men like to date, and if so, why do they always go out with the other kind."

Men don't seem to know what they want, one coed wailed. "A girl shouldn't drink, smoke, or neck, but do many men date those who don't?"

"If a girl acts sweet and simple, she is too naive. If she is sophisticated they think she is throwing the dog, and if she tries to be just natural, she's considered prosaic."

As a counter attack, another coed presented a list of qualifications demanded in a man by herself.

"He need not be handsome or a 'W' man, or a well-known campus figure," she explained. Neatness in dress and general good taste, a good heart, gentlemanliness, and ambition are much more important. He must admire intelligence in women and date them for companionship and not merely for a good necking party."

Human "Crops"

There is a cropping time in the races of men as in the fruits of the field; and sometimes, if the stock be good, there springs up for a time a succession of splendid men; and then comes a period of barrenness.—Aristotle.

Age of Combines

"This merger thing has become a national problem," remarked a local economist, as he picked up the wrong fork to tackle a pear, pineapple, cheese and walnut salad.—Detroit News.

Woman's Superiority

However dull a woman may be, she will understand all there is in love; however intelligent a man may be, he will never know but half of it.—Madame Fee.

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)ss.
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON)
IN DISTRICT COURT
FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
Gus O. Kratt,
Plaintiff,)
vs.)
Augusta Olson; Gustav J. Melum (also known as Gust M. Mallom); A. M. Holtan (also known as Anton M. Holtan); Laura Holtan, a widow (also known as Laura Holton); First Minneapolis Trust Company (formerly Minneapolis Trust Company), as Trustee under the last will and testament of Anton M. Holtan, deceased; Mary L. McDonald; The Liberty State Bank of Minneapolis; Priscilla R. Biedermann (also known as Precilla Biederman); Jacob Biedermann; John Leonard; John Arnold Leonard; Mathilda Leonard; Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls; The Empire Farms Company; and all other persons who claim to have any interest in or lien upon the premises, or on any part of the premises described in the complaint in this action.) SUMMONS
Defendants.)

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS:

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in the above entitled action which has been filed in the office of the clerk of said court and to serve a copy of your answer thereto upon the subscriber at his office in the city of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service.

If you fail to answer the complaint within such time the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded therein.

J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Office and Post Office Address,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

NOTICE OF LIS PENDENS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an action has been commenced in this Court by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendants.

This action is brought under Section 2188, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1923 for the purpose of having the Court adjudge the Plaintiff to be the owner in fee of all of the hereinafter described premises, and that defendants or either of them have no estate or interest therein or lien thereon, or on any part of the said premises hereinafter described.

The premises affected by said action are situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows:

FIRST—The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Seventeen (17) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Two (152), North of Range Forty-Two (42), excepting two acres in the Southeast (SE) corner thereof; described in Deed recorded in Book 21 of Deeds, page 263 in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota.

SECOND—The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-Four (24) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Four (154), North of Range Forty-One (41), West, excepting Railroad right of way as now located thereon.

THIRD—The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Nine (9) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Two (152), North of Range Forty-Two (42), West.

FOURTH—The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-Five (25) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Four (154), North of Range Forty-One (41), West.

FIFTH—The South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½ NE¼) and Lots One (1) and Two (2) of Section Five (5) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Three (153), North of Range Forty-One (41), West.

SIXTH—The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Eighteen (16) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Three (153), North of Range Forty-Five (45), West.

Dated January 24th, 1930.
J. M. Bishop,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Office and Postoffice Address,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. M-6-20

Envoy to Sign Court Protocol.

Washington—President Hoover has authorized the signing of the protocol of adherence to the permanent court of international justice, containing the Root formula for American entry into the world court. Signing of the formula, together with that of the protocol of signature of the statute of the court and the protocol of revision of the statutes of the court, will take place at Geneva, the state department announced.

Nine Dead in Prison Riot.

Auburn, N. Y.—Chief keeper G. A. Dunford, and eight convicts are dead as the result of the worst prison rebellion in New York State. The riot was ended by state troops who stormed the convicts with cold lead and gas bombs. The warden, held as a hostage was badly gassed, but will recover. Rioting convict leaders face death penalty.

Business on 13-Month Calendar Plan.

Chicago—Sears, Roebuck & Co., Chicago mail order house have announced that, effective January 1, it would put its business on the newly advocated 13-month calendar plan.

Dry Slayer Voted Hospital Expense.

Chicago—Deputy Sheriff Roy E. Smith, shot by Gerald De King, 12, after he had killed the boy's mother, during a liquor raid, has been voted $2,004.50 by the Kane county supervisors to pay for hospital and medical attention.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In The Matter of the Estate Of Peter Lindblom Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, To Henry Lindblom, Clara Scholin, Carl Lindblom, Lucelle Lindblom, Mable Lindblom and Ellen Lindblom, also known as Ida Lindblom and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, on the 22nd day of March 1930 at 10:00 o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 19th day of February 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Petitioner.
F27-M13

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 5th, 1924, executed by Henry H. Hallstrom and Lettie L. Hallstrom, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 11th, 1924, at two o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 206 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $93.75 each, due on April 5th, 1929, and October 5th, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,811.56, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from October 5th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $167.50, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $93.75 thereof since April 5th, 1929, and on $93.75 thereof since October 5th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $136.36 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since December 30th, 1929, in all the sum of $3,203.13, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-five (45) West, except reservations for railroad purposes heretofore made, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 11th day of April, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated February 26th, 1930.
STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (F27-A3)

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We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

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St. Hilaire. Minn.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota, } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In The Matter of the Estate of Jeremiah J. McCarty, also known as Jerry J. McCarty, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, To Ruth McCarty, Harvey James McCarty, Erin M. McCarty, Jeremiah J. McCarty and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington. State of Minnesota, on the 15th day of March, 1930 at ten o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 17th day of February, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Cbommie
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
F20-M6.

MEET THE GANG
-AT-
Bob's Coffee Shop
If you can't eat at home. eat with us
R. Helmkay,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Compass Changes

At Churchill on Hudson bay, the magnetic compass needle pointed 24 degrees west of north in 1700, one degree west in 1800 and 10 degrees east in 1900. In other words, during two centuries the needle changed its direction by 34 degrees.

Python Hatches Eggs

A python's eggs are about the same size as those of a hen. After laying about a hundred, the female coils herself round them and remains thus until the young are hatched. This takes two months, during which time the snake fasts.

Appeal for Sportsmanship

Gallantry is still a goal worth striving for. Life is a game, a fight, a race. It is competition raised to the highest point. But let this competition be fair. In victory or defeat, maintain your reputation as a sportsman.—Grit.

New Use for Bananas

Bananas, for the first time in their history, are to be taken seriously. A scientific chemist has discovered that banana stalks, correctly treated, are a certain cure for various kinds of skin diseases.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR,)
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON,)ss.
STATE OF MINNESOTA.)

TO D. S. B. Johnson, Land Company.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 1 & 2 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 3 & 4 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 5 & 6 in Block 4, Townsite of Hezel.
Lots 7 & 6 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 9 & 10 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 16 & 19 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 25 & 26 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 27 & 26 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 29 & 30 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 31 & 32 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.

Are Now Assessed In Your Name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1922, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 15th day of March, 1922, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1920, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land were offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said pieces or parcels were bid in for the State of Minnesota for the following sums: Lots 1 & 2 seventy-four cents, Lots 3 & 4 seventy-four cents, Lots 5 & 6 seventy-four cents, Lots 7 & 6 seventy-four cents, Lots 9 & 10 seventy-four cents, Lots 16 & 19 seventy-eight cents, Lots 25 & 26 seventy-nine cents, Lots 27 & 28 seventy-nine cents, Lots 29 & 30 seventy-nine cents, and Lots 31 & 32 seventy-nine cents.

(3) That thereafter, and on the ninth day of September, 1929, the said pieces or parcels not then having been redeemed from said sale, were sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the following sums: Lots 1 & 2—$6.36, Lots 3 & 4—$6.36, Lots 5 & 6—$6.38 Lots 7 & 8—$6.38, Lots 9 & 10—$6.38 Lots 16 & 19—$6.40, Lots 25 & 26—$6.40, Lots 27 & 28—$6.40, Lots 29 & 30—$6.40, and Lots 31 & 32—$6.40.

(4) That the amount required to redeem each piece or parcel of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum for which it was sold as shown in paragraph 3 of this notice, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from said ninth day of September, 1929, to the day such redemption is made.

(6) That the tax certificates of sale issued to said purchaser have been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 1st day of March, 1930.

(Official Seal.) H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor Pennington County,
Minnesota.

Approved by
Attorney General. M-6-20

Pigs Over Summer

Spring pigs that are not to be fattened for the early fall market may be carried through the summer on good pasture and a limited amount of grain. The pigs should receive enough grain to provide for normal growth, since they cannot develop on pasture alone. Pigs handled during the summer in this way will be in good shape to follow steers in the feed lot this fall and winter, or they may be fattened for market, as soon as the new corn crop is ready.

John's Mother Praises Doctor

There isn't a mother living who won't agree that no half-sick child should be the subject for an experiment with medicines of uncertain merit. When your child is bilious, headachy, half-sick, feverish, restless, with coated tongue, bad breath, no appetite or energy, you know that nine times out of ten it's a sign his little stomach and bowels need purging. And when you know that for over fifty years leading physicians have endorsed one preparation for this condition, there doesn't seem to be any reason for "trying" things.

Rich, fruity California Fig Syrup clears the little stomach and bowels gently, harmlessly and in a hurry. It regulates the bowels, gives tone and strength to them and to the stomach; and helps to give your child new strength, energy and vitality. Thousands of Western mothers praise it. Mrs. Joseph W. Hill, 4306 Bedford Ave., Omaha, Nebraska, says: "I'll never forget the doctor who got me to give my baby boy, John, California Fig Syrup. Nothing else seemed to help his weak bowels. That was when he was just a baby. He suffered a good deal before I gave him Fig Syrup, but it stopped his trouble quick. I have used it with him for colds and little upset spells ever since. I consider him a Fig Syrup boy."

Insist on the genuine article. See that the carton bears the word "California." Over four million bottles used a year.

Robot Plays Ten Records

An automatic device has been invented that can be built into standard phonograph cabinets to play any number of records up to ten without attention.

Mothers . . . Watch Children's COLDS

COMMON head colds often "settle" in throat and chest where they may become dangerous. *Don't take a chance*—at the first sniffle rub on Children's Musterole *once every hour for five hours.*

Children's Musterole is just good old Musterole, you have known so long, in milder form.

Working like the trained masseur, this famous blend of oil of mustard, camphor, menthol and other ingredients brings relief naturally. It penetrates and stimulates blood circulation, helps to draw out infection and pain.

Keep full strength Musterole on hand, for adults and the milder—Children's Musterole for little tots. All druggists.

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BETTER THAN A MUSTARD PLASTER
MILD

Should Have Known

While bathing at a French seaside resort, an income tax collector was attacked by a shoal of jellyfish, but one of any such occupation should have known just exactly what to do under the circumstances.—Fort Wayne News-Sentinel.

ONE PRESCRIPTION MADE FAMILY DOCTOR FAMOUS

Seldom has any single act been of greater benefit to mankind than that of Dr. Caldwell in 1885, when he wrote the prescription which has carried his fame to the four corners of the earth.

Over and over, Dr. Caldwell wrote the prescription as he found men, women and children suffering from those common symptoms of constipation, such as coated tongue, bad breath, headaches, gas, nausea, biliousness, no energy, lack of appetite, and similar things.

Demand for this prescription grew so fast, because of the pleasant, quick way it relieved such symptoms of constipation, that by 1888 Dr. Caldwell was forced to have it put up ready for use. Today, Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, as it is called, is always ready at any drugstore.

TREE-RING CALENDAR

View of Pueblo Bonito, New Mexico.

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.)

IN THE isolated Indian pueblos of New Mexico and Arizona during the past six years scientists have been gathering data that have been made it possible for them to write one of the most fascinating detective stories of science that has been unfolded since scholars deciphered the famous Rosetta Stone of Egypt. The work, carried on by Neil M. Judd and Dr. Andrew E. Douglass under the auspices of the National Geographic society, has involved the collection of thousands of samples of wood of living trees and of beams from ruined Indian villages so that the tree rings—"the fingerprints of time"—could be studied and compared. As a result of this work a unique tree-ring calendar has been constructed which extends known dates in the New World back to a time more than eight centuries before the arrival of the Spaniards in what is now southwestern United States.

By translating the story told by the tree rings laid down during the past twelve and a quarter centuries the scientists have established a chronology for that period more accurate than if human hands had written down the major events as they occurred.

It is now possible definitely to announce the important dates in the history of Pueblo Bonito, oldest and largest of the great Indian communities, in Chaco Canyon, New Mexico, excavated and partially reconstructed by the National Geographic society.

Furthermore, it is possible now to date nearly forty prehistoric ruins in the Southwest and reconstruct there a succession of major events through which Indian settlements rose, passed their heyday, and disappeared.

Just as the far-famed Rosetta Stone provided the key to the written mysteries of ancient Egypt, so the collection of an unbroken series of tree rings has made clear the chronology of the Southwest.

Through this work we have learned of some outstanding events in America which were contemporaneous with the conquest of Spain by the Moors, and we know that certain Pueblo Indian settlements were enjoying their golden ages when William the Conqueror faced Harold the Saxon at the Battle of Hastings.

These researches have carried the calendar back to A. D. 700 in the Southwest, and they have provided the beginnings of a continuous weather chart for 1,200 years.

Tree Rings Tell Much.

Many a prehistoric jewel has been given to the flames unwittingly because no one knew the importance of tree rings in recording the passage of years. Where fuel was scarce, fragments of precious timbers at many an ancient ruin in the American Southwest have been used as firewood by the sheep-herder, prospector, and even archeologist. They were scraps of wood, nothing more. The Bible story of the stone which the builders rejected, but which became the head stone of the corner, has found a counterpart in the wood that the modern searcher overlooked, for it has become a key to prehistoric chronology.

Through long-past ages and with unbroken regularity, trees have jotted down a record at the close of each fading year—a memorandum as to how they passed the time; whether enriched by added rainfall or injured by lightning and fire. By learning how to read these records—specifically those of the pines—we have discovered a magic key to open mysterious books and interpret the meaning of their writings.

In favorable regions, rings in trees may be identified, each one in its appropriate year, and traced back till we get to the utmost reach of living trees, and then beams from ancient ruins and buried logs carry the story back for many more centuries.

Thus these tree records have provided us with an American calendar reaching beyond the rise of Charles Martel or the Mohammedan invasion of India. Some of these trees were cut a thousand years ago. From them we have learned the exact building dates of major ruins of the southwestern United States as definitely as we have been able to fix the dates of Old World monuments of the ancients whose records are inscribed on stone.

Seen from one angle, the assembling of these tree-ring samples pushes back the bounds of history in our Southwest and gives us human activities—even tragedies—among the native inhabitants for hundreds of years. From another angle this history in trees tells us the climatic story of the Southwest with amazing accuracy.

When a real theory of climate has been developed and we can predict drought and flood over a period of years, this Arizona story in tree rings will have played a creditable part in developing that climatic foresight which is perhaps the most valuable economic advantage yet lying beyond our reach.

Reading the Records.

The method used in extending the historical calendar of the Southwest is the outcome of a long attempt to read the diaries of trees. Every year the trees in our forests show the swing of Time's pendulum and put down a mark. They are chronographs, recording clocks, by which the succeeding seasons are set down through definite imprints. Every year each pine adds a layer of new wood over its entire living surface of trunk and branches.

If every year were exactly the same, growth rings would tell the age of the tree and little more. Only in rare cases would they record exceptional events of any interest to us. But a tree is not a mechanical robot; it is a living thing, and its food supply and adventures through life all enter into its diary. A flash of lightning, a forest fire, insect pests or a falling neighbor may make strong impressions on its life and go into its diary.

But in the arid regions of our Southwest, where trees are few and other vegetation scarce, the most important thing to man and trees is rainfall. So, in the rings of the talkative pines we find lean years and fat years recorded. The same succession of drought and plenty appears throughout the forest. This fact helped vastly in the dating work, for certain sequences of years become easily recognized from tree to tree, county to county, even from state to state.

The development of this tree-ring study presents an example of how a scientific research starting with a definite idea may lead into unforeseen channels. Originally Doctor Douglass' work was a study of sun spots. It is known that there is a periodicity in their occurrence; they are most numerous at intervals of eleven years. As an aid in that astronomical investigation, he studied trees, for solar changes affect our weather, and weather in turn affects the trees in Arizona's dry climate, as elsewhere.

Sun Spots and Tree Rings.

The study of sun spots and their influence upon weather and the consequent effect upon vegetation as recorded by tree rings progressed most successfully. The first confirmation of the general interpretation of a relationship between tree rings and sun-spot periods came in a dramatic way.

Evidence of the eleven-year sun-spot cycle had been easily found in Arizona pine trees. The regularly recurring periods had been recorded for 500 years by tree rings, except for the interval from 1650-1725. During that 75 years the tree rings gave no evidence of periodical changes in the weather such as were to be expected.

Several years after this puzzling fact had been encountered the late Dr. E. Walter Maunder, an eminent English astronomer, unaware of the findings, wrote to Doctor Douglass that he had discovered that there were no sun spots between 1645 and 1715, and that if the tree rings did not indicate some effect of this absence of sun spots, the work was being conducted on an erroneous hypothesis.

The coincidence between the failure of Arizona trees to register any sun-spot effect upon the weather during those years, and establishment of the fact, by entirely independent study, that the customary sun-spot cycle did not occur during approximately the same period of years helped confirm the relationship between the growth of trees and solar changes.

Specifically, the tree-ring calendar, as finally worked out, told these things about Pueblo Bonito, the ruin whose date problem brought about the six years' search: Its earliest recovered beam was cut in A. D. 919 from a tree that was 219 years old when cut; and Pueblo Bonito reached its golden age in 1067 and was still occupied in 1127. Not only has the age of this great one time metropolis of the Southwest been fixed, but the tree-ring calendar has also dated some 40 other ruins whose time of occupancy hitherto had been unknown. Important among these is the Mesa Verde group of Colorado, in which Cliff Palace is dated 1073; Oak Tree House, 1112; Spring House, 1115; Balcony House, 1190-1206; Square Tower House, 1204, and Spruce Tree House, 1216 and 1262.

Community Building

Country Highways Not Adapted to Speeding

An analysis of highway accidents by the department of motor vehicles of Connecticut appears to show that those in country sections are relatively more costly in loss of life and limb than are those in large cities. It was found that one death could be expected in every forty-one accidents on a country highway. The ratio of deaths to accidents in city streets was 1 to 75.

There is little mystery about this. A considerable proportion of accidents in towns is due to collisions when neither car may be going at great speed. Persons driving in a city naturally expect danger at street intersections and perhaps keep sharper lookout than do these bowling along an open highway. Speeding in a well-policed city is attended by greater risk of arrest than is the case on a rural highway.

Drivers from a city when touring through the country, says the New York Sun, will do well to remember, however, that driving recklessly there is foolish and dangerous, just as driving recklessly in town is foolish and dangerous. Although a clear, well-paved highway offers temptation to step on the gas, the chance of escaping unharmed from an accident is relatively less there than it is on a city boulevard.

Virginia Planning Tree Planting Along Roads

Plans for beautifying the highways of Virginia were discussed at a meeting called by Gov. Harry F. Byrd, at the request of the garden clubs of Virginia, and attended by many prominent women from various sections.

It was decided that the garden clubs would appoint a committee to co-operate with another committee to be appointed by Governor Byrd, and that these two bodies would formulate a program for preserving the trees and shrubs already growing along the state highways, and also for planting others. It was emphasized that the state will not be asked to pay for planting the trees.

William O'Byrne, extension forester at the Virginia polytechnic institute, suggested that nursery shrubs for planting along the highways be raised at the state farm by the convicts, and this proposal met with considerable favor.

Another suggestion which was well received was that the fifty or more motorcycle police operating throughout Virginia under the division of motor vehicles, be especially instructed to keep an eye out for violators of the law forbidding promiscuous cutting of shrubs and trees.

Their Own Will

The will to live as well as local pride is revealed in the purchase by the town of Huntington, in the Berkshire hills of Massachusetts, of the woolen mill upon which the majority of the residents depend for occupation. Closed for sometime, the mill has been bought by the townspeople, who have also raised funds for the purchase of needed equipment. The mill will not be run by the town, but will be leased to a manufacturing company on long terms; an offer is already said to have been made.—Hartford Courant.

Energetic Citizen

In the city of a neighboring state it is said one man has by himself succeeded in locating 16 different industries in his town with a pay roll up into the millions annually. Is there not food for thought in this item when you so often hear the remark made, "we could and should have more industrial plants in our town, but just can't get all the people to unite upon a plan by which we can be able to secure them." A leader and captain of industries is worth while anywhere.—Cullman (Ore.) Tribune.

Unsightly Billboards

The attempt to promote harmony between billboards and civic improvement ideals is a monumental task. The billboard people naturally desire to carry on their business and at the same time they want to soften the growing animosity against their interests. In short, they do not want to see any curtailment of their billboard privileges, while a very large part of the public would like to see billboards entirely eliminated from the landscape.—Providence Journal.

Movies Teach Beauty

To eliminate "the careless ugliness" of the nation's cities, the American Institute of Architects has started a campaign of public education in "good architecture and good environment." Moving pictures are being employed to illustrate how Washington is being developed as the city beautiful in high schools and colleges and before civic bodies.

Individuality

A well-designed building should express on its exterior the general scheme of its plan. That is, the larger units should be indicated in the design. In this way each building has its own individuality and the elevations show the particular reasons for its being.

Needless Pain!

People are often too patient with pain. Suffering when there is no need to suffer. Shopping with a head that throbs. Working though they ache all over.

And Bayer Aspirin would bring immediate relief!

The best time to take Bayer Aspirin is the moment you first feel the pain. Why postpone relief until the pain has reached its height? Why hesitate to take anything so harmless?

Read the proven directions for checking colds, easing a sore throat; relieving headaches and the pains of neuralgia, neuritis, rheumatism, etc.

You can always count on its quick comfort. But if pain is of frequent recurrence see a doctor as to its cause.

BAYER ASPIRIN

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Blame Wireless Waves for Deaths of Pigeons

English pigeon fanciers are blaming wireless waves for the loss of many valuable birds. Lord Dewar, who owns some of the finest racing pigeons in the country, has lost about thirty birds this season, and one of the assistants on his Grinstead (Sussex) estate said recently that it was believed they had lost their way owing to the disturbed atmospheric conditions. Other fanciers owning hundreds of birds reported losses which could not be accounted for in the ordinary way. Prof. A. M. Low expresses the opinion that pigeons lose their sense of direction when wireless waves put their "mental integrator" out of action. "Everybody," he says, "agrees that the brain is entirely electrical, and I think it is distinctly possible that these pigeons have become helpless when flying near broadcasting stations."

Why Suffer Pain from a cut or burn? Cole's Carbolisalve stops pain instantly and heals quickly without a scar. Keep it handy. All druggists, 30c and 60c, or J. W. Cole Co., Rockford, Ill.—Advertisement.

Not Complete Success

A new cruising detail of the San Francisco police force was put through some tests in the early part of a morning not long ago. A pseudo bank holdup brought the entire district personnel to the bank in four minutes. During the following hour the pseudo fleeing car was stopped in various parts of the city and tests were pronounced a 100 per cent success. But, while all this was going on, two robbers in an automobile made three holdups and escaped.

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Colds

At first sign of a cold, take NR—NATURE'S REMEDY—the laxative that thoroughly cleans your intestines. It is the one quick way to get relief and guard your health. Mild, safe, purely vegetable, pleasant—25c.

NR TO-NIGHT TO-MORROW ALRIGHT

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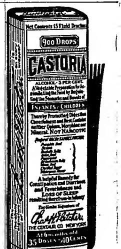
Now comes a housewife and reveals her secret for marital bliss. She says that every time she gets angry with her husband she does not say anything to him but sits down and writes out what she feels like telling him. She puts the note away for three days. Then if she has changed her mind she destroys it, but if she still feels the same way she gives him the note.

You don't like people who are not impressed by your success.

Prayer may dispel your fears; and a good doctor helps.

If Baby has COLIC



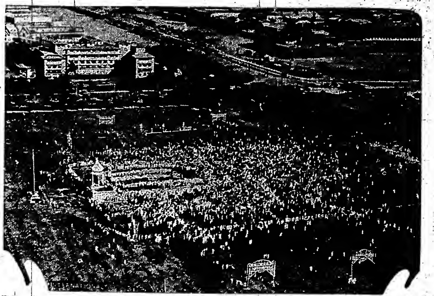
A cry in the night may be the first warning that Baby has colic. No cause for alarm if Castoria is handy! This pure vegetable preparation brings quick comfort, and can never do the slightest harm. Always keep a bottle in the house. It is the safe and sensible thing when children are ailing. Whether it's the stomach, or the little bowels; colic or constipation; or diarrhea. When tiny tongues are coated, or the breath is bad. Whenever there's need of gentle regulation. Children love the taste of Castoria, and its mildness makes it suitable for the tiniest infant, and for frequent use.

And a more liberal dose of Castoria is always better for growing children than some needlessly strong medicine meant only for adult use. Genuine Castoria always has Chas. H. Fletcher's signature on the wrapper. Prescribed by doctors!

CANADA

Why pay big rents or tie up money in high-priced land while in Canada millions of acres virgin prairie close to railways awaiting settlement can be bought from $15.00 to $25.00 an acre, with long terms of payment if desired? Free Government homesteads in the newer districts; good improved or unimproved farms in all provinces at low prices. Excellent climate, highest quality produce, good markets, low freight rates, low taxes. Fastest growing country in the world. Grain-growing, stock-raising, dairying, fruit, poultry, mixed farming. Schools, churches, roads, telephones. Rural mail delivery. Get the facts from the Canadian Government Information Bureau. Canadian Government has no land to sell but offers free official information and service. Special low railway rates for trip of inspection. Free maps, booklets, advice. No obligation. Thirty thousand Americans moved to Canada last year. Write W. B. BLACK, *Canadian Government Information Bureau*, 117 ROBERT STREET, FARGO, NORTH DAKOTA

VIEW OF FIRST EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS HELD IN MANILA



This striking view of the first Euchoriatic congress held in Manila was taken from an airplane flying high over historic Luneta. A crowd of 100,000 gathered for the solemn ceremonies and followed Archbishop Michael U. O'Doherty in a procession down Dewey boulevard to the Luneta.

WHY WE DO WHAT WE DO

By M. K. THOMSON, Ph. D.

ANYONE can think up good reasons for doing what he really wants to do.

You know you cannot afford that new car at this time but if you want it badly you think up all sorts of reasons why you must have it right away. For exampla such perfectly convincing argument that you need it in your business, that it will be an investment in creating greater prestige among tha people who count, etc. We do the same for a new expensive dress or a vacation trip or anything else.

No doubt many a criminal justifies his act before hand. If it is murder he is contemplating he might justify the act on the grounds that he is doing the world a favor by putting such a scoundrel out of the way.

Thinking up reasons for doing what you really want to do is sometimes called rationalizing or rationalization.

We rationalize or justify an act or the motive for the act. Frequently it is a means of easing conscience and also of preparing arguments for others who might question us about it or whom we imagine might question us. Wa rationalize to convince tha inner self that we are right when all the while we know we are wrong.

The reason we do what we do is primarily because we want to do thosa things but we often want things that are not good for us or for our reputation or for our conacience: Hence the tendency to rationalize. Rationalization means covering up the true motive, dressing up the ugly wish with a nice looking suit so that it looks good.

Many of our motives are decidedly against the dictates of conscienca and the social taboos. We dare not allow those things to appear in our lives in their true light. We would suffer loss of pride and self respect if we did. We rationalize as a means of avoiding criticism both from within and from without.

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MOVING THINGS AROUND

By Douglas Malloch.

SHE'S alwaye moving things around.
Why, just last night a chair I found
That she had put against tha wall
Where once thera wasn't one at all.
Of course, I'd not have minded that,
A chair, or whera she put it at,
Or anything she chose to park,
But I found this one in the dark.

She's alwaya moving things about.
I find she took the cookies out
Of that blue jar, and that's all right,
But I went out there just last night
To lunch before I went to bed
And she had put in lard instead.
Now, I lika cookies, as I say,
And even lard, but not that way.

She's always moving things afar,
They're never whera you think they are.
I leave a hammer on the stair;
Tomorrow morning is it there?
I leave my shoes upon the floor;
Now, who would look behind the door?
There's not a woman in this town
Who leaves things where men lay them down.

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"All men are born free and equal," says impecunious Imogene, "but sooner or later they become debtors and creditors."

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What the Men Think They Like

By JEAN NEWTON

"WHY do men keep talking about the much lamented 'old-fashioned girl' and then pass up any girl who even remotely answers their description in favor of the most flapping of modern flappers?" one of our readers wants to know.

Can you tell why in discussing the theater wa are all Shavians and enthusiastic fans for what is intellectually artistic and fine in drama—and yet dramatic works which have nothing but their high quality to recommend them must either be endowed or relegated to the high school auditorium while tha "popular," by which we mean melodramatic or spectacular or sexy plays sell out at a premium? It is true that public taste is improving year by year, but the point holds.

Can you tell me why a man tells you that the plainer you are the better he likes you, whereas any new dress, a bit of finery, or feminine adornment are met with a pleased response from him that is absolutely evident?

Can you tell me why a man insists that he loathes flattery when you know he reacts like a child to words of praise, and purrs without suspicion to the most shameless flattery?

Can you tell me, too, why men forbid their wives to use makeup, insist, indeed, that they look far better without any aide to nature, while the same wives know that such an appearance at the breakfast table is met with a stare of pained surprise?

You see the things people say (and sometimes think) they like, are not always the same as those they evidently do like. And the same holds good of men in their relations with women.

People try to model their taste after what they understand to be good taste. They try to like, sometimes think they like, what they think they should like.

Now as for the old-fashioned girl, she has come to be regarded as the epitome of artlessness and guilelessness, the ideal of feminine sweetness and purity, the personification of all that is fine and upright and noble and good in woman.

Men feel that should be their taste in women. So they lament the old-fashioned girl and speak in terms of disparagement of tha frivolousness and extravagance of the sophisticated modern girl. Yet put a demure, "Plain Jane" with no interest in modern dance and no power of repartee in a ballroom and see how much chance the men will give themselves to investigate her fine mind and noble character. Indeed, it would take a scintillatingly beautiful "shrinking violet of the old school" to stand a chance against even the plainest modern girl with modern pep and maturity and not always unguileful appeal.

It's easy enough to understand why men are attracted by what attracts them! Perhaps if we could convince them that it need not be incompatible with fundamental goodness and nobility of character they might be willing to admit to what they really do like!

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About Good Things to Eat

By NELLIE MAXWELL

Give me a spirit that on this life's rough sea
Loves t' have his sails fill'd with a lusty wind
Even till his sail-yards tremble, his masts crack
And his rapt ship run on her side so low
That she drinks water, and her keel plows air.
—Chapman.

CODFISH balls, chowder and croquettes as well as creamed codfish—or served with a drawn butter sauce—are all dishes enjoyed during the cold weather.

Codfish Croquettes.

Soak the best part of salt codfish overnight, drain and parboil for ten minutes, then flake. To two cupfuls of the flaked fish allow one cupful of cream, two tablespoonfuls of butter and five of flour. Rub the butter and flour together, add the cream and one cupful of flour. Rub the butter and flour together, add the cream and one cupful of milk. Season with cayenne, and salt if needed, then add the fish. Add a bit of onion juice and mix well. Set on ice to chill. Form into croquettes and roll in egg and crumbs, then fry in deep fat. Serve with an egg sauce or a shrimp sauce, adding a teaspoonful of worcestershire sauce to the shrimps.

Potato Balls, Parsley Sauce.

Cut the balls with a french cutter and cook carefully until tender but not too soft. Pour over the following sauce: Six tablespoonfuls of melted butter, one tablespoonful of lemon juice, two tablespoonfuls of chopped parsley, one teaspoonful of salt and one-fourth teaspoonful of pepper. If onion is liked, shred the green tops and add instead of the parsley, or minced chives add to the appearance as well as the flavor. If a salad is well seasoned it needs a marinade; this will often serve without further dressing. However, a rose or spoonful of thick mayonnaise always adds to its appearance as well as palatability.

Raisin Acorns.

Select large raisins and remove the seeds from the blossom end with a small incision. In each slit push a blanched almond, leaving at least half of the nut exposed. Serve with coffee as dessert.

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Collecting Books for U. S. Sailors

The American Merchant Marine Library association has been waging a campaign to obtain 10,000 books for the use of the men enlisted in that service. Mrs. Gibson Fahnestock was in charge of the drive. This picture, made at headquarters in Washington, shows Mrs. Amos Fries donating books to Mrs. Fahnestock (seated at desk). At the left is Miss Dorothy Sellers, secretary.

The Children's Corner

Edited by DOROTHY EDMONDS

THE STORY OF A SCHOOLBOY IN INDIA

"Come, Satya," called a soft voice. "Your kite making must not let you be late for school."

"Yes, mother," said Satya. He looked at his gay kites—red, yellow, and green. "I know I must go to school now, but this afternoon Ananda and I are to have a kite contest."

"Kites are for children's play," said the boy's father, "but books are for life."

"Harken to me, my son," said Satya's mother, "play more carefully with your kites on the roofs. Last week Ananda nearly fell to the street from his father's roof."

"I shall be careful," promised Satya. It was only recently that his father had allowed him to run on his roof, for the two-story brick house with its big rooms and lofty windows was high enough above the street to make a fall from the flat roof dangerous.

Satya sat down to his breakfast of vegetables, rice, and split pea soup. He sat on a wooden board on the floor, because there were no chairs nor tables in the dining room. The food was placed on the floor in front of him in dishes made of a bright metal which shone like silver. Sometimes the food was served on big banana leaves. There were no knives, forks, or spoons, but Satya ate delicately with his fingers.

"Your clean clothing is ready for you to wear to school," said Satya's mother, as he finished eating. Satya put on a long white skirt made of five yards of cloth folded around his body and fastened at the waist. And over that, two loose white cotton coats.

He gathered his books and papers, gave one last look at his kites, and ran out to join his companions on their way to the school, which opened at half-past ten.

The boys were eagerly discussing the kite contests to be held that afternoon. "I cut the strings of five kites only yesterday," boasted one boy.

"Oh, Superior One," laughed another, "take care that thou break not thy head next."

The kite strings were waxed with a special preparation to make them strong, then wound on bamboo reels with handles at the end. When the kite contests began these strings were wound and unwound, until amid cheers and shouts the enemy's kite strings were broken.

When school was over Satya hurried home to finish a big blue and gold kite and to test the strings of his smaller colored ones. There he gathered them all under his arm and ran down the street. As he neared Ananda's house where the boys were to meet for the contest, he noticed a crowd gathering on the sidewalk.

"The snake-charmer has come," thought Satya. "I will wait just a minute to watch him."

"Come up here, Satya," called a voice from Ananda's roof as one of his playmates spied him.

"In a few minutes," answered Satya, with a wave of his hand. His eyes were intent on the snake-charmer.

The snake-charmer put his baskets on the ground and sat down in front of them. He took three large snakes out of one of the baskets. Then he commenced to play an instrument which looked like a short flute and which gave forth weird sweet music. The snakes raised their heads and began to sway back and forth in rhythm to the tune while the crowd watched with breathless interest.

Finally Satya looked away from the snakes and up at the roof above him. He gave a cry of horror.

Ananda, there on the very edge of the roof, was laughing excitedly and fighting with all his might to keep another boy from cutting the string of his kite, the object of the game.

"Beware! Beware!" called Satya, trembling as he saw Ananda's danger.

The crowd stirred uneasily and followed his gaze. The snake-charmer stopped playing, and hastily picked up his snakes.

The crowd surged off, trying to get away from the danger spot. But as Satya called again, Ananda's foot slipped, and downward he shot toward the hard street.

Satya spread his feet firmly and held out his arms. It was the only chance! If he could break his friend's fall it might save his life.

He felt a tremendous thump, something crushed him to the ground, then he knew nothing else.

When he opened his eyes he was lying on the veranda of his own home. The courtyard was filled with people. Some one was bathing his face with water. His mother bent over him.

"Ananda? Where is Ananda?" he asked, trying to sit up, but finding that he was dizzy, and that it hurt him to move.

"He has but a broken arm, thanks to you," answered his mother. "You stopped his fall, else he surely would have been killed."

Satya saw his father coming toward him. The people made a path for him, and some one cheered. In a minute the air was filled with shouts and cheering.

"Satya, brave Satya!" they shouted.

"A son to make any father proud!" exclaimed his father.

"A few bruises are little to pay for saving the life of a friend," said Satya.

—Lydia Lion Roberts.

GOOD FELLOWS ALL

Old Squiddington Square is a solid old chap,
Though perhaps a bit stiff when he takes off his cap.

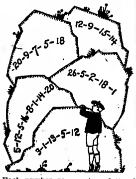
And Trinkle Triangle has many good points:
Just look at his features and feel of his joints.

Young Cyrus O'Circle goes round everywhere.
If you cornered him once he'd die I declare.

Remember that each of this neat little band
Cuts a very fine figure in lesson-book land!

—Mrs. Clifford Hastings.

A PUZZLE IN ROCKS



Each number represents a letter in the alphabet. When you have translated the numbers into letters they will spell the names of animals which the boy saw on the rocks of a mountain one fine day. Can you do it in less than five minutes?

—Harvey Peake.

Scientific Safe

FOR CONSTIPATION
Feen-a-mint

Bedre tider ivente

Det hænder nok sommetider at ikke alting gaar som De hadde haapet, og at De er stuffet aver berden. Men fyld saa pipen med True Smoke og se sorgerne drive bort. Det er som om livet er lysere efter et par drag av denne milde, søte, velsmakende røketobak.

I mange, mange aar har „True Smoke" været friluftsmandens ven. Hvert nyt slegtled opdager snart at ingen anden tobak er saa opmuntrende — ingen anden tobak er saa tilfredsstillende som „True Smoke." Skaf Dem litt selv, og se hvor meget bedre pipen smoker. Tilberedt av Christian Peper Tobacco Co., St. Louis, Mo., fabrikanter av god tobak siden 1852.

The translation of this Norwagian advertisement into English will appear in the week after next issue of this paper. Look for it.

Superficial Flesh Wounds
Try Hanford's
Balsam of Myrrh
All dealers are authorized to refund your money for the first bottle if not suited.

Peculiar "Newspaper"

A strange newspaper is Wotanin Woste, a mimeographed pamphlet distributed at irregular intervals by the Pierre (S. D.) Indian school. The paper contains no set number of pages and the publication date is governed only by a regularity with which copy is turned in. Its size varies from four to ten pages and contributions are accepted in half a dozen Indian dialects and languages for translation into English. A feature of Wotanin Woste is a full page cover picture of each issue sketched on stencil by Thomas Bulls Eyes, a pupil of the school.

Goose Dinner in Prospect

George Yelich, of Detroit, chuckled as he glanced out of his window and saw a man carrying a big live goose. He was amused by the stranger's struggles to keep the goose from getting free. Yelich raised the window and called: "Hey, there, where is that goose going with you?" The goose carrier did not look around. He let the goose flop to the ground and disappeared in a run. Mrs. Yelich now has a goose that is being held for its owner.

Nature's Wise Provision

It is claimed that a cod weighing 21 pounds will produce 2,700,000 eggs in one spawning period; these are so small that it takes 337,000 to fill a quart pail. As for the reason why most fish produce eggs rather than living young, it may be suggested that this is a wise provision of nature in view of the great loss involved. For each egg destined to become a mature fish there must be thousands sacrificed to be food for other marine life.

If, in practicing a new dance, you yawn, your dancing days are about over.

Looks Young, Feels Fine

"Eight years ago before my last baby was born, I started taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I got such good results that I named her Catherine Lydia. I have six older children and five grandchildren, too. I am 44, but people tell me I look much younger. I am now taking the Vegetable Compound again because of my age. I eat and sleep better and I do all my housework, and my washing. I will do my best to answer letters."—Mrs. H. Dolhonde, 6318 York St., New Orleans, Louisiana.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound
Lydia E. Pinkham Med. Co. Lynn, Mass.

Do It Now

Look over your supply of printed matter such as envelopes, statements, letterheads, bill heads, cards or other forms you use daily.

Spring is "right around the corner", the time you need them. Let us have your order for what you need.

St. Hilaire Spectator

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$ .93
Duram Wheat	.79
Rye	.55
Barley	.42
Oats	.32
Flax	2.68
Eggs, cash	.20
Creamery butter	.37

Hazel News

Mr. C. Alberg was a St. Hilaire caller on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lappegard called at the Lokken home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Bruce came Thursday from Denver, Colorado. She is now visiting at Oscar Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lappegard, Mrs. Lokken and daughters Margaret and Beatrice visited at the C. Alberg home Monday evening.

Axel Rassmusen visited at C. Presthy Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Nels Nelson who has been at the Warren hospital returned home Friday evening. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

Miss Alice Stapelton, Teacher's Training instructor and County Superintendent Gunderson visited at Dist. 12 Busy Bee school Friday. They also visited Miss Edythe Shay's school on the same trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard and sons Ruehen and Harvey, and Mr. Axel Rassmusen were callers at the C. Presthy home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandberg and daughter, Betty Lou, Hjalmer Peterson and Kenneth Krats were Sunday dinner guests at the C. Roese home.

Mrs. Ole Thune called at C. Alherg Thursday.

Woodrow Wilson returned to Hazel Sunday evening in order to resume his practise teaching duties Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard visited at the Oscar Peterson home in Thief River Falls Tuesday.

Chinese Civilization

The civilization of China is at once the vastest, the most uniform, the most prolonged and the most continuously independent on earth.

Set Floor Style

The first parquet floor in America was laid in Monticello, the home of Thomas Jefferson at Charlottesville, Va.

THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services in local church next Sunday morning at 10:30.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, March 9, services as follows:-
St. Pauli, 11:00 A. M. Amer.
Clearwater, 2:00 P. M. Amer.
St. Hilaire, Lenten services under auspices of the Luther League, in American language, at 7:45 P. M.
Sunday school in local church at 10:00 A. M.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening services 8:00.

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

Tribute Where Tribute Was Due

YEARS ago in one of the smaller cities along the eastern seaboard, the local leader of the dominant political party was one Mr. Michael Dempsey. Mr. Dempsey carried the organization in the hollow, as the saying goes, of his hand. True there was a selfish motive behind his activities, because he held the most lucrative local office within the gift of the populace.

As might be inferred from his name, he was of Celtic antecedents. Naturally, what with his powers of leadership and his compelling personality, he was the idol of all the Irishmen among his constituents. Those among them who had come, as he had, penniless greenhorns from the Old country, regarded him as the greatest man in the state if not in the nation.

In the fullness of time, and largely through his patriotic efforts, a bond issue was voted for the erection of a new county building. On the day after the cornerstone of the new structure had been laid, two of his followers chanced to pass the spot. Upon the face of the stone, in the customary Latin numerals, the year had been engraved, as follows:

MDCCCXCIX.

One of the passersby stared at this curious inscription. He spelled out the letters. To him they had no meaning.

"Larry," he said wonderingly to his companion, "what's the purpose of that?"

"Simple enough," said his learned friend, "that MD stands for Mike Dempsey, and thim three C's in a row means Clerk of the County Court. 'Tis merely a deserved tribute to Mike that's been carved here."

"Yis," said the first speaker, thoroughly convinced, "but what does the rist of thim marks stand for?"

"Oh, thim?" said the scholar. "That's just to kep track of the times whin he's licked the d—n Republicans."

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BUSINESS AID IS ASKED FOR WHEAT

Legge Asks Trade Leaders for Support in Fight to Stabilize Prices.

Washington—After a conference with President Hoover, Chairman Legge of the farm board called upon the "conservative business men of the country" to support the board's effort to stabilize wheat prices. The chairman declined to comment on his conversation with the President or to indicate whether the interview influenced his action in taking the board's fight to the public.

"Some objection," he said, "has developed in the grain trade against the action of the farm board in financing farm co-operatives in the purchase of wheat and cotton in the present situation. These activities will continue in the interest of agriculture and business as an emergency measure in the present situation."

Co-operatives have been guaranteed advances of from $1.12 to $1.25 a bushel, according to the grade of wheat and the market location. Legge said the grain corporation was not buying from non-members and that the stabilization corporation, while empowered to take any action that an independent trader might take, is trying to limit its purchases to co-operative wheat. In addition to some 6,000,000 bushels purchased by the stabilization corporation, he said advances have been made on an aditional tonnage of approximately 9,000,000 bushels.

Hoover Urges Public Cut Expenses.

Washington—President Hoover followed up his plea for government economy with an appeal to "the people back home" to support their congressmen in the endeavor to hold down expenses at this session of congress. Unless the budget is adhered to within $50,000,000, Mr. Hoover warned, a treasury deficit and increased taxation is inevitable. This is no time, the president said, for expansion of federal activities—on the contrary, it is a time to pull the purse strings tight.

Borah Asks Soviet Cease Persecutions.

Washington—Senator William E Borah, chairman of the senate committee on foreign relations, appealed to the Soviet union officials to stop the reported persecution of Jews and Christians in Russia. Asked to explain the details of his method of approach to the Soviet union, which is not officially recognized by the United States, the Idaho senator refused. It was a diplomatic case, he said, and not subject to public discussion at this time.

Knutson Would Ban Butter Substitutes

Washington—Representative Harold Knutson said he will introduce a bill in congress prohibiting the use of butter substitutes in the United States army, navy and marine corps. Representative Knutson said he had requested data from the quartermaster general on the amount of butter and butter substitutes used during the past year in the three branches of the service.

Dill Will Fight Northern Merger.

Washington—Senator Dill, Democrat, of Washington, served notice in a speech before the senate that he will introduce a resolution to forbid merging of the Great Northern and Northern Pacific railroads, as recently approved by the interstate commerce commission. "I consider such a merger would be dangerous to my section of the country," Dill said.

American Glider in Air Nine Hours.

Point Loma, Calif.—Hawley Bowlus, American, established a national glider record of nine hours, five minutes, 27 2-5 seconds here after a spectacular flight in a tiny motorless craft of his own invention. Shortly after Bowlus made his landing he was joined by Col. Charles A. Lindbergh, who has been co-operating with him in glider experiments.

Warns Against Counterfeit $20 Bills.

Washington—The treasury department has detected another counterfeiting of the new small paper currency, it was reported here. A warning was issued against imitations of the new $20 federal reserve note. The counterfeit was said to be of the same workmanship as the recently detected counterfeit $10 federal reserve note.

Mary Lincoln's Sister-in-Law Dead.

Lexington, Ky.—Death has claimed the last surviving person who was intimately associated with Abraham Lincoln. Mrs. Emilie Todd Helm, 94, half sister of the martyred president's wife, Mary Todd Lincoln, and long a close associate of the Civil war president, died at her home in Fayette county, near here.

Six Towns Help Fight Iowa Blaze.

Chariton, Iowa—The fire-fighting equipment of a half dozen towns near here was mobilized to combat a $200,000 fire that swept through the business district. Seven business buildings were destroyed.

Queen of Swedan Critically Ill.

Rome—Queen Victoria of Sweden, who has been seriously ill for some time at the royal villa here, was making a brave fight for life, but her doctors said her condition was "grave and disquieting."

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in a certain mortgage, containg a power of sale, executed and delivered by Arminta Hooper and G. W. Hooper, her husband, of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, as mortgagors to the Crookston Building & Loan Association, a corporation, under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, and covering the following described property, situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lots One (1), Two (2), and Three (3), of Block One (1) of Ives' Addition to the Village of St. Hilaire, according to the recorded plat thereof, on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota.

Which mortgage is dated the 3rd day of March, 1922, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County of Pennington, Minnesota on the 29th day of March, 1922, at 8:00 o'clock A. M. and duly recorded in Book 70 of Mortgages, on Page 327; that no action or proceedings have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, and that the amount now due upon said mortgage is the sum of Seven Hundred Sixty-eight and 46-100 Dollars ($768.46) against which the mortgagors are entitled to credit of Three Hundred ninety-one and 79-100 Dollars ($391.79), the current value of seven (7) shares of capitol stock of the mortgagee, subscribed for by said mortgagore and forming a part of said transaction, leaving the amount actually due and claimed to be due and owing upon said mortgage at the date of this notice, the sum of Three Hundred Seventy-six and 67-100 Dollars ($376.67), and the further sum of Six Hundred ninety-six and 29-100 Dollars ($696.29), taxes paid by said mortgagee, making a total of One Thousand seventy-two and 96-100 Dollars ($1,072.96), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon said mortgage.

NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale and the statute in such cases made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, by the sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 29th day of March, 1930, at 10:00 o'clock, in the forenoon of that day at the East front door of the Pennington County Court House in the city of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, to pay said debt, together with the said taxes and interest thereon, and the costs and disbursements of these proceedings, together with Fifty Dollars ($50.00) attorney's fees, stipulated in and by said mortgage.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1930.

Crookston Building & Loan Association
A Corporation,
Mortgagee

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Mortgagee
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
F13-M20

Radcliffe, Smith Girls Cling to Short Skirts

Boston.—The long skirt dictum of the Paris stylists has been adopted by Wellesley college girls for both day and evening gowns, but not so at Radcliffe or at Smith. The girl students of Cambridge and Northampton wear the longer garments with raised waistline at evening affairs, but refuse to be coerced by Paris fashion makers into giving up the freedom of the short sports skirts for daytime and street wear.

Burr Swallowed by Boy Renders Him Speechless

Urbana, Iowa.—Mervin Smith, twelve, has been rendered speechless through swallowing a sand burr he had pulled from his mittens with his teeth. Surgeons have been unable to find the burr.

Facts and Aspirations

My business is to teach my aspirations to conform themselves to fact, not to try and make facts harmonise with my aspirations.—Huxley.

Stock and Poultry Meals

We have on hand a big supply of Cottonseed meal, Oil meal, etc., for stock use.

And we have Bone meal, Meat scraps, Oyster shells and Limestone "Shellmaker" for poultry.

Don't forget to order a sack of Dakota Maid

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Snappy Get-away

For satisfactory winter driving much depends on the kind of gas you use. For quick starting we recommend

KOOLMOTOR

We also have the right crankcase oil and grease that will make your motor function as it should during cold weather. See us for all kinds of oils.

Young's Service Station

Bray News

Helen Olson and Alice Lindquist spent the week end at their parental homes. They did not return to school until Monday afternoon, on account of being snowbound.

Mumps and Pink eye seems to be the important topic in Bray Blooming school Dist. 180.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lindhloom was Sunday dinner guests at the Emil Larson home.

Anna Lindhloom visited at the Henry Lindbloom home Monday afternoon.

Ame Lindquist has been on the sick list this week with tonsilities.

George Lindquist is being employed at the C. A. Lindquist home at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kron and family is visiting at the M. Wood home.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson and family spent Monday evening in St. Hilaire, the former attended the whist session, while the latter visited at the Carl Pearson home.

There was no service in Black River church, last Sunday on account of poor roads.

Walter Olson is on the sick list.

Miss Mahle Lindhloom visited Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pearson of St. Hilaire.

Monte Carlo Suicides Given Prompt Burial

Monte Carlo, in one of the prettiest corners of the Riviera, on the Mediterranean, is perhaps the most widely known gambling resort in the world. But little is known, heard or seen of the many suicides that overflow its hidden and unmarked cemetery. To visitors the world's most (in)famous gambling casino is a gilded palace, but back of all the gilt lies the "city of nameless men." Thousands of men and women who go to Monte Carlo to match their wits and luck against the cards and rolling balls lose everything they have. They choose the great salon of the casino in which to end their lives.

But such an occurrence never stops the games, and funerals are never seen on the streets. Details of Monte Carlo deaths are always suppressed. When a suicide occurs casino guards promptly screen off the body with portable screens, and the games aren't even interrupted. Soon the covered body is taken to the basement, and, if unclaimed by the next morning, it is buried before dawn, without funeral services.

Burial is in the casino's hidden cemetery beyond the edges of the town, and no stone marks the grave. So many suicides have occurred since the cemetery was laid out that it is now filled, and a new site must be chosen. Crime is never published in the town newspaper, the Monagasque, and all police, except those on traffic duty, keep out of sight. There are no hospitals, no ambulances and no plume-decorated horses to sadden one's sojourn there.—Adventure Magazine.

Sharks for Fowls

Shark liver oil is now ranked with cod-liver oil as a safe and cheap source of vitamines for poultry. Shark's meat, dried and ground, is a first-class feed for poultry and hogs.—Farm and Fireside.

Goes Back Many Centuries

The first stone of the cathedral of Notre Dame de Paris was laid by Pope Alexander III when, in 1163, he was passing through the city.

Use for That Saved Time

Every year science enables us to get there quicker. If it would only provide something to do when we arrive.—Capper's Weekly.

Is your DeLaval separator in good running order?

IF it isn't, then you may be losing butter-fat and shortening the life of the machine; and ninety-nine times out of a hundred it isn't the fault of the machine but due to the fact that it needs attention, adjustment, cleaning, or the replacement of some part.

Bring in your De Laval Separator to us and we will put it in first-class running order. Bring in the complete machine, and in order to save expense clean out the oil chamber and gears with kerosene or boiling water. You can do this just as well as we can.

Carlson Mercantile Co. Inc.
Ole Johnson, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

She Was Tired of Jim

By H. LOUIS RAYBOLD

(Copyright.)

FOR just two years Marie and Jim had been engaged. Force of circumstances in the shape of an invalid and absolutely dependent brother had made it impossible for Jim to lay aside enough to justify the assumption of new burdens.

At first they had made plans for a somewhat indefinite future, but of late they had grown—Marie especially—to seize the present and let the days that were to come take care of themselves.

And then one sunny afternoon when an advance spring breeze perfumed the air they had quarreled.

"Yes, I like you, Jim," wailed Marie finally, "only—only I think I am tired of being engaged. Yes, it's dreadful to say, but how much better to find out before we are m-married. So here's your r-ring!"

Stupidly, Jim held out his hand for the shining bit of jewelry. "Of course, dear," he said soberly, "it's worlds better. I'll—I'll try to take it sensibly. Now, let's go home."

If, after Jim had left Marie, he wondered if any other man had been the cause of her dejection, he tried to stifle the suspicion. To be sure, any girl would have grown weary long ago of this monotonous waiting. Well, his sole duty now certainly lay with his brother.

As far as Marie was concerned no other man than Jim had ever claimed even one tiny thought. Yet there was another man in the offing—a tall, sleek, not unattractive youth, who had many times eyed Marie admiringly as they ascended together in the elevator to their respective places of employment. And that man, Bert Rogers, had decided to meet Marie. Six days after Marie's engagement to Jim was broken he accomplished his wish through the agency of a fellow stenographer of Marie's.

And on the day after he met Marie, Bert drove her in his small but mile-devouring roadster far up along the Hudson. There was nothing slow about Bert.

Marie, left at loose ends of her own making, found life far more exciting now than it had been with Jim. Jim's money had been limited. Bert's appeared to be ample.

Seats at the latest comedy; supper at the most exclusive little restaurants; summer picnics on distant beaches; midnight dances at softly lighted, glassy floored dance halls—Marie went the pace and didn't stop to wonder when—or where—it would all end.

Arrived the night of the infantry ball, the one annual extravagance she and Jim had permitted themselves. Bert tossed tickets for it into her lap as they sat together on a grassy bluff overlooking the Sandy Hook panorama.

"Not crazy about it," said Bert in his blase way, "but we might as well take it in."

Other years Marie had not fussed unduly about her clothes. Poor old Jim had thought that whatever she wore outshone the costumes of all the others. Bert, Marie realized, was considerably more critical. Therefore she drew on her rainy-day balance and proceeded on a shopping expedition.

Bert's flowers were lavish and showy, and Marie couldn't help but think, not nearly as fragrant as the modest bunch of violets which had always come from Jim. Pinning them on, she sighed as she gave a final survey in the mirror. Would Jim ever have recognized, in the sophisticated image which met his gaze, his little Marie?

For some reason or other, nothing went just right. Bert could not dance—at least, not in that sturdy, swinging way she had learned to love in Jim. Also, she didn't care for the silly compliments Bert whispered in her ear as he held her rather too closely. Jim never would talk as he danced.

"Odd, after all," thought Marie to herself, to be dancing with the man who was giving you the time of your young life, and recalling the man you had grown tired of.

The crisis came at intermission. Half concealed by a screen of palms, Bert threw his arm around Marie's shoulder. That instant, Marie knew. Knew that it was Jim and not Bert who could bring her happiness in the future.

"Take me home at once, Bert," she insisted coldly. And Bert, inwardly sneering at the girl who wouldn't "play up," as he called it, was forced to acquiesce.

Although the hour was late when Marie found herself at home and alone, it was not too late, she told herself nervously, to find out if Jim was still free—free to become bound again. Quivering, she stood at the telephone.

"Yes—yes—it's Marie. Oh, Jim, could you come over for five minutes? Something to tell you!"

Fifteen minutes later Jim stood in the doorway, and straightway forgot that a waiting taxi outside was running up a steep record. All he realized was that Marie was holding out both arms.

"Do you mean you aren't tired of me, after all, dear?" Jim wanted to be sure.

"Well," and Marie dimpled, "I'd rather be tired of you than of anything else! Oh, Jim!"

GAINS SHOWN IN WOMEN'S WEALTH

Economic Strides Revealed in Tax Returns.

Washington.—Rapid economic strides made by women in recent years are reflected in income-tax returns, which reveal members of the fair sex as an important source of revenue for the federal government.

An analysis of 1927 income-tax returns made by treasury experts discloses that single women made 535,199 returns in that year and had net taxable income aggregating $2,233,844,068. In addition wives filed 112,719 separate returns and reported net income of $1,219,714,318.

For the same year single men filed 1,512,497 tax returns and reported aggregate net taxable income of 4,912,025,508. Husbands and wives filing joint returns totaled 2,016,850 and had net taxable income of $13,870,232,343.

Study of the above figures shows that a greater part of the federal revenue from individual income taxes is derived from married persons, while returns by single women constituted one-third the number filed by single men. Single women also had net income aggregating about one-third those reported by single men.

On a percentage basis, the statistics revealed, women filed 15.80 per cent of all individual tax returns and had 15.32 of all taxable net income reported. Single men made 34.44 per cent of all returns and reported 21.80 per cent of all taxable income. Married persons filed 50 per cent of the returns and had 61 per cent of the aggregate net income taxed.

Three single women and three single men paid taxes on incomes ranging between $3,000,000 and $4,000,000, while fifteen husbands and wives reported incomes in that class. Five single men reported incomes of $5,000,000 and more, but there were no single women in this class.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Columbia Heights—Proposed annexation of this city to Minneapolis appears to be definitely blocked.

Grove City—Louise Tulsna, Lyon, visiting relatives here, was drowned in a mud puddle by the roadside.

Plainview—The old Settlers Assn. of Greenwood Prairie conducted its fifty-fourth anniversary meeting here.

Crosby—Crosby post of Veterans of Foreign Wars, organized under temporary officers, has perfected its organization.

Faribault—After serving as Rice county treasurer, 18 years, John S. Way plans to retire at the end of his present term.

Hopkins—The force of the Minneapolis-Moline Power Implement Co., has been augment by the addition of 150 more workmen here.

Rush City—C. Harry Hedberg, superintendent of schools here for the last five years, has been reelected by the board of education.

Madelia—A. N. McLaughlin is the new president and G. V. Christianson treasurer of the Co-operative Creamery Company of Madelia.

Mankato—J. W. Hruska, Mankato, was re-elected president of the Southern Minnesota Electrical Association at its annual meeting here.

Duluth—J. Curran, Hibbing, was elected president of the Minnesota Retail Grocers Merchants Assn. at its 34th annual convention here.

St. Paul—Edith Riley, 30 years old, a Negress, confessed to the captain of St. Paul detectives, that she murdered her husband, John Riley, 39 years old.

Rochester—E. A. Koenman of St. Paul, engineer for the state highway department for 8 years, will succeed George C. Leonard as resident engineer.

Wabasha—Although Red Wing reported the ice out of upper Lake Pepin, it will be at least three weeks before the lower lake is clear for navigation.

Sleepy Eye—Sleepy Eye high school won the district debate championship by defeating Redwood Falls. The local team defeated Springfield and New Ulm earlier.

Hayfield—O. H. Guldbransen was elected president of the Vernon Co-operative Creamery Company, farmers' organization at its annual meeting held here.

Winona—Padlock actions against 19 residences, soft drink bars, clubs and farms in S. E. Minn. including the Grand hotel at Austin, are on file in Federal District Court.

Winona—The ice went out of the Mississippi river here at noon today. Only once since 1899 has the ice gone out earlier and that was in 1919 when it broke up February 17.

Mankato—Delegates of Northern Baptist churches, representing a membership of 1,700, gathered here for the midyear meeting of the Minnesota Valley Baptists Association.

Kerkhoven—The Kerkhoven chapter of the Izaak Walton League has elected officers. M. E. Chambers is pres., Bert Olson, vice-pres., Dev. Engstrom, sec. and William Gordhamer, treas.

Renville—Renville high school students took first place in the three divisions of a subdistrict declamatory contest held here. Students of Olivia, Sacred Heart and Renville took part.

Red Wing—F. T. Rockwell, Red Wing; Bob Given, Bemidji; Edward Krueger, Park Rapids; and W. H. Heine, Olivia, were speakers at the 34th annual hardware convention in Minneapolis.

Grand Rapids—Dairymen, livestock breeders and farm agents from northern Minnesota counties will be in attendance here the week of March 31st for the fourth annual farmers' short course at the North Central School of Agriculture.

Northfield—Co-operating committees of the Lions and Rotary clubs, the American Legion, Boy Scouts and Northfield merchants sponsored a successful "Father and Son" banquet at Carleton College here.

Minneapolis—Dr. C. N. Stokes, assistant professor, head of the mathematical department at University high school, will attend a convention of teachers of the National Education association at Atlantic City.

Minneapolis—Final action by the park board on acquisition of block 20 in the Gateway as a public square to front the proposed new postoffice will be delayed for two weeks. Cost of the project will be about $350,000.

Rochester—Boy Scouts from Rochester and Plainview received 10 Star Scout badges, five first class badges, four second class awards, more than 100 merit badges and two troop charters at a Court of Honor conducted here.

Hastings—A legislative act which would have permitted James M. Millett and other Hastings residents to detach certain lands from the city of Hastings, was declared unconstitutional as class legislation by the State Supreme Court.

Henderson—Flood conditions here were most serious as hundreds of farmers were prevented from reaching town because the east approach to the bridge over the Minnesota river was washed away. The bridge, built of steel, cost $60,000 in 1880.

St. Paul—Minnesota's dollar laying hens will hold the center of interest when the eleventh annual convention of the Minnesota Egg, Butter and Poultry Association convenes here March 7 and 8. More than 1,000 farmers who shared in the $40,000,000 derived from the egg crop in the state in 1929 will attend.

Nine Road Rules All Should Obey

With spring driving already to start, it is time to give a little more thought to safety. One trouble is that there are so many rules in the traffic law that it is impossible for most people to remember them. A pamphlet published by the safety committee of the Minnesota Department of the American Legion gives nine important rules which any driver should be able to remember and observe. Here they are:

1. Never try to pass another vehicle going in the same direction, when at a street intersection, on a curve or when going up or down a hill.
2. Give the right of way to the car on your right at street intersections. Do not presume too much when you have the right of way. Remember the other fellow may not know that you have it.
3. When on a through street or highway, give other drivers and pedestrians a chance to cross or enter.
4. Always signal before turning to the left.
5. Obey promptly and to the letter, all traffic signs.
6. When you intend to turn to the left, give your signal at least 50 feet before you reach your turning point; then move over to the center line of the street.
7. When turning, either right or left, watch for pedestrians as well as vehicles.
8. Always stop when you drive out of an alley, garage or private driveway. Make sure that the way is clear and sound your horn.
9. When driving away from the curb always signal. A moving line of traffic has the right of way.

The pamphlet sums up the "unwritten law of the highway" in these words: "Play fair with the other fellow. You'll both feel better for it. Qualities of true gentlemen are reflected in highway courtesy."

For Sale, etc.

Hay For Sale:-
3 stacks mid-land prairie hay about one and one quarter tons per stack, at $5.00 per stack.
Also 1 stack sweet clover hay, about 1 ton, for $5.00.
Located on Charley Walton farm two miles west.
L. E. Healy
Red Lake Falls, Minn

For Sale:-A dining table, Singer sewing machine, kitchen range, cupboard, kitchen cabinet, library table and two rockers. Inquire of
Ben Lardy, City.

Seed Barley:-Have a quantity of good Canadian seed barley for sale. Inquire of Paul Thyren, Route 1, Hazel, Minn. F27-M20pd

Oats For Sale:- About 1000 bushels of Big Yellow cleaned seed oats. Call on or address.
C. H. Swanson,
R1, St. Hilaire, Minn.

For Sale:- Two brood sows bred to farrow in April. Call on or address.
Aug. Scholin, R1, Wylie, Minn.

Real Happiness

Half the world is on the wrong scent in the pursuit of happiness. They think it consists in having and getting, and being served by others. It consists in giving and serving others.—Henry Drummond.

Bad News

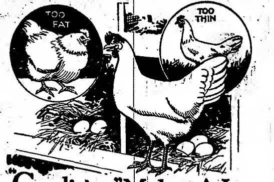
Every time we read the headline—"Dietitian to Speak"—we know a few more husbands are going to start in on a little season of being fed things they love like a motorist loves a flat.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Mate in Commerce

Brazil, Argentina and Paraguay are the only countries producing mate on a commercial scale. Argentina consumes most of its crop, only Brazil and Paraguay exporting the tea in important quantities.

Man's Vanity

There are two occasions when we men think we look splendid—when we rig up in evening clothes and when we have on the regalia of the Grand Inside Doorslammer.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.



"Condition" Makes A Lot Of Difference

Sterling Egg Mash is a varied protein feed that enables your flock to go the limit on egg production and at the same time maintain physical condition which assures longer periods of laying and better eggs for hatching. It is economical to feed, uniform in quality.

Guaranteed to Satisfy

An excellent protein supplement to be fed with your home grains or with Sterling Scratch Feed

Northrup, King & Co's Sterling Egg Mash

Red Lake Falls Milling Co.
N. Benoit, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minn.

MODERNIZATION OF ARMY GOES FORWARD

Secretary Orders Infantry Battalion Experiment.

Washington.—Modernization of the American army, through the introduction of greater fire power, mobility and capacity for sustained effort on the battle front into the infantry combat arm, was moved a step nearer fulfillment by Secretary of War Patrick J. Hurley.

On the recommendation of Gen. Charles P. Summerall, chief of staff, the war secretary issued orders calling for the organization at once of an experimental infantry battalion with sufficient additional automatic weapons to double the fire power of the present infantry unit of this size.

More Automatic Weapons.

The new infantry battalion will give the army the most compact, powerful and independent combat unit in the history of the American military establishment. It will have 25 per cent more men than the present organization, twice as many automatic rifles, twice as many 30-caliber machine guns, and four 50-caliber machine guns, for use against attacking aircraft and tanks, and introduce two 37-millimeter guns and two 75-millimeter mortars into the infantry unit. The mortars and 37-millimeter guns, formerly a part of the equipment of the old regimental howitzer company, are added to the armament of the battalion headquarters company.

The experimental battalion, composed of 1,178 men, will be armed with a total of 528 rifles, 108 automatic rifles, 24 30-caliber machine guns, four 50-caliber machine guns, two 37-millimeter guns, one-pounders, and two 75-millimeter mortars. The present organization has 544 rifles and 12 30-caliber machine guns. The regimental howitzer company, which is armed with the 37-millimeter mortars, would be abolished if the new experimental organization were adopted as standard for the army.

World War Equipment Still Used.

The step taken by Secretary Hurley recently marks probably the greatest stride the War department has taken toward bringing the army up to date. The army at present is equipped with World war equipment, although its present infantry organization is the result of two years' study made by a special board immediately after the war.

The new organization is designed to give the basic infantry combat unit greater fire power and more mobility without increasing its vulnerability.

Whether the new organization will be found satisfactory is still to be determined. It is certain, however, that changes of some kind will be made.

Dimensions of the Ark

In the International Standard Bible Encyclopedia Noah's ark is described as being three stories high, 300 cubits long, 50 cubits broad and 30 cubits high. According to Petrie's estimate of the cubit (at that period), these measurements represent 562½ feet long, 93¾ feet broad and 56¼ feet deep. Calculations show that such a structure would contain about 3,500,000 cubic feet of space.

River News

Mr. and Mrs. H. Burstad spent Sunday, Feb. 23, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Satterberg and other relatives.

Miss Nancy Hedlund spent a few day with her friends Miss Esther Thyren.

Misses Esther Thyren and Nancy Hedlund spent Thursday afternoon at the Paul Thyren home.

Mr. F. S. Erdmann was a business visitor at Thief River Falls Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gieseke and children spent Thursday at the Fred Ulrich home.

Miss Thea Burstad spent Friday at the Herman Burstad home.

Attendance was very light last week at school Dist. 236.

Mr. C. Schusser, mail carrier of rural route No. 4, Red Lake Falls, was unable to make his daily trip Tuesday and Saturday on account of the heavy snow fall and storm. This is the first time during Mr. Schusser's six years of service that he has been unable to make his daily trip.

The board of River township met Tuesday afternoon at the Paul Thyren residence.

Mortensen Bros. spent Sunday evening at the Fred Ulrich home.

Mr. E. H. Stephens was confined to the house last week on account of illness.

Mrs. F. S. Erdmann left Monday to spent a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seeger of Red Lake Falls.

Electrical Progress

Starting with the year 1878, when the first incandescent lamp was patented by Edison, the development of the small electric generator became rapid. Edison developed the direct-current system of electric generating and distribution. Nikola Tesla developed and patented the alternating system of distribution.

Who Made First Fire?

The first discovery of fire cannot be known definitely. The most probable theory is that it was discovered in the process of making stone implements, when sparks were struck off. Fire caused by lightning may have been utilized by primitive man.

Riches From the Whale

Soft, pliable leather is made from the lining of the mouth of the whale. In addition to whale oil and leather, the most valued articles from whales are the big teeth, utilized in the making of various ivory articles, as jewelry and curios.—Providence Journal.

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Patterson—Clinton

Yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Anna L. Patterson at Minneapolis occured the marriage of her daughter, Margaret, to Mr. W. D. Clinton of that city.

The bride, who is well known locally since she resided here, is a graduate of the University of Minnesota, and for the past two years has been employed as dietician at St. Andrew's Hospital at Minneapolis. The groom is manager of the credit department of a large fuel concern at Minneapolis.

Local friends join in extending congratulations and best wishes.

Fowler A Candidate

H. L. Fowler, who was appointed county auditor last fall following resignation of T. P. Anderson, filed recently as a candidate for the position he helds. Thru introduction of new and simplified methods in the office, Mr. Fowlcr has done away with necessity for an assistant and is now conducting affairs of the office alone.

For Sale:- A few shares of stock of the St. Hilaire Co- op Creamery Ass'n for sale at this office. M13-27

To St. Hilaire Community:-

Greetings:

Whereas, there is in our community a deplorahle practice of card playing.

And whereas, this has been given extensive puhlicity:

And whereas, there is a certain consequence of such harmful amusement, and a deplorahle example to the youth, and a destructive influence upon the integezity of the moral and Christian character:

Therefor, we, the pastors, laboring through the teaching of the Word of God, and through intercessory prayer for your wellbeing, especially in the spiritual, but also in temporal affairs, desire to express our heartfelt sorrow over such harmful practice such as the Whist Club and allied amusements.

We sincerely hope and pray that our beloved community may find it possihle in this Lenten season, to desist from these sinfull pleasures and to fix its mind's eyes upon the Good Shepherd, the Man of Sorrows, who stands beaten, scourged mocked, rejected, thorncrowned, and yet a King, and to suhmit ourselves to His gentle reign, thru His love and sacrifice.

Your humhle servants in Christ and His Church.

REV. M. L. DAHLE,
Pastor, Nor. Luth. Church.
REV. A F. NELSON
Pastor, Swed. Luth. Church
Rev. C. B. Dahlberg,
Pastor, Evang. Mission Church
Adv.

Win From Middle River

The St. Hilaire high school basketball team won the runner-up title of the sub-district basketball tournament held last week at Thief River by defeating the Middle River team Thursday night by a score of 33 to 18. The following night they lost to Thief River which gave the latter a go in the district tournament being held this week. The local team was awarded a nice trophy for their victory the first evening.

Auction, March 28th

Johnson Brothers, who reside at the junction of the state roads two miles east of here, are having bills put out for a big auction sale to be held at their place Friday, March 28th. 8 horses, 3 colts, 10 cows, nine head of young stock, 10 spring pigs, chickens, a complete set of farm machinery, household goods, and various other articles such as are usually found on a well stocked farm, will be offered for sale.

V. C. Noper will cry the sale, and E. O. Burkee will act as clerk. This sale, which will likely be the largest held in this section this spring, will start at 10:00 A. M.

See large bills for complete list of property to be sold.

P. T. A. Meeting

A splendid meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held Tuesday evening at the school building. Several very good papers, by citizens and teachers, were read, and there were some good musical numbers. Lunch was served as usual, at close of the program.

New Fixtures Here

Fixtures for the new Hunt Brothers hardware store arrived Friday last, and several men are now at work getting them placed, displaying merchandise, and getting the store ready for opening. The fixtures are the latest type and are finished in orange and oak which gives them a very attractive appearance.

Oats For Sale:- About 1000 hushels of Big Yellow cleaned seed oats. Call on or address.

C. H. Swanson,
R1, St. Hilaire, Minn.

The First Indication of Spring

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Jocob Reek shipped another carload of livestock Saturday from this point to St. Paul market.

For Sale:- Two hrood sows bred to farrow in April. Call on or address.

Aug. Scholin, R1, Wylie, Minn.

Price of butter has advanced four cents a pound the past two weeks, and indications point to more advances in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bohlen motored Sunday to Fargo and spent until Monday afternoon visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Benoit motored Sunday morning to Red Lake Falls and returned that afternoon.

Robert Collins left Tuesday for Grank Forks to take examinations prior to joining the U. S. Navy.

At annual spring election held Tuesday in River Falls township, all who held office the past year were returned for another term.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hauge and family motored up Saturday from Fosston and visited with both his and her relatives until Sunday afternoon. when they returned home.

The Men's Club will meet at the Nor. Lutheran church Tuesday Mar. 18th.

Program will consist of several musical selection, a talk and some readings. Everybody welcome.

After spending the winter here, Ben Lardy left Monday night over the Soo for Gouveneur, Sask, Canada., where he is engaged in farming. Mrs. Lardy and son will remain until later before joining him.

A number of relatives and friends from this vicinity, attended the funeral for the late William Crown which was conducted at Thief River Falls last Friday afternoon. The funeral was in charge of the American Legion of which Mr. Crown was a member.

Paul Thyren, who handled white cedar fence posts thruout this territory last season, on wholesale basis, will again handle posts this year. He will have a carload on track here about first of April. He is in position to make very low prices on posts owing to buying them direct from the producer, and selling them with minimum of handling direct from the car.

The Standard Oil Company has an announcement of interest on last page of this issue. Read it.

Will Rinkenberger has moved from the farm he has had the past few years, to the Tice farm in River Falls.

65 per cent of the merchandise sold by Gamble Stores is purchased and manufactured in the territory and states in which they operate. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Now you'll find a complete line of paints and supplies at Gamble Stores—Outside, Inside, Screen Paint, Varnish, Shellac and Kalsomine. Outside white $2.38 per gallon.

Supt. Cash Cartier, of the Red River Power Company at Red Lake Falls, was up yesterday making his monthly reading of the electric meters.

A special meeting of the village council was held Monday evening to consider matters pertaining to installation of some new gas pumps.

M. Converse motored up yesterday from Red Lake Falls with a truck load of goods for the new Hunt hardware store, and to assist with placing the fixtures.

Thawing weather since Sunday has cause most of the snow drifts to disappear. Unless a quantity of snow should fall in meantime, the ground should be bare in about ten days.

Taking of population census thruout the country will start April 2nd. Thus far no announcement has been received of appointment of enumerators for this village and nearby townships.

Supt. Cash Cartier of the Red River Power Company office at Red Lake Falls, was here Friday installing light and power meters at the St. Hilaire Garage, and also to look after other business of the company.

Civil War Curiosity

During the Civil war a unique composition by an unknown author was found on a battlefield in South Carolina. It was a poem into which the Lord's prayer was uniquely fitted. Being a literary curiosity, and because of its worthy and beautiful sentiment, it was widely circulated. At one time it was printed on heavy satin. Many of these old satin prints are still in existence. The poem was dated Charleston, S. C., July 4, 1823.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Will Re-oil Highway No. 32

Bids on seven millions of gallons of oil, tar and asphalt for bituninous treatment of gravel roads in the Minnesota trunk highway system were opened last week by the Minnesota Highway Department. Average prices run slightly lower than a year ago.

Among the projects scheduled for re-treatment with oil this year is a stretch of 1.4 miles extending south of Red Lake Falls, and from the Pennington-Red Lake county line north thru here to Thief River Falls, a distance of 11.5 miles. The oil treatment given on the latter stretch last year appears to be holding up well and giving good service. It is the intention of the Highway department to re-treat this stretch again in 1932, making three applications in all which is the number usually given to make a finished road surface.

Fair Rates Reduced

Management of the Minnesota State Fair has decided to reduce the admission price at outside gates of the Fair from 75 cents to 50 cents this year. It is anticipated that increased attendance that will come thru this reduction will cause an increase in receipts, thus preventing any actual financial loss as a result of this reduction.

Garage Re-opens

The St. Hilaire Garage, recently leased by A. Mandt of Goodridge, opened for business first of the week. Ed Erickson is in charge of the mechanical department, and Melvin Anderson will attend to office duties and sales.

Dr. Spofford
Optometrist
from Spofford Optical Parlors, Long Prairie, Minn.
Will Be At
Blue Parrot Cafe, St. Hilaire. Mon., Mar. 17, forenoon only.
Hotel Evelyn, Thief River Falls, Mon., Mar. 17, afternoon only.
Scientific Optometric Service
The Latest, Finest, and Best of Everything for the Eyes.
Save Your Eyes! It Pays!

For Sale:- Two purebred Ayrshire bull calves. Call on or address Chr. Kruse, Sr, R1, Wylie, Minn. M6tf

Eighth Whist Session

Eighth meeting of the local whist tournament was held Monday evening at the Imperial hall. In point of attendance, this was the largest meeting of the entire series. One hundred twelve players took part at 28 tables. There was a good representation present from Thief River Falls in addition to a number of players from the outlaying districts both east and west of town. The usual six games were played, Arthur Hanson having the highest individual score. Owing to the large number of players, it was found necessary to employ two tellers and an adding machine to tally and score in order not to delay the games. All games were close, neither side having any decided advantage, and it was not until last score was tallied that final result was determined. The Blues won this session by a lead of about 70 points, and were guests of the Pinks at lunch.

Final meeting of the series will be held next Monday evening. A big chicken dinner, which will be served at both cafes, will mark end of the tournament for this season.

25 Years Ago

A crew of men were driving piles on the river in preparation for opening of the sawmill.

—XXV—

Fred Case returned from Melfort, Sask, where he had spent the winter on his claim.

—XXV—

Wm. Bramsness returned with his horses after having spent the winter in the lumber woods.

—XXV—

H. D. Pettebone returned after spending a couple weeks at Bemidji. His family was to join him here that spring.

—XXV—

Jurors were drawn that week for spring term of district court which was to open at Red Rake Falls, March 27th.

—XXV—

Jens Nelson received word that his sister, Ida, had died at Rochester following an operation.

—XXV—

Leonard and Theodord Holmes bought the hardware and furniture stock of Otterness & Edström.

Seed Barley:-Have a quantity of good Canadian seed barley for sale. Inquire of Paul Thyren, Route 1, Hazel, Minn. F27-M20pd

Making The Grade

Financial assistance at the right time has paved the way to independence for many people in this community. During the past quarter century, the Old Reliable has assisted many people this way, and, always has funds on hand to assist anysound enterprise.

If you do not have a checking or savings account with us, start one now.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Use More Butter

Butter is the most healthful of foods. In food value it ranks well above all substitutes regardless of price.

By using liberally of the product on which this dairying section depends for its success, you are not only helping to stabilize the butter market, but you are assisting in the upbuilding of your own community.

As a "breadspread" nothing can compare wth butter.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, - - - - - Minnesota

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My Favorite Stories
by Irvin S. Cobb

The Book That Grandpa Took

SINCE Rex Beach himsalf laoghed at this story wben I broogbt it to him, there is no reason wby the general public should be denied the opportunity to laogh at it, too. I had it at first hand from a young lady who figured in it.

This yooag lady ia now engaged in newspaper work. Bot before she took op joornalism sha waa an assistant at a public library in Pittsburgh.

Ona day as she sat at her desk a sixteen-year-old girl approached her and told ber tbat she had come to pay for a book which had been lost.

"What was the book?" asked the librarian.

"It was Mr. Rex Beach's 'Going Some.' I took it oot four weeks ago to read it but we had some troubla in oor family and the book was lost and I'm afraid I can't return it; so, under tha rules, I soppose I'll bava to pay for it."

Judging by tbe girl's appearance, the librarian figured that she did uot belong to a family in particularly affluent circumstances, so sympathy moved her to maka further inquiry.

"I would suggest," sha said, "that you maka another search for the missing volume. Surely it must ba somewhere aroond yoor home. Perhaps if you hont again thoroughly you may find where it is."

"Oh, we know where it is," said tha girl. "That's just the trouble!"

"Where is it?"

"Well, you see, grandpa died."

"What has your grandfather's death to do with Mr. Rex Beach's 'Goina Some'?"

"Well, ma'em, after he was laid out in bia coffin the ondertaker used it to prop op grandpa's chin with. And everybody forgot about it until after the funeral was over. And so the book is out at tha cemetery with grandpa."

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No Fear

Bessie had great fun in running up behind the pet pig and pulling its tail.

Grandfather felt this wasn't a very safe thing for Bessie to be doing, so he asked her one day whether she wasn't afraid the pig would bite her.

"No, Grandpa," said Bessie, "it's head is on the other end."

Wyandotte News

Joe Mortenson called at the Peter Kolseth home Thursday evening.

Adelaide Anderson has been practise teaching in Dist. 6 the past week.

Lillian Berg visited at the John Albin home Saturday afternoon.

Goodwin Wilson called at the Peter Kolseth home Tuesday evening.

Daniel Haugen and David Clark motored to Thief River Thursday.

Frank and Melmer Berg called at the Peter Kolseth home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kolseth and son Elmer, motored to Thief River Saturday where Elmer received medical treatment.

O. E. Wilson motored to Grand Forks to attend to business matters on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandberg and daughter Betty Lou and Mrs. Anton Peterson visited Sunday at the Charley Samuelson home.

Goodwin Wilson and Carl Kolseth visited at N. Berg home Sunday evening.

Frank Peterson and Elmer Erickson visited at Charley Samuelson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Erickson of McIntosh visited at the P. W. Peterson home over the week end.

Mrs. John Albin and Mrs. A. A. Erickson visited at the P. W. Peterson home Sunday afternoon.

Carl Kolseth visited at the A. E. Wilson home Sunday afternoon.

Daniel Aaustad visited at the Nels Berg home Saturday evening

School Proceedings

Regular meeting of directors of Ind. School Dist. 102 held, January 28th 1930.

All members present.

The minutes of last meeting approved as read.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed:-

St. Hilaire Telephone Exchange	$10.55
A. Satterberg 62,000 pounds coal at $9.00 per ton	279.0
Red River Power Co Lights and Power	7.63
Ginn & Company Book as bill	5.92
Hoff Rubber Stamp Co Signs as bill	1.25
Rand McNally & Co. Books as bill	1.03
M. Highland Express and drayage	5.24
American Book Co - Books	58.80
Minnesota School Board Ass'n. Dues	4.00

On motion made and carried physics laboratory equipment be purchased to the amount of 90.00.

No further business motion for adjournment carried.

E. O. Burkee
Clerk

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)ss.
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON)
IN DISTRICT COURT
FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Gus O. Kratt, Plaintiff,
vs.
Augusta Olson; Gustav J. Melum (also known as Gust M. Mallom); A. M. Holtan (also known as Anton M. Holtan); Laura Holtan, a widow (also known as Laura Holton); First Minneapolis Trust Company (formerly Minneapolis Trust Company), as Trustee under the last will and testament of Anton M. Holtan, deceased; Mary L. McDonald; The Liberty State Bank of Minneapolis; Priscilla R. Biedermann (also known as Precilla Biederman); Jacob Biedermann; John Leonard; John Arnold Leonard; Mathilda Leonard; Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls; The Empire Farms Company; and all other persons who claim to have any interest in or lien upon the premises, or on any part of the premises described in the complaint in this action. Defendants. SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS:

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in the above entitled action which has been filed in the office of the clerk of said court and to serve a copy of your answer thereto upon the subscriber at his office in the city of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service.

If you fail to answer the complaint within such time the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded therein.

J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Office and Post Office Address,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

NOTICE OF LIS PENDENS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an action has been commenced in this Court by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendants.

This action is brought under Section 2188, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1923 for the purpose of having the Court adjudge the Plaintiff to be the owner in fee of all of the hereinafter described premises, and that defendants or either of them have no estate or interest therein or lien thereon, or on any part of the said premises hereinafter described.

The premises affected by said action are situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows:

FIRST—The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Seventeen (17) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Two (152), North of Range Forty-Two (42), excepting two acres in the Southeast (SE) corner thereof; described in Deed recorded in Book 21 of Deeds, page 263 in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota.

SECOND—The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-Four (24) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Four (154), North of Range Forty-One (41), West, excepting Railroad right of way as now located thereon.

THIRD—The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Nine (9) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Two (152), North of Range Forty-Two (42), West.

FOURTH—The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-Five (25) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Four (154), North of Range Forty-One (41), West.

FIFTH—The South Half of tha Northeast Quarter (S½ NE¼) and Lots One (1) and Two (2) of Section Five (5) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Three (153), North of Range Forty-One (41), West.

SIXTH—The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Eighteen (18) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Three (153), North of Range Forty-Five (45), West.

Dated January 24th, 1930.

J. M. Bishop,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Office and Postoffice Address,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. M-6-20

Good Manners

I take tt that the essence of good manners is the gift of putting people at their ease, not the chosen few people whom one likes, bnt all people. Yes, ease is the word that describes good manners. Tbe great lady is at her ease with the gardener, the housemaid, the ragamuffin, the ootcast, and she makes them all feel comfortable in ber presence. And bad manners is the faculty of meking every one uncomfortable, whether by being abruptly rude, or overwhelmingly gushing, too cordial or too lecking in cordiality, too contemptuous or too flattering. Too much of anything is bad manners. It destroys ease and makes people fidget. A manner that makes other people nervous is a bad manner, whether tt be frankly unpleasant or too pleasant by far.—Mary Borden in Harper's Magazine.

Ink's High Importance

Some one has said that the art of writing "consists in putting black marks on white paper." Tha history of this modest essential, both of writing and printing, has recently been traced back 3,000 years. Tha Egyptians are credited with using ink as early as 1200 B. C. Later, the Greeks imported both papyrus and ink from their neighbors on the banks of the Nile. It is difficult to imagine how learning could have progressed or the records of tha past have been handed down without ink. It has been a faithful soldier in the procession which we call civilization.—Exchange.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Foreign Will

ESTATE OF Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, Decedent.

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Regina Hoover, Frank Clark, Fred Clark, Emery Atwater, Mrs. Julius Bretsch and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of F. D. Peet, representing that Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, then a resident of the County of Hardin, State of Iowa, died on the 4th day of April, 1929, testate and that his will has been allowed and admitted to probate in the district court in and for the County of Hardin, State of Iowa, being filed in this court, together with authenticated copies of said will and of the probate thereof in the court above named, and praying that said Will be admitted to probate in this State, and that letters testamentary be thereon granted to him. NOW, THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of April, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS The Honorable Lars Backe, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 8th day of March, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate Court

Perl W. Mabey
and H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
M13-27.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In The Matter of the Estate Of Peter Lindblom Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, To Henry Lindblom, Clara Scholin, Carl Lindblom, Luceile Lindblom, Mable Lindblom and Ellen Lindblom, also known as Ida Lindblom and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, on the 22nd day of March 1930 at 10:00 o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 19th day of February 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

Theo. Quale.
Attorney for Petitioner.
F27-M13

MEET THE GANG
-AT-
Bob's Coffee Shop
If you can't eat at home. eat with us
R. Helmkay,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Ask Me

She had done everything wrong. She had disregarded the signal lights, then stalled in the middle of tha street, and before starting had taken out her powder puff and started to apply it to her face. An irate traffic officer rushed up:

"Say, lady, do you know anything at all about traffic rules?"

"Why, yes. What is it that you want to know?"—Chatham News.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.

St. Hilaire. Minn.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 5th, 1924, executed by Henry H. Hallstrom and Lettie L. Hallstrom, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 11th, 1924, at two o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 206 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $93.75 each, due on April 5th, 1929, and October 5th, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,611.56, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from October 5th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $187.50, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $93.75 thereof since April 5th, 1929, and on $93.75 thereof since October 5th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $136.36 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since December 30th, 1929, in all the sum of $3,203.13, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-five (45) West, except reservations for railroad purposes heretofore made, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 11th day of April, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated February 26th, 1930.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (F27-A3)

Old Books

Books that are worn and yet are not to be thrown away can be lacquered and made to look like new. Even though the backs need to be repaired with cloth they can ba gone over with the lacquer and detection will not be possible.

By Way of Comparison

It is said that no two objects in the universe are more than 54,000,000,000,000,000,000 miles apart. We are not so sure. Sometimes desire and hope of realization seem much farther apart than that.—Toledo Blade.

The Ghost

The old argument as to whether Shakespeare wrote his own stuff has been revised, but so far no one has charged Banquo with being his ghost writer.—Arkansas Gazette.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR,)
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON,)ss.
STATE OF MINNESOTA.)

TO D. S. B. Johnson Land Company.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 1 & 2 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 3 & 4 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 5 & 6 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 7 & 8 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 9 & 10 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 16 & 19 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 25 & 26 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 27 & 28 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 29 & 30 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 31 & 32 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.

Are Now Assessed In Your Name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1922, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 15th day of March, 1922, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1920, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land were offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said pieces or parcels were bid in for the State of Minnesota for the following sums: Lots 1 & 2 seventy-four cents, Lots 3 & 4 seventy-four cents, Lots 5 & 6 seventy-four cents, Lots 7 & 8 seventy-four cents, Lots 0 & 10 seventy-four cents, Lots 18 & 19 seventy-eight cents, Lots 25 & 28 seventy-nine cents, Lots 27 & 28 seventy-nine cents, Lots 29 & 30 seventy-nine cents, and Lots 31 & 32 seventy-nine cents.

(3) That thereafter, and on the ninth day of September, 1929, the said pieces or parcels not then having been redeemed from said sale, were sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the following sums: Lots 1 & 2—$6.38, Lots 3 & 4—$6.36, Lots 5 & 6—$6.36, Lots 7 & 8—$6.36, Lots 9 & 10—$8.38, Lots 16 & 19—$6.40, Lots 25 & 26—$6.40, Lots 27 & 28—$6.40, Lots 29 & 30—$6.40, and Lots 31 & 32—$6.40.

(4) That the amount required to redeem each piece or parcel of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum for which it was sold as shown in paragraph 3 of this notice, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from said ninth day of September, 1929, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificates of sale issued to said purchaser have been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 1st day of March, 1930.

(Official Seal.) H. L. FOWLER
Auditor Pennington County,
Minnesota.

Approved by
Attorney General. M-6-20

Early Diving Suit

The diving suit is not so new as one might think. A patent was granted to John Stapleton on March 17, 1693, for "a new engine so by him contrived as to permit a person enclosed in it to walk under water, and to a new invented way to force air into any depth of water to supply the person in the said engine therewith and for continuing a lamp burning under water; also a way to descerate and purify the air so as to make the same serviceable for respiration."

Do It Now

Look over your supply of printed matter such as envelopes, statements, letterheads, bill heads, cards or other forms you use daily.

Spring is "right around the corner", the time you need them Let us have your order for what you need.

St. Hilaire Spectator

Hazel News

Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg visited at the Pete Nelson home Wednesday evening.

A group of friends gathered at the Lokken home Wednesday afternoon March 5th to help Margaret in celebrating her birthday anniversary. The following guests were present, Mrs. Adrian Anderson and daughter Phoebe, Mrs. Ole Odegaard, Miss Evelyn Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Knutson and daughter Arlene visited at J. Gunstad Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Johnson and children Naomi, Mary Jane and Roderick were Sunday dinner guests at the Sjoberg home.

Mr. and Floyd Sumpter and little son Bohby were callers at the C. Alberg home Sunday evening.

Miss Margaret Lokken was delightfully surprised by a birthday gathering at her home Saturday evening. Although her birthday anniversary was March 5. these friends thought it suitable to gather there at the end of the week. A money gift was presented to her so that she may select her own gift. The following were present, Mr. and Mrs. Steene and daughters Anna and Minnie, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lappegard, Fritz Louzy, Olaf Anna and Joe Torstveit, Anna, Phoebe, Mamie and Arthur Anderson, Halvor Viken, Carl Olsen, Gust Gustafson A Rassmusen, Agnes and Edwin Anderson, Anton Torkelson, Evelyn Peterson, Marie Kolseth, Mayhelle Seeland and Mr. and Mrs. C. Alherg and family.

Mrs. Martha Torstveit and son Joseph and Mrs. Thorvald Torkelson were callers Sunday afternoon at Nels Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard motored to Fargo Sunday to visit with their sons Oscar and Morris. Morris returned with his parents to Hazel.

Roy and Louie Lokken entertained a number of their friends at their home Saturday evening. The chief diversion of the evening was dancing. The following guests were there, Thelma and Melvin Torstveit, Norman and Raynard Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Widme, Clara and Casper Iverson, Mrs. Harry Lowe and Laurence Peterson.

Mrs. E. Knutson and daughter Arlene, Mrs. A. Anderson, Mrs. Pete Nelson, daughter Gladys, Mr. and Mrs. Erling Prestby and family were Sunday callers at the C. Prestby home.

Theo. Johnson substituted for Mr. Melvie Monday at the Hazel creamery on account of the illness of the latter. Thorstein Walseth acted as substitute mail carrier.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg and family were supper guests at the Oscar Seeland home Sunday evening.

Mrs. C. Roese and daughter Joyce were Sunday callers at the Floyed Sumpter home.

C. Prestby, A. Rasmussen, E. Prestby and W. Wilson took in the basketball game Thursday at Thief River.

The Little Literary Society of the Busy Bee school held a program Thursday afternoon. The program committee consisted of Naomi Johnson, Arlene Knutson and Edna Prestby. The numbers on the program were selected and given to the participants and the preparation was carried out entirely by the members of the committee. The program consisted of:-

Song Be True Edna and Arlene
Recitation Queen Winter Phyllis
Playlet Country and City Mouse
1st and 2nd grade pupils
Old Flag Evelyn
Song Lycille
Recitation Rueben
A Toast to the Flag Myrtle
Talk Luther Burhank Edna
Musical Selection
Little Brown Church
Harmonica Woodrow Wilson
Organ Mae Kenney
Vocal duet Arlene and Edna
Organ Solo Naomi
Reading The Owl Critic Arlene
"Here Comes the Flag Joyce

School Proceedings

Postponed regular meeting of directors of Ind. School Dist. 102 held March 4th 1930.

All members present.

Minutes of last regular meeting approved as read.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed:-

First Nat. Bank Minneapolis
Int. Bonds $700.00
Universal Scientific Co
As hill 1-31 9.50
St. Paul Book & Stat. Co
As bill 1-18 39.43
Colborn School Suppy Co.
As hill 3-1 11.50
Chas. Scribner & Sons
As hill 3-1-30 27.00
M. Highland
Freight and Drayage 3.97
Red River Power Co.
Lights and Power 12.33
A. Satterberg
60600 pounds coal delivered 272.70

No futher business motion for adjournment carried

E. O. Burkee
Clerk

Gave France New Dish

Sanerkrant was introduced into France by the German Princess Elizabeth, daughter of the Elector Palatine, who married a brother of Louis XIV.

Wasted Life

There is nothing more disgraceful than that an old man should have nothing to produce as a proof that he has lived long, except his years.—Seneca.

This Week

by **Arthur Brisbane**

Bury Me in Pink
Gandhi's Appeal
The King's Maxim
If War Did Come

Woman's interest in dress, strong and deep, goes back a million years. She started with a necklace, according to scientists. First an ornament around the neck, then one around the waist, then a skirt and all sorts of things.

A woman in California who murdered a man and killed herself asked to be buried in white satin with yellow roses in her hand.

A well-known actress in New York jumps from a twentieth-story window and makes two requests: first, that she be buried in pink satin; second, that her husband keep away from the funeral.

Beautiful in sincerity and humility is Gandhi's appeal to the British government. "On bended knees, I ask you to ponder this phenomenon"—namely, the "impoverishing of India's dumb millions" by Britain.

Gandhi says, "I do not intend to harm a single Englishman." He will only resist passively.

Very touching, but not the attitude that gains independence, not the attitude of a people ready for independence.

Britain set a different example before the Hindus after the Sepoy rebellion.

The British put murderous rebels inside of cannon and blew them to pieces, knowing that religious superstition would make the punishment most horrible.

No rehellion of consequence since then.

One industry marches on to higher and higher figures. In the cigarette business, prosperity reigns. Everybody always has money to buy cigarettes.

When employment is lacking there is leisure to smoke more cigarettes, and all feel that they must have them, job or no job.

Last year's production was one hundred and nineteen billion cigarettes, almost a thousand cigarettes per year for every man, woman and child in the United States.

One thing most important to all business men in connection with the gigantic cigarette industry: Cigarette men are the most aggressive, energetic and continuous advertisers in the nation.

The Standard Oil Company of New Jersey sets an example to other oil concerns, voluntarily reducing its refinery operations by one-seventh.

Refining is a continuous process, and must continue seven days a week, but only six days' actual work will be done, to prevent overproduction.

And most important part of the good example, men will not be discharged or have their wages cut.

An English clergyman reveals King George's six maxims, all hung up on the walls of his library.

The first is: "Teach me to be obedient to the rules of the game."

Excellent for a constitutional monarch, obeying the will of his people.

Rulers of a different kind, Alexander, Caesar, Napoleon, had a different maxim: "See that you obey the rules of the game as I make them."

We do not understand management of prisons, or our criminals are different from other criminals.

Weeks ago, Warden Hoffman of Auburn prison, New York, told a reporter: "We are sitting on a powder keg."

Recently, a convict stabbed the head keeper of the prison to death. He knew that the electric chair, nearby, would inevitably avenge that murder. Nevertheless, he committed it.

General Ely, commanding the second corps area, has a plan to defend New York city in war.

He would "mobilize the civilian services."

If modern war came the civilian services would mobilize themselves. And with them the six million population of New York, as many as survived the first gas and bomb attack, would mobilize themselves by scattering through the country, abandoning the city as rats leave a ship when it is sinking.

In case of an attack by airplane, which would be the first sort of attack in a new war, it would not be necessary for General Ely to worry about his suggestion for "guarding the water supply."

After the first half hour, there wouldn't be anybody left in New York to drink water. The dead couldn't drink it and all the living would have left the city.

An encouraging statement comes from Mr. Edsel B. Ford, now in Florida. He is one who talks rarely, and thinks first. President of the Ford company, knowing the sales from day to day, possessing sound information about business conditions, he predicts steady improvement in business, particularly in industrial lines.

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Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in a certain mortgage, containg a power of sale, executed and delivered by Arminta Hooper and G. W. Hooper, her husband, of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, as mortgagors to the Crookston Building & Loan Association, a corporation, under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, and covering the following described property, situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lots One (1), Two (2), and Three (3) of Block One (1) of Ives' Addition to the Village of St. Hilaire, according to the recorded plat thereof, on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota.

Which mortgage is dated the 3rd day of March, 1922, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County of Pennington, Minnesota on the 29th day of March, 1922, at 8:00 o'clock A. M. and duly recorded in Book 70 of Mortgages, on Page 327; that no action or proceedings have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, and that the amount now due upon said mortgage is the sum of Seven Hundred Sixty-eight and 46-100 Dollars ($768.46) against which the mortgagors are entitled to credit of Three Hundred ninety-one and 79-100 Dollars ($391.79), the current value of seven (7) shares of capitol stock of the mortgagee, subscribed for by said mortgagors and forming a part of said transaction, leaving the amount actually due and claimed to be due and owing upon said mortgage at the date of this notice, the sum of Three Hundred Seventy-six and 67-100 Dollars ($376.67), and the further sum of Six Hundred ninety-six and 29-100 Dollars ($696.29), taxes paid by said mortgagee, making a total of One Thousand seventy-two and 96-100 Dollars ($1,072.96), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon said mortgage.

NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale and the statute in such cases made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, by the sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 29th day of March, 1930, at 10:00 o'clock, in the forenoon of that day at the East front door of the Pennington County Court House in the city of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, to pay said debt, together with the said taxes and interest thereon, and the costs and disbursements of these proceedings, together with Fifty Dollars ($50.00) attorney's fees, stipulated in and by said mortgage.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1930.

Crookston Building & Loan Association
A Corporation,
Mortgagee

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Mortgagee
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
F13-M20

International Bridge

The Ambassador bridge between Detroit and Sandwich was constructed at a total cost of $22,500,000. Negotiations were started in 1924 and actual construction on the project began about the middle of the year 1927. The bridge is a toll bridge, the principal rates being 5 cents per passenger and 50 cents per passenger automobile.

Superstition Still Strong

The ancient Romans used to carry children to be cured of their diseases by touching the bronze she-wolf on the Capitoline hill. Though names have changed and the old temple vanished, and church after church decayed on this spot, the old superstition remains and sick children are still brought there to be cured.

Lead Absorbs the Shock

In the construction of a skyscraper in New York city, 55 tons of lead was utilized in protecting the steel from shock, which also means that the comfort of the occupants has been taken care of. The metal is made use of in the form of a mattress between the steel and the foundations.

Stock and Poultry Meals

We have on hand a big supply of Cottonseed meal, Oil meal, etc., for stock use.

And we have Bone meal, Meat scraps, Oyster shells and Limestone "Shellmaker" for poultry.

Don't forget to order a sack of Dakota Maid

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Snappy Get-away

For satisfactory winter driving much depends on the kind of gas you use. For quick starting we recommend

KOOLMOTOR

We also have the right crankcase oil and grease that will make your motor function as it should during cold weather. See us for all kinds of oils.

Young's Service Station

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening services 8:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Black River church at 10:30 A. M. and in St. Hilaire church at 3:00 P. M.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, March 16
Services as follows:-
Ebenezer, Mayfield, 11:00 A. M.
St. Hilaire Luth:-
Sunday school 10:00
Lenten services at 8:00

Come and be with us at these Lenten services.

Baby Carriages First Used by Royal Families

Baby carriages did not make their appearance until the middle of the Ninteenth century, when, according to a historical sketch published by a carriage company, a man appeared on a street in New York and attracted a good deal of attention by pushing a baby carriage which he had designed and made. That man was Charles Burton, a lithographic artist who had come from England, and who returned to his home country with his baby carriage as soon as he discovered that he had hit upon a popular idea.

He made some more carriages in the parlor of a house near the Kensington palace and almost immediately received orders from nobility and royalty, including Queen Victoria, who bought three, Queen Isabella of Spain, who bought one, for her son, later Alphonso XII, and others. The royal houses quickly learned of the convenience of the baby carriage, and it reached the homes of the poor.—Detroit News.

Rice Long Recognized Staple American Crop

Rice, according to a legend, was introduced into South Caroline accidentally in 1693, when a vessel bound for Liverpool from Madagascar was driven from her course by a storm and compelled to put into Charleston harbor for repairs. The captain, says the legend, presented Landgrave Smith and the settlers with a small bag of rice for seed, and from this seed sprang the entire American rice industry. Although this story has been retold by many of our best historians, there is ample evidence that is a myth, says a writer in the Pathfinder Magazine. Two years before the incident is supposed to have occurred—1691—the rice industry had become so important in South Corolina that the provincial assembly granted a patent to Peter Jacob Guerard, who had "lately invented and brought to perfection, a Pendulum engine, which doth much better, and in less time and labour huske rice, than any other heretofore hath been used within the Province." As a matter of fact a considerable quantity of rice was being raised in South Carolina within a few years after the first settlements were made. The promoters of the colony in England had not overlooked the possibilities of rice culture in the new territory and stated in their prospectus that "the meadows are very proper for rice." Sir William Berkeley had made an unsuccessful attempt to raise rice in Virginia as early as 1647.

Revelation Gave "Vet" Something of a Shock

At the beginning of the World war, the then Major Wise was in command at Philadelphia. Although a strict disciplinarian, he was very human and therefore loved by the men. The story is still told of how one marine, just past the age limit, was to have been left behind when the troop started for France.

The old vet, determined to go to the front, walked boldly up to his commander in the Philadelphia navy yard and said:

"Sir, there's room enough in France for both of us."

There was, and later on, when the man went to the hospital with a bullet in his leg, it chanced to be Mrs. Wise who nursed him and endured his ill-temper, as he was anxious to get back to the front.

Then one day, he discovered that his nurse was his major's wife and what he said after that isn't printable.

Cedar Fence Posts For Sale

Will have on track in St. Hilaire about April 1st, a carload of Cedar posts. These will be sold at the usual low price if taken direct from car. Anyone needing posts this spring communicate with

Paul Thyren
Hazel, Minn.

Chick - Chick - Chick

It is soon time for the chicks to arrive. Have you a brooder house ready for them? We have them on display at our yard.
Come in and look them over.

Central Lumber Co.

Bray News

The party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Seaverson Saturday evening was well attended. A tasty lunch was served by the self invited guests and a good time was reported by all.

Sheriff and Mrs. Ole L. Ihle were Saturday evening callers at the home of Emil Larson.

School has been closed in Dist. 180 on account of the illness of the teacher Miss Krause.

Miss Amy Danielson who has been doing practise teaching in the Bray Blooming school has returned to Thief River Falls to resume her duties at the Normal Training Department.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lindquist and Mr. and Mrs. Christ Person and daughter Gladys attended the funeral of Wm. Crown on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lindbloom and daughter Mabel visited at the Henry Melin home Sunday, where the latter will be employed.

Inez, Alice and Melvin Scholin helped Norma Pearson celebrate her fourth birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sandberg and son Bohbie and daughter Clara and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Sandberg and daughter Sylvia Lorraine of Holt were Sunday evening dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson.

Miss Evelyn Wood of Thief River Falls spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Wood.

Miss Lulu Hegstrom has heen absent from school on account of illness.

Helpful

The widow of a farmer was being consoled by a neighboring farmer, who happened to be a widower.

"Cheer up, woman," be said. "Ye're young yet, and good looking, an' yon could soon get another husband."

"Oh, no, no," she replied, "who would take me?"

"Why, if I had a better pair of boots on I'd run away wi' ye myself," said the widower, gallantly.

Tha widow, lifting her face and wiping ber eyes, said, earnestly: "I wonder would John's fit you?"—England Birmingham Weekly Post.

River News

Mrs Wm. Hesse and Mrs. H. Burstad spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Geo. Hesse.

Miss Hoffer, private nurse, was called Thursday to take care of Mr. E. H. Stephens, who has been confined to his bed since Monday with a severe cold. Mr. Stephens numerous friends will be glad to hear that he is well on the road to recovery at this writing.

Miss Mable Konikson spent Saturday with her friend Marie Hendricks.

The Happy Cawing of the crows make one believe spring is here to stay this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Burstad spent Thursday afternoon at the Henry Burstad home.

Mrs. J. Larson and children spent Saturday at the Geo. Hesse home.

Herman and Olaf Burstad were Thief River business callers Saturday.

Miss Thea Burstad spent the week end with relatives and friends at Thief River.

A number of young folks of this vicinity spent Saturday night at Thief River.

A numbers of friends of Mrs. H. Starken pleasantly surprised her and helped celebrate her birthday anniversary.

Wm. Rinkenberger has completed moving his property to the Tice farm.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Jepson and family were Sunday guests at the E. H. Stephens home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ulrich and family and Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Ulrich and family were guests Sunday at the Paul Gieseke home.

Victor Erickson returned Monday after spending a few days with his hrother Elmer at McIntosh.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$ .88
Duram Wheat	.73
Rye	.47
Barley	.42
Oats	.35
Flax	2.62
Eggs, casb	.18
Creamery bntter	.41

Bobbed Hair Proved to Have Been Viking "Fad"

It has been definitely proved: Bobbed hair was the fashion over a thousand years ago. It cannot be claimed thet it conqnered the entire world at that time, but we know absointely that the ancient Vikings, the rohhers and aeafarers of old, knew the style. This astounding fact, together with many others of perhaps less interest bnt even greater scientific importance, has been established throngh the discovery near Tilsit, East Prussia, of a hnge Viking burial place, dating from the Ninth, Tenth and Eleventb centnries. The finds are unusnally rich. Each man's grava contains three or four iron swords, as meny as a dozen lanceheads, bronze belt bnckles, stirrups and snaffles. In tbe women'e graves jewelry of all kinds waa found, bronze bracelets, rings, necklaces, all beautifully wronght. A young woman with bobbed heir was found in one of these graves, wlth "zippers" nsed in place of bnttons or pins to fasten garments.—Edgar Ansel in the Chicago Daily News.

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DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Brainerd—A Young People's Interdenominational conference for Minnesota will be held here March 27 to 29.

Little Falls—J. W. Crossfield and Frank Kiawel are candidates for mayor. Twenty-four are in the race for 16 offices.

Duluth—Twelve students of the local State Teachers College will complete courses with closing exercises of the winter term.

Royalton—Officers of the newly organized Royalton Gun Club are George Armstrong, pres. and G. U. Sitler, sec.-treas.

Aitkin—Rev. H. J. Anderson was convicted in district court here of falsely obtaining money during 1929 for wolf bounties.

Hastings — Destruction of two busses in a fire here caused temporary suspension of service between St. Paul and Hastings.

Red Wing—Jens K. Grondahl, state legislator in his younger days, has filed as a republican candidate for lieutenant governor.

Dawson—Roneida Mayer has been chosen valedictorian and Imogene Bolstad salutatorian of the June graduating class at Dawson high school.

Alexandria—Officers and directors of the Alexandria Advertising Club were elected at the ennual meeting here. O. G. Englund is president.

Richfield—Town of Richfield voted $35,000 for a new school hnilding and same has been declared legal hy the state's attorney generel. No site has heen selected.

So. St. Paul—500 ducks from Minneapolis park lakes, wintered at the state game ferm here, will be released in atate lakes this spriog for re-stocking pnrposes.

Red Wing—The Red Wing-Twin Cities Assn. held its fifth annual dinner in the Midwey. A. J. Schunk, Minneapolis new postmaster, is an officer and was a principel speaker.

Minneapolis—A flood of counterfeit $10 bills, of new currency, has appeared in the Twin Cities, and F. C. Reilly, N. W. secret service egent, sounds a warning to the entire section.

Winona—Josephine Krogstad won a trip to the National Flower and Garden Show at Minneapolis March 29 to April 6, by an "inspired poster" in the 4-H Club netion-wide poster contest.

Faribault—30 "home town" industries found vent for expression in speech and song at Faribault's fifth annual "Made in Faribault Dinner" as approximately 1,000 persons filled the Guard armory here.

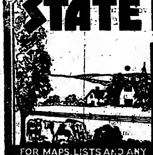
Fulda—Plans are heing made for a homecoming celebration July 3 and 4 to observe the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Fulda. The Community Association has charge with J. S. Tolversonn as chairman.

Columbia Heights—Mayor W. R. Foster and a majority of tha council stole a merch on the faction seeking his recall by setting e date for the recall election of the opposing councilman H. W. Karrow as of April 1.

St. Paul—Approximately 1,000 persons, representing shippers of eggs, butter and pon1try in Minnesota and other northwest states will attend the eleventh annnal convention of the Minnesota Egg, Butter and Poultry Association.

Shakopee — Rosella Dresden, 22, who bears the title of "Miss Minnesota" won at the state Legion convention last Angust in Winona, has left for Miami, Fla., to enter the annual national bathing beanty contest there, March 7 to 11.

STATE LAND SALES



Buy now in upper Minnesota. Selected tracts in 16 counties offered on easy terms. The state employs no agents—see the land before buying.

DATES

Aitkin County......May 26— 1 P. M.	Koochiching County May 17—10 A. M.
Becker County......May 12— 2 P. M.	Kittson County......April 25— 2 P. M.
Beltrami County......May 16—10 A. M.	Marshall County......April 25—10 A. M.
Cass County......May 10—18 A. M.	Mille Lacs County......May 3—10 A. M.
Clearwater County......May 15—11 A. M.	Pine County......May 19— 2 P. M.
Hubbard County......May 12—10 A. M.	Roseau County......April 24— 1 P. M.
Itasca County......May 26—10 A. M.	St. Louis County......May 19—11 A. M.
Kanabec County......May 3— 1 P. M.	Todd County......May 24—11 A. M.

TERMS

Lands are sold only at public auction, held at the office of the County Auditor in the Court House. The required payment is 15% down with the balance payable at any time within forty years, interest at 4%.
Prices range from $5.00 per acre up.

FOR MAPS, LISTS AND ANY OTHER INFORMATION
WRITE
RAY P. CHASE
STATE AUDITOR
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Whist Tournament Ends

Last Monday evening was held the ninth and last meeting of the whist tournament for this season. There were one hundred ten people present at this meeting, one of the best attended of any of the series. After a short period of playing, the Blues side enjoyed a chicken dinner at one cafe, while the Pinks sat down to a similar repast which was served by the other cafe in the Odd Fellows hall. After dinner, playing was resumed with final victory for the Blues. Earl Jensen had the highest individual score for the evening.

All who have attended the tournament during the winter, are unanamous in declaring it has afforded them clean and wholesome entertainment during otherwise dull months, and it has also been the means of bringing together people from all parts of the community and extending their acquaintance which is of considerable value to all concerned.

Tentative plans have already been made to have another tournament, on a larger scale, which will start next fall after fall work is completed.

The following were present at a party given at the Anton Anderson home Saturday evening in honor of Miss Helen Anderson: Dorothy and Helen Anderson, Klemmens Gigstad, Albert Hestikind, Axel Rassmusen, Annie and Art Anderson Evelyn, Gladys and Melford Peterson, Olaf Torstveit, Stella Bengston and Mr. and Mrs. Peterson.

The evening was spent in games and contests. A delicious lunch was served at midnight and the guests departed at a late hour.

Output of butter at the local creamery is averaging a hundred tubs and more each week. This is very good for this time of the year.

For Sale:- A typewriter. Will sell reasonable. Call at Bob's Coffee Shop, City.

Every man in Gamble Stores is selected from the territory in which these stores operate. They understand and appreciate community needs.

For Sale:- A few shares of stock of the St. Hilaire Co- op Creamery Ass'n for sale at this office. M13-27

Chase For Governor

Ray P. Chase

Ray P. Chase, state auditor of Minnesota since 1921, and chief deputy in the same office for five years previous to 1921, filed Tuesday for the Republican nomination for governor.

A wide circle of friends in all parts of the state have expected this announcement, and now that it is actually made, greet it with rejoicing. If ever a man was qualified in every way for the Governorship of this great state, that man is Ray P. Chase. A splendid public speaker, a lawyer, a recognized authority on state tax matters, in addition to 14 years of experience in the auditor's office–one of the most important offices in the state, by the way–makes Mr. Chase the best qualified man of any seeking the Governorship.

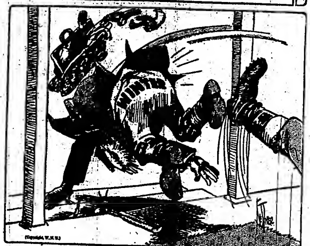
If his conduct of the office of state auditor during the past years is any criterion of what may be expected of him as Governor, voters of Minnesota will make no mistake in electing Mr. Chase.

A. B. Mandt, of Goodridge, has brot down several truck loads of equipment for the newly re-opened St. Hilaire Garage. Mr. Mandt expects to put in considerable more materials and stock by time spring business opens.

The weather man played a mean trick on this section yesterday. After nearly a day of very mild weather, the wind changed to the northwest and the mercury went down to within speaking distance of the zero mark.

Seed Barley:.Have a quantity of good Canadian seed barley for sale. Inquire of Paul Thyren, Route 1, Hazel, Minn. F27-M20pd

Good-by!



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

E. M. Bennes was among those from Thief River Falls who attended the whist tournament here Monday night.

For Sale:- A turkey tom. Address Emil Person, R1, Wylie, Minn.

Regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the creamery will be held tomorrow.

Clint Martz is back after having been up in the timber a part of the winter.

Helen Anderson returned Sunday to her home at Bowbells, N. D., after an extended visit at the home of her aunt, Mrs. K. O. Gigstad.

The Dorcas Society meets Saturday afternoon at the Norwegian Lutheran church parlors. Mrs. E. Jensen and Miss Agnes Vik entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferdie Brown, accompanied by Elmer Blaine, motored down Sunday from Grygla and spent the day at the Branum and Mrs. Jennie Carter homes.

Hay rope and halter rope --100 percent long fiber Pure Manilla guaranteed-- breaking strain greater than Goverment specifications-- 1-2" 2.1-4c per ft. 7-8" 5- 1-2 per ft. Gamble Stores.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veterinarian was here Monday attending to several calls west of town, and southeast of here in vicinity of Plummer.

Wm. Hunt, Milton Converse, Sam Hunt and others from the Hunt Hardware Company store at Red Lake Falls, have been here this week assisting with unpacking and placing of the stock in the new store which will open to the public next week.

A. B. Mandt, the Goodridge oil dealer, has put in a stock of Texaco products at the garage, and is open for business. Melvin Anderson will handle the oil sales and office while Ed Erickson is to have charge of the repair department.

Carl Surmo, of Holt, who bought the Halverson farm south of town last fall, motored down Monday to look after his property.

He and family expect to move down in about three weeks to make their home.

Sheriff Ole Ihle stopped here for a short time Monday evening while enroute home from a motor trip to St. Paul.

For Sale:- Two purebred Ayrshire bull calves. Call on or address Chr. Kruse, Sr, R1, Wylie, Minn. M6tf

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Mrs. Eric Olson of Thief River Falls is visiting at the home of her son, Ordean Olson.

The two children of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Walton, who recently submitted to operations, are improving rapidly and will soon be back at school.

For Sale:- One purebred Holstein bull calf, and several high grade ones. Call on or address.
Arne Vik
St. Hilaire, Minn M26-27p

Erick Klemsrud came up Monday morning from Crookston to look after matters in connection with his real estate interests southeast of the village.

The Thief River Falls high school basketball quint won the district championship by defeating the Warren quint last Friday night by a score of 27 to 18.

Dr. Geo. Spofford, the Long Prairie optometrist, who has travelled thru this section for over twenty years, was here Monday forenoon on one of his regular trips.

Bennet Arrestad of Halstad, visited at the M. Highland home here last week-end, returning home Monday.

The heat resistance breaker strip in G & J Tires gives longer life. Ask any Gamble Manager about their 9 points of superior construction– 32x6.00 $13.95. Tube Free. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Robert Collins returned last week from Grand Forks where he took preliminary examinations with view of joining the U. S. Navy. He passed the examinations successfully, but will require some dental work done before acceptance.

Roy Carlson motored up Saturday from Detroit Lakes to look after some property and other matters at his former home in Mayfield township. He states his mother and rest of the family, who moved to Detroit Lakes last fall, are getting along nicely.

St. Patrick's Day Party

The Misses Ruth Frazier, Nina Freistad and Ruth Lee were hostess Monday evening at a pretty St. Patrick's Day party, for twenty of their friends, at the A. Bilden home. Progressive games were played at which Mrs. E. O. Burkee carried off first honors, and Mrs. E. D. Jensen second. A delicious luncheon was served at close of the entertainment.

Agnes Johnson Married

Word has been received by friends here of the marriage of Miss Agnes Johnson, daughter of Mrs. Ole Johnson, a former resident of this community, to Mr. Irvin Johnson of Evanston, Ill., the ceremony having taken place Feb. 1st. The bride has been employed at Evanston since leaving here, and the groom is engaged in the garage business in that city. Local friends join in extending best wishes.

Auction Sale, March 28

Bills are out this week for the auction sale to be held March 28th, at the Johnson Bros. farm two miles east of here at junction of the state roads. Johnson Bros. have a fine lot of horses and cattle, and good equipment of machinery. Anyone starting farming, or needing any of the property listed, will do well to attend this sale.

School Program Friday

An eight act program will be given by the different classes at the school building Friday night this week. An evening of real enjoyment is assured all who attend. Lunch will be served after the program.

Carman Highland entertained a group of little friends last Saturday, the occasion being her tenth birthday anniversary.

Contests and games were played after which a dainty lunch was served.

For Rent or Sale:-The northwest quarter and southeast quarter, of Sec. 17 in Black River township. Good buildings and desirable location.

If interested, call on or write to
Fred D. Lorentson,
M20tf Thief River Falls, Minn.

New Store Opens Monday

The Hunt Brothers Company's new retail store, St. Hilaire's newest mercantile establishment, will be open for business next Monday morning. Equipped with the latest type of dispay fixtures, stocked with a big supply of all kinds of hardware, paints, wall paper and other goods, the new store will fill a longfelt want in St. Hilaire.

Being affiliated with 500 others stores in a buying organization, the Hunt Brothers Company purchases a great deal of its hardware, nails, wire, etc., in carload lots, and is thus able to make exceptionally low prices to its customers. A visit to the new store will convince anyone that it is unnecessary to go out of town for anything in the hardware line.

The Spectator joins with others in this community in extending a welcome to the Hunt Brothers Company, and wishing them unbounded success.

25 Years Ago

Chr. Bothmann and family came from Nebraska to occupy the Brooks farm which he had purchased.

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J. J. Kordahl and daughter Gina, left with two carloads of stock, for their claims west of Minot N. D.

—xxv—

A new tow boat was being built at the Red Lakes to be used in towing logs across the lake for the mills operating on the Red Lake river.

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Ole Opperud had an auction sale of household and personal effects that week, and was planning to move to Dakota.

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A. R. Jones bought four lots north of the Mission church and was going to erect a dwelling thereon.

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A surprise party was given by a number of local young folks in honor of Agnes Lindahl, daughter of M. J. Lindahl.

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The Itasca News stated there were twenty years of logging left in Northern Minnesota, and after that twenty thousand years of good farming.

For Sale:- A quantity of hay in stack.
A. V. Jacobson,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Making The Grade

Financial assistance at the right time has paved the way to independence for many people in this community. During the past quarter century, the Old Reliable has assisted many people this way, and, always has funds on hand to assist anysound enterprise.

If you do not have a checking or savings account with us, start one now.

Merchants State Bank
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Use More Butter

Butter is the most healthfal of foods. In food value it ranks well above all substitutes regardless of price.

By using liberally of the product on which this dairying section depends for its success, you are not only helping to stabilize the butter market, but you are assisting in the upbuilding of your own community.

As a "breadspread" nothing can compare wth butter.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

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Regular meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire, Minn., held at the village hall March 3rd, at 8. p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present.

Minutes of last regular meeting approved as read.

On motion duly make and carried the following bills were allowed as read.

Red River Power Co. Lights	$34.50
John Forseen	
Salary for February	20.00
O. Gunstad proceedings	2.25

Motion duly make and carried that village accept the offer made by the congregation of the Swedish Lutheran church to take over the cemetery known as the Swedish Lutheran cemetary of St. Hilaire.

Motion duly made and carried that the village council be authorized to employ legal advice.

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjourned.

M. Fricker, Clerk — A. Satterberg, President

Special meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire, Minn., held at the president's office Mar. 10, 1930 at 8:00 p. m.

Meeting was called for the purpose of considering a request made by A. Mandt of Goodridge, Minn. for the permission to install and operate gasoline pumps in the street known as Broadway on the west front of lots 13 and 14 of block 38 original town site of St. Hilaire.

All members present.

Meeting called to order by the president.

Up on due consideration, council did not deem it advisable to grant the permit.

On motion meeting adjourned.

M. Fricker, Clerk. — A. Satterberg, President.

Imposing Monument

The status of Faith of the national monument to the Pilgrims is 36 feet high and is mounted on a granite base 45 feet high.

Not a Sure Winner

It isn't always the showy fellow who comes through with the best performance in the drama of life.—Des Moines Register.

River News

Leonard Erickson had the misfortune of seriously cutting his thumb while splitting wood last Monday. Leonard was rushed to Thief River Falls to have his wound dressed, it was necessary to have several stitches taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Burstad accompanied by Mrs. Adolph Satterberg of St. Hilaire and Miss Esther Thyren motored to Grand Forks Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Haupt and son Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Claus Henricks and sons spent Wednesday night at the Fred Ulrich home.

The annual township election was held last Tuesday at the town hall. J. Mortensen and Paul Thyren were re-elected to fill their former positions. Taxes voted Town revenve $150, road and bridge 10 mills.

Carl Swanson and John Larson were Red Lake Falls business callers Thursday.

The Wm. Hesse young folks helped Miss Helen Hesse celebrate her 15th birthday anniversary Thursday March 13.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg spent Thursday evening at the Gust Larson home.

Paul Gieseke accompanied by Miss Ella Ulrich left Monday March 10, by car for New Ulm to look after his farm and other business while Miss Ulrich is visiting with her relatives.

Mrs. A. A. Erickson and son Ernest motored Friday to Wannaska to visit with their daughter and sister Nannie. They returned Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Larson and children were dinner guests Friday evening at the F. S. Erdmann home.

Hulda Ulrich spent the week end with her sister Mrs. Paul Gieseke.

Raymond Hesse has been employed at Carl Swanson, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Winter spent Sunday at the H. Burstad and Thompson home.

J. J. Lemky has completed moving his property from the Dann farm to the Carpenter farm, which he has leased.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Try a want adv.

Spiders Put to Work

To obtain spiders' thread for use as a sighting aid in surveyors' telescopes, Canadian government instrument makers catch five or six gray spiders and wind the threads they spin on wire forks shellacked to hold the strands in place.

Man's Dilemma

Nobody wants to work, except dumbbells, unless he's working at something that really is fun for him. And then if he has to do that to earn a living it stops being fun and gets to be work. —From Louis Beretti, by Donald Henderson Clarke.

STATE OF MINNESOTA)
)ss.
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON)

IN DISTRICT COURT
FOURTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

Gus O. Kratt, Plaintiff,
vs.
Augusta Olson; Gustav J. Melum (also known as Gust M. Mallom); A. M. Holtan (also known as Anton M. Holtan); Laura Holtan, a widow (also known as Laura Holton); First Minneapolis Trust Company (formerly Minneapolis Trust Company), as Trustee under the last will and testament of Anton M. Holtan, deceased; Mary L. McDonald; The Liberty State Bank of Minneapolis; Priscilla R. Biedermann (also known as Precilla Biederman); Jacob Biedermann; John Leonard; John Arnold Leonard; Mathilda Leonard; Citizens State Bank of Thief River Falls; The Empire Farms Company; and all other persons who claim to have any interest in or lien upon the premises, or on any part of the premises described in the complaint in this action. Defendants.

SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MINNESOTA TO THE ABOVE NAMED DEFENDANTS:

You and each of you are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in the above entitled action which has been filed in the office of the clerk of said court and to serve a copy of your answer thereto upon the subscriber at his office in the city of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, within twenty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service.

If you fail to answer the complaint within such time the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded therein.

J. M. BISHOP,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Office and Post Office Address,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

NOTICE OF LIS PENDENS

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an action has been commenced in this Court by the above named Plaintiff against the above named Defendants.

This action is brought under Section 2188, General Statutes of Minnesota for the year 1923 for the purpose of having the Court adjudge the Plaintiff to be the owner in fee of all of the hereinafter described premises, and that defendants or either of them have no estate or interest therein or lien thereon, or on any part of the said premises hereinafter described.

The premises affected by said action are situated in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, and are described as follows:

FIRST—The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Seventeen (17) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Two (152), North of Range Forty-Two (42), excepting two acres in the Southeast (SE) corner thereof; described in Deed recorded in Book 21 of Deeds, page 263 in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota.

SECOND—The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Twenty-Four (24) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Four (154), North of Range Forty-One (41), West, excepting Railroad right of way as now located thereon.

THIRD—The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Nine (9) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Two (152), North of Range Forty-Two (42), West.

FOURTH—The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-Five (25) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Four (154), North of Range Forty-One (41), West.

FIFTH—The South Half of the Northeast Quarter (S½ NE¼) and Lots One (1) and Two (2) of Section Five (5) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Three (153), North of Range Forty-One (41), West.

SIXTH—The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Eighteen (18) in Township One Hundred Fifty-Three (153), North of Range Forty-Five (45), West.

Dated January 24th, 1930.

J. M. Bishop,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
Office and Postoffice Address,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota. M-6-20

Bray News

Lulu Hegstrom, Fern Hawkinson and Alice Lindquist spent the week end at their parental home.

Lulu Hegstrom called on Esther Johnson on Sunday afternoon.

Tom Larson of St. Hilaire spent Sunday at the home of Emil Larson.

Hazel Krause and Anna Lindbloom visited at Henry Lindbloom on Saturday.

School re-opened on Monday after being closed by the school board on account of the severe epedimic of the mumps.

Farmers are kept busy these days hauling hay and getting up their suppy of summer wood.

Harry Larson visited Sunday at the homes of Saren Knutson and Christenson near Viking Minn.

Speaking of Antiques

The umbrella, we read, is 179 years old. The figure must be wrong, as several people have left older umbrellas than that at our house.—Springfield Sun.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Foreign Will

ESTATE OF Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, Decedent.

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Regina Hoover, Frank Clark, Fred Clark, Emery Atwater, Mrs. Julius Bretsch and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of F. D. Peet, representing that Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, then a resident of the County of Hardin, State of Iowa, died on the 4th day of April, 1929, testate and that his will has been allowed and admitted to probate in the district court in and for the County of Hardin, State of Iowa, being filed in this court, together with authenticated copies of said will and of the probate thereof in the court above named, and praying that said Will be admitted to probate in this State, and that letters testamentary be thereon granted to him. NOW, THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of April, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS The Honorable Lars Backe, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 8th day of March, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate Court

Perl W. Mabey
and H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
M13-27.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota, } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Math Barzen, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Anna Barzen, Roy M. Barzen, Bernard R. Barzen, Ernest J. Barzen, Math R. Barzen, Katherine B. Barzen, Margaret C. Barzen, John C. Barzen and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 12th day of April, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted:

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 13th day of March, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate Court.

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
M20-A3

MEET THE GANG
-AT-
Bob's Coffee Shop
If you can't eat at home. eat with us
R. Helmkay,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

The Pastor Says:

Every blackbird mother caws to all her neighbors that her own little blackbird is white . . . The Gospel should be free enough and brave enough to speak above its breath in whatever society. — John Andrew Holmes.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

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St. Hilaire. Minn.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 5th, 1924, executed by Henry H. Hallstrom and Lettie L. Hallstrom, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on Aprli 11th, 1924, at two o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 206 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $93.75 each, due on April 5th, 1929, and October 5th, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,611.56, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from October 5th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $167.50, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $93.75 thereof since Aprli 5th, 1929, and on $93.75 thereof since October 5th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $136.36 for taxes, including interest and penaities, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since December 30th, 1929, in all the sum of $3,203.13, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-five (45) West, except reservations for railroad purposes heretofore made, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 11th day of April, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of saie, as provided by law.

Dated February 26th, 1930.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (F27-A3)

Courtesy of the Senate

Senatorial courtesy is something well understood but difficult to define. One authority defined it as indulgencies extended by one senator to another. Another suggests that the term "senatorial courtesy" is one applied to a custom in the United States senate by which the procedure of that body is based, chiefly, on the honor of senators rather than upon strict rules. For example, it is customary (usually) when a former senator's name is sent in for the nomination for some appointive position to confirm him as a matter of course, without going through the regular routine. It is also customary for the senate to refuse to confirm the nomination of an appointment to office in any state whose senator (or senators) objects to the person nominated, on the ground that the nomination is personally objectionable.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

OFFICE OF COUNTY AUDITOR,)
COUNTY OF PENNINGTON,)ss.
STATE OF MINNESOTA.)

TO D. S. B. Johnson Land Company.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 1 & 2 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 3 & 4 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 5 & 6 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 7 & 8 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 9 & 10 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 16 & 19 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 25 & 26 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 27 & 26 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 29 & 30 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.
Lots 31 & 32 in Block 4, Townsite of Hazel.

Are Now Assessed In Your Name.

(2) That on the 10th day of May, 1922, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 15th day of March, 1922, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1920, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land were offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said pieces or parcels were bid in for the State of Minnesota for the following sums: Lots 1 & 2 seventy-four cents, Lots 3 & 4 seventy-four cents, Lots 5 & 6 seventy-four cents, Lots 7 & 6 seventy-four cents, Lots 9 & 10 seventy-four cents, Lots 16 & 19 seventy-eight cents, Lots 25 & 26 seventy-nine cents, Lots 27 & 26 seventy-nine cents, Lots 29 & 30 seventy-nine cents, and Lots 31 & 32 seventy-nine cents.

(3) That thereafter, and on the ninth day of September, 1929, the said pieces or parcels not then having been redeemed from said sale, were sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the following sums: Lots 1 & 2—$6.36, Lots 3 & 4—$6.36, Lots 5 & 6—$6.36, Lots 7 & 8—$5.36, Lots 9 & 10—$6.38, Lots 16 & 19—$6.40, Lots 25 & 26—$6.40, Lots 27 & 28—$6.40, Lots 29 & 30—$6.40, and Lots 31 & 32—$6.40.

(4) That the amount required to redeem each piece or parcel of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum for which it was sold as shown in paragraph 3 of this notice, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum from said ninth day of September, 1929, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificates of sale issued to said purchaser have been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 1st day of March, 1930.

(Official Seal.) H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor Pennington County,
Minnesota.

Approved by
Attorney General. M-6-20

English King "Held Up"

Lawlessness was rampant in England during much of the Eighteenth century and the streets of London were so unsafe that even royal personages were stopped and robbed. A highwayman once dropped over the wall of Kensington gardens and with every expression of respect took from George II, who was walking there alone, his purse, watch and shoe buckles. Mail coaches were special objects of attack and they proved vulnerable until in 1792 an armed guard for the mails was provided.—Detroit News.

Do It Now

Look over your supply of printed matter such as envelopes, statements, letterheads, bill heads, cards or other forms you use daily.

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St. Hilaire Spectator

Hazel News

Reverend Dahle, Helmer Finstad, Kenneth and Vernon Finstad were Sunday dinner guests at the C. Alberg home.

T. Sumpter and children Myron and Lavora were guests at the C. Roese home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs T. Johnson and children Naomi, Roderick and Mary Jane were St. Hilaire callers Tuesday evening.

Anna Alberg came from Thief River Falls Monday morning and retnrned Wednesday evening.

Alfred Heigerson, Ole Thune, Henry Erickson and Henry Lappegard sawed wood at the C. Alberg home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Snetting and Myrtle and Leslie, Mr. and Mrs, C. Alberg and family, Cari Olson and Halvor Viken were dinner guests at the E Thune home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Leon and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg and family, Mrs. M. Lokken and daughters Margaret and Beatrice called at Gust Gustafson Saturday night.

Mr and Mrs. Andrew Widme visited at the Art. Torstveit home in Plummer on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Art. Torstveit and family spent Sunday at the M. Torveit home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and family were Saturday evening guests at the Floyd Sumpter home.

Hjalmer Peterson, Kenneth Krats, Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and children were callers at the Henry Sandberg home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Berg, Mr. and Mrs. A. Andersen and Mamie, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gunstad and Dorothy and Bobbie were Sunday callers at the E. Knutson home.

Mr and Mrs Theo Johnson and son Roderick visited at the Weiberg home Sunday afternoon.

While sawing wood at Ole Odegaard Mr. Holton unfortunately severely gashed his finger on his left hand. He was taken to Thief River where it was fonnd necessary to amputate the finger to the first knuckle.

Mr. J. Sjoberg and daughter Hannah were supper gnests at the Adrian Anderson home Monday evening.

Ole Mathson and Panl Gilbert were business callers at Bemidji Saturday and Sunday.

Those attending tournament games in Thief River Thursday were, Mr. and Mrs. C. Prestby Mrs. E Prestby, Art. Anderson and Axel Rassmuson. Friday night the above group and Anna Anderson and Morris Odegaard also attended the games.

South River Falls

Harry Erickson visited Sunday afternoon at the G. Peterson home.

Agnes, Nels and Anton Mickleson and Leonard Erickson called Sunday afternoon at the Miller Peterson home.

Mrs. Aug Erickson and son Ernest motored Friday to Wannaska to visited relatives. They returned home Snnday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Erickson and family visited Snnday at the P. W. Peterson home.

Ivanette and Evelyn Thyren, Evelyn and Gladys Peterson and Margaret Jepson spent the week end at their respective homes.

Helen Johnson, Lavida Yonke Helen Wilson and Avis Fellman spent Thursday night at the home of their friend Betty Johnson, the occasion being her birth day.

Mary Hesse spent Sunday at the Geo. Hesse home.

Mr. Stephens who has been confined to bed for the past couple weeks is able to be up and around again.

John Lemky' are now settled in their new home on the Carpenter farm.

Wyandotte News

H. L. Bruggeman called at the Peter Kolseth home Friday.

Miss Margaret Berg spent Saturday at the home of J. Alhin.

Miss Marie Peterson spent the week end at home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Peterson.

Martin, Thedore and Melvin Berg called at P. Kolseth home Friday evening.

Mrs. Soferia Peterson and Anna, Frank, Richard and Elvin Peterson visited Sunday afternoon at the Charley Samuelson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Erickson and family visited Sunday at the Charley Samuelson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Halin and son of Thief River Falls visited Sunday at Martin Berg home.

Lillian, Margaret, Frank and Melmer Berg visited at the O. E. Wilson home Sunday afternoon.

Peter Kolseth visited at the Jim Evenson home Sunday evening.

Tiger Guaranteed Tire Chains at a saving. All sizes in stock. Be prepared. 30x4.50 $3.15. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Raally Doesn't Pay

"A cheat," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "may deceive others, but he must forfeit tha respect of the ona person whose esteem means most—himself."—Washington Star.

Eleanor Gets a Thrill

By ELEANOR WILMOT

(Copyright.)

ELEANOR looked at her watch. Yes, she would have three full hours to spare in which to help Aunt Nancy pack silver, her choice crystal and china preparatory to putting her household goods in storage for a year while she—Miss Nancy Woodward, went abroad.

Eleanor lost uo tima in getting started. Tha tailored linen suit which she wore, could, sha reflected, be slipped off when she reached Aunt Nancy's, and as sha aud her relativa were about tha sama size, sha would borrow a kimouo or house dress in which to help with the work.

Arriving at Miss Woodword's home, sha found her aunt buzzing around excitedly, and in answer to her niece's inquiry for something suitabia for a working garb, sha directed her to get a coolie coat hanging in a bedroom.

Sha folded her own crisp, whita gown neatly, and decided to lay it in tha linen drawer of her aunt's buffet.

Being an efficient young lady, she was soon industriously at work in the kitchen, wrapping and securely packing her aunt's treasures.

"There, Annt Nancy," sha cried, "I've numbered the boxes. When you want to find any particular thing upou your return, you can look at the book, locate the box number it is in—and there you are."

Eleanor noticed that oue of the moving men who was passing through the kitchen with an armful of stuff, looked at her approvingly and smiled. Sha noticed that he had marvelons and very well-cared-for-teeth, that his eyes were brown, and the expressiou of them singularly pleasing.

Eleanor sighed. What a pity that such a promising looking young chap should be a moving man.

The time passed rapidly.

Why, it was already time to he on her way to keep that important husiuess engagement.

Quickly washing her hands, she ran iuto the dining room to get her linen dress. To her amazement, the huffet was goue.

She darted through the frout hall to the doorway. Moving slowly up the street was a van with the household goods of her Aunt Nancy piled high. Somewhere in that mountain of furniture was the huffet with her dress in it! Aunt Nancy cama through the hall.

"Oh," cried Eleanor, "you'll have to lend me a dress to wear home. Mine was in the huffet."

"Oh!" Aunt Nancy said, "but my trunks went on tha load ahead."

Suddenly, without thought of her appearance, Nancy made a rapid sprint in pursuit of the van. The good-looking man was driving.

"Hello, you there," she called frantically. "You got my dress in the huffet, and you'll hava to let me get it!"

The young man grinned, stopped the truck.

"Easier said than doue," he chortled. "The huffet is at tha very hase of the mountain."

Eleanor stamped her foot ou the pavement.

"You've just got to take my dress ont of that load of furniture! I can't go ou the elevated and suhway in a soiled old coolia coat, and I have a tremendously important business engagement."

Tha young man looked inquiringly.

"You don't belleva me," sha demanded, her eyes flashing.

"Surely I believe you," ha uodded agreeably, "and we'll dig that huffet out if we hava to use a charga of dynamite!"

An hour and a half later, Eleanor entered the privata office of oue of tha officials of the World Transportation company, with whom she was seeking a positiou, and she found herself looking straight into the eyes of the good-looking young moving man who was regarding her seriously from his vantage point hehind a ueatly arranged, flat-topped desk.

Eleanor stared in amazement, then flushed rosy red, and in her own mind sha was exceedingly glad that she had changed her white linen for her new, natty tweed business suit. At the sama time, she resolved uot to bat an eyelash in the way of recognition. Evideutly he had decided on tha same course of action.

The interview proceeded hriskly, and Eleanor left tha office with har head high and walking ou air. Tha position was hers, and that, too, at a highly satisfactory salary.

It was three weeks later that Eleanor, seated opposite young John Temple, vice president of tha World Transportation company, in a public dining room, looked up quizzically and asked pointedly:

"Mr. Temple, how did it happen that you were ou tha moving van the day we first met?"

"It was just a motion of mine," ha smiled, "to do a littla special scouting work to see how our local employees were serving tha public—uothing like personal contact, you know."

Eleanor nodded uuderstandingly.

"And," contiuued tha first speaker, "I've uever regretted carrying off your dress in that buffet for a moment, and I hope some day to carry off tha girl who owns it."

Eleanor's clear blue eyes met his hrown ones. Then her face crinkled into an adorabla smile.

"My second thrill!" she murmured happily.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in a certain mortgage, containg a power of sale, executed and delivered by Arminta Hooper and G. W. Hooper, her husband, of the County of Penningtou, State of Minnesota, as mortgagors to the Crookston Building & Loan Association, a corporation, under the laws of the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, and covering the following described property, situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, to-wit:

Lots One (1), Two (2), and Three (3) of Block One (1) of Ives' Addition to the Village of St. Hilaire, according to the recorded plat thereof, on file and of record in the office of the Register of Deeds, in and for the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota.

Which mortgage is dated the 3rd day of March, 1922, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for said County of Pennington, Minnesota on the 29th day of March, 1922, at 8:00 o'clock A. M. and duly recorded in Book 70 of Mortgages, on Page 327; that no action or proceedings have been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, and that the amount now due upon said mortgage is the sum of Seven Hundred Sixty-eight and 46-100 Dollars ($768.46) against which the mortgagors are entitled to credit of Three Hundred ninety-one and 79-100 Dollars ($391.79), the current value of seven (7) shares of capitol stock of the mortgagee, subscribed for by said mortgagors and forming a part of said transaction, leaving the amount actually due and claimed to be due and owing upon said mortgage at the date of this notice, the sum of Three Hundred Seventy-six and 67-100 Dollars ($376.67), and the further sum of Six Hundred ninety-six and 29-100 Dollars ($696.29), taxes paid by said mortgagee, making a total of One Thousand seventy-two and 96-100 Dollars ($1,072.96), which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice upon said mortgage.

NOW THEREFORE, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale and the statute in such cases made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed and said premises sold at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, by the sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, on Saturday, the 29th day of March, 1930, at 10:00 o'clock, in the forenoon of that day at the East front door of the Pennington County Court House in the city of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, to pay said debt, together with the said taxes and interest thereon, and the costs and disbursements of these proceedings, together with Fifty Dollars ($50.00) attorney's fees, stipulated in and by said mortgage.

Dated this 11th day of February, 1930.

Crookston Building & Loan Association
A Corporation,
Mortgagee

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Mortgagee
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
F13-M20

Cold Water Thrown on That Milk Snake Story

I am remiuded of a conversation that I once had iu tha pine harrens with an old darky who claimed to be an expert on anakes.

I had that day caught a large specimeu of a king snake—that black and white serpent which is immuua to tha bite of any snaka iu North America, and which will kill in a fair fight any rattlesnake which it may meet. Tha sight of tha king snaka started my colored friend ou a lina of snake stories. Amoug them, I rememher, was ona abont a cow ou his father's farm that suddenly went dry. When she was watched it was found that every afternoon sha would go down into tha far end of tha pasture and low invitingly, whereupou a milk snake would creep out of tha grass and milk her.

When the snaka was killed several quarts of milk gushed out of its mutilated body. After its death tha cow pined away and died.

It was a very sad story and quite as trua as most snake stories. The stomach of tha largest milk snaka holds about four teaspoonfuls, and it could uo more milk a cow than could a bird.—Samuel Scoville, Jr., in "Wild Honey."

Stock and Poultry Meals

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C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening services 8:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services Sunday morning in local church at 10:30, and afternoon at 3:00 in Clara chureh.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, March, 23.
Services as follows
St. Hilaire Luth, 11:00 A. M. Nor
Lenten services 8:00 P. M. American
Sunday school, 10:00 A. M.
Oakridge Luth, 2:00 P. M. Nor.

Sharp

Psychologists claim the late Marshal Foch as oue of their own hecanse he did uot take his problems to hed with him. He dismissed them from his mind and devoted hedtime hours to sleeping. In the morniugs, refreshed, he had the solutious, which apparently had worked themselves out in his sleep. Foch, however, put a different constructiou ou the apparent miracle. He said:

"It seems to me that the mirror hefora which I shave myself gives me the answers."

That's Something

Little Mary was sent to a strauge school, so was somewhat hewildered and inattentive. Her first test came suddenly and by surprise. Little Mary's grade was just one helow passing. She came home and told ahout it, explaining that ouly four in the class had passed.

"But," said her father, "why were you uot oue of the four who passed?"

Little Mary was distressed for a moment, then said triumphantly:

"But, Daddy, I was the best failure."

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

A Mystery to the Rich Man

A FEW years ago a gentlemau who had acquired a million or so in other lines of endeavor took a part of his fortune aud with it built a theater on Broadway. The theater was pretty far uptowu, as New York theu measured uptown, ond at the outset business was uot what the uew owuer expected.

At the eud of the secoud week as proprietor-manoger he was stauding at the door one afternoou just hefore the Saturday matinee performauce began, talking to tha late Paul West. Along came a leading dramatic critic and he stopped for a minnte's chat with the other two.

"Say, Hurry," asked the owner, "what's the reason that I aiu't moking uo money outer this here propositiou? Hera I go and put up a nice clean house and hook a good show and yet the crowd aiu't comiug!"

"Well," diagnosed the critic, "I'll tell you, Jake; this is a uew place aud you mustn't he in too hig a hurry. Remember how long it took some of these other houses to get established. You'll have to build np your owu clientele."

He passed ou and West went inside to see the show. Wheu he cama out at the end of the first act tha millionaire was waitiug for him and drew him aside.

"Paul," he demanded, "what was the name of that there thing Harry told me I'd have to build np here?"

"A clientele," said West.

"Sure, I thought I had it right," said the owner; "and uow what I wanter know is why them guys down at tha huilding department gava me tha laugh a while ago wheu I called 'em up and asked for a permit to build one."

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Lasting Cemant

Cement hlocks are of early antiquity, cement being used in the Egyptian labyrinth at least 3,600 years ago. It is still in preservation.

Unexplared Regions

There are still millions of square miles of mountains, rivers, plains and deserts that have naver been trodden by civilized man.

Cedar Fence Posts For Sale

Will have on track in St. Hilaire about April 1st, a car-load of Cedar posts. These will be sold at the usual low price if taken direct from car. Any-one needing posts this spring communicate with

Paul Thyren
Hazel, Minn.

Chick - Chick - Chick

It is soon time for the chicks to arrive. Have you a brooder house ready for them? We have them on display at our yard.
Come in and look them over.

Central Lumber Co.

Bray News

Township election for Bray was held Tuesday in school Dist. 69 Melvin Wood, was re-elected as supervisor and will in the future as in the past see to the welfare of the township. Henry Lindhloom and Emil Larson were elected justices of the peace, and will in the future try to see to that all matrimonial activities will be taken care of properly. Harry F. Larson and C. A. Nelson were elected constables and will see to that order previls within the six square miles etc. Mr. Nelson was also pronounced official "dog catcher".

Several from this vicinity attended the dance given at the Sons of Norway hall in Thief River on Saturday evening.

We are sorry to learn that on Monday evening is the last time for our fellow men to enjoy themselves at a whist session. This has heen a wonderfull amusement especially for the men. We hope you men will give the women a chance next fall.

The census enumerator will soon he knocking at your door. It is well to have the sample schedule on farm machinery and facilities ready in order to save much time and unnecessary trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lindbloom and family are recuperating from a bad seige of the mumps.

Helen Olson has been absent from school on account of illness.

Several of the younger people are confined at home on account of having the mumps.

Miss Mahle Lindbloom is employed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Melin.

Martin Hallstrom expects to leave soon for Canada to get his Whippet coupe that he was compelled to leave up there in December on account of the snow. We will he glad to see you and the "Whip" back again Martin.

New Hardware Store Opens Monday, March 24th

Our new retail hardware store in St. Hilaire will be formally opened to the public Monday, March 24th, and a cordial invitation is extended to the people of St. Hilaire and surrounding territory to visit the new establishment on that day and get acquainted.

We have an abiding faith in the future of this section, and are opening this new store in belief that we will be able to serve the people in this community to our mutual advantage.

A variety of goods in all lines we intend to carry, is now on display. In these lines will be found hundreds of articles such as are used daily in every home, and we invite you to compare our goods and prices with those obtainable elsewhere.

9 Cent Sale Opens March 26th

Starting Wednesday morning next, we will have a special 9 cent sale lasting four days. During this sale, we will have on display hundreds of articles from regular stock, many of them worth twice the special price. Come in and get your share of these bargains.

Hunt Bros. Company
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

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1930 Whippet

R. A. Young, St. Hilaire, Minn.

Fruits of Sacrifice

The seed dies, but the harvest lives. Sacrifice is always fruitful, and there is nothing fruitful else. Out of the suffering comes the serious mind; out of the salvation, the grateful heart; out of the endurance, the fortitude; out of the deliverence, the faith.—Frederic W. Farrar.

End of Revolution

New York was the last city to salute the national colors, as the British were in control of that city until November 25, 1783, but at three o'clock of that day the Americans took possession and the Stars and Stripes were hoisted over the city and duly recognized and honered.

Menace to Health

Invisihle clouds of carbon monoxide given off by motors standing in traffic blocks are stated to be a growing danger in large towns. Experiments on a guinea pig in a traffic jam showed that gas intoxication took place within three minutes.

Innovations

It were good, therefore, that men in their innovations would follow the example of time itself, which indeed innovateth greatly, but quietly and by degrees scarce to be perceived.—Francis Bacon, (1561-1626.) "Of Innovation."

Said Long Ago

If you wish to appear agreeahle in society you must consent to be taught many things which you know already. —Laveter.

Never Forget Golden Rule

Try to do to others as you would have them do to you, and do not be discouraged if they fail sometimes.—Dickens.

Insanity Determination

Insanity is a purely legal term. It resolves itself into testamentary capacity, and this varies with every jurisdiction.

Advantage of Silence

Silence is golden. It is impossihla to attack a man for what he thinks, provided he doesn't say it.—Toledo Blade.

Develop Quickly

The Sequoias or Big Trees have been known to reach a diameter of 28 feet a few feet from the ground.

Steer More Valuable

The edible meat of the average steer is 56 per cent of the live weight; of a cow it is 48 per cent.

Hog's Peculiar Structure

The number of rihs varies in hogs. They have 14 or 15 pairs.

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licansed Vatarinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuherculin Testing

Preparation of Sueds

Suede is usually mocha or lambskin tanued on the wrong or hleached sida or with the thin, glessy euter grain shaved or peeled off, leaving an undressed surface.

Variation in Waves

The frequency of waves in the ocean varies. During a gale it was found that storm waves traveled at a speed of between 27 and 32 miles an hour.

Odd, but True

It has been well observed that few are better qualified to give others advice than those who have taken tha least of it themselves.—Goldsmith.

Orderliness a Test

He who has no taste for order will be often wrong in his judgment, and seldom considerate or conscientious in his actions.—J. C. Lavater.

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The Creamery List

Herewith is a list of patrons of the creamery who received checks this week for amounts of $50 and over for cream delivered in February. Cream receipts are gaining rapidly at the creamery and next list will be considerable longer.

Arne Vik	$250.30
Novak & Son	216.32
C. H. Swanson	146.39
Anton Bros	140.27
N. E. Beebe	136.24
I. A. Rotzlar	129.07
Mrs. H. J. Thorstveit	127.04
Sig Vik	123.10
Christ Kruse	117.35
Christ Anton	113.76
B. Walseth	113.13
J. Norman	109.56
F. Ulrich	108.18
Geo. Haupt	108.17
E. H. Stephens	106.62
A. Johnson	106.26
F. Schmidt	103.39
R. Melin	102.08

J. Lundberg, $99.82, Wahbeck Bros, 99.40, C. A. Lindquist, 94.99, H. Holmes, 94.98, And. Mortenson, 94.21, B. Johnson, 89.42, F. Bothman, 89. 05, Mrs. A. P. Anderson, 87.24, C. O. Swanson, 85.79, H. Johnson, 85.60, Gust Peterson, 82.51, J. O. Peterson, 80.09, C. Pearson, 79.39, Erickson Bros, 78.12, John Gothia, 75.94, Ole Larson, 74.35, K. T. Dalager, 71.34, L. Erickson, 70.47, E. Person, 69.87, C. J. Swanson, 68.30, O. Haugen, 68.09, McKercher & Son, 67.58, F. Anderson, 67.00, H. Jepson, 64.90, Swanson Bros, 63.59, A. Swanson, 63.15, Gust Larson, 60.74, H. R. Allen, 60.39, J. Gunstad, 60.35, F. E. Rux, 59.30, And. Ortloff, 59.14, Carl Zinter, 58.54, N. P. Schalz, 58.52, Motensen Bros, 58.08, O. T. Mogen, 57.80, Wm. Yonke, 55.87, And. Husby, 55.16, A. O. Swanson, 55.14, Wm. Palmquist, 54.24, J. O. Swanson, 53.39, Otto Johnson, 53.26, A. Loberg, 52.65, John Sjoberg, 52.43, J. E. Johnson, 50.90.

Halver Loken Called

Halvor Loken, highly respected pioneer citizen of Thief River Falls, died at his home in that city last Saturday evening. Several people from this village and vicinity attended the funeral which took place Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Loken had been in the harness business at Thief River for many years, and was well known to many people in this section.

Enumerators Appointed

The Bureau of the Census has announced appointment of enumerators for Pennington County as follows:

River Falls, St. Hilaire and Wyandotte--H. I. Finstad

Black River and Sanders--Geo. S. Wilson

Bray, Numedal and Polk Center--Glenn M. Lindquist

Clover Leaf, Kratka and Mayfield--T. Hemmestvedt, Jr.

Deer Park and Hickory--Paul Engelstad

Goodridge village and township and Highlanding--M. J. Stephenson

Nordon and North--Hans Anton

Reiner and Star--G. A. Iverson

Silverton and Smiley--G. G. Hillard

Rocksbury--S. E. Hunt

E. A. Mostue, Mrs. L. Cronkhite, S. A. Bateman and Winnifred Froelich were appointed for Wards 1 to 4, respectively, at Thief River.

More Candidates File

The county political pot which has been simmering for the past few weeks, is coming to the boiling point. E. O. Erickson, O. E. Berge and Anton Jenson of Thief River, have all filed for the office of Sheriff. E. H. Pomerenke, Frank Race, O. G. Lee and A. W. Hanson have all filed for county commissioner from the First district now represented by Mr. Thompson.

A. R. Johnsrud, who resides in eastern part of the county, has thrown his lid into the ring as a candidate for county treasurer, and, A. K. Lockrem is out for the commissionership in the Third district which is now represented by Emil Larson. Candidates for other offices are expected to get into the race within the next week or so. Indications are there will be several candidates for each of the county offices.

New Directories Out

New 1930 directories of the St. Hilaire Telephone Company are being distributed to patrons this week. A fifteen percent increase in number of subscribers over those at beginning of 1929, is noted. The company contemplates considerable improvements this year on its rural lines, and anticipates adding many more subscribers during the year.

Seed Barley: Have a quantity of good Canadian seed barley for sale. Inquire of Paul Thyren, Route 1, Hazel, Minn. F27-M20pd

Early Birds

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

L. E. Healy was here yesterday from Red Lake Falls looking after business matters of the closed Farmers State Bank.

Mr. and Mrs. And. Odegaard and Henry Olsen attended funeral services for the late Halvor Loken, Tuesday, at Thief River Falls.

Ladies Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will serve lunch at the Larson Bros store, Monday, March, 31st.

The Norwegian Lutheran Ladies Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Arne Vik and Mrs. Sig. Vik at the church basement, April 4th.

Only 100 percent Pure Pennsylvania Oil sold for summer use in Gamble Stores. Medium 19 3-4c per quart - 5 gallon lots. Steel drum included.

Materials are being hauled out for a new chicken house to be erected this spring on the former Dammon place which is occupied by John Gunstad.

The Black River, Y. P. S. which was announced to be held at the Chapel April 4th, has been changed and will be held at Gust Peterson of St. Hilaire instead. Everybody welcome.

George Wilson has received notice of his appointment as census enumerator for the townships of Black River and Sanders. Taking of the national census will commence April 2nd.

In contrast to the usual re-election of officers, an upset is noted in outcome in Rocksbury, at the annual spring election March 11th. Anton Johnson was elected supervisor, Iver Iverson was named township clerk, Carl Wiberg was elected treasurer, and, Peter Engelstad was elected Justice of the Peace.

Truck Highway No. 33 from Warren to Thief River, is listed among the projects that will be regraded by the Minnesota Highway Department this year. The road will be shortened somewhat, a few square turns eliminated, but will follow as nearly as possible, its present route.

Both groundhogs and crows have fallen from grace as weather prognosticators in this section. Snow flurries and freezing weather is what the weather man is handing out despite all previous indications of an early spring.

Miss Bertine Helgoe of Halstad, is a guest at the home of her cousin, Mrs. Otto Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hauge motored up Sunday from Halstad and spent until Tuesday here with relatives.

Mrs. O. Gunstad was hostess Monday evening at a bridge party for twenty friends. After the evening's entertainment was over, a toothsome luncheon was served.

Why - A balanced formula in paint; Ask your Gamble Store. Red Barn Paint $1.35 per gallon--5 gallon drum. Interior and Outside paints. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson, accompanied by Miss Bertine Helgoe and Andrew Hauge, motored Sunday to Fosston and spent the day at home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hauge.

Oats For Sale: White Russian oats for sale at 40 cents per bus. Call on.
Enoch Swanson,
R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

The Moorhead basketball team defeated the Thief River Falls high school quint in the semi-finals for the championship by a score of 26 to 21. The game was played Friday night at Benson, Minn.

Ole Anderson suffered severe bruises Friday when he slipped and fell on some ice near the Enstrud home, and has since been confined to bed. Most severe injury was to his elbow which may be permanently disabled as a result.

Anton Anderson, postmaster at Wylie, was taken Tuesday to the State Hospital at Fergus Falls to undergo treatment for a mental disorder. Mr. Anderson's friends hope the treatment and a rest will be of benefit to him.

Just as a reminder that Old Man Winter had a little kick left, this section was treated to a light snowfall Saturday. Nearly all traces of snow disappeared, however during the warm weather following, that afternoon.

E. O. Johnson, who had operated the feed mill at Plummer for several years, died Monday last week at home of his sister, Mrs. Carl Mathison at Plummer, from injuries received some time previous at his mill. Funeral services were held Saturday at the Clearwater Lutheran church.

Style Show Opens

The fourth annual auto and style show will be presented at Thief River Falls this week under the auspices of the American Legion of that city, and indications are that this year's exposition will excell in every way those held in preceding years. An unusually good program of vaudeville acts will be presented Saturday evening and a style show, presenting the latest styles for both men and women, will be featured Friday evening. The Gopher Dance Band of Minneapolis has been secured for the dancing which will take place each evening.

Here At Last!

The annual Gubbefest will be held at the Norwegian Lutheran church, Sunday, March 30th, at 2:30 P. M.

A program consisting of songs by the male quartet and Herman Bischoff, a speech by Rev. Fjeldstad of Thief River, readings and other numbers will be given before the big feed. Everybody welcome.

New Settlers

H. Carlsness and family moved down first of the week from Grygla to the farm of Mrs. Axel Berg which they will occupy this year. Today Andrew Arne and family, of Grygla, are moving their farm equipment to the And. Odegaard farm in Rocksbury which they have leased for the season. In another couple weeks, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Surmo, of Holt, will occupy their farm south of town.

Addition of these new families means much to this section, and the community joins in bidding them all welcome.

A number of people from here attended the concert given by the Concordia College Choir at Thief River, Tuesday evening.

Harness Repairing: For convenience of our customers, we will accept harness repairing and oiling work to be done at Red Lake Falls. As our truck makes daily trips between our stores, we will do this service for people in St. Hilaire vicinity without charge on our part. Leave harnesses at the new hardware store.
Hunt Brothers Co.

New Store Opened

Monday marked formal opening to the public of the new Hunt Bros Company hardware store here. Several men were busy all last week unpacking and putting on display a big line of shelf and heavy hardware. Hundreds of people have visited the store this week to view the new establishment, and to take advantage of the numerous bargains offered.

While space in the local store will not permit their carrying a big amount here, Hunt Brothers handle a full line of furniture, and also furnish a complete funeral service.

Anything in furniture not carried here, may be had in a short time as the company has telephone conections beteen its stores, and maintains a fast truck so anything in stock at the Red Lake Falls store may be transferred here in less than a half hour. A full line of funeral supplies as well as the latest type limousine hearse, is maintained at the Red Lake Falls store and this will be at service of patrons here upon call.

Eilson Funeral Yesterday

North Dakota paid tribute yesterday afternoon to the memory of its noted Arctic aviator, Carl Ben Eilson, who lost his life in the frozen wastes of Siberia last November. It is estimated that over ten thousand people attended the impressive funeral services held yesterday at the aviator's home town, Hatton.

25 Years Ago

Jonas Hendrickson had been very ill at Thief River for a week, but was then improving.

L. T. Bergh was busy moving out to his reservation claim.

Bregier & Lawrence of Red Lake Falls, rented the Hall building and were opening a billiard room.

T. J. Torkelson and family departed that week to make their home in California.

C. H. Martz took his son, Glenn to Crookston where he was operated upon for appendicitis.

Pete Anderson and family returned from Rainy River. Mr. Anderson was millwright at the sawmill.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Peterson, of Wyandatte, were mourning the death of an infant son. He was the second of twin boys both of whom died that winter.

Your Opportunity and Ours

It has always been our aim to give first consideration to home interests. In every possible way, it is our desire to further the prosperity of this section and the welfare of our depositors.

You can assist this program by doing your banking here, influencing your friends to do the same, and by talking favorably of your community to strangers.

Prosperity is not a matter of chance. It comes as result of efforts we put forth to benefit each other.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Boost It Along

This creamery did not just grow here of its own accord. Those who organized it, gave freely of their time and money, and helped it along with liberal patronage to bring it up to its present state. If you are a cream producer, and are not a shareholder, buy a share or two in this community enterprise.

United effort by all cream producers in this territory, will make the creamery the largest and best in this section. Do your bit.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

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Poultry Notes

Winter egg profits will depeud largely on the care given pullets.

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Hatch the chicks early so that the pullets are mature for winter egg production.

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Don't forget the importance of fresh, jnicy greens for both the baby chicks and old hens.

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The first half of April is the ideal time to hatch chicks of smaller breeds snch as the Leghorns.

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Giving hens 12 honrs of light increasea egg prodnction at the seasou when the prices are high.

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When calcium carbonate is not available in sufficient quantities, hens lay soft-shelled eggs or no eggs at all.

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Making it easier for the hens to consume large qnantities of mash aids in the production of eggs. At least 10 linear feet of donble bopper space should he provided for 100 hens.

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Culling shonld not he considered as a substitute for correct management of n flock of hens. Even the good producers may cease laying in the summer if proper care is neglected.

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To carry on heavy prodnction hens mnst have atrong hodies and a good snpply of nonrishing feeds.

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Good producing bens may hecome thin if not fed snfficiently. Total feed consumption can he increased usually hy giving a moistened mash once a dsy throughont the summer months.

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Give free range to the birds which are to he nsed as breeders this spring. They should also be fed an abundance of whole yellow corn.

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Breeding, aelection, and poultry culture are employed by alert poultrymen to meet the shifting market demands for poultry and eggs.

Tray, Tray, Tray Again

In order to determina the wearing quality of a uew type of tray, a firm employa a man to wash, acrub and dry 20 trays over and over again, bour after hour, day after day. He will keep this up until the trays wear out!

Bears as Climbers

Most species of bear climb trees, although they do it in a slow, lumbering fashion. When they descend they usually coma down hindquarters first. Their chief object in climbing trees is to obtain fruit or honey.

Evens Up

"The law of averages provides," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "that he who speaks with anger may be compelled to listen in humility."—Washington Star.

River News

Gust Larson accompanied by Gust Erickson, J.J. Larson and Mrs. Geo. Wilson and Amanda Pearson motored Tuesday to Viking to attend the funeral rites of the deceased minister, Rev. Drotts.

Mrs. Paul Thyren called at the Herman Burstad home Tuesday.

Thea Burstad spent Wednesday at the Herman Burstad home.

Dr. Twete made a professional call at the Carl and Walter Swanson homes Wednesday.

Thea Burstad spent Thursday and Friday at Thief River Falls, visiting with friends.

Friday, March 21, was the first day of apring. Altho Sunday proved to be a real spring day, winter wishes to predominate as yet.

Mrs. Herman Burstad spent Saturday afternoon with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Satterberg of St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Erdmann spent Thursday at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seeger of Red Lake Falls.

Paul Thyren and family called at the L. P. Thyren home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bnrstad and family and Herman Burstad were Thief River Falls business callers Saturday.

Mr and Mrs Joe Mortenson and family of St. Hilaire have recently moved onto their new farm, North town which they have purchased in Emardville

Mrs. Paul Gieseke and sons Raymond and Richard spent Sunday at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ulrich.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Winter called at the Thompson home Sunday.

Floyd and Sylvester Hesse spent Sunday at the John Larson home.

A nnmber of local young folks attended the 8 acts progrsm given hy the St. Hilaire school Friday night.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Try a want adv.

Earth's Travels

The earth covers an average distance of 1,601,600 miles in a day as it travels throngh space. Its entire orbit—the annual trip—is abont 534,600,000 miles.

Poor Eyesight Common

It is estimated that at least one person out of four has vision defective enough not to be able to du close work withont serious eyestrain.

Cannibalism Not Extinct

Cannibal tribes are still in existence in the jungles of the central part of South America, particularly in the Amazon basin in Brazil.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Crosby—Mrs. F. E. Murphy is the new president of the Friday Study clnb here.

Lake Crystal—George W. Champlin is the new city clerk here. He succeeds D. A. Evans, resigned.

St. Paul—State Anditor Ray P. Chase has definitely decided to resign and run for governor of Minnesota.

Duluth—Alex Brown, 70 years old, of Dulnth, died at a local hospital from injuries received when he was struck by a train.

Hutchinson—A junior Boy Scont troop will be organized here with boys between the ages of nina and 12 years as members.

Cannon Falls—Dr. Alva A. Conley of Cannon Falls, 40 years old, ona of the leading physicians in this district, died in Chicago.

Duluth—Entries in the one-act play contest for farmers' clnbs of St. Louis county will close with finals set for Virginia April 5.

Blooming Prairie—Sam A. Rask, banker and former state senator here has filed for lientenant govenor on the Republican ticket.

Roseau—Clarice Holm has been selected as valedictorian of the senior class of Rosean high school, and John Delmore is salutatorian.

Austin—Two Rochester youths, Harry Christianson, 21 years old, and Ray Wells, 23, are in jail here awaiting trial on charges of car theft.

Mankato—A. L. Veigel, former state representative, filed as a candidate for state seuator from the eighth district. Gnstaf Widell, incumhent, has filed also.

Northfield—The bodies of two boys, 8 and 10, lost through the ice in Cannon river eome time ago, have been recovered and funeral services held here.

Hastings—J. P. Meyer will oppose Mayor E. J. King in the mayoralty race in the city election here April 1. Mrs. Harry Sieben has filed for school inspector.

Rochester—Rochester high school debaters entered the semifinals in the state school dehete league hy defeating the Mankato team in a regional clash here.

Austin—Mower county township elections resulted in approval by voters of county aid road construction projects involving $90,115 for grading and graveling 24 miles of road.

Hastings—While the Hastings dam will not he completed in time for river shipping this spring, accommodations have been made to allow the passage of hoats to the St. Paul terminals.

Hastings—Accused of stealing geese and chickens valued at $30, Bernard Decorcy of St. Paul, was arraigned before a justice of the peace at Sonth St. Panl on a second degree grand larceny charge.

Montevideo—The discharge of Miss Lillian Pederson, on a charge of smoking, and fonr high school hoys for drinking, hrought a strike of 65 high school pnpils here, an ultimatum to the school hoard.

Owatonna—F. W. Peck, director of the agricultnral extension service of University Farm, addressed 70 dads and students of the Owatoune high school agricnlture clnb at their annual banquet.

Hutchinson—A second home beantifying contest will be condncted in Hutchinson this summer, sponsored by the Union Club. Elmer C. Jensen, chairman of the Public Welfare committee, will be in charge.

Owatonna—Four recommendations in the handling of the dairy situations were presented et a mass meeting of the Steele county dairy farmers hera hy F. W. Peck, director of the agricultural extension division, University of Minnesota.

Owatonna—Henry H. Benson, Minnesota attorney general, was tha principal epeaker et the fourth annnal sportsmen's hanqnet and jamboree of the Owatonna chapter, Izaak Walton League of America at the National Gnard armory here.

Austin—Mrs. Matthew Bear, who has operated a hus line here for five years found she was liable to fines totaling $95,500. Austin anthorities had permitted the operation, both partias ignorant of the law requirements. She will probably not he fined bnt has been reqnested to secure a license.

St. James—Dairyman whose herds have heen ontstanding in hntterfat prodnction were honored at the annual meeting of the Watonwan County Herd Improvement Association here. They are members of the Watonwan County Cow Testing Association and the Tilney Farm Testing Association.

Hastings—In addition to selecting officials at the city election April 1, citizens of Hastings will settle a fire truck question. The city council some time ago purchased a fire truck but the transaction was declared illegal in a report received recently from the office of state public examiner. The truck, meanwhile, has been in use and the city has paid $1,977.50.

Wabasha—With present incumbents having filed for the five city offices, indications are that the Wabasha election April 1 will lack contest.

Hastings—E. J. Hiniker, city attorney of Hastings, filed suit in Dakota county District Court asking $25,000 damages from Charles Lucius, of Hastings, for alleged libel.

Duluth—The International Prodncts corporation with an authorized capital stock of $500,000, has filed articles of incorporation here. It is to engage in the manufacture of railroad equipment, iron, steel and other metals and in mining and refining.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Probate of Foreign Will

ESTATE OF Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, Decedent.

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to Regina Hoover, Frank Clark, Fred Clark, Emery Atwater, Mrs. Julius Bretsch and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of F. D. Peet, representing that Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, then a resident of the County of Hardin, State of Iowa, died on the 4th day of April, 1929, testate and that his will has been allowed and admitted to probate in the district court in and for the County of Hardin, State of Iowa, being filed in this court, together with authenticated copies of said will and of the probate thereof in the court above named, and praying that said Will be admitted to probate in this State, and that letters testamentary be thereon granted to him. NOW, THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms, in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 5th day of April, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS The Honorable Lars Backe, Judge of said Court, and the seal of said Court, this 8th day of March, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate Court

Perl W. Mabey
and H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
M13-27.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota, } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Math Barzen, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Anna Barzen, Roy M. Barzen, Bernard R. Barzen, Ernest J. Barzen, Math R. Barzen, Katherine B. Barzen, Margaret C. Barzen, John C. Barzen and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 12th day of April, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted:

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 13th day of March, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate Court.

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
M20-A3

MEET THE GANG
-AT-
Bob's Coffee Shop
If you can't eat at home. eat with us
R. Helmkay,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Point of Greatness

The prevailin' weakness of most public men is to slop over.—Charles Farrar Browne (Artemus Ward, 1834-1868). "Fourth of July Oration."

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Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 5th, 1924, executed by Henry H. Hallstrom and Lettie L. Hallstrom, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 11th, 1924, at two o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 206 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $93.75 each, due on April 5th, 1929, and October 5th, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,811.56, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from October 5th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $187.50, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $93.75 thereof since April 5th, 1929, and on $93.75 thereof since October 5th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $136.36 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since December 30th, 1929, in all the aum of $3,203.13, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the deht secured hy said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-five (45) West, except reservations for railroad purposes heretofore made, containing 180 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will he sold hy the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 11th day of April, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest hidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided hy law.

Dated February 26th, 1930.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal.)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (F27-A3)

Gems Must Be Polished

Diamonds as they come from the ground heve approximately the same color as when they are cnt, except that they are rongh and do not heve a polished surface, althongh some are unusually smooth. They generally bave a greasy look, like pieces of glass covered with vaseline. To give them their characteristic eppearance it is always necessary to cut them into the proper shape.

Outdoor Noah's Ark

The island of Marajo, at the 200-mile-wide mouth of the Amazon river, is as large as the kingdom of Denmark. An area of dense jungles, great prairies, rivers and a loug shore line ou the Atlantic, it is e haven for e vast congregation of wild life. Animals, birds, fish and gorgeous insects abound in great numbers, including the jacare, or Brazilian crocodile.

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Oscar O. Maland, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Ole O. Maland, the heirs of Guri S. Maland, Selma Jackson, Adelia Maland, Julius Maland and Gladys Maland, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on Saturday the 19th day of April, 1930, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted:

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 25th day of March, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate Court.

Theo. Quale,
Attorney for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
M27-A10

"Good Marks"

The parents of two East side children promised them something nice if their report cards were good. The little girl brought bers home very prondly and exhibited it. Buddy didn't bring his homa until the following day, and knowing his sixties and seventies wonldn't match np with his sister's, be added e cipher to them to make them read 600 and 700.—Indianapolis News.

Statute Knot

The statute knot, generally considered the standard in marlua circles, is 6,082.66 feet. To arrive et the number of feet the circumference of the earth is divided into 360 degrees, each degree containing 60 knots, or 21,600 knots to the circnmference. Dividing this into 131,385,456, the number of feet in the earth's circumference, gives the length of tha standerd knot.

City Distances

Many cities have zero milestones from which tha distance to end from that city is measured. In the county seat the distance is usually measured to the courthouse. In other towns end villages the distance is usually measured to the point where the two main streets cross.

Ancient Use of Abacus

The abacus or heed frame, used for counting by the Chinese and Persisna and developed as a gift of an instructive nature for children of the prekindergarten ege, dates at least as far back as the time of the ancient Greeks and Romans.

Knew What She Meant

The late Booker T. Washington nsed to tell e story of his meeting a colored woman aud asking: "Well, Miranda, where are yon going?" "I'se goin' nowhere, Mr. Washington," was the reply. "I'se been where I'se goin.'"

Do It Now

Look over your supply of printed matter such as envelopes, statements, letterheads, bill heads, cards or other forms you use daily.

Spring is "right around the corner", the time you need them Let us have your order for what you need.

St. Hilaire Spectator

Bray News

Mr. and Mrs. Lundberg of Wylie visited at the home of C. A. Lindquist on Sunday.

Miss Hazel Krause spent the week end visiting at the Krause home returning here on Monday morning to continue her grind of teaching.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lindbloom and Mrs. Anna Lindbloom were business callers at Thief River on Saturday.

Miss Mable Lindbloom who has been employed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Melin returned home on Sunday.

Harold and Geo. Lindbloom called on Harry Larson on Sunday.

Lillian Larson is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson accompanied by Harry Larson and John Scholin were in attendance at the farwell reception given for Mr. and Mrs. Walter Larson of Holt. The honor guests received a sum of money as a rememberance from his friends and relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Larson will leave for Bronson, Minn, on April 1st to take the job as buttermaker at the creamery. We all wish Walter much success in his new field.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scholin were Thief River callers on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Schalz visited at the Paul Ortloff home in St. Hilaire on Sunday.

Early Chess Treatise

Before 1200, an enalytical treatise uf the game of chess was written by a Dominican friar, Jacopo Dacclesole, tbe work later being translated intu French, of which Caxton printed an Englisb version in 1474. Before these, however, Omar Kbayyam, the Persian poet, made a reference to chess, as did bis fellow countryman, Firdusi, wbo lived from 960 to 1020.

Jewish Symbol

The scroll hung on the doorway uf every orthodox home is called, in Hebrew, a "mezuzah." The observance uf this custom is in fulfillment of tbe command in Denteronomy, the fifth Book of Moses, "And they shall be upon tbey gates." Tbe scroll contains these words in Hebrew. It is a symbol of a Jewisb bome and a reminder of loyalty to religion.

Hudson River

From New York bay to Albany the Hudson is really not a river at all, but a kind of fjord, formed by tha sinking uf the original river valley and its invasion by salt water. For this distance it is a tidal stream. Above Troy the river is a small stream with numerous rapids and falls.

Drugs Easily Detected

Many drugs communicate their odor to the breath. Familiar examples are ether, chloroform and alcobol. The beevy narcotic smell of opium, the garlicky odor of pbospborus poisoning and the smell of peach kernels in hydrocyanic acid poisoning are well known to physicians.

Full Fledged at Birth

The common bouse fly is full size wben it hatches from the pupa, and does not grow any larger. When it hatches it is distorted and it takes from 15 to 80 minutes to straighten out. The fly is not sexually mature until from three to five days after it hatches.

FARM POULTRY

PAYING POULTRY FLOCK IS GROWN

Spring-Hatched Pullets Carefully Developed Are Best.

Developing the spring-hatched pullets from the time the chicks leave the incubator until the pullets are placed in tbe leying house is the pathway to profits in the poultry industry.

"The object of this development is to bave pullets of stamina, bone and vigor and fully np to the standard weight of the breed," says R. S. Dearstyne, poultryman at State college. "At first the proper mashes are needed nntil finelly the laying mash containing 20 per cent of protein is given. The young pnllets must have an sbundance of succulent green feed especially, es the grass on the range gets old ond tough. When placing birds in the laying house, do this about two weeks before they start laying so that they mny become accustomed to their surroundings."

Nesting material should be changed often, runs cleared of litter, perch poles scraped and freed of mites, and the birds examined for internal parasites. A minimum of four feet of floor space to each bird is needed in the honse, and at least two feet of perch pole for eech three birds. Dampness in the house and damp litter is to be avoided if the birds are not to hava roup and colds. Fresh, clean water is necessry and the mash hoppers are to be kept filled at all times. Oyster shell and grit needs tu be kept before the birds, and grain fed twice each dsy with the heaviest amount at evening.

Mr. Dearstyne says that the poultryman will do well to spend about ten minutes each day in general observation of his flock. Tbis will help him to find any lack of thriftiness or any indication of disease. Birds ronghly handled, irregularly fed and watered, infested with parasites or neglected in other ways will not prove profitable.

Caponizing Profitable Way to Market Poultry

Coponizing is one of the most profitnble ways of marketing late-batched cockerels. In an experiment last year fifty June batched cockerels were caponized. Tbe birds were of dual-purpose breeds and caponized when they bed reached a weight of 12 ounces to 2½ pounds. These birds were sold the following April and averaged six pounds each, dressed for market. They brought 35 cents a pound, or an average of $2.10 per bird. The feed cost of prodncing these birds was 84 cents eech, and witb an additional charge of 10 cents for dressing and picking, the net profit was $1.16 per bird.

Another poultryman caponized 191 barred Plymouth Rocks last summer. When sold their average weight was 7.7 pounds each, and they brought 43 cents per pound. The total cost uf growing these capons—chicks, feed and labor—was placed at $366.14. There were 176 birds at selling time, which brongbt e total of $561.14, leaving e net profit of 85 cents per bird.

Customs Change

Offer e woman of today a pinch of snuff and she will be quite as much offended as a Victorian deme by tha offer uf a ciragette. Yet a century ago the invitation uf snuff wuuld have been accepted without demnr.

First Book in English

William Caxton was the first person to print a book in English. In 1474 be printed e translation of Raoul de Fevre's history of Troy. That was the first book ever printed in English.

This Week

by **Arthur Brisbane**

Federal Reserve Advises
Russia Answers the Pope
In A. D. 1001930
Gangsters, Cruel, Silent

Los Angeles.—The federal reserve chief tells business to go ahead boldly, showing more initiative, less hesitancy.

Excellent advice. Business will advise the federal reserve, when and if prosperity booms again, to be less enthusiastic ebout promoting usury, and run tha federal reserva more like a banking institution, less like e pawnshop.

Reserve board financiers that forced 15 to 20 per cent interest rates, handing hundreds of millions to money lenders and edding thousands of millions in value, temporarily, tu inflated bank stocks, need advice as much as any business man needs it.

Russia, inflamed by the pope's protest against atheistic propaganda, retaliates in vindictive fashion. In the Minsk district a fund is started to build an airplane, presumably for war, to be called "Our Answer to Pope Pius." And from the Veronesb district workers send to the industrial fund at Moscow ten carloads of church bells, sacred images, crucifixes, etc., to be melted down. That shipment is called "an answer to the pope."

One item of news will be remembered a million, and ten million, years hence.

Nothing else in our age will be of the slightest consequence, even 100,000 years from now.

The news that will outlast recollection of this age of industrial and financial barbarism is the discovery of anuther planet in our solar family, sailing around outside the orbit of Neptune.

Earth dwellers in the year one million ninsteen hundred and thirty, as they converse in the ozone area, thirty miles above the earth, will wouder bow such primitive beings as ourselves could have discovered that planet.

Similarly, we wonder how primitive cave dwellers could have mads those interesting pictures of rhinoceroses and horses.

Gangsters are not kind to each other.

John ("Billiken") Rito, described by police as "a bootleg racketeer," member of the "Bugs" Moran gang, lies in tha morgue. Wires with which his arms, hands and ankles were bound when he was taken out of the Chicago river hava been removed. Tha police wonder who burned tha tips of his fingers in the process of torturing him before he was murdered, and why they did it. They will never know.

Racketeers kill, and don't talk.

Golf links, daily dozens, radio setting-np exercises and uther devices are designed for the man who leads e sedsntary life physically. Edison wants to know: "What ebout the man mentally sedentary and inactive? Who will plan something for him?" Many millions need to be called early on the radio with this question: "How long is it since you have exercised your mind? How mnch reading worth while do you do, and bow much du yon think as yon read?" It is mental, not physical, inactivity that hurts a nation.

The Union Pecific railroad has bought $500,000 worth of fine new motor omnibusses. Railroad men have passed the phase uf contempt for entomobiles. The Union Pecific will uss 22 new omnibusses between Chicago and Los Angeles, 11 between Portland, Spokane, Boise and Salt Lake City.

Whet people think decides what they are. Prosperity is to a considerabla extent a matter uf psychology.

Once a man was fastened in e chair, his feet put in warm water, and as e practical joke he was sbown a razor of which the binnt end was drawn across the soles of his bare feet. He was told, "You will bleed to death painlessly in this warm water." Ha didn't lose a drop of blood, but ha died.

Don't let prosperity die in that fashion, killed by imagination.

Mr. Edison is bopeful abont e rubber supply from goldenrod. Chamists who think it ought tu be done by soma synthetic process and victims of hay fever are less optimistic.

The great inventor, eighty-three years old, says he wants only five years more to finish this job, and doesn't ask to live one hundred years.

The death uf Primo de Rivera, former Spanish dictator, killed by heart disease, reminds you that being dictator is e wearing job. It takes such a man as Mussolini to stand it for e long time.

The Italian ruler establishes e "minor" class uf citizen, not obliged to enter the Italian army.

This is planned to keep Italians in foreign countries interested in Italy. Wise Mussolini.

President Hoover, like a good family doctor for the nation, says nothing or says things that are encouraging. There is e great deal of value in that.

Buy what you want, beginning with a good automobile; buy it now and then enjoy it nuw. Life does not last forever. Keep it busy, and full.

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Hazel News

Mr. Morris Odegaard and Mr. E. Holton motored to Thief River Sunday Mr. Holton had his injnred hand dressed. Lina Holton also accompanied them to resnme her school dnties.

Mrs E. Knutson and Mrs. A. Anderson called at the Nels Nelson home Tuesday afternoon.

M. and Mrs. C Finstad and children Kermit and Louise Mae visited at C. Alberg Monday.

Mrs. Ed Knutson went to Plummer Thnrsday morning to attend the fnneral of her nncle Aven Jensen who died Monday morning. She retnrned home Satnrday.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Johnson and children Naomi, Mary Jane and Roderick called at Willie Peterson Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs Ole Odegaard were Thief River callers on Wednesday and Monday.

Mrs C Roese end children Joyce and Stanley visited at Anton Peterson Saturday afternoon

The choir of the St Pauli church practiced at the C. Alberg home Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandberg are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl born Seturday March 22.

Mr. and Mrs C. Finstad and children and Edwin Husby visited at Helmer Finstad Sunday afternoon.

The C. Prestby family were Sunday supper guests at the Erling Prestby home Sunday.

A group of friends assembled at the C. Prestby home Monday evening in honor of the tenth birthday of their little son Floyd The evening was delightfully spent in playing games and contests. At close of the evening a delicious lnnch was served. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. E. Prestby and children Vivian, Donna Belle, Shirley end Velda Fern, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard and sons Morris, Walter, Rueben and Harvey. Axel Rassmusen and Mae Kenney.

Better Than "Nothing"

Uncle Sammy—Dat dorg is ms best friend, an' I wouldn't sell 'im for nothin'.

Brownie—I'll give yon 50 cents for him.

Uncle Sammy—He's yo' dorg.

Undesirables

Hobo (on board train)—Has anybody lost a roll of bills?

"Yes, I bave," cried several voices.

Hobo—Take them! They are from the butcher.

One on Uncle Sam

Ella—Who is this E Pluribus Unum?

Father—I don't know, but I don't like these men wbo part their names in the middle.

SHIPPED WEST

"Prehistoric uysters were found in the Putomac river recently."

"Yes, I think I ate some of them in a restaurant the other day."

For Pate de Foie Gras

In Strasbourg where the goose-liver industry is most important tbe geese are confined in small dsrk cages so that they can move unly a few inches. They are fed twu ur three times a day commonly with all the ground maize ur wbeat flour paste they can be mode to eat. At the end uf about three weeks, when they are very fat, they are killed. The liver usually weighs from twu and one-half to three pounds.

Dog Cools Off by Panting

Dogs sweat ur perspire very little. The physiological purpose of perspiration seems to be regulution of the temperature of the body. But in the case uf the dog, as well as many other animals, the body temperature is regulated by respiration. After running a dog breathes more rapidly—pants. This has the same cooling effect as sweating would have.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Stock and Poultry Meals

We have on hand a big supply of Cottonseed meal, Oil meal, etc., for stock use.

And we have Bone meal, Meat scraps, Oyster shells and Limestone "Shellmaker" for poultry.

Don't forget to order a sack of Dakota Maid

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Crankcase Service

Let us drain your crankcase and refill it with with the proper oil for your car at this season. We have oils and grease suitable for all makes of cars.

KOOLMOTOR

Try our green gas. You will note more pickup and speed than with ordinary gas, and you will note absence of carbon.

Young's Service Station

St. Hilaire. Minnesota

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening services 8:00.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor

Sunday, March 30
Clearwater, 11:00 A. M. Nor.
St. Paul Luth, 2:00 P. M.
St. Hilaire Luth.
Sunday school at 10:00 A. M.
Mens' Club program, 2:00 P. M. at which Rev. Fjeldstad will speak.
Lenten services at 8:00 P. M.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Black River church at 10:30 A. M. and in local church at 3:00.

Few Supreme Court Juries

Except in certain cases the Supreme court of the United States is a court of appeals and does not try cases before a jnry. There are records of only two or three cases in which juries bave been used in the Supreme court.

Snake's Fangs

A snake's forked tongue is a very sensitive organ of touch and is not used in biting. Special poison-conducting teeth called fangs are employed to bite and poison their prey.

One Tomb Unrifled

The tomb of Queen Hetep Heres I, mother of Cheops, c. 3000 B. C., was intact wben found in March, 1925, by the Harvard University Museum of Fine Arts expedition.

Good Suggestion

It's all right to pick up a stranger on the bighway if, like tbe Good Samaritan, you pick one too far gone to knock you in the bead.—San Francisco Chronicle.

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

Appertaining to Finance

MOST of us are familiar with the story of the improvident persou wbo, on being warned by the beed of his bonk tbat be must make axteusive deposits immediately in order thet bis drawing occount migbt balence, made enswer as follows:

"Sby, look here! I'm getting good nnd tired of having yon fellows bothering me ebout tbese petty financial details. If you begin pestering me again I'll be derned if I don't take my overdreft out of yoor bank and transfer it to the Second National, ecross the street."

There's a compenion story for this, not quite so old:

A gentlemon in a southern town, well known as brilliant bnt careless, was persistent in bis epplications for loans and extremely tardy about repoying them. He had induced a local bank to let bim bave forty dollars, and gave his note therefor.

At the end of each 30-dsy period be inveriobly appeared and asked that tbe note be renewed; and es there was notbing else to do, the bank always renewed it.

One day ho appeared and said to the cashier:

"I'd like to renew that paper of mine yoo bave bere."

"Certainly," replied the cashier; "I'll fix it up for you."

The csshier made tbe proper preporntions for tbe renewal, and then he said:

"Say, tbe directors were talking about this paper of yours the uther doy. Tbey decided that tbey wouldn't cbarge you interest on it any longer."

"That's very considerate of them," was the reply. "I'm mighty glad to bear it. I certainly am under obligations to them."

"Yes," continned the cashier, "we're not going to charge you interest, we're going to charge yon storage!"

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12,000 Fall in Chinese Battle.

Shanghai—The nationalist government claimed e complete and decisive victory against rebel forces near Canton, with thousands slain and wounded in the fighting.

Cedar Fence Posts For Sale

Will have on track in St. Hilaire about April 1st, a carload of Cedar posts. These will be sold at the usual low price if taken direct from car. Anyone needing posts this spring communicate with

Paul Thyren
Hazel, Minn.

Chick - Chick - Chick

It is soon time for the chicks to arrive. Have you a brooder house ready for them? We have them on display at our yard.
Come in and look them over.

Central Lumber Co.

A Case of Safe Vengeance

By BEATRICE A. VANDEGRIFT

(Copyright)

RUFE STURGEON sauntered into the Smoky Mountain general store after a year's stay at the jail in tha valley. The men hailed him cordially. Men in the Smoky Mountains don't consider a prison term a disgrace.

They were merely anxious to see whet Rufe Sturgeon was going to do next, especiolly about "Quoits" Mosely. It was Mosely who had snitched on Rufe, telling tha revenue officers thot Rufe was making and selling wine, while Rufe protested, "I wasn't selling it. I was only making it for myself."

Nevertheless, Rufe went to jail in the valley. That winter, when some of the distant neighbors happened to pass hy Rufe's placa they found his wife frozen in e rocking chair before an empty hearth. Sha had evidently been too ill to bring in the wood. Of her three-year-old child there was no trace.

Yes, the men of Smoky Mountain were quite anxious to know whst Rufe was golug to do about it.

In a corner, apart from tha others, sat a man from tha valley who had followed Rufe and was also interested in knowing what ha was going to do next.

Sturgeon sank into a chair before the pot-bellied iron stove that was furiously fighting the creeping October cold. His chin settled upon his chest, his eyes were straight before bim. His skin was pale from a year of indoors end he seemed better shaven than was his wont.

He did not ask a word about his dead wife or lost child or home that had fallen in disrepair.

"Seems like an early winter," he commented.

The men hastened to agree with him quickly as men do with one who sits in their midst, not seeing them. The owner of the store came forward and laid a genial hand on Rufe's shoulder.

"I've got something in the back of the store to pep you, Rufe," he invited.

Rufe shook his head and answered without inflection, "Thanks, Dave, but I ain't making that mistake twice."

Tha men tried to draw him into their circle, bring him back to life; regaling him with the scanty news of the mountains—the sheriff had frozen to death last January, riding down from Eagle's Pass. No, frozen was a topic to keep awey from. Jeff Tolhot had married tha Evans girl, finally. Cliff Barnett's wife hod twins and one of them had died. That wasn't a safe topic, either.

"'Quoits' Mosely" has four new horses," spoke up one man carelessly.

"'Quoits' Mosely," repeated Rufe without inflection. "I got to he going out and killing him in a little bit." He announced it listlessly, thinking with dread of the jail he had just quitted and to which he was almost certain to return.

Tha men were silent with approval. The stranger from the valley who had sat in tha corner listening leaned forward with sudden interest. He followed Rufe out of the store when he went.

Sturgeon walked up the trell that had been so familiar to him. The high air was sweet and clear after the close air of tha valley. There is no smoka in the Smokies, though a thin blue veil lies along them.

He walked on and up for over an hour, resting often. A year of pacing a level stone floor gets a men a little out of practice for mountain climbing. He passed the hrook where his little boy had gone wading. Rufe was unimaginative, bnt he conld almost see the little brown hody standing naked on the tumbling waters. He passed his own place with its leaning fences and a house he did not care to enter.

Further on was "Quoits" Mosely's place—"Quoits" who had accidentally killed a man once at horseshoes. In the Smokies only cowards accidentolly kill their men.

Outside "Quoits" fenca lay a dead man. Rufe turned him over. It wes not Mosely, but on the hard ground nearby was his footprint, made on a bit of earth softened hy the spilling of a jug.

Rufe covered the footprint carefully with a piece of bark, knowing thet his plan to kill "Quoits" would not have to ha carried out, that he would not need to return to the valley to pace tha level stone floor.

On his way down tha trail, he met his pursuer coming up.

"Keep going a little," ba ordered tha man who was a stranger to Smoky Mountain, but not to him. "There's something for you up there . . . a dead man. . . . 'Quoits' Mosely done him. You'll see Mr. Mosely's footprint under a piece of bark."

He passed his empty house and deserted farm, whistling.

Wasted Energy

The chief fault of a single-track mind is that it uses up so much energy hauling empties.—Capper's Weekly.

LIVE STOCK

BIG LOSSES FROM SWINE AILMENTS

Much Could Be Prevented by Providing Dry Shelter.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Heavy losses hava been experienced by swine owners this winter as a result of two diseases having symptoms somewhat resembling those of hog cholera. The cause in most cases investigated has been pneumonia, according to Dr. U. G. Houck, in charga of hog-cholera-control work in tha bureau of animal industry, United States Department of Agriculture. The other diseasa is swina influenza, commonly known as "flu." Losses of swine from these diseases can be largely prevented by providing dry shelter for the animals to protect them from exposure to cold wind, rain, sleet and snow.

"Cases of pneumonia so common in tha fall end winter months," Doctor Houck states, "usually follow a period of mild weather when the animals run out or are allowed to bed in the open. The first cold rain or snow nearly always results in a number of sick animals, but this year the loss has been greater than usual, especially in the central western states. In many cases tha animals would not go into shelters unless they were driven, while others slept in damp bedding or drafty sheds.

"When permanent hog houses are lacking, comfortable quarters can usually be provided at small cost by the use of the portable A-typa houses or other shelter which will protect against drafts, undue dampness and exposure. Even an open-front shed having a tight roof and sides will often afford sufficient protection. The use of bedding also helps to prevent sickness."

It is customary to regard the hog as a herdy animal needing little or no protection from cold weather. As a result of this mistaken idea, entire herds are often unduly exposed and become affected with pneumonia or "flu" with resulting hesvy losses to the owners. Even a fat hog, government veterinerians point out, is not so well able to resist a sudden change to severe cold weather as are many other kinds of domestic animals. The thin covering of hair is not sufficient protection egeinst exposure to cold weather, and the danger is increased when the hog lies on wet ground.

When an animal is affected with pneumonia, the symptoms often resemble hog cholera except that the congested condition of the visible mucous membranes is absent and there are no red spots on the skin. The trouble does not as a rule spread to the entire herd, and the post-mortem examination reveals lesions confined principally to the lungs.

Hog "flu" is characterized by the sudden prostration of a large number of the herd accompanied by loss of appetite and spasmodic breathing. When urged to move, the animals have violent fits of coughing. The eyes are swollen and there mey be a discharge from the nose. When a herd shows symptoms of "flu" prompt measures should be taken to house and otherwise care for the animals in order to prevent losses.

"When any of the symptoms described occur in e herd of swine that hes already been immunized against cholera," Doctor Houck adds, "one should suspect the presence of pneumonia, 'flu,' bronchitis, or similar disease, and take prompt measures to prevent losses."

Selling Old Sows and Keeping Gilts Is Best

Selling the old sows each year and keeping young ones for breeding is the most profitable practice in Minnesota, saya H. G. Zavoral, extension swine specialist, university farm, St. Paul. By this method the breeding stock is kept continually growing and gaining in weight, thereby increasing its own market velue as well as providing young stock.

Occasionally farmers may find it desirable to keep over pure-hred sows to improve the breeding in their herds. However, Mr. Zavoral says he has observed during the last ten years that the man who moves his sows every year and raises new ones will have tha largest henk balance year in and year out, although he may not always produce the best hogs. Hog men who are most successful are the ones thot mark every litter and select gilts from the hest sows each year. The average man who follows this plan probably saves one pig less per litter than by using tried sows, hut this loss is more than offset hy the feed saved.

Castrate Ram Lambs

Many castrate tha ram lambs at the same time they are docked. This saves catching them up again and in some cases tha saving of labor justifies the practice. When the job of getting tha sheep up to tha barn is not too great, however, it is better to wait until the tails have healed before castrating. One operation at a time seems enough for a littla lamb. Lambs should be castrated young, for tha older they are tha more severe the operation is for them.

FOR SALE, etc.

For Sale:- One purebred and one high grade Holstein bull calves 3 months old. Also others: younger, for sale at right price. Call on or address.
Ole Larson
St. Hilaire, Minn.

For Sale:- A turkey tom. Address Emil Person, R1, Wylie, Minn.

For Rent or Sale:-The northwest quarter and southeast quarter, of Sec. 17 in Black River township. Good buildings and desirable location.
If interested, call on or write to
Fred D. Lorentson,
M20tf Thief River Falls, Minn.

For Sale:- A quantity of hay in stack.
A. V. Jacobson,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Ganders For Sale:- Have two Toulouse ganders for sale at reasonable price. Address, or call on O. O. Maland, R1, St. Hilaire, Minn.

For Sale:- One purebred Holstein bull calf, and several high grade ones. Call on or address.
Arne Vik
St. Hilaire, Minn M26-27p

For Sale:- A few shares of stock of the St. Hilaire Co- op Creamery Ass'n for sale at this office. M13-27

Wyandotte News

O. E. Wilson was a business caller at the home of John Albin Tuesday.

Lillian and Frank Berg called at the P. Kolseth home Friday evening.

Miss Schie, teacher of Dist. 6, spent the week-end at the home of her sister at Thief River Falls.

Those who attend school at nearby towns spent the week-end with their parents are: Harriet Bruggeman, Selma Wilson, Marie Kolseth and Laura Schack.

Evan O. Johnson passed away at the home of his sister Mrs. Lena Matheson south of Plummer Monday March 17. Deceased was injured about 10 days before while operating his feed mill, and never recovered from injuries received. The deceased had been a businessman for several years at Plummer Funservices were held last Saturday at Clearwater church at 10 a. m. and interment were made there

Julius and Marie Peterson visited at Jim Evenson home Sunday afternoon

H. L. Bruggeman was a business caller at P. Kolseth home Thursday.

Mrs. A. Stalmaa was a business caller at P. Kolseth home Monday.

Dorthy Sumpter left last Monday for Fisher where she will be employed.

Frank and Melmer Berg called at the E. O. Wilson home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bruggeman and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bruggeman of Plummer visited Sunday at the H. L. Bruggeman home.

Orrin Lokken has been a mechanical worker at O. E. Wilson's home the past week.

Mrs. N. Berg and daughter Margaret visited Sunday afternoon at the Martin Berg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hagen are the proud parents of a baby girl born Thursday, March 20.

Miss Anna Peterson visited at the Ole Hanson home Sunday.

Peter Kolseth was a business caller at the Jim Evenson home Monday evening.

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Wit and Humor

SO COOL HE FORGOT

A few minutes after an alarm of fire was given in a botel, one of the guests joined the group thot was watching the fire, and choffed them on their apparent excitement. "There was nothing to ba excited ebout," he said. "I took my time ehont dressing, lighted a cigarette, didn't like the knot in my necktie, so tied it over again—that's how cool I was."

"Fine," one of his friends remorked, "but why didn't you put on your pants?"

Discreet Restraint

"Did you ever think of telling your wife to quit driving from the back seat?"

"Never," answered Mr. Chuggins. "On such occasions there's plenty of material for argument, without edding complications."—Washington Star.

Modernism

"Alas!" sighed the disoppointed auitor, "the girl of my dreams hes married another and all hope of winning her is gone."

"Cheer up," advised his best friend, "she'll probably be bock in circulation again by this time next yeer."

NOT NECESSARILY BETTER

First Girlie—You sey you like him because be's e better man?
Second Girlie—No—a petter man.

Practical Economies

A fortune great may grow,
And yet, before he's through with it,
A man may scarcely know
Precisely what to do with it.

She Meant Well

Mrs. B. (writing to beloved troveler husband)—Dearest, day and night my thoughts are with you always. Sleeping, I dream of you; waking in the morning and seeing your bathrobe hanging on the bed post, I wish it were you.

Cold Comfort

Gerald—You don't seem pleased when I suggest you have a lovely disposition.

Clarice—I'm not. Telling a girl she has a lovely disposition is usually an apology for not being able to say sha is either good-looking or interesting.

LOCALS

Tim Ensrud spent Tuesday with friends at Red Lake Falls.

Ole Johnson and family motored Sunday to Holt for a brief visit with relatives.

Harry Winter is the owner of a new Whippet sedan bought this week.

Dr. J. T. Bowers and Att'y J. M Bishop were down last evening from Thief River attending to business matters.

Don't forget the big auction sale at the Johnson Brothers farm, two miles east of here, tomorrow.

Ice went out of the river channel a year ago today, but that event will evidently not be repeated this year.

As will be noted elsewhere in this issue, Hunt Brothers are offering a harness repair service to those who need it.

Hunt Brothers are not complaining because customers have bought a big share of the special bargains put out first of this week, thus ruining the nicely arranged displays.

Mike McAndress returned Tuesday after being at So. St. Paul with a carload of livestock. Mike says the market is very erratic, and its no snap to buy cattle these days especially if one wants to come out whole on the transaction.

A good sized crowd was present Friday evening at the entertainment given by the school. Eight acts by pupils from primary grades to high school, were given and were thoroly enjoyed by all present. After the program, lunch was served from the domestic science room. The school realized about $40 from the play and lunch.

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MINNESOTA HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Joseph McAndress Dies

Joseph McAndress, a resident of this village during mill days, and well known locally at that time, died Thursday at a hospital at Fergus Falls after a long illness. He had previously been a patient at a Fargo hospital since last fall. Joe received a good education during his boyhood years, and after leaving here held different responsible positions in Dakota, western Canada and Montana. He was a most likeable young man, and his death will be a source of regret to many friends in different parts of the country.

The remains were brought here Saturday to home of his brother, Mike, the funeral services were held Monday morning from St. Bernard's Catholic church at Thief River Falls. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery near that city where his parents are buried.

Deceased is survived by five brothers and two sisters; Mike and Martin of this village, William and Pat at Minneapolis, Walter of California, Mrs. Hannah Sullivan of Detroit Lakes, and Mrs. Julia O'Toole of Sask., Canada, besides a number of other relatives.

Sympathy of numerous friends in this community is extended to the bereaved relatives.

Sacred Cantata, Sunday

The sacred cantata "The Dawn Immortal", an Easter song service, will be given by the Choir of the Norwegian Lutheran church Sunday evening, April 6 at 8 o'clock. An admission of 25 cents will be charged which will include lunch after the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter left yesterday on a motor trip to visit friends and relatives at Minneapolis and also other southern Minnesota points.

Census enumerators thruout the United States started work Tuesday morning. Owing to a number of farm tracts being detached from the village during the past ten years, it is expected the population of this place will be a little less than for the 1920 census.

You'll find a complete line of guaranteed lawn and garden equipment at Gamble's—Hoes, rakes, lawn brooms, etc. Garden hose 7c per ft. 16" Ball Bearing Lawn Mower $7.95.

Dorothy Martz Wins Acclaim At St. Paul

Miss Dorothy Martz, daughter of Mrs. Anna Martz of this village, who is spending the winter at St. Paul, was the subject of a feature article in the St. Paul Sunday Pioneer Press in its issue of March 16.

Miss Dorothy, who teaches in the Sibley school five days each week, brings cheer and sunshine into the lives of little folk at the Children's Hospital by giving her Saturdays to aid them in gaining an education. Here Miss Dorothy has brot together various devices to make the path to knowledge interesting and pleasant. As most of the little students are bed patients, all teaching must of necessity be individual instruction, there being no classes. While pay for this work consists entirely of gratitude of her little students, Miss Dorothy feels she is amply repaid for her efforts in bringing hope and cheer into the lives of those who might not get an opportunity otherwise.

Former Local Girl Heard Over Radio

One of the artists on the program given by the Concordia Collage, from the radio station at Fargo last Friday evening was Miss Marie Grimsrud daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Grimsud, formerly of this village, and now of Hitterdal. Miss Marie gave two very fine piano selections which were heard and appreciated by local people.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Janda and children of Mahnomen, spent Sunday here at home of her father, H. Kalland. The latter returned with them to Mahnomen to spend a couple weeks.

In Appreciation

I wish to thank all friends for their calls, flowers and presents I received while a patient recently at the hospital. All was greatly appreciated.

Mrs. Andrew Mortenson.

Mrs. Albert Fellman had the misfortune of breaking her right arm last Saturday forenoon when she slipped on some ice and fell. She was to Red Lake Falls and is getting along nicely under the supervision of a physician.--Plummer Pioneer.

Jake Bohlen is the owner of a new Ford purchased recently.

Opens

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Meeting of the village council will be held Monday evening next.

The Ladies Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church served lunch Monday afternoon at the Larson store.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson were down Sunday from Thief River for a visit with their parents.

Wendell Corbet has charge of the barber shop this and next week during absence of Harry Winter.

Ed Durbin and Rob't Helmkay motored to Grand Forks on a business mission, and returned, Monday.

Jacob Reek and Ed Durbin shipped another mixed carload of livestock from here Saturday to market at South St. Paul.

March came in like the "Pinks" and went out like the "Blues", so we can now look forward to more springlike weather.

For Sale:- Fixtures of Bob's Coffee Shop for sale at reasonable figure. Call on.

Rob't Helmkay,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

WHAT A TIRE! Center traction --rubber tied cords--perfect balance. Ask your Gamble manager to explain these points of superiority in G & J Tires. Thief River Falls, Minn.

A truck belonging to Selmer Olson, and a car belonging to a Thief River party collided in front of the Carlson store Friday afternoon. None of the occupants were injured, but the Thief River car was quite badly damaged.

The new Hunt Brothers hardware store, which opened for business here last week, is enjoying a nice run of business. Altho' all lines are not fully stocked as yet, shipments of goods are arriving daily. Part of the Bergh stock will also be taken over by Hunt Brothers in the near future.

A good representation of people from this village and vicinity took in the auto show and style exhibit at Thief River Falls last week-end. A still greater number went up Saturday evening to see the fine performance put on that evening, and to witness the awarding of the free automobile which was won by party named Jacobson at Plummer.

Register of Deeds Fred Lorentson motored down Tuesday evening from Thief River for a brief visit with relatives.

Ole Anderson, who sustained severe bruises a couple weeks ago as result of a fall, is improving and and will be around again soon.

A party from Fertile has bought the Olson farm near the Pierson place northwest of town, and will move up to occupy it in a few weeks.

Mrs. Andrew Mortenson returned Thursday from the hospital at Thief River where she had been a patient a few weeks. She feels some improved in health which is good news to her many friends.

The Ladies Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will serve lunch at the Carlson Merc. Co, store on Friday, April 11th. Proceeds go to the Mission. All are welcome.

Mrs. Andrew Mortenson left yesterday for Minneapolis to enter the Swedish Hospital for a course of treatment in hope of securing relief from an illness of long standing.

The Mandt Oil Company which recently took over the oil sales at the St. Hilaire Garage, is putting in a big stock of Texaco products. Mr. Mandt plans to carry a complete line of everything necessary in way of automobile gas, oil and grease.

Paul Ortloff departed Tuesday evening for Hastings, Minn., to resume his work as foreman of a large road construction outfit for this season. Mr. Ortloff was employed by the same company last season.

After a week of more or less unsettled weather, this section is being treated to what appears to be a start of spring. Ice in the river channel is holding as firm as ever, and will likely not go out for another two weeks unless rain should fall soon.

Because of installation of some new office equipment, the directors room at the creamery has been enlarged by moving back the partition. This provides more office space and also makes it more convenient for patrons who have occasion to meet with the board when it is in session.

More Candidates File

W. J. LaBree, who was Sheriff of this county some years ago, is again a candidate for that position, having filed with the county auditor, Tuesday. Mr. LaBree is well acquainted all over the county, and plans to make an intensive campaign.

Fred D. Lorentson, present Register of Deeds, and Geo. M. Gunderson, county Superintendent of Schools, have both filed for re-election.

P. T. A. Meeting

Friday night April 4th, 1930.

Song	America
Debate	Seniors
Solo	Wm. Peterson
Reading	Mrs. E. Jenson
Paper	Vera Almquist
Song by Trio	Hovie, Launa and Friestad

Lunch will be served by the Junior class.

Mrs. W. A. Arthur, who visited with old friends here last fall, and was then located at Snohomish, Wash, has lately taken over and is operating a small family hotel at Everett, Wash. She is being assisted by her niece, Mrs. Maude Farmer (formerly Maude Dainard). Friends here are pleased that Mrs. Arthur has found a suitable location and wish her success in her new venture.

A very successful auction sale was held Friday last at the Johnson Brothers farm two miles east of here. One of the largest crowds that has attended a sale in this section in later years, was present. Bidding was brisk and everything sold at good price.

The annual Gubbefest held at the Norwegian Lutheran chucch last Sunday afternoon was very well attended.

A fine program of musical numbers, and a talk by Rev. Fjelstad of Thief River, was given before lunch was served by the men, in the basement.

A family gathering was held Tuesday evening at the Frank Satterberg home, the occasion being Mr. Satterberg's birthday anniversary.

A meeting of the county board will be held Friday at Thief River Falls.

New Service Station

Mike Highland, manager of the local Standard Oil Company bulk station, co-operating with the latter concern, will soon commence erection of a new service station on the lots formerly occupied by the late N. A. Nelson with his farm machinery buildings.

Mr. Highland plans to move the building he has used as a private garage, to the new location to be used as an office. A neat concrete driveway is planned as the station will be located entirely back on the lots.

Erection of the new station on that corner which is one of the best in town for that purpose will make a fine improvement.

25 Years Ago

Morris LaSell sold his residence and was moving to Warren to be employed in a hardware store.

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Ed Bridge returned from his claim in Canada to take hay shift in the sawmill engine room for the season.

—xxv—

Al Edstrom was hauling lumber for a new addition to his store at Hazel.

—xxv—

Everything was ready for opening of the mill season as soon as ice went out of the pond.

—xxv—

O. W. Brink returned from Red Lake Falls where he served on the grand jury.

—xxv—

J. A. Dainard and family were up from Fargo for a visit with relatives.

—xxv—

Alice and May Sorsoliel left for Langdon, N. D., where they both had positions to teach school.

Present indications are there will be more painting and repairing of buildings in St. Hilaire this year than for several seasons past.

Sever Skottem has bought a new Pontiac car from the Roy Motor Company.

The catch basin and tile at the bank corner was frozen following the thaw two weeks ago. As it has not been opened by any of the methods used since, that corner now resembles a small lake.

Your Opportunity and Ours

It has always been our aim to give first consideration to home interests. In every possible way, it is our desire to further the prosperity of this section and the welfare of our depositors.

You can assist this program by doing your banking here, influencing your friends to do the same, and by talking favorably of your community to strangers.

Prosperity is not a matter of chance. It comes as result of efforts we put forth to benefit each other.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Boost It Along

This creamery did not just grow here of its own accord. Those who organized it, gave freely of their time and money, and helped it along with liberal patronage to bring it up to its present state. If you are a cream producer, and are not a shareholder, buy a share or two in this community enterprise.

United effort by all cream producers in this territory, will make the creamery the largest and best in this section. Do your bit.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

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My Favorite Stories
by Irvin S. Cobb

A Voice From the Ranks

CAPTAIN BILLY FARINHOLT, now deceased, was one of the most gallant soldiers that Essex county, Virginia, sent to the Confederate army—and if you don't believe Essex sent out her full share of hard fighters in 1861 just ask any native of the county, that's all. The old gentleman was a famous story teller. One of his favorites had to do with an actual occurrence of the Civil war in which cool grit in the face of almost certain death was mingled, I think, in just the proper proportion, with a beautiful sense of humor.

The man from whom I got the yarn used to go on hunting expeditions with the captain. My informant couldn't recall the name of the battle in which the thing occurred but he was quite sure it was one of the bloody fights of the final Virginia campaign shortly before Lee's surrender.

The general engagement had commenced. The brigade to which Captain Farinholt belonged was drawn up in reserve awaiting the command to advance, when a small battery of Union guns opened upon it from the top of a nearby hill, doing considerable damage. An order was given that Captain Farinholt's company should capture the battery and silence the bothersome guns.

This meant that unless some one devised a better plan, the detail must rush the hill by a frontal attack. It also meant that the little assaulting force must suffer heavy casualties even if it were not entirely destroyed; for there was no cover. They must charge the enemy across an open space where the Federal pieces might play directly upon them.

As the men awaited the word to advance, the company commander felt it his duty to advise them that this was a most desperate adventure on which they were about to start. His own instructions, he explained, were not specific. He merely had been told that he must eliminate those pestiferous Yanks. Then, departing somewhat from strict military discipline, he asked whether any individual present cared to make a suggestion whereby the enemy's battery could be taken with the least possible loss of life. A pause befell. No one, it seemed, could think of an easier way than the one already decided upon.

A private, who stuttered badly, broke the silence:

"W-h-h-a-at say, fellers, l-e-e-e-s just c-h-i-p in a-n-d buy the d-e-a-mned thing?"

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Wyandotte News

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Wilson and family visited at the O. E. Wilson home Sunday afternoon.

Eddie Hanson called at the Peter Kolseth home Friday

Mrs. John Albin visited at Ole Hanson home Friday afternoon.

Miss Edythe Schie spent the week end at the home of her sister at Thief River Falls.

Miss Lillian Berg spent Sunday afternoon with Marie Kolseth.

Ladies Aid held at Clearwater church last Tuesday was well attended.

Marie Peterson spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs O. J. Peterson.

Those who attend school at surrounding towns are, Harriette Bruggeman, Marie Kolseth, Leura Schack and Selma Wilson.

The school in Dist 6, ended for its summer vacation Monday with Miss Schie as teacher.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Bergit Johnson Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Halvor Johnson, Bennet Johnson, Lena Sanderson, Olava Johnson, Sophia Swiggum, Henry Tallackson, William Tallackson, Arthur Tallackson, Philip Tallackson, Irvin Burk, Laura Midboe, Gena Barstad, Clara Midboe, Tillie Thompson, Ragnhild Evenson, Ida Midboe, Walter Midboe, Eleda Midboe, Myrtle Midboe, Herbert Johnson, Arthur Johnson, Lloyd Johnson, Harold Johnson, Sheffard Johnson, all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled: Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of April 1930 at 10:00 o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 2nd day of April, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Petitioner.
A3-17

This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

Where Are the Passengers?
Germany's Victory.
Surprising the Greek.
The Billion Dollar Age.

San Diego, Calif.—Officials of the Santa Fe road, gathered in convention, were told by their president, Mr. Storey, that something is happening to railroad passenger business in the United States.

In 1922 the Santa Fe carried 15,000,000 passengers. In 1928 the number had dropped to 4,200,000.

That means a good deal to railroads, to owners of railroad stocks, and to the automobile industry.

Automobiles, privately owned, and public automobile bus lines, have made the change.

And Mr. Storey's figures will change again soon, when fully developed air travel takes 90 per cent of long distance travel from railroad and motor bus lines.

Do not hurry to sell your Santa Fe or other sound railway stock, however. Railroading now is really railroading, not stock jobbing. And better methods, bigger locomotives, longer trains, better yards and a thousand improvements, including, especially, loyal co-operation by railroad union workers, have more than made up for the drop in passenger travel. Freight is the thing now, and that depends on prosperity.

Germany lost the war, but wins in other directions. Recently the German Bremen, lowering the record across the Atlantic, took the "blue ribbon" from the British.

Now the North German Lloyd liner Europa has beaten the Bremen's record.

The Europa, magnificent 50,000 ton ship, according to builders here and in Britain, would be too expensive for American or British lines. The investment of $50,000,000 could not be profitable.

Germany, beaten, is able to do what the winners of the war cannot do.

A Greek philosopher was exiled because he said the sun was probably bigger than all of the Greek islands. We know now that the sun is a million times bigger than the earth, and in distant space other suns are a million times bigger than ours, making them one million million times bigger than the cosmic grain of sand we live on.

An Italian, Professor Bendani, announces discovery of the fact that our solar system is fifty times bigger than astronomers thought. What would the old Greek have said to that?

This is the billion dollar age. The old plain million, once revered, is as unimportant as the extinct hansom cab.

Gen. W. W. Atterbury, president of the Pennsylvania railroad, foresees expenditures by his company in the next ten years amounting to ten billions of dollars.

Ten thousand millions is a good many dollars.

The Pennsylvania has already spent six thousand millions.

The running time from New York to Chicago will be cut to fourteen hours within a few years.

Trains will carry passengers' automobiles with them as ocean steamships now carry them. Radiophones will enable travelers to talk to their offices and to their homes.

The house of representatives voted to increase the national contribution to good roads from $75,000,000 to $125,000,000 a year for three years, beginning next July.

This will mean, in three years, $375,000,000, for better roads alone, good news for all citizens, for the automobile industry, its employees and for the unemployed.

On April 6 the Mormon church will be one hundred years old. Plural marriage has gone, but the church remains powerful, with numbers increasing, after a century of struggle and opposition. Nearly one million Mormons will celebrate the day; the main celebration at Salt Lake City, others all over this and nearly all European countries and in Mexico, Australia, Hawaii and the South Sea Islands.

The late Lord Balfour was powerful in establishing and guaranteeing Jewish rule in Palestine. To honor his memory, every Jewish child born in Rumania next week will be named for him, the boys Balfour, the girls Balfouria.

Andrew Mellon, now seventy-five years old, is the head, through ownership, of half a dozen of the greatest corporations in the world. Under three Presidents he has shown himself to be one of our greatest secretaries of the treasury, reducing the public debt by thousands of millions each year.

If Mr. Mellon were a railroad conductor they would tell him he was too old and he would have to give up his job.

If he were a workman, seeking employment, he would have to get his hair dyed black and lie about his age.

The best years of a man's life, for useful work and for intellectual enjoyment, should come after seventy. At ninety, a man should rest.

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Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

Estate of Chris J. Bothmann, also known as Christ Bothmann.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Chris J. Bothmann, also known as Christ Bothmann Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Josephine Bothmann, Frank Bothmann, Mary Bendickson, Willie Bothmann, Lena Johnson and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are here cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of April 1930, at ten o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this first day of April 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Probate Judge.

J. M. Bishop
Attorney for Petitioner.
A3-17

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Math Barzen, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Anna Barzen, Roy M. Barzen, Bernard R. Barzen, Ernest J. Barzen, Math R. Barzen, Katherine B. Barzen, Margaret C. Barzen, John C. Barzen and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 12th day of April, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted:

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 13th day of March, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate Court.

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
M20-A3

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Try a want adv.

Railroad Men's Watches

The requirements of railroads which maintain time inspection are that watches must run within 30 seconds' variation a week.

Personal Influence

The boundaries of personal influence it is impossible to fix, as persons are organs of moral or supernatural force.—Emerson.

Solomon's Lucky

Solomon was lucky, living when he did. Seven hundred charge accounts might have worried him. — Toledo Blade.

It Gathers Speed

A rolling stone may gather no moss, but it gathers a lot of what most people crave—speed.—Arkansas Gazette.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.

St. Hilaire. Minn.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated April 5th, 1924, executed by Henry H. Hallstrom and Lettie L. Hallstrom, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on April 11th, 1924, at two o'clock P. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 206 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $93.75 each, due on April 5th, 1929, and October 5th, 1929, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,811.56, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from October 5th, 1929, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $187.50, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $93.75 thereof since April 5th, 1929, and on $93.75 thereof since October 5th, 1929, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; and the sum of $136.36 for taxes, including interest and penalties, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since December 30th, 1929, in all the sum of $3,203.13, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Seventeen (17), in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-five (45) West, except reservations for railroad purposes heretofore made, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 11th day of April, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated February 26th, 1930.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(Department Seal)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. (F27-A3)

Safe and Sane

After all, fishing is the less cruel sport. You never heard of a fisherman mistaking another for a deer.—Morristown Jerseyman.

Reaching Par Value

The average business man's life is divided betwen bringing his stock up to par and his golf down to it.—Arkansas Gazette.

They Can Be Tuned Out

Even television, when it is perfected, will not make it possible to hit the crooning tenor with a ripe tomato.—Toledo Blade.

"Other Papers Please Copy"

It is better to be silent and be thought dumb than to speak and remove all doubt.—Pathfinder Magazine.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Oscar O. Maland, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Ole O. Maland, the heirs of Guri S. Maland, Selma Jackson, Adelia Maland, Julius Maland and Gladys Maland, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled.

Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on Saturday the 19th day of April, 1930, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted:

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 25th day of March, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate Court.

Theo. Quale,
Attorney for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
M27-A10

Preference

He preferred an honest man that wooed his daughter, before a rich man. "I would rather," said Themistocles, "have a man that wants money than money that wants a man."—Plutarch (46-120 A. D.). "Themistocles."

Pastime of Great Men

In virtually every phase of history, chess appears. Monarchs like Charlemagne, Tamerlane, Charles XII, Frederick the Great, Haroun al Raschid and Napoleon I, along with philosophers and thinkers like Voltaire, Rousseau and Franklin, spent many hours in the delightful pursuit.

Effect of Colors

Different colors affect us differently. The red and orange end of the spectrum is decidedly the most pleasurable, and the central colors, greens and blues, are least so. Red is the pungent and stimulating color, while green is restful.

Appropriately Named

The Pictorial Review was named by William Paul Ahnelt, organizer and president of the company. Mr. Ahnelt had planned a sort of review with lots of pictures, hence the name Pictorial Review.

How to Walk

One of the most common means of distorting the feet is to walk with the toes turned outward. Practically all people who "toe out" are on the road to trouble.—Farm and Fireside.

Wasted Energy

"Dare to be yourself. Be individual," writes a corespondent to Farm and Fireside. "Too long energy and talent have been wasted in doing as the neighbors do."

Do It Now

Look over your supply of printed matter such as envelopes, statements, letterheads, bill heads, cards or other forms you use daily.

Spring is "right around the corner", the time you need them Let us have your order for what you need.

St. Hilaire Spectator

River News

Rev. and Mrs. Dahlberg and Rev. Anderson of Fertile visited Tuesday afternoon with Miss Norman teacher of District 236.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Erdmann and family motored to Thief River Falls Tuesday to hear the program given by the Concoadia College Choir.

Olaf Burstad was a Thief River caller Thursday.

A large crowd attended the auction at the Johnson Bros. farm Friday.

Marius Waldal has been appointed census enumerator of this district. He will commence work April 2, and will be knocking at our doors any day.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Winter accompanied by Mr. Thompson left Saturday morning on a motor trip to Huron, South Dakato, and other points were they will visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seeger and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Chas Seeger of Red Lake Falls were Sunday guests at the Fred Ulrich home.

Mortensen Bros. spent Sunday at the Gust Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Jepson and family spent Sunday afternoon at the B. Walseth home.

The young boys of this vicinity enjoyed fine skating on the frozen pounds Sunday.

Miss Thea Burstad returned Sunday after spending since Thursday with relatives and friends at Thief River Falls.

Casual Visitor Seldom Seen in Italian Home

If it is possible to reduca Italy to a number of cities, it is further possible to rednce those cities to a number of families. I have never lived long in Italy, hnt all my Italian frlands—and I have hod many—and all my non-Italian friends who have lived long in Italy, agree that family life is mora jealously guarded from outside influences than that of any other European country. One can stay for a score of years in Roma and be intimately acquainted with nobles and politicians and officials and the middia classes and the masses, meeting them in assembles and in clnhs and getting on tha most confidential relatious with them; and still, at tha end of a score of years, realiza that one has rarely if ever been invited to cross the threshold of an Italian household and to mingle intimately with an Italian family.—From "Europe in Zigzag," by Sisley Huddieston.

All Made at Washington

All United States postaga stamps are made at the bureau of engraving and printing, at Washington, D. C.

Must Be Kept

True gladness does not always speak; joy, bred and born but in the tongue, is weak.—Richter.

Farming Peru's Industry

Close to 75 per cent of tha population of Peru is directly dependent upon agriculture.

BIG ROCKET POISED FOR SKYWARD TRIP

Inventor Hopes Eventually to Reach Moon.

Ayer, Mass.—The big hrother of the sky rocket with whicb you used to celehrate Fonrth of July is poised hare for one of the most extraordinary flights in histary.

Some time in the not far distant fotnre, if all goes well, this 12-foot steel projectile will rise with incredihle speed from a tower at Camp Devens oo tha ontskirts of this quiat little town and nosa its way skyward, seeking tha secrets of altitudes naver reached by e man-mede device.

The rocket'a noisy zoom into space will mark tha letest step in a series of nnusnal experiments started twenty years ago by Dr. Robert H. Goddard, Clark university scientist.

Popular faucy has drawn a seemingly indelible halo of romanca around Professor Goddard's rocket during the years that he has hnsied himself with his work in tha rather prosaic etmosphere of a laboratory.

To Record Air Data.

Even his insistent declaratious that he has no lunar aspirations have failed to destroy the general belief that be hopes eventually to send his strange contraption to the moou.

Those who toy most fervently with this fascinating theory like to think thet thera will ba e man inside the hnge steel tuba as it speeds over the 220,000 or more miles to its fanciful destination. No one appears to have given much thought to the rather knotty prohlem of how the man would get hock to earth, onca he had completed his journey.

But Professor Goddard protests that tha parsmount object of his experimentation at present is to obtain accurate data ou meteorological couditioos at various altitudes.

His big rocket is equipped with uumerous devices for recording such information—devices which are intended to return to earth with tha aid of a perachuta attachment.

Test Rockst Noisy.

Doctor Goddard has kept secret the exoct method hy which his projectile is propelled. It is understood, however, that the general idea is for a series of timed explosious to speed tha rocket on its way, with a fresb blast expediting its flight as the power begins to wane.

At Auhurn, near Worcester, several months ago, Doctor Goddard shot a rocket skyward. Tha scientist appeored well pleased with tha outcoma of tha test flight hut tha attendant explosions alarmed residents of the countryside.

It was suggested by the fearful that recording devices carried by the rocket, in returning to earth, might smite a netive. Doctor Goddard argued that the object which returned to tha ground invariably landed only a short distance from the point from which tha rocket had been loosed. Finally he compromised hy transferring his experimental station to Camp Devens.

Almost Universal Belisf

A conception of a snpreme being has been found amoug almost all primitive peoples. Scientists have found certain of the aborigines of South Australia, such as Bushmen, certaiu of the Patagonian natives and one or two isolated families of Negritos, who apparently have no conception of a supreme being, a higher life, or a supernatural agency in human affairs.

Consider Possible Growth

The future davelopment of the district and consequent increase or decrease in tha vaine of his property should not be ovarlooked hy the prospectiva buyer. Though ha may not be building for an investment, the wise man considers carefully the financial end of the problem.

PULLED THEM OUT OF THE MIRE

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

LEONA signed her name, and as if to show her finality and determination, sha drew a flourishing line beneath it. Then she read it over—her note of farewell to Harris. Their boat was stranded and there was uothing sha could do shout it. Harris was in lova with tha beautiful head nnrse at Channing hospital and sha was in lova with him. Many a woman less discerning than Leonn would never hava guessed that her young doctor-husband cared for anything save his practice and his four-year wife. But sha had suspected things and then she had proved them.

And yet sha had only now mustered strength enongh to go. She might still beva been wearing her soul into shreds with indecision had it not heen for tha coming of Harris' sunt. Leone had never seen her. Bnt sha was old. That was enongh for Leona. Old peopla drova her frantic with their peculior ways, their dilly-dallying over little things, the narrowness of the ruts they had made for themselves. Harris was ashamed of his aunt himself.

"Thera is no need for details," Leona wrote him in her note. "I know all. Yon and Martha McArthnr are good enough to say you will spare me, that you will go on as things ara now, content just to know that you love each other. Bnt nothing stands still—nothing that has yonth and life. And whera is tha fun if the campfire won't bnrn—nothing to do hut shiver over tha ashes? But I said I would not go into details. So pleasa remsmber, always, that you will never ba loved again as you were loved by—Leone."

She pnt the note into an envelope aud wrote his ueme boldiy ecross it. Then sha propped it on tha marhle mantel against the heevy little clock that had ticked away so many lonely honrs for her. She did not seal it; sha would read it again before sha left. But she found so many last littla things to do that she forgot to read it onca more and seal it.

So the three o'clock train pulled ont of tha station hearing Leona Boyd awey, and fifteen minutes leter enother train pulled intn the stotion, on which Annt Dora Boyd arrived. Her poor scribbled letter had rend Tuesday, but Leona, nnused to deciphering letters, read it Thnrsday. The arriving Aunt Dora expected to be pounced upon by Harris or his wife—sha had almost reared the hoy herself. How ha had loved tha old swimming hola below Rocks folls! There was a lot of things to talk about with Harris—maybe it wonld take his mind off sick folks for awhile.

But neither Harris, nor Mrs. Harris, pounced upon Aunt Dora. She therefore took a cab out to the house on Maple avenue. There, Caroline, tha colored cook, said that Miss Leona had gone on e littla trip thongh sha took most all her clo'es. No, ma'am, sha didn't say when she'd be hack, guess doctor knew. Aunt Dora wos tired. Sha sat down in a huge easy chair hefore the fire. Then sha spled Leona's note. Sha got up and peered at it curiously through her spectacles.

"Dr. Harris Boyd," she read aloud. Thet would tell where Leona was gone, and when she would ha hack. And it was left open. She wouldn't mind Aunt Dora reading it, if she'd left it open.

Aont Dora's little body showed no trace of weariness after sha read Leone's note. Of course there wos nothing to this foolishness ahont Harris being in love with another woman! Tha Boyd men had never heen known to show tha least hit of unfaithfulness to their wives.

When Harris cama home sha explained about Leona's going awoy—rather a vogue explanation, but it seemed to satisfy Harris.

"She left a line here, tellin' obont it—now what on earth did I do with it? I'm so forgetful, hut we'll rnn ecross it. As your Uucle Bill osed to say, it'll turn up when we qnit looking for it. Caroline's promised to let me maka soma hot biscuits for supper, and I brought you a jar of my strawberry jam. And you must tell me ebout Leonie. Harry. I'm disapp'inted et not gettin' to see her today!"

Harris hed elways been "Harry" to Aunt Dora.

Harris frowned. "Leoua shouldn't hava gone eway when we were expecting yon, Aunt Dora."

"Oh, that's all right!" she hastened. "Wa'll talk ahont old times till she gets back."

The biscuits were perfect; their reception and disposal most satisfying to all concerned. And old times were recalled with hilarity. Then Aunt Dora grew suddenly serious.

"It seems an ewful waste to have this nice home here and nothin' growin' to you, Harry. A man and woman must feel kind o' incomplete, or incompetent, or something, without children. Or meybe it's just a houeymoon thet lasts always. I s'pose you hava lots of time to take Leonie out ridiu', and to tell her she's pretty!" Aunt Dora chuckled, dryly.

Harris sat gazing into the fire. "Well, if you want to know, my dear auntie," he said presently, "I think marriage is a pretty poor institution! The human heart is—"

Aunt Dora took up tha tongs and replaced a fallen stick. "No Boyd man was ever content to be an average husband," sha said. "They've al'ays been kind o' bot-headed about their love-makin'. I'll bet Leonia says that about you, too, yon young rascal!" Her laugh was hearty, hut somehow it stopped off too soon. "You know Annia and Bob had serious trouble once, Harry. I've uever understood how Bob could have got it into his head to think that ha was in lova with that young widow, Pet Kellogg. A woman that'll take another woman's husband—how can she expect to hold his love? I can't think how I'd have felt when I looked into Bill's face in the evenin', when tha doy was dona if I'd been listenin' to love words from soma other man! And I know Bill felt the same way."

"Aunt Dora," burst ont Harris Boyd, "for God's sake, what ara you driving at? One would think—"

"I'm drivin' at this, Harry," sha answered him whila her trembling hands fumbled in her bosom; "here's tha nota Leonie left. Read it—and then tell me that you'va neglected her until she's fancied all this! Tell me, Harry, that it's all an awful mistake—"

He read the note, the color ebbing slowly from his face.

"Bnt it's true, Aunt Dora!" he said. "Thongh I had no idea Leono knew! Bnt it's true."

"You mean," and the shadows under Annt Dora's eyes looked snddenly darker, her features thinner, "yon mean you do love the nnrse, Harry?" Her voice qnavered; the fullnesa was gone from it.

"Aunt Dora!" the young doctor cama and placed his hands on her shoulders. "You don't uoderstand!"

She shook him off. "You're not a Boyd! Your mother wonld've hoted to hear you acknowledge a thing like that! She wonld have loved Leoole—if she's as sweet as she looks in her picture! Bnt the nurse—do yon s'pose she'd hava loved a woman that'd listen to a married meu's love mokin', Harry? Yon knew yonr mother; would she?"

"No," he seid. "No Aunt Doro, I'm sure she wonldn't! But times hava chenged. Now meu and women have their friends after marrioge—"

"Oh, friends, yes! Bnt sweetheorts—no! Did you know, Horry, thot the hnmon heart is a queer thing? It's big enongh to hold e world full of friends and neighbors aod relotives, hot you csn't find ona thot yon can sqneeze two lovers into! Why, you'd never he contented to love this other woman, and yet liva with Leonie, Herry. As I said, the Boyds ere hot-headed about their love makin'! Come and sit down, Harry, and tell me whot it is about this other womou that we cannot find something ten times nicer sbout Leonie!" So she pleaded bis ceuse of happiness thet night as e lawyer might plead at the bar. And the next morning ha sent Leona a wire that brought her flying back to her homa to him.

"I think," said Aunt Dora, "thet I'll go ewoy and leava you two to yonr honeymoon. I can coma hack soma other time, as your Uncle Bill used to say, two's company—"

"Oh, no, no!" cried Leona. "Don't leava us, Aunt Dora! We've so much to learn yet, and wa want to sit at your feet, like the two children thot wa are, while you teach ns a woy to solve some of tha problems of life! Pleasa don't go—"

"No, Aunt Dora," joined in Harris, "because you're going to teech Leona how to make biscuits and jam, and you've got to remind ma every night hera before this fira about tha things the Boyd men did and didn't! You'va got a lot before you, Aunt Dora, a whola winter's joh of it, to get us on oue feet again—since you've pulled us ont of the mire!"

Returned to Cell After Escaping to See Mother

Washington. — Archie Lyles must return to a prison cell, but his mother, whose illness led him to escape from the Lorton reforniootory in northern Virginio, is on the way to health once more.

Lyles, spurred hy reports that his mother was dyiog in a bospital here escaped from the reformotory. Later he appeared at the hospital, gained admittance and went to the bedside of his mother, Mrs. Cora Passman. There searchers found him, hut not before his visit hod accomplished its purpose. His mother is expected to recovar.

American Bull Fighter Steps Up in Standing

Madrid.—Besides doing some sightseeing, Sidney Franklin, the American "matador de novillos," spent the winter going to various Spanish ranches, practicing his art with the hulls. He will start the 1930 season fighting the three-yeor-old "novillos," but if be is in as good shape as he was at the end of the 1929 season he probahly will be given the "alternative" to fight tha fonr-year-olds. Ha wonld then hold tha "doctor's degree" of bull fighting, and his title would be "matador de toros."

Water for Goldfish

Experts of the goldfish industry assert tha denizens of the glass bowl should have at least one gallon of water for each inch of body, exclusive of the tail.

Gave Name to Rose

The great rose grower of France, Pernet, named the yellow rose Souvenir de Claudius Pernet in memory of his gallant son, who fell during the World war.

Stock and Poultry Meals

We have on hand a big supply of Cottonseed meal, Oil meal, etc., for stock use.

And we have Bone meal, Meat scraps, Oyster shells and Limestone "Shellmaker" for poultry.

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Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

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Try our green gas. You will note more pickup and speed than with ordinary gas, and you will note absence of carbon.

Young's Service Station

St. Hilaire. Minnesota

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C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening services 8:00.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle. Pastor.

Sunday, April 6th
St. Hilaire church
Sunday school at 10:00
Services at 11:00. Nor. Lang.

A sacred cantata will be given by the Choir at 8:00 p. m.

Lenten services Monday, April 7 at 8:00

Evenezer Luth.

Services Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

The St. Hilaire Ladies Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Arne Vik and Mrs. Sigurd Vik, Friday, April 4th.

Confirmation class of St. Hilaire will meet at the Parsonage Saturday, April 5 at 10:00 a. m. All who wish to join, are invited.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday at 10:30 A. M., in Clara church, and at 3:00 P. M., in the local church.

Wide-Awake Lawyer

Court was jemmed as usual.

One portly man fell victim to after-luncheon drowalness. Disregarding the court, he slumbered on.

The case of e negro charged with petty theft was called. Tha assistant district attorney elmost finished with the first witness wheu the defendant, his face a perfect pictnre of something wrong, leoned over eud asked tha deputy sheriff:

"Mistuh sheriff, wud y'all min' wakin' up det man—he's mah lewyer."

The case was dismissed.

Company Plans to Get Lands for English Lads

Sydney, N. S. W.—A company is heing formed to provide e scheme of lond settlement for lods coming from Englond.

It will hove the title, Littia Brother Farm Settlement Ltd., and tha prospectus has heen issued. The company will acqnire land within a reasonable distance of markets, suitable as a group settlemeot for intense culture, upon which Little Brothers who hove heen in the Commonweolth for not less than three years, and are in possession of a honking credit of not less than £200, may he settled nnder conditioos to he determined hy tha hoard of manogement.

The achema provides for the marketing of vegetables, poultry, pigs, etc. Land acquired by gift or purchase will he divided into suitable farmlets up to 10 acres. No dividends exceeding 6 per cent will be paid.

Seattle Stores Insects on Ice During Winter

Seattle, Wash.—Putting insects away on ice is a new nse of the muoicipal cold storage plant here. To comhot grasshoppers, caterpillars, crickets and moths, which annually cause heavy losses to farms and orchards in the Northwest, mentes, giant grasshoppers from interior China, have been imported and are held dormant until spring, when they may be shipped and distributed in infected areas.

The montis incresses in size during its eating period of life until the normal growth of about four inches long is attained. Then it lays eggs and dies.

Police to Use Dictaphone to Block Cruelty Plea

Budapest.—In order to forestall claims of ill treatment by prisoners who, on heing hrought to trial after confessing their crimes to the police, claim that confessions were extorted from them, tha examination rooms of a number of Hungarian jails are to be equipped with dictaphones.

Cause of Motor Accidents

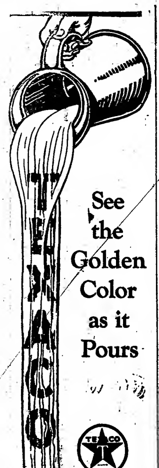
London.—"He looks at her, takes bis eyes off the road, and then comes the crash," a London magistrate said in commenting on the prevalence of motor accidents.

Chick - Chick - Chick

It is soon time for the chicks to arrive. Have you a brooder house ready for them? We have them on display at our yard.

Come in and look them over.

Central Lumber Co.



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St. Hilaire, Minn.

Medical Confession

A young medical gradnate was still in the etage when the scientific interest in the case concerned him far more than the welfare of tha patient. A nurse told him one day that one of his patients had died.

"That is terrible—perfectly terrible," sighed the doctor.

"Was ba a friend of yours, doctor?" asked the nurse.

"Oh, no," said the physician. "But I gave him two prescriptions, and now how shall I ever know which was the wrong one?"

Alarming Showers

Real showers of blood have been known. Some time ago a coupla of falls of this kind occurred in the little town of Missignadi, in the south of Italy, causing much alarm. Samples were sent to Rome and pronounced by analysts of the Ecole d'Hygiena to be real blood. The suggestion was made that it emanated from some large flock of migrant birds caught up by a whirlwind and pulverised through being flung violently against other objects, which, being heavier, dropped out at sea.

KILLS ARMY BUDDY; DOESN'T KNOW WHY

Private Soldier Confesses to Strange Crime.

New York.—"Why did yon kill him?"

Louis Galvano, twenty-one, a private in tha United States army, stationed at Fort Du Pont, Wilmington, Del., bad that question propounded to him time after time by detectives of the Brooklyn homicide squad in tha Bath Beach station.

"I told you I don't know why," the prisoner invariably replied. "I just put tha gun to the beck of his head, and pnlled the trigger."

"Yon mean to say yon killed yonr bnddy, and don't know why you did it?" Acting Lieutenant Conan asked.

"That's it exactly," answered Galvano. "I blew his brains ont, and to sava my life I don't know why I did it."

During tha long interrogation the young soldier was calm end metter-of-fact. When the detectives paused, be read the sports page of a newspaper. He smoked innumerable cigarettes with the eir of a person perfectly at ease and at peace with the world.

No Motive Found.

Finally the detectives had to he satisfied with Gelvano's description of how he committed a murder withont learning of any motive. He wes held withont hail as fugitive from justice. The fugitive cherges were made pending the arrival of a formal murder compleint from the police of Wilmington, Del., where the crime wos commited. Golveno is accused in Wilmington of killing Arthnr Cline, twenty-one, a private in Company E, First Engineers, at Fort Du Pont. The two were known as inseperable friends.

Cline's body, in civilian clothes, bnt stripped of all valnables and marks of identification, was fonnd Christmas morning hy a hnnter in a marsh shout three miles north of Wilmington. Two hullet wounds were in the back of the head.

Wilmington police fonnd that Galvano, Cline and a third private of Company E, Alonzo Emery, bad left the fort Christmas eve in an antomobile owned by Emery. Cline, they were told, was going to Amsterdam, N. Y., to spend a short holiday furlongh.

Other Soldier Seized.

Emery was arrested in Wilmington and held withont hail. His statements incriminated Galvano. The police here were then requested to apprehend Galvano, also home, ha said on holiday leave.

Galvano was nonchalant when the police took him into custody at his parents' home.

"Yon want me," be said. "All right. I'm ready to go with you right this minnte." He lighted a cigarette.

After admitting he killed Cline, tha detectives said he related that Cline was going A. W. O. L. in order to be home for Christmas and that Emery consented to drive Cline and Galvano to the railroad station ontside of Wilmington.

Galvano told detectives that when they were half way to Wilmington with Emery driving, Cline also in the front seat, and himself in the rear seat, he started fingering a small non-service pistol be had in his pocket.

"I remember taking the gun out and putting it close to Cline's head, and then I pulled the trigger. That's all I remember abont it," be said.

"Bnt yon shot him twice. Why did yon do that?" the detectives asked.

"I don't know. My finger just pulled tha trigger," replied Galvano.

A few minntes after the shooting, Galvano added, another antomobile came down the road. At his direction, the prisoner said, Emery started tha car while ha held up the limp body of Cline to avoid suspicion.

Later, he continued, ha and Emery removed tha body from the car to the marsh, took abont $20 Cline had, then removed all identification marks.

Galvano denied he was drunk when ha shot Cline. "I had a couple of drinks," he said, "but I wasn't stewed."

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

New London—The local high school will graduate the largest class in its history, May 30th.

Lindstrom—A mass meeting of citizens was held here to discuss proposed re-ronting of highway No. 46.

Hendrum—The Farmers State Bank here has been taken over by the Norman County State Bank of Hendrum.

Detroit Lakes—The annual bird house contest sponsored by the tocal American Legion post will be held here April 10th.

Madford—All members of the Madford pnblic schools teaching corps have been re-elected by the board of edncation here.

Currie—The Farmers State Bank with deposits of $133,000 has been closed for lack of reserve and because of "poor paper."

Mount Morris—Diplomas will be awarded 76 stndent graduates of the West Central Minnesota School of Agricultnre here, March 28.

Red Wing—L. F. Irish, Pine Island banker, who three years ago embezzled $12,500 from the Pine Island State bank will go on trial here in April.

Owatonna—R. W. Hosfield, veteran Steele county highway engineer has been retained for the year beginning April 1 by the Steele county commissioners.

St. Paul—This city has been divided into ten police zones to be patrolled by radio-equipped police cars, using the short wave as a broadcasting medinm.

Warren—The first two months of 1930 have exceeded in volume of business the corresponding two months of 1929 for the Warren Farmers Shipping Association.

Farmington—The new plant of the Twin City Milk Producers Association here, designed to handle 200,000 pounds of milk a day, will he completed for opening soon.

Dovray—Depositors of the closed State Bank here have received a refund of $15,500. The depositors had previously received refunds of 40 per cent over a period of fonr years.

Owatonna—The staff of the Steele county rural schools system considered plans for annual exhibits and contests of the rural schools, April 25 and 26, at their monthly meeting here.

St. Paul—Depositors of the closed Foshay State Bank will receive a refund totaling abont $60,000 or 20 to 25 per cent of their deposits, according to A. J. Veigel, state banking commissioner.

Onamia—The Onamia Oil Company has increased its capital stock from $25,000 to $50,000 in order to expand its business. S. L. Lund of Onamia is president and general manager. Ray Ellingson is treasurer.

Sleepy Eye—Brown county's drive on rats is underway. Approximately 250 farmers attended three demonstrations the first day of the drive. Showing modern methods in rat and pocket gopher control, demonstrations will he conducted in 17 townships of Brown county.

St. Paul—An emergency committee of 2,000 Minneapolis Modern Woodmen has petitioned Governor Christianson to have the license of the Modern Woodmen of America to sell insurance in the state revoked. Atty. General H. N. Benson is considering the legal aspects of the case.

Little Falls—N. J. Holmberg, state commissioner of agriculture; C. P. Bull, state weed expert; Sam Hammerbeck, Little Falls, state field assistant, and others, addressed a meeting on weed and seed control here. Township supervisors and county commissioners were among those attending.

Hutchinson—Annabele Kottke is valedictorian of the 1930 graduating class at the Hutchinson high school, Dorothy Zirtz has been named salutatorian. Graduation exercises will ho conducted the evening of May 27, when Governor Theodore Christianson will give the commencement address.

Montgomery—The J. B. Nelson Company of Mankato has been awarded the contract for construction of a Citizens State Bank building here this summer. Officers and directors of the bank are making arrangements to celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the bank in conjunction with the opening of the new building.

St. Paul—Details of the program for the annual convention of the Minnesota Division of the National League of District Postmasters have been worked ont and some 300 third and fourth class postmasters are expected to attand the convention which will he held a tthe Hotel Lowry, St. Paul, July 18th and 19th. E. A. Voels of Danube is president of the Minnesota Division: Miss Jennie L. Phillips of Clearwater is vica president; Mrs. E. B. Linsley of Willow River is assistant secretary and treasurer and Frank H. Griffin of Good Thunder and Chas. S. Wolf of Kellog are directors.

Minneapolis—The annual spring conference of 464 American Legion Post officials will be held at the Nicollet hotel here April 4th and 5th 1,000 will attend. Commander Pat Cliff, of the Minnesota department will preside.

Mora—Independent amateur basketball teams from Anoka, Chisago, Benton, Isanti, Kanabec, Mille Lacs and Pine counties met in a tournament here. Members of the championship team received a miniature gold basketball and a large basketball trophy. Medals also were given to members of teams finishing second or third.

Hazel News

Mrs. Henry Sandberg and infant daughter returned from Thief River Falls Monday.

Rev. Dahle was a dinner guest at the Nels Nelson home Wednesday.

Helmer Finstad and Vernon called at the C. Alberg home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard and son Harvy and Mrs. Bruce visited at the O. C. Peterson home in Thief River Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alberg and daughters Maybelle and Cleo, called at the Pete Nelson home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Bruce came to Hazel Tuesday morning from Thief River and returned Wednesday evening. She visited at the Ole Odegaard home while here.

Mrs. Nels Nelson and daughter Pearl visited at the Theodore Johnson home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Torstviet and children Howard and Rose of Plummer were dinner guests at the E Knutson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Prestby and children, Mrs. E Prestby and daughters called at the Huseby home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Benson and son Clinton, Mrs. Brink and Wm. Brink of Grand Forks were Sunday callers at the Theodore Johnson home. They gathered there to help Naomi Johnson to enjoy her birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Netteland were Friday evening callers at the T. Johnson home.

Oscar Seeland went to Thief River Saturday to the Physician hospital where he had the forefinger of his right hand amputated.

Miss Anna Alberg came Friday from Thief River to visit at the C. Alberg home. She returned Saturday to Thief River and Monday Miss Alberg went to Warren, where she will undergo an operation at the Warren hospital.

A group of friends enjoyed a social evening at the Ole Lien home Saturday. The main diversion of the evening was games and contests The following were present, Mr. and Mrs. M Finstad, Mr, and Mrs. C. Finstad and children, Mr. and Mrs. T. Stene and family, Mrs. M. Lokken and daughters Margaret and Beatrice, Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg and family and Guet Gustafson.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

Northern Wheat	$ .92
Duram Wheat	.78
Rye	.56
Barley	.40
Oats	.31
Flax	2.61
Eggs, cash	.20
Creamery butter	.39

FOR SALE, etc.

For Rent or Sale:-The northwest quarter and southeast quarter, of Sec. 17 in Black River township. Good buildings and desirable location.

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M20tf Thief River Falls, Minn.

For Sale:- A quantity of hay in stack.

A. V. Jacobson,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Old Egyptian Custom

What flowers did the Egyptians bury with their mummies? Why, poppies, of course.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Making It Unanimous

It's practically impossible to think of any man as one-sided when he's on your side.—Arkansas Gazette.

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South River Falls

Kermethe Hanson visited at the J. Gunstad home Saturday.

Theo Burstad visited at Thief River Saturday and Sunday.

Nels Kolbsvik and Ole Issacson visited Monday and Tuesday at the G. Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Jepson and family visited Sunday evening at the Bennie Johnson home.

Harry and Victor Erickson visited at the B. Walseth home Saturday evening.

Mrs. Aug Erickson and sons Harry and Ernest visited at the Aug Swenson home Monday.

Frank Johnson called at the Hallemack home Saturday evening.

Leonard Erickson, Edgar and Joseph Peterson called at the Bill Rinkenburger home Saturday.

Mrs. Miller Peterson and sons Art and Lloyd visited at the Mickleson home Saturday.

Clarence Konickson is now employed at the L. P. Thyren home.

A large number from this vicinity attended the Auto show at Thief River Saturday evening.

And They Got the Point

A negro evangelist was preaching concerning the horrors of hell. In front of him was a coffin piled high with flowers. Newspapers had announced that it was to he the funeral of a neighbor. There was no word of praise from the preacher's month. "Breth'en an' sistahs," be shouted, "ouah deceased friend heab done committed eve'y sin in de catalog. He wasn't ready when de trumpet of de angel celled him. He was unprepa'ed. He was wicked an' hed to face judgment in his wickedness." At the end of the sermon every member of the congregation was eager to crowd forward and view the "remains." Solemnly they filed past the coffin. It was empty bnt in the bottom was a mirror that reflected the face of every "mourner" thet looked in. The lesson went home.—Capper's Weekly.

Chinese Delicacy

Chop suey originated at a dinner that Prince Li Hung Chang gave in New York when he made his trip around the world. Prince Li carried his own chef with him, and the menu was strictly Chinese. One of the dishes especially delighted the wife of the guest of honor, and she asked Li what it was. Prince Li called in his chef, and the chef replied in Chinese, "It is a creation of my own—a chop suey." The words "chop suey" mean a mixture, or hash. Prince Li said in English, "It is a chop suey." The American woman spread the news of chop suey, the wonderful dish. The name was taken up by the Chinese restaurants in America; and today chop suey is the chief concoction that they serve.

Bray News

A number of people from here attended the concert given by the Concordia College Choir at Thief River on Tuesday evening.

Henry Luttmer was given a party on his birthday Saturday evening. The evening was spent in a social way. At midnight a toothsome lunch was served by the self invited guests. Everyone reported a good time.

A large number of people from around here attended the annual Gubbefest given at the Norwegian Lutheran church on Sunday afternoon, A large crowd was in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Schalz are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl born on Thursday.

We all recieved a new telephone book from the Telephone Co. at St, Hilaire. We went to give our hearty thanks to the telephone manager.

Miss Evelyn Wood entertained company from Thief River over the week end at the Melvin Wood home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Larson and family of Holt visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson on Sunday.

Helen Olsen, Fern Hawkinson and Alice Lindquist spent the week end at their homes.

Services was held in the Black River church on Sunday, with a small crowd in attendance.

Mrs. Emil Larsod accompained by Lillian and Harry Larson and Mrs. Carl Pearson and Tom Larson returned from the Cities on Thursday after visiting with Irene Larson, who is a student nurse at the New Ashbury hospital and also with Miss Tillie Simonson who is a patient at the Universary hospital. The weather was the same down there as here and the roade are in wonderful condition.

DR. L. R. TWETE

Licensed Veterinarian

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Tuberculin Testing

Few Need Be Envied

We see how much a man has, and therefore we envy him; did we see how little he enjoys, we should rather pity him.—Seed.

Things That Count

The best portion of a good man's life: His little nameless, unremembered acts of kindness and of love.—Wordsworth.

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Three Children Die In Farm Home Fire

Mother So Seriously Burned That Little Hope Is Held Out For Recovery

Three little children of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson were burned to death, and their mother so seriously burned that little hope is entertained for her recovery, when fire destroyed their home on the former Pautz farm, five miles south of here across the Red Lake County line, at about 7:45 Sunday morning.

The mother was about to prepare the morning meal, and thinking to quicken the fire in the kitchen stove, poured in a quantity of kerosene. An explosion followed which enveloped Mrs. Thompson in flames setting her clothing and hair afire. Before she could extinguish the fire on her person, the flames spread all over lower part of the house, making it impossible to reach the children. A sister of Mr. Thompson, Mrs. Paul Vizenor and little child, of Calloway, who were visiting at Thompson's, were asleep on second floor. Mrs. Vizenor wrapped her baby in coverings from the bed, and dropped it to the ground, and jumped thru the window herself as the flames swept into upper part of the house. She escaped with nothing more serious than badly sprained ankles. The baby was uninjured.

Tho very badly burned herself, Mrs. Thompson ran to the Henry Starken home nearby and summoned help. An alarm over the telephone lines brot neighbors, but too late to be of any assistance in rescuing the children. The children were Delbert, age 4, LVMay age 2, and Elizabeth, less than a year old. Mrs. Thompson was rushed to the St. Vincent hospital at Crookston from where it is reported her chances for recovery are slight. Mr. Thompson was away from home at time of the fire, and was located Monday noon at Detroit Lakes to be told of the tragedy.

Remains of the children were found after the fire was extinguished, and were taken to the Hunt Bros mortuary at Red Lake Falls, the family having formerly resided in that city.

Funeral services for the children were held Tuesday at Red Lake Falls. A report received yesterday from Crookston states Mrs. Thompson's chances have improved, but recovery is still in doubt.

Durbin Sells Out

In a deal completed last Friday, Ed Durbin sold his meat market fixtures and stock to Carl Person who will continue the business. Mr. Durbin, who opened the market three years ago, plans to engage in stock buying in this territory, and will continue to make his home here for the present.

Mr. Person was employed at the market last year and has sufficient experience to conduct it alone. Numerous friends wish Mr. Person success in his new venture.

Candidates File

Laura E. Naplin of Thief River Falls, filed April 5th, as a candidate for re-election as State Senator from the 65th, comprising Pennington, Red Lake and Clearwater countys.

John Gullingsrud, county treasurer, has filed as a candidate for re-election, as also has Isaac Wilson, Commissioner in the 5th District.

Sock Social

A Sock Social will be given at the Aug Swenson school, Dist. No. 178, on, Friday, April 11th. Girls are requested to bring socks.

Miss Effie Frederickson, teacher

Roads dried up in great shape during the past week-end, and if present favorable weather continues, many farmers expect to go into their fields first of next week.

Attorney Theo. Quale and son were down last evening from Thief River for a short business trip.

Signs has been posted along Trunk Highway No. 32 prohibiting use of the road to loads of more than three tons, including vehicle. The ban will be in force until frost goes out.

In Appreciation

I wish hereby to express my thanks to everyone that assisted us during the fire at our farm last Friday.

E. Hallemeck

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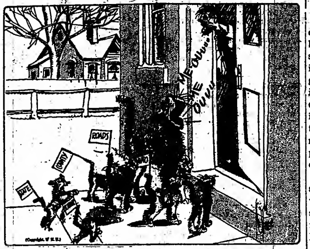

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

A. B. Mandt was down yesterday from Goodridge looking after business matters at his local service station.

Ed Vik has leased the former E. Jensen place north of town and moved his stock and effects there yesterday.

Joe Hauge motored up Tuesday from Fosston for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hauge, and other relatives.

Raymond Young is having a new canopy built over the front of his Cities Service oil station. The new canopy is neatly done, and adds much to appearance of the station.

All local business places were closed Monday between the hours of 2:00 and 3:00 during the funeral of the late J C. Dahl, as a mark of respect to our former townsman.

A family from Red Lake Falls moved last week into the former Dahl house at south end of town which place was recently vacated by Mrs. Effie Rolland.

The Ladies Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will serve lunch at the Carlson Merc. Co, store on Friday, April 11th. Proceeds go to the Mission. All are welcome.

Spring Rye: Have for sale 700 bushels of spring rye suitable for seed. Call on.

C. H. Swenson
A10-17 R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

Carl Surmo was down from Holt last week with several loads of materials and feed which be took out to his place south of town. The family is expected to move down this week.

Ice in the river channel here went out Sunday night and Monday. There is still some left up the river which will not come down unless there is high wind or more water.

Out-of-town relatives here Monday for the funeral of the late Jens C. Dahl were Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dahl and Miss Edith Dahl of Billings, Mont., Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Dahl of Lockhart, Mr. Neils Dahl and daughter, Mrs. Christensen of Fairmont, Mrs. Geo. C. Holden Idelia and Clifford Holden of Thompson, N. D., and Miss Mabel Feiring of Chisholm.

Ed Durbin returned Tuesday after an auto trip to Keewatin and other towns on the Range.

Supt. E. N. Reiersgord motored Friday to Fargo, N. D., spent the week-end there, and returned here Sunday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. D. Jacobson of Fergus Falls, were visitors Monday afternoon at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson.

A considerable number of improvements such as painting and repairing of buildings, is contemplated by people of the village this spring.

Arvid Carlson of Middle River, and A. L. Carlson of Holt, motored down Monday to look after business matters at local Carlson Merc. Co., store.

Ladies Aid of the Evang. Mission church will be entertained at the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg, Wednesday afternoon, April 16th.

Dr. and Mrs. Swenson motored down Monday evening from Warren for a short visit with Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson, and to help Pastor Nelson observe his birthday anniversary which occured that day.

Axel Johnson, who has spent the winter here with his relatives, shipped a carload of stock, machinery and other effects Tuesday, and left to spend the summer on his farm near Bemidji.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Healy and Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Hunt motored up Sunday from Red Lake Falls and spent the afternoon at home of Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad.

Rev. Crawford Grays of Thief River Falls, has been secured to deliver the Commencement address at graduation exercises of the local high school to be held May 29th.

Mrs. Chas. Carlson and son Clarence, accompanied by Clifford Hedeen, motored Saturday morning to Grand Forks and returned Saturday evening.

First rainfall of the season occured Saturday. Rain at this time helps to olean winter accumulations of soot and dirt from buildings, and also provides wash water for many who had to depend upon ice until this time.

Barn Burned Friday

Fire originating from unknown cause, destroyed the large stock barn on the E. Hallemeck farm south of town at 2:00 Friday morning. When discovered, the fire had gained such headway that it was impossible to save the building so efforts were concentrated on removing the livestock. An alarm over the phone lines brot help from neighbors and from town and this prevented spread of the flames to other buildings nearby.

Mr. Hallemeck lost a quantity of seed, feed, tools and other effects which were stored in the barn. Insurance to partially cover the loss, is carried in the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

P. T. A. Meeting Held

A meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held Friday evening at the school building. Due to other activities taking place that evening, attendance was lighter than usual. A fine program was given after which the Juniors served lunch. Final meeting for this school year will be held next month.

Sacred Concert Held

The sacred cantata "Dawn Immortal" was presented by the choir of the Norwegian Lutheran church at that church last Sunday. The story of our Saviour, as told in song was very well given, the voices of the large choir, blending in pleasing harmony. After the song service, lunch was served in the church parlors.

Ed Pederson, Mr. and Mrs. Alb. Pederson of Drayton, N. D., Mr. and Mrs. Gust Johnson and son, Raymond, of Hallock, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Pederson and Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Lind of Donaldson motored here last Sunday for a visit at the home of Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle. They also attended the song service at the Lutheran church Sunday evening before returning home.

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J. C. Dahl Called

Word was received here Saturday of the death of Jens C. Dahl, a pioneer resident of this village, which occured Friday, April 4th, at Billings, Mont. For the past two years, Mr. Dahl had resided with his son, Edwin, at Lewistown and Billings, Mont. His last illness dated since in February.

Jens Christensen Dahl was born in Slagelse, Seeland, Denmark Dec. 5th, 1852, the son of a blacksmith.

He emigrated to America in 1877, first sojourning at Chicago and later coming to Minnesota, where on Feb. 14, 1880 he was united in marriage to Miss Gunhild Marie Holden of St. James. After first residing at Flandreau, S. D., Mr. Dahl and wife, who preceeded him in death Feb. 6, 1928, moved to this village, before the railroad was built from Crookston, to engage in blacksmithing. Since then, and up to time of removal to Montana two years ago, St. Hilare was the family home.

Six children, two daughters and four sons, were born to Mr. and Mrs. Dahl. Two sons and one daughter preceeded their parents in death.

When Mr. Dahl left St. Hilaire he was the oldest in point of years-of-residence of any family man in the village, having arrived when the town was in its infancy; saw the sawmills come and go, and witnessed numerous changes in business and residents. He retained ownership of his home here at his death.

Few have a finer record of expressions of confidence in their character than did Mr. Dahl. His fellow citizens choose him for positions of confidence repeatedly, one of these being Mayor from 1910 to 1915. At different time he was choosen a member of the village council. He was a man of honesty had the courage of his convictions, was a valued and friendly neighbor and a fine father. A hard-working man at his trade he was acquainted over a wide radius.

Deceased was one of the best known of all the old pioneers in this community, and a wide circle of friends here and elsewhere will be grieved to learn of his death.

To mourn the loss of a kind comrade-father, he leaves two sons, Edwin J. of Billings, James A. of Lockhart, Minn., and one daughter, Edith B. also of Billings, Mont. and two brothers, Neils Dahl, of Fairmont, Minn., and Anders, at the old home in Denmark. The remains

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Boost It Along

This creamery did not just grow here of its own accord, Those who organized it, gave freely of their time and money, and helped it along with liberal patronage to bring it up to its present state. If you are a cream producer, and are not a shareholder, buy a share or two in this community enterprise.

United effort by all cream producers in this territory, will make the creamery the largest and best in this section. Do your bit.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

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Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire Minn. was held at the village hall, April 7th, at 8:00 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president

All members present except Hanson.

Minutes of last regular and special meetings were approved as read.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed as read.

O. Gunstad 2 proceedings $3 25
John Forseen
Salary for March $20.00
Red River Power Company
Lights for March $34 30
Thomas Larson
Car hire and 6 months salarly $6.00
A. Satterberg
One load gravel. car hire, Highway Department, and six months salary $8.50
H. F. Hanson
6 months salary $5.00
Peter Simonson
6 months salary $5 00
Mike Fricker
6 months salary $30.00
E O. Burkee
6 months salary $20.00

On motion duly made and carried, council decided to hire an Attorney to draw up an ordinance prohibiting installing or maintaining gas pumps on the streets of the village.

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjurned.

A. Satterberg, President — M. Fricker, Clerk

Runner's "Second Wind"

The Public Health Service says that by "second wind" is meant an adjustment of the heart rate to the intake and outgo of air in the lungs.

Even Then?

Roman Matron—Cornelia, run over to Horatius and tell him I'd love to make him a fourth at bridge.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Take Time to Decide

Those who are quick in deciding are in danger of being mistaken.—Sophocles (496-406 B. C.). "Oedipus Tyrannus."

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Bergit Johnson Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Halvor Johnson, Bennet Johnson, Lena Sanderson, Olava Johnson, Sophia Swiggum, Henry Tallackson, William Tallackson, Arthur Tallackson, Philip Tallackson, Irvin Burk, Laura Midboe, Gena Barstad, Clara Midboe, Tillie Thompson, Ragnhild Evenson, Ida Midboe, Walter Midboe, Eleda Midboe, Myrtle Midhoe, Herbert Johnson, Arthur Johnson, Lloyd Johnson, Harold Johnson, Sheffard Johnson, all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Room in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of April 1930 at 10:00 o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 2nd day of April, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Petitioner.
A3-17

Pretty Girl Has Edge Over Her Plain Sister

Pretty girls "get away with murder" in New York. Most of them, knowing the power they wield over the other sex, take advantage of the men in various ways.

The traffic policemen are particularly susceptible, and the fair ones aim their shafts particularly at them. For instance, if they want to cross a street against traffic they merely take a step or two from the curb and then give a little shriek when a car approaches. That's the cue for the officer to look in their direction; and, when he sees them smile, he holds up his hand, brings all traffic to a stop and escorts them across, exchanging a little blarney with them en route. And the policemen love it.

Then there are tha girls who frequent soda fountains at noon. They quickly learn the names of the dispensers, and soon they will work them this way: "Oh, Artie, don't be so stingy with that whipped cream," or, "Jimmy, fill up this cup; coffee was too cold."

Well, why kick? Give the little girls a big handout.—New York Sun.

Continued Next Month

Author—This is the plot of my story. A midnight scene. Two burglars creep stealthily toward the house. They scale a wall and force open a window. As they enter the room, the clock strikes one—

Sweet Thing (breathlessly)—Which one?—Union Pacific Magazine.

This Week

by **Arthur Brisbane**

Behold, One Oil King
Our Flying Army
Name It Newton
No Mother Love, No Nation

Los Angeles.—The gasoline threat that worried the big oil men a few days ago is becoming reality. Here the price has been cut as low as 10 cents, and deeper cuts are expected. This is due to disorganized production and disorganized distribution.

Any buyer who exults in the low price of today exults prematurely. He will more than make up for it later on.

Old royalty, kings, emperors, etc., are going out. In the realm of finance kings are coming in. The American government, interested in United States prosperity, might make a careful study of Sir Henri Deterding, head of the Shell Oil company.

An able Dutchman, born in Holland, knighted by the British, with his office in London, Deterding surveys the world from the oil man's point of view, literally, as an imperial conqueror.

The other day as lowest bidder he supplied the Japanese navy with oil for a year at 54 cents a barrel, the lowest price ever qnoted, and probably bought it from independent California producers for 40 or 45 cents a barrel.

California prodnces the oil, Japan gets the oil, Deterding gets the profit, the United States sees its oil supply diminished.

On Mather field, Sacramento, Brig. Gen. William E. Gillmore directs the manenvers of army airplanes, greatest gathering in the history of the army air corps.

One hundred and fifty-nine army planes, from small swift pursuit planes to heavy hombing machines, are taking part in manenvers such as would be necessary in actual war.

Men that have inspected the equipment of European armies, inclnding France and Britain, say the "provisional wing," commanded by General Gillmore, is as efficient a unit as would be found anywhere on earth.

The small new planet whose existence was asserted by the late Professor Lowell continues to agitate scientists.

Guided by Newton's law, Professor Lowell knew that disturbances in the orbit of Uranus must be accounted for by the existence of another planet.

Officials of Lowell observatory following the new wanderer on the outskirts of our solar system, say it behaves exactly as Professor Lowell would have expected.

A distinguished French astronomer says it is too small to amount to anything, but wonld change his mind if it shifted its course and struck this earth in the neighhorhood of the Place de la Concorde.

The Geographical Society of Mexico very sensibly suggests the name "Newton" for the new planet.

Had it not been for Newton and his law of gravitation, "directly as the mass, inversely as the square of the distance," scientists could not have known of the planet's existence.

Russia, forgetting Sparta's history, plans a human society made to order. Children, taken from their mothers in babyhood, will be raised wholesale by the state. Mothers will enter factories, and otherwise work the same as men do—or, rather, as mares do, on the farm.

Russia should remember that when a mare is valuable, and a fine horse is wanted, the mare is not put to work before the colt is born, or afterward. Sparta educated its youth; trained young men to surprise and murder the miserable Helot slaves on their way to work at sunrise, that the young men might be fierce in war. Sparta's law used iron for money, that no man might care to have mnch of it.

Fine theories were worked ont there as in Russia, bnt Sparta amounted to little. Athens, where human nature was allowed to develop according to rules—uot suggested by Draco or Karl Marx—produced Greek grandeur, art, literature and philosophy.

We are wound np at birth, to run in a certain way; our inhorn impulses are our mainsprings, and we cannot remake ourselves. To interfere with the family, with the mother's passionate love of her children, with man's ambition, stimulated by dnty to his family and reverence for his father and mother, is to insure a nation's downfall.

The government asks farmers, for their own price protection, to rednce by two million acres spring wheat planting in Minnesota and the Dakotas. Substitution of barley, rye, oats, alfalfa and sweet clover is suggested. That might help if other states redneed acreage. But it is as difficult for farmers as for others to change their habits.

Ours is a marvelous earth dwelling, far too good for those that inhabit it, except the children, spirits of light, and the very old, made humble by life's trials.

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Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

Estate of Chris J. Bothmann, also known as Christ Bothmann.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Chris J. Bothmann, also known as Christ Bothmann Decedent;

The State of Minnesota to Josephine Bothmann, Frank Bothmann, Mary Bendickson, Willie Bothmann, Lena Johnson and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are here cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of April 1930, at ten o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this first day of April 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Probate Judge.

J. M. Bishop
Attorney for Petitioner.
A3-17

River News

We regret to hear that Mrs. And. Mortensen left for Minneapolis to enter the Swedish Hospital but we wish a speedy recovery.

P. E Bergh of Plummer spent part of last week at Brandon, Minn, transacting business.

K. T. Dalager was Thief River business caller Wednesday.

Misses Lillian Norman teacher of Dist 536 Selma Johnson and Agnes Hallameck were among those who attended the teachers Institute held at Red Lake Falls Saturday, March 29

Walter Swanson was Red Lake Falls business caller Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Erdmann were Thief River business callers Thursday.

A group of local young boys gathered at the A. A. Erickson home Sunday and the afternoon was spent in playing base ball.

This warm spring weather has opened all ditches and the water has withdrawn considerable from the flooded fields.

A large crowd attended the Young People Society at the Gust Peterson home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Gieseke were Snnday guests at the F. Ulrich home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Loeffler are the parents of a haby girl born Sunday. Mother and child are getting along nice.

Miss Nancy Hedlund spent a few days at the home of her friend Esther Thyren

Henry Burstad was a Tbief River business caller Monday.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Try a want adv.

Early Puritan Picnic

Perhaps the gentle reader would be interested in knowing how the Puritan chieftain of the Massachusetts Bay colonists spent his first day in New England.

After exchange of greetings with Governor Endicott of the Salem colonists, Governor Winthrop says:

"We . . . returned with them to Nathumeak, where we supped with a good venison pasty and good beer, and at night we returned to our ship.

"In the meantime most of our people went on shore upon the land of Cape Ann, which lay very near us, and gathered store of fine strawberries."—Boston Post.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.

St. Hilaire. Minn.

Bray News

County Auditor and Mrs. H. Fowler were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson.

Mrs. J. B. Nelson is employed at the N. Schalz home.

Miss Hazel Krause visited over the week-end at her home in Thief River, returning to her school here Monday morning.

Mrs. Melvin Anderson spent Thursday night at the Christ Person home. The roads were in such poor condition that she found it impossible to pass.

Evelyn Wood student nurse at the Oak Park Sanatorium spent Tuesday and Wednesday at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. Wood.

R R. Rux called on C. A. Lindquist on Sunday.

Miss Hilder Akerlund called on Mrs John O. Swanson on Wednesday.

Mrs. John O. Swanson visited at the home of N. Schalz Friday.

Mr and Mrs. Carl Person of St. Hilaire visited at the E. Larson home Tuesday.

Word has been received here that Carl Person has purchased the Sanitary Meat Market of St. Hilaire from Ed Durbin. The new properitor took prossesion on Friday of last week. We all wish Mr. Person great success.

Miss Hazel Person who has been employed at Crookston for some time returned home Friday.

How Color Blindness Will Be Transmitted

When a color blind man merries a color blind woman, all children will he color blind. If the seme man marries a normal woman ell children will be apparently normsl, thongh the daughters may transmit the defect to their sons. Should a color hlind men marry a woman that is a carrier, half his daughters will be color hlind, the other half carriers, while his sons run an even chance of heing color hlind or normal. When, however, a normal man marries a normal woman there will, of course, be no color blindness among the offspring nor among the descendants, unless some of them intermarry with strains that are affected. A normal men marrying a carrier may expect half his sons to be normal, the other half color blind. His danghters will all be apparently normal; but balf of them will be carriers. Bnt when a normal man marries a color blind woman he msy expect all of his sons to be color hlind and all of his daughters to he carriers.—Good Health.

Mendel's Law

The scientific breeding of plants through the production of hybrids has as its basis Mendel's law, first pnblished in 1865, bnt passed unnoticed until about 1901.

Only the Present Counts

"My motto is," says William Muldoon, veteran conditioner of men, "Live for today. Forget yesterday. Don't anticipate tomorrow."—American Magazine.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Oscar O. Maland, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Ole O. Maland, the heirs of Guri S. Maland, Selma Jackson, Adelia Maland, Julius Maland and Gladys Maland, and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on Saturday the 19th day of April, 1930, at 10 o'clock A. M., why said petition should not be granted:

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 25th day of March, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate Court.

Theo. Quale,
Attorney for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
M27-A10

Caused by Wind

The vibration of high-tension power lines is caused hy the wind. These vibrations seem to he transmitted along the line from span to span, causing them to continue across spots where a lull in the wind exists. It is the seme phenomenon as the bumming of telegraph wires.

Expensive Costumes

It is said that the costumes worn by actors in the Passion play at Oberammergen ere mede without regard for expense. One worn hy Pontius Pilate was reported to bave been mede of materiel especially woven in Constantinople which cost 800 marks a yard.

There's More to Learn

The erstwhile old hachelor says that while he does not grasp things very quickly be bas learned thet it does not put a wife in an especially good humor to heve to wait after she bas a meal reedy.—Hillshoro News-Herald.

Lightest of Metals

Lithium is said to be the lightest of metels, having a specific gravity of 0.59. There are eight metals between this and aluminum, which has a specific gravity of 2.6. Therefore, aluminum may be said to rank tenth.

Importance of Toys

Authorities on child guidance find that toys are important in the early education of a child. They teach the child to use his hands and brain, and aid in forming desirable habits if properly directed.

Just Another Worry

Now we are told that the coal will run ont in 800 years. Well, 800 years from uow folks will probably be laughing at those funny people who used coal for fuel.—Des Moines Tribune-Capital.

Do It Now

Look over your supply of printed matter such as envelopes, statements, letterheads, bill heads, cards or other forms you use daily.

Spring is "right around the corner", the time you need them Let us have your order for what you need.

St. Hilaire Spectator

Wyandotte News

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hanson and little daughter and John Hanson of Portland North Dakota visited at the Ole Hanson home Saturday.

Marie and Carl Kolseth visited at the O. E. Wilson home Friday evening.

Miss Lillian Berg is visiting a week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miesener and other relativea at Plummer.

Mrs. John Peterson visited Friday with Mrs. Samuelson

Selma and Goodwin Wilson and Marie and Carl Kolseth, visited Saturday afternoon at Ole Hanson home.

Allred Rolstad called at Peter Kolseth home Snnday morning.

Those who attend high school at near by towns who spent the week end here are as follows, Laura Schack, Marie Kolseth and Selma Wilson.

Frank and Melmer Berg and Goodwin Wilson visited Sunday at Peter Kolseth home.

25 Years Ago

Fire was put under the boilers at the mill and the plant was to commence operations the following Monday.

C. H. Remington was appointed village marshall and entered upon his new duties that week.

William Bramsness, a resident here for twenty five years, left that week to join his parents at Rochester, Wash.

Christ Bjerk returned here after having spent the winter np in Marshall county.

Pat Sullivan, the East Grand Forks river foreman, was here looking after movement of logs for his company.

Thomas Deach and Miss Minnie Copperude were married April, 6th, at the Mike Anderson residence.

Wm. Eickhoff returned with his outfit from the woods. He had the misfortune to lose 13 horses in the camps that winter. Balance were taken to Neilsville to be employed at ditching.

Stock and Poultry Meals

We have on hand a big supply of Cottonseed meal, Oil meal, etc., for stock use.

And we have Bone meal, Meat scraps, Oyster shells and Limestone "Shellmaker" for poultry.

Don't forget to order a sack of Dakota Maid

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

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The EASY way to clean rugs, is the safe way . . . the economical way . . . by electricity, with a modern vacuum cleaner.

Where there are children in the home, the regular frequent cleaning of rugs with a vacuum cleaner is one of the most EFFECTIVE preventatives of sickness. It removes the dirt and disease-carrying germs carried in from the street and makes your floors a safe place upon which children can play.

Compared to the old-fashioned broom and carpet beater, the modern vacuum cleaner is as easy to use as if it were a fairy's magic wand.

And in the average home . . . every rug can be thoroughly cleaned for only a few cents' worth of electricity. Northern States Power Company

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3rd Step ELECTRICITY means low cost electricity. It is the low Third Step of the residential electric rate which enables you to use any electric appliance at extremely low cost. Investigate and see if your home is on the Third Step Rate.

Crankcase Service

Let us drain your crankcase and refill it with with the proper oil for your car at this season. We have oils and grease suitable for all makes of cars.

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Try our green gas. You will note more pickup and speed than with ordinary gas, and you will note absence of carbon.

Young's Service Station

St. Hilaire. Minnesota

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening services 8:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Communion services at Black River Lutheran church next Sunday morning at 10:30.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle. Pastor.

Sunday, April 13th.
Oakridge, Communion at 11:00
Clearwater, services 2:30 p. m.
St. Hilaire, Lenten services 8:00 a. m. "The Sacrifice of The Fittest"
Sunday school at 10:00 p. m.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our most sincere thanks to all St. Hilaire friends for their expressions of sympathy, and for the beautiful flowers given at the funeral of our dear father and brother, J. C. Dahl,

We especially wish to thank members of the choir, and those who decorated the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dahl
Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Dahl
Miss Edith Dahl
Mr. Neils Dahl

Bark of Tree Brings $4,000

White-spotted bark of a cinnamon tree in the province of Thank Hoa, French Indo-China, has been sold for $4,000. This is believed to be the highest price paid for the bark of a single tree. The cinnamon tree reaches a height of 35 feet, and the bark is stripped off and sold.

STATEMENT

of Ownership, Management, Circulation Etc. Required by the Act of August 24, 1912.

Of St. Hilaire Spectator published weekly at St. Hilaire, Minnesota, for April 1st 1930.

State of Minnesota
County of Pennington--ss.

Before me, a Notary Public, in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeard O. Gunstad, who have been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the publisher-owner of St. Hilaire Spectator and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, circulation, etc, of the aforesaid publication, required by the Act of August 24th 1912, towit,

That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:

Publisher, O. Gunstad, St. Hilaire, Minn.

Editor, O. Gunstad, St. Hilaire, Minn.

Business Manager, O. Gunstad.

That the owner is: O. Gunstad.

That known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds mortgages, or other securities are: A. Johnson, St. Hilaire, Minn.

O. GUNSTAD

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of March 1930.

(Seal) FRED BISKEY

Notary Public, Pennington, Co., Minn.

My Commission Expires Jan. 29 1935.

Illuminated

Patricia, age six, is very fond of stuffed olives. One day for dinner olives stuffed with red pimentos were served. Patricia said: "Mother, please give me one of the olives with the tail light."

Make a Modern Home Out of The Old House!

Pay for the Improvement in Small Monthly Installments

Why not use the old house as the "backbone" for a convenient new home with all the latest improvements?

New floors, new, roofing, a new porch, additional rooms, a new bathroom, new woodwork, built-in conveniences, attic insulation . . . there are scores of things you can do which will add comfort and convenience to the old house . . . make it as good as new.

EASY MONTHLY PAYMENTS TO SUIT YOUR CONVENIENCE

Enjoy the new features and pay for them as you go, by taking advantage of L. F. C. Easy Payment Plan . . . the savings of a modern home will suurprise you, and you'll wonder how you got along in the old one.

We will gladly help you with the planning details, and wil conduct all negotiations with the Finance Company for you.

THIS EASY PAYMENT PLAN ALSO APPLIES TO NEW HOMES

Central Lumber Company

W. A. Peterson, Manager St. Hilaire, Minn.

Your Spring Shoes

When in need of shoes, look over our line. We carry Peters, Hunkidori, Chippewa, Red Wing cord sole, and a few Wolverine horsehide soles. Also have men's and boy's canvass shoes. We list only a few of our many numbers:-

Men's waterproof chrome, leather lined vamp, pac wide back stay, oak sole, rubber heel, 8 inch top per pair $5.65

Men's black retan, plain toe, two full oak soles, rubber heels, 8 inch top at $4.25

Men's rosite tan, two full soles, steel hooks, leather lined vamps, outside counter, moccasin toe, 16inch top. Our best hicut $9.00

Men's brown finish, half double sole, rubber composition outsole, whole rubber heel, a dandy at the price, per pair $1.95

Men's brown glove leather, heavy viscolized outsole, Munson last, soft toe cap, pair $4.25

A few odd lots going very cheap.

Buy our shoes, you will get a dollar's worth of real merchandise for every dollar spent.

M. H. JACKSON

General Merchandise

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

FOR SALE, etc.

For Rent or Sale:-The northwest quarter and southeast quarter, of Sec. 17 in Black River township. Good buildings and desirable location.

If interested, call on or write to

Fred D. Lorentson,

M20tf Thief River Falls, Minn.

For Sale:- A quantity of hay in stack.

A. V. Jacobson,

St. Hilaire, Minn.

For Sale:- Fixtures of Bob's Coffee Shop for sale at reasonable figure. Call on.

Rob't Helmkay,

St. Hilaire, Minn.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Faribault—John N. Roell was elected president of the Faribault Bowling Association.

Morgan—Plans are being made for a Boy Scout troop here. W. S. Johnson will be leader.

Minneapolis—Captain Billy and Mrs. Fewcett, hack from a six months hig game hont in Africa.

Northfield—A national Luther league institute will be held et St. Olaf college here June 9 to 15.

St. James—Townships in Watonwan county will spend $100,550 on road and bridge improvements this year.

Hastings—Four Girl Scout troops were organised at a meeting of the community Scout committee here.

Wabasha—The Wahasha municipal band has been reorganised. Twelve weekly concerts are planned for the summer.

Onamia—Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the residence of Alfred Warren near Wigwam bay on Mille Lacs.

Austin — Twenty-five euumerators have been named to conduct the census in Mower county. The supervisor is Arthor Trus.

Austin—Five boys whose ages range from 12 to 18 yeers will face Juvenile Court here on a charge of having fired revolvers at passing motorists.

Willmar—Mrs. Hattie Marquardt of Hector has heen named social worker for Kandiyohi county. She will aseome active charge of her work May 1.

St. Paul—Eamoun de Valera, former president of the Irish repohlic and leading candidate to succeed President William T. Cosgrave, resigned, delivered an address here.

Hastings—A jury in Dakota county district court returned a verdict of $3,500 in favor of James Forsythe, who sued the city of Sonth St. Paol for $10,800 dameges.

Alexandria—Local voters will decide April 9 whether $175,000 in bonds shall he issoed for construction of a new school building. The schools now have a 1,200 stodent enrollment.

Hutchinson—Mrs. O. Bjoring of Hutchinson celebrated her ninety-fourth birthday anniversary at tho home of her eon-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Reppe.

Park Rapids—Twenty-six stodents of the Park Rapids high school, chosen hecause of ontstanding work, were feted at a banquet sponsored hy the Park Rapids community club.

Spring Valley—A Fourth of July celebration will be conducted here this year under the auspices of the local post of the American Legion. Dr. C. H. Johnson is post commander.

Northfield—Eighteen men and women prominent in business and professional circles, led student discussions at the first vocational conference conducted et Carleton College.

Mankato — Five Minnesota cities were represented by Hi-Y officers at a training conference here. Towns represented included Fairmout, Albert Lea, St. James, Worthington and Mankato.

Duluth—About 100 employses of Patrick S., Inc., manufacturing plant here casting a secret hallot, voted to unionize under the direction of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America.

Mankato—More than e score of concerts are planned for the spring by the a capella choir of Bethany College here of the 29 singers. A 10-day tour will begin June 4 to Claremout, Rochester, Wykoff, Albert Lea and Iowa towns.

Duluth—The annual conference of the ninth district of the Rotary Club, including clubs in Minnesota, North Dakota and Superior, Wis., will be conducted in Duluth May 1 and 16. 800 Rotarians from the 41 clubs in the district will attend.

Rush City—Commencement exercises will be conducted in the Rush City high school May 28, when Attorney General Henry N. Beuson will deliver the address. Miss Pearl Severson is valedictorian and Miss Geraldine Sommer salutatorian.

Duluth — Negotiations are being made here for a continuance of prospecting for copper in the Knife River district on the north shore of Lake Soperior, should a Canadian mining company, which has temporarily abandoned work after seven months' operation, fail to resume further explorations within the next month.

St. Paul—A warning to all farmers, settiers and campers not to start a fire without first clearing a five-foot space of all comhostihle materials, was today issued by Alfred L. Neison, chairman of the Minnesota Forest Fire Prevention Campaign, April 14 to 26. Thirty state-wide organizations have joined in the campaign to reduce the number of fires that are annually devastating the state's forests and injuring the bird and game life. In 1929 there were 2,400 fires that burned over 300,000 acres of land, causing a fire loss of $300,000, end costing one life.

Brainerd—Lawrence Anderson of Ironton, charged with non-support of his wife and child, has been hrought back from Butte, Mont.

St. Cloud—Rev. Roy E. Olson of St. Cloud has been appointed Protestant chaplain at the state reformatory here, effective April 1.

Brainerd—Mayor Frank E. Little of Brainerd and Clens A. Theorin, incumbent, have filed for the office of Crow Wing county sheriff.

Northfield—The fifteenth annual music festival at St. Olaf college, one of the outstanding college events of the year, will be held May 17 and 18.

J. C. Dahl Called

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were shipped here Monday morning from Billings, and funeral services were held at the Norwegian Lutheran church that afternoon. Rev. D. G. Jacobson of Fergus Falls former pastor here, conducted the funeral service, assisted by Rev. M. Dahle, which was well attended by people from all parts of the community who came to pay their last respects to an old pioneer and former neighbor. Interment was made in the cemetery east of the village where both Mrs. Dahl and son Neil, are laid at rest.

Heartfelt sympathy of numerous friends is extended to the bereaved family in their time of sorrow.

Mrs. Carl Person of Crookston, is here for a visit with Mrs. A. J. Larson.

Ole Anderson was down town for the first time yesterday since he was injured in a fall a couple week ago.

AUCTION SALE

Tuesday, April 15

My six room bungalow in Thief River Falls with garage and other buildings. Will be sold at auction Tuesday, April 15, 1 p. m., also household goods.

AUGUST CARLSON

Owner

V. C. Noper Auctioneer

Please Note:- All ice books issued this season will be sold only on cash basis. Amounts are too small for me to handle otherwise.

Art Hendrickson.

Fence Posts:- Will have a carload of white cedar posts on track in St. Hilaire on April 16. Those who have ordered, and those wanting posts keep date in mind and get posts direct from car.

Paul Thyren, Hazel, Minn.

75 percent of the stock in Gamble Stores is owned by Store Managers, Associates and Customers. The bulk of the profits is turned back into the territory served.

Coloring Material

Annatto is the pulpy substance surrounding the seeds of a tree hy the same name and imported into this country in cakes weighing two or more pounds, to be used in coloring butter, cheese and oleomargarin.

Feed House Plant

While it is not advisable to overstimulate growing plants and force growth, a little plant food, judiciously applied, will do much in coaxing along a plant that just will not flourish.

Honest Parents

Good and valid child study methods begin first of all with a willingness on the part of the perents to admit they are not expert if they really are not.—Woman's Home Companion.

Pinnacle of Success

"A successful man," observes a contemporary, "is one who makes more money than his family can spend." H'm; that's our idea of e miracle man.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Greeting Celebrities

Forty thousand feet of ticker tape is hurled from office windows in the New York financial district each time a celebrity is paraded up Broadway.—American Magazine.

DR. L. R. TWETE

Licensed Veterinarian

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Tuberculin Testing

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday

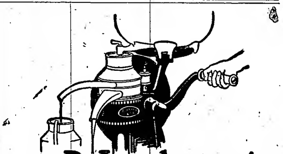
Northern Wheat	$ .93
Durum Wheat	.79
Rye	.56
Barley	.39
Oats	.31
Flax	2.70
Eggs, cash	.20
Creamery butter	.42

New Management

Having recently taken over the meat market from Ed Durbin, I respectfully solicit a continuation of your business in this line. I will endeavor at all times to keep a good supply of fresh and smoked meats in variety, at reasonable prices.

Home Meat Market

Carl Person, Prop.



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O. C. Johnson, Manager

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Hazel News

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and children Joyce and Stanley were evening guests at the Martin Peterson home Monday.

The Little Literary Society of the Busy Bee school are using all their extra time in practicing for an Easter program, which they plan to give Thursday afternoon before Good Friday. All mothers are especially invited and the committee welcomes anyone who may be interested enough to come.

Mrs. C. Prestby and daughter Lucille visited at the A. Anderson home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Nels Nelson returned to Warren Monday where she will undergo her third operation.

The Choir of the St. Pauli Norwegian church met at the C. Alberg home Friday evening.

Mrs. John Dahl and son Harry, Helen Langer, Lillian, Gladys, Helen and Stanley Alberg were Sunday callers at the M. Lokken home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Finstad and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg and daughters Maybelle and Cleo, and Mrs. M. Lokken motored to Warren Sunday to visit with Miss Anna Alberg who is a patient at a hospital there. They report that Anna is convalescing rapidly. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Knutson and daughter Arlene and Paul Gilbert son called at Thief River Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Erling Prestby and children were guests at the Theodore Johnson home Sunday.

Charles Asp, who has been attending school in Dist 6, where Miss Edith Shay has taught this past term is now attending the Busy Bee school in Hazel.

Mrs. Ole Thune came from Duluth to her home Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Bruce, who has been visiting at the Ole Odegaard home has now moved back to her farm southwest of Hazel.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lappegard and son Vernon and Miss Margaret Lokken called at the C. Alberg home Monday evening.

Mrs. Rev. C. B. Dahlberg of St. Hilaire visited at the Busy Bee school on Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. Peterson visited at the O. Odegaard home Friday.

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Hon. C. G. Selvig Files

Congressman C. G. Selvig this week filed as a candidate for re-election. Mr. Selvig has made a splendid record during the years he has represented the Ninth district in Congress, and his many friends will be pleased to know he is again a candidate.

Road Contracts Let

Among the contracts let by the Minnesota Highway Department recently for new grading, is 28 miles of road on T. H. No. 33 from Thief River to Warren. The job calls for 621,000 cubic yards of excavation, and the contract was awarded to Kramer & Hog of Minneapolis, at $160,895. Bids are to be opened soon on 28 miles of gravel surfacing between Holt and Greenbush, and also on a 2.3 mile stretch east of Greenbush on T. H. No. 11.

Wins Scholastic Honors

Miss Helena Erdmann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erdmann of this place, is classified as one of the ten best students in the Freshman class at Concordia College, Moorhead, this year. There is 158 students registered in this class so Miss Erdmann's scholastic record is a fine one. The college makes a practice of announcing the ten highest ranking students in each class at end of each semester.

Erickson Brothers are contemplating extensive changes at their garage property this spring. They expect to cut away part of the main building in preparation for installing a corner filling station on front part of the lots.

Mike Mc Andress and Ed Durhin returned Tuesday morning after having accompanied shipments of livestock Saturday to market at So. St. Paul.

Miss Della Dorothy, who is employed at the Blue Parrot Cafe, spent last week-end at home of her parents near Grygla.

Herman Ortloff has cut down most of the timber on his place across the south bridge. This not only improves the property for his use, but it gives motorists a much better view of the road than formerly.

More Improvements

Lumber was taken out this week to be used in erection of a new granary on the former Dammon farm east of town which is owned by the State of Minnesota. New porches on the house, a new hog house, dismantling of several small old buildings, and painting of all new buildings are some of the improvements which will be made on the place this year under direction of the Rural Credit Bureau.

Cleanup Week

Now that spring weather has set in, villagers should combine in having a cleanup week. Unsightly piles of rubbish, some of them years old, should be removed, and all property within the village put in spic and span order. Nothing gives strangers such a good an impression of a town as to note every place in it is kept neat and clean. Not only do strangers get a good impression but property owners themselves take more pride in their property. Judicious use of paint too, helps wonderfully not only for appearance but for preservation of the buildings to which it is applied. Lets make a hundred percent cleanup in the village this year.

Fred Soderberg is a patient at a hospital at Thief River where he is receiving treatment for a knee affliction with which he has suffered a year or more.

Work is to start in the near future on construction of the new service station which is to be built by Mike Highland on the lots north of his residence.

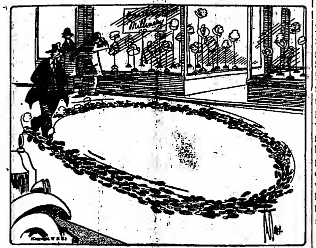
Miss Gunhild Nelson, who teaches at Mahnomen, is home to spend Easter vacation with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson.

Misses Helga and Amanda Kall and leave Saturday to spend Easter at home of their sister, Mrs. W. Janda, at Mahnomen.

Paul Roy and Sever Skottem motored Tuesday to Grand Forks to attend to business matters, returning home that afternoon.

Helmer Finstad, of Hazel, was here all last week taking census figures in the village.

Selecting the Easter Bonnet



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Bennet Johnson, former resident here, was in yesterday from Smiley calling on former neighbors.

Robert Helmkay shipped his household goods yesterday by truck to East Grand Forks, where he has leased a confectionery store.

Philip Johnson and sister, Selma, expect to leave within the next few weeks by car for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Swan Johnson, at Turlock, Calif.

Miss Dorothy Olsen, who attends the State Teachers College at Moorhead, is home spending Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olsen.

Sam and William Hunt, Milton Converse and Clayton Paul were all up Monday evening from Red Lake Falls to help with arranging of new stock at the local hardware store.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Olsen of Leonard, motored here Saturday and spent Sunday with his parents here, and with her parents at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Sundholm and children, accompanied by Mrs. Chr. Kruse, Sr., motored Sunday to Fargo where they spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Golden, returning here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Surmo brought down their household goods and livestock last week from east of Holt and are now busy getting settled in their new home, the former Halverson place south of here.

A chapter of the Isek Walton League was organized at Red Lake Falls following a big meeting held there last evening. L. Benshoof of Detroit Lakes, was the principal speaker at the gathering.

Over a thousand turkey eggs have been placed in incubators at the Black farm near here. With several hundred mature birds left over since last season, the turkey crop at that farm will be a large one this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter returned Sunday after a ten day motor trip to the Twin Cities and southern Minnesota points. They found road conditions very good the entire distance. Seeding was all finished in southern part of the state, but crops were being retarded because of lack of rain.

Carl Person is having the interior of his Home Meat Market re-decorated this week, and it now presents a much improved appearance.

Sheriff Ole L. Ihle of Thief River Falls, has filed for re-election to the office he has filled so efficiently the past two terms.

Mesdames Simonson and Folstad will entertain the Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church at the church parlors, Friday, April 25th.

A family from near Oslo have leased the buildings on the Sven Benson farm adjoining town to the southeast, and have taken possession.

Miss Bertine Helgo and A. J. Hauge, who have visited here at the Otto Johnson home and with other relatives, left Monday for their homes at Halstad.

Remember -- Gamble's written warranty covers every item in the store. It entitles you to an adjustment, exchange or return of your money. Thief River Falls, Minn.

G. Bergland and family moved Monday from the Hegstrom residence on Water street to the house north of the Mission church, owned by the Central Lumber Co.

Mrs. Joe Thompson, who was badly burned in the fire which destroyed her home south of here ten days ago, is reported to be improving at the St. Vincent hospital at Crookston.

Miss Loretta Kruse left Thursday for Fargo upon receipt of a message stating her little nephew, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Golden, was very ill with an attack of pneumonia. The child has since passed the crisis, and is now recovering.

Lloyd Crown, who has resided at Red Lake Falls during the past winter, has leased the "Island" from the Crookston Lumber Company. He is getting the house on the property repaired, and will move there with his family as soon as this is done.

Klemens Gigstad suffered a gashed hand Monday afternoon while assisting with operating a power wood saw at the Rev. Dahle home. After having the wound dressed by a physician at Thief River, he returned home. While the cut is painful, Klem will suffer no permanent injury.

Thief River Man Suicides

Ole Peterson, a resident of Thief River Falls for many years, and formerly operator of a shooting gallery in that city, was found dead Saturday morning last in a shack in rear of his residence. A self-inflicted bullet wound in his head was the cause of death which occured probably two days before the body was found by neighbors who investigated when Peterson failed to make his usual appearance about the place. Deceased was a single man of about 70 years of age. He was well known all over the county as he usually spent winter seasons bunting wolves thruout the country-side.

A number of friends of Mrs. O. Sherva tendered her a surprise party yesterday afternoon, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. A fine time is reported by all those present.

A large number of people from the village and adjacent territory attended the Ladies Aid meeting yesterday at home of Rev. and Mrs. C. Dahlberg.

Christ Storholm, well known travelling salesman whose home is at Thief River, died Saturday evening after a brief illness. Funeral services were held yesterday.

Paul Thyren received his first shipment yesterday here of white cedar fence posts for this season. Mr. Thyren plans to ship in several carloads during the summer.

Miss Edith Dahl, who is visiting relatives at Thompson, N. D., is expected here next week for a visit with friends before returning to her home at Billings, Mont.

It's so easy to fill your own car with oil from a Pour-Eze drum. And besides you know your oil. 100 percent Pure Pennsylvania Oil, Medium -- 19-3-4c per quart. Gamble Stores.

Verner Nelson, who has long been a trusted employee of the First National Bank at Thief River, is reported to have filed as a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of this county. With Harry Peterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Peterson of Wyandotte, also in the running, there will be a three cornered fight for that office.

More Candidates File

Harry Peterson of Hazel, has filed as a candidate for Register of Deeds, W. W. Long of Thief River Falls, is out as a candidate for County Superintendent of Schools. and, Sheriff Ole L. Ihle has thrown his hat into the ring as a candidate for re-election, in the county political arena the past week. Indications are there will be other filings.

Undergoes Operation

Mrs. Sam Thompson, who was injured in a fall a few weeks ago, was taken Tuesday to the hospital at Thief River where it was found necessary to have an operation to remedy her trouble. The operation was done Tuesday, and she is getting along as well as could be expected for a person of her age.

Has Operation

Donna, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Brink, was operated upon Saturday at the hospital at Warren after suffering an attack of appendicitis last week. She withstood the operation well, and is rapidly regaining her strength.

Misses Marie and Agnes Vik entertained a group of friends at their home south of town last Thursday afternoon. Among those present were the Misses Freistad, Frazier Lee, Launa, Hovie, and Messrs R. Peterson, E. Reiersgord, W. Peterson, W. Kruse, J. Costain, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Beebe, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Jensen.

The local school closed last Friday for the annual Easter vacation of one week. Supt. E. Reiersgord left for his home at Ulen, Miss Lee has gone to her home in Wisconsin, Miss Freistad to Tuttle, N. D., Miss Frazier to Verndale, Miss Launa to Middle River, Miss Hovie to Thief River Falls and J. Costain to Moorhead.

Oscar Kolstad leaves this week for Duluth where he expects to put in the coming shipping season at work on the docks.

Seed Barley: Have a quanity of good Canadian seed barley for sale. Inquire of Paul Thyren. Route 1, Ap17-24 Hazel, Minn.

Miss Huldah Gigstad, principal of one of the city schools at Moorhead came home Saturday to spend her annual Easter vacation.

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It has always been our aim to give first consideration to home interests. In every possible way, it is our desire to further the prosperity of this section and the welfare of our depositors.

You can assist this program by doing your banking here, influencing your friends to do the same, and by talking favorably of your community to strangers.

Prosperity is not a matter of chance. It comes as result of efforts we put forth to benefit each other.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

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United effort by all cream producers in this territory, will make the creamery the largest and best in this section. Do your bit.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

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River News

Alhin Konickson called at the Paul Thyren home Thursday.

Mrs. Gust Larson spent Friday afternoon at the H. Jepson home.

Mr and Mrs. Thorstein Walseth have commenced housekeeping on the farm which they recently leased.

Mr. Ole Johnson of St. Hilaire was in this vicinity Saturday in the interest of his business.

Gerald Stephens motored over Sunday from Angus to spend the day at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Stephen, and also with friends of this vicinity.

Paul Thyren and children spent Sunday at the L. P. Thyren home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Larson and family spent Sunday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Erickson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S Erdmann and son Fred were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Seeger of Red Lake Falls.

Miss Echo Norman was taken to the St. Vincent hospital, at Crookston, Friday afternoon. Miss Echo has been sick for some time with a severe cold.

Mr. Erdmann and danghter Maria motored to Moorhead this Thursday morning to get his daughter Helena and also Misses Grace Dahle Kanilla Fuszmark who will spend their Easter vacation here. All the girls are students at Concordia College.

The school pupils of Districts 236 and 133 are enthused over the play Day which is to be held at the Hazel school campus.

Miss Minnie Ulrich spent Wednesday and Thursday with her sister, Mrs. Paul Gieseke.

John Mortensen visited at the Fred Ulrich home Saturday.

Miss Minnie Ulrich motored to Thief River Saturday afternoon.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Prohate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Bergit Johnson Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Halvor Johnson, Bennet Johnson, Lena Sanderson, Olava Johnson, Sophia Swiggum, Henry Tallackson, William Tallackson, Arthur Tallackson, Philip Tallackson, Irvin Burk, Laura Midboe, Gena Barstad, Clara Midboe, Tillie Thompson, Ragnhild Evenson, Ida Midhoe, Walter Midboe, Eleda Midboe, Myrtle Midhoe, Herbert Johnson, Arthur Johnson, Lloyd Johnson, Harold Johnson, Sheffard Johnson, all persons interested in the final account and distrihution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration ot the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distrihution of the residue of said estate to the person thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are herehy cited and required to show cause, if any you have, hefore this Court at the Prohate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of April 1930 at 10:00 o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 2nd day of April, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Prohate.

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Petitioner.
A3-17

French Salt Derived From Lakes Far Inland

Salt is so common and so inexpensive that one is apt to loose sight of its value and necessity. In certain parts of the orient salt is so scarce and so valued it is used as a medium of exchange. France has no salt mines; and, as far as the smooth table variety is concerned, she is entirely dependent npon imports. Yon see a famous hrand of English packed salt in all parts of the country. But it's an expensive husiness getting it to every small town, and that is where the Etang de Berre comes in handy. It is on the road to Marseilles—yon pass it away to yonr right—and it is the largest of all the Etangs. They are great lakes of sea water, fed, often underground, hy the sea; and they are dotted along the Mediterranean coast from Marseilles to Spain. Yon find them again in the Landes, that flat, marshy stretch in the neighborhood of Bordeaux. Shallow evaporation pans, leading eway from the Etang de Berre, and looking in the distance exactly like vast reservoirs, have been huilt, and these are filled from the lake. They are then dammed off, and dry air and blazing sun do the rest.

It's Just as Hard

If we can't change the world, how about trying to change ourselves?—Forbes Magazine.

One Point of View

No investment pays larger dividends than unselfish deeds of kindness.

This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

Radio and Flying
Child Health Day
One Cubic Inch, One Ton
Round Your Corners

Among farmers' wives until recently the percentage of insanity was very high. Living isolated lives, working hard from dawn until long after dark, seeing nobody hut the sometimes dull, tired hushand and farm hands, was bad for the mind.

Then came rural free delivery, hringing pictures of the latest fashions, and the telephone, with news of neighhors, finally, greatest hlessing of all, the radio. Farmers' wives tune in, and retain their sanity.

To the exceptional woman, rich, able to do what she pleases, but hitherto finding little amusing excitement after sixty, flying offers relief.

The British duchess of Bedford, sixty-four years old, goes np and down the earth at a rate of speed that old Setan never dreamed of.

She has just started the second leg of a flight from London to Sonth Africa, an able pilot and mechanic keeping her company.

Yon would say that a flying man or woman could write a hook, "Things I Have Seen," that would eclipse Voltaire's "Choses Vnes," (Things Seen), for Voltaire crawled around on the earth's surface.

However, not the eyes hut the heart and hrain do the real seeing.

Gandhi, starved Hindn whose sincerity canses the British empire more anxiety than all his 300,000,000 fellow Hindus comhined, learns, as other enthusiasts have done, thet the spirit is willing, but the flesh is weak.

Weighing harely 100 pounds, eating no meat, taking no stimulants, a walk of 200 miles, that would seem a joke to an Irishman or a Scotchman, has exhausted him. He cannot go on.

Hodge, Calif.—President Hoover, designating May 1 as "Child Heelth day," urges parents and all others to co-operate.

These are some ingredients of child health:

Fresh air and sunlight. They cost nothing.

Regular hours, long and reguler sleep. They cost nothing.

Eating slowly, which costs nothing, and develops teeth and jaws, avoiding edenoid end other troubles.

Good, simple food, with variety, from day to dny. That costs trouble, principally.

While designating a child heelth day the government might think of the mother's health, also, and the disgraceful fact that this nation leads all others, civilized, in the number of mothers thet die in childhirth for lack of competent attention.

If a sow is ahont to have a litter, or a cow a calf, tha government stands ready to advise and help through the Agricultural department.

For the expectant human mother there is no snch help.

Uranium, heaviest of all metals, is now produced for $400 a pound. Some of it was shown to chemists at Atlanta. The present price is low. Recently the stuff was priceless.

It weighs twice as much as lead, hut, cosmically considered, that is not heavy. Learn from science that the substance of certain stars, hecause of terrific gravity and compression, weighs two thonsand pounds to the cubic inch. Imegine the outer joint of yonr thumb weighing a ton.

The sun's radiation, heat and power are supposed to come from the "stripping of atoms." The electrons, revolving around the nuclei, are stripped off and shot into space. The nuclei, left alone, are packed one against another, with no space separating them from their electrons and from each other. It is es though you stripped away the planets from suns in space and packed tha suns solidly together in a lump. That would be heavy.

An electron, in proportion to its size, is as far from its central nncleus as the sun is from the earth.

Each atom is a little solar system, so smell you do not notice a million of those systems in the corner of yonr eye. Our universe is really too complicated, at least for our feeble minds.

Important to city governments. Berlin, which makes city rnle a science, not a graft, is gradnally rounding off corners on streets with heavy traffic. Big omnihuses can turn rounded corners without pulling ont into the street, interfering with other vehicles.

The used airplane prohlem already causes anxiety. With constant improvement, passenger planes hecome ohsolete whila still in safa working order. Highly expensive machines, they have little second-hand valne. The prohlem is to nse, profitably, the flying life remaining in them.

Among others of our great industrialists, Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., head of General Motors, appropriates millions each year for scientific research. Thanks to this wise and profitable course, followed by the nation's greatest corporations, Steel, Standard Oil, etc., important discoveries are made in many directions.

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Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

Estate of Chris J. Bothmann, also known as Christ Bothmann.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Prohate Court.

In the Matter of the Estate of Chris J. Bothmann, also known as Christ Bothmann Decedent;

The State of Minnesota to Josephine Bothmann, Frank Bothmann, Mary Bendickson, Willie Bothmann, Lena Johnson and all persons interested in the final account and distrihution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distrihution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled;

THEREFORE, YOU, AND EACH OF YOU, are here cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of April 1930; at ten o'clock A. M. why said petition should not he granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this first day of April 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Prohate Judge.

J. M. Bishop
Attorney for Petitioner.
A3-17

Order Limiting Time to File Claims Within Three Months, And for Hearing Thereon.

Estate of Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Prohate Court

In the matter of the Estate of Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to F. D. Peet and it appearing hy the affidavit of said representative that there are no dehts of said decedent;

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the ahove named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, he, and the same herehy is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday the 18th day of July, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Prohate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same herehy is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof he given hy the puhlication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator as provided hy law.

Dated April 16th, 1930.

(Prohate Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Prohate.

A17-M1

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Try a want adv.

Don't Gush

If yon are real friends you tell each other so in a hundred ways and you never leave the matter in doubt.—Woman's Home Companion.

University of Oxford

The University of Oxford, England, has twenty-two colleges and three private halls. Cambridge has seventeen colleges and one hall.

Ancient Roman Tunnel

The world's first long tunnel was built by the Roman emperor Claudius nearly 2,000 years ago, and was ebout four miles long.

Worth Remembering

Look not mournfully into the past; It comes not back again. Wisely improve the present; it is thine.—Longfellow.

How Much?

We used to hiss public speakers. Today we merely twist the dial. How much better that is!—Atchison Globe.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

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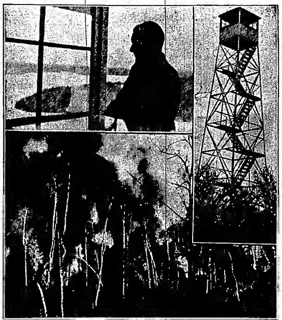
Launch Drive to Prevent Forest Fires



Thousands of citizaos have enrolled in the 1930 driva to prevant forest fires, ennounces Alfred L. Nelson, executiva choirman of the committaa in charga of tha campaign.

With 30 state-wide organizations sponsoring tha Minnesota Forest Fire Prevantion Campaign, which will reach a climax April 26, every effort will he mads to secura the co-operation of every man, woman and child in protecting the forests from fires this year.

There ware 2,400 fires reported in 1929, tha worst year io history for forest fires in this state. More than 300,000 acres of land were burned over, causing property damsge of nearly $300,000 and costing one life.

Grovar M. Conzet, Commissioner of Forestry and Fira Pravention, in discussing the fire situatioo, says: "More than 99 per cent of tha fires ara caused hy human carelessness. While tha 1929 losses wera axcaptiooal, tha annual devastation of our forest resources is seriously endengering the ecooomic aod social welfare of the state. With 6,500,000 acres of fire-devastated, noo-producing land, we ceo not cootinue very much longer to add a few hundred thousand acres esch decade. Only through proper forest management with adequata fire protection and extensiva supervision will this coodition be improved, thus assuring the future of forestry."

Six reminders on fire prevention are given by Mr. Conzet. Says he: Secure a buroing permit from a forest officer; put out the fira hefora it grows large; report all uoattended fires to a forest raoger; do not throw hurning cigarettes, cigors or matches; put your camp fira out with water, and saa that every one else is careful.

The above picture shows a forest fire scene taken last year. Oo the right is one of 75 lookout towers used for fire detectioo. Tha inset, upper left, shows a lookout mao on duty in the tower.

MISTAKEN IDENTITY

It happened that two men heering the same name, one a clergyman, the other a husiness man, hoth lived in the same city. The clergyman died, and ahout the same time his neighhor went to sonthern California. When the husiness men arrived there, he sent his wife a telegram informing her of his safe journey, hnt unfortunetely it was delivered to the widow of the late preacher. What was the surprise of the good women to read, "Arrived safely—heat terrific."

CHANGE OF SCENERY

Wife—The doctor says I should have a change of scenery.

The Brnte—I've been telling you all along you onght to sit on the beck porch instead of the front.

All History Recorded in Scheme of Nature

Nature will he reported. All things are engeged in writing their history. The planet, the pebble, goes attended hy its shadow. The rolling rock leaves its scratches on the mountain; the river, its channel in the soil; the animal, its hones in the stratum; the fern aod leaf, their modest epitoph in the coal. The falling drop makes its sculpture in the sand or the stone. Not a foot steps into the soow or along the ground, but prints, in characters more or less lastiog, a map of its march. Every act of the man inscrihes itself in the memories of its fellows, and in his own manners and face. The air is full of sonnds, the sky of tokens, the ground is all memoranda and signatures, and every object covered over with hints, which speak to the intelligent.—Emerson.

Electrical Term

The hureau of standards says that a lazy-man switch, also called a three-way switch, is electri[illegible]gle-pole double-throw switch. Using two of them, a light can he controlled from two places, snch as upstairs [illegible]downstairs in the case of hall lights. A related switch, called a four-way switch, is electrically a double-pole reversing switch. Any number of four-way switches may be used with two three-way switches to control a light from any number of points.

Do It Now

Look over your supply of printed matter such as envelopes, statements, letterheads, bill heads, cards or other forms you use daily.

Spring is "right around the corner", the time you need them. Let us have your order for what you need.

St. Hilaire Spectator

25 Years Ago

The sawmill started Monday April 9th. Two crews went to work the same day.

—XXV—

Herman Adams returned after spending the winter in the woods near Blackduck.

—XXV—

Matt Gannon, mayor of Baudette was murdered in a shooting affray in that village.

—XXV—

Trains from Crookston came by way of Tilden for the first time, that week.

—XXV—

R. J. Mc Kercher returned from Northome with some of his horses that had been in the woods that winter.

—XXV—

Robert Gebott and family moved into the Blomburgh residence. Mr. Gebatt was filer at the mill.

—XXV—

Since re-routing the trains by way of Tilden, the Great Northern announced it would abandon its old line through Wylie and Ives station to Crookston.

Walt Whitman

Whitman was a great liberator, a great humanitarian, a great American, a great man; was he, therefore, a great poet also? Intellectually indolent, emotionally mushy, spiritually chaotic and formless. Walt Whitman is tha great American now safely and securely enshrined and embalmed in tha hearts of his countrymen not because of his poetry, but because of his patriotism.

There is wonderful poetic fire in Whitman as there is in the lifa and work of every great liberator. But Whitman was not another Shakespeare nor another Milton nor another Shelley. If he is not of this immortal company, is he truly a great poet? Though no one need deny that ha was a superb human being writing astonishingly human poems. Poignant prose poetry.—From "Our Changing Human Nature," hy Samuel D. Schmalhausen.

Ben Damph Is Damp

Ben Damph, a ramhling country mansion belonging to the Lovelace family, is perhaps about the most inaccessihle house to be found even in Scotland. It is also ona of tha wettest. Rain falls almost continuously. The nearest viilage is abont eleven miles away, and the household is consequently, of necessity, self-supporting. Fish from the loch, cattla from the pasture, and game from the moor provide tha staple sustenance of those staying at Ben Damph.

Stock and Poultry Meals

We have on hand a big supply of Cottonseed meal, Oil meal, etc., for stock use.

And we have Bone meal, Meat scraps, Oyster shells and Limestone "Shellmaker" for poultry.

Don't forget to order a sack of Dakota Maid

C. Roe Grain Co.

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The EASY way to prepare your breakfast

HERE'S an easy and joyful way to prepare your breakfast. Do it right at the table, with ELECTRICITY! Most breakfasts are like the tail end of a funeral wake . . . doleful, grouchy affairs . . . the kind that just ruin the whole day. Breakfast should be fun! And it IS, with electric table appliances. « » It's so EASY to have breakfast electrically. The toast pops up automatically when done just right. The bacon and eggs are cooked on the electric grill without smoke or grime. Even the percolator shuts itself off when the coffee is done to your taste. « » See these new breakfast appliances at your dealer or visit our showroom. They can all be bought on easy convenient terms . . . and best of all, low cost electricity makes their cost of operation extremely low. » Northern States Power Company

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Let us drain your crankcase and refill it with with the proper oil for your car at this season. We have oils and grease suitable for all makes of cars.

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Try our green gas. You will note more pickup and speed than with ordinary gas, and you will note absence of carbon.

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St. Hilaire. Minnesota

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Easter program by the young people Sunday evening at 8:00.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahl, Pastor.

Easter Sunday
Services as follows:-
Clearwater, 6:00 a. m. American
St. Hilaire, 11:00 a. m. American
St. Pauli, 2:00 p. m. Norwegian
St. Hilaire Luth. Sunday school and Junior Choir will render a program at 8:00 p. m. Easter Day evening.

Confirmants meet at the church Saturday morning, April 19th, at 10:15.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services Good Friday in Black River church at 10:30 A. M.

Services next Sunday morning at 10:30 in local church with Sunday school following.

Easter program by children at Clara church at 3:00 P. M.

Pulling Power of Horses

Larga horses are better than small ones for pulling heavy loads, tests at tha Illinois agricultural experiment station have disclosed, anthongh many horse owners have insisted that a "good littla team" will outpnil a hig one, says Popular Mechanics Magazine. Trials were made with 144 different teams, and accurate measurements of their performance taken with a dynamometer. It was also found that a good disposition was an important factor in tha animals' success as pullers, and skillful driving was shown to be as necessary as good horses.

The Monkey

With fierce unrest the monkey fights
To shake his forest fetters
That he may spend his days and nights
Aping his well-known hetters.

Remaining on Earth

"Are yon going to take np aviation?"

"No," answered Miss Cayenne. "I know a girl pilot who took her favorite suitor up for a sky ride. She scared him so that he is still afraid to propose."—Washington Star.

Lobby Liberality

"That iohhyist seemed very generona," said Senator Sorghum.

"In what way?"

"He aaya he wants to conduct a campaign of education and provide a liheral fund for tuition fees and prize awards."—Washington Star.

Favorite Efforts

"What do yon regard as tha best speech yon ever made?"

"I haven't any preference," answered Senator Sorghum, "bnt the ones that afforded me most satisfaction were my various apeeches of acceptance."—Washington Star.

An Impression Corrected

"Did the andience weep while I was singing?" asked the temperamental soprano.

"No," replied the music director, "yon were making that noise all by yourself."—Washington Star.

The Brute

Mrs. Tonsils—I'va just been singing baby to sleep. He always goes to sleep as soon as I hegin to sing.

Her Husband—Happy kid, ha does not have to listen to it.

ROUND THE WORLD

He (compiainingly)—Yon just keep me going round with you all the time.

She—Didn't you say I was all the world to you?

Your Spring Shoes

When in need of shoes, look over our line. We carry Peters, Hunkidori, Chippewa, Red Wing cord sole, and a few Wolverine horsehide soles. Also have men's and boy's canvass shoes. We list only a few of our many numbers:-

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Buy our shoes, you will get a dollar's worth of real merchandise for every dollar spent.

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MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Litchfield—S. E. Tift has been renamed suparintendent of schools in Litchfield.

Montevideo—Henry Graoe, 61 years old, was killed by a train while walking on the tracks.

Fairmont—Bids for street paving were opened and contracts awarded hy the city conncil here.

Litchfield—Ray Wheeler of Litchfield is the new presidant of the Meeker County Poultry Association.

Hastings—W. E. Beerse of Hastings filed as a candidate for representative in the state legislature from here.

Mankato—A special grand jury will meet here April 14 to investigate the death of James Cuddy, who was found dead.

Faribault—Frank Kiekenapp, dictator, and other officers of the local chapter of the Loyal Order of Moose have heen re-elected.

Blooming Prairie—G. S. Thorson, local attorney, was elected president of the Blooming Prairie Commercial Clnh at its annual meeting.

Brainerd—A two-story farm home and its contents, owned hy Cal Newman, six miles sonth of here, was destroyed hy fire. Loss is $2,500.

Austin—The village of Elkton, which claims to he the first community to finish the 1930 census in Minnesota, lost 11 inhehitants since the last censns.

Owatonna—T. J. Stransky hecame senior counsellor of the Owatonns council, United Commercial Travelers, as the result of the council's annual election.

St. James—A corporation has heen formed hy memhers of tha Watonwan Connty Clnh for the purpose of purchasing the land upon which the course is located.

Winona—A teaching career of 52 yeers has heen hronght to a close here with the deeth of Alhambra G. Deming, principal of the Washington grade school here.

Sleepy Eye—A hog cholera vaccination school opened here under the snpervision of Dr. W. A. Billings of the agricultural extension division, University of Minnesota.

Litchfield—Inar Hillman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hillman of this city, has been appointed to the naval academy at Annepolis. He is a graduate of the locel high school.

Duluth—Delores Dowding, 5, was kilied instantiy here when an automohile struck her after she is helieved to have heen thrown into the car's path hy anothar hit-and-run antomohile.

Menketo—Five Minnesota cities were represented hy Hi-Y officers at a training conference here. Towns represented incinded Fairmont, Alhart Lea, St. Jemes, Worthington and Mankato.

St. Cloud—With construction of two new educationel structures under way here, St. Clond Technical high school and State Teachers College will have modern facilities in staging athletio events.

Albert Lea—Rev. A. W. Warren, pastor of the Danish Beptist church of Clark's Grove, naer here, end well-known in state and oational affairs of that denomination, died following an attack of appandicitis.

Rochester—Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Mayo have announced engagement of their danghter, Esther to, Dr. John Hertzell of Rochester, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hartzell of Minneapolis. The merriege will take place in Saptember.

St. Paul—Pleas to seve tha forests from destruction hy fire will he made from pnlpits in chnrches in all parts of the state, Sunday, April 20, announces Alfred L. Nelson, chairman of the executive committee in charge of the Minnesota Forest Fire Prevention Campaign, April 14 to 26. Special sermons stressing the importance of fire prevention and forest conservation will he mede by the clergy, who are co-operating in the educetionel campaign heing sponsored hy more than 30 state-wide organizations.

St. Paul—Henry J. Lund of St. Paul, former Twin city newspaper man, was appointed pohlicity director of the Minnesota State Fair hy the Board of Governors at their lest meeting, Raymond A. Lee, secretary annonnced today. Mr. Lund, who has heen assistant puhlicity director for the past ten years, succeeds Ray P. Speer, of Minneepolis, who has heen head of the department for the past 17 years. Mr. Speer's meny husiness activities will not permit him to devote his entire time to the fair, hnt he has egreed to return and assist with the campaign the month preceding the opening of the fair, the dates for this year's exposition heing Angust 30 to Septemher 6. Charles Lewis of Farmington, president of the Minnesota Federation of County Fairs, was named snperintendent of the poultry department for the coming fair. The fair hoard is ohtaining figures on the cost of installing its own electric light plant, and a report will he made at the May meeting of the board.

Hastings—Robert L. Lovejoy of Hastings has filed for the Dakota county commissionership from the first district.

Owatonna—The rural school exhibit condncted annually in Steele county will he shown here April 25 and 26. Miss Helen Christianson is county superintendent.

Stillwater—Accepting the offer of the Bethlehem Lntheran church of Minneapolis to meet there in 1931, the Lntheran Minnesota conference of the Augustana synod concinded the business sessions of its seventy-second annual convention here.

FOR SALE, etc.

For Rent or Sale:-The northwest quarter and southeast quarter, of Sec. 17 in Black River township. Good buildings and desirable location.
If interested, call on or write to
Fred D. Lorentson,
M20tf Thief River Falls, Minn.

For Sale:-A few Mammoth Bronze turkey toms at $4.00 each. Address
John P. Peterson,
A17-24 Wylie, Minn.

Fence Posts For Sale:- Several hundred white cedar fence posts for sale at the A. P. Hegstrom farm in Bray township. Call at the farm.
John Stomberg,
A17-M8p R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

Wanted

Want to hear from owner who has for sale a 16 inch prairie breaker hottom for Deere sulky plow.
Aug. N. K. Anderson,
A17tf R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

Spring Rye:- Have for sale 700 bushels of spring rye suitable for seed. Call on.
C. H. Swenson
A10-17 R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

For Sale:- A quantity of hay in stack.
A. V. Jacobson,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Herses and Trede-Ins

The livery stehla husiness might still be thriving if some smart person hed conceived the idea of trading in the old horse on a new one.—Dayton Daily News.

Reman Dictaters

In ancient Rome a dictator was a chief magistrate, with supreme aothority, appointed hy the senats for a term of about six mooths.

Fameus Waterway

Tha James river is abont 450 miles in length and is navigabla from Chesapeaks hay np to Richmond, Va., a distance of aboot 150 miles.

Happiness and Sorrow

Ths wide domain of happiness has never heen mapped, bnt sorrow has heen snrveyed and known in every part.—Elbert Hnhbard.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northero Wheat	$ .88
Doram Wheat	.79
Rye	.52
Barley	.38
Oats	.30
Flax	2.64
Eggs, cash	.20
Creamery hntter	.42

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Tuberculin Testing

Bleck and Blue Spots

Those black and hloe spots we sometimes find on various parts of the hody are hruises. They are the most commoo of all iojories. Sometimes we find them and wonder how we got them. Bruises result when we receive a fall or are struck hy a hlnnt instrumeot that doesn't hreak the skin. If the injury is slight no treatment is necessary, hnt cold compresses will help. In severe hruises apply the cold compresses, elevate the injured part to diminish the pain, then apply witch-hazel or some other soothing lotion. Be sure it is only s hruise and that no bones are hroken.—Exchange.

Fameus Fishing Grounds

The Grand hank is a suhmarine plateao in the North Atlantic ocean, extending eastward from Newfoundland. It is ooted for its fishing grounds. Its depth is from 30 to 60 fathoms.

Grand Canyon Divisions

The Grand canyon is more than 200 miles in length, divided into four divisions known as the Kaibah section, the Kanab section, the Uinkaret section and the Sheavwits section.

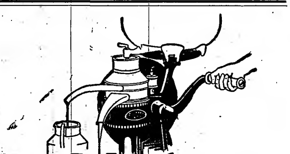
Safe Bet

We never have seen a hald-headed woman, hut we're willing to wager that if there is such a thing, tha hald spot does not shine like the dome on a man.—Shelbina Democrat.

To The Voters:

Having filed for re-election for the office of Sheriff of Pennington County, at the primaries June 16, 1930, your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.

O. L. Ihle,
Pol. Adv. Thief River Falls, Minn.



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THE color is not a guide to body—all grades of Texaco—from light to super heavy—are the same clean, clear, golden color. But that color does prove *purity*. You *know* that all tars and gummy residues have been removed. And that means a "clean" engine, free from knocks and unnecessary wear.

Unappreciated

An Atchison man lost his job because he specialized in playing golf; another man lost his job because he likes to attend funerals.—Atchison Globe.

Is in a Majority

Let no man be sorry he has done good because others with him have done evil. If a man has acted right, he has done well, though alone.—Fielding.

Wyandotte News

Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Pederson and son Orrin visited at Ole Hanson home Sunday evening.

Miss Mollie Evenson spent Sunday afternoon at Ed. Evenson.

Two schools took part at play Day at Dist. 148, each school winning as follows: Dist. 125 won 1st in Kitten ball, 100 yd dash, chinning, high jump, pole vaulting, standing and broad jump. Dist. 148, won 1st in kriscross goal and 50 yd dash and Dist. 6, having only three representatives had little chance of winning.

Marie and Carl Kolseth and Selma and Goodwin Wilson visited Friday evening at the N. Berg home.

Those who came home to spend Easter vacation with their parents here are: Harriet Bruggeman, Alice Carlson, Mollie Evenson, Marie Kolseth, Laura Schach and Selma Wilson.

Services held in Clearwater church Sunday were well attended. The ladies served lunch after the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Peterson visited at the John Peterson home Saturday evening.

Ella, Frances and Orlando Cousin visited at the Nels Berg home Friday evening. On their return home they were accompanied hy Lillian Berg who will visit with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Nelson visited at the Ray Rockwell home Saturday afternoon.

Inexperienced

Georgie, a wee citizen of tha North side, had committed a forbidden act and was being reprimanded by his father.

"Georgie, I told yoo I'd spank you if you did that, didn't I?" asked his father.

"Yes," Georgie replied, a little forlornly.

"Well, what shall I do with you?" asked his father, exasperated.

"How do yoo think I know?" came tha reply, "I've never been a father."—Indianapolis News.

Painful Surgery

Surgical operations were performed by the ancients. Among such operations were trephining, or fracture of the skull, and the crushing and extraction of stones in the bladder. Of course, these were all operations performed without anesthesia.

Bray News

Mrs. Henry Lindbloom and Annie Lindhloom spent Tuesday afternoon visiting at the home of Miss Hildah Akerlund.

Mrs. Harry Hawkinson called on Mrs. N Schalz, Tuesday.

S. N. Olson was a Tuesday evening caller at G A Lindquists.

Mr. and Mrs John Scholin were in Warren on Tuesday to seek medical attention for their son, Burton.

Walter Olson called at the S. N. Olson, home Friday

Mrs. Henry Lindbloom and Mrs. Annie Lindbloom transacted business in Warren Thursday

Carl Mosheck is being employed at the home of John O. Swarson.

Tom Larson and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Person and family visited at the Emil Larson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs Philip Hawkins of Thief River Falls, were Sunday evening callers at the E. Larson home.

Miss Lillian Larson called on Mrs. John O. Swanson Monday.

Glenn Lindquist called at J. A. Anderson Sunday evening.

Quiet a number from here attended a party at the Sons of Norway hall at Thief River last Wednesday. All enjoyed a very nice time.

My Favorite Stories
by Irvin S. Cobb

Both Sides of the Proposition

DOWN in the Black Patch along the lina between west Kentucky and west Tennessee where the heavy dark tobeccos are grown, a prominent planter grew dissetisfied with the marketing errangements. It seemed to him he was not getting a feir deal from some of tbe lerge European buyers and from the American shippers who ected es the middlemen. He decided to make e privete inquiry as to conditions.

For his emissary in this matter he chose his overseer or crop-maneger. The latter was an expert in making the earth yield of its honnty and regarding tbe cnring and pecking of the weed he had no superior in the Sonth. But he had never been farther away from home thon Louisville and hed never seen e lerger city than Lonisville. Trusting, however, to the man's native shrewdness the planter pnt him on the train with instructioos to go to New York, condnct e personal investigation and report hack by telegraph.

Upon his errivel the visitor went direct to one of the larger docks on the North river where several ships were being loeded with the prodnct of the Black Patch for shipment ahroad. Next he visited a warehonse where tobecco for domestic consnmption was stored and immedietely sent his principol this telegram:

"Better sell this year's crop for any price yon cen get. I've done seen more tohacco elready than the whole world can use in the next twelve months."

After this he took a stroll optown. When he reached Broadway aod Fortieth street he hnnted np another telegraph office and wired his employer as follows:

"Disregard first message. Hold all the tohecco yon've got. There's enongh folks in this town alone to chaw it all np inside of the next twenty-four honrs."

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Little Changed by Time

The dividing line of the French and Flemish languages in Belginm has hardly changed a mile in 1,000 years. One town, Enghien, in the province of Hainaot, is entirely hilingual.

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Play Day Next Saturday

Regional play days for the rural schools of this county will take place Saturday, April, 26. The county has been divided in two sections, east and west. The former will gather at Goodridge, and the latter will have their meeting at the school here. Pupils from River Falls, Polk Center, Wyandotte, Sanders, Rocksbury, Bray, Smiley, North, Numedal, Black River and Norden will compete at the local gathering for opportunity to represent their respective districts at the county meet which will be held later.

Fire At Engelstads

A. granary and machine shed on the Engelstad farm in Rocksbury burned to the ground Tuesday night in a fire of unknown origin. With assistance from Thief River, the stock barn and other buildings were saved.

Arneson A Candidate

James S. Arneson, a former resident of this county during which time he published the Tribune at Thief River Falls, was a caller here Monday. Mr. Arneson, who now resides at Minneapolis, is a candidate for the nomination of Clerk of the Supreme Court at the primary election June 16th, and is making a trip thru this part of the state in interest of his candidacy. "Jim is by no means a stranger to state office as he was Immigration Commissioner of Minnesota under Governors Burnquist and Preus. He would be pleased to be remembered at the coming election by his many friends in this county where he and family resided many years.

Rev. A. Bloom, of Thief River Falls, has been secured to give the annual Baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the high school here, May 25th.

An eclipse of the sun, which will be nearly total, will be visable in this section Monday, April 28th.

"G & J Tires cost me less per tire mile than any tire I've every used" writes a customer. You'll enjoy the same experience with G & J's. And remember, the tube is free. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

The Honor Roll

Following is a list of students in the different classes of the local high school who attained the highest scholastic standings in their respective classes during the past six weeks period;

Freshman, Alvin Naplin, Evelyn Thyren, Ivanette Thyren.

Sophomores, Alton Almquist, Margaret Jepson, Russel McKercher, Ronald Nelson.

Juniors, Vera Almquist, Valarie Olsen, Alice Skottem.

Seniors, Doris Anderson, Klemens, Gigstad, Edgar Naplin, Lewis Norman.

From Wisconsin

Nels A. Carlson of Kaukauna, Wis, came up last week for a visit with his family at their home, the former J. J. Johnson place in River Falls. Mr. Carlson who is employed at construction work in Wisconsin, had not seen the farm which he bought, until now. He returned Monday to Wisconsin to spend the summer, and will be back next fall to make his home here.

Beautiful Easter Services

Beautiful and impressive Easter services were held in all local churches last Sunday. A children's program was given the same evening in both the Evang. Mission and Norwegian Lutheran churches. At the latter, main feature of the program was the song service by the Junior Choir of over thirty voices. The youngsters had been carefully drilled, and all took their parts exceptionally well. The Junior Choir is an organization with much future promise, and should be given every encouragement.

Golf, baseball, fishing and tennis—Nationally known sporting goods—Shakespeare, Wilson, South Bend, Winchester at all Gamble Stores. Complete tackle box 98c.

Mrs. Blanche Connor and Gabrielle de Cathelineau are back at their home at Willmar for a vacation after spending the winter in Wyoming, Colorado and Nebraska travelling in interest of a publishing company.

Try a want adv.

Uncle Sam Starts Taking Inventory

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Miss Ruth Lee, local high school teacher, returned Sunday after spending Easter vacation with her parents near Broadhed, Wis.

After spending Easter vacation, at home Helga Vik returned Monday to her studies at the State Teachers College at Moorhead,

Donna Brink, who was operated upon a short time ago at the hospital at Warren, was so much improved that she was able to return home Sunday.

Evelyn Maakrud, who attends the State Teachers college at Bemidji, was home last week to spend her Easter vacation.

Miss Marie Vik left Saturday over the Soo for Minneapolis to enter Abbot Hospital for treatment of a knee that has caused her trouble since last fall.

Miss Huldah Gigstad left Saturday to resume her school work at Moorhead after having spent Easter vacation at home.

Miss Blanche Hoff returned Friday to her work as teacher in the public schools at Minneapolis after having spent Easter at her home here.

Anton Jensen, of Kratka, candidate for Sheriff of Pennington county, was in this vicinity Thursday, Friday and Saturday interviewing the voters.

Members of the local teaching staff returned Monday after having spent Easter at their respective homes, and school re-opened Tuesday morning.

Some much needed gravel was spread in low spots in the streets and at crossings last week by the village authorities. The gravel was taken from the hundred yard stock pile hauled in late last fall.

Laurier Westphal was operated upon Saturday at the hospital at Thief River after suffering an attack of appendicitis. He withstood the operation well, and is rapidly regaining his strength.

While watching a stalled truck on the street last Thursday Raymond, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Larson, stepped out into the street and was knocked down by a car driven by Ed Durbin. Aside from a shakingup, the little lad was not injured.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hauge and family were over last week-end from Fosston for a visit at the Paul Roy home and other relatives.

Louis Westphal recently moved from the Baker farm which he had occupied since last fall to the former Buck farm.

Owing to other matters claiming attention of board members, regular monthly meeting of the creamery board was held yesterday instead of Monday.

Mrs. Harold Holmes and son, Billy, returned home last week after having spent since last fall with relatives at Portland, Oregon.

After spending a few days at home of his sister, Mrs. Lawrence Wilson at Warren, Oscar Kolstad left this week for Duluth where he expects to find employment for the summer.

Ladies Aid of the Nor. Luth. church will meet at the church parlors April 25th. Mesdames P. Simonson and J. Folstad entertain.

Mrs. J. A. Estlund and Mrs. Selmer Hanson of Kennedy, and Mrs. Royden Belcher and son Roy and daughter Fay of Thief River Falls were guests at the Richard Larson home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Giese and family of East Grand Forks, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hauge and family of Bagley were here last Sunday for a visit at the H. O. and M. H. Jackson homes.

Mrs. Sam Thompson, who was operated upon last week at the hospital at Thief River, is progressing nicely and expects to be home latter part of this week or first of next.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Johnson motored here Saturday from their home at Glenfield, N. D., for a visit at home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Allen, and with his mother, Mrs. Martin Bjerk. They returned home Monday.

Mrs. L. de Cathelineau and daughter, Marie, came Saturday from Willmar for a visit at home of her brother, Ed Flamme. Mrs. Cathelineau will spend two or three weeks here looking after her property and other affairs before returning home to Willmar.

Will Hear Dramatic Debate

"Can the Law be enforced?", a vivid, dramatic argument on the merits and methods of prohibition, between an officer and a citizen, will take place at the Norwegian Lutheran church Tuesday evening, April 29, at 8:00.

"It is a new, interesting way of presenting a great array of valuable facts", says Bishop Thomas Nicholson.

Many similar comments are heard from all sections where this debate has been held. Admission is free, and all citizens of this community are invited to hear this pleasant and profitable entertainment.

P. T. A. Parties Friday

Next of the series of parties sponsered by the P. T. A. for pupils of the high school, will take place Friday evening this week. Places where parties will be held, together with name of teacher who will be in charge, are as follows:

Seniors,	Frazier	O. C. Johnson
Juniors,	Hovie	E. O. Burkee
Sophomores,	Launa	E. Sundholm
Freshmen,	Lee	O. Gunstad

Helgo—Espeland

Friends and relatives here have received word of the marriage of Miss Julia Helgo of Halstad, to Mr. S. T. Espeland of Moscow, Idaho, the ceremony having taken place at Moscow last month. The groom was manager of the local yard of the Central Lumber Company until he removed to Moscow last fall. The bride was employed here about a year ago. Local friends join in extending congratulations and best wishes.

Three persons were killed and two seriously injured in two automobile accidents which occured Tuesday near Crookston.

Light flurries of snow fell in this locality Sunday night and Monday morning this week. Prior to the snow flurries, a good shower of rain fell which will be of much benefit to pastures.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 84, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Seeding Under Way

Seeding of small grain is well under way thruout this community, some having been done as early as ten days ago. Heavy frost and rain first of this week caused some little delay, but seeding is now general again.

Candidates File

County Attorney H. O. Berve filed this week as a candidate for re-election. Carl G. Olson, R. M. Johnson and Anton Peterson all filed as candidates for county Commissioner in the 5th District which is now represented by Isaac Wilson.

The Hunt Brothers Company recently received a carload of fence wire of different kinds, nails, and steel fence posts which they are distributing at exceptionally low price.

25 Years Ago

Misses Josephine Gigstad and Mary Hoff, who had spent the winter attending school at Grand Forks returned home.

—XXV—

Mrs. W. A. Arthur and children moved out to their Reservation claim that week.

—XXV—

Lewis Adams was over from Grand Forks attending to business matters and visiting his brother, Herm Adams.

—XXV—

Norman Shannon, well known citizen of this village, and a Civil War veteran, committed suicide by hanging. Lack of employment, debts, and a chronic illness was given as cause for the rash act.

—XXV—

Holmes Bros were erecting a large machinery warehouse on the railroad property west of their store.

—XXV—

A state agricultural high school was to be established that year at the Northwest experiment station at Crookston.

—XXV—

A 12 c. m. Canet gun and mount, a part of the battery of the Spanish gunboat "Manila", captured at the battle of Manila, May 1, 1898, was received at Crookston to be placed at the county court house grounds.

Seed Barley:- Have a quanity of good Canadian seed barley for sale. Inquire of Paul Thyren.... Route 1, Ap-17-24 Hazel, Minn.

Your Opportunity and Ours

It has always been our aim to give first consideration to home interests. In every possible way, it is our desire to further the prosperity of this section and the welfare of our depositors.

You can assist this program by doing your banking here, influencing your friends to do the same, and by talking favorably of your community to strangers.

Prosperity is not a matter of chance. It comes as result of efforts we put forth to benefit each other.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Boost It Along

This creamery did not just grow here of its own accord. Those who organized it, gave freely of their time and money, and helped it along with liberal patronage to bring it up to its present state. If you are a cream producer, and are not a shareholder, buy a share or two in this community enterprise.

United effort by all cream producers in this territory, will make the creamery the largest and best in this section. Do your bit.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

ED ENGH

St. Hilaire, - - - - Minnesota

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Hazel News

The following were dinner guests at the Louie Lokken home Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson and children, Mr. and Mrs. A. Toratvlet and children, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Widme and son Tollon, Mrs. M. Torstvlet and sons Joseph, Melvin and Olaf and daughters Anna and Minnie.

Bray News

Miss Hazel Krause and Mrs. Anna Lindbloom, Carl and Lucille visited Monday evening at M. Truland.

Mrs. Melvin Wood shopped in Thief River on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John O Swanson and family visited Sunday at the John Scholin home.

Miss Mabel Lindblom who has been employed at the Henry Melin home is at the present staying at home.

Seeding is in full swing in this neighborhood.

Miss Hazel Krause spent the week-end at her home in Thief River.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindbloom and family visited at the Charlie Holm home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sandberg and son Bobbie of Holt and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson and family were Easter guests at the Carl Person home in St. Hilaire.

Lulu Hegstrom, Fern Hawkinson, Alice Lindquist and Helen Olson spent Easter vacation at their homes.

A large crowd was in attendance at Play Day in Dist 180 on Thursday altho the weather was cold.

Hazel News

The Little Literary Society of the Busy Bee school gave an Easter program Thursday afternoon. About thirty guests were present both from Hazel and St. Hilaire. The program committee consisted of Arlene Knutson and Myrtle Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Roese Anna and Frank Peterson and Lily Gunstad were Friday evening callers at the Henry Sandberg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Johnson and family and Vera Almquist were Sunday dinner guests at the Brink home in Grand Forks.

Andrew Widme left for Grafton N. D. to continue his work.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Prestby and family were Wednesday afternoon callers at the C. Prestby home in honor of Phyllis' birthday.

Mr. and Mrs Ordean Olson and son Ardell and daughter Lucille, of St Hilaire were Tuesday evening callers at the Ole Odegaard home.

Mr. and Mrs C. A. Roese and children and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandberg were Sunday dinner guests at the Anton Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Logreen of Devila Lake visited at the Ed Knutson home Tuesday.

A surprise party was held at the Stene home in honor of the thirteenth birthday of their daughter Thelma, those present being, Mr. and Mrs. Weebbee and family, Mr. and Mrs Ole Torkelson, Thelma and Anton Torkelson, Mr. and Mrs. Aufin Torkelson and children, Hans Lokken, C Oien and daughters, Mrs. M. Lokken and daughters, Gust Gustafson, Carl Olson and Mr. and Mrs. C Alberg and children. A suitable gift was presented to Thelma at the close of the evening.

Mrs. Floyd Sumpter and son Robert were Sunday afternoon callers at the C. Prestby home.

Mrs. Ole Odegaard and sons, Rueben, Morris, and Oscar, Phoebe Anderson and Mrs. C. Prestby were Friday afternoon callers at Thief River.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and family called at the Eli Peterson home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Peterson and son Curtis, Nellie, Hazel, Myrtle, Evelyn and Pearl Nelson were Saturday evening callers at the B. T. Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and family called at the Albert Priebe home in Plummer Saturday.

This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

Leprosy Conquered
Eat Vitamin D
To Europe for $6, Maybe
Women May Preach

Doctor Dostal, bacteriologist of Vienna, isolates leprosy germs and produces an effective serum.

Once that would have comforted, millions of people and those living in fear of leprosy.

It means little today.

Leprosy is one of many "filth" diseases, dying out as civilization and soep distributiou progress. Cleaning up a stagnant poud will free a neighborhood of malaria.

Cleaning np the world's filth spots would free the earth of many diseases.

If nations that recently spent hundreds of billions killing each other would spend a few billions to rid the earth of mosquitoes, flies, rats and mice, the worst diseases would vanish.

Doctor Price, scientist of Cleveland, says vitamin D prevents diseases called "degenerative," such as cancer, beart disease, infinenza and pneumoule.

Dairy farmers will be interested to hear that Doctor Price recommends spring bntter from the milk of cows grazing in the sunshine. This vitamin D be calls the "sunshine vitamin." Cows get the vitamin, stored np by the sun, in spring grass, and return it in their milk.

Here is real flying news, important to all interested in moving ebout the earth.

Henry Ford has perfected an all-metal airplane driven by three Packard Diesel motors, burning crude oil. Tbe machine is expected to carry eleven passengers oue hundred miles at a fuel cost of $2.16. This means that the fuel cost of taking eleven passengers scross the continent or across the ocean would be $64.80, less than $6 each. There is no cost for right of way, little for terminals and for wear and tear.

What is more important, in Ford's opinion, is the fact that fire hazards, explosions, carburetor adjustments, electric ignition, all dangerous elements in flying, are eliminated.

"The pilot sits in front of an instrument boerd like thet of an antomobile and talks over a radiophoue without interference from the motors."

Concerning flying, it is epparently true that "We heven't seen anything yet."

The presbytery of New York voted the other dey, 51 to 29, admitting women to Presbyterian pulpits. Reverend ledies will now proceed to prove thst Samnel Johnsou was wrong wben he said e woman preaching was like a dog standing on its hind legs. It is not that she does it well, but you wonder tbet sha does it et all.

Good preaching depends on sincerity, and thet is woman's specialty.

Russia laments its "best poet," Vladimir Mayakovsky, who killed himself recently, leaving his brain to tbe "Soviet Institute of Brains." It was dissected, studied, fouud to weigh 1,700 grams and pnt away with the brains of Lenin and others.

It was a big brain, heavier by 400 grams than the everage, bnt not wise enongb to keep the poet from killing himself.

The poet's farewell letter reqnests the "comrade government" to take care of his mother and sister, also "Leila Brik and Veronika Polonskaya."

The last two ladies both loved him, et least be thonght so, and be killed himself because be couldn't decide which of the two be liked better.

All poets are more or less qneer. Russian poets probably the qneerest.

After Germany launched the great steamship Bremen, it was said that British and Americans could not afford a 50,000-ton ship. It would cost more to build and run that it could earn. But launching of the German supership Europe bas stirred up the old Cunard line and it will build two passenger shipa of 70,000 tous each, faster than any passenger ship on the ocean.

The first one will be ready in 1933.

The British do not mean to lose control of ocean traffic.

Mr. Mitchell, attorney general, warns the senate judiciary committee that "further stimulsting activities of prosecution under any law will get us into difficulties." He told the committee that in the last nine mouths the number of federal prisoners has increased by 6,277.

It will comfort bootleggers and their associates to know that if more of them are locked up the government will hardly know what to do with them.

Lack of employment is said to be increasing throughout the world. You are surprised to find that Russia, with a bigger population than ours, making social experiments expected by capitalism to end disastrously, has fewer unemployed than we have, by far. The richest, most prosperous and, industrially, the most highly developed nation should be able to keep its men at work.

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Order Limiting Time to File Claims Within Three Months, And for Hearing Thereon.

Estate of Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the matter of the Estate of Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to F. D. Peet and it appearing by the affidavit of said representative that there are no debts of said decedent;

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday the 18th day of July, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator as provided by law.

Dated April 16th, 1930.

(Probate Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

A17-M1

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening Service at 8:00.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle. Pastor

Sunday, April 27, services as follows:

Communion services in Clearwater Luth. at 11:00 A. M., Norwegian language.

Services in Ebenezer Luth. at 2:30 Norwegian.

Sunday school at 10:00 A. M. in St. Hilaire. All welcome.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday at 10:00 in Black River church with Sunday school following.

Sunday school in local church at 2:00, and services at 3:00 p. m.

In Appreciation

We bereby express our sincere appreciation for the generous offerings at the Easter services. It is our desire that our services shall be of spiritual value to the community which we bave learned to love.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle
and family

In Memoriam

In loving memory of our dearly beloved wife and mother, Thilda, who passed away April 30, 1928

"Time speeds on, two years have passed
Since Death its gloom, its shadows cast
Within our home, where all seemed bright
And took from us a shining light.
We miss that ligbt, and ever will
Her vacant place there's none to fill.
Down bere we mourn, but not in vain
For up Above we will meet again."

Sadly missed by us all
Pete Burstad and children.

Not a Total Loss

"Science says 20 per cent of the people are mentally deficient or defective." But they bave their uses: Somebody will refer to them as "my public."—Detroit News.

End of War

War will end automatically when the umpire's decision against the home team seems as just as his decisions against the other side.—Rochester Times-Union.

DINE WITH US

Whether it be a lunch, a meal, or a Sunday dinner for the family, you will always get it with smiling service, at the Blue Parrot Inn.

We also carry a line of cigars, tobaccos candies, soft drinks and ice cream for convenience of our customers.

Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

Blue Parrot Inn.

St. Hilaire. Minn.

Statement of the condition of

Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire, Minn.

at close of business on April 14th, 1930.

Bank No. 447

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$73,611.48
Overdrafts	None
Securities, Bonds, etc.	65,987.92
Banking House Furniture and fixtures	7,800.00
Other Real Estate owned	5,100.00
Cash on hand and due from Banks	36,118.99
Cash Items	44.02
TOTAL	$188,662.41

LIABILITIES

Capital	10,000.00
Surplus	3,000.00
Undivided Profits (net)	126.08
Savings Deposits	14,631.94
Time Certificates	95,802.71
Deposits subject to check	65,101.68
TOTAL	$188,662.41

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. ss

We, J. W. Black, President and Fred Biskey, Ass't Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to our knowledge and belief.

J. W. Black, President
Fred Biskey, Ass't Casbier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of April 1930.

Verner Nelson

(Seal) Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission expires Dec. 15th 1936.

Correct Attest (Two) Directors: E. O. Burkee, Theo. M. Thronson

State of Minnesota } ss.
County of Hennepin }

On this 22nd day of Apr. A. D. 1930, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County, personally appeared J. W. Black to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

E. G. Austin
(Seal) Notary Public, Hennepin Co, Minn.
My commission expires Dec. 3, 1932

Tax Judgement Sale

Pursuant to a real estate tax judgment of the District Court of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, entered the 19th day of March 1930, in proceedings for enforcing payment of taxes and penalties upon real estate in the County of Pennington remaining delinquent on the first Monday in January 1930, and of the statutes in such case made and provided, I shall on Monday the 12th day of May 1930, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., at the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls and County of Pennington, sell the lands which are charged with taxes, penalties, and costs in said judgment, and on which taxes shall not bave been previously paid.

(Seal) H. L. Fowler
Auditor, Pennington County, Minn.
Thief River Falls, Minn.
April 21st, 1930.
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French Settlers in Canada

The French Canadians are the descendants of French emigrants, who left their country betwen 1640 and 1680. After the latter date further emigration was forbidden by Louis XIV.

DANCE

Saturday, Apr. 26

HAZEL HALL
Hazel, Minn.

Music By

The Green Jackets

COME, and bring your friends. A good time assured.

Dr. Spofford

Optometrist

Will Be At:
Hotel Evelyn, Thief River Falls, Tuesday, April 29, afternoon only.

The Latest and Best of Everything for the Eyes

Do It Now

Look over your supply of printed matter such as envelopes, statements, letterheads, bill heads, cards or other forms you use daily.

Spring is "right around the corner", the time you need them Let us have your order for what you need.

St. Hilaire Spectator

Wyandotte News

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kolseth and Mrs John Albin spent Monday afternoon at the Orrin Noel home. Mrs. Noel is seriously ill, her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Nels Stalmoe and Gundi Gunerson called at the Peter Kolseth home Thursday evening.

Miss Marion Berg, of Fisher spent the Easter holidays with her mother Mrs. Thresia Berg. She returned to Fisher Monday where she is employed.

Hjlmer Finstad was a business caller at the O. E Wilson home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson and daughter Gertrude, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rochwell and family, Mr. and Mrs O. E Wilson and family and Mrs. John Albin visited at the Charly Samuelson home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Wilson, Harriet and Herbert Wilson Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jesperson and O. E Wilson visited at O. Noel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs O. E. Wilson and family attend the funeral of Mrs. Lee at Thief River Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pahlen visited at the H. L Bruggeman home Thursday evening.

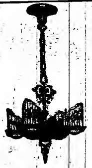
Mr. and Mrs. Alberg Fellman and daughter of Red Lake Falls visited Monday evening at the Charly Samuelson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nonen are the proud parents of a baby boy born April 14.

Misses Marion Berg and Hannah Haugen visited Sunday evening at the Martin Berg home.

Mrs. David Haugen will entertain the Ladies Aid at her home Thursday May 1.

Tom Sumpter was a business caller at the John Albin home Wednesday afternoon.



The EASY way to beautify your home

3RD STEP ELECTRICITY

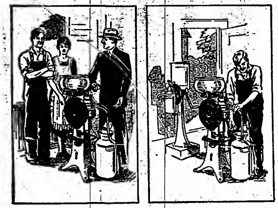
YOUR LOWEST PRICED DOMESTIC SERVANT

3rd Step ELECTRICITY means low cost electricity. It is the low Third Step of the residential electric rate which enables you to use any electric appliance at extremely low cost. Investigate and see if your home is on the Third Step Rate.

LIGHT, can do more to beautify your home than any other one thing at the same cost. The new vogue is to re-decorate with LIGHT! With properly controlled light the entire aspect of a room can be changed. Just press a button and a dull gloomy room is changed to a bright cheery one. New developments in the art of home lighting stress the fact that lighting is as much a part of interior decoration as wall paper or furniture. When you re-decorate a room or buy new furniture . . . don't forget the lighting. Don't let antiquated fixtures and glaring light clash with your new decorations. To help you re-decorate with light, we offer you the services of our Home Lighting Department. Use it, to inform yourself on what is new and modern in home lighting, when you beautify your home with light.

NORTHERN STATES POWER COMPANY

2 Easy Ways to Check Up on Your Present Separator



1. SKIM YOUR SKIMMILK WITH A De Laval

2. TRY A NEW De Laval FOR A WEEK

IS YOUR present separator skimming clean? If it isn't you are losing valuable butter-fat. There are two easy ways to satisfy yourself, and it won't cost you a cent to do so.

(1) Run the skimmilk from your old separator through a new De Laval. If your old machine is losing butter-fat, the new De Laval, with the wonderful "floating" bowl, will recover it. Have any such cream weighed and tested. Then you will know exactly what a new De Laval will do for you.

(2) Try a new De Laval for a week. Separate half your milk with it and half with your old separator. Keep the cream in separate cans and at the end of a week see which can will bring you the most in dollars and cents.

We will gladly provide a new De Laval for such a test. Call on or phone us.

Catlson Mercantile Company Inc.
O. C. Johnson, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

SOONER OR LATER YOU WILL USE A De Laval

Stock and Poultry Meals

We have on hand a big supply of Cottonseed meal, Oil meal, etc., for stock use.

And we have Bone meal, Meat scraps, Oyster shells and Limestone "Shellmaker" for poultry.

Don't forget to order a sack of Dakota Maid

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Far-Off Yet Near

Referring to the Andromeda nebula, a galaxy of stars so distant that 1,000,000 years are required for its light to come to us: "The astonishing fact," says Dr. Forest Ray Moulton, distinguished astronomer, "is not that these exterior galaxies are so far away, but that they are so near that their distances can be approximately measured."

A la Auto

An east side boy who thinks in terms of automobile picks out familiar tunes with one finger on the piano. After playing over and over the first line of "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," he called excitedly to his mother, "Oh, mother, I can play a lot louder when I put on one of the brakes."—Indianapolis News.

They Wield the Strap

No ancestors except their immediate ones seem to have an effect on the manners of children.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Test of Bigotry

The only persons who should refuse to hear the other side are those who know it all and those who don't want to learn.

"As Ye Sow"

A good deed is never lost; he who sows courtesy reaps friendship, and he who plants kindness gathers love.—Basil.

Success Suggestion

"Do what you like and like what you do afterward," says a correspondent in Farm and Fireside.

Mandt Oil Co.
M. Anderson, Mangr
St Hilaire, Minn.

THE clean, clear, golden color of *Texaco Motor Oil* is the result of complete refinement. You can depend on the color as a guide to purity. Drive up for a fill of *Texaco* and prove to yourself what a *Texaco* lubricated car can do.

TEXACO MOTOR OIL
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THE LANCASTER--No. 115

If the borrower dies or is totally disabled we present his family with mortgage paid in full.

This beautiful, modern home with all the latest improvements, can be purchased on installments as low as

$28.20 Per Month

By taking advantage of L. F. C. Easy Payment Plan, which is a part of the building service, we offer our customers.

THIS PRICE IS FOR THE HOME READY TO MOVE INTO

It includes lumber, storm sash, storm doors, millwork, screens, electric wiring (no fixtures), furnace, plumbing, paint, and all labor necessary to complete the home. (Furnishings not included.)

EASY MONTHLY PAYMENTS APPLY ON ANY NEW HOME YOU SELECT AND ALSO ON REMODELING THE OLD HOUSE.

Remember you are provided with the utmost in protection when you take advantage of L. F. C. Easy Payment Plan.

If the borrower dies, or is totally disabled, the balance of the loan is cancelled so far as his family is concerned, and they are given a satisfaction of the mortgage without the payment of another dollar.

In case of sickness or injury of more than 15 days' duration, the monthly installments are automatically paid for not more than 12 months.

What Better Investment Can You Make? What Better Protection Can You Provide Your Family?

Central Lumber Company

W. A. Peterson, Manager St. Hilaire. Minn.

CAN THE DRY LAW BE ENFORCED?

A dramatic debate on

THE WET AND DRY ISSUE

At St. Hilaire Nor. Luth. Church

Tuesday, April 29, 8:00 P. M.

Come and hear both sides of this important question debated by O. J Bagne, negative, and H. J. Yngve, affirmative.

Admission Free Everybody Welcome An Offering

No Heroes

The Plain Girl—Let's go out where it's deep and call for help; perhaps some hero would save us!

The Other One—Don't be silly—do you want to drown?

A Question

"Mr. Coldfact, I love your daughter more than words can express."

"Well, perhaps you can state it in figures."

As Good as Gone

Jack—I thought that you owned a dummy roadster?

Mac—I did, but I taught my wife how to run it.

It Sure Does

Guest—Say, I've waited half an hour for you.

Jolly Waiter—Well, it certainly is surprising how time flies.

Tip to the Weary

A big employer thinks his men work better if they have rest pauses at different periods of the day. Exhaustive and painful researches also show that in every group there are some who would rest better if they did some work first.—Detroit News.

Geographical Distances

The difference in the distance around the earth at the equator and the distance going around through the poles is 42 miles. The equatorial circumference of the earth is 24,896 miles; the meridional circumference 24,854 miles.

China in History

The history of China goes back at least 4,000 years. The Middle ages knew it as the Empire of Cathay, or the Land of the Ceres. The first European accounts of China are those given by Marco Polo, about 1260 A. D.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Dassel—S. N. Gaynor of Dassell has filed for state esnator from the twenty-sixth district.

Hastings—C. E. Tuttle of Hastings, register of deeds of Dakota county, filed for re-election.

Annandale—H. F. Betsinger of Deer River has been elected agricultural instructor at Annandale high school.

Cleveland—Burdette Beihn was elected president of the 4-H Boys and Girls club. A club constitution was adopted.

Hutchinson — Renben Froemming was elected trustee of the Acoma Evangelical church at the annual meeting.

Caledonia—W. R. Gaines of Brownsville was re-elected president of the Houston County Poultry association at the annual meeting here.

Hastings—Maurice O'Brien, county treasurer of Dakota county, has filed for reelection. Mr. O'Brien is the first to file for the office.

Prior Lake—Two young men, about 21 years old, held np the Hafferman restaurant here and escaped with $15 in cash, cigarets and cigars.

Annandale—Mayor W. F. Kunze of Minneapolis will deliver the commencement address to Annandale high school graduates this spring.

Medford—Rev. Olin Reigstad of Minnespolis will be principal speaker at annual commencement exercises of Medford high school this spring.

Caledonia—Attorney Arnold E. Hildahl of Caledonia is the first to file for pnblic office in Houston county. He seeks the office of county attorney.

Glenwood—Part of the business section was threatened by a fire which spread, fanned by a high wind, was stopped only by a row of brick buildings.

Taylors Falls—The first retest of tuberculin infected herds in Chisago county has been completed. A total of 452 herds were inspected. Only .07 per cent of reactors were found.

Northfield—Nels Minne, instructor of chemistry at St. Olaf College since 1926, has resigned and will enter the graduate school of the University of Wisconsin in September.

Spring Valley — Edmund Warren Thayer, former postmaster and veteran justice of the peace, died at the family residence here. He was 83 years old.

Brainerd—Farmers throughout Crow Wing county are engaged in seeding of spring oats, rye, barley, clover, alfalfa and timothy. Planting of corn, potatoes and flax will start early in May.

Blooming Prairie—Robert Upcraft is valedictorian of the Blooming Prairie high school garduating class, the first hoy to receive that honor here in a number of years. Miss Marcella Johnson is salutatorian.

Goodhue—The Goodhne County Trihune, weekly newspaper published here the last five years by L. E. Cook, will be taken over April 26 by Richard Amundson of Goodhne and Gerald R. Asfalg of Red Wing.

St. Paul—Charles E. Cummings, a former United States government alcohol gauger, and Harold Boehl, both of St. Paul, were sentenced to one hour in the custody of the United states marshal at Cleveland.

Owatonna—George W. Peachey of this city, former state senator for Steele county and for 20 years secretary of the Minnesota senate, filed as a candidate for Steele county's seat in the house of representatives.

Bemidji—Repeal of the eighteenth amendment to permit a liquor sales system similar to that in use in Canada was demanded in a resolution adopted unanimously by the Beltrami county Democratic convention here.

Glencoe—Glencoe will be host to a regional health and social welfare conference May 6. The conference will be sponsored by the general extension division of the university, the state conference of social work and the state board of control.

Northfield—Sale of the Baptist church, one of the oldest edifices in Northfield, has been voted by members of the church, who decided to accept the offer of the mission board of the Minnesota district of the German Evangelical Synod of Missouri.

Hutchinson—Miss Helen Barrett, junior high schol teacher, has resigned and will take a position in Washington. Mrs. Robert Blackburn will complete the term. She was principal of the Hutchinson grade school hefore resigning to accept a position at International Falls.

Minneapolis—The next show sponsored by the Minneapolis Boxing Club will be put on at the Municipal Auditorium Firday, April 25th. Dick Daniels, Minneapolis heavyweight, and Yale Okum of New York, will be featured in the main event scheduled for ten rounds. Okum holds two technical knockout decisions over Daniels. As an added attraction, Jack Dempsey, former heavyweight champion, will referee the main contest.

Northfield—Dr. Walter Silz, assistant professor of German at Harvard, has left Carleton, where he spent five weeks teaching a course on the romantic period in German literature. Dr. Silz was here as a Harvard exchange professor.

Pine Island—Commencement exercises of the Pine Island high school will be condncted May 29. Verona Deiter and Rhoda Peck, honor students of the class, will give the valedictory and salutatory addresses respectively. Oscar Hallam, former justice of the state Supreme Court, will give the principal address.

FOR SALE, etc.

For Sale: A few Mammoth Bronze turkey toms at $4.00 each. Address John P. Peterson, Wylie, Minn. A17-24

Fence Posts For Sale: Several hundred white cedar fence posts for sale at the A. P. Hegstrom farm in Bray township. Call at the farm. John Stomberg, St. Hilaire, Minn. A17-M8p R1

Wanted

Want to hear from owner who has for sale a 16 inch prairie breaker bottom for Deere sulky plow. Aug. N. K. Anderson, St. Hilaire, Minn. A17tf R1

Pigs For Sale: Have a number of small pigs for sale. Call or address K. T. Dalager, R1, Hazel, Minn. A24tf.

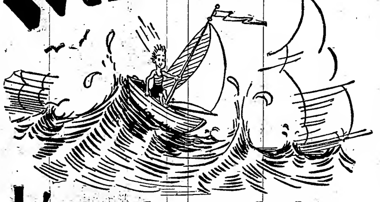
To The Voters:

Having filed for re-election for the office of Sheriff of Pennington County, at the primaries June 16, 1930, your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.

O. L. Ihle,

Pol. Adv. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Water!



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Creamery butter	.43

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River News

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seeger of Red Lake Falls called at the Fred Erdmann home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Burstad called at the Geo. Hesse home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hesse were Thief River business callers Tuesday

Rev. C. B. Dalberg spent Thursday afternoon at the Gust Larson home.

Miss Kamilla Fosmark, student at Concordia College, spent Easter vacation with her friend, Miss Helena Erdmann.

The Garvis Club, held at the Wm Hesse home, was well attended Thursday afternoon.

E. A. Seeger and family spent Friday afternoon at the Fred Ulrich home.

Mr. H. Starken was a Red Lake Falls business caller Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seeger, Mr and Mrs. Fred Seeger and family and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Seeger and family of Red Lake Falls, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Seeger and family, of Oklee and Mr. E. D. Rydeen and daughter Dorthy and son Reuben of Clearbrook, were Sunday dinner guests at the F. S. Erdmann home.

A group of local young boys gathered at the Fred Ulrich home Sunday afternoon to practice hase ball.

Mr. F. S. Erdmann and daughter Maria motored to Moorhead Monday to take back his daughter Helena and the Misses Grace Dahle and Kamilla Fosmark to resume their work at Concordia College after spending Easter vacation here.

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The Creamery List

Twenty eight patrons of the local creamery drew checks of $100 up to over $400 at the last creamery payday, and a big list received checks ranging from $50 up to $100.

With pastures coming on soon, a big increase in size and number of checks will be noted for April, May and June.

Here is the list for March:-

Arne Vik	$413.81
Novak & Son	274.92
C. H. Swanson	232.64
C. Anton	173.23
Mrs. J. Thorstviet	165.49
I. Rotzlar	157.05
N.E. Beebe	152.84
Anton Bros	152.19
Mc Kercher & Son	146.56
A. Johnson	146.05
F. Ulrich	140.18
S.Vik	139.96
F. Schmidt	138.97
C. Kruse	135.o2
B. Walseth	130.32
E. H. Stephen	130.19
J. Lundberg	124.88
J. O. Peterson	121.86
J. Norman	120.77
H. Holmes	120.53
Wahlbeck Bros	116.94
F. Bothman	115.67
A. Mortenson	114.87
C. Pearson	107.01
G. Haupt	104.19
J. O. Swanson	101.81
Erickson Bros	101.16
C. A. Lindquist	100 16

R. Melin, $98.19, Wm. Palmquist, 98.09, G. Peterson, 97.91, C. O. Swanson, 96.49, E. Person, 96.27, Swanson Bros, 95.74, B. Johnson, 95.40, Ole Larson, 93.65, Mrs. A. P. Anderson, 93. 59, T. Mogan, 91.93, A. Ortloff, 91.82, K. T. Dalager, 89.84, Wm. Rinkerberger, 87.48, H. Jobnson, 86, 97, L. Erickson, 86.89, F. Anderson, 86.81, J. Gothia, 84.00, G. Larson, 82.39, J. Maakrud, 79.96, H. R. Allen, 74.42, Wm. Bothman, 74.42, C. J. Swanson, 71.70, J. E. Johnson, 69.44, H. Jepson, 69.26, A. Husby, 68.84, Mortenson Bros, 68. 26, A. O. Swanson, 66.59, Mrs. J. Konikson, 65.22, A. Loberg, 65.09, A. Swanson, 65.08, Swanson, 64 96, O. Haugen, 64.77, N. Schalz, 64. 75, J. Almquist, 64.44, F. Rux. 63.94, W. Yonke, 63. 85, C. Zinter, 62.72, H. Starken, 62.48, O. Johnson, 62. 30, J. Gunstad. 61. 39, J. J. Larson, 61.30, F. S. Erdmann, 60.77, J. A. Anderson, 60.72, A. Erickson, 59. 50, O. L. Larson, 57.45, I. Iverson, 54 85, D. J. Johnson, 54.24, J. Sjoberg, 53.49, E. Larson, 53.18, W. Adams, 51.84, A. A. Anderson, 51. 36.

Anderson--Lindquist

Miss Edna Anderson, danghter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Anderson of Sanders, and Glenn Lindquist, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lindquist of Bray, were united in marriage Monday afternoon this week. Rev. A. F. Nelson officiated at the ceremony which took place at the Swedish Lutheran parsonage. Miss Hazel Anderson, sister of the bride, and Clifford Lindquist, brother of the groom, were the witnesses. After the ceremony, the newlyweds were guests at a wedding dinner served at 6:00 at the Anderson home. Mr. and Mrs. Lindquist left this week for a short trip to Winnipeg. Upon their return, they will make their home at the Lindquist farm.

Both bride and groom are well known, popular young people in this community, and they have a large circle of friends who join in wishing them lifelong happiness.

Here From Lockhart

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Dahl motored up Friday evening from Lockhart for a visit with friends. Upon returning home Saturday morning, they were accompanied by his sister, Miss Edith Dahl, who had spent a few days here with relatives and friends. Miss Dahl left Sunday from Fargo for her home at Billings, Mont.

A young man whose home is near Rosewood, was arrested by members of the Minnesota Highway Patrol at Red Lake Falls last week, and was assessed a heavy fine for careless driving. Officers of the Patrol have lately taken their station all thruout the state and its henceforth going to be a risky positionto drive while intoxicated, without proper lights, license plates, etc. The highway police will also pick up minors who are driving cars in violation of the state law. It is expected inaugeration of the new highway police department will result in greatly lessened number of accidents due to careless operation of motor vehicles.

Athletes depend on Gamble Stores for their equipment-Such a wonderful assortment of Standard Brands --Baseball--Tennis-- Golf--S & G Golf Balls 3 for $1.00. One week beginning May 10th. Thief River Falls, Minn.

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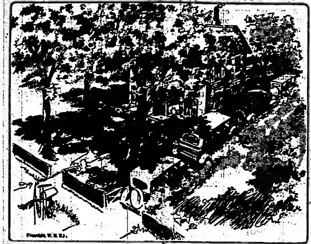
Mother's Day



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

The Evang. Mission Y. P. S. of Black River will meet at the Chapel on Friday evening, May 9th.

Klemens Gigstad is confined to bed with a severe attack of pleurisy which will keep him in bed for another week or two.

Roy Berglund of Rainy River, Ont., Can., came last evening for a visit at home of his grandmother and uncle, Mrs. Carrie Berglund and August Berglund.

Oh Boy! A "G" Tread or Roadster Bicycle Tire for 98c during Gamble's May Sale beginning week of May 10th.

Ladies Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church will be entertained at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson, Friday this week.

The Ladies' Aid of the Evangelical Mission church will serve lunch at the Carlson Store on Friday May 2 beginning at 10:00 A. M. Everybody welcome.

A rain that fell over this section nearly all day yesterday, has put a quietus on seeding operations, but is a great benefit to pastures.

John Gonnering has leased a meat market at Goodridge and expects to move there in the near future.

Mrs. Sam Thompson, who was operated upon at a Thief River hospital two weeks ago, was able to return home this week.

Harry Schuster, former publisher of the Record at Middle River, has leased the Budget at Bronson, and has taken charge.

Frost boils, which have made the streets in bad condition the past two weeks or more, have begun to settle and the streets are beginning to assume their usual condition again.

Sam Lorentson of Holt, a former resident of this community, has bought a lot on the most prominent corner at Holt and is busy erecting a new service and oil station. Mr. Lorentson recently sold his garage business at Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Odegaard motored over Saturday evening from Grafton, N. D., and visited until Sunday evening at home of his father, A. Odegaard. Martin has a fine position as supervisor at the School for Feeble Minded at Grafton.

George and Alec Anderson, who have been employed during the past winter at Arlee, Mont., returned home last week.

The Standard Oil Company has another message to the people of this community, in this issue, in form of an advertisement. Be sure to read it.

Christ. Bjerk, who makes his home northwest of Bemidji, was over last week for a short visit at the home of his brother, Martin.

W. M. Young was over last week-end from Orrin, N. D., for a a visit at the homes of his son and daughter, Raymond Young and Mrs. Chas. Huff.

William Peterson, manager of the lumber yard, left Friday for his home near Drayton N. D., being called home by death of a relative.

Martin Skog, Mrs. Geo. Lancaster and two sons motored down Sunday from Badger and spent the day visiting at the Mrs. A. Gunstad home east of town.

Pete Bergh was over Saturday from Plummer looking after business matters, and packing up some of the stock left in his local store.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Winter Jr., Mrs. Chas. Winter, Sr. and daughter Edna of Hillsbsro and Mr. John Miller of Grandin, N. D. spent Sunday at the Harry Winter home.

With very favorable weather the past two weeks, seeding is almost finished thruout this community. There still remains a little flax and a small amount of late grain, but all will be finished soon.

Andrew Bottelson, candidate for the office of county treasurer, at the coming primary election, was a caller in the village Friday. Mr. Bottel son, who has been in the drug business at Thief River for many years, is making an aggressive campaign.

The partial eclipse of the sun which was visible in this section of the county Monday, was obscured by clouds most of the time. It was visible for a few minutes when the eclipse was about eighty percent total, and again at intervals between the hours of 1:30 to 3:00 P. M.

P. T. A. Friday, May 2

A meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held at the school building Friday evening this week.

This will be the last meeting held during the present school term, and election of officers for the coming year will take place. A good pro- has been arranged, and lunch will be served as usual.

Rev. Edith Grays of Thief River Falls, will read a report on the district meeting of tbe P. T. A., as one of the numbers on the program.

Class Play, May 9-10

The Senior class play of the local high schcol entitled "In Cherry Time" will be presented at the Imperial hall Friday and Saturday evenings, May 9 and 10. The play is said to be an exceptionally good onè and mucb care is being given to preparation for its presentation, so no one should miss seeing it. Presentation of the play also marks beginning of tbe various activities prior to closing of the school term.

More Filings

Tobias Reep, of Thief River Falls, filed last week as a candidate for the nomination of county auditor of this county. With County Auditor H. L. Fowler a candidate for reelection, and N. J. Anderson having filed for the auditorship, there will be a primary election contest in that office.

Attorney Paul Lundgren of Thief River, filed this week as a candidate for County Attorney which position is held at present by H. O. Berve.

Albert Halverson of Goodridge, filed as a candidate for Sheriff making the sixth filing for that office.

Elect Officers

The ladies of the Evangelical Mission church met at the church last Friday afternoon for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year. At that time the following officers were elected: Mrs. H. Jepson, Pres. Mrs. Gust Larson, Vice Pres., Mrs. Geo. Wilson, Secretary, Mrs. A. Swanson, Vice Secretary, Mrs. C. Kruse, Treasurer, Mrs. W. Ewing, Vice Treasurer.

Regional Play Day

Pupils representing school districts in eleven townships, took part on the Regional Play Day at the local school grounds here Saturday. Winners in the contests here are entitled to take part in the county Play Day to be held at Thief River. Coffee was donated by the Carlson Merc, Co., and cream by tbe St. Hilaire creamery for the lunch served in the school house at noon. Below is a list of winners in the different contests, together with number of the school district each represented:

Kitten Ball	North
Volley Ball	Bray
Criss Cross Goal	River Falls
High Jump	
Clarence Olson	Black River-94
Melvin Joppru	Black River-94
Perry Borgi	Rocksbury-165
Running Broad Jump	
Perry Borgi	Rocksbury-165
Raynard Nelson	River Falls-12
Melvin Joppru	Black River-94
100 Yard Dash	
Perry Borgi	Rocksbury-165
Gerald Yonke	River Falls-178
Raynard Nelson	River Falls-12
Balancing	
Hazel Nelson	River Falls-12
Evelyn Anderson	Rocksbury-73
Dagny Molskness	Polk Center-99
Chinning	
Melvin Joppru	Black River-94
Clarence Olson	Black River-94
Morris Bollinger	North-29
Pole Vault	
Perry Borgi	Rocksbury-165
Melvin Joppru	Black River-94
Bennie Tim	Rocksbury-73
Standing Broad Jump	
Gerald Yonke	River Falls-178
Perry Borgi	Rocksbury-165
Clarence Olson	Black River-94
Group B	
50 Yard Dash	
Raymond Johnson	North-29
Leonard Yonke	River Falls-178
Raymond Oen	Rocksbury-165
Running Broad Jump	
Raymond Johnson	North-29
Leonard Yonki	River Falls-178
Raymond Oen	Rocksbury-165
High Jump	
Raymond Oen	Rocksbury-165
Eleanor Geske	Rocksbury-165
Margaret Joppru	Black River-94

A fair sized crowd attended the dramatic debate entitled "Can the Law be enforced" which was given Tuesday evening at the Norwegian Lutheran church. Some very good points for both sides of the question were brot out at the debate which was sponsered by the Minnesota Anti-Saloon League.

Your Opportunity and Ours

It has always been our aim to give first consideration to home interests. In every possible way, it is our desire to further the prosperity of this section and the welfare of our depositors.

You can assist this program by doing your banking here, influencing your friends to do the same, and by talking favorably of your community to strangers.

Prosperity is not a matter of chance. It comes as result of efforts we put forth to benefit each other.

Merchants State Bank
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Boost It Along

This creamery did not just grow here of its own accord, Those who organized it, gave freely of their time and money, and helped it along with liberal patronage to bring it up to its present state. If you are a cream producer, and are not a shareholder, buy a share or two in this community enterprise.

United effort by all cream producers in this territory, will make the creamery the largest and best in this section. Do your bit.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Quick Repair Service

This garage specializes in quick repair service. You don't have to wait any longer than necessary here to have your car put in order.

We are also in position to give you service on your tractor and stationary gas engines.

See us for your gas, oils grease and battery service.

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Drilling for oil seems to be the popular pastime up along the Canadian border. A number of small rigs have operated in that locality for more than a year, and now some large outfits are going in. Northern Minnesota may yet be able to skim cream from both above and below ground.

One form of competition that any town could get along nicely without, is the grocery saleman who sells groceries and whatnot direct from his car or truck.

In ninty nine cases out of a hundred, his wares are not up to standard of those carried by the local grocer, nor are his prices any more attractive. His bid for trade lies in a premium given with so much purchased of his wares. As no one is engaged in the charity business these days, it is evident the consumer is paying for his premium by lowered quality in the goods he buys. The truck peddler does not pay any taxes, does not assist with upkeep of your school, takes no part in community affairs, nor does he contribute in any way to betterment of your community.

Why any person who makes a living out of his or her community should patronize these fly-by-night peddlers in perference to to home people--and always to detriment of the latter, is a mystery. If there is a single plausable argument in favor of patronizing the truck peddler, we have yet to hear it.

A number of towns along this line are organizing baseball teams for the coming season. St. Hilaire has had some exceptionally good teams in years agone, and there is enough promising material here now for a good team. All that seems to be necessary is a little organizing work.

Expensive Message

A business man climbing a Swiss glacier was astounded when an Alpine guide suddenly arrived with a telegram for him. The tax on the message was $10, but the guide had made a five-mile journey on skis over the frozen snow.

River News

Mrs. F. S. Erdmann spent Wednesday afternoon at the J. Maakrud home.

Last Sunday evening a bolt of lighting struck near the Paul Thyren home putting out of commission Mr. Thyren's telephone.

Lineman Dwight Kundert, was in this vicinity Tuesday and Wednesday repairing the line.

Stanley Stephens, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Stephens came home Wednesday night from Red Wing and Minneapolis where he has been employed the past year to visit at the home of his parents and with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gieseke and sons spent Thursday at the F. Ulrich home.

Riverside, Eastside, Aug Swenson and Busy Bee schools gathered at the Hazel campus Friday to indulge in the sports offered on Play Day. The day proved very favorable and every one present reported a good time.

Miss Esther Thyren and Mrs. Paul Thyren were business callers at Crookston Saturday.

The pupils of Riverside school partook in the regional Play Day held at St. Hilaire Saturday.

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Worse

Sweet Rose declares she is
A rose that has no thorns—
But from the way she limps
I'm sure she has got corns.

Acknowledgment

"You will admit that you owe a great deal to your wife."

"I should say so," replied Mr. Cumrox. "I wouldn't be invited to any of her receptions or musicales if I wasn't married to her."

A Trick of the Trade

The Salesman—These imported breakfast robes don't go very well.

The Manager—Advertise 'em next week as ladies' smoking jackets; that'll move 'em.

This Week

by **Arthur Brisbane**

Birds and Men
Women Always Pioneers
48 Years' Work. Thanks
A New Planet

At the Red Bank (N. J.) railroad station, two large flag baskets and two pasteboard boxes with holes to admit air were filled with carrier pigeons. A railroad man opened them, freeing four or five dozen birds. "I don't know where they come from or where they are going," said he. "They are often sent here to be turned loose. I suppose they go home."

The beautiful birds, descendants of Wild Rock pigeons, found in steep Swiss canyons, flew up in two groups, and for more than ten minutes circled round and round, regaining their sense of direction.

Presently the two flocks, united, flew off together over the roof of the S. S. Thompson General Contractors' building in a northeasterly direction. "They always go over that building, after they fly around ten or fifteen minutes to make up their minds," said a bystander.

Presently flocks of young humans, released from their educational cages, will be turned loose in the world. It will take them more than 15 minutes to decide on direction, and many will never reach the destination. Some day when men shall have lived on earth as many million years as birds have lived here they, too, will be born with a sense of direction and know which way to go.

Oklahoma unveils a fine statue to the pioneer woman. Women have always been earth's real pioneers, in ideas and in action.

Far back in the Stone age they had produced all the grains we know by developing the seeds of wild plants.

They tamed female buffaloes to provide milk for their children, planted gardens, changed human beings from a nomadic to a settled life.

They are the pioneer of the frontiers and pioneers in ideas and in religion.

The influence of mothers on their sons in the last million years has changed men from prognathous cannibals to semi-civilized money-grubbers. It is a great improvement.

William Manck, forty-eight years a letter carrier, absent only one week in forty-eight years, retires. His superiors shake hands with him and are photographed doing it. That's kind, but Uncle Sam might do more. He might give William Manck and other faithful servants of the post office a generous pension on which they could live comfortably when their hard work is done.

And without waiting for them to be worn out, he might give them generous pay, which he does not do.

Professor Shapeley, director of the Harvard observatory, hears from Canada that another planet, sailing around our sun, hitherto unknown to us, has been discovered.

How many are there in our celestial family? How far out to space does the family reach?

Our ignorance proves the extreme youth of our "thinking race." Only a very young and ignorant baby is unable to tell how many sisters and brothers it has.

Our newly discovered planet neighbor, circling around the sun, far out beyond Neptune, is the most interesting thing in the news.

We are only a little more than 90,000,000 miles from the sun. This new planet, about the size of our earth, is 1,335,000,000 miles from the sun.

Multiply that by six and you will know approximately the length of the far-off planet's journey around the sun.

On that planet you must live 3,200 earth years in order to be one year old.

To see the new neighbor, look now. It will be visible with earth's telescopes only about a hundred years longer, and then be hidden for 3,000 years, while it finishes one of its own years.

Japanese custom compels each person to speak with great humbleness of his own achievements.

The clever Japanese statesman, Wakasuki, who got everything for Japan that he wanted, gave nothing that he didn't want to give, writes his government lamenting his "inadequate ability," calling his work "regrettably insufficient," and winding up, "I am ashamed."

Interesting news from Russia. Stalin, boss of Bolshevism, celebrates the new commercial treaty with Britain by ordering nine British automobiles, costing from thirteen to fifteen thousand dollars each.

When Stalin and other Russians feel that a $15,000 car is necessary, that's a sign bigger than a man's hand. It means that somebody is beginning to enjoy wealth, and means nothing good for Communism.

All the powers, you are told, agree that it is desirable "to humanize submarines."

Very desirable, but how?

The young lady in the comic opera sang: "Shoot Him Gently, Oh, So Gently," but you can't do that in warfare.

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Order Limiting Time to File Claims Within Three Months, And for Hearing Thereon.

Estate of Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, Decedent.

State of Minnesota, } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the matter of the Estate of Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, Decedent.

Letters testamentary this day having been granted to F. D. Peet and it appearing by the affidavit of said representative that there are no debts of said decedent:

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Friday the 18th day of July, 1930, at ten o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at the City of Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator as provided by law.

Dated April 16th, 1930.
(Probate Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

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Bray News

Mrs. Henry Luttmer and sons Lewis and Henry spent Sunday at the Henry Lindbloom home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Olson and family visited Sunday at the S. N. Olson home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rolland and family of Thief River Falls were Sunday dinner guests at the G. A. Lindquist home.

Eldar and Victor Johnson took in the show at Thief River on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. August Schelin visited Sunday at the I. A. Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Larson and family of Bronson visited at the J. A. Anderson home on Sunday.

Roy Larson of Holt visited at M. Troland on Sunday.

Arthur, Clarence and Harry Rux visited Friday evening at the John Seaverson home.

Mr. John Scholin and Mrs. E Larson and daughter Lillian called on the former mother at Holt on Tuesday.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening Service at 8:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday morning at 10:30 in Clara church, and afternoon at 3:00 in the local church.

Sunday school at 2:00 P. M.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, May 4th.
Services as follows:
St. Pauli, 11:00 A. M. Amer.
Oakridge, 2:30 P. M. Amer.
St. Hilaire, 8:00 P. M. Amer.
Sunday school at 10:00 A. M.
Confirmation class Saturday at 10:00 A. M.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

"In Cherry Time"

Senior Class Play

of the

St. Hilaire High School

Will Be Presented

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Follow the crowd, and you'll land at

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St. Hilaire. Minn.

Tax Judgement Sale

Pursuant to a real estate tax judgment of the District Court of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, entered the 19th day of March 1930, in proceedings for enforcing payment of taxes and penalties upon real estate in the County of Pennington remaining delinquent on the first Monday in January 1930, and of the statutes in such case made and provided, I shall on Monday the 12th day of May 1930, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., at the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls and County of Pennington, sell the lands which are charged with taxes, penalties, and costs in said judgment, and on which taxes shall not have been previously paid.

(Seal) H. L. Fowler
Auditor, Pennington County, Minn.
Thief River Falls, Minn.
April 21st, 1930.
A24-M1

Huh?

Some Americans were standing in front of St. Paul's cathedral in London. A fellow countrywoman drove up and stood near them—apparently drinking in the majesty of the cathedral's beauty. Suddenly she turned to one of the group. "What do you suppose that church weighs?" she asked.—London Tit-Bits.

Standing Alone

The strong no less than the weak must bear the penalty of their own natures. The man or woman who has learned to stand alone must not complain if left to stand alone much of the time.—Celia Parker Woolley.

First General Use of Filter

Following the severe cholera epidemic of 1849, the British parliament, in 1852, made compulsory the filtration of the entire water supply of the London metropolitan district, and this marked the first of a series of attempts to purify water for hygienic reasons.

As Big as Canada's

Old Lady (meeting sailor on country road)—Sir, do ye know my Son Jack in the navy?

Sailor—Which ship is he serving in?

Old Lady—What! Be there two?

Appreciated

Friend—I want to tell you how much I enjoyed your lecture last night.

Speaker—Thanks, but I thought you had a date over at your girl's house?

Friend—I did—her parents went to hear you.

Girls Will Be Girls

Friend (to bridegroom on honeymoon)—You are all alone in this reserved carriage. Where is your bride?

"In a smoking compartment."

ATTACKED WITH A PIN

Johnson—"What, your wife attacked you with a pin? That would hardly explain your battered condition, I think."

Adams—"It was a rolling-pin, my friend."

But How Temporary!

If happiness exists,
I've found it—
A half a mince pie
With a boy around it.

Yet a Problem to Solve

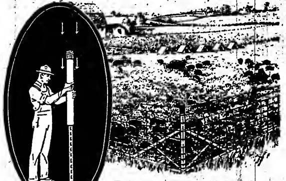
First Tramp—Say, pard, do you think airship passenger service will ever become practical?

Second Tramp—No; I don't see how gen'men like us will be able to hang on.

Willing to Earn It

"You have saved my life and I will give you £5, but unfortunately I have only a £10 note on me."

"Never mind—jump in the river again."



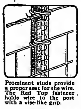
It's easier to build fences with RED TOP STEEL DRIVE POSTS

In a single day one man unassisted can drive 200 to 300 Red Top posts—and align them perfectly. They reduce a week's fencing job to a single day. Eliminate the back breaking post hole digging and make fence building and repair a one man odd-time job.

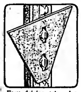
And Red Tops last long in the fence line—have more strength than you will probably ever need—are made of the same tough steel used in railroad rails and are properly designed to hold the fence in steady security year in and year out.

Come in and let us show you on an actual post the exclusive features that make Red Top the best steel post your money can buy—the reinforcing rib running the full length of the post for extra strength—the accurately placed, prominent studs that prevent the fence from heing rooted up or ridden down—the easy driving triangular anchor plate which furnishes a firm underground foundation for the post and the rust resisting aluminum metallic finish which is haked on for permanence.

The Red Top is your assurance of extra value—it identifies a post good enough to guarantee.



Prominent studs provide a proper seat for the wire. The Red Top fastener holds wire to the post with a vise-like grip.



Easy driving triangular anchor plate assures secure underground anchorage—added strength at point of greatest strain.

Central Lumber Co.

Wm. Peterson, Manager St. Hilaire, Minn.

Do It Now

Look over your supply of printed matter such as envelopes, statements, letterheads, bill heads, cards or other forms you use daily.

Spring is "right around the corner", the time you need them Let us have your order for what you need.

St. Hilaire Spectator

COME AGAIN SOON

Tha vacation season heing over, the steamer was coming to taka returning vacationists from Christmas Cove. A sweet girl and a nice young man with a suitcase were sitting on the pier. He was going, hut sha was going to stay a little while. As ths gangplank was thrown ont they rose and she reached np and kissed him.

"Oh," she exclaimed, "I'm so sorry to have you go!"

"Yes," he replied, "I'm so glad to have met yon!"

Not So Wonderful

"It must he wonderful to be the wife of a man who has such beantiful thonghts," said the caller to the wife of the poet.

"It might he for a woman who never cared to eat and was content to wear her sister-in-law's cast-off clothes," she snapped.

Gonna Get His

"What do you think of Billikins marrying your divorced wife?" asked the old friend.

"Tickled to death," replied tha grass widower. "I always did hate that fellow Billikins."

Kilt Not Scotch, Latest

Scotland and England have been arguing as to the origin of the kilt, long believed to be distinctly a Scotch creation. The English have the best of the dispnte at present by presenting proof that 200 years ago a Parkinson, an English tailor, while in camp with General Wade, was commissioned to make the first kilt. It then wae called the "feilidh bag" to distinguish it from the belted plaid, which was made in one piece.

Drawing the Line

We know that the city housewife demands more and more service, and is less and less inclined to do kitchen work when she can get out of it. But when it is suggested that it will be necessary for the turkey-raiser to evolve a hreed of hirds with built-in dressing, we positively draw the line.—Farm Journal.

Santa Claus, for Instance

There are people who argue that heroic and beautiful legends, even when proved false, should be preserved and repeated for the inspiration they lend.—Woman's Home Companion.

Strange Mistake

While looking for work, Brother Charley had a strange experience. He was in a pool room for three hours before discovering it wasn't an employment agency.—Detroit News.

Children and Autos

An Atchison man—"My father had a wife and five children to support. But I find life more difficult, because I have two children and two automobiles to support."—Atchison Globe.

Wyandotte News

Mrs. John Albin visited at C. Samnelson home Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Halen and son of Thief River visited Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Nels Berg.

Goodwin Wilson, Marie and Carl Kolseth visited at the David Hangen home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson and daughter Gertrude visited at C. Samuelson home Friday.

Harry Hangen spent Sunday afternoon with David Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kolseth and son and Mrs. John Albin visited Sunday at O. Noel home.

Mrs. David Hangen and Mrs. Wm. Clark spent Thursday evening with Mrs. Noel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jacobson of Plummer visited at the O. Noel home Saturday evening.

Otto Kleppe of Rush City is visiting at the Noel home the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Wilson and daughters Selma and Alvina visited Sunday afternoon at the Albert Anderson home.

Mrs. John Albin visited at the P. W. Peterson home Thursday.

25 Years Ago

R. H. Aimer left to spend a few weeks on his claim near Melfort, Sask, Canada.

Peter Lindblom, of Bray, put in over ninty acres of wheat in April that year.

The steamer, Christiana, started out from Thief River for its initial trip that spring to the Red Lakes.

A crew of men went up to Thief River that week to bring down a big drive of logs. Low water stage was hampering movement of logs down the river.

Miss Bertha Quesnelle of Terrebonne, and Mr. Chas. Bourcier, of this village were married that week at Terrebonne. They were to make their home here.

Miss Mary Anderson was to start a term of school in a Black River district the following week.

Joel G. Winkjer, former manager of the creamery, was moving to Crookston. Many friends here regretted departure of the family.

DANCE

Saturday, May 3rd

HAZEL HALL
Hazel, Minn.

Music By
Midnight Wildcats

COME, and bring your friends. A good time assured.

Scholastic Honor System

The honor system as applied to schools is a phase of student government whereby the students pledge themselves to handle their own affairs and be responsible for good deportment without the constant attendance of a professor. This is particularly true at examination time, when the students promise not to cheat, even though a professor is not in the room.

"Parsifal" Find Genuine

Seven ancient manuscripts, two containing parts of "Parsifal," which were discovered in the city archives of Wasserburg, Germany, have been declared to be genuine. The writings contain parts of poems by Wolfram von Eisenbach, and five long manuscripts from part of the poem "Willehaml," sections of which were previously unknown.

Wise Precaution

Modern efficiency is such that nowadays little Tommy Tucker is not permitted to sing for his supper without a preliminary audition.—Arkansas Gazette.

Eskimo Customs

Among certain Eskimos bad temper is considered a sign of being possessed by a devil, lying is a crime punished by death, and marriage is compulsory.

Hazel News

Word was received here Friday that a yonng son of Mr. and Mrs Charles Jnlien of Ft. Francis, Ont., had died that morning. Anton Peterson and son Carl, Mrs. A. Ang. Erickson and Mrs. Clarence Roese motored there Saturday and returned Monday

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Finstad lost ninty-seven of their flock of one hundred little chicks, only saying three when their brooder house burned to the ground Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Prestby and children were supper guests at the C. Prestby home Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs Nelson of St. Hilaire visited at the C. Alberg home Saturday.

Mr and Mrs. C. Ro se and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Sjoberg, Naoml, Roderick and Mary Jane Johnson were Wednesday evening gnests at E Knntson.

Carl Alberg and children Cleo, Helen end Stanley were Monday evening callers in St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Johnson and family and Vera Almquist visited at the Almquist home one evening last week. The latter returning to her home after spending Easter vacation at the Johnson home.

A surprise party was given for Miss Minnie Stene Sunday afternoon. A talk was given by Rev. M. Dahle, at conclusion of the afternoon a suitable gift was presented to Miss Stene.

The Clara Lutheran church reopened the Sunday school last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Odegaard of Grafton visited at the O. Odegaard home Sunday. They returned home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Eli Peterson and George Larson called at the C. Alberg home Tuesday afternoon.

The Hazel Kittenball team met the South team Sunday. Two games were played the Hazelites being the winners both time.

Mrs. A. Peterson, Mrs. Henry Sandberg and danghters were Tuesday afternoon callers at the C Roese home.

Many outsiders attended the townships Play Day held at Hazel school Friday. The four schools taking part were, Dist 178 Miss Fredrickson, Dist 133 Miss Norman, Dist 236 Miss Anderson, Dist 12 Miss Kenney. The winners of the events at Hazel also those winning second places participated in the events at St. Hilaire. The following pupils received ribbon prizes at the regional events at St. Hilaire Saturday.

Kitten Ball — Second place
Raynard Nelson
Walter Odegaard
Rueben Odegaard

Valley Ball — Second place
Joyce Roese
Nellie Nelson
Hazel Nelson

Criss Cross Goal — 1st place
Stanley Roese
Floyd Prestby
Rueben Odegaard

Running Brood Jump — 2nd place
Raynard Nelson

Balancing — 1st place
Hazel Nelson

100 Yard Dash — Third place
Raynard Nelson

Livestock Wanted

We are in the market for cattle, hogs and sheep at all times.

If you have anything suitable for shipping, either call on or telephone us at St. Hilaire and we will quote prices on your stock.

Highest market price paid in CASH for all kinds of stock.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

When April Rains Are Over-

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Paint up for beauty; paint up for protection. As soon as dry weather sets in; before it gets too hot—that's the time to paint every outdoor spot that needs it. Be sure to use paint that will give you *lasting* satisfaction. We recommend

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You will find no paint that will be cheaper when the complete job is figured. You can buy for less per gallon, of course, because cheap paint does not contain the pure paint materials that are found in Lucas. But you may be sure more gallons will be required for a given surface. Cost of the job is no less, and you have used inferior materials which cannot make as lasting a finish.

We shall be glad to estimate the cost of paint for your buildings.

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Stock and Poultry Meals

We have on hand a big supply of Cottonseed meal, Oil meal, etc., for stock use.

And we have Bone meal, Meat scraps, Oyster shells and Limestone "Shellmaker" for poultry.

Don't forget to order a sack of Dakota Maid

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Announcement

To the Voters of Pennington County:

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of County Attorney of Pennington County.

I will greatly appreciate both your vote and support at the coming election.

Respectfully yours,

Paul A. Lundgren,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

Paid Adv. Inserted in his own behalf by Paul A. Lundgren, Thief River Falls, Minn., and to be paid for at regular advertising rates.

ANNOUNCEMENT

To The People of Pennington County:

I wish to Announce that I have filed for Re-Election to the Office of County Attorney of Pennington County. I am now serving my First Term as County Attorney. During my Term I have tried to discharge the duties of the Office fairly and impartially, and to the best of my ability. I shall apreciate your vote, and support during my campaign for re-election.

Yours very truly,

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

PAID ADVERTISEMENT. . Prepared and inserted in his own behalf by H. O. Berve, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, and to be paid for at regular advertising rates.

To The Voters of Pennington County:

Having filed for the office of Treasurer of Pennington County, I respectfully solicit your support at the June 16th Primaries.

Born in Minnesota of sturdy Norwegian parentage, I came to Thief River Falls in 1911 and hope to live out my life here where my interests are. Have been a druggist and tax payer here for nineteen years and am interested in all activities looking to the advancement and welfare of the county. My education was acquired over a long part of my youth, laboring on farm to earn my tuition to keep at school and Academy during winter months and my years of business experience I believe, qualifies me for the duties of the office.

If nominated and elected, I promise my best efforts in conducting the county business entrusted to me. The tax payers' interests will be my interests.

Andrew Bottelson

.Prepared by Andrew Bottelson, Thief River Falls, Minn., and paid for at the regular rates.)

Specials This Week
Friday and Saturday Only

10 lb. bag granulated sugar	.59
Rolled Oats, big pkg.	.19
Men's heavy work sox, 3 prs.	.29
Children's play oxfords, pr.	.98
Lard, 2 pound pkg.	.29
Marshmallows, 1 lb. pkg.	.23

Carlson Mercantile Co.
O. C. Johnson, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Albert Lea—Edgar F. Westrum is the new perisdent of the Albert Lea Rotary Club.

Cokato—Walter J. Rock of Brownton has been elected school superintendent here.

Delano—Wright county Boy Scout troops met here for a program of competitive events.

Delano—James R. Null of Akeley, Minn., has been elected superintendent of schools here.

Winona—H. C. Witt has filed as the fourteenth candidate for sheriff of Winona county.

Hastings—Alfred M. Joyce, of South St. Paul, Dakota county attorney, has filed for re-election.

St. Cloud—A district assembly of the Rebecca order was conducted here. State officers were present.

St. James—The lecal city council has named Christ Larson as city clerk and Albert Running as city attorney.

Taylors Falls—All teachers in the grade and high schools have been reappointed for the 1930-31 school year.

Northfield—Dr. Leonard Amodt has been elected president of the West Side Parents and Teachers Association.

Taylors Falls—Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the Swedish Lutheran parsonage Sunday with loss of $7,000.

Northfield—Dr. Leal A. Hedley of the Carleton college faculty has been named president of the Northfield Rotary Club.

Fairmont—B. W. Coult, Fairmont's oldest citizen is dead, at the age of 95. He had been a resident of Fairmont 50 years.

Le Sueur—The cornerstone of the new school building here was laid with Dr. O. J. Johnson of Gustavus Adolphus College, St. Peter, as principal speaker.

Winona—Dr. Samuel Schaefer, physician, was elected president of the Winona city council at the annual reorganization meeting. All other city officers were renamed also.

Austin—A hunt is on for a salesman who took 81 orders from Freehorn county schools and at least three in Mower county for playground equipment which has not been delivered.

Hastings—Clem Smith of South St. Paul was given a suspended prison term by Judge W. A. Schultz in District Court here when he pleaded guilty to second degree grand larceny.

Northfield—Dr. George H. Spohn, head of the English department of St. Olaf college, has been invited to give the annual address before the Carleton College chapter of Phi Beta Kappa May 2.

Northfield—Plans for commencement week were announced at Carleton College. Class day exercises will be condncted June 7, baccalaureate services June 8, and commencement June 9.

Duluth—An Indian woman, mother Randolph, living on a farm 20 miles north of Ray, has been listed by census enumerator, W. D. Henley, and has proudly acclaimed herself 120 years old.

Janesville—Odd Fellow and Rebekah lodge members of Waseca, New Richland, Elyslan, Waterville and Janesville gathered here to celebrate the 110th anniversary of the founding of the order.

Deer River—Roy E. Luttrell, for the last three years supervisor of rural schools in this district, has been named acting superintendent of schools for the remainder of the school year here.

Blooming Prairie—Blooming Prairie is the first community in Steele county to report its census as complete this year. The compilation gives the village an increase of 30 persons, from 1,102 to 1,142.

Brainerd—Lawrence Anderson of Ironton, who was returned here from Montana, pleaded guilty in District Court here to a wife abandonment charge and was given a suspended sentence of five years.

Graceville—Miss Anna Emge, supervisor of the Western hospital here 14 years, has tendered her resignation, effective May 1. Rose Emge, a sister, associated with the local hospital for five years, also has resigned.

Owatonna—George W. Peachey of this city, former state senator for Steele county and for 20 years secretary of the Minnesota senate, filed as a candidate for Steele county's seat in the house of representatives.

New Richland—Police throughout the state were requested to search for Herbert F. Bestmann, 48 years old, cashier of the State Bank of New Richland, missing for some time. He left for Minneapolis to visit relatives.

Brainerd—Speaking under the auspices of the Brainerd Independent Merchants Association, Floyd B. Olson, Hennepin county attorney and farmer-labor candidate for governor, in a nonpolitical address, spoke to an audience of a thousand persons at the high school auditorium, attacking the chain store situation.

Kasson—The Hotel Kasson has been purchased from R. B. Eiden by L. A. Smalley of Detroit Lakes. Mr. Smalley formarly was the proprietor of Graystone hotel at Detroit Lakes.

St. Paul—Aroused by the report of Grover Conzet that 6,000 acres of land had been burned over in Aitkin, Cass and Morrison counties the past few days, the aid of 250,000 club women in a campaign of education to combat forest fires was pledged today by Mrs. James [illegible] Thurston of Minneapolis, chairman of the conservation committee of the Minnesota Federation of Women's clubs.

FOR SALE, etc.

Seed Barley:- Have a quanity of good Canadian seed barley for sale. Inquire of Paul Thyren. Route 1,
Ap-17-24 Hazel, Minn.

Fence Posts For Sale:- Several hundred white cedar fence posts for sale at the A. P. Hegstrom farm in Bray township. Call at the farm.
John Stomberg,
A17-M8p R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

Wanted

Want to hear from owner who has for sale a 16 inch prairie breaker bottom for Deere sulky plow.
Aug. N. K. Anderson,
A17tf R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

Pigs For Sale:- Have a number of small pigs for sale. Call or address K. T. Dalager, R1, Hazel, Minn. A24tf.

To The Voters:

Having filed for re-election for the office of Sheriff of Pennington County, at the primaries June 16, 1930, your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.

O. L. Ihle,
Pol. Adv. Thief River Falls, Minn.

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Will they be there to meet your complaints, in case you have any? Will they be on the job to give you service—when you need it?

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If you want a gasoline that knocks out that knock, that makes an old engine run like new, then use Red Crown Ethyl. It costs a few cents more, but those who try it, continue to use it.

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New Ordinance

At regular monthly meeting of the village council held Monday evening this week, there was adopted a new ordinance governing installation of gasoline vending pumps on the streets and alleys of the village.

In the future, no license will be granted for installation of so-called curb pumps, that is pumps set out on the walks where customers have to park in the street while filling cars with gas or oil. The state highway department looks with disfavor on such installations especially on streets where trunk highways are routed, because constantly increasing motor traffic demands that such streets be kept clear for movement of vehicles. A draft of the new ordinance, as adopted, is published in this issue.

Mrs. M. Jackson Honored

Mrs. M. H. Jackson was honored by a group of friends who gathered at her home last Thursday evening and presented her with a pink May basket full of appropriate gifts.

Seventeen ladies formed the party that took possession of the home, provided entertainment for the evening, and served a dainty lunch. Those present were the Mesdames T. Skatrud, E. O. Burkee, A. Hanson, H. A. Olson, H. Jackson, N. E. Beebe, O. Gunstad, L. E. Beebe, S. Skottem, J. King, E. Jensen, H. Winter, L. Gullickson, V. Brink, J. Carter, O. C. Johnson and E. Sunholm.

Miss Hazel Fricker, who has taught at Ronneby, Minn., the past school year, returned home Tuesday to spend the summer. She visited briefly with her sisters at Minneapolis before coming home.

N. J. Anderson of Thief River Falls, candidate for County Auditor was in the village Saturday interviewing the votors, and calling on old friends.

Flax Seed:- Argentine wilt resistant seed flax for sale at the John Ford farm. Call 24F23 on the Red Lake Falls line, or address
E. D. Spencer,
M8-15p R3 Red Lake Falls, Minn

Wanted -- old tires. $1.00 allowed for any old tire on purchase of new tire for one week beginning Saturday, May 10th. Also $2.50 for any old battery in exchange. Gamble Stores., Thief River Falls, Minn.

Mike Holm

Mike Holm Files

Mike Holm filed Tuesday, May 6 as a candidate for re-election for the office of Secretary of State which he has filled so ably for many years. Mr. Holm is one of the most popular of all state officials, and there is no doubt of his re-election. Mr. Holm is a northern Minnesota man, having resided for years at Roseau.

25 Years Ago

W. A. Crawford, a stranger, was drowned while fishing near the dam at Thief River that week.

The Wylie cheese factory was to open the following week for that season run.

Charley Fellman was rejoicing over the arrival of a baby daughter Friday that week.

The new G. N. cut at Red Lake Falls was given much trouble. Heavy rains caused several slides in the cut.

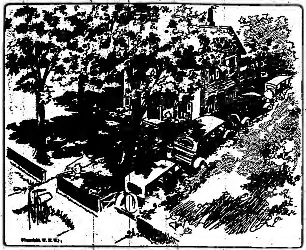
The county seat controversy was waxing hot. Another hearing was held before Judge Watts at Crookston that week.

The sawmill at Thief River was closed because of a mishap to some of the machinery.

Accidental overturning of a lamp nearly caused a stampede during a performance at the Imperial. Manager Jens Nelson took precautions to prevent another happening of that kind.

Try a wantadv.

Mother's Day



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

The Senior Class play "In Cherry Time" will be given at the Imperial hall both Friday and Saturday evenings this week. Its good, don't miss it.

Interior of the creamery building is being given a coat of paint this week by Ed Peterson and Knute Kolstad.

Turkey Eggs:- Mammoth Bronze eggs at 10 cents each. Call on or address.
Phone 9707 Ben Johnson
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Robert Helmkay went Monday to Grand Forks to spend a few days with his relatives.

Harry L. Fowler, who is a candidate to succeed himself as County Auditor, was a visitor in the village Saturday afternoon. He returned to Thief River that evening.

Roy Berglund left Saturday for his home at McInnis Creek near Rainy River, Ont., after spending a few days at home of his grandmother Mrs. Carrie Berglund.

A Mothers' Day program will be given by the Luther League of the Norwegian Lutheran church Sunday evening at 8:00. Songs, readings, etc, will form the program, and lunch will be served.

Rev. A. Odegaard of Aneta, N. D. visited here last week-end with his father A. A. Odegaard, and at Hazel with his brother, Ole, while enroute home after a trip to his former home at Blackduck.

P. E. Bergh, formerly, in the hardware business here, has bought a hardware at Erskine. He has traded in his real estate at Plummer on the deal, and is moving his stock here and that at Plummer, to Erskine.

Gust Naplin of Polk Center, has filed as a candidate for county commissioner from Third district which is now represented by Emil Larson. Mr. Naplin has had experience as commissioner, as he served his district in that capacity up to 1923.

Traffic on the trunk highway thru here was detoured last week from the Holmes corner east to Water street, north three blocks and west one block, to permit maintenance workers to repair the soft spots that developed on the street during spring breakup.

J. H. Bohlen has leased a farm east of Thief River Falls, which he will occupy next fall.

For Sale:- Duck eggs at $1.00 per dozen.
Mrs. B. Rosendahl,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Dr. Archie Arnold of Minneapolis motored here this week for a brief visit at the Arne Vik home.

Rain first three days of this week has stopped seeding and garden work for a few days.

Klenens Gigstad, who is confined to bed with an attack of pleurisy, is reported to be improving.

A. R. Johnsrud of Goodridge, candidate for county treasurer of this county, was in the village Thursday afternoon calling on the voters.

The southbound freight train on this line was derailed Thursday at Greenbush, and was delayed several hours awaiting service of the wrecking crew.

Saturday only -- Canvas Gloves 5c per pair -- limit 2 pair while stock lasts-- Other bargains and special prices each day for one week. Gamble Stores.

A band of gyysies visited the village Tuesday. While here they managed to get away with a sum of money at the meat market when the proprietor stepped out of the place for a short time.

Andrew Mortenson left Friday for Minneapolis to visit with Mrs. Mortenson who is a patient at a hospital there. The latter is not showing as much improvement as was expected in her case.

Edward Rydeen, prominent dairyman near Clearbrook, has filed as a candidate for Representative from the 65th., legislative district which comprises the counties of Clearwater, Red Lake and Pennington.

John Gonnering and family, who have made their home here since last year, moved last week to Goodridge where Mr. Gonnering will engage in the retail meat business.

The family has made many friends during their time of residence in St. Hilaire who regret very much to see then leave, but all join in wishing them success in their new home.

Endorse Candidates

At a meeting held last Saturday evening at Thief River Falls, at which representatives from Clearwater, Red Lake and Pennington counties were present, Stuart McLeod of Goodridge, was endorsed for State Senator, and Marius Waldahl of Plummer, and E. D. Rydeen of Clearbrook as Representatives from the 65th. District. The two former have had no intention of filing, but probably will do so after receiving this endorsement.

McLeod-Waldahl File

Later information states Stuart McLeod has filed for the senate, and Marius Waldahl for representative.

McLeod's entry insures a primary election contest as Mrs. Laura Naplin and Martin Evenson are already in the field for that office. It is not anticipated there will be any primary contest for representative.

Gravelling Highway

Foreman Albert Seaverson of the Trunk Highway maintenance department, has had men here this week leveling the street where it was cut up during spring traffic. Gravel has been hauled wherever needed and this will be spread as soon as dry weather sets in again.

Notice To The Public

Beginning next week the following business places will close at 6:15 P. M. evenings excepting Wednesday and Saturday.

Hunt Bros. Co;
Carlson Merc. Co Inc;
Larson Bros;
Home Meat Market
M. H. Jackson

Good attendance was noted at a meeting of the P. T. A. held Friday evening at the school house. A good program was given. Rev. Edith Grays of Thief River Falls, gave a very interesting report on the recent district meeting of the P. T. A.

Officers elected for the coming year were; E. O. Burkee president, Mrs. O. Gunstad, v. pres., Mrs. Eleanor Hansen, secretary, and M. H. Jackson, treasurer.

A toothsome lunch was served from the domestic science room at close of the program.

To Maintain Lake Road

By agreement of townships thru which it passes, the former part of T. H. No. 8 which skirts the north shore of Maple Lake, will be kept in same condition as when it was part of the trunk system. As thousands of people visit the lake each year, this will be a convenience to them.

Fishing at Maple Lake is reported to be good this year--the first time in years. Permission has been asked of the State Game and Fish Commission to seine game fish from the Clearwater river at Terrebonne to be used in stocking Maple Lake with more adult fish.

Wins Scholastic Honor

At a recent meeting of the Lambda Phi Sigma, honorary scholastic fraternity at Moohead State Teachers Training College, twenty-nine students were elected to membership by virtue of their high scholastic standing. Among the twenty-nine was Miss Dorothy Olsen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olsen of this village.

Chauffers Examinations

Secretary of State Mike Holm has recently announced the schedule for chauffeurs examinations to be held in this section this, and first of next month. Examinations will be held at Thief River Falls at 7:30 p. m. on Friday, May 30, and at Red Lake Falls at 12:30 P. m. on Saturday, May 31st. All who intend to take the examinations should first become familiar with the traffic laws. As the examiners are operating on close schedule, making two towns a day most of the time, it is important that those who wish to take examinations should be on hand promptly at the hour stated for each examination point.

County Treasurer John Gullingsrud and family motored down Tuesday from Thief River for a visit with relatives west of town.

Here's your opportunity -- 5 gallons of Red Barn Paint for the price of 4-- Outside House Paint $1.95 per gallon-- other bargains -- One week only beginning May 10th. Gamble Stores.

Your Opportunity and Ours

It has always been our aim to give first consideration to home interests. In every possible way, it is our desire to further the prosperity of this section and the welfare of our depositors.

You can assist this program by doing your banking here, influencing your friends to do the same, and by talking favorably of your community to strangers.

Prosperity is not a matter of chance. It comes as result of efforts we put forth to benefit each other.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Boost It Along

This creamery did not just grow here of its own accord, Those who organized it, gave freely of their time and money, and helped it along with liberal patronage to bring it up to its present state. If you are a cream producer, and are not a shareholder, buy a share or two in this community enterprise.

United effort by all cream producers in this territory, will make the creamery the largest and best in this section. Do your bit.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

To The Voters of Pennington County:

Owing to the fact that I am running the Auditor's Office without the assistance of a Deputy, it will be impossible for me to make a personal canvas of the voters of the County before the primary election and I take this method of announcing my candidacy to succeed myself as County Auditor.

Since my appointment to the office last December, I have been busy revising the accounting system in your County to make it conform to State Standards and give the Taxpayers a more comprehensive system of accounting whereby they can more readily see where the tax dollar is being spent. This is no small job for one man to undertake and can hardly be completed before my term expires.

My revision of the system of handling delinquent taxes saved the County $471.00 on the 1928 judgment. I will effect a saving of at least $1,250.00 in clerk hire in the Auditor's office this year by reason of the fact th t I am experienced and do not require the aervice of a high priced accountant as deputy. The School Districts of the County will receive $41,000.00 in back apportionment due them, by reason of my correcting the system of distributing tax penalties to conform to the law. These are a few of the outstanding achievements in my short term of office.

There is but one way to keep taxes down. That is to limit your expenditures to your means, and elect competent and efficient officials. The Auditor's Office is the most important office in your County. Do not let Friendship or Sympathy influence your vote but do your duty by casting your ballot for the candidate you consider best qualified to serve you efficiently and economically.

If elected I pledge myself to continue this program of economy which I have inaugurated. I will work out a budget of expenditures and levies for the County which will take it out of debt. I will see that this budget is lived up to. I will conduct my office without the assistance of a deputy, thereby saving the County $1,250.00 per year in clerk hire. Compare this pledge to what my opponents have to offer before casting your ballot.

I have had twenty years experience in Accounting and Auditing and for the past eight years have been a deputy Auditor before coming to Pennington County. I solicit your support solely on my ability to serve you more efficiently and economically than my opponents. If my service in the office during this short term meets with your approval, your vote and support will be appreciated.

HARRY L. FOWLER

Candidate to Succeed Himself as County Auditor
Pennington County.

Political Advertisement: inserted by Harry L. Fowler in his own behalf, for which regular rates will be paid.

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$585 F.O.B. TOLEDO, O.

MAKES WHIPPET THE LOWEST PRICED OF ALL 4-DOOR SEDANS

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Whippet Four prices range from $360 to $645. Whippet Six prices from $635 to $850. Prices f. o. b. Toledo, Ohio, and specifications subject to change without notice.

Whippet

R. A. Young St. Hilaire, Minn.

Ordinance No. 24

An Ordinance regulating the placing of filling stations, oil tanks, oil pumps or other buildings, machinery and equipment for the handling of oil, gasoline and other petroleum products in the streets and side-walks of the Village of St. Hilaire.

The Village Council of the Village of St. Hilaire do ordain as follows:

Section 1.—No person, persons, corporation or firm shall place, erect or maintain, or cause to be placed, erected or maintained, or assist in placing, erecting or maintaining upon or under any of the streets, side-walks or other public places of the Village of St. Hilaire, any buildings, structures, tanks, pumping equipments or any apparatus or equipment for the purpose of storing, handling and vending therein illuminating oils, coal oil, naptha, gasoline, benzine or other mineral oils or fluids, the product of petroleum without having first obtained a written permission from the Village Council of the Village of St. Hilaire.

Section 2.—Any person desiring to erect, maintain and engage in the business of conducting a filling station and to occupy any portion of the streets, side-walks or other public places of the Village of St. Hilaire shall file with the Village Clerk an application in writing setting forth the business he proposes to engage in, the exact location, the portion of the street, sidewalk or other public grounds which he proposes to occupy and such application shall be accompanied by a sufficient drawing of the improvements proposed to be erected to enable the Village Council to act intelligently upon said application.

Section 3.—The Village Clerk shall lay the application before the Council at their next regular meeting after it is filed, and if said application is granted by the Village Council, it shall instruct the Clerk to issue a permit in writing to said applicant, such permit shall be considered a license, shall be revokable upon six months written notice by the Council, and shall be conditioned upon the compliance with the laws of the State of Minnesota and all the ordinances of the Village of St. Hilaire.

Section 4.—Any person, persons, corporation or firm who shall occupy any portion of the streets, side-walks or other public places of the Village of St. Hilaire at the time of the going into effect of this Ordinance, shall immediately, and within thirty days vacate and remove said pumps, pumping machinery, tanks, equipment or other structures from the streets and sidewalks, and a failure to do so within thirty days after the date of the approval of this Ordinance shall be deemed a violation thereof.

Section 5.—Any person, persons, corporation or firm violating this Ordinance or any portion thereof, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined not less than Ten ($10.00) Dollars nor more than One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars.

Approved May 5, 1930.

A. SATTERBERG,
President of the Village Council.
M. FRICKER,
Village Clerk.

River News

Gust Larson, Mr. J. Larson and Miss Mabel Konickson motored to Crookston Monday where Mr. J. Larson had dental work done.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Larson and sons left for their home at Minneapolis after spending a week at home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Gust Erickson and other relatives here and at Middle River.

Marius Wahldal, census enumerator, worked in this vicinity Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Larson and family spent Monday evening at the Gust Erickson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Larson and sons motored to Middle River Tuesday and spent until Wednesday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Burstad spent Wednesday evening at the A. Satterberg home in St. Hilaire

Mr. F. Erdmann and Mr. E. Stephens were Thief River business callers Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Larson and sons of Minneapolis spent a few days at the home of her sister Mrs. Gust Larson.

Thea Burstad and Mrs. H. Burstad motored to Thief River Friday where the later had dental work done.

Mabel Konickson submitted to an operation for the removal of tonsils, Saturday.

Minnie Ulrich who is employed in Red Lake Falls spent Sunday afternoon at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. Ulrich.

The local base ball team gathered at the F. Ulrich farm Sunday to play against the Hazel team. The final score was 19-10 in favor of Hazel.

Fred Ulrich Jr. was a Red Lake business caller Monday.

To The Voters of Pennington County:

John Gullingsrud

Candidate for Re-election for

County Treasurer

Pennington County

Primary Election, June 16th

Respectfully solicits your vote and continued support, both of which will be appreciated.

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above named candidate in his own behalf, and paid for at advertising rates.)

Bray News

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mosbeck visited at the V. Scholin home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Scholin visited Sunday at the J. Johnson home.

John Scholin and family visited at the E. Larson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lindbloom visited Sunday at the J. O Swanson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Mosbeck visited Saturday evening at the Former home.

Mr and Mrs. Christ Person and daughters visited Sunday at the A. Hegstrom home.

Mrs. Harry Hawkinson received a telegram from Grove City stating that a relatives was seriously ill. She left Saturday for that place.

There will be Young People Society in the Black River church Sunday evening.

Fern Hawkinson, Lulu Hegstrom, Helen Olson and Alice Lindquist spent the week-end at their homes.

Miss Mabel Johnson instructer in the school at Kennedy spent the week-end at the I. Johnson, home.

Miss Viola Johnson of Minneapolis is visiting at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. I. Johnson.

DR. L. R. TWETE

Licensed Veterinarian

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Tuberculin Testing

Sea Eel a Menace

There is a species of sea eel which darts like lightning at a human victim and sinks its sharp teeth into an arm or ankle. A man would be helpless against one of these creatures were it not for a trick familiar to the Sooth sea natives. In its lightning-like dive the eel gets any grip it can and holds on. Then it waits for the victim to weaken, when it will relax its grip and try to get a more advantageous one. All the attacked person has to do is to endure the pain until the fish opens its mouth. Then, if the man moves quickly enough, it is possible to escape to the surface by pushing the creature away.

Inseparable

The head, and the heart, are not more vitally connected than thought and virtue.—William Ellery Channing.

Former Waste Utilized

Pecan oil, said to be agreeable of flavor, is now being manufactured from fine nut fragments formerly regarded as waste at pecan shelling plants.

Wyandotte News

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Hallin and son of Thief River visited at the N. Berg home Sunday afternoon on their return they were accompanied by Lillian Berg who will be employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg, Mr. and Mrs. A. Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Peterson and Anna, Richard, Elvin and Frank Peterson surprised Charly Samuelson at his home Thursday evening. The evening was spent in conversation and at 10 o'clock a delicious lunch was served by the self-invited guests.

Ole Odegaard of Hazel was a business caller at the John Albin home Friday evening.

Last Tuesday morning at the farm home here occured the death of Mrs. O. Noel. She had been ill for some time with pneumonia.

Mrs. Noel was born February 9, 1843, at Derby Vermont and moved to Waverly, Iowa 1895, where she lived for 12 years. She then moved to Albert Lea where she was united in marriage to Orrin Noel Sept. 1, 1918 living there until moving to Pennington county in 1925 where she had lived since. She is survived by her husband. Funeral services were held at Thief River. Rev. Grays officating.

Livestock Wanted

We are in the market for cattle, hogs and sheep at all times.

If you have anything suitable for shipping, either call on or telephone us at St. Hilaire and we will quote prices on your stock.

Highest market price paid in CASH for all kinds of stock.

Jacob Reek & Ed Durbin
St. Hilaire, Minn.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .84
Duram Wheat	.75
Rye	.48
Barley	.38
Oats	.28
Flax	2.47
Eggs, cash	.20
Creamery butter	.42

For All the World

"Sportsmanship," said Charlie Paddock, in the American Magazine, "knows no nationality. It is to be found wherever man play together."

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening Service at 8:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Suuday morning at 10:00 at Black River with Sunday school following.

The Luther League will meet at Black River church next Sunday evening. Talent from North Star College at Warren will be present to take part in the program of talks, music, etc. All are welcome.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Suuday, May 11
Services as follows:
St. Hilaire 11:00 A. M.
Sunday school at 10:00
Program by the Luther League for Mothers' Day, 8:00.
Clearwater Luth, 1:30 Amer.
St. Pauli, Luther League 3:00.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

The Spectator

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In Memoriam

In loviug remembrance of our dear daughters and sisters, Katherine and Adelaide, who left us two years ago, May 10 1928.

"Peaceful be thy slumber"
Sadly missed by us all,
Mr. and Mrs. K. T. Dalager, and family.

The Truth of It

If all the men who have been delayed at the office were to be placed end to end across the Sahara, there would be no one there.—Detroit News.

Long Enjoyed Pension

The last Revolutionary war widow receiving a pension was Esther Damon, widow of Noah Damon. She died November 11, 1906, at Plymouth, Vt.

Chick Feeds and Grit

We carry a complete line of Pillsbury's Chick and Turkey Mash.

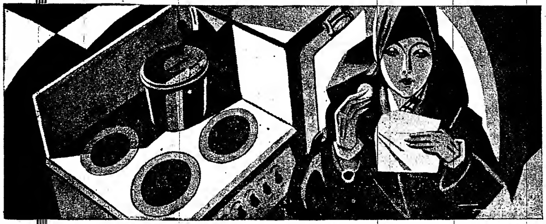
Also Meat Scraps, Charcoal, Bonemeal Grit and Oyster shells.

We can supply you with anything in line of feeds.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

The EASY way to cook a meal



THE EASY, modem way to cook a meal is by electricity. With an electric range in your kitchen, meals cook themselves. For instance dinner. You can put the entire meal from soup to dessert in the oven, set the heat and time controls, and leave it.

Go out for the day if you wish! While you are away the oven will turn itself on ... maintain the exact cooking heat required, and when the dinner is done . . . turn itself off. The insulated oven keeps the dinner hot until you arrive home to serve it.

Isn't it easy? Isn't this just the help you need to free you from the kitchen? Thousands of women are enjoying the freedom and added leisure hours the electric range has brought to them. You can too.

Visit our showroom and learn what a new electric range can do for you. Learn about its new speed, new economy, and its cleanliness.

Northern States Power Company.

3RD STEP ELECTRICITY

YOUR LOWEST PRICED DOMESTIC SERVANT

3rd Step ELECTRICITY means low cost electricity. It is the low Third Step of the residential electric rate which enables you to use any electric appliance at extremely low cost. Investigate and see if your home is on the Third Step Rate.

THE «POETRY» MAY BE TERRIBLE BUT THE SENTIMENT IS 100%

...Don't look upon repairs as an expense. They are the best investment you can make—pay you the largest profit.

Leaky roofs, lead to serious losses. Rot ruins many a fat pocket book. Rust raises havoc with bank accounts. Waste... needless waste! And all so easily prevented with a little paint, or a new roof.

A poor roof is almost as bad as none at all. Repair it now, and SAVE enough to buy the few cans of paint necessary to protect and beautify the balance of the building.

AND DON'T FORGET THAT L. F. C. EASY PAYMENT PLAN APPLIES TO REMODELING OLD HOMES AS WELL AS BUILDING NEW ONES

CENTRAL LUMBER CO.

Wm. Peterson, Manager St. Hilaire, Minn.

Hazel News

Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg motored to Thief River Monday evening to attend services at Rev. A. Bloom's church.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Prestby and Axel Rassmuson motored to Thief River Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Knutson and daughter Arlene called at the J. Gunstad home Saturday evening.

Geo. Gunderson county Supt. and Mrs. A. Pyne a State Institute worker visited at the Busy Bee school Tuesday.

A large group attended the Ladies Aid at St. Pauli church Wednesday, Mrs. Stene entertained.

The Busy Bee school held its closing event Tuesday in the form of a weiner and marshmallow roast.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Odegaard motored to Thief River Saturday, they were accompanied home by Lina Holton who attend school there.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Petersou, Mr. and Mrs. A. Peterson, Carl and Hjelmer Peterson, Frank, Alviu aud Anna Petersou, Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Petersou, Alfred Jeirn aud Margaret Berg called at the C. Samuelson home Thursday.

The Hazelites played the Red Lake group at the F. Ulrich farm Suuday afternoon. A large group of Hazel people accompanied our players. It seemed as though their presence helped to some extent, for the Hazelites brought home the "bacon" at a score of twenty to nine.

Rev. Dahle held the first meeting of his confirmation class in St. Pauli church Saturday. A class of six members were present. bnt more are expected to enter.

Mrs. Thorsviet and Melvin called at T. Johnson home Suuday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Finstad and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg and Maybelle and Miunie Steue were Thief River callers Sunday evening.

A large group gathered at th Busy Bee school Friday May 2, and pleasantly surprise Mae Keuuey, it beiug her birthday anniversary. A very fiue lunch was served aud Miss Kenney was presented with lovelv gifts.

Oscar and Morris Odegaard motored to Crookston Monday. Oscar retured from there to his scholastic duties at Concordia College, Moorhead.

Mr. and Mr. T. Johuson and daughter Mary Jane visited at the C. Asp home Sundav.

The St. Pauli choir met at the church for practice Friday eveniug.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Sandberg and Herman, Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and children and Herman Peterson were Sunday callers at the H. Sandberg home.

$720,899 in Road Contracts Let.

St. Paul, Minn.—Contracts were let on $720,899 in road work to low bidders by State Highway Commissioner Babcock. The bids included $482,958 for grading, $124,278 shouldering, $27.808 bridges and $45,765 for paving.

INHERITED DAD'S WORDS

"He married the great lexicographer's daughter."

"Yes; and he says she inherited all the words her father put into his dictionary."

They Say They Knead It

Although the modern maids,
Can neither cook nor sew,
They're not so ignorant
'Bout what to do with "dough."

Need Not Become Citizen

There is no law compelling an alien to become naturalized. This is a privilege and is not compulsory.

Great Corporation's Birth

The original Standard Oil company was organized under the laws of Ohio in 1870.

To the People of Pennington County:

Having filed for the office of Treasurer of Pennington County, I wish to state that I have been a resident of Pennington County 19 years, and a tax payer since 1915.

I am farming at the present time and have been for the past four years. Prior to moving on the farm I was employed by the Goodridge Merc. Co. of Goodridge, Oen Mer. Co. and the McFarland Auto Co. of Thief River Falls.

I have had 15 years experience as a bookkeeper and office employee.

I respectfully solicit your vote and support at the June 16 Primaries.

A. R. Johnsrud

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above named candidate in his own behelf, end peid for at edvertising rates.)

To The Voters of Pennington County:

Having filed for the office of Treasurer of Pennington County, I respectfully solicit your support at the June 16th Primaries.

Born in Minnesota of sturdy Norwegian pioneers, I have had opportunity to observe necessity of strict economy thru the lean years so sure to be a part of the early history of all communities. I have been in business, and a taxpayer of the county 19 years and have faith that by hard work, good sence, and spending according to our income, we shall have a happy, prosperous community.

If elected, I shall be on the job during office hours. No outside interest shall claim my time and attention. I shall hire no extra help, except if and when, needed. Will do all I can, as Treasurer, to carry out for the county, these economics I believe in.

Andrew Bottelson

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above named candidate in his own behalf, and paid for at advertising retes.)

Specials This Week
Friday and Saturday Only

Ripe Bananas, 3 lbs.	.29
Picnic Hams, per lb.	.23
Barley Bloom Malt Syrup	.49
Mens 2.20 wt. Overalls	.95
Tinopa Sardines, 5 cans	.23

Carlson Mercantile Co.
O. C. Johnson, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

School Proceedings

Postponed regular meeting of directors of Ind. School Dist. 102 held March 26th 1930.

All members present.

Minutes of last regular meeting approved as read.

On motion made and carried the following bills were allowed:-

Red River Power Co.	
Lights and Power	$8.59
M. H. Jackson	
Fruit Jars	$.95
Houghton-Mifflin Co.	$.55
Northern School Suppy Co.	$.43
Northern School Suppy Co.	$4.18

On motion made and carried Ruth Lee was elected high school teacher at a salary of $130.00 per month

On motion made and carried Nina Friestad was re-elected as high school teacher at a salary of $125.00 per month.

On motion made and carried John Costain was re-elected as 7th and 8th grade teacher at a salary of $100.00 per month

On motion made and carried Martha Launa was re-elected as 4th, 5th and 6th grade teacher at a salary of $105.00 per month and in the event that sbe teaches two grades next year at a salarv of $100.00 per month.

On motion made and carried Edna Hovie was re-elected as 1st, 2nd and 3rd grade teacher at a salary of $100.00 per month and in the event that she teaches two grades next year at a salary of $95.00 per month.

On motion made and carried E. N. Reiersgord was re-elected as Superintendent at a salary of $1900.00 per year.

On motion made and carried M. Fricker was rehired as janitor at the salary of $80.00 per month for a period of twelve months.

No futher business motion for adjourment carried.

E. O. Burkee
Clerk.

School Proceedings

Regular meeting of directors of Ind. School Dist. 102 held April 22nd 1930.

All members present except Roy.

Minutes of last regular meeting approved as read.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed.

Northern School Supply Co.	
Bill 3-29-30	$ 3.62
Northwestern Blaugas Co.	
Bill 4-1-30	7.50
Geo. F. Howard, Books	8.10
W. M. Welch Mfg. Co.,	
Diplomas	29.07

No further business motion for adjournment carried.

E. O. Burkee,
Clerk.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Hastings—James M. Millette of Hestings, stete senator, bas filed for re-election.

Winona—H. C. Witt hes filed as the fourteentb candidate for sberiff of Winooe county.

Hastings—Alfred M. Joyce, of South St. Peul, Dakota county attorney, has filed for re-election.

Brainerd—P. J. Long of Ironton has filed for tbe office of state representative from Crow Wing county.

Buffalo—The second test of Wright county cattie for tuberculosis was mede here. 58,000 animals were examined.

Litchfield—Floyd B. Olson, Hennepin county attorney, will apeak at dedication of a new scboolbouse in district No. 78.

Sandstone—A new building is under construction here on the site of the Eegles hall which was destroyed by fire in December.

Stillwater—This city has 652 persons less than it had 10 years ago. Ceusus figures reveal that Stillwater's present population is 7,083 as compared with 7,735 January 1, 1920.

Brainerd—County agents and home demonstration sgents from 15 counties meeting here at their annual session. Leaders in state and county farm work addressed the gathering.

Red Wing—A new cburch building will be coustructed here hy the St. John's cburch congregation at a cost of $65,000. Contract for the work is expected to be let within a few weeks.

Duluth—Ministers and lay delegates from Unitarian cburcbes of the state met here for the opening session of the Forty-third annual gathering of the Minnesota Unitarian Conference.

Calsdonia—The Caledonia Rotary Club at its annual meeting elected J. E. Stenehjem president, William B. locks.

Owatonna—The population of the state acbool for dependent and neglected children of Owatouna is 514 as compared with 193 in 1920, figures announced by Willia m Stradtmann, supervisor of ceusus at Mankato, disFlynn, vicepresident; Henry S. Glexrud, secretary-treasurer, and Edward Crotty, director.

Duluth—Charles M. Babcock, state highway commissioner, and Earle Brown, cbief of the state highway patrol, were principal speakers et a public meeting at the Dulnth Chamber of Commerce here.

Little Falls—Michael Karnowski is president of the newly organized Veterans of Foreign Wars post at Littlo Falls. Walter Johnson is senior vice-commander. Seventy men are charter members of the new post.

Northfiold—Members of the debate team of St. Olaf college bere, Irvin Hoff of McCall, Idaho, and G. Hale Aarness, of Claremont, S. D., participated in the Pi Kappa Delta national forensic convention at Wichita.

Northfield—Traveling entirely in chartered buses, the St. Olaf choir will sing 24 concerts in June on its way to New York to embark for its snmmer tour of Europe, P. G. Schmidt, manager of the organization, announced.

Annandale—Elizabeth Smith and Lois Cbeney are valedictorian and salntatorian, respectively, of the Annandale higb school gradusting class. Commencement exercises will be conducted May 28 with Mayor William F. Kunze of Minneapolis as speaker.

Winona—Complete census figures give Winona a population of 20,802. showing a gain of 1,659, or 8.6 per cent over 1920, when the count was 19,143, it was announced by Arthur True, of Austin, snpervisor for this district. Every ward showed gains.

St. Paul—Mrs. Jeanette W. Emrich, national secretary of the Committee on World Friendship Among Children gave a series of five addresses in the Twin Cities. This program is being sponsored by the Mexican peopls living in St. Paul, and will include an exhibit of Mexican handicraft.

Owatonna—James E. Cashman was elected president of tbe Owatonna Lions Clnb. Other officers are Otto J. Nelson, first vicspresident; F. Keen Young, second vicepresident; Robert K. Evans, secretary-treasurer; Eugene C. Toher, lion tamer; E. L. Messer, tail twister. Dr. F. V. Schradls, retiring president, was chosen director.

Owatonna—Four directors were re-elected and three nsw members named to the board of the Owatouna Rotary Olnb at the annual election bere. Directors renamed were President A. B. Stewart, Secretary F. C. Preston, A. N. Kalb and William C. Eder, while the new directors include Frank A. Dostal, James M. Peterson and Rev. Arthur C. Smith.

Bird island—Commencement exercises at the local school will be conducted May 28. The class numbers nine. Donald Puffer is valedictorian and Margaret Hartwig is saintatorian. Rev. J. G. Morgan of Glencoe will be commencement speaker.

FOR SALE, etc.

We are again offering our purebred and graded Milking Shorthorn bull calves for sale. Sired by Jennie's Producer, that had headed our herd the past nine years, and Glenside Butter King used for three yeers. Senior Sire, Jennie's Producer, by Reyburn Producer out of Greybird 11,886—555-lbs. test 4.66 per cent. 7 year everage 10,000 lbs. Dam, Jewel's Jennie Palmer (held high record for Shorthorns in Senior 2 year Class in Minnesota for 6 years, and in April 1920 was the highest producer of milk and B. F. in the 4 year old class for Shorthorns in tbe United States) by Jeweler 2nd (by Cyrus Cley out of Jewel) out of Jennie Lee, 2 yeer everage 9,409—335-lbs. Junior Sire Glenside Butter King whose 7 nearest dams everage 11,401 lbs., by Glenside Dairy King (24 record dams) out of Mamies Minnie, 16,-201 lbs. Dam, Dore Cranford 10,417—436 lbs. by Royal Cranford (16 dams evereging 10,566 lbs.) out of Dorothy, 10,540 lbs.

The earlier you come, the larger the number of calves you cen choose from.

Sivert Mickelson,
Plummer, Minn.

Fence Posts For Sale:- Several hundred white cedar fence posts for sale at the A. P. Hegstrom farm in Bray township. Call at the farm.

John Stomberg,
A17-M8p R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

To The Voters:

Having filed for re-election for the office of Sheriff of Pennington County, at the primaries June 16, 1930, your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.

O. L. Ihle,
Pol. Adv. Thief River Falls, Minn.

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A finely ground mixture which you reduce gallon for gallon with Pure Raw Linseed Oil.

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Banquet Saturday

The annual banquet given by the Junior Class in honor of the graduating class of the local high school will take place Saturday evening this week at the school building. The Ladies' Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will serve the banquet luncheon again this year as they did a year ago. There are fourteen members in the graduating class this year.

Waldal Has Hard Luck

Owing to his application for filing being delayed in the mails and not reaching the Secretary of State office until the morning following the closing date for filing, Marius Waldal of Plummer will not have his name on the ballots next fall as a candidate for Representative from this district. After being urged by his friends in all parts of the 65th District to become a candidate Mr. Waldal decided to accede to wishes of his friends by filing, with result as above stated.

While it is impossible as yet to state what Mr. Waldal will do, he has a host of friends in Pennington County who feel he a strong enough candidate to make a good run by the sticker mothod which is permissable under such circumstances. Mr. Waldal made a good record as a legislator when he formerly represented this district, and he can be assured good support from this section should he agree to be a candidate for that position again.

Here From Cass Lake

A. F. Ittner, who is assistant postmaster at Cass Lake, was here Monday for a visit with Mrs. Ittner's parents Mr. and Mrs. Peter Simonson. Mr. Ittner will be recalled by all the oldtimers as he was employed in the Spectator office for a number of years during mill days.

Cities and villages thruout the northwest almost all show a decrease in population according to figures given out by the different census supervisors. St. Hilaire shows a small loss which was expected, as several farms that were part of the village in 1920 have since been detached and added to surrounding townships. Counting the population in the portions detached same as was done in 1920, this place has approximately the same population as at that time.

Short Course, June 3-5

Eight hundred boys and girls will attend the annual Short Course to be given at the University Farm, St. Paul, from June 3 to 5. Out of this number, two hundred will attend as guests of the Minneapolis Journal. Among the latter, who will attend from this county, is listed Paul Jepson, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Jepson, who gets a free trip for showing outstanding progress in 4H Club work.

Rev. Bloom To Grand Forks

Rev. Aner Bloom, pastor of the Swedish Lutheran church at Thief River Falls, recently accepted a call to the pastorate of the Swedish Lutheran church at Grand Forks and will leave for that city this summer.

Postmaster Examinations

The U. S. Civil Service Commission has announced an examination to be held at Thief River Falls, to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth class postmaster at Wylie. Receipt of applications will close June 6th, and examination date will be announced thereafter. Applicants must reside in the territory supplied by the postoffice named, and have reached their 21st, but not their 65th birthday on date of examination.

Harwood Olson, who has taken instruction in the printing school at Dunwoody Institute at Minneapolis the past winter, returned home Friday.

Notice:- Will be in St. Hilaire to look after business matters of the Farmers State Bank on Wednesday May, 21st.

L. E. Healy
Spec. Deputy Ex.

Fresh Fish:- Will have fresh fish at the Carlson Merc. Co store at St. Hilaire, Friday this week.

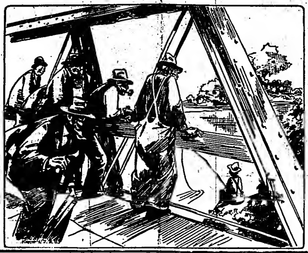
Art Hendrickson

Chick starter and buttermilk mash sold by M. H. Jackson. adv

On last day of Special Sale, Saturday while stock lasts - Six - End Wrench Set, extra special 39c. Regular catolog price 69c. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Try a wantadv.

Spring Fever



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

George Wilson and family moved yesterday to the Stephenson farm northwest of town.

Steel cut oatmeal and rolled oats for baby chicks and turkeys is sold by M. H. Jackson. adv.

Dr. L. Twete, the veterinarian, was down Monday from Thief River in response to a couple calls from east of town.

Lud Gullickson and family plan to move in the near future from the Nelson block to the G. N. section house.

Vernon Hagglund, who is employed in a job printing shop at Fargo, was here last week-end for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Hagglund.

A fire of nnknown origin, caused considerable damage Saturday night at the Wieberg bakery at Red Lake Falls.

N. J. Anderson, candidate for county auditor, was down yesterday from Thief River, interviewing the votors and calling on friends.

Country roads as well as some of the town streets were a mire last week-end following rains which fell every day and night last week.

Joe Hauge, who was in the cafe business at Fosston up to a short time ago when he sold out, has moved with his family to his former home at Bemdiji.

A heavy coating of coarse gravel has been spread on T. H. No. 32 on two blocks thru town. When this is leveled out, the street will be back in good shape.

Fishing season in this state opens today for certain species of game fish. It is now permissable to take pike, pickeral, rock bass and perch with hook and line.

Monday was the biggest day in point of cream receipts that the creamery has had for some years. Every available vat and other receptacle was put into commission to handle the cream that day.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg left Monday morning for Minneapolis where the former will attend a conference of Mission churches of the Northwest, and the latter will visit with her relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanson were down last Sunday from Thief River Falls for a visit with their parents.

A splendid Mothers' Day program was given last Sunday evening at the Norwegian Lutheran church.

Miss Mae Kinny finished teaching a term of school at Hazel last week, and departed for her home at Thief River Falls.

Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained by Mrs. G. Peterson and Mrs. B. Walseth at the church Friday, May 23rd.

Paul Roy and Sever Skottem were over at Grand Forks last week and brot back a new Pontiac sedan which the latter purchased thru the Roy Motor Company some time ago.

Halvor Viken, who recently returned after spending over a year in Montana, to make his home northeast of here where he former ly resided, died Friday following a stroke of paralysis. Funeral services were held Tuesday.

Miss Laura Simonson, who is employed at Minneapolis, came Sat urday evening for a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Simonson. She returned Sunday night to Minneapolis.

John Hogquist, who is employed at one of the mines near Virginia, came up last week to visit with his parents and other relatives, and to look after matters of business. He returned yesterday to Virginia.

J. Erlandson of Mayfield, was in the village Tuesday attending to matters of business. Mr. Erlandson has just finished taking the census in four townships in Kittson county where he was publisher of the Bronson Budget.

Fence Posts:- Will have another carload of white cedar fence posts in St. Hilaire latter part of the month.

Anyone wanting posts at money saving prices, Call or write Paul Thyren.

M15-22p R1, Hazel, Minn

Stray dogs killed several sheep at the Norman place yesterday morning, according to reports. Sheep owners are planning to assess all such damages to owners of the dogs whenever the latter can be identified.

Birthday Party

The R. L. Hauge home was the scene of a family gathering last Sunday, the occasion being Mr. Hauge's 85th, birthday anniversary and also Mother's Day. With the exception of Sam Hauge, who was ill at his home at Bagley, all mem bers of the family were present to help Mr. and Mrs. Hauge spend a very pleasant day. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hauske and family, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson of this place, Oscar Hauge and family of Thief River Falls, Joe Hauge and family, Tom Vigen, Gordon Vigen, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Phillips, all of Bemidji, and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Finstad.

Numerous friends in St. Hilaire and vicinity join in extending congratulations to Mr. Hauge, and in expressing a hope that he will be present at many more similar gatherings in years to come.

Short Course At A. C.

Four hundred 4H Club members are expected to attend the annual Junior Short Course to be held at Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston, June 9-12. This course is open to all boys and girls in northwestern Minnesota between the ages of twelve and twenty-one.

Dogs Kill Sheep

Sheep owners in this vicinity complain that stray dogs are causing depredations in their flocks. A number of mature sheep have been wounded, and a number of lambs killed. Owners of such dogs are responsible for any damage caused, so it behooves every dog owner to know where his dog is and what he is doing. A dog that will harass sheep is worthless anyway, and should be killed.

The undertaking business at Thief River Falls, which was conducted several years by Mr. Larson, and later sold to Mr. Whalen, was sold again last week to A. Yngve, a former resident of Middle River.

Clarence W. Swenson, former local young man, who has been employed for some years at the Fisher auto body works at Flint, Mich., has severed his connection with that firm, and is now located at Canton, Ill.

He conducts a general auto body repair plant at Canton, and is enjoying a nice run of business. Clarence sends greetings to his many friends in this vicinity.

A Fine Class Play

The local high school Senior Class play entitled "In Cherry Time" was given to well filled houses at the Imperial hall both Friday and Saturday evenings of last week. A matinee performance was given Friday afternoon for the school children.

The play as well as the stage setting, differed somewhat from the usual class plays, and was well received. The young folks that composed the cast had been carefully trained for the production, and every member took his or her part exceptionally well. The Class of 1930 is to be congratulated on its play which was thoroly enjoyed by all who saw it.

25 Years Ago

Roads were almost impassable at that time due to heavy and continued rains.

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Jake Thill, the Wylie wheat buyer, was attending to business matters here.

—xxv—

Mrs. W. A. Arthur and children came in from the Reservation to spend a few weeks.

—xxv—

H. D. Pettibone was above Thief River Falls helping the big new tow boat to start up the river.

—xxv—

Farmers in this vicinity combined and bought a new threshing machine outfit for use by members of the organization.

—xxv—

Clearwater county was to have a county seat fight as the village of Shevlin served notice of circulating a petition to move the county seat from Bagley.

—xxv—

A couple citizens were trying to dodge payment of sidewalk taxes on property here. A hearing in the matter was to be held at Red Lake Falls that week.

—xxv—

A dance will be given at the hall at Hazel next Saturday evening.

FREE! During our May Sale beginning May 10- Spray nozzle with each 100 feet of Double - Double Garden Hose at 7-1-2c per ft. Guaranteed lawn tools, mowers and sprinkers at all Gamble Stores.

Your Opportunity and Ours

It has always been our aim to give first consideration to home interests. In every possible way, it is our desire to further the prosperity of this section and the welfare of our depositors.

You can assist this program by doing your banking here, influencing your friends to do the same, and by talking favorably of your community to strangers.

Prosperity is not a matter of chance. It comes as result of efforts we put forth to benefit each other.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Boost It Along

This creamery did not just grow here of its own accord. Those who organized it, gave freely of their time and money, and helped it along with liberal patronage to bring it up to its present state. If you are a cream producer, and are not a shareholder, buy a share or two in this community enterprise.

United effort by all cream producers in this territory, will make the creamery the largest and best in this section. Do your bit.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

To The Voters of Pennington County:

Owing to the fact that I am running the Auditor's Office without the assistance of a Deputy, it will be impossible for me to make a personal canvas of the voters of the County, before the primary election and I take this method of announcing my candidacy to succeed myself as County Auditor.

Since my appointment to the office last December, I have been husy revising the accounting system in your County to make it conform to State Standards and give the Taxpayers a more comprehensive system of accounting whereby they can more readily see where the tax dollar is being spent. This is no small joh for one man to undertake and can hardly he completed before my term expires.

My revision of the system of handling delinquent taxes saved the County $471.00 on the 1928 judgment. I will effect a saving of at least $1,250.00 in clerk hire in the Auditor's office this year hy reason of the fact that I am experienced and do not require the service of a high priced accountant as deputy. The School Districts of the County will receive $41,000.00 in hack apportionment due them, by reason of my correcting the system of distributing tax penalties to conform to the law. These are a few of the outstanding achievements in my short term of office.

There is hut one way to keep taxes down. That is to limit your expenditures to your means and elect competent and efficient officials. The Auditor's Office is the most important office in your County. Do not let Friendship or Sympathy influence your vote but do your duty by casting your ballot for the candidate you consider best qualified to serve you efficiently and economically.

If elected I pledge myself to continue this program of economy which I have inaugurated. I will work out a hudget of expenditures and levies for the County which will take it out of deht. I will see that this budget is lived up to. I will conduct my office without the assistance of a deputy, thereby saving the County $1,250.00 per year in clerk hire. Compare this pledge to what my opponents have to offer before casting your ballot. I have had twenty years experience in Accounting and Auditing and for the past eight years have been a deputy Auditor before coming to Pennington County. I solicit your support solely on my ability to serve you more efficiently and economically than my opponents. If my service in the office during this short term meets with your approval, your vote and support will he appreciated.

HARRY L. FOWLER

Candidate to Succeed Himself as County Auditor
Pennington County.

Political Advertisement: inserted by Harry L. Fowler in his own behalf, for which regular rates will be paid.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION.

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota. } ss.

TO Chas. Witzmaski.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcele of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Northeast Quarter of Southeast Quarter (NE¼ SE¼) Section 34, and Northwest Quarter of Southwest Quarter (NW¼ SW¼) Section 35, Township 153, Range 43.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 9th day of May, 1927, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 19th day of March, 1927, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1925, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land was sold for the sum of Forty-four Dollars and Fourteen cents.

(3) And that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of One Hundred Eighty-five Dollars and Seventy-one cents, and interest at the rate of twelve per cent per annum on $44.14 thereof from said 9th day of May 1927, to the day such redemption is made, and interest on $141.57 thereof at the rate of 12 per cent per annum, from the 25th day of March 1930, to the day thereof redemption is made.

(4) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(5) That the time for the redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 9th day of May, 1930.

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor, Pennington County, Minn.
(Official Seal)
Approved June 10, 1921,
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. M 15-29

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota. } ss.

TO A. F. Schrader.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Northeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter (NE¼ NE¼) Section 16, Township 152, Range 43.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the ninth day of May, 1927, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the Nineteenth day of March, 1927, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1925, for said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was duly bid in for the state for the sum of Twenty-one Dollars and Eighty cents.

(3) That the said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the Twenty-second day of April 1930, for the sum of Ninety-three Dollars and Eighty cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Ninety-three Dollars and Eighty cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $93.80 thereof from the Twenty-second day of April 1930, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(5) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this ninth day of May, 1930.

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor, Pennington County, Minn.
(Official Seal)
Approved June 10, 1921,
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
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To The Voters of Pennington County:

John Gullingsrud

Candidate for Re-election for

County Treasurer

Pennington County

Primary Election, June 16th

Respectfully solicits your vote and continued support, both of which will be appreciated.

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above named candidate in his own behalf, and paid for at advertising rates.)

This Week

by ARTHUR BRISBANE

A Billion Dollar Target
Chicago's Big Gain
Successful Miss Hollins
Mr. Wells' Chimpanzee

On the ferry from Jersey City to Liberty street one morning recently you saw flocks of airplanes above the money district reaching from the East to the North rivers and from the Battery to Canal street.

Lazily floating in the air above the water were two big blimps and the navy's giant Los Angeles.

Later you learned that New York was bombed, skyscrapers and banks destroyed by 140 military planes, and, most interesting, the navy's great fleet parading below had been sent to the bottom of the water.

That was theoretical. But if it had been real war there would have been no theory; instead, a great city and fleet wiped out.

If 140 planes, one dirigible and two blimps could work such havoc, what could a real fighting air fleet do, such as the French fleet, for instance, with 5,000 airships?

"Nearly complete" census figures give Chicago more than 3,350,000 inhabitants.

That is a gain of 648,000 since the last census and almost 13,000 more than Chicago's Association of Commerce expected.

And Chicago hasn't "shown anything yet." Wait until 5,000 seaplanes coming from Europa on one side, Asia on the other, drop daily on the smooth waters of Lake Michigan. That is coming, and then Chicago will have a real population, spreading to Milwaukee on one side, Gary on the other.

Pope Pius, who has installed a broadcasting station in the Vatican, will, according to an Associated Press dispatch, initiate the use of the station with a personal address sent to the faithful everywhere.

That scientific miracle would have amazed the ancient popes.

Charles M. Schwab, in pleasant optimism, says 1930 will be a year of normal progress. "Business is better today than it was six or nine months ago," says he.

A million women, burning with the desire to be "independent," although nobody is independent, will be interested in Miss Marion Hollins. Years ago she was champion female golfer. Now she takes her place in big business as an able "oil woman." She made up her mind that if men could do it she could, went into oil financing, and a recent sale netted her $2,500,000.

Did you read H. G. Wells' interesting statement about the higher apes? They can "think ahead" a little. No other animal except man, not even monkeys with tails, can do it.

Without being taught, a chimpanzee will take one stick, insert it in the hollow of another stick, and, with the added length of stick, draw a banana into his cage.

Since the beginning of time no other animal but man could think as much as that.

Consider what man does now, weighing the stars, measuring the electrons inside of an atom, and only 12,000 years ago he was using sharp flints for weapons, not far ahead, mentally, of the chimpanzee. What will he do 10,000,000 years hence?

News from Burma tells of many deaths by earthquake and tidal wave. Ancient pagodas were rocked to destruction. From the top of one, the Shwe-Dagon pagoda, there fell a huge weather vane of solid gold said to be worth $1,200,000.

Many devout Burmans doubtless asked themselves what particular god had become annoyed, just what had annoyed him and how he could be placated.

This country's workers and industrialists need protection, and should have it.

Our people come first, other people second.

But intelligence should control even the tariff. It is possible to overdo the business of discouraging friendly nations with whom we deal.

President Musy of the Swiss republic wires President Hoover: "I am compelled to call attention to the fact that your watch and lace duties will, eventually, paralyze our industries."

The Swiss National Chamber of Commerce recommends the boycott of American goods, especially autos.

That suggestion means little to us. But we should take seriously the danger of hopelessly discouraging Swiss industries, offending and injuring the good people of Switzerland.

She lives apart and few will know when her career ends.

But Cancalaise, Jersey cow of Mount Kisco, New York, is a champion female worthy of honor.

Last year she produced 1,072.7 pounds of butterfat, and 18,822 pounds of milk.

Such cows could help to solve the farm problem. They are, in their way, as remarkable as machinery in mass production factories.

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They Know Everything

Poor Harry starved to death one day
Because he had no dough:
He tried to sell a little book,
"What Every Girl Should Know."

The Barber Passes

A young chap with an eyebrow mustache came in and asked of the barber? "Can you trim my mustache?

"I'd rather not. I'm a bit shaky this morning. One false move and the whole thing would be gone."

Sometimes Duty a Pleasure

Mr. Van Nagg—Say, Jane, I think you fib a little occasionally.

Mrs. Van Nagg—Well, I think it is a wife's duty, John.

Mr. Van Nagg—A wife's duty?

Mrs. Van Nagg—Yes, to speak well of her husband occasionally.

The Better Name

"Isn't the man you were talking to a lobbyist?"

"No," answered Senator Sorghum. "He's one of those chaps who sell influence they can't deliver. He's no lobbyist. He's a short-change performer."—Washington Star.

Natural Question

Johnny (as his grown-up sister adds the finishing touches to her toilet)—Why do you put all that stuff on your face, Alice?

Alice—To make me look pretty.

Johnny—Well, why doesn't it?—Stray Stories.

WORSE STILL

Mary—She let that fool kiss her.
Marie—But worse still, she let that kiss fool her.

Wyandotte News

Miss Lillian Berg returned home Friday evening after spending a week at the Albin Hallin home at Thief River.

David Haugen, was a business caller at the Peter Kolseth home Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hanson and daughter called at the Peter Kolseth home Thursday.

Mrs. Sophria Peterson returned home Friday evening after visiting relatives at McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs Clarence Hanson and daughter of Portland N. D. have been visiting the past week at the Ole Hanson home.

Mrs. Emma Samuelson visited Sunday afternoon at the Ray Rockwell home.

Margaret Berg and Marie Kolseth visited at the John Albin home Sunday afternoon.

Those who attend high school at near by towns spent the week end with their parents are as follows, Harritte Bruggeman, Selma Wilson, Marie Kolseth and Laura Schack.

Snake's Meals Infrequent

The great constrictors such as the python and boa take a long time to kill and prepare a meal and still longer to swallow it. Digestion goes on for many days, and even in a country full of game, a constrictor does not kill more than once a month.

First "Angel of Mercy"

Fabiola, the first nurse recorded in history, was a Roman woman who established a hospital and convalescent home for the poor after her conversion to Christianity, about 380 A. D.

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of J. C. Dahl Decedent;

The State of Minnesota, to All Whom it May Concern:

WHEREAS, Edith B. Dahl has filed in this Court her petition stating, among other things, that she is a daughter and a legal heir of the above named decedent; that said decedent died intestate, a resident of the County of Yellowstone, State of Montana, left property in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and was a citizen of the United States of America; and praying that administration of his estate be granted to James A. Dahl, Lockhart, Minn.

THEREFORE, You are hereby cited to he and appear before said Court on the 7th day of June 1930 at 10 o'clock A. M. in the Court House in the city of Thief River Falls in said County and State and show cause, if any you have, why said petition should not he granted.

Dated May 12th 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Probate Judge.

M. A. & A. D. Brattland
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Ada, Minn.
M-15-29

DR. L. R. TWETE

Licensed Veterinarian

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Tuberculin Testing

Too Deep for Him

"I've been planting rhubarb roots and sweet potato roots and strawberry roots for well onto forty years," grumbled Farmer Jones, "but consarn if I know them Greek and Latin roots that fool boy, John, writes home from college about."—Pathfinder Magazine.

Silent Piano

A "dumb piano" is an instrument like a small piano in form having a keyboard of narrow compass, but neither hammers nor strings. It is intended for silent finger practice, merely for increasing the mechanical dexterity of the fingers.

Grandmothers at Twenty-Two

In India there are more than 8,000,000 child wives, of whom nearly 4,000 are under five years of age. Nearly 80,000 girls under five are widows, and it is not uncommon to find girls who are grandmothers at the age of twenty-two.

Early Labor Brotherhood

The first labor organization destined to exert a national influence was the Knights of Labor, founded in 1869 by Uriah S. Stephens, a Philadelphia garment worker, and was a secret society, with ritual grip and password.

Finding Trouble

It is true the man who is looking for trouble can always find it, but the man who isn't looking for it occasionally stumbles into it, too. That is why it isn't always wise to trust altogether to luck.

Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council of the village of St Hilaire, Minn, held at the village hall May 5th, at 8 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed as read:

Roy Sumpter	
Attending hearing at Thief River Falls	$2.00
Mike Highland	
Man and team	$29.90
A. Satterberg	
Expenses of council at Thief River Falls	$3.20
Ole Branum labor	$10.33
Peter Simonson labor	$7.70
O. Gunstad proceedings	$2.25
Merchants State Bank	
Premium on insurance of the village hall	$19.35
John Forseen	
Salary for April	$7.50
Red River Power Co.	
Lights	$34.30

Ordinance No. 24 in regard to gasoline pumps and filling stations in the village was read and on motion duly made and carried accepted

Being that the Henry Seeland case was decided against the village council decided to appeal to the District Court.

On motion duly made and carried, meeting adjourned.

A. Satterberg, President — M. Fricker, Clerk

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(Corrected On Thursday)

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Barley	.38
Oats	.29
Flax	2.42
Eggs, cash	.16
Creamery butter	.40

River News

Dave Gustafson of Thief River called at the E. H. Stephens home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gieseke and sons called at the Fred Ulrich home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bothman are the happy parents of a daughter born Wednesday. Both mother and child are getting along nicely.

Robert Bonrden of Red Lake Falls candidate for county Sheriff, was in this vicinity Friday interviewing the votors and calling on old triends.

Gerald Stephens of Angus spent the week-end at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Larson and sons who have made their home at Minneapolis for some time, arrived Monday morning with a truck load of household goods and will occupy the Bruce farm which they have leased.

Mr. Larson reports the roads are in very poor condition due to the continual rain.

In spite of the raiu the pupils to-gether with their teecher Miss Norman and parents of Dist. 236 had a very eujoyable time at the closing day picnic Friday. After a very toothsome dinner, games and contests furnished eutertainment of the afternoon. Everyone present reported having spent a very enjoyable day.

Outside friends prosent at the picnic were Rev. end Mrs. Dahlberg, Geo. Norman, Helon Wilson, Mrs. Paul Gieseke and sons and Betty Joe Johnson.

THE CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, May 18th.

Services as follows;

St. Hilaire, Sunday school at 10:00
Ebenezer, Mayfield Services 11:00
St. Pauli, 2:30 p. m.

The Dorcas Society meet Saturday at 2:30. Mrs. Winter and Miss Anna Rosette entertain.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Communion services in the local church next Sunday morning at 10:30. Communion services will also be held in the Clara church that afternoou at 3:00.

Seek Opportunity

The wise young man goes ou a still hunt for opportunity without waiting for it to coma and knock on his door.—Capper's Weekly.

Test of Will Power

You don't ueed lessons by mail to develop will power. Just practice passing a crowd without stopping to investigate.—San Francisco Chronicle.

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My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

Stylish Language, Indeed!

PERSONALLY I can vouch for the anthenticity of this oue. It happened lu the town where I was born and reared.

For years, a certain worthy and highly intelligent old colored woman did our family weshing. She almost was a member of the household. One Saturday night after she hed fetched the week's laundry she sat in the kitchen of our home favoring her feet before she started ou her return trip to her own house a mile and a half away. My mother came to the kitchen door to chat with her a little while.

From remarks which the old woman let fall, my mother gathered that Aunt Milly, although very devout, did uot seem to care deeply for the present pastor of her church.

"Mis' Manie," said Aunt Milly, "I'm goin' to tell you how I put that there biggoty preachin' man in his place. Yere yistiddy evenin' jest fo' suppertime, I wuz eettiu' ou my frout po'ch w'en the Rev'n Rogers come aloug hy. He sees me settin' there an' he stops an' fumbies with the gate latch an' he eez to me he sez, 'Sist' Carter, I would heve speech with thee'—just lak thet."

"Now, Mis' Manie, I ain't aimin' to let no nigger whetsoever, even if he is a min'ster of the gospel, use mo' stylish language 'en whut I kin. So I sez right beck to him, I sez, 'Rev'n, draw nigh an' yo' shall be heard!'"

"So he undo'd the gate an' come on up the welk to my do'step. But uo eoouer do he start lu to speak 'en I know whut 'tis he's fixin' to say. He fixin' to ax my sympathy on 'count of that tore-down limb of a onmarried deughter of his'n hevin' got herself mixed up in a scandalizin' an' bein' tewked about all over the neighborhood. So, jest soou ex I sees whut he'e drivin' at, I tho'ws up my right hand like this, an' I sez, to him, I sez:

"'Rev'n,' I sez, 'Hold! Yere last fall' I sez, 'we'u my hushand Isaigh Carter, et the age of seventy-fo', w'en he should a' knowed better, wuz mekkin' hisse'f kind of promisc'us by hangin' round two of the lady members of the cougregation, an' I went to you,' I sez, 'an' axed you, as the pastor, to 'monstrate wid him, whut did you do? Jest because he'd done give you five dollars fur the new organ fund, you tole me to shet up my bleck mouth an' go home an' 'tend to my own hizness.

"'Rev'n,' I sez, 'ez ye sows, so shall ye reaps! Rev'n, pass ou!'"

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Uncle Abner's Will

By ROSE MEREDITH

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BETTY LASHER waved her hand as the smart blue car swung around the corner; a straw hat waved goodby as the car vanished. Betty was still smiling when she entered the cool living room and blinked her pansy-brown eyes at Uncle Abuer. The elderly gentleman looked over his spectacles and frowned.

"Who was that young man, Betty?"

"George Farnum, Uncle Abuer," yawned Betty, pulling off her hat.

"H-hm!" Uncle Abner always cleared his throat when he was about to say something disagreeable. Betty sat down primly on the comfortable old sofa. "H-hm," repeated Mr. Cory, "Am I to understand that you have broken your engagement to Jack?"

Betty twisted the diamond on her left hand and blushed.

"Broken my engagement to Jack? No, indeed, Uncle dear; but Jack is away off in Kansas now, and it is dull—George has been so good to take me around."

"George is a fine fellow."

"Isn't he?" cried Betty.

"Jack is a fine fellow, too," pursued Mr. Cory, dryly.

"We know that," murmured Betty, blushing furiously. She picked up her hat and turned toward the hall.

"Elizebeth!" called Uncle Abner coldly, "does Jeck know that you have been receiving attentions from George?"

"I have told him about the rides," said Betty.

A few days later Betty sat on the front porch knitting a gay sweater. Inside the library Uncle Abner was talking to his lawyer, Daniel Smith. Their voices rose and fell in endless discussion of stocks. Betty's wandering thonghts were halted hy the sonnd of Mr. Cory's thin voice, speaking with the slow distinctness that alwaya marked his dictation:

"All the rest and résidne of my estate . . . I give and beqneath to my heloved niece, Elizaheth Lasher . . . provided she hecomes the wife of George Humphrey Farnum . . ." rumhle, rumhle, Betty heard no more.

She hed overheard that much because Uncla Ahner hed spoken londer, as if to impress his lewyer with the words. Pale and tremhling, afraid of she knew not whet, Betty crept away from tha porch and ran ont to the shady orchard, where she sat down on the grass to think things out as she had done when ehe was a girl.

What a chaotic thing life was!

What about Jack Monroe?

"Well, whet about him?" thought Betty, as she pictured herself proceeding up the aisle of St. Matthew's church on Uncle Abner's arm, if he were still alive, to meet George Humphrey Farnum—George, smiling and blond, the pink of perfection in husbands, rich, handsome, clever.

A wood thrush high in an old tree sang his evening hymn.

Tears came into the girl's eyes. The thrush—she liked to helieve it was the same bird—hed witnessed her hetrothal to Jack—the tender song always mede her homesick with longing for her lover. Now she listened with tears running down her cheeks. She would go to Jack now—tonight—they would be married et once and she would work so hard for him. Uncle Abner could leave all his money to George Farnum and welcome.

A very careful looking Betty walked into the house and ran plump into Uncle Ahner.

He looked at her over the top of his spectacles. "Well, my dear," ha said mildly. "George Farnum telephoned . . . he asked to have you ring him up . . . something about a barn dance."

"Bother!" muttered this strange Betty, who loved to dance and who could dance the soles from her pretty slippers any time."

"You will call him up?"

Betty flashed around on him. "Do you want me to go with him?"

"My dear child, please yourself," said the old man, smiling benignly.

"I will not go," interrupted Betty feverishly. "I must confess that I was sitting on the porch and overheard a few words you said to Mr. Smith—that about your will—and leaving me some money provided—pro-vi-d-d-ed I married G-george Farnum!"

"H-h-mm!"

"Yes, I did, and then I went down to the orchard. I have mede np my mind to go to Jack et once . . . tomorrow . . . and get married and we will live in a hut on c-c-canned beans and t-things. Money isn't everything, Uncle Abner, and I do appreciate all your love and kindness to an orphaned girl—hnt I love Jeck."

"My dear! My dear!" Uncle Abner petted the bright head leaning against the uewel post, "Why—why—yon have made me the happiest man in tha world—I was afraid you would marry George . . . and I wasn't sure which one you really loved and so I had Smith call, and I dictated that change in my will on purpose so that you could hear it . . . hut it doesn't mean anything. You and Jack are my children and I hope yon are coming here to live in my lonely house!" Betty was in his arms now, crying.

"And Jeck is coming home tomorrow. Here is his telegram—and e September wedding would be just the thing, my dear!" rumbled the old man as they mounted the stairs together.

Out in the orchard the thrush sang.

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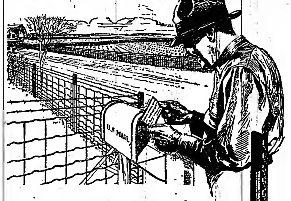

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MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Willmar—Electing P. A. Gandrud president, the Kandiyohi County Taxpayers Association has heen formad hare.

Minnsapolis—Nearly $2,000 was made for hlind peopla of Minneapolis at the exhibit and sale of articles hare.

Mankato—The population of New Ulm in 7,304, a gain of 559 in 10 years. St. James gained 135, now having 2808.

St. Paul—Five minntes after Julius Schmahl, state treasurer parked his car in front of the state capitol it was stolen.

Gracaville—Miss Delia Keekkeboom of Owatonna will ha supervisor at the local Western Minnesota hospital after May 1.

Duluth—Tha 14th annual convention of the Minnasota Sociaty of Chiropodists was held hera with ahont 75 members attending.

Anoka—Leads H. Cutter has beeu appointed Anoka county attorney to fill tha vacancy causad hy tha death of John P. Coleman.

Alexandria—At the annual meeting of tha Donglas County Red Cross chapter Miss Lorayne Larson of Alexandria was raturned as chairman.

Duluth—Activities at tha Duluth Boat Clnh, formar "sport canter", will he formally started May 24. The city has leased tha clnh for one year.

Owatonna—John R. Morley is Steela county's district candidate for the saat in the state lagislature left vacant hy the death of Represantativa E. H. Naylor.

Duluth—En route from Hibhing to a Dulnth party, Mandê Coyna of Hibhing and Rnth Norman of Two Harhors were killed when thair car overturnad.

Mankato—Mrs. Amy E. Hnghes, wife of Evan Hnghes, formar jndge of prohata court, filed as a candidate for ths state lagislatnra from Blna Earth county.

Cleveland—Maynard Hankins is valedictorian of tha Claveland high school. Lucilla Thomas is salntatorian. Commancament exercises will ha condncted May 29.

Hastings—Mayor W. F. Kunze of Minnaapolis, who formerly served as suparintendant of schools in Hastings, will delivar tha principal address hare Mamorial day.

Ellsndale—S. O. Askar of Browarville has haan elacted hy the Ellandala hoard of adncation to snccead H. L. Point as snparintendent of tha local puhlic schools.

Stillwater—One of the three midwast spacial first aid and lifa saving training institntas of the American Red Cross will he conducted near here Juna 12 to 21.

Clearwatsr—Frand in tha appraisal of fonr tracta of state lands in 1905 hes led to a decision hy the Clearwater connty District Conrt cancalling tha fonr sales.

Fergus Falls—Moorhaad high school won four places in tha district No. 2 typawriting and shorthand contest hald hara in which 55 studenta from 11 schools took part.

Hibbing—Norman Fairhanks, veteran game warden here, diad of pnaumonia snparinduced hy loss of hlood and axposura, having haen shot hy an illegal trapper. A possa is hunting tha slayar.

Excelsior—A new red raspherry, davaloped hy tha fruit hraading specialista at the Univarsity of Minnesota fruit station hera and heliaved to he a superior fruit, has just heen christened "chief."

Northfield—Damand for Minnesota cattle was demonstrated when Nels Parsons, selas secratary of the Northfiald Commnnity Holstein Club, departad for Santa Ana, Calif., with a shipmant of 98 head of yearling Holsteins.

Rohhinsdale—Three appraisers to determine tha valua of land to be used in re-routing state highway No. 3 from the main street of Rohhinsdala to another street one hlock east were appointed hy District Jndga Frank E. Reed.

Hastings—Reappointmant of a numhar of local officials has heen voted hy Hastings' new city council. Among those reappointad are John E. Kenny, chiaf of police; N. F. Branz, city clerk; E. J. Hiniker, city attorney; Charles Doffing, city treasurer.

Minneapolis—From a larga list of applicanta tha following named Minnesota hoys were anlisted in tha U. S. Navy during the month of April: J. E. Morgan, Breckenridge; C. F. Coleman, Canhy; S. N. Magdick, Cuyuna; R. G. Jensan, Dulnth; La L. Fontaina, East Grand Forks; R. B. Willhoite, Mankato; L. G. H. Bergstrom, H. V. Johnson, O. L. Oshorne and J. P. Quinn, all of Minneapolis; W. S. Mounts, Ottertail; E. C. Wischow, Plainviaw; A. W. Shoop, St. Paul; G. W. Allanson, Wheatin. The avarage adncation of thesa hoys was mora than two years of high school.

Minneapolis—Edward W. Decker, presidant of the Northwestarn National Bank hare, has given a 160-acre farm to Austin, Minn., for a municipal airport as a mamorial to his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Jacoh Dacker, pionaar Mower county residents.

Brainerd — With improvement of dairy herds throughout tha state as its ohject, a cow testing organisation, to operate hy mail, will be instituted this summer, H. R. Searles, University farm dairy specialist, told northeastern Minnesota county agents in conference here.

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Ed Moren,
M15tf R1 Wylie, Minn.

Flax Seed:- Argentine wilt resistant seed flax for sale at the John Ford farm. Call 24F23 on the Red Lake Falls line, or address

E. D. Spencer,
M8-15p R3 Red Lake Falls, Minn

Pigs For Sale:- Have a few Duroc pigs, five week old, for sale. Call on or address, Harry Johnson
M15p R1, Wylie Minn

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Colonial Monny

In a colonial paper it says, "The price was 20 shillings, proc." What does proc. mean? Tha abbreviation probably stands for proclsmation money, which was the name given to coin valned according to a table described in a proclamation of Qneen Anne, 18th of Jnne, 1704, in which the Spanish dollar of 17½ pennyweight was to ha rated at 6 shillings in all tha colonies.—Washington Star.

"Retarder" Is Popnlar

In this day of hurry and speed, a retarder seems out of place, yet naturally occurring anhydrite, which is similar to gypsnm but lacks its water of crystallization, is in demand to retard the setting of cement. The rate of solution of the retarder is mnch slower than that of gypsum, and this determines how quickly tha cement hardens.

Goldfish Care

Goldfish should be fed greens, quite as mnch as hirds. Any repntable store that carries fish food has a varied supply, and a sprig or two can be purchased for next to nothing.

You Remember the Latter

You often see a girl with a month you wonld like to kiss, hut you'll also often see a member of the gentler sex with a mouth you'd like to slap.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

To The Voters:

Having filed for re-election for the office of Sheriff of Pennington County, at the primaries June 16, 1930, your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.

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Old Language and Custom

Manx, the Gaelic tongue of the Isle of Men, in which language a new edition of the prayer hook was printed in the middle of lest century, is now spoken hy herdly more than 100 inhabitants of the island. The titles of the laws of the island's parliament of "House of Keys" are still read each year in English and Manx from the plece called Tynwald.

Just About the Same

An eastern physician predicts that in 50 years there will be no hald-headed men. Pairing him off with the other doctor who, a few weeks ago, declared than in 50 years we'd all he hald, we come to the conclnsion that in 50 years thera will he some hald and some hairy.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Defining Air Travel

The term "aeronautics" covers tha entire science and art of flying machines; aviation is that hranch of aeronantics covering airplanes and other heavier than air craft; while aerostation is the branch covering balloons and other craft lighter than air.

Bray News

Carl and Lucilie Lindbloom visited at the Henry Lindbloom home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Annie Lindbloom was a Wednesday dinner guest at the H. Lindbloom home.

Quite a number of people from here attended the class play given at St. Hilaire on Friday and Saturday nights.

Miss Myrtle Olson former teacher in Dist. 180 is visiting at the Mrs. A. Lindbloom and Selmer Olson homes.

Mrs. Melvin Anderson teacher in Dist 69 closed a successful term of school on Friday. A picnic was given for the parents and pupils. Everyone enjoyed a nice time.

A large crowd attended the Y. P. S. at the Black River church on Sunday evening in spite of the rainy weather and poor road conditions.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson visited Sunday afternoon at the G. A. Lindquist home.

Mrs. Harry Hawkinson returned from Grove City the latter part of the week.

Backbone of a Camel

The backbone of tha single-humped camel is not curved upward in the middle, as many peopla suppose. It is as straight as the backbone of a horse or elephant. Humps on all camels are composed chiefly of fat and they vary in size according to the physical condition of the animals. When they are worked hard and poorly fed their humps shrivel up and become flaccid. Much of the ability of camels to travel long distances over tha desert without food and water is due to this extra fat in their humps. The surplus fat is reabsorbed by the body when the animal does not get sufficient food and water. Thus the hump serves as a sort of commissary department from which the animal receives sustenance in time of famine. In certain breeds of sheep extra fat is stored in the tail.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Great Problem

Tha political problem of mankind is to combina three things: Economic efficiency, social justice, and individual liberty.—John Maynard Keynes.

Negro Babies

The pigment which gives tha typical African his dark color does not develop fully for several weeks after birth. New born infants of this race are usually reddish chocolate or copper in color.

"Dutch Treat" Makes No Hit With Modern Girl

To the young man who writes to ask if it is proper to let the girls pay for their share of an evening's entertainment we reply that it is. Perfectly proper but highly improbable.

Experiments have been made in this direction, but somehow or other they didn't work. Even when the girls propose the idea it doesn't make a hit with them if the hoys take them too literally in the final settlement. Posi-tivvly, the girls don't like it. Mayha it is because woman is more conservative than man, and one of her inherited privileges is to say that the woman pays while she sees that the man does it.

Of conrse, when the girls suggest a dutch treat the wise thing is to seem to fall in with tha idea, and then to buzz your own girl into granting you the very special favor of letting you pay her shot. You can do this in tha strictest confidence and with the safa promise not to tell anyone. You won't have to tell. Tha chances are that all tha other boys are begging—and receiving—tha sama inestimable favor of paying the hill.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Length of Average Step

The natural walking pace of the average man in average level country is 30 inches in length.

"Why Bring That Up"

And some peopla are forgotten but not gone.—Pathfinder Magazine.

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Farm Home Burned

The fine farm home of County Commissioner Emil Larson in Bray township northwest of here, was totally destroyed by fire between the hours of 5:00 and 6:00 yesterday morning. The fire originated from an explosion of kerosine which Harry Larson was using in building a fire in the kitchen range.

The flames spread so rapidly that Harry had difficulty in escaping from the kitchen after arousing other members of the family. Mr. and Mrs. Larson made their way out after smashing their bedroom window. Mr. Larson's daughter Lillian, and granddaughter, Norma Person were asleep on the second floor. Lillian tossed the child out the window, but was quite badly burned herself before she could escape.

An alarm over the telephone line brot quick assistance from neighbors, who assisted in saving some articles of furniture from the front room. All clothing, dishes, utensils, beds and bed clothing and most of the furniture, however, could not be removed, so rapid was spread of the flames.

Lillian and Harry Larson, and Norma Person, were all taken by neighbors to the hospital at Warren for treatment. The child is, apparently uninjured. The others are reported to be getting along well altho their burns are very painful.

Altho Mr. Larson carried some insurance, loss of the home which was substantial and well-built, will be a heavy one. In it where many possessions accumulated during the past 30 years, which can never be replaced. Sympathy of numerous friends is with the Larson family in this misfortune.

E. Hallemeck purchased a new Ford car yesterday from the Sandeen company at Thief River Falls.

Following nearly two weeks of continuous rainy weather, the sun came into view last Saturday after a heavy frost the previous night. Roads have dried up in good shape, and much work is being done thruout the county in getting them back into condition.

Trunk Highway No. 8 from Marcoux Junction east to Mentor has been in bad shape during wet weather the past two weeks, and traffic has gone by way of No. 32 to its junction with No. 65 and then east.

Emil Larson Files

County Commissioner Emil Larson, who has represented the Third district the past two terms, filed Friday as a candidate for re-election. With two candidates in north end of the district, and with Mr. Larson and Gust Naplin in the field from this end, the primary contest promises to be a lively one in that district.

Here From Litchfield

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Martz and son, Burke, accompanied by Mrs. B. E. Burkee, motored up last weekend from Litchfield for a short visit at the E. O. Burkee home. Mrs. Burkee, who has spent the winter at Litchfild, will spend the summer here.

School Play Last Night

Because so many people from the country were prevented by poor road condition, from seeing the Senior Class play "In Cherry Time" when it was given May 9th and 10th, another performance waa given at the Imperial last evening. A good sized crowd attended, and the young folks received a neat sum for their extra efforts. As in both previous performances, the play was thoroly enjoyed by all present. Both members of the cast, as well as their coach, Miss Freistad, are deserving of much credit for exceptionally fine presentation of the play.

"Mac" Heads Wool Growers

Richard J. McKercher, proprietor of the Oakland Stock Farm southwest of here, was elected president of the Pennington County Co-op Wool Growers Association at its annual meeting held May 10th.

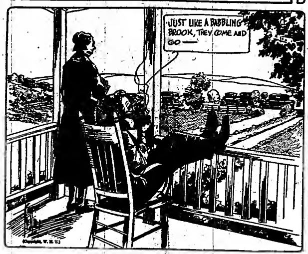
Are You Counted?

Preliminary figures for this village given out after the census was taken recently appears to be some short.

An actual count of residents here April first is more than the census count. It is entirely probable some may have been missed, or were out of town at time the census was taken. If you have not been counted, let us know at this office so the figures may be corrected.

Try a wantadv.

The Gas Stream



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Paul Thyren is shipping in another carload of white cedar fence posts here latter part of this month.

Pete Swanson is brightening up his residence property by giving it a coat of paint.

People about town have commenced their garden work which was delayed a couple weeks because of contined rains.

Regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the creamery, was held Monday afternoon, and checks were issue yesterday.

The annual Baccalaurate sermon to the graduating class of the local bigh school will be given by Rev. Aner Bloom of Thief River, next Sunday at 3:00 P. M.

Martin Evenson of Thief River, candidate for state senator from this district, was here Tuesday calling on the voters and greeting old friends.

Detour signs at the end of the village bussiness blocks were removed Monday when the maintenance crew got the roadway back into its former condition.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sandberg and son Bobbie, and Mrs. A. E. Anderson of Holt, were dinner guests at the Rick Larson home here last Sunday.

Fire destroyed a residence about four blocks east of the bridge on Bridge street at Thief River shortly after noon yesterday.

W. W. Long, candidate for Superintendent of schools in this county, was in the village Tuesday evening interviewing the voters in regard to his candidacy.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg return home this week after spending nearly two weeks at Minneapolis and at his parent's home at New London, Minn.

Nels Johnson returned Tuesday from the hospital at Thief River where he had been a patient for several days following a rather severe illness. He may have to remain in bed another week or so before he will be able to be about.

John Costain, teacher of the seventh and eighth grades in the local school the past school year, bas signed a contract to teach at Fisher the coming school year, and will not return here.

Earl Wilson was over first of the week from Warren for a visit at the home of his brother, George.

The Ladies Aid of the Evang. Mission church meets at the Black River Chapel today (Thursday). Everybody welcome.

Ed Durbin is moving his household goods from the Gust Anderson house to Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson were guests at the Herman Jepson home last Sunday.

William Peterson and Frank Johnson visited at the Otto Johnson home last Wednesday evening.

Carl Bernhardson, Miss Ethel Berg and Mrs. Andrew Johnson, all of Minneapolis, visited at the Rickard Larson home here Monday.

Cabbage Plants: Early Copenhagen cabbage plants at 3 dozen for 25 cents. Get them now.
22-29 Ben, Rosendahl, City

George Fricker, cashier of the Marshall County State Bank at Holt, has thrown his hat in the ring as a candidate for county commissioner from his district.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanson motored down Sunday from Thief River and spent the day with their parents.

Register of Deeds Fred Lorentson and family motored down Friday evening from Thief River for a visit at the Chr. Kruse Jr., home west of town.

Fishermen Remember! A complete stock of South Bend Tackle and other supplies at Gamble Stores — Lines 15c to $1.79. Bass Oreno 87c.

Miss Ruth Lee, principal in the local high school the past two years has accepted a teaching position near her home in Wisconsin and will not return here next year.

Special Deputy Examiner L. E. Healy was up yesterday afternoon from Red Lake Falls to look after business affairs of the Farmers State Bank.

Lewie Larson, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, has improved to such extent that he was able to come in to town last week. Tho still not back to his usual robust good health, he is steadily improving.

Carlson Officials Here

Arvid Carlson of Middle River, and Tony Carlson of Holt, president and secretary-treasurer, respectively, of the Carlson Mercantile Company, Inc., were here Tuesday afternoon looking after business matters at their local store, and also arranging for their annual June sale to be held at all five stores owned by the company.

To Speak Over Radio

Senator John H. Hougen of Crookston, candidate for the office of lieutenant governor on the Republican ticket, will speak over radio station WCCO on Monday, May, 26 at 7:00 to 7:15 p. m. Senator Hougen being a northern Minnesota man, his address will be of special interest to the radio audience in this part of the state.

25 Years Ago

John E. Hendrickson, a pioneer resident of this village, died May 13th.

A new lodge of the Modern Brotherhood of America was to instituted here soon.

The marriage of Andrew Larson to Miss Isabelle Kohmer occured the previous week at Bemidji. Both were well known former residents of this place.

Contractors Erkhoff and Larson secured a contract for building of most of the Starkweather branch of the G. N. over in North Dokota.

Sargeant C. A. Wiste returned from Fort Columbus, Wash., where he had been stationed the past three years.

Miss Tessie L. Hughes left for St Paul to commence her new duties as stenographer for State Librarian, John E. King.

Crookston had a high water scare, and the sawmill down there was closed for a few days.

F. C. Dablow, who is employed on the Soo at Thief River Falls, filed last week as a candidate for Sheriff of Pennington County, making seven candidates in the field for that office.

Mrs. Anna L. Patterson of Minneapolis, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Ball and little daughter of Norfolk, Neb., came this week to spend the summer at the Patterson cottage at Maple Lake.

Big Cream Checks

That business is on the increase at the creamery is evidenced by the list of checks issued this week for cream delivered during April. There are quite a number of big checks in this list even tho there was no pasturage during April. Next list should show an even larger increase.

Arne Vik	$443.68
C. Anton	222.28
Novak & Son	211.95
McKercher & Son	190.16
C. H. Swanson	174.76
Mrs. H. J. Thorstveit	150.21
N. E. Beebe	144.83
A. Johnson	142.09
H. Holmes	134.21
Anton Bros	133.07
F. Ulrich	129.49
Wm. Palmquist	120.83
Ole Larson	117.91
E. H. Stephens	117.23
C. Kruse	117.12
I. A. Rotzlar	115.77
Sig Vik	115.76
O. T. Mogen	112.30
J. Norman	111.28
J. O. Peterson	109.66
F. Schmidt	108.37
Erickson Bros	107.05
Emil Person	105.89

And. Ortloff, $99.05, J. Lundberg, 98.70, J. Sjoberg, 98.36, F. Botbman, 98.20, K. T. Dalager, 97. 70, Geo. Haupt, 96.75, Gust Larson, 94. 53, Wahlbeck Bros, 93.29, Swanson Bros, 92.42, C. A. Lindquist, 90.73, J. O. Swanson, 89.81, Ben Johnson, 88.96, B. Walseth, 86.98, N. P. Schalz, 85.80, H. Johnson, 85.23, R. Melin, 84.93, Gust Peterson, 84. 27, Joe Patten, 81. 35, L. Erickson, 78.26, C. Pearson, 77.98, And. Mortenson, 77.79, C. O. Swanson, 76. 84, John Maakrud, 76. 35, Mrs. A. P. Anderson, 75. 64, Wm. Rinkenberger, 75.17, John Gunstad, 74. 35, Mrs. I. Konickson, 73. 95, Wm. Bothman, 72.86, I. Iverson, 71.89, O. L. Larson, 70.76, John Gothia, 68.88, Art. Swenson, 68.72, J. E. Johnson, 67.78, H. Jepson, 67.68, And. Erickson, 67.43, H. Allen, 66. 16, Mortenson Bros, 64.87, F. Anderson, 64. 49, And. Husby, 63. 04, O. Haugen, 62.76, R. Randorf, 61.74, J. J. Larson, 61.15, D J. Johnson, 58.44, F. S. Erdmann, 56.96, Swenson Bros, 56. 43, Emil Larson, 56.36, O. Johnson, 55. 65, A. Swanson, 55.34, J. A. Almquist, 55.00, A. G. Hallstrom, 53. 17, A. Loberg, 50.55, F. E. Rux, 50.12.

Work shirts, regular $1.00 values, are sold for 85 cents at M. Jackson. adv.

Your Opportunity and Ours

It has always been our aim to give first consideration to home interests. In every possible way, it is our desire to further the prosperity of this section and the welfare of our depositors.

You can assist this program by doing your banking here, influencing your friends to do the same, and by talking favorably of your community to strangers.

Prosperity is not a matter of chance. It comes as result of efforts we put forth to benefit each other.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Boost It Along

This creamery did not just grow here of its own accord. Those who organized it, gave freely of their time and money, and helped it along with liberal patronage to bring it up to its present state. If you are a cream producer, and are not a shareholder, buy a share or two in this community enterprise.

United effort by all cream producers in this territory, will make the creamery, the largest and best in this section. Do your bit.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Announcement--Appreciation

I have filed as a candidate for re-election to the office of Register of Deeds.

You people of St. Hilaire, and vicinity gave me an exceptionally fine vote in the previous elections. Needless to say the confidence you heve thus expressed is greatly appreciated.

I hope I have carried the responsibilities, you so confidently entrusted to me, in a creditable manner.

If you feel that I have done so, I shall anticipate the pleasure of continuing to serve you.

Fred D. Lorentson

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above named candidate in his own behalf, and paid for at advertising rates.)

This Week

by Arthur Brisbane

Happy Little Octopus
Torturing Witnesses
Water Fine, in Spots
The Family of Five

Not so long ago the government became much excited because Standard Oil was supposed to be worth "almost a hillion dollars" and chopped the big octopus up into several small pieces. Each went its separate way, a little octopus on its own account.

Now Mr. Teagle, bead of Standard Oil of New Jersey, one of several brothers and sisters, says his company made in 1929 $120,912,794.

That amounts to 5 per cent on $2,400,000,000 and Mr. Teagle says that if the oil industry had been wiser in its methods he wonld have made a great deal more.

The Jugoslavian King Alexander is accused of allowing police to torture political prisoners. One brought to court in a wheel chair says he was beeten, tied with ropes, whipped with canes, et intervals, all night long. Other prisoners were treated in similar fashion.

Civilization, backward in some places, in others makes progress. Not long ago men accused were tortured everywhere, to make them tell whet they knew. Torture is no longer legal.

When Qneen Elizabeth decided to cut off the head of her lover, Essex, she was praised for her restraint in not having him put to the torture. His ehject submission, and fear of things he might have said under torture ahont the woman whom he indiscreetly described as an ugly old hunchheck, may have caused the unusnal gentleness.

If you are still in the stock market or hovering on the edge, like a small boy asking, "How is the water?" know that just now "the water is fine," in spots. Old Fafner, the money dragon, in addition to his pile of gold, bas in his interior a gigantic mass of undigested securities.

He is still alive, but certain groans indicate thet he is heving trouble in spots where the securities were fed to him in millions of shares at a time.

Doctor Tucker of the United States Neval hospital at Norfolk discovers in fruits and vegetables "five good germs," called "the family of five." They give health and strength, supplying vitamins, life elements essential to existence.

They are missing in green fruits, and die when fruit decays, making it poisonous. They are not injured by heat, and exist in canned fruits and vegetables. A vitally important discovery.

The League of Nations appoints a special commission of two Swedes and one Dntchman to study the historic problem of the wailing wall in Jerusalem, cause of so much bitterness between Jews and Arabs.

The Arabs have one of their most important pieces of worship immedietely edjoining the wailing wall, where Jews from all over the world gather to lament the fall of Jerusalem.

Arabs heve been in possession of Jerusalem for centuries, ever since they beat the Crusaders. And, according to their Koran, it is their holy city also.

There is no universal national feeling in India. Mohammedans hate Hindus and vice versa. There ere tens of millions of hoth. The native-born Indians in the British army fight for Britain against their brothers "loyalty."

Three hundred million Asiatics in Indie are kept in hand by only 200,000 Britishers on the spot, fewer than one-tenth of 1 per cent.

Mr. Macaulay, head of the Canadian Sun Life Assurance company, expects our stocks to regain soon 60 per cent of the losses mede in the big 1929 break. He thinks thet 1931 probably, 1932 surely, will see "the 1929 peak once more."

The greet gambling house at Monte Carlo is sad. Lest year's profits amounted to only 575 per cent, lowest in years.

That compares well with the interest rate on a government bond, or dividends on legitimate industrial stocks. Bnt it isn't much for the gambling house.

Thet 575 per cent interests those thet are foolish enough to gemble on horse racing, in gambling houses or otherwise. So-called "honest games" are arranged to yield "the house" a certain profit of about 40 per cent on every dollar bet. You can imagine what dishonest games make.

Many remember, when the Panama canal was suggested, how the gigantic sum staggered imagination.

We lent forty times that sum to Europe to help the processes of killing, and steggered nobody but little people that sold Liberty bonds far below par.

Now the War department studies the plans for a bridge over the Hudson river at Fifty-seventh street in New York.

It would cost $180,000,000, but that agitates no one.

We have passed into the billion dollar era. Mere millions attract little attention.

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NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor,
County of Pennington,
State of Minnesota. } ss.

TO Chas. Witzmaski.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Northeast Quarter of Southeast Quarter (NE¼ SE¼) Section 34, and Northwest Quarter of Southwest Quarter (NW¼ SW¼) Section 35, Township 153, Range 43.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 9th day of May, 1327, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the 19th day of March, 1927, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1925, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land wae sold for the sum of Forty-four Dollars and Fourteen cents.

(3) And that the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of One Hundred Eighty-five Dollars and Seventy-one cents, and interest at the rate of twelve per cent per annum on $44.14 thereof from said 9th day of May 1927, to the day such redemption is made, and interest on $141.57 thereof at the rate of 12 per cent per annum, from the 25th day of March 1930, to the day thereof redemption is made.

(4) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(5) That the time for the redemption of said pieces or parcels of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) daye after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 9th day of May, 1930.

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor, Pennington County, Minn.
(Official Seal)
Approved June 10, 1921,
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. M 15-29

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor,
County of Pennington,
State of Minnesota. } ss.

TO A. F. Schrader.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Northeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter (NE¼ NE¼) Section 16, Township 152, Range 43.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the ninth day of May, 1927, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County of Pennington on the Nineteenth day of March, 1927, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxee delinquent upon real estate for the year 1925, for said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land wae duly bid in for the state for the sum of Twenty-one Dollars and Eighty cents.

(3) That the said piece or parcel of land and all the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against said land by virtue of said sale were duly assigned, conveyed and sold by the County Auditor to an actual purchaser under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the Twenty-second day of April 1930, for the sum of Ninety-three Dollars and Eighty cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice is the sum of Ninety-three Dollars and Eighty cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $93.80 thereof from the Twenty-second day of April 1930, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

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It's a Fact

We hear 'em say, "The woman pays,"
But it seems kinda funny,
They never go on and explain
It's dens with hubby's money!

His Happy Days Ended

Mrs. N. (returning from three months' vacation)—Alma, do yon think my hushand has been longing for me while I was away?

Alma—I hadn't noticed anything until yesterday, when he seemed very gloomy.

Rear Seat Experience

"Have you ever driven a car?" the lady applicant for a license was asked.

"One hundred and twenty thonsand miles," put in her hushand, who was standing near by, "and never hed a hand on the wheel."—Capper's Weekly.

That's Different

"You used to say he was terribly one-sided in his views."

"M-m—yes, bnt that's before he was on my side."

Calls for Tears

Blinks—You look sad as a cake that has fallen.

Jinks—So would yon if you hed lost as much dough as I have.

House Cleaner Came First

"I should have thonght," he said grumpily, "that, as this is my hirthday, you would consider my wishes and have lemon pudding."

"I'm sorry, dear," replied his wife, "but your birthday falls on the day we have the house cleaner, and she prefers tapioca."

Needs a Rabbit's Foot

"Are you one of Lady Luck's favorites?"

"No, I'm the kind of guy who, if be is looking for a good listener, gets cornered by a good talker."

Dual Role for Artichoke

Besides being a potential source of sugar, the artichoke is said to be suitable for papermaking.

Earth's Curvature

The curvative of the earth is about eight inches to the mile.

W. W. LONG

Candidate for

Supt. of Schools

Pennington County

Respectfully solicits your vote and support at the Primary election, June 16.

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above named candidate in his own behalf, and paid for at advertising rates.)

River News

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Larson motored to Crookston Snnday and spent the day there.

The local hase hell team played a game with Hezelites at the Hazel grounds with a large crowd to witness the game.

Mr. and Mre. H. E. Winters spent Sunday at T. Thompson home.

Mr. and Mis. Paul Thyren and family spent Sunday at L. P. Thyren home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seeger of Red Lake spent Sunday afternoon at the F. Ulrich home.

Stanley, Eldon and Bernice Larson spent Sunday and Monday at the home of their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. G. Erickson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Buretad spent Saturday afternoon at St. Hilaire visiting with her parents Mr. and Mre. F. Satterberg and other relatives.

K. T. Dalager was a business caller at Thief River Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Jepson spent Saturday evening at the Thorstein Walseth home.

The H. Starken family has heen confined to their home with the measles.

Mrs. Wm. Hesse, spent Tuesday afternoon at the Geo. Hesse home.

Mr. C. G. Ulrich and two daughters left early Saturday morning hy car for New Ulm for a brief visit with his parents and other relatives. Mr. Ulrich returned Monday accompanied by his daughter Elle, who has spent the past two months visiting relatives.

THE HAPPY MEDIUM

"Why are you going to marry that jolly spiritualist you met?"

"He's the heppy medium, my dear."

To Movie Star

Twinkle, twinkle, little star,
How I wonder what yon are.
While I really do not know,
Maybe it is better so.

Proof

First Street Musician—Do you think they can bear us all right?

Second Ditto—Sure. Somebody's just shut a window.

Fast Moving

"Do you really move in the best circles?"

"Oh, yes, and tha better the circles the oftener they move."

Wyandotte News

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Nelson visited at the Ray Rockwell home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Wm Clark and daughter Blanche visited at the D. Haugen home Snnday afternoon.

Goodwin and Selma Wilson visited at the Isaac Wilson home Sunday.

The pupils of Dist 155 rendered a program last Friday evening, as Friday was the last day of school. The parents attended the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bruggemen and family of Plummer visited at the H. L. Bruggeman home Sundey evening.

The following surprised Mrs. Emma Samuelson at her home Friday afternoon the occasion being her birthday. Those present were: Messer John E. Peterson. Anton Peterson, Willie Peterson, John Albin, Aug. Erickson, Clarence Roose, Henry Sandberg, Martin Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kolseth and family, Miss Margaret Berg, Harry Peterson and Harry Erickson. At fonr o'clock a delicious lunch was served hy the self invited guests. As remembrance she was presented with a sum of money.

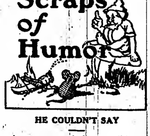
Theodore Olson is the owner of a Chrisler conpe which he purchased last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kolseth and son Elmer visited Sunday at the Albert Anderson home.

Mrs. John Alhin visited at the Charly Semnelson home Snnday.

Miss Marie Peterson visited at the Wm Clark home Thrsday.

Cerl Kolseth visited et the Wm Clark home last Sunday.



HE COULDN'T SAY

A woman remarked to a well-known bishop on one occasion, "Oh! Bishop, I want to tell yon something very remarkahle. An aunt of mine had arranged to make a voyage in a certain steamer, but at the last moment she hed to give up the trip; and that steamer was wrecked; wasn't it a mercy she didn't go?"

"Well, but —" replied the Bishop, "I don't know your aunt."

Calling a Spade a Spade

"Who giveth this woman to this man?" asked the parson.

"I'm supposed to be here for that purpose," growled the hride's hard-boiled dad, "but what I'm really doing is getting a son-in-law to support instead of giving her away to be supported."

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of J. C. Dahl Decedent;

The State of Minnesota, to All Whom it May Concern:

WHEREAS, Edith B. Dahl has filed in this Court her petition stating, among other things, that she is a daughter and a legal heir of the above named decedent; that said decedent died intestate, a resident of the County of Yellowstone, State of Montana, left property in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and was a citizen of the United States of America; and praying that administration of his estate be granted to James A. Dahl, Lockhart, Minn.

THEREFORE, You are hereby cited to he and appear before said Court on the 7th day of June 1930 at 10 o'clock A. M. in the Court House in the city of Thief River Falls in said County and State and show cause, if any you have, why said petition should not he grahted.

Dated May 12th 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Probate Judge.

M. A. & A. D. Brattland
Attorneys for Petitioner
Ada, Minn.
M-15-29

DR. L. R. TWETE

Licensed Veterinarian

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Tuberculin Testing

Art of Giving

He who gives things only gives little. The real part of any present is the imeginative sympathy through which one has understood and responded to e desire in some other human heing and has put something of oneself into the choice of that which will gratify this desire.—Woman's Home Companion.

Glimpsing tha Moon

By putting a penny in the slot of an eutometic machine on the promenades and piers of many English south coast seaside resorts, it is possible to gaze at the mountains in the moon. The eutometic telescope is the invention of a Londoner, and he is making astronomy one of the most popular bobbies on the south coast.

Keeping Friends

The best wey to keep your friends is never to owe them anything and never to lend them anything.—Charles Paul de Kock (1793-1871). "Homme aux trois Culottes."

Bringing Homa the Bacon

A French artist uses egg and melted cheese to paint her pictures. We understand that her still-life study of a Welsh rabbit is a masterpiece.—London Opinion.

Age and Youth

"Age speaks words of wisdom," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown—"but, as in previous generations, it is yonth that sets the fashions."—Washington Star.

(Political advertisement prepared by Verner Nelson, Thief River Falls, Minn., and paid for at regular rates.)

VOTE FOR

Verner Nelson

Candidate for

Register of Deeds

PENNINGTON COUNTY

Your Support Will be Appreciated

Livestock Wanted

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Highest market price paid in CASH for all kinds of stock.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .85
Duram Wheat	.78
Rye	.47
Barley	.38
Oats	.27
Flax	2.33
Eggs, cash	.16
Creamery butter	.38

Doomed to Fait

A St. Louis women asks divorce because her busband is too stingy to buy her a washboard. A short-sighted policy, it seems to us; anybody ought to see at e glance the investment possibilities of a strong woman with a washboerd. Onr prediction is that man will uever become rich.—Kansas City Star.

Significanca in Hair

A clean-sheven face in the East was originally a sign of servitude. Old pictures show kings and conqusrors heavily bearded and with long hair, while their slaves and captives are clean-shaven and close-cropped.

"Thinking of Matter"

The gray metter of the brain, or what scientists call the cortex, does the thinking. This is a thin layer from one-tenth to one-quarter of an inch thick, spread over the surface of the upper part of the brain.

THE CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, May 25th services as follows-

Oakridge, 11:00 Norw.
Clearwater 8:00 Amer.
St. Hilaire Sunday school 10:00.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning worship 11:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday morning at 10:00 with Sunday school following at the Black River church.

Ladies' Aid of Clara church will be entertained Wednesday May 28 th, by Mrs. W. Peterson.

Bray News

Miss Mabel Lindbloom who has been employed at the Henry Melin home returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. A. Lindbloom and Miss Myrtle Olson visited school in Dist 180 Thursday afternoon.

Miss Myrtle Olson who has been visiting friends here returned to Thief River on Saturday.

Quite a number of people from here attended Play Day at Thief River Saturday.

Ellen Lindbloom has been absent from school on account of illness.

The first ball game in this vicinity was held at the I. Johnson home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Hazel Krause teacher in Dist. 180 spent the week-end at her home in Thief River.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Person and family, Tom Larson and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Olson and family visited at the E. Larson home Sunday.

Miss Fern Hawkinson visited Sunday afternoon at the I. Johnson home.

Henry Lindbloom visited at the Melvin Wood home Sunday.

From Bad to Worse

Dan—Why so serious, old man?

Bert—I have good reasons. My mother-in-law's coming for a visit. She has "tha gift of tougues."

Dan—That's nothing; mine is a mind reader.

Midnight Lunch

The professor often placed specimens in the refrigerator preparatory to dissecting them. Ona of his daughters coming in late called to her sister: "What's in tha icebox, Kitty?"

"Two lizards and a toad."

No Let-Up.

"I suppose now yon are married your time of hilling and cooing has ceased."

"Well, tha cooing has ceased, bnt the hilling is as brisk as ever."

The Spectator

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Bicycle riding on the sidewalks, which proved to be a dangerous practice a couple years back, is again becoming more or less a nuisance. As the walks are for exclusive use of pedestrians, it might be well to stop this practice of using them for bicycle paths before a serious accident occurs.

PAID ADVERTISEMENT — Prepared and to be paid for at regular advertising rates by C. W. McDaniel, Secretary, Evenson for Senator Voluntary Committee, Thief River Falls, Minnesota, in behalf of Martin V. Evenson, candidate for Senator, 65th Legislative District, Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Martin V. Evenson

YOUR CANDIDATE for STATE SENATOR

To The Voters of the 65th District

I have filed as a candidate for State Senator for this district, to be voted on at the primary election, on June 16th. To those of you with whom I have not had a personal acquaintance, I will here give a short history introduction.

I was born and raised on a farm in St. Croix County, Wisconsin, and have been interested in farming more or less, through all my career, farmed in North Dakota, Montana, and am still interested in my farming here. Have made this territory my home for forty-two years, and shall continue to live here as all my interests are here. Naturally I have the welfare of this community at heart, and if elected as Senator from this district, I pledge my best efforts to fill that position honorably, and to the best of my ability.

The EASY WAY to wash your clothes

TODAY the electric washing machine is giving thousands of women added hours of freedom from a task that was formerly drudgery. It not only saves a tremendous amount of work, but does the family washing in a fraction of the time. It has taken away the hard work of washing and made it easy.

LOW COST electricity makes the cost for current consumed in a washing machine so low that the average family washing can be done for a cost of only a few cents.

The washing machine is a labor saving device that is every woman's right. See to it that YOUR home has one to make washday easy. » « Northern States Power Company

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3rd Step ELECTRICITY means low cost electricity. It is the low Third Step of the residential electric rate which enables you to use any electric appliance at extremely low cost. Investigate and see if your home is on the Third Step Rate.

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We carry a complete line of Pillsbury's Chick and Turkey Mash.

Also Meat Scraps, Charcoal, Bonemeal Grit and Oyster shells.

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Cora Cooked Breakfast

By JANE OSBORN

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FILBERT NORTH and Compton Hilton went down Linden street at the sama tima every mornlug, for they both left home when the seven o'clock whistles blew. Tha difference was that Compton, aged fourteen went afoot, whila Filbert North sailed easily along in his car. It was exoctly the sort of car that Compton was planning to heve when he grew np. Then Cora wouldn't have to teoch dancing for a living for herseif and Compton.

Compton started ont at seven because he had made some sort of arrangement at a grocery atore near school to put in an hour's bard work every morning before school hours.

Filbert North went at seven hecause he was eager to be at the factory of which he was manager and owner.

In course of tima the young factory owner in the eutomobile saw the young schoolboy swinging along on foot and asked him to take e lift.

"Gee, but I had something good," Compton told North one morning. "Sistar made corn muffins one morning and I had them warmed up for breakfast. Sha sure gets nice hreakfasts for me, even if she does have to get them the night before."

"Wish I hod some oue to make corn muffins for me," said Filbert. Then he explained to his young friend thot his aunt who had heen keeping house for him had gone away.

They sped along in silence for a few minutes. Comptou hroke tha pause. "What would yon give—for a good breakfast? I mean what, for instonce, did you give when yon got your hreakfasts out?"

"Nearly a dollar, counting the tip," said Filbert.

"Would you giva fifty cents?" said Compton eagerly, and after Filbert North's quiet assent he went on: "Yon see, sister cooks more than enough. She seems to think I've got a terrible appetite, and well, you see you could have hreakfost with me and mayha I'd tell her and moyhe I wouldn't. Yon see, she works late and doesn't get np until after I've gone."

Filbert North agreed.

At dinner ona night not long after, Cora iooked quizzically at her brother. "Comptou, dear," she said, "do ynu get enongh to eat—I mean at breakfast. It seems to me as if I get enormous amounts ready, and I always ley out two or three eggs and make a lot of cereal, bnt there is never any left."

Frankly, Cora was suspicious.

Once or twice the boy thought he would tell her all abont it. It seemed a little sneaky to be selling part of the breakfast sha prepared the night before, but Compton wanted it to be all part of his big surprise.

Compton assured his sister that he had breakfast enough, of course, hut that his appetite had heen "extra sized" of late.

The next morning, when Compton went downstairs to finish hreakfast preparations, he found on taking off the square of linen that covered tha hreakfast tabla that places had heen laid for two instead of oue.

Comptou was a bit preoccupied during breakfast. He was wondering how his sister could hava discovered the secret and what she prohably thonght of him for not having told her.

At each place a small hreakfast plate was placed, and when Mr. North lifted his plata to one side to maka room for his grapefruit, he noticed a small euvelope unaddressed. He quickly slipped it into his pocket, and when his yonng host went into tha kitchen to get tha corn muffins Filbert North quickly scanned the note. It was brief:

"Dear Stranger—Since yon are a friend of Compton'a you are welcome in our house. Comptou apparently does not want to explain. Will you? Yours perplexedly,

"Cora Hilton."

Filbert North reread the letter as soon as he got to the office. And for some reasou ha left it in his waistcoat pocket and reread it on several occasions that day. As ha left the house tha next morning he slipped a note addressed to Miss Cora Hilton into the letter box.

"I have no right to explain," he told her, "for that would be a breach of confidence to Compton. Why don't yon ask him outright? I do not think you onght to disapprova of what ha is doing."

Then followed lines praising Cora's cookery and the expression of Filbert's gratitude. The note was signed simply, "Stranger."

Cora read the letter—and that day found occasion to reread it several times. She fonud excuse to answer it and the answer was placed heneath Mr. North's plate at hreakfast. This followed for a good many days. It was Comptou'a turn to become suspicious. Then one day Mr. North met Compton with a new antomobile.

Filbert asked him if ha thought he could learn to run it.

"Well, I don't think it would take me long to learn to drive," assured Compton. "How soon do you think they'd let ma have a license?"

"About as soon as we get our license," said Filbert, easily. "Next week, maybe."

"Your license," said Compton. "What you getting a license for?"

"We're getting a marriage license—your sister, Cora, and I," announced Filbert. And Compton only whistled and then said: "Oh, shucks!"

Vegetable Salve

Ship's cook (to new helper)—Ever been on a ship before?

Helper—Sure. I was a gunner in the navy.

Cook—Well start right in and shell the peas.

To The Voters of Pennington County:

Have filed for the office of Sheriff of Pennington County, and will appreciate your vote and support at the Primary Election, June 16th.

Have been a resident and tax payer of Pennington County for 16 years. Have been in the retail meat market at Goodridge for eleven years.

Albert Halvorson

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above named candidate in his own behalf, and paid for et edvertising rates.)

Specials This Week
Friday and Saturday Only

Oh Boy Jell 4 pkg. for	.25
Childrens Plaid stockings, per pr.	.27
Soup, vegt. and tomato, per can	.09
Mens Dress Caps, good selection each	.89
Candy, any 5c bar 3 for	.10
Golden corn, 2 cans	.29

Carlson Mercantile Co. Inc.

O. C. Johnson, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

POULTRY

PLAN TO PREVENT POULTRY LOSSES

Poor Production Usually Due to Insanitary Methods.

Successful poultrymen realize that practically all heavy losses in poultry are preventable, according to Charles N. Keen, assistant professor in poultry et the Colorado Agricultural college.

Heevy losses and poor production in poultry ere usually due, Mr. Keen ssye, to some of the following foctors: Failure to have clenn houses, cleen feed, clenn woter, birds free from paresites and fellure to remove sick birds from the houses.

The foct thnt one chenges the atraw regularly does not mean thet the house is in o good sanitery condition. Regular cleeuing of the dropping hoards must go with it. When you enter a poultry house during cold weother and the odor is such as to make you hnit when you open the door, it is evident that the air is not sanitary.

The practice of feeding in open hoppers, dishpans and the like, allows droppings to get into the mesh feed. This spreads disease and causes a greet deal of woste. Stagnant woter left in the house for 24 hours, to three or four days ot o time, is not a sanitary condition.

Birds which are affected with lice and mites become weakened and subject to disease. The following system used at the Colorado experiment station while hirds ere hoosed during the winter hes proved very eatisfactory, and we heve little trouble with disease.

Dropping boerds are cleaned three times a week or more and sprayed often with a spray consisting of 50 per cent crankcase oil and 50 per cent distillate or kerosena with one-half pint creosote disinfectant added to five gallons of the mixture. This spray is used from once a week to once a month, depending npon the amount needed. The dropping hoarde are oily from this spray. This helps in cleaning them during cold weather.

A good disinfectant mixed with water is used for nests and other parts of the house several times e year. For lice the perches are painted with nicotine sulphate four or five times a year, or more often if necessary. Whenever colds appear a good disinfectant is nsed in the weter, and eny hirds nppearing weak or ehowing a tendency to roup, ere removed. All hirds which become sick ere killed. It is surprising how much the killing of a few diseased hirds will save.

Sunlight for Poultry Flock Quite Essential

During the winter months the location and edjustment of windows in the laying house are very important. There should he windows in each end of the house so thet sunlight will strike the entire floor some time during the dsy. Along the sonth wall ehould he a large number of windows, and it is preferable that these he made of e high grade glass suhetitute which permits the entrance of the maximum amount of ultra-violet ray. Muslin curtains and ordinary glass are not satisfactory for this purpose. These windows should he well fitted and shonld he kept clean as tha ultra-violet ray does not penetrate through dust and dirt. Furthermore it is better that they be arranged so they can he taken down dnring the summer months and not subjected to weathering.

Vatican Given Large Sum

The financial convention established that the Holy see, as definite settlement of all its financial relations with Italy in consquence of the fall of temporal power, accepted 750,000,000 lire cash and 1,000,000,000 lire in Italian state consolidated loans at 5 per cent.

Windows Important

The value of windows to a building from esthetic and utilitarian aspects can scarcely be overemphasized. Windows have a profound spiritual function to perform in that they not only express the spirit of the building but also bring in the great out-of-doors.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Blue Earth—William J. Murphy, 66 years old, former postmaster, is dead hare.

Ellendale—The Ellendale Izaak Walton League chapter held its annual crow shoot nsar here. C. W. and G. H. Nelson captained two teams.

Owatonna—Owatonna's population shows a five and one-half per cent gain for the last decade. The increase was 396, bringing the population to 7,468.

Hastings—Pleading guilty to a charge of driving while drunk, James Hackman of St. Paul was givan a 30-day eentence in the Dakota county jail.

Minneapolis—Clement C. Chase, west Polk, Eugene Stower, Hennepin, and Henry J. Van Metre, Jackson counties have heen appointed as assistant county agents.

Minneapolis—J. R. Sheffield, alderman, was shot 3 times and seriously wounded hy a young widow friend who then turned the gun on herself. She is expected to recover.

Caledonia—James C. Evans, clerk of court of Houston county, has filed for re-election to that office. A. B. Johnson, farmer of Bloomington, seeks the office of county treasursr.

Red Wing—The Vasa Swedish Evangelical Lntheran church was decreed owner of ahout 10 acres of land in Vasa, formerly the site of the Vasa orphans home, worth $30,000.

Aitkin—A District Court jury was discharged after failing to agree in the case of the state against Dewey G. Anderson, charged with frand in ohtaining wolf hounty payments.

Fairmont—Frank Jorgensan of Ceylon is presidant of the organization of graduates and former atudents of the school of agriculture, University of Minnesota, formed at a meeting here.

Litchfield—Fifty-five students will he graduated from the local high school May 29. The speaker will be Dr. Josephine C. Preston, formerly superintendent of education for the state of Washington.

Alexandria—The Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission granted a permit to Rohert Schmidt of this city to operate a line from Dnlnth to Wadena, a distance of 169 miles, over state trunk highway No. 2.

Morris—W. H. Austin, state purchasing agent, opened hids for construction of a physical education building at the North Central School of Agriculture here. The legislature appropriated $75,000 for the work.

Northfield—Herman Roe, pnhlisher of the Northfisld News and director of the National Editorial Association went to Washington to represent the association at the annual conference of etate press association managers.

Albert Lea—One hundred twenty-five etudents of Alhert Lea high school will receive diplomas at the forty-eeventh annual commencement exercises May 29. Rev. William Dudley of Brooklyn, N. Y., will deliver the address.

Austin—After eight years as president of the Farm Burean Association of Mower county, A. O. Starks of Dexter has announced his resignation. He has filed for state eenator. H. B. Miller of Brownsdale, vicepresident, will fill the position.

Chisholm—Chisholm will hecome an important link in the shortest roote hetween the Twin Cities and international Falls hy the order of the St. Louis county hoard paving 10 miles eouth of Chisholm, shortening the route eight miles.

Minneapolis—Miss Florence M. Selander was elected president of the Alumni Association of the Minnesota College of Law at the annual meeting here. Other officers elected are J. T. Sheughnessy, vicepresidant; Miss Ruth B. Rheherg, secretary; and O. B. Fossum, treaeurer.

Owatonna—Dr. E. W. Seun was elected eminent commander of the local Knights Templar commanders at tha annual meeting here. Other officers are R. H. Gericke, Dr. F. V. Schradle, Carl Kottke, C. A. Tincher, Dr. A. B. Stewart, W. C. York, G. R. Kinyon, F. W. Petrich, M. J. Brown, Fred C. Johnson and W. B. Adsic.

Minneapolis—The Navy Marine Post of the American Legion, Minneapolis, is conducting a search for all men of Minnesota localities, who ever eerved in the U. S. Navy aboard the U. S. S. Minneapolis. Ex-tars of the old cruiser that carried the city's uame in tha nation's service are wanted for participation in the Post's memorial day servicee to he conducted at the new mast and Navy Rock at Lake Calhoun when the ship's hell will be dedicated and presented to the peopla of Minneapolis. The U. S. S. Minneapolis served in the United States Navy from Angust of 1893 until the fall of 1906, and again during the World War. Anyone having served ahoard the U. S. S. Minneapolis at any time is requested to communicate with the U. S. Navy Recruting Station in the Federal Building, Minneapolis.

Austin—E. N. Hoffman, local attorney, has leased 200 acres from E. F. Kruger, seven miles west of Chatfield, to prospect for ore which he said has heen found six feet below tha surface. Hoffman said a vein of fine quality ore exists hut it is only four faet deep.

St. Cloud—Showing an increasa of 33 per cent in population, St. Cloud hecame the fourth largest city in Minnesota. St. Cloud's population is 21,100, according to figures announced hy the supervisor of census. Population in 1920 was 15,873. Winona, which has ranked as fourth largest city, is fifth, with a population of 20,802.

FOR SALE, etc.

Pigs For Sale:- Have a number of Duroc pigs that will be five weeks old May 31st. $4.00 each if taken by that time.
Wm. Randorf
22-29p R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

For Sale:- A purebred Holstein hull calf, also a purebred Holstein heifer calf, and, a number of high grade Holstein calves. Phone 36, or call on Arne Vik, St Hilaire, Minn.
M15-22p

Sweet Clover Seed:- Have for sale about 200 lbs scarified sweet clover seed at 6 cents a pound.
Ed Moren,
M15tf R1 Wylie, Minn.

Fence Posts:- Will have another carload of white cedar fence posts in St. Hilaire latter part of the month.

Anyone wanting posts at money saving prices, Call or write Paul Thyren.
M15-22p R1, Hazel, Minn

Tailored to fit your car -- Seat and Door Covers look well and preserve upholstery -- Choice of Designs to match your car. Chevrolet Coach $6.69. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Found: License plate T3063. Owner may get it by calling at this office with duplicate plate.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

A large assortment of dress shirts priced at $1.15 to 1.75 at M. H. Jackson. adv.

Ancient Greek Symbols

Ancient Greece had no national flag, since it was divided into many separate kingdoms. The standard of Attica hore a white war horse; thet of tha Corinthians the winged borse; tha Lacedemonians the letter L; thet of the Thracians a death head; thet of the Thessalonians the immortal eorrel horse, Xanthes; that of the Messemians the letter M.

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

And It Wasn't Moving Day, Either

IN KENTUCKY, in the old deys, we had for the chief justice of our highest court a gallant old Confederete cavalryman. This gentleman wes leerned in the lew but otherwise simplicity itself. He divided his time between Frankfort, the capital, and the little town where he hed heen horn and reared. Until be was nearly seventy years old he had been north of the Ohio river bnt once in his life. And thet was when he rode with Morgan's Raiders.

After his retirement from the bench he decided to see something of the world. He got on the train and came to New York. Arriving lete at night he lodged at tha old Fifth Avenue hotel. Arising early the next morning he set ont for a walk in the great city, going south on Broadway. After a whila he came to Canal street, then, as now, one of the busiest cross-town arteriea and likewise the widest river-to-river street in lower Manhattan. Here, for a space, the old jndge stood on the edge of the curbing watching the qnadrupled lines of vehicular traffic that passed him east and west. As far as ha could see in either direction there was no end to the interweaving tangles of loaded trucks and wagons and vans and delivery cars.

At length he made his way to where a policeman stood in the middle of the crossway directing travel.

"Excuse me, suh," inquired the visitor, in his rich sonthern accent, "but air you connected with the city government yere?"

"I'm a policeman, if that's what you mean," answered the bluecoet.

"So I judged from your costume and depo'tment," said the venerable Kentuckian.

"Anything I can do for you?" inquired the officer, stirred to speciel affability hy the courteous manner of the stranger.

"No, son, I reckin not," said the judge benignantly, "but if it's not too much trouble I would like to ask you a question."

"Go ahead with the question."

"Wall, suh," prefaced the judge, "yon boys suttinly have got a lovely city here. I'll say that much. But tell me, son, haven't you got powerfully behind with your hauling, someway?"

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To The Voters:

Having filed for re-election for the office of Sheriff of Pennington County, at the primaries June 16, 1930, your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.

O. L. Ihle,

Pol. Adv. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Vote For
HARRY PETERSON
For
Register of Deeds

Pennington County, Minn.

Primary Election, June 16

Am qualified to handle the office I seek, and will appreciate your vote and support.

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above nemed candidete in his own behalf, end peid for at advertising retes.)

Notice To Taxpayers

Real estate taxes for 1929 are due and payable before June 1st in order to avoid payment of penalty.

Where amounts exceed $1.00, one half may be paid before June 1st, and balance before November 1st without penalty.

John Gullingsrud, Co. Treas.

Pennington County, Minn.

Adequate Ventilation Essential for Poultry

Adeqnate ventilation is important for a profitable poultry flock. Sufficient fresh air must he admitted to replece the moisture-laden air thrown off hy the hirds. It must he admitted so as to avoid drafts. The open front principle is used extensively in many sections. It has been determined that the openings in the front wall should equal approximately one-tenth of the floor area. To protect the flock during severe storms frames covered with a light weight of muslin may be used in the front openings.

Avoid Diseases

Raising strong healthy chicks is largely a prohlem of keeping them away from the infection and diseases which thrive in old poultry yards.

Experience proves that although the old birds are free from the effects of disease, they harbor many diseases which prove destructive to young chicks.

Wire screen floors hava been used successfully for years hy some poultrymen and their use is increasing rapidly.

Needs Shell Material

A hen producing 200 eggs a year must he supplied with sufficient calcium carbonete, so that after tha loss that comes through digestion, she still will be eble to deposit around the egg in the form of shell [illegible] three pounds of shell forming material. Snch heavy calcium carbonate or egg-shell prodnction demands serious consideration. Even though every other requirement is supplied, a deficiency of calcium carbonate will be limiting factor in production.

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Commencement Tonight

Fourteen members of the graduating class of the local high school will receive their diplomas at the eleventh annual Commencement exercises which will take place at the school auditorium starting at 8:00 this evening.

Rev. Crawford Grays, pastor of the M. E. Church at Thief River Falls and widely known as a public speaker, will deliver the Commencement address.

George Biskey and Edgar Naplin will give the Salutatory and Valedictory addresses, respectively. Miss Edna Almquist, next honor student, will read the Class Prophecy. Rev. M. L. Dahle, pastor of the Norwegian Lutheran church, will give the Invocation, and pronounce the Benediction.

Parents of members of the graduating class, as well as any other residents of the district, are cordially invited to be present.

Below is a list of members of the graduating class:

Doris Anderson	Edgar Naplin
Edna Almquist	Lewis Norman
George Biskey	Iona Olson
Klemens Gigstad	Ernest Olson
Eva Harder	Clarence Pearson
Albert Hestekind	Evelyn Peterson
Marie Kolseth	Olaf Torstveit

Gored To Death

Carl Hundertmark, age 57, a farmer southwest of Red Lake Falls, was gored to death by an infuriated bull at his farm last Friday evening.

Beginning first of June, Henry A. Olsen will become associated with R. A. Young in operation of Youngs Service station here. They plan to engage in sales of cars and radios in connection with the station, and may also take on other allied lines from time to time.

Buttermilk Users:-

Users of creamery buttermilk are hereby notified that large quantities of that product remain untaken weekly at the creamery thus creating a serious problem as to its disposal. Unless users can take output, in accordance with agreement the creamery board will, at its next meeting, make arrangements for disposal of the entire output elsewhere.

By order of the Board.
F. S. Erdmann, Sec'ty

A Wonderful Well

A wonderful artesian well, one of the best in this section, was recently sunk at the Herman Orloff place at foot of the south bridge, by C. Lindquist. A flow was struck at depth of 112 ft which completely filled the 4-1-2 inch casing. A standpipe nine feet above ground was put on the casing, and a two inch pipe attached for outlet. Flow is so strong that even from a height of nine feet, it will fill a five gallon can in about half a minute. By taking an outlet either close to the ground or under Mr. Orloff will have no difficulty in piping water into his house or barn with sufficient pressure for taps or drinking cups.

A similar well, with equally as strong a flow, was recently finished at the John Maakrud farm south of town.

Here For Vacation

Ernest H. Johnson left this week for St. Cloud after spending a two weeks vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Johnson at their farm home west of town. Ernest holds down a very good position as district salesmanager for the Brown & Williamson Tobacco Corporation, with headquarters at St. Cloud. He has had a very successful season thus far, having the best record of any manager of his company, in this state.

Rev. O. Gustafson of Alexandria, president of the Red River Valley Augustana Synod, and Rev. E. Dalgren of Lancaster were guests from Monday until Tuesday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. McKercher, accompanied by Laura Almquist, motored Thursday to Grand Forks to attend the graduation exercises held for nurses at the Deaconess Hospital. Miss Arlene, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McKercher was a member of the graduating class who received their diplomas that evening. Mr. and Mrs. McKercher returned home Friday, and Miss Almquist stayed to visit a few days with relatives.

Ole Maland is the owner of a new Ford coach which he bought last week thru the Sandeen company at Thief River.

Try a wantadv.

Memorial Day

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

For Sale:- Elevator belonging to the Red Lake Falls Milling Company. Write to M. Johnson, 4000 Bryant Ave. S., Minneapolis, Minn.

Indications are that several new barns, and at least two new farm residences will be erected in this immediate territory this season.

Mrs. Ed Shaskey came Thursday from Aberdeen, S. D., for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars A. Loberg.

Gunhild Nelson and Alice Tollin were up last week-end from Mahnomen for a visit at home of Miss Nelson's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Nelson.

John Steiger has commenced hauling lumber from the local yard of the Central Lumber Company for erection of a modern residence on his farm west of town.

The local grade and high school closes today for the annual summer vacation of three months. From present outlook there will be several new members on the teaching staff when school re-opens next fall.

Tobias Reep of Thief River Falls, candidate for the nomination of County-Auditor at the June primaries, was in the village Saturday in interest of his candidacy.

Jake Bohlen's new Ford car, driven by Brue Peters, was quite badly damaged Saturday evening when an oil truck collided with it at intersection of the state roads at the Swan Johnson corner.

Amer C. Matheson of Thief River Falls, instructor in the high school in that city for a number of years, filed this week as a candidate for county superintendent of schools. Mr. Matheson is well known in this community, having resided for many years in Sanders township.

There will be no special observance of Memorial Day in this village this year. Many people who have lots at the cemetery have beautified their plots, and others will be there tomorrow to perform a like service. Members of the American Legion will place wreaths on graves of their departed comrades as well as on those of veterans of other wars, hut there will be no other exercises.

Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Odell and daughter, Ruth, and Ida Samuelson of Fertile were visitors at the Rev. A. F. Nelson home Friday.

Harry and Lillian Larson who both suffered severe burns when the Larson home burned last week, are reported to be progressing nicely at the hospital at Warren.

Cabbage Plants:- Early Copenhagen cabbage plants at 3 dozen for 25 cents. Get them now.
22-29 Ben, Rosendahl, City

Rev. and Mrs. Aner Bloom and daughter, Arlene, of Thief River Falls, were guests Sunday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson.

Mrs. D. Patterson, Mrs. H. L. Ball and daughter motored up Monday from Maple Lake to spend a few days at home of their daughter and sister Mrs. O. Gunstad.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Hanson, accompanied by Miss Thelma Anderson, motored down Sunday from Drayton for a brief visit with their former neighbors, Rev. M. L. Dahle and family and Wm. Peterson.

A group of people from in and near town, enjoyed a wiener roast at the Benson grounds Sunday afternoon. The affair was given in honor of the teaching staff of the local school who depart this week for their respective homes.

Dick Bohlen motored up last week from Iowa for a short visit at home of his father, J. H. Bohlen. Upon returning home last week-end the latter accompanied Dick to Iowa to spend a short time with various relatives.

Baccalaureate services for the graduating class of the local high school were held last Sunday after. noon at the school auditorium. Rev. Aner Bloom of Thief River Falls, delivered the Baccalaureate address.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg, accompanied by his sisters, Misses Myrtle and Pearl Dahlberg, motored Tuesday morning to Lancaster for a visit with relatives. Rev. Dahlberg's sisters accompanied him here last week-end when he and Mrs. Dahlberg returned after spending ten days at Minneapolis and New London.

Gravelling Crew Here

A fleet of gravel trucks, operating under direction of Minnesota Highway Department, arrived here yesterday to commence gravelling T. H. No. 32 between here and Thief River Falls. It is estimated the job will be completed in about two weeks. Following completion of the gravelling work, the road oiling crew will be here to re-coat that portion of the highway that received its first coat of oil last year.

Guernsey Sale June 5th.

The Eleventh Annual Guernsey sale for this section of the state, will take place at Thief River Falls on Thursday, June 5th. About 75 head of stock, selected from the most representative herds in the Red River Valley, have been consigned to be sold at this sale. About 18 bulls from four to eighteen months old and a large number of females ranging from four months to mature age will be offered.

Unless other arrangements are made, the North Star College at Warren may be compelled to close because of action of the Augustana Synod in withdrawing its aid to that institution. The North Star Collage has been of much benfit to the young people in this section, and it is to be hoped some way may be found to continue its operation.

Miss Effie Frederickson was hostess Monday evening to a number of friends at a party given at the V. Brink home complimentary to the lady members of the local teaching staff who leave this week. A most enjoyable evening was spent at conclusion of which a dainty luncheon whs served.

State Highway patrolmen in this district have issued a warning that glaring headlights on the state highways will no longer be permitted. Up to this time, officers have merely warned motorists with defective and glaring lights, but the menace has become so great now that arrests will be made where motorists fail to dim glaring lights when passing others cars, and also those whose lights are so badly out of focus that they are a menace to others using the highways.

Petit Jurors Drawn

Below is a list of the Petit Jurors drawn to serve at the June term of district court in this county. No Grand Jury was drawn for this term. Court convenes Monday, June 16, and the petit jurors will appear for service the following day.

Name	Residence
Clarence Roese	River Falls
Mrs. Emil Larson	Bray
Mrs. H. T. Hanson	Hickory
Mrs. R. H. McDonald	Goodridge
Edward Ness	Thief River Falls
Mrs. William Olson	St. Hilaire
Ole Grinde	Silverton
Mrs. Martin Erickson	Polk Center
Edwin Roy	St. Hilaire
Anton Baker	Thief River Falls
Mrs. C. A. Lindquist	Bray
Emil Welo	Sanders
John Jaranson	Thief River Falls
Mrs. John Gullingruds	T. R. F.
Melvin Stephenson	Goodridge
Ole Skaar	Norden
John Oftedahl	Thief River Falls
Alex Swanson	Black River
Lars Klove	Mayfield
Miss Christine Johnsrud	Reiner
Mrs. Lewis Aaseby	Norden
Mrs. Alfred Johnson	T. R. F.
Adolf J. Wold	Sanders
Ole Prestebak	Highlanding
Alfred Flatum	North
Mrs. Ole Prestebak	Highlanding
Harold Holmes	Black River
John Dahl	Thief River Falls
L. A. Nelson	Smiley
Mrs. N. E. Beebe	Rocksbury

Annual Women's Camp

An attractive program of education, entertainment and recreation has been arranged for the Fifth Annual Women's Camp, which will be held at the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, June 16 to 19. Based upon last year's attendance, one hundred fifty women from Northwestern Minnesota counties are expected to enroll.

The popularity of the Women's Camp is indicated by the steady increase in attendance since the first camp was organized in 1926. Many members return year after year to gain from the many fine lectures and demonstrations new inspiration and enthusiasm for the everyday tasks of the home.

The Dorcas Society will meet at the Norwegian church parlor Saturday afternoon May 31st. Mrs. M. Highland and Miss Kalland intertain.

Conservative Country Banking

The Owners, Directors and Officers of this Bank feel that the best service they can give this Community is to keep the bank absolutely safe and liquid. Our careful and tried methods makes this certain. Your patronage and cooperation makes it pleasant. You are respectfully requested to avail yourselves to the full extent of our services.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Market Quality Cream

Just a little extra care in handling of cream determines whether it grades L. O. L. or lower. Your creamery can get best results by manufacturing butter from highest quality cream, and such butter also brings the highest market price. It means dollars in the pockets of all our patrons if we can get top prices for our product. Let's co-operate.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

To The Voters:

Having filed for re-election for the office of Sheriff of Pennington County, at the primaries June 16, 1930, your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.

O. L. Ihle,
Pol. Adv. Thief River Falls, Minn.

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above named candidate in his own behalf, and paid for at advertising rates.)

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota. } ss.

TO Chas. Witzmaski.

(1) You are herehy notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and deecrihed ae follows, to-wit:

Northeast Quarter of Southsast Quarter (NE¼ SE¼) Section 34, and Northwest Quarter of South-west Quarter (NW¼ SW¼) Section 35. Township 153, Range 43.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 9th day of May, 1927, at a sals of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and mads in and hy the District Court in and for said County of Psnnington on the 19th day of March, 1927, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1925, for said County of Pennington, the ahove descrihed piecee or parceis of land was soid for the sum of Forty-four Doliars and Fourteen cents.

(3) And that the amount required to redeem said piecee or parcels of land from said tax sale exclusive of the costs to accrus upon this notics is ths eum of One Hundred Eighty-five Doliars and Seventy-one cents, and intereet at the rate of twelve per cent per annum on $44.14 thereof from said 9th day of May 1927, to the day such redemption ie made, and interest on $141.57 thereof at the rate of 12 per cent per annum, from the 25th day of March 1930, to the day thereof redemption ie made.

(4) That the tax certificate of sale issued to eaid purchaeer has heen preeented to me hy the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(5) That the time for the redemption of said pieces or parcele of iand from said tax sale wili expire sixty (50) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal thie 9th day of May, 1930.

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor, Pennington County, Minn.
(Official Seal)
Approved June 10, 1921,
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. M 15-29

To The Voters of Pennington County:

Owing to the fact that I am running the Auditor's Office without the assistance of a Deputy, it will he imposeible for me to make a personal canvas of the voters of the County before the primary election and I take this method of announcing my candidacy to succeed myself as County Auditor.

Since my appointment to the office laet Decemher, I have heen busy revising the accounting system in your County to make it conform to State Standards and give the Taxpayers a more comprehensive system of accounting whereby they can more readily see where the tax dollar is being spent. This is no small job for one man to undertake and can hardly be completed before my term expires.

My revision of the system of handling delinquent taxes saved the County $471.00 on the 1928 judgment. I will effect a saving of at least $1,250.00 in clerk hire in the Auditor's office this year by reason of the fact that I am experienced and do not require the service of a high priced accountant as deputy. The School Districts of the County will receive $41,000.00 in back apportionment due them, by reason of my correcting the system of distributing tax penalties to conform to the law. These are a few of the outstanding achievements in my short term of office.

There is but one way to keep taxes down. That is to limit your expenditures to your means and elect competent and efficient officials. The Auditor's Office is the most important office in your County. Do not let Friendship or Sympathy influence your vote but do your duty by casting your ballot for the candidate you consider best qualified to serve you efficiently and economically.

If elected I pledge myself to continue this program of economy which I have inaugurated. I will work out a hudget of expenditures and levies for the County which will take it out of debt. I will see that this budget is lived up to. I will conduct my office without the assistance of a deputy, thereby saving the County $1,250.00 per year in clerk hire. Compare this pledge to what my opponents have to offer before casting your ballot.

I have had twenty years experience in Accounting and Auditing and for the past eight years have been a deputy Auditor before coming to Pennington County. I solicit your support solely on my ability to serve you more efficiently and economically than my opponents. If my service in the office during this short term meets with your approval, your vote and support will be appreciated.

HARRY L. FOWLER

Candidate to Succeed Himself as County Auditor
Pennington County

Political Advertisement: inserted by Harry L. Fowler in his own behalf, for which regular rates will be paid.

River News

The Garvis Cluh, held at the T. Thompson home Thursday afternoon. was well attended and a good time was reported hy all.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Burstad and family visited at the H. Winters home Thursday evening.

Mr. H. J. Trudear, candidate for Sheriff of Red Lake county, was in this vicinty Thursday interviewing the voters.

On Sunday May 25, at 10:00 o'clock a class of 21 hoys and girls gathered at ths St. John Lutheran church at Red Lake to be examined and give their pledges in the presence of thsir parents and other relatives and friends. Of these the following were from this vicinity. Clarence and Henry Konickson. John Ulrich and Miss Helen Hesse.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ulrich had the following as Sunday dinner guests: Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schroeder and daughter of Plummer, Rev. and Mrs. P. H. Burdorf and sons of Red Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Howard and children, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gieseke and sons Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Ulrich and family, Albert Hazer and Maria Erdmann.

Tuesday John Helm ot Red Lake Falls delivered a new Mc-Cormick Deering tractor at the C. Ulrich farm. Carl halives in tractor farming.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Larson and family spent Sunday at the Amanda Person home.

Mr and Mrs C. F. Seegsr and family of Oklee visited at the F. Ulrich home Sunday evsning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Mahla spent Sunday evening at the Herman Burstad homs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seeger of Red Lake spent Sunday evening at the F. Erdmann home.

The local base ball team played a game with the Garvis team Sunday.

Filing Time Ends

Final time for filing for county office closed Tuesday, that being 20 days before primary election, as providid hy law. Herewith is a list of the candidates who filed. Except for Representative, County Attorney and Coronor, all names listed below will appear on the Primary election hallot June 16th.

State Senator
Martin V. Evenson
Stuart Mc Leod
Laura E. Naplin

Representative
W. E. Day
J. O. Melhy
E. D. Rydeen

County Auditor
N. J. Anderson
Harry L. Fowler
Tohias Reep

County Treasurer
Andrew Bottelson
John Gullingsrud
A. R. Johnsrud

Register of Deeds
Fred D. Lorentson
Verner Nelson
Harry Peterson

Sheriff
O. E. Berge
F. C. Dablow
Erick O. Erickson
Albert Halverson
O. L. Ihle
Anton Jensen
W. J. LaBree

County Attorney
H. O. Berve
Paul A. Lundgren

Supt. of Schools
Geo. M. Gunderson
W. W. Long
Amer C. Matheson
Nic Nelson

Coroner
H. W. Froelich

Commissioner-1st Dist.
A. W. Hanson
Dick Kolestrand
O. G. Lee
E. H. Pomerenke
Frank Race
Ivar Solheim

Commissioner-3rd Dist.
Emil Larson
A. K. Lockrem
Harry Myrom
Gust Naplin

Commissioner-5th Dist.
R. M. Johnson
Carl Olson
Anton Peterson
Isaac Wilson
O. M. Mandt

Livestock Wanted

We are in the market for cattle, hogs and sheep at all times.

If you have anything suitable for shipping, either call on or telephone us at St. Hilaire and we will quote prices on your stock.

Highest market price paid in CASH for all kinds of stock.

Jacob Reek & Ed Durbin
St. Hilaire. Minn.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 84, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minneeota. } es.

TO A. F. Schrader.

(1) You are herehy notified that the foilowing piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described ae foiiows, to-wit:

Northeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter (NE¼ NE¼) Section 15. Townehip 152, Range 43.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the ninth day of May, 1927, at a saie of iand pursuant to the real eetate tax judgment duiy given and made in and hy the District Court in and for eaid County of Pennington on the Nineteenth day of March, 1927, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon reai estate for the year 1925, for said County of Pennington, the ahove deecrihed piece or parcei of iand wae duly hid in for the etate for the eum of Twenty-one Doilars and Eighty cents.

(3) That the said piece or parcel of iand and aii the rights of the State of Minnesota, upon and against eaid iand hy virtue of said eaie were duly aesigned, conveyed and sold hy the County Auditor to an actual purchaeer under Section 2126, G. S. 1913, on the Twenty-eecond day of April 1930, for the eum of Ninety-thres Doilare and Eighty cents.

(4) And that the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from eaid tax eale excluelve of the coete to accrue upon this notice ie the sum of Ninety-three Doilars and Eighty cente, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on $93.80 thereof from the Twenty-second day of Aprii 1930, to the day such redemption ie made.

(5) That the tax certificate of eale iseued to eaid purchaser has heen presented to me hy the holder thereof and thie notice requeeted.

(5) That the time for the redemption of eaid piece or parcei of land from eaid tax eale wiii expire eixty (50) daye after ths service of thie notice, and the fiiing of proof of euch eervice in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official eeai thie ninth day of May, 1930.

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor, Pennington County, Minn:
(Official Seal)
Approved June 10, 1921,
CLIFFORD L. HILTON,
Attorney General. M 15-29

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Prohate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of J. C. Dahl Decedent;

The State of Minnesota, to All Whom it May Concern:

WHEREAS, Edith B. Dahl has filed in this Court her petition stating, among other things, that she is a daughter and a legal heir of the above named decedent; that said decedent died intestate, a resident of the County of Yellowstone, State of Montana, left property in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and was a citizen of the United States of America; and praying that administration of his estate be granted to James A. Dahl, Lockhart, Minn.

THEREFORE, You are herehy cited to be and appear before said Court on the 7th day of June 1930 at 10 o'clock A. M. in the Court House in the city of Thief River Falls in said County and State and show cause, if any you have, why said petition should not be granted.

Dated May 12th 1930.
(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Prohate Judge.
M. A. & A. D. Brattland
Attorneys for Petitioner
Ada, Minn.
M-15-29

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

LOCALS

For Sale:- Two wheel trailer complete with tires. Call at Engh's Garage, St. Hilaire, Minn.

Mrs. Andrew Mortenson, who has heen a patient at a Minneapolis hospital, has improved considerahly lately and expects to he back home in a few days.

Miss Lily Gunstad recently completed teaching a term of school in the Nettland school in Rockshury.

County Treasurer John Gullingsrud motored down Thursday evening from Thief River for a short visit at the J. Albert Anderson and Emil Larson home west of town.

Condolence cards, shut-in cards, acknowlegement of sympathy and flowers cards, for use after funerals are procurable at the Spectator office.

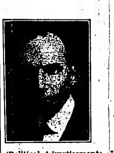
A Memorial Day Trip? What a feeling of security a spare tuhe brings—a tube for every tire at Gamhle Stores.

Lost:- A hunch of hay haling wire, on road between St. Hilaire and Hazel. Finder please notify this office.

Martin Evenson of Thief River, candidate for state senator, was here for a short last Friday while enroute to eastern Red Lake county.

The Spectator office has a few numbers of graduation cards suitahle for inclosing with gifts, or acknowledging receipt of graduation announcements.

You, too, can yell "FORE!!" If you use Crest Staggered Steel Shaft Clubs. Irons $6.25 – Woods $7.75. Gamhle's S & G Golf Balls 39c. Thief River Falls, Minn.



Verner Nelson

Candidate for

Register of Deeds
Pennington County

Your Support will he Appreciated.

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above named candidate in his own behalf, and paid for at advertising rates.)

In Appreciation

We wish to extend to all our neighbors, our most sincere thanks and appreciation for all the assistance, and numerous acts of kindness show us when our home hurned last week. The kindness of our neighbors is appreciated more than words can express, and we thank you all.

Emil Larson and family.

DANCE

Saturday, May 31

HAZEL HALL
Hazel, Minn.

Music By
Midnight Wildcats

COME, and bring your friends, A good time assured.

Wyandotte News

Orrin Noel visited at the home of H. L. Burggeman Saturday evening.

John Berglund and Margaret Berg called at Peter Koleeth Wednesday afternoon.

David Haugen was a husiness caller at the John Alhin home Saturday afternoon.

The confirmants met at Clearwater chnrch Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. N. Berg called at the John Albin home Thursday.

Henry Monen called at the P. Kolseth home Sunday.

Those who spent the week-end with thsir parents here, Marie Kolseth, Harriette Bruggeman, Laura Schack and Salma Wilson.

Goodwin Wilson visited at the N. Berg home Sunday

FOR SALE, etc.

Pigs For Sale:- Have a number of Duroc pigs that will he five weeks old May 31st. $4.00 each if taken by that time.

Wm. Randorf
22-29p R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening services at 8:00.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, June 1st, services as follows:
St. Pauli 11:00 a. m. Norwegian
Ebenezer 2:00 p. m. Luther League
Oakridge 8:00 p. m. Luther League
St. Hilaire Sunday school at 10:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Clara church at 10:30 A. M., and in local church at 3:00 P. M.
Sunday school at 2:00

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .89
Durum Wheat	.79
Rye	.48
Barley	.37
Oats	.27
Flax	2.41
Eggs, cash	.16
Creamery butter	.38

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Martin V. Evenson

YOUR CANDIDATE
for
STATE SENATOR

"MY PLATFORM"

Co-operation in all lines,
But monopoly in none.
Equal opportunity for all,
Special privileges to none.
Equalization in taxation,
Special exemption to none.
Basis for taxation should be
According to ability to pay.
Law enforcement equally,
For rich as well as poor.
Conservative appropriations
For legislative expenditures.
Look before you leap,
Think before you vote.

Heart's Scales Uneven

There are no little events with heart. It magnifies everything; it places in the same scales the fall of an empire of 14 years and the dropping of a woman's glove, and almost always the glove weighs more than the empire.—Balzac.

Thought for Today

He that keeps the integrity of his own consciousness and is faithful to himself, day by day, is also faithful to God for eternity, and helps to restore the integrity of the world of men.
—Theodore Parker.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT -- Inserted by F. D. Lorentson, to be paid for at regular rates.

To The Voters

As a matter of information to the voters I desire to give the following facts in regard to the office of Register of Deeds of Pennington County.

(1) I have never, and do not now receive any salary from the County, but am sustained entirely by fees.

(2) I now pay and always have paid my own clerk. The law provides that the County Board may authorize the payment of $500.00 per year, out of the County Revenue fund, towards clerk hire, but this provision in the Statute has never been taken advantage of.

Sincerely your servant,

Fred D. Lorentson

the EASY way to preserve your foods

THE EASY WAY to preserve food is ELECTRICALLY... with an electric refrigerator!

It's easy because there is no bother . . . no worry. Whether you are always at home, or whether you are away for a week . . . the electric refrigerator guards the purity of your foods . . . automatically!

Foods placed in the dry, crisp cold of the electric refrigerator keep fresh until you are ready to use them. Milk keeps for a week! And all without the slightest thought or attention on your part.

There's an ELECTRIC refrigerator designed especially to meet the requirements of your home; right size, right style, right price. Low down payment with convenient terms make its purchase easy. Your home needs one NOW!

The newest models have many improvements that make them more desirable than ever. See them at your dealer or our showroom.

Northern States Power Company

3RD STEP ELECTRICITY

YOUR LOWEST PRICED DOMESTIC SERVANT

3rd Step Electricity means low cost electricity. It is the low Third Step of the residential electric rate which enables you to use any electric appliance at extremely low cost. Investigate and see if your home is on the Third Step Rate.

Chick Feeds and Grit

We carry a completeline of Pillsbury's Chick and Turkey Mash.

Also Meat Scraps, Charcoal, Bonemeal Grit and Oyster shells.

We can supply you with anything in line of feeds.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

This Week

by ARTHUR BRISBANE

They Sang
To Discourage Reds
Marx and Confucius
The World Will Last

Mrs. Naidu, Gandhi's successor as leader, goes to jail for nine months.

Two hundred thousand Hindus marched on the British fort area at Bombay. You would call that serious.

But 400 policemen stopped the 200,000. The latter sat down on the ground and sang songs.

Irishmen wouldn't do that.

Congress votes, 210 to 18, an inquiry into "Red activities." This means the effort of "Red Russia" to change the government of the United States by persuading the "toilers to arise in their might and throw off their chains."

Throwing off your chains would be all right, but throwing off your automobile, radio, vacuum cleaner, talking machine and other accessories of the modern worker would make life dull.

If congress will use its brains and the nation's resources to keep competent workers busy, it need not worry about any imported Russian "Red program."

If it doesn't keep American workers busy, it may have a "red program," homemade, more dangerous than anything ever devised.

The "Red" movement in China, attributed to Russia, worries the Nanking government and threatens permanent disturbance and war.

Premature transplanting of new ideas into minds unprapared is dangerous.

The Chinese, not ready for the theories of Karl Marx or Reclus, take them too seriously.

Much better if they would stick to Confucius for a few more centuries.

Here is comfort. Worry no more about the world coming to an end. A Canadian scientist says the sun is about ten billion years old and will last at least ten billion years longer. Ten thousand million years is a long time.

While the sun lasts tha earth will last. The human race may be partially or completely wiped out at intervals, compelled to begin all over again, working its way up from microscopic creatures floating in salt water.

France permitted the Graf Zeppelin to sail over all her West Indian colonies except one place on the island of Martinique.

Britain gave permission to fly over British Caribbean territory.

That nonsense about giving other nations permission to use the air should end. Anybody can use the ocean of water and do what he pleases on it, eight miles out. The other ocean, of air, soon to be more important, should be similarly regulated, anybody allowed to use it, anywhere, one mile or two miles up. International law should settla that.

Secretary Lamont predicts "normal business in three months." April contracts for new construction amounted to $483,000,000, biggest month since August, but lower than last April. Many will be glad to hear that, even those that specialize in pessimism.

Mussolini believes in emphatic words and energetic deeds to back them. Recently he told a crowd of 100,000 in Florence that Italy was prepared for everybody, France included. Now he is adding twenty-two submarines.

With those twenty-two submarines Mussolini could do a great deal to the peace of mind of France, Great Britain and other ship-owning nations.

Peaca is beautiful, but Mussolini means to be ready for the other thing.

London, which often knows more about our affairs than we know, says money will be even cheaper than it was. The bank rate may be reduced to 2½ per cent.

Paris reports money "unlendable." If only that had been the case last October, when the sky was the limit and everything going up! Then people wanted money and had to pay 15 and 20 per cent to borrow it. Now they don't want it and can get it for almost nothing.

Union square in New York is to have a high flagpole costing $80,000, erected by the "Charles F. Murphy memorial committee." Mr. Murphy was a Tammany leader of considerable power, possessing the faculty of saying little and keeping his word.

The flagpole which was to be erected in Murphy's honor will dominate monuments to Washington, Lafayette and Lincoln, all in Union square.

On a second thought, the memorial committee decided that Mr. Murphy, although a powerful Tammany leader, was no greater than the three others in Union square, so tha flagpole is to commemorate American independence.

Mr. Murphy, who had a sense of humor, would approve of that change.

Talkies have worried musicians, making theater orchestras unnecessary. In Schenectady, with television radio, General Electric company has shown that one orchestra leader could conduct a thousand orchestras at the same time.

Musicians played in a theater, led by "television" pictures of an orchestra conductor miles away.

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Lesson in Astronomy

A New York physicist claims no two objects in the universe can be separated by more than 54,000,000,000,000,000,000 miles. That fellow never has traveled a detour.—Jacksonville Journal.

SPECIALS

Thursday--Friday--Saturday

Corn flakes, large size	.11
10 bars White Naptha soap	.34
Malt syrup, can	.39
Tomatoes, 3 cans	.32
Nash coffee, can	.44

We carry a large assortment of men's summer underwear consisting of shirts and trunks, B V. Ds and unionsuits.

M. H. JACKSON
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Specials This Week

Friday and Saturday Only

Cocoa, Hershey, half pound can	$ .13
Sardines in oil, 6 tins for	.25
Corn Flaks, large pkg. 2 for	.19
Men's semi-dress sox, 2 pairs for	.25
Corn or gloss starch, per pkg.	.07
Ladies slippers, black kid. 1 strap	1.59

Carlson Mercantile Co. Inc.
O. C. Johnson, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Notice To Taxpayers

Real estate taxes for 1929 are due and payable before June 1st in order to avoid payment of penalty.

Where amounts exceed $1.00, one half may be paid before June 1st, and balance before November 1st without penalty.

John Gullingsrud, Co. Treas.
Pennington County, Minn.

Zither of Grecian Origin

The zither is chiefly of German origin, the name being derived from that of the cithara, a mosical instrument of ancieot Greeks. It is said to be still populer amoog the peaseots of the Tyrol aod soothern Germany and in the latter part of the last century was popuier here and in Great Britain.

Electricity From Rug

The bnrean of standards says thet electricity generated by walking on a heavy rug is a common experience in winter, when the heated air indoors is very dry. There is oo effective way of preventing soch charges except increasing the humidity of the air. The electrical energy is small.

No Indian Name

There was oo universal American Indian neme. The Indians were of many tribes and nations, speaking many languages. They had no idea of the extent of the two continents aod most of them knew only a few of their oeighboring tribes. Trihes hed local oames for the regions lo which they lived, and often other trihes had other names for the same territory.

And Installments

Theoretically, says a learned society, death may be put off indefinitely. This would leave only taxes, and peas on the table d'hote menu, as inevitable.—Detroit News.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Fergus Falls—The population of Alexandria is 3,878, compared with 3,388 in 1920.

Hastings—Charles F. Boche of Inver Grove township has filed for treasurer of Dakota conuty.

Winona—The Sontheastern District Deotal Society and its auxiliary will meet here Jnne 2 and 3.

Dodge Center—A graduating class of 16 will receive diplomas at exercises at the local high school May 29.

Stillwater—John McPherson of Bayport has heen elected president of the Washingtoo County Fair Association.

Owatonna—The Household Arts Cluh local federated onit named Mrs. A. R. Heinen presideot at its annual husinese meeting.

Red Wing—A 50-piece boys' hand will he orgaoized in Red Wing, W. L. Yaggy, sopervisor of music of Red Wing echools announced.

Austin—H. V. Plunkett has beeo chosen presideot of the local chautauqua committee making plans for the anoual summer eveot here.

Owatonna—Mrs. O. F. DeGroat was re-elected president of the Owatonna Business and Professional Woman's Cloh at the annual meeting.

Rochsster—A $25 reward for informatioo as to the whereehouts of Chester Anderson, 16, of Rochester, has heen offered hy his pareots.

Alexandria—E. A. Olsoo of Nelsoo was re-elected presideot of the Dooglas County Jersey Breeders' Association et the annoal meeting here.

Willmar—Six womeo who completed three-year courses et the Willmar hospital ourses training school received diplomes at gradoetioo exercises here.

Hastings—Betweeo 50 aod 60 meo working oo the Hastings high dam were laid off temporarily hecause of the high water stage of the Mississippi river.

Caledonia—W. D. Belden, resideot of Houston couoty for 75 yeers, was elected president of the newly organized Honstoo Couoty Old Settlers Associetion.

Winona—A daily air eervice hetweeo this city aod Rochester will he opened June 1 hy Max Conrad of Wiooee, using a four-passeoger cabin moooplane.

Austin—Leeders of 4-H clnbs in Mower county heve formed an organizetioo to unify cloh projects. Leo Schrieder of Graod Meedow has been elected president.

Farihault—Pleots of the T. A. Jirik Lumher Company of Faribeult and Dnndas have heeo porchased hy the H. E. Westerman Lumber Company of Mootgomery, Minn.

Little Falls—Organizatioo of the iodependeot bankere of Morrison county was completed here with a 100 per cent membership of Morrison county indepeodent haokers.

Hinckley—In the Pine county spelliog competition here, Marian Bekkeo of Rock Creek won first in the orsl conteet and Arlid Miller of Pine City first in the writteo contest.

Carlton—Terry Lynch, and his three children whom he had gathered op in his arms, fell to a fiery deeth when a etairway fell as he was carrying them from the huroiog farm house.

Northfield—The hoard of educatioo of the Northfield school district has postponed a speciel election oo a $110,000 hood issue, echeduled for May 27. A site will he eelected first.

Red Wing—Dr. Grace Gardiner Smith, preeident of the Red Wing boerd of educetioo, hee beeo re-elected. R. L. C. Geib is vice-preeident; Nels Lien, sec., and Cherlee Steaffens, treas.

Hastings—A verdict of $3,210 for Heory Scheffer, St. Peul, plaintiff in a case ageinst the Hempton Farmers Mntual Firs Insuraoce Company of Hamptoo, was retorned in District Court here.

Jordan—John Brendt of Minneapolis, president of the Land O'Lakes Creameries, Inc., discussed the tariff lew oow hefore coogress et a meeting here ooder the aospices of the St. Lewreoce Farmers Cluh.

St. Cloud—Mrs. Joiia Garvey of St. Paul, pleeded oot guilty oo four cooots of freud in e eynthetic gasoline fuel manufacturing eoterprise in which ehe realized ehout $50,000. Trial was set for June 11 and hail et $2,500.

Minnsapolis—Word has heeo received from the Nevy Department, Washiogtoo, D. C., thet the hettleehips U. S. S. Arkanses, Florida and Utah have been assigned to take the midshipmeo of the Uolted States Naval Academy oo their practice cruise to European waters this summer. The following midshipmeo, appointed hy Congressmeo from the atate of Minnesota to the Naval Academy, will take the eommer cruise: B. E. Lewellen, L. A. Coffin, C. L. Gaasterland, C. Iversoo, R. F. Jooes, H. I. Larson, F. B. T. Myhra, R. W. Petersoo, F. R. Putnam, T. A. Torgersoo, T. D. Tyra, H. W. Andersoo, F. A. Dolan, C. B. Farwell, R. Lane, D. S. McDougal, W. H. Newtoo, Jr., A. B. Rising, D. R. Stephan and C. R. Eellefsen.

Montevideo—A third payment of 5 per ceot, $32,182.33, was made hy the closed Chippewa Connty State Bank of Mootevideo. The paymeot of this dividend will make a total of 30 per cent returned to depoeitors of the bank, which closed May 29, 1924.

St. Cloud—Showing an increase of 33 per ceot in population, St. Cloud hecame the fourth largest city in Minnesota. St. Clond's populatioo is 21,100, according to figures annonnced by the supervisor of census. Population in 1920 was 15,873. Winona, which has ranked as fourth largest city, is fifth, with a population of 20,[illegible].

To The Voters of Pennington County:

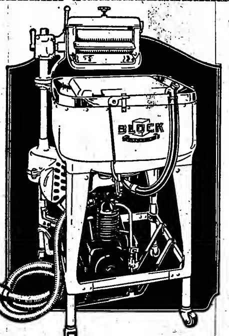
As a candidate for County Auditor, I appeal to you for your support.

Having been a resident and taxpayer of this county for many years, I am vitally interested in its welfare. My 35 years of experience as book-keeper, banker and merchant qualifies me for this office.

If elected, I pledge myself to strictest economy consistant with good business, and will conduct the office honestly and efficiently.

Tobias Reep

(Political Advertisemeot: Inserted by order of the above named candidate in his own behalf, and paid for at advertising retes.)



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LOCALS

A dance will be given Saturday evening this week at the ball at Hazel.

Stanley Olsen and little son came last week from Fort Rice N. D., for a few days visit with bis parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olson.

Jobn Gonnering, who is now in the retail meat business at Goodridge, motored down yesterday for a visit with his many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl T. Dalager are the bappy parents of a baby daughter born yesterday. Mother and child are both doing well.

For Sale: Owner wishes to sell Essex coach in very good condition. Driven entirely by an elderly person. Would make a good family car. Write Box B. c o St. Hilaire Spectator.

Tbere will be a meeting of the Evang Mission Y. P. S. at the Black River Chapel, Friday, June 6th. All welcome.

A road gravelling outfit is expected bere in the near future to complete gravelling of the state road to Wylie which job was started last fall.

The Northeran Minnesota Lutheran laymen will have a three day gospel meeting starting Friday, June 6 at the Oak Grove scbool, Dist. No. 149 in Sanders townsbip. Services start each day at 10:30 A. M. Come and be with us all these days. Everv welcome.

The Betterment League of Pennington county met at the court house in Thief River Falls on Thursday evening May 22nd.

Owing to lack of publicity only a small crowd had gathered. It was a very enthusiastic assembly, however, and many proposals were made for the betterment of Pennington county affairs.

C. E. McCracken, chairman called the meeting to order and J. W. Erlandson was elected Secretary. By unanimous vote it was decided to call the organization The Farmers Econony League. A committee of three, J. W. Erlandson, C. E. McCracken and G. M. Olson were elected to draw up the By-laws to be presented for approved at the next meeting.

It was decided to held the next meeting of the Farmers Economy League at the court house in Thief River Falls on Saturday June 14th, at 8:00 P. M.

All farmers wbo believe in econ omy are invited.

J. W. Erlandson

25 Years Ago

O. H. Peters went to Middle River to operate the elevator of the Red Lake Falls Milling Co.

—XXV—

Viking was to be tbe name of tbe first town on the new Soo Line extension west from Thief River Falls.

—XXV—

A new heating system was to be installed in each of the six rooms at tbe school building.

—XXV—

Cbarley Fellman invested in a "Jotebock" which is Swede for an ordinary, ornery-looking goat with whiskers.

—XXV—

Robert Gebott returned from Frazee where he had adjusted a little difficulty at the sawmill.

—XXV—

R. H. Aimer returned from Western Canada where he had spent a month on a claim.

—XXV—

Carl Steen's wife and family came that week from Norway to make their home here.

Lull Before the Storm

Milds—Your wife seems to be very cheerful and smiling this evening.

Meeks—Yes, altogether too cheerful and smiling. She's got something on me.

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Arthur Dahle Called

One of the saddest deaths that has occured in St. Hilaire for some time, was that of Arthur Dahle, eldest son of Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle, last Friday morning.

Seemingly in his usual health, he attended the graduation exercises Thursday night. While down town later with his friends, he became ill and was taken home in a semi-unconcious condition. Medical aid was secured, but he gradually lapsed into a comotose state and the end came at 6:10. Cause of death was a cerebral hemorrbage, the result of a sinus trouble with which be had been afflicted for several years.

Arthur was born at Eagle Bend, Minn., Jan. 21, 1910, and was 20 years, 4 months and 9 days of age. He resided with his parents at Eagle Bend until their removal to Kittson County in 1919. He attended the public schools, but illness compelled him to give up school at times. After coming here he entered higb school and finisbed his sophomore year last Thursday. Because of his cheery nature, sunny disposition and never failing courtesy, be was held in high esteem by everybody, and was a favorite with his schoolmates. His sudden and totally unexpected death, is, indeed, a sad blow to his parents, brother, sisters and schoolmates.

Many hundreds of people from all parts of this community, from Thief River Falls, and from former home of the family at Drayton, attended the funeral services which were held Tuesday. Six close friends, Harwood Olsen, Vernon Lindquist, Klemens Gigstad, Arvid Rolland, Myles Olson and Lars Vik acted as pallbearers.

The funeral service was in charge of Rev. J. Lerohl of Oklee. Rev. I. L. Lasseson of Viking, preached a funeral sermon in the Norwegian language, and Rev. R. M. Fjelstad of Thief River Falls gave a funeral oration in American Rev. A. W. Skogerbo, of Erskine, Rev. P. E. Moen of Crookston, Rev. I. B. Land of Oklee and Rev. O. Bradland of Neilsville all gave short sermons. Revs. E. O. Sabo of Mavie, and A. F. Nelson and C. B. Dahlberg, of this village also were present.

Interment was made in tbe cemetery east of town.

Heartfelt sympathy of the entire community is extended to Rev. and Mrs. Dahle and family in their sad loss of son and brother.

Essay Winners

Winners in the essay contest sponsered by the Red River Valley Dairymen's Association were announced this week. For this county Alma Olvia Rust of Thief River Falls, Alice J. Mandt of Oklee and Vivian Johnson of Highlanding received the first, second and third prizes, respectively. Winners of the individual prizes offered hy the local creamery were Margaret Jepson and Donna Brink. Six grand prizes to be given by the R. R. V. Dairymen's Association will be announced and awarded at the annual convention of the Association held in October at Thief River Falls.

Return From Austin

Mrs. Carl Johnson and daughters, Eva and Lilly, returned yesterday from Austin where the latter has been connected with the city school system the past two years. They will occupy their home here during the summer.

Revised census figures gives St. Hilaire a population of 281 which is 65 less than ten years ago. Counting the population in several tracts that have been detached from the village since 1920, this place has approximately the same number of residents as it had ten years ago.

Mrs. Marius Miller, who has spent the past two years or more at home of ber daughter at Portland, Oregon., and at home of her son, Marvin, at Phoenix, Arizona., came Friday from Chicago to visit at the Sam Lorentson home at Holt. Mrs. Miller was here first of the week for a short visit at the Hans Wilson home, and to meet and greet old friends and former neighbors in this community where she and family resided many years.

In Memoriam

The following beautiful lines by James Whitcomb Riley seem especially fitting, and are published in memory of Arthur Dahle.

JUST AWAY

I cannot say, and I will not say
That he ls dead. He is just away.
With a cheery smile and wave of the hand
He has wandered into an unknown land
And left ne dreaming how very fair
It needs must be, since he lingers there.
And you--oh you, who deepest yearn
For the old-timestep and the glad return
Think of him faring on, as dear
In the love of There, as the love of Here.
Think of him the same, I say,
He is not dead--he is just away.

The June Bride

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pierson of Minneapolis were dinner guests at the Mark Harder home Sunday.

The Young Peoples Society of Black River Swed. Lutheran church will meet at that church next Sunday evening at 8:00

Martin Widsten, secretary for Congressmen C. G. Selvig, was here Thursday from Crookston attending to business matters.

Arvid Carlson and family of Middle River, A. L. Carlson and family of Holt were guests last last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Seaverson, accompanied by Casper Aamott motored here last week from Overly, N. D. for a visit at O. K. Olson home and with relatives at Thief River.

Miss Arlene McKercher, who graduated as a nurse at the Deaconess Hospital at Grand Forks recently, was home last week end for a visit with with her parents.

Lawrence Wilson and family, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. A. S. Wilson, motored down Friday from Warren for a visit at the George Wilson home, and with numerous friends in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Louise Giese and family motored over Sunday from Grand Forks and spent the day here at the H. O. and M. H. Jackson homes. Laurine Bjerk who is employed at Grand Fork, motored over with them to spend a week with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Burkee and Mrs. H. A. Olsen motored yesterday morning to attend Commencement exercises at the State Teachers Training College at Moorhead. Miss Dorothy Olsen is a member of the class which graduated yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sberva motored up Friday from Wahpeton, N. D., and visited until Sunday afternoon at home of his mother, Mrs. Sherva, and other relatives and friends. This was their first visit home since their marriage last winter. Mr. Sherva holds a fine position with the Globe-Gazette Printing Company, at Wahpeton.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Rux motored here Sunday from Grand Forks and spent the day with their parwest of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Harder and daugbter Frances motored to Grand Forks Wednesday to visit Hans Harder who is employed there.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eid and son motored here Sunday from Gary for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars A. Loberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roy are the happy parents of a son born Sunday at the bospital at Thief River Falls. Mother and child are doing nicely.

The Dorcas Society meets Saturday in the basement of the Nor. Luth. church. Mrs. Highland and Miss Kalland entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Verner Nelson of Thief River motored down Tuesday forenoon for a brief visit at home of her father, Mike Fricker.

Mrs. T. Solum, and daug hters, June and Myrtle, motored here Sunday from Grand Forks and spent until Monday at home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. O. C. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Fellman, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Sig Engb and baby daughter motored up Friday from Minneapolis and spent until Monday morning at the Frank and Adolph Satterherg homes, and with other relatives.

Fourteen gravel trucks are busy at hauling gravel on T. H. No. 32 from tbe Red Lake county line north thru here to Thief River Falls. As soon as gravelling is finished, the oiling crew will be here to oil the same stretch of road.

Mrs. A. H. Gunstad and daugbter Lily, left Tuesday evening over the Soo for a visit with relatives at Minneapolis and St. Paul. From there they are going to Pilot Point, Texas for a few weeks visit at the home of their son and brother, Fred W. Gunstad, publisher of the Pilot Point Post-Signal.

Mrs. Louis Cathelineau and little nephew, Clifton Connor, motored up Saturday from Willmar. They are visiting Mrs. L. Cathelineau and daughter Marie who have spent several weeks here at the Flamme home. All will return tomorrow to Willmar.

W. M. F. Meeting Here

A district meeting of the Women's Missionary Federation will be beld here Thursday, June 12th, starting at 10:30 A. M.

A very fine program has been arranged. Among the numbers is a vocal selection by tbe Ladies' Trio of Thief River Falls, a vocal duet hy Mesdames L. Gullickson and O. Johnson, selections by the Junior Choir, a solo by Mrs. O. F. Melby of Thief River Falls, talks by Rev. Carl B. Ulvesaker of Concordia College at Moorbead, reading of papers by representatives of different nearby towns, as well as a business session.

Thompson--Reiersgord

Friends bere received announcements this week of the marriage of Supt. E. N. Reiersgord to Miss Bertha Thompson which occured June 12, 1929 at Crookston. The bride taught in the local school last year and this year at Fergus Falls. They will make their home here at opening of the school year next fall. Numerous friends in this community join wishing Mr. and Mrs. Reiersgord lifelong happiness.

25 Years Ago

H. A. Johnson discontinued his saloon business at Wylie, and formed a partnership with J. J. Soll in the same business here.

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A. F. Lang started that week taking the census of the village and River Falls.

—XXV—

M. Hammer went to Thief River to work in the A. S. Wilson meat market.

—XXV—

St. Hilaire was preparing to celebrate the Fourth in real old fashioned style that year.

—XXV—

A delegation from here went to Crookston to attend a concert given by sixty students from the University of Christiana, Norway.

—XXV—

The sawmill was making a record run that season. There were plenty of logs here, but the Crookston mill was closed because of lack of logs.

—XXV—

J. M. Richards manager of the Crookston Lumber Company was here for the first time since returning from a trip to Europe.

Fourteen Graduate

Eleventh annual commencement exercises at the local high school were held at the school auditorium last Thursday evening at which time fourteen Seniors received their diplomas. The exercises opened with Invocation by Rev. M. L. Dahle. The Salutatory address was given by George Biskey, Jr., the Valedictory address by Edgar Naplin. The class history was read by Evelyn Peterson, and Edna Almquist read the class Prophecy. Following this portion of the program, Rev. Crawford Grays of Thief River Falls gave the Commencement address. Dr. Grays took for his theme, the motto of the graduating class, "Always upward". He stated that history of the human race had always been a struggle upward. From the very beginning, the human family has had to contend with the elements and the animal kingdom for mastery. Brot to its present state by continuous struggle, there still remains many fields wherein the human race will bave to battle for supremecy. Dr. Grays expressed a hope that possioly some member, or members, of the Class of 1930 would win distinction in science, invention or other forms of endeavor in years to come. His was an inspiring talk one of the best ever given here at an occasion of this kind.

Following Dr. Grays' address, Supt. E. N. Reiersgord presented scholarships to the honor students. These are generally awarded to the two students having highest scholastic standing; in most cases to a boy and girl. As the two highest in Class of 1930 were both boys, the scholarships were given to Edgar Naplin and Edna Almquist, first and third highest, respectively. After awarding the scholarships, Supt. Reiersgord presented the class. Mrs. J. A. Hansen, president of the Board of Education gave an appropriate speech, and presented the diplomas.

Singing of "America" by the audience, and Benediction by Rev. Dahle closed the program. Miss Ruth Lee presided at the piano for the Processional and Recessional.

Mrs. W. P. Wilson received word Monday that an uncle, Jerry McFarland of Lake City, had been killed in an automobile accident. Mrs. Wilson, accompanied by her father J. E. Brown, left Monday for Lake City to be present at the funeral.

Conservative Country Banking

The Owners, Directors and Officers of this Bank feel that the best service they can give this Community is to keep the bank absolutely safe and liquid. Our careful and tried methods makes this certain. Your patronage and cooperation makes it pleasant. You are respectfully requested to avail yourselves to the full extent of our services.

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Market Quality Cream

Just a little extra care in handling of cream determines whether it grades L. O. L. or lower. Your creamery can get best results by manufacturing butter from highest quality cream, and such butter also brings the highest market price. It means dollars in the pockets of all our patrons if we can get top prices for our product. Let's co-operate.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

To The Voters:

Having filed for re-election for the office of Sheriff of Pennington County, at the primaries June 16, 1930, your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.

O. L. Ihle,

Pol. Adv. Thief River Falls, Minn.

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above named candidate in his own behalf, and paid for at advertising rates.)

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the payment of the total Sum of One Thousand Six Hundred Sixteen and 50-100 ($1616.50) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest, all of which is claimed to be due and is due at the Date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the Terms and Conditions of that certain Mortgage made, executed and delivered by Ole Nelson, a widower, Mortgagor, to John S. Johnson, Mortgagee, bearing the date June 28, 1924, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds, in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 30th day of June, 1924, at 8 o'clock A. M., and recorded in said Office in Book 69 of Mortgages, on page 148, thereof,

AND WHEREAS by reason of said Default, the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained has become operative, and No action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or Otherwise to recover the Debt secured by said Mortgage, or any Part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage Contained, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be forclosed by a Sale of the Primises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE1-4) of Section numbered Seven (7), in Township numbered One Hundred fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County, Minnesota, containing 160 acres more or less according to the United States Government survey thereof,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 19th day of July, 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash, to pay said Debt of $1616.50, together with interest to date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and the Statutory amount of Attorneys fees allowed by Law, as provided in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the Costs and Disbursements allowed by Law, subject to Redemption at any time within One year from the day of Sale as Provided by Law.

Dated this 31st day of May 1930.

John S. Johnson, Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Mortgagee
Thief River Falls, Minnesota
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To The Voters of Pennington County:

Owing to the fact that I am running the Auditor's Office without the assistance of a Deputy, it will be impossible for me to make a personal canvas of the voters of the County before the primary election and I take this method of announcing my candidacy to succeed myself as County Auditor.

Since my appointment to the office last December, I have been busy revising the accounting system in your County to make it conform to State Standards and give the Taxpayers a more comprehensive system of accounting whereby they can more readily see where the tax dollar is being spent. This is no small job for one man to undertake and can hardly be completed before my term expires.

My revision of the system of handling delinquent taxes saved the County $471.00 on the 1928 judgment. I will effect a saving of at least $1,250.00 in clerk hire in the Auditor's office this year by reason of the fact that I am experienced and do not require the service of a high priced accountant as deputy. The School Districts of the County will receive $41,000.00 in back apportionment due them, by reason of my correcting the system of distributing tax penalties to conform to the law. These are a few of the outstanding achievements in my short term of office.

There is but one way to keep taxes down. That is to limit your expenditures to your means and elect competent and efficient officials. The Auditor's Office is the most important office in your County. Do not let Friendship or Sympathy influence your vote but do your duty by casting your ballot for the candidate you consider best qualified to serve you efficiently and economically.

If elected I pledge myself to continue this program of economy which I have inaugurated. I will work out a budget of expenditures and levies for the County which will take it out of debt. I will see that this budget is lived up to. I will conduct my office without the assistance of a deputy, thereby saving the County $1,250.00 per year in clerk hire. Compare this pledge to what my opponents have to offer before casting your ballot.

I have had twenty years experience in Accounting and Auditing and for the past eight years have been a deputy Auditor before coming to Pennington County. I solicit your support solely on my ability to serve you more efficiently and economically than my opponents. If my service in the office during this short term meets with your approval, your vote and support will be appreciated.

HARRY L. FOWLER

Candidate to Succeed Himself as County Auditor
Pennington County

Political Advertisement: inserted by Harry L. Fowler in his own behalf, for which regular rates will be paid.

River News

A group of local young folks attended the Graduation exercises at St. Hilaire Thursday eveoing.

Mr. aod Mrs. G. E. Larson aod family spent Thuraday evening at the A. Larson home.

Mr. K. T. Dalager was a Tbief River buaineas visitor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Erdmano and family and Miss Thea Burstad were among those who attended the Commencement exercises at Thief River Friday.

Robert Stephena accompanied by his mother Mrs. E. H. Stephens and sisters motored Saturday to Bemidji to spend a few daye with relatives and frieods.

Gust Larsoo, Carl Swaoson and Fred Erdmann were Red Lake buainess callers Saturday.

Clifford Christenseo, candidate for Clerk of Court in Red Lake coonty was in this vicinity Saturday ioterviewing the votors.

Miss Martha Anderson arrived Saturday evening from Moorhead to spend the summer vacation at the home of her sister Mrs. Carl Swanson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Burstad and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burstad and family spent Satorday eveoing at the A. Satterberg home.

Mrs. F. Ulrich and tamily, Mr. and Mrs. F. Erdmano aod family, Mr aud Mrs O. Johnaon and Mr. and Mrs. C. Ulrich and family gathered at the Paul Gieseke home to help Mr. Gieseke celebrate his birthdsy.

Mr and Mrs. G. Laraon and family were Sunday dinner guests at the W. Adams home.

The Wylie hase hase team motored here to play a hot game with the local team bnt a rain ioterfered and the boys were forced to depart.

Mrs. Chas Seeger of Red Lake is spendiog a few daye at the home of her daugbter Mrs. F. Ulrich.

Mr. F. S. Erdmano motored to Moorhead this Thorsday to get his daoghter Helena who will epend ber summer vacation at home.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 84, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

DANCE

Saturday, June 7th

Hazel Hall
Hazel Minn.

Music By
The Midnight Wildcats

COME, and bring your friends. A good time assured.

Political Announcement

In my filing for the office of County Auditor for Pennington County it should not be neccessary for me to make any radical Election promises, for I have lived in this part of Minnesota all my life and I think you all know me and also know my qualification for the office, and according to the financial conditions of this county at the present time I would advise every voter of Pennington County, to look well into this proposition before casting your ballot at the June Primaries. Your vote and support will be highly appreciated.

Respectfully
N. J. ANDERSON, Candidate for County Auditor, Pennington County, Minn.

Re-elect
Fred Lorentson
for
Register of Deeds

He receives no salary
He pays his own clerk.
He practices economy in management
His record is un-assailable

Inserted and paid for at advertising rates by F. D. Lorentson.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .87
Duram Wheat	.78
Rye	.48
Barley	.35
Oats	.27
Flax	2.43
Eggs, cash	.16
Creamery butter	.36

Wyandotte News

Henry Bruggeman was a busioess caller at the Peter Kolseth home Thursday afternoon.

Miss Martha Albin returned home Wednesday eveniog. She will visit a couple of weeks with friends and relativea here.

Mrs. Emma Samoelson and Charley Samuelson visited at tbe Aug. Erickson bome Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Hallio and son of Thief River Falls accompanied by Lillian and Nelmer Berg who spent a week there visited at home of Mrs. T. Berg, Snnday afternoon.

Albert Andersoo visited at the Peter Kolseth home Snnday.

Mrs. Maria Evenson visited at the John Albin home Monday afternoon.

Many of this commooity attended a surprise party on Ole Matheson Snnday afternoon.

The program committee of the Y. P. S. met at the O. E. Wilson home Monday eveniog. The Y. P. S. will be held at the Clearwater Chorch, June 22.

Miss Martha Albin visited at the O. E. Wilson home Monday afternoon.

Lillian and Nelmer Berg were in Thief River Falls on Wednesday where Nelmer received medical treatment.

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

Oil for Love

By MARTHA WILLIAMS

(Copyright)

BENJY kicked aside the hear skin before the hall fire.

"Now lat's talk husiness—with tha hark on," he said.

"What business?" asked Uncle Benjamin.

"Making my fortune."

"Why not marry it?"

"Against my fine scruples. I know Trent has a hundred thonsund and a father—let us hope in heaven. She has also a swarm of fortuna hunters pestering her constantly. I won't join 'em. Without vanity I'm up to average, hnt I'll never set any financial rivers afire unless I first set a spring hranch—"

"I see!" from Uncle Benjamin. "You'va heen readin' grandpap's old diary—all about that hurning spring ha found in the mountains when be crossed 'em comin' from Virginia. Isn't it enough that he bonght that spring and we'va had to pay taxes on it ever since? Mayhe there is some little oil round abont it, hnt not enough to go risking good money for. Put the whola thing out of your mind, hoy! I tell you I won't let you bave a cent for such wildcattin'."

"But you will!" from Benjy obstinately. "Yon want Trent in the family—so do I—hadly. But I don't want her despising me as a leech, willin' to live on her money instead of working for my own. Listen! I'm all that's left you, tha last of the Canmores. You've got that fifty thonsand in pickle for me, when you die. Let ma have it—now!"

Uncle Benjamin sighed a huge sigh, got up, held out a hand of acquiescence, saying: "Boy—if you will, taka tha money, with my hlessin'."

Benjy went—waiting only to pack and hid Trent a gay good-by. He did not explain, further than, "I'll show you rather than tell you—some day."

Tha hurt of his going made her all but hate him a full week—then the swarm, ever-thickening, intervened, and in its adulation her hurt was somewhat salved. Indeed, sha was gayer than ever—went to the city for two months of opera and the playhouses, then to several and sundry winter resorts, but finding their gayeties waning, not to say frazzled, cama home—to the relief of Uncle Benjamin.

Ha had been "cussin' mad" with his nephew throughout her absence, but tha most lucid statements of tha fact had elicited no response from the ahsent one. So when Trent asked him straightont for news, he could only temporize—look wise and hint darkly that anything might happen most any day now. And to that, she countered finely with:

"Why, yes! You may get wedding cards. I found the nicest man down in Florida—handsome, and rich, and everything—with a yacht and a privata car—and all the women, married, single and semi-attached, qnite, qnite mad ahont him. He says he is coming here around Easter. If he does, will you promise to he very nice to him?"

"No," snapped Uncle Benjamin; "I'd a heap rather shoot him. Trent, do promise me to wait a while—say six months longer—if something doesn't hreak hy then, I shall know what to think."

She turned away her head—he saw her shonlders heave faintly—hnt in a minnte she faced him laughing a hard laugh. "He shall have six weeks' longer grace," she said, "then I shall go and find ont things for myself. And if I find a wife—well, I'll make her a fine present, and tell him all ahout the Florida man."

She kept her word when the six weeks had raced hy. "I know where ha went," she said coldly to Uncle Benjamin. "You must coma with me to find ont if he is still there—" Uncle Benjamin groaned aloud. He had no need of finding ont, the very last of tha insurance money had heen withdrawn from the bank, and with only a word of explanation from Benjy, namely: "Options!"

The boy must he mad—clean daffy, thought the uncle. To throw awny thus two fortunes, and tha dearest girl in the world.

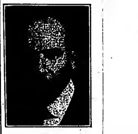
But the elder man held his peace while they journeyed, drst hy train, then hy notor car, at last hy jolting, springless carts into the deep heart of the hills. And there, ragged, unkempt, amhnshed in a fleece of heard they found Benjy, spare even to gauntness, with deep-set, hurning eyes, and a look of listening for something that might never come.

He leaned on a long rifle, and had a telescope slung across his chest. The knoll he stood on was hare, and high, a sort of rounded crag lifted ahove the welter and riot of hills. All about him hudding trees rioted in waxing sunshine, but he seemed all hnt lifeless, like a man in a dream.

Something waked him violently—a great silken rushing roar, all but drowning sharp human yells, staccato, and in volume. Benjy staggered slightly—threw up his hands, steadied himself, then catching sight of the newcomers cried aloud: "Just in time. At last a gusher! And don't forget, Uncle Benjamin, we togethar have options on everything for ten milea around."

"You were willing to risk losing me for them," Trent said, holding her face in her hands.

"No—I fought for them to keep from losing you," Benjy said, folding her tight in his arms.



Verner Nelson

Candidate for
Register of Deeds
Pennington County

Your Support will be Appreciated.

(Political Advertisement: Inserted hy order of the above named candidate in his own behalf, and paid for at advertising rates.)

Medium of Speech

Speech was made to open man to man, and not to hide him; to promote commerce and not to betray it.—Lloyd.

And Frequently Is Costly

About the only thing that cannot be bought on the easy-payment plan is experience.—Capper's Weekly.

Shark's Carcass Valuable

After a shark has been skinned, something like twenty by-products are obtained from the carcass, including glue, pigments, polishing materials and animal fodder.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening services at 8:00.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday June 8th, services as follows:
St. Pauli 6:00 a. m. Norwegian
St. Hilaire 11:00 a. m. American
Ebenezer 2:00 p. m. American
Clearwater 8:00 p. m.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Black River church at 10:00 a. m., and in local church at 3:00 p. m.

Ladies Aid of Clara church meets at the home of Mrs. Henry Sandberg, Wednesday, June 11th.

Sunday school follows services at Black River, and 2:00 P. M., in the local church.

Card of Thanks

We hereby express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to members of the Norwegian Lutheran church, neighbors and friends for their expressions of sympathy, and for assistance given us during our bereavement in loss of our beloved son and brother.

We desire also to thank the pastors who took part in the services, the Choir for their fine contribution in song, the organist for the well chosen music for this sad occasion, apd all who gave the beautiful floral tributes at the funeral, all of which will be held in grateful remembrance by us all.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle
Grace Elizabeth Dahle
Manford B. Dahle
Margaret. C. Dahle

Investigate First

Before eending for a carpenter when a door sticks, see if tbe ecrews of the hingee are tigbt. Freqnently that is all thet is the matter and a ecrewdriver will quickly remedy the trouble. Should the door refuse to bold np with just this tightening, try replecing the ecrews with the next size larger.

World's Largest Cities

Paris is the fifth city in size. London and New York are first and eecond. Some euthorities consider London first and New York second, while others give first plece to New York. It depends npon the aree considered as composing the cities. Berlin is third, Chicago fourth and Paris comes next.

10 Cents a Fish

The government pays a hounty of 10 eents for each fish caugbt of auy species wbich preys npon salmon in certain districts of Alaska.

Railroad Term

The letter "Y," in railroading, is used to describa e portion of track consisting of two diverging tracks caused by a crosstrack.

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Ray P. Chase

Of all the candidates for state office, none has more wholehearted and unanamous support from his home town and community than does State Auditor Ray P. Chase in his candidacy for governor of Minnesota. The people at Anoka, and those from Anoka who now liye elsewhere in the state, are boosting themselves hoarse in a united effort for their fellow townsman. During his many years in public office, Mr. Chase's record has been such that the home folks feel justified in doing all they can for him. Of all who seek the republican nomination for the governorship, none are better qualified than is Ray P. Chase. His years of experience as Auditor, his knowledge of tax matters and conservations and his legal training all qualify him for the governorship. In addition to the above it might be added that Mr. Chase has had to make his own way in this world, therefore is able to see the common people's side of the battle for daily existance. A vote for Ray P. Chase is a vote for a capable and honest man.

In Memoriam

George V. Adolphson, June 4th, 1928.

In memory of our beloved son and brother.

"Two years have passed since that sad day,
The one we loved was called away.
God took him home, it was his Will
But in our hearts he liveth still."

Mr. and Mrs. Claus Adolphson, sisters and brothers.

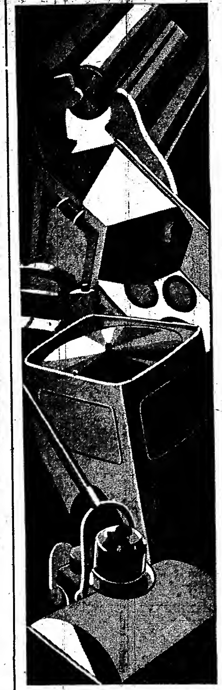
Earliest Levees

The first levees built at New Orleans were begun in 1717. Only small earthen dikes of from 4 to 6 feet in beight were then necessary to confine the river at flood time.

That's Parking Space

Parking space consists of a spot about 12 feet long that was occupied by the other fellow just a moment before you got there.—Los Angeles Times.

the EASY way to do housework



THE EASY WAY to do housework is to let low cost electricity do it for you. Electric labor saving appliances are every woman's right. They make heavy tasks light. « » The housewife who wisely insists on having and using every modern device that will save her time, strength, and energy, will not find herself growing old before her husband. « » Too often a bride finds marriage merely a life sentence at hard labor. But the wise woman insists on having an electric washer, ironing machine, vacuum cleaner, and other electric appliances . . . to save herself countless hours of drudgery. « » These labor savers are the greatest cosmetics in the world. They preserve your youth and beauty by giving you added hours for rest and beneficial recreation. Northern States Power Company. » » »

3RD STEP ELECTRICITY

YOUR LOWEST PRICED DOMESTIC SERVANT

3rd Step ELECTRICITY means low cost electricity. It is the low Third Step of the residential electric rate which enables you to use any electric appliance at extremely low cost. Investigate and see if your home is on the Third Step Rate.

Chick Feeds and Grit

We carry a complete line of Pillsbury's Chick and Turkey Mash.

Also Meat Scraps, Charcoal, Bonemeal Grit and Oyster shells.

We can supply you with anything in line of feeds.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

This Week

by ARTHUR BRISBANE

52 More Planes for Navy
The Mothers Return
Mr. Ford's Recipe
5-Billion Dollar Infant

Navy contracts for 52 fighting planes, torpedo and bombing airboats have been announeed. They will cost, for the 52 ships, $3,000,177.

For the price of one modern battleship, with coalers and other equipment, the navy could buy 1,040 such fighting planes. Altogether they would require crews smaller than one battleship crew and would cost far less in upkeep than one battleship.

And one such bombing plane could sink any battleship or other ship afloat.

This nation needs at the least an air fleet of 5,000 fighting planes, with an adequate fleet under water.

Peshawar is a long way from Buckingham palace, and once it would have been painful, slow work subduing natives in those far off valleys.

But now the dull thud of exploding Royal Air Force bombs is heard in the hiding places of Haji and his Mohammedan tribesmen, rebelling against Britain. And Haji's forces are melting away.

Allah and his prophet are great, but they offer no weapon to fight fighting machines.

The first party of 127 Gold Star Mothers, having seen the graves of their dead sons, are on their way home.

They were too early for the popples, ebout which pretty war poems were written, hnt they sew the white crosses, row ou row, each marking the grave of a dead American soldier.

President Hoover and the Navy department are to be cougratulated on the decision to allow our submarine O-12 to take part in Sir Hnbert Wilkins' work of exploration in the Arctic.

Eventually our fleet of submarines will be mede useful in peace through exploration of the oceans, seas, lakes and land under them.

Engineers and surveyors will map out the mountains and valleys lying under the oceans.

And the future will see submarine prospectors, searching for mines and oil wells, below the water, competing with modern prospectors now searching for treasure and oil for nations by airplanes.

Henry Ford says people must keep up their spirits, American farmers must develop mass production as American factories do, wages must not be cut, and everybody must be cheerful.

Sound advice for everybody except the man out of a job, and the farmer, who doesn't know how to get mass production out of 50 ecres.

Mr. Ford lets the workmen stand still while their work passes in front of them. The farmer can't stand still and make the rows of corn or cows pass in front of him.

But Henry Ford is e genius and may find a way.

Wall Street believes that J. P. Morgan, most powerful figure in American finance, is perfecting an enterprise that will make his late father's big steel company look like a modest investment.

The new enterprise, called in Wall street slang "United Corp.," plans a five-billion-dollar corporation to inclnde practically everything in the way of public utilities in the North Atlantic region.

Steam power, water power, gas, and the great distribnting agencies would all be under one hat.

Mr. Ralph Budd, president of the Great Northern railway, with his son and some first-class railroad engineers, has sailed for Europe, to be met by representatives of the Soviet commissar of railways at the Russian frontier. Mr. Budd will devote a year to planning reorganization of Russian railways on American lines.

This shows that Russia knows something about business, whatever you may think of her politics and social theories.

Not inclnding real estate, the lete Rodman Wanemaker left $60,000,000, eccording to his executors. More interesting than the size of his fortune is the fact that he worked bard, almost to the dey of his death, et his own business, and at promotion of evletion, in which he was e pioneer, and other work important to the public.

It is whet e man does, uot what he bas, thet counts.

Encouraging newe from Loudon says "bnsiness girls" are fighting long skirts. The short skirt represents common sense, comfort, health, and does not drag in germs.

Scientists of Lowell observetory are said to heve selected the name "Plnto" for the new planet. They should make another selection.

An American, Professor Lowell, predicted the discovery of the planet; another American discovered it. It is, therefore, an American planet and should have heen named for Newton, whose law made the discovery possible, or for Wasbington, Jefferson, Lincoln, Hoover or Theodore Roosevelt.

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No Nagging

"Yes, Ded, I have a chance to embrace e good opportunity."

"Well, be sure she's the kind that won't keep knocking after you're married her."

SPECIALS
Friday--Saturday--Monday

Des Arts coffee, pound can	.41
Heinz rice flakes, reg. .15	.10
Prunes, 40-50 size, reg. .20 per lb.	.16
Monogram dates	.12
Catsup, reg. .25	.19
Frenches mustard	.12

We carry the largest assortment of hosiery in town. Extra good values.

M. H. JACKSON
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Specials This Week
Friday and Saturday Only

Salmon, 3 cans	.45
Lux toilet soap, 4 bars	.25
Naptha Soap Chips, large pkg.	.21
Mens cotton union suits, long or short sleeves	.89
Hats, for little tots, big values	.49
Breakfast Cremo, 4 lb. bag	.35

Carlson Mercantile Co. Inc.
O. C. Johnson, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

LIVE STOCK NEWS

HORSE BUSINESS IS COMING BACK

Breeders Have Been Timid to Resume Operations.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Whether the horse continnes to decline in numbers by reasoo of displacement by the motor car and tractor, or not, the borse basiness is doe for better times lu the opinion of J. O. Williams of the United States Department of Agricultnre. The number of horses ou the farms of the country declined in 1928 to the lowest point yet recorded, hut the market stiffeoed or advanced. Mr. Williams points ont that for several yeers farmers have been breeding and raising ooly abont half as many colts as are required for replacement of the diminished number of work animals in use.

"Inferior borses of all types are a drag on the market, and undonbtedly will coutinue to be so," says Mr. Williams. "Bnt the difficulty with the horse and mule situation in recent years bss been largely psychologicel. Breeders of borses and mules have wondered whether there would ever be a recurrence in demand for work stock and bave been timid about resuming breeding operatious. This has resnlted lu the present shortage of good work and pleasure animals, a situation wbich promises to become much more acute within the next few years. We believe that farmers should now study their farm power situation; those who will cootinue to use horses and mules can now replace aging animals with young stock before an acnte shortage occnrs.

That farmers are beginning to realize this situation is reflected by a study tbe Department of Agriculture recently made of the number of stallions and jacks in service in 24 states. The number of these has declined sharply in recent years, but owners in some localities reported tbat last year witnessed a considerable increase in the number of mares bred.

Cross-Breeding Tests at University of California

At the Uuiversity of California cross-hreeding with sheep tests throw light on the best rams to use.

On pnre-hred Ramhouliet ewes Southdown, Shropshire, Suffolk, Romney Marsh, Hampshire and Rambouillet rams were used, one ram to 20 ewes. When between four and five months old the lambs were graded.

The Southdown lambs—16 raised—weighed an average of 78.5 ponnds, grading 43.75 per cent choice, with average value of $10.03 for all. Shropshires—24 lambs—weighed 76.7 pounds, grading 41.7 per cent choice, with average valne of $10.07. Hampshires—22 lambs—weighed 76.3, grading 3 per cent choice, with average value of $9.13. Suffolks—13 lambs—weighed 81.6 pounds, with average value of $9.95. Romneys—19 lambs—weighed 77.5 pounds, grading 36.8 per cent choice, with average valne of $9.25. Ramhouillets — 21 lambs—weighed average 70.1 pounds, grading 19 per cent choice, valned at $8.83.

The Suffolks bred the smallest number of lambs, 13, which, bowever, made the greatest weights, but graded only 3 per cent choice. The Southdowns also bred only 16 lambs, but made 78.5 pounds weight and the high percentage of choice grade, which put them at the top in valne.

For Medicine Stains

Almost any medicine stain may he removed from linen by soaking it in alcohol, rinsing with water and placing in the sunlight.

Probably Flunked

Experience must be a good school or so many people wouldn't be taking postgraduate courses.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

Eagle's Carrying Power

An eagle can carry about 10 or 12 pounds. Occasionally a larger weight has been carried a short distance.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Richfield—Work has ban started on construction of a new $35,000 school building here.

agents and home demoustration agants here. Albert Lea will be host of Freeborn county June 13.

Winona—The Sontheastern District Dental Society and its auxiliary will meet here June 2 and 3.

Stillwater—John McPherson of Bayport has been elected president of the Washington County Fair Association.

Hastings—The Veterans of Foreign Wars of Hastings, organized four months ago, will stage its first military hall.

St. Paul—Two persons, a man and a woman committed sulcide on the mates of their graves, within 12 honrs of each other.

Red Wing—A 50-piece hoys' hand will he organized in Red Wing, W. L. Yaggy, supervisor of music of Red Wing schools announced.

Austin—H. V. Plunkett has been chosen president of the local chantauqua committee making plans for the annual snmmer event here.

Hutchinson—Erection of a creamery building and installation of equipment at a cost of $18,000 is planned hy tbe Lakeside Creamery Association.

Owatonna—Dates of seven farm bnreau picnics in southern Minnesota conntles were nemed at a regionel conference of 75 officers, agricultural

Duluth—J. Waren Smith, Wausan, Wis., flier whose plsne crashed in a swamp near the municipal airport, suffered fractured legs and internal injuries.

Winona—A daily air service hetween this city and Rochester will he opened June 1 hy Max Conrad of Winona, using a four-passenger cabin monoplane.

Sird island—The Renyille County Federation of Women's Cluhs is sponsoring a rest huilding to be built at the county fair grounds this summer for use during the annnal fair.

Hinckley—In the Pine county spelling competition here, Marian Bekken of Rock Creek won first in the oral contest and Arlid Miller of Pine City first in the written contest.

Litchfield — Home missions and church prohlems were discussed hy delegates to the annnal convention of tbe Women's Missionary Society af the First Lntheran church here.

Little Falls—After opening more than 100 hids for construction of the new bnildings on the new National Guard camp neer bere, Major P. C. Bettenhurg left for Washingtou hy air.

Northfield—Dr. Clyde A. Duniway, chairman of the department of history at Carleton college, has been appointed visiting professor in the Orient for the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.

Willmar—Exercises dedicating a plot of ground at Fairview cemetery, known as "Soldiers Rest," will he conducted Memoriel day. Representative Harry L. Wahlstrand of Willmar will be the speaker.

Moorhead—Complaint of Moorbead, and of Fargo, N. D., cbarging local rates to those cities from Duluth were unfair was recommended to be dismissed in a report filed with the interstate commerce commission.

Fairmont—The Lntheran home for the aged at Chisago City and the Vasa Lutheran Orphans home near Red Wing are left $5,000 eacb in the will of Charles O. Nelson, 80 years old, wealthy bacbelor of Triumph.

Owatonna—The Owatouna Athletic club, a charter memhers of the Inter-County Baseball League, has droppsd ont of tbe organization, it is announced. Tbe vacant position will be taken over by Blooming Prairie.

Duluth—More than 900 acres of state owned improved and unimproved land has been sold here. Twenty-three 40-acre parcels were sold, from $5 to $9 an acre. Approximetely 50,000 acres of state owned land, all in St. Louis county, were offered.

Lake City—A new ferry has been lustalled on Lake Pepin to operate between Lake City and Stockholm and occasionally between Lake City and Maiden Rock and Pepin. The hoat will accommodate nearly 100 passengers, 10 automohiles and freight.

Minneapolis—Word has been received from the Navy Department, Washington, D. C., that the battleships U. S. S. Arkansas, Florida and Utah have been assigned to take the midshipmen of the United States Naval Academy on their practice cruise to European waters this summer. The following midshipmen, appointed by Congressmen from the state of Minnesota to the Naval Academy, will take the summer cruise: B. E. Lewellen, L. A. Coffin, C. L. Gaasterland, C. Iverson, R. F. Jones, H. I. Larson, F. B. T. Myhra, R. W. Peterson, F. R. Putnam, T. A. Torgerson, T. D. Tyra, H. W. Anderson, F. A. Dolan, C. B. Farwell, R. Lane, D. S. McDougal, W. H. Newton, Jr., A. B. Rising, D. R. Stephan and C. R. Eellefsen.

Northfield—The hoard of education of the Northfield school district has postponed a apecial election on a $110,000 bond issne, scheduled for May 27. A site will be selected first.

Red Wing—Dr. Grace Gardiner Smith, president of the Red Wing board of education, has been re-elected. R. L. C. Geib is vice-president; Nels Lien, sec., and Charles Steaffens, treas.

Hastings—A verdict of $3,310 for Henry Schaffer, St. Paul, plaintiff in a case against the Hampton Farmers Mntual Fire Insurance Company of Hampton, was returned in District Court here.

POULTRY

TURKEY INDUSTRY GROWS IN NEVADA

U. S. Expert Finds It Easier With Small Flock Unit.

Nevada is building up a solid turkey producing industry in a logical way, in the opinion of H. L. Shrader, extension poultry specialist of the United States Department of Agriculture, who recently paid a visit to this state.

Tbe growing of the holiday bird in Nevada is on a farm flock hasis, the expert stated, with from 150 to 300 birds, as a rule, being raised along with other crops. It is easier with the small flock unit prodnced in co-operation with other crops, according to the federal man, to raise the type of high-grade hird for which Nevada is becoming known.

Two of the best feeds for turkeys are milk and alfalfa, and these, Shrader said, being prodnced on the farm with the turkeys, afford good feed at a low cost. With snch small flocks, he said, the farm wife can take care of a good share of the work, thus cntting costs, as otherwise extra lahor might have to be hired.

The ontlook for expansion in the industry in Nevada is good, the specialist stated. Nevada conditions, he believes, are well sulted to turkey production.

"Turkeys and chickens shonld never he run together," he declared, explaining that parasites, little harmful to chickens, bnt deadly to the bronze birds, are carried by the chickens. Turkeys sbould be kept far from the farmhouse, he believes.

Sanitation in another means of keeping turkeys disease-free, he stated.

Buy Tested Cod Liver Oil for Laying Fowls

The use of cod liver oil in feeding laying bens during winter months and in raising young chicks during the early spring is one of the recent developments in poultry production. Practically every one who bas used a good quality product has found that it bas been helpful in keeping up the vitality of the flock, preventing leg weakness in chicks and securing a better texture of shell with eggs.

The reason for the value of this product is largely due to the vitamine D which it contains. Vitamine D is the substitute for sunshine. It belps fowls to properly absorb the minerals which they consume. Without vitamine D or sunshine, fowls will fail properly to ahsorb minerals, even though tbey may be abundantly supplied.

The popnlarity of cod liver oil bas encouraged the use of many suhstitutes. The fishy odor which is characteristic of many of these products is not a guarantee that they are of any particular value from the standpoint of being a snhstitute for sunshine. There is even a good deal of difference in the efficiency of cod liver oil, so it is well to bny a prodnct that is either tested for vitamine coutent ur guaranteed to give satisfaction.

Turkeys Thrive While Roosting in the Open

It is nnnecessary to provide a bouse for turkeys thongb it is the part of wisdom to have a shed handy into which they may be driven on extremely stormy nights.

As a usual thing they will do better roosting ont in the open even in quite severe weather.

Where only a small flock is kept 15 females may be mated with one male if he is unqnestionahly vigorous. If a flock of ahont 25 or 30 is kept, two males will he needed, but they should not be allowed to run with the flock at one time.

One shonld he allowed to run with the flock one day and the other the next.

The reason for this is that wbere hoth are allowed to mingle with the flock at the same time, they will fight nntil one of them becomes boss, after which he will do most of the mating and the flock will be very little better off so far as the fertility is concerned than if it had a single male.

Eliminate Bedbugs

The hest method of eliminating bedbugs from a hen house is to first thoroughly clean the entire bouse, getting ont every little speck of both dust and straw. After this thoroughly cleaning, the walls and perches should be painted with carbolineum, and the rest of the house sprayed with a 20 per cent solution of soluble stock dip. If this application is done thoroughly, it will eliminate all of the live bugs, bnt probably will not affect the eggs. The second application is necessary.

Yellow Corn Best

Yellow corn is especially valuable for winter feeding on account of its fattening qualities and vitamine content. If possible, at least half of the grain feed should be yellow corn. If white corn, wheat, kafir or other farm grains are fed instead of yellow corn, alfalfa should be added to the rations to help supply vitamines. Alfalfa leaves or alfalfa meal will replace the vitamines of yellow corn if the latter is not available. The winter ration must contain protein.

Here For Dahle Funeral

Among a large number of out-of town bere Tuesday for the funeral of Arthur Dahle were noted Rev. I. L. Lasseson of Viking, Rev. R. M. Fjelstad of Thief River Falls, Rev. and Mrs. J. K. Lerohl and daughter of Oklee, Rev. A. W. Skogerbo, and Miss A. Skogerbo of Erskine, Rev. E. O. Sabo of Mavie, Rev. P. E. Moen of Crookston, Rev. I. B. Land Oklee, Rev. O. Bradland and two daugbters of Neilsville, the O. Lovik, Olson, Lund, Johnson and Carlson families, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pederson, Ed Pederson, Arthur Jenson, Agnes Herseth, Mrs. B. E. Herseth, Nels Peterson, A. D. Te'eu, Chr. Hanson, Anna Hanson, O. J. Hanson and family, all of Teien community near Drayton., Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Stone, Mr. and Mrs. Knute Lind, Mrs. Robert Larson, A. Eichenrich and family of Donaldson., Mesdames Whiting and Felt, A. J. Hanson, H. Hanson and family of Karlstad. Tbere were also large numbers presents from Thief River Falls and from Ebenezer church community in Mayfield north of Oklee.

LOCALS

A group of Bemidji residents, on a good will tour to Winnipeg, will pass thru here next Sunday morning enroute to the Manitoha city.

Red Barn Paint--Seven Day Sale only $1.19 per gal., 5 gal. lots. Special Wednesday, June 11th only, 25c box Reddy Golf Tees 9c. 25c Sharpening Stone 14c, Many other special prices. Gamble Stores

Prices are lowered again on TIRES AND BATTERIES. 29x4.40 G & J Endurance $4.79. 30x4.50 $5.38. 13-plate hattery usually sells at $7.95, our price $4.89 exchange. Free Installation. Gamble Stores.

O. E. Berge of Thief River Falls, candidate for Sheriff of this county at the primary election June 16th, was in the village Monday interviewing the voters and meeting old acquaintances.

Chicks: Can furnisb you S. C. W. Leghorn chicks this week at $10.00 per hundred. Only two mores hatches this season.

A. Nyhagen,
J5-19 St. Hilaire, Minn.

SEVEN BIG SALE DAYS! June 7th to 14th. Lots of special prices --1 quart of outside house paint FREE with each 2 gallons purchased. Special June 7th only, large sponge 5c. Luggage Carrier 49c. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Andrew Bottelson of Thief River Falls, candidate for the nomination of county treasurer at the coming Primary election, was here Monday interviewing local voters while enroute to cover some of the rural districts west of town.

H. Viro and family motored here Friday from Minneapolis and visited at home of Mrs. Viro's aunt, Mrs. Leonard Holmes, and also at the Harold Holmes home until Sunday. Mr. Viro is employed at the Western Newspaper Union office at Minneapolis.

State Senator Laura E. Naplin of Thief River, who is a candidate for re-election this year, was in the village Monday greeting friends and interviewing the voters. Mrs. Naplin has a wide acquaintance in this community.

Miss Marion Wilson, wbo bas taught at Lake City the past school year, returned home Friday to spend the summer with ber parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wilson. Sbe was accompanied bere hy her grandfather, J. E. Brown of Lake City.

Vote for--
O. E.
BERGE
Candidate for
Sheriff
Pennington County
--I stand for law enforcement and economy--
Your vote and support will be appreciated at the Primary Election, June 16

(Political Adv. Inserted and paid for at advertising rates by O. E. Berge.

A. R. JOHNSRUD
Candidate for
TREASURER
Pennington County
Primary Election, June 16
Your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.

Political Adv. Publisbed lo bis own bebalf by A. R. Jobusrud, and paid for at advertising rates.

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Martin V. Evenson
YOUR CANDIDATE
for
STATE SENATOR
"MY PLATFORM"
Co-operation in all lines,
But monopoly in none.
Equal opportunity for all,
Special privileges to none.
Equalization in taxation,
Special exemption to none.
Basis for taxation sbould be
According to ability to pay.
Law enforcement equally,
For rich as well as poor.
Conservative appropriations
For legislative expenditures.
Look before you leap.
Think before you vote.

Livestock Wanted

We are in the market for cattle, hogs and sheep at all times.

If you have anything suitable for shipping, either call on or telephone us at St. Hilaire and we will quote prices on your stock.

Higbest market price paid in CASH for all kinds of stock.

Jacob Reek & Ed Durbin
St. Hilaire, Minn.

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Farm House Burned

A fire believed to have started from a defective chimney, destroyed the residence on the former Denhart farm southeast of Hazel last Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sumpter, who have leased the farm from the Rural Credit Bureau, were away from home when the fire started. Altho neighbors and others noticed the fire before it had gained much headway, they were unable to save any of the contents of the house. Mr. Sumpter carried no insurance on his belongings so the loss will be a heavy one for him.

Wins Scholastic Honors

Miss Marie Grimsrud, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Grimsrud of Hitterdal, was presented with the Wickey cash prize, given by N. J. G. Wickey, president Carthage, Ill., college, to the highest ranking junior at Concordia College, at Commencement exercises held at Moorhead a few days ago. Miss Marie won a similar prize last year as highest ranking sophomore.

Dogs Mangle Sheep

Two outlaw dogs visited the sheep pasture at the Norman farm south of town early Saturday morning and killed four sheep. Three other lambs were so badly slashed that they had to be killed. This is the third occurance of the kind on the same place, nine head being killed in two previous raids. The Norman boys were fortunate in getting to the scene early Saturday, and managed to shoot both the raiders.

People owning dogs which leave home from time to time, should keep watch on their animals to prevent further occurances of this kind.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lindquist and two young sons motored here Sunday from Minneapolis for a visit at home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lindquist. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lindquist left Monday on a combined business and pleasure trip to Yellowstone Park and other points west, while the boys stay here with their grandparents.

Last day Gamble Sale-Special, Saturday, June 14th, 5 piece Vlchek Punch and Chisel Set 19c. Hack Saw 19c. 75c two cell Flashlight, Complete 45c.

To Honor Pastor

Members of the Norwegian Lutheran congregations of St. Hilaire, St. Pauli, Clearwater, Oakridge and Ebenezer will gather at the Gigstad lawn in St. Hilaire for a picnic starting at 1:00 next Sunday afternoon.

The gathering will be given in honor of Rev. M. L. Dahle, pastor of the five congregations, the occasion being the 25th., anniversary of his ordination to the ministry. All who plan to attend are asked to bring their own lunches. Coffee will be served by the St. Hilaire congregation members.

Harry E. Ives

Harry E. Ives, formerly a citizen of St. Hilaire, died Tuesday night at Crookston following a short illness.

Mr. Ives came to this village in the early eighties and was publisher of the Spectator from 1883 until 1913. He was president of the townsite company, and was also identified with numerous other interprises here in early days. When Pennington County was formed, he was appointed Clerk of Court which office he held until 1919. Since that time he has been field representative for the State Board of Control.

After death of Mrs. Ives about ten years ago, he and daughters have made their home with Mrs. Ives' parents at Red Lake Falls. Mr. Ives is survived by his three daughters, Peggy, Nellie, and Harriet.

No funeral arrangements have been made at this writing, but burial will likely be at Red Lake Falls where Mrs. Ives is buried.

Herman Anderson of Devils Lake, N. D., is here for a visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. H. O. Jackson, and other relatives.

Miss Anna Dahle came Saturdav from Chicago for a visit at the home of her brother, Rev. M. L. Dahle.

Mrs. Carl Johnson and daughters Eva and Lilly, Mrs. Harry Winter and Mrs. S. Hoff motored Wednesday to Grand Forks for a visit with the A. C. Kvennes family who are moving soon to Churches Ferry, N. D.

Flag Day

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Miss Grace Dahle commenced last week teaching a term of perochial school at St. Pauli church.

County Commissioners J. S. Roy and Emil Larson motored Friday morning to Thief River to attend a meeting of the county board.

William Berglund came Thursday evening last from Winton for a visit with his mother and brother, Mrs. Carrie Berglund and August Berglund.

He left yesterday morning enroute to Winton by way of Duluth.

Summer term of district court in this county opens at Thief River next Monday, and petit jurors are called for service the following day. There are but few cases on the calendar, so it is expected the session will be a short one.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Olson and two children motored here Monday from East Grand Forks and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson. Mr. Olson was at one time employed by Mr. Hanson, and left this section fourteen years ago.

Mr. D. Brown of Wabasha, and Miss C. Brown of Plainview, Minn., are spending a few days at the home of his sister, Mrs. W. P. Wilson.

J, A. A. Burnquist, candidate for the Repuhlican nomination for governor of Minnesota, was in the village for a short time Friday afternoon while enroute to points up this line.

Christ Kruse, Sr., left recently for Omaha, Neb., in response to a message stating his sister-in-law, Mrs. Fred Kruse had passed away. After the funeral, Mr. Kruse stayed for a visit with numerous relatives in around his former place of residence in Nebraska.

The Red Lake Falls-St. Hilaire Twins baseball team took on the Oklee aggregation at Red Lake Falls last Sunday and defeated them in a shut-out game. Quite a number from here motored down to witness the game.

Miss Agnes and Louise Hallameck returned Monday evening from a week's motor trip through southern Minnesota and points in South Dakota. On returning they, were accompanied by Miss Mollie Hallameck who has been teaching near Luverne, Minnesota.

Fodder corn $1.50 per bushel at the C. Roe Grain Company St. Hilaire, Minn. adv.

There was good attendance at the Eleventh Annual Guernsey sale held last Thursday at Thief River.

Mrs. Paul Roy and infant son were brought home Tuesday from the hospital at Thief River.

Paul Thyren and Otto Johnson motored Saturday to Halstad, and returned the same day.

Some improvements are being made on the buildings of the former P. Lee farm southwest of here.

Stuart McLeod, condidate for the nomination of State Sentor for this district, was here for a brief visit Friday afternoon while entroute home from a trip to Clearwater county.

Fred Erdmann motored Thursday to Moorhead and upon return was accompanied by his daughter, Helena, who had attended Concordia College the past school term.

Mrs. Elizabeth Case, who had spent the past winter with her grand daughter, returned recently to occupy her residence in the Addition for the summer.

Miss Evelyn Maakrud, who has attended the State Teachers Training College at Bemidji the past year, returned home Friday for her summer vacation.

We are publishing this week, the new 1930 Minnesota Trunk Highway map. With opening of the tourist season, our readers will no doubt find good use for the map which is the latest issued by the State Highway Department.

Mrs. L. Cathelineau Jr, Mrs. L. de Cathelineau and grandson, Clifton Connor, returned Saturday to their home at Willmar after visiting at the Flamme home. Miss Marie Cathelineau remained for a longer stay, and expects to leave latter part of this week.

Lillian Larson, who was severely burned when the Larson home was destroyed by fire some time ago, was able to return home last Friday from the hospital at Warren where she received treatment. Her brother, Harry is still at the hospital, his burns being of more serious nature.

Mrs. Joe Thompson Dies

Mrs. Joseph Thompson, who received extremely severe burns when the Thompson farm home five miles south of here burned Sunday morning, April 6th, died early last Thursday morning at the hospital at Crookston where she had received treatment since the fire. For several weeks following the fire, encouraging reports were received from Crookston, and hope was entertained for recovery of Mrs. Thompson. Her death ends nearly two months of intense suffering. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson's family of three children perished in the flames, and it is believed her constant thought of them was a contributing cause of her own death as she was apparently improving.

Building New Home

Emil Larson commenced excavating a basement this week in preparation for erecting a new residence to replace the one destroyed by fire recently. A. Aug. Erickson will hav supervision of building the new house which will be of the bungalow type.

Will Improve Street

The Minnesota Highway Department has under consideration several plans, the aim of which is to eliminate the soft condition every spring of T. H. No. 32 thru this village. It is possible that tiling will be put in on both sides of the street, and something done with center of the road. Nothing definate has been decided upon as yet, however.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jackson and son motored over Sunday from Grand Forks for a visit at the home of his parents. On Monday they, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson, motored to Baudette and visited until Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Nelson who formerly resided here.

Mrs. Ole Johnson and family of Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Johnson and Mrs. A. Johnston of Crookston were here Sunday to attend the funeral services for the late Clarence Anderson.

Feed corn 84 cents per bushel in lots of a half ton or more, at C. Roe Grain Co, St. Hilaire. adv.

Dies From Injuries

Clarence Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Anderson at Wylie died early Thursday morning as result of injuries sustained the previous day when his car overturned, pinning him under it for several hour. Clarence was acting as substitute mail carrier on the Wylie during absence of the regular carrier, Henry Schneider. He started over the route at the usual hour Wednesday afternoon. About 8 o' clock that evening, he was discovered under the overturned car on the ridge road north of the Mosbeck farm by Ed Moren. The latter summoned help, and had the injured man taken home. Examination by a physician did not disclose any serious condition, but he died next morning persumably from internal injuries.

Clarence, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, was 24 years of age. He was born in this village and lived here with his parents until they moved to Wylie some years ago.

He was a member of the Modern Woodmen of America Lodge here. Besides his parents, he is survived by six sisters, Mrs. Clara Hilleboe of Portland, Ore., Pearl, Telma, Eva, Donna and Doris who all reside at home., besides a number of other relatives in this community.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. B. Dahlberg from the local Norwegian Lutheran church Sunday forenoon, and interment was made in the cemetery east of town.

Heartfelt sympathy of numerous friends here is extended to the bereaved parents and sisters in their time of sorrow.

Gordon To Speak

Sam Y. Gordon, Republican candidate for Clerk of the Supreme Court, will give a short radio talk over WCCO on Saturday, June 14 at 12:30 noon. Mr. Gordon is an excellent speaker and always has an interesting message.

Last chance Saturday, June 14th, to buy Champion X Spark Plugs at 39c. Gallon Outing Jug 79c. 8" Pipe Wrench 49c. Kapok Official Diamond Ball 79c. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Fence Posts:-Have a few hundred white cedar fence posts left from last carload, at St. Hilaire. Call Paul Thyren, Hazel, Minn.

Conservative Country Banking

The Owners, Directors and Officers of this Bank feel that the best service they can give this Community is to keep the bank absolutely safe and liquid. Our careful and tried methods makes this certain. Your patronage and cooperation makes it pleasant. You are respectfully requested to avail yourselves to the full extent of our services.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Market Quality Cream

Just a little extra care in handling of cream determines whether it grades L. O. L. or lower. Your creamery can get best results by manufacturing butter from highest quality cream, and such butter also brings the highest market price. It means dollars in the pockets of all our patrons if we can get top prices for our product. Let's co-operate.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

John Gullingsrud

Candidate for

County Treasurer

Pennington County

Primary Election, June 16th

Respectfully solicits your vote and continued support, both of which will be appreciated.

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above named candidate in his own behalf, and paid for at advertising rates.)

Re-elect

Fred Lorentson

for

Register of Deeds

He receives no salary
He pays his own clerk.
He practices economy in management
His record is un-assailable

Inserted and paid for at advertising rates by F. D. Lorentson.

To The Voters of Pennington County:

Owing to the fact that I am running the Auditor's Office without the assistance of a Deputy, it will be impossible for me to make a personal canvas of the voters of the County before the primary election and I take this method of announcing my candidacy to succeed myself as County Auditor.

Since my appointment to the office last December, I have been busy revising the accounting system in your County to make it conform to State Standards and give the Taxpayers a more comprehensive system of accounting whereby they can more readily see where the tax dollar is being spent. This is no small job for one man to undertake and can hardly be completed before my term expires.

My revision of the system of handling delinquent taxes saved the County $471.00 on the 1928 judgment. I will effect a saving of at least $1,250.00 in clerk hire in the Auditor's office this year by reason of the fact that I am experienced and do not require the service of a high priced accountant as deputy. The School Districts of the County will receive $41,000.00 in back apportionment due them, by reason of my correcting the system of distributing tax penalties to conform to the law. These are a few of the outstanding achievements in my short term of office.

There is but one way to keep taxes down. That is to limit your expenditures to your means and elect competent and efficient officials. The Auditor's Office is the most important office in your County. Do not let Friendship or Sympathy influence your vote but do your duty by casting your ballot for the candidate you consider best qualified to serve you efficiently and economically.

If elected I pledge myself to continue this program of economy which I have inaugurated. I will work out a budget of expenditures and levies for the County which will take it out of debt. I will see that this budget is lived up to. I will conduct my office without the assistance of a deputy, thereby saving the County $1,250.00 per year in clerk hire. Compare this pledge to what my opponents have to offer before casting your ballot.

I have had twenty years experience in Accounting and Auditing and for the past eight years have been a deputy Auditor before coming to Pennington County. I solicit your support solely on my ability to serve you more efficiently and economically than my opponents. If my service in the office during this short term meets with your approval, your vote and support will be appreciated.

HARRY L. FOWLER

Candidate to Succeed Himself as County Auditor

Pennington County

Political Advertisement: inserted by Harry L. Fowler in his own behalf, for which regular rates will be paid.

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St. Hilaire. Minn.

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A. Nyhagen,
J5-19 St. Hilaire, Minn.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

For Purposes of Concealment

NOT so very long ago tha military attacba of one of these flywheel republics in Central America, where they are always having revolntions, came np to New York from tbe legation at Washington on important official husiness. Calling npon a military tailor on Fifth avenua be explained his mission. There had heen a change of administrations in his country—the first one, it wonld seem. in nearly nine months—and tbe new government had decided to alter the nniforms of all hranches of the national defense.

It was the visitor's pnrpose to give tha contracts. Ha had bronght with him special designs, hand-colored in ths chosen effects. Thera ensued a husy time in the tailor shop. It would seem that tha fancy of the Central Americans ran to startling contrasts in color and to mnch nse of braid, huttons, rosettes, festoons and plnmage.

Undress and full-dress bad been selected for the navy, for the officers end men of the Infantry, and for the artillery. Next, tha attache prodnced e drawing for e costume more gorgeous than any be already had shown. There was a cocked hat, rather resembling the kind worn by tha Knights Templar in this country excepting that it was hright red in color with an adornment of vivid green parrot festhers floating ont behind. There was a donble-breasted blne coat heavily embossed with gold laca on the cuffs, sleeves, breast, collar and skirts. There were baggy, crimson riding-hreeches also, belaced down the seems. There was a pair of shiny black, patent-leather riding boots with en adornment of silver spurs and, for final touches, massive bullion epenlets and whita crosshelts finished off with bright buckles.

"Ah," said the dazzled tailor, "how very striking! I presume this uniform is to he worn hy yonr cavalry?"

"Oh, uo," said the ettache. "This is for our secret service."

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Political Announcement

In my filing for the office of County Auditor for Pennington County it should not be neccessary for me to make any radical Election promises, for I have lived in this part of Minnesota all my life and I think you all know me and also know my qualification for the office, and according to the financial conditions of this county at the present time I would advise every voter of Pennington County, to look well into this proposition before casting your ballot at the June Primeries. Your vote and support will be highly appreciated.

Respectfully
N. J. ANDERSON, Candidate for County Auditor, Pennington County, Minn.

Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire, Minn., held at the village hall, June 2nd at 8 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present except Simonson.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved as read.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed as read:

John Forseen, May Salary	$ 7.50
Nels Person, labor	2.10
M. H. Jackson, to 3 men at fire	1.50
O. Gunstad, Publishing Ordinance and proceedings	8.80
Mike Higbland, man and team	8.75
Peter Simonson, labor	3.50
H. F. Hanson, laber	3.50
Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
Dr- Froehlich, 1 years salary as health officer	25.00

On motion made and carried the clerk was instructed to notify all persons maintaining gas pumps and other obstructions in the streets and sidewalks of the village, to have same removed within 15 days.

Motion duly made and carried that the members of the council act as judges and clerks at the Primary Election.

On motion made and carried the meeting adjourned.

M. Fricker, Clerk. A. Satterberg, President.

Antiques Always in Demand
Antique shops have been known from time immemorial. One has been unearthed among the ruins of ancient Pompeii.

Small Humming Bird
A tiny hummig hird not much larger than a common house fly is often seen in many East Indian countries.

Or Cold Feet
No matter how claver a doctor may be he cannot cure swelled heads.—Sonth Bend Trihune.

The Beautiful
The beautiful rests on the foundations of the necessary. The soul makes the body.—Emerson.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the total Sum of One Thousand Six Hundred Sixteen and 50-100 ($1616.50) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest, all of wbich is claimed to be due and is due at the Date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the Terms and Conditions of that certain Mortgage made, executed and delivered hy Ole Nelson, a widower, Mortgagor, to John S. Johnson, Mortgagee, bearing the date June 28, 1924, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds, in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on thd 30th day of June, 1924, at 8 o'clock A. M., and recorded in said Office in Book 69 of Mortgages, on page 148, thereof.

AND WHEREAS by reason of said Default, the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained has become operative, and No action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or Otherwise to recover the Debt secured hy said Mortgage, or any Part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage Contained, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be forclosed by a Sale of the Primises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE1-4) of Section numbered Seven (7), in Township numbered One Hundred fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West ot the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County, Minnesota, containing 160 acres more or less according to the United States Government survey thereof,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 19th day of July, 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash, to pay said Debt of $1616.50, together witb interest to date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and the Statutory amount of Attorneys fees allowed by Law, as provided in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the Costs and Disbursements allowed by Law, suhject to Redemption at any time within One year from the day of Sale as Provided by Law.

Dated this 31st day of May 1930.

John S. Johnson,
Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Mortgagee
Thief River Falls, Minnesota
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The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .87
Duram Wheat	.75
Rye	.44
Barley	.33
Oats	.27
Flax	2.53
Eggs, cash	.17
Creamery butter	.36

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

Confession
I always lose an argument
But when I get to bed
I think of all the clever things
I might as well have said.

Cause for Thankfulness
"Personally I've derived much benefit from your activities, doctor."
"Is that so? I don't recollect having had you as a patient."
"No, hut you treated my dear deceased uncle and I am his inheritor."

POULTRY

BEST LITTER TO USE IN BROODER

Shavings, Cut Straw and Cut Hay Meet With Favor.

One of tha commonest qnestions asked of tha poultry department of tha New Jersey agricultural experiment station during the spring is, "What is the hest litter to usa in the brooder house?" For the benefit of all ponltrymen who are tronbled with this problem the station issnes the following statement:

There is no hest litter, hnt tbere ere certain requirements that litter mnst meet in order to be satisfactory for use in hrooding chicks. These reqnirements are that it shonld be: Light in weight, thus allowing the droppings and dirt to work to the floor so the chicks are not likely to pick np contaminated material; ahsorhent, and therefore capahle of keeping tbe brooder house floor dry; cheap, so one can afford to replace it every five days after tha first fonr weeks; and clean, which means freedom from mold, mustiness, and dust.

Shavings, cnt straw, and cut hay meet these requirements. They are not tha only materials that one can nse, hut they are among the best. Straw or hay nsed for litter shonld always be cut. If the straw or hay is not cut it hecomes matted and covered with droppings, and is therefore of no valne for litter.

Bacillary white diarrhea, coccidiosis, and intestinal worms are spread to a large extent hy the use of dirty litter, the experiment station warns. One rule in brooding chicks that should be followed, if all others are forgotten, is: "Clean the brooder house every five days." This means removing the litter, sweeping the floor of the hrooder house, and putting in clean litter.

Produce Good Pullets at Reasonable Expense

At the Pennsylvania state college 926 pullets were raised to maturity at a cost of $1.26 per bird after deducting the returns from 924 cockerels. Most of the chicks were leghorns valued at twenty cents each. The cost of production included feed and coal, labor at thirty-five cents per hour, and interest at 6 per cent on the investment in equipment, feed, and chicks.

The pullets were also charged with depreciation on the houses at 5 per cent and the depreciation on the eqnipment at 10 per cent. Undouhtediy the results in brooding and the mortality rate were very ssatisfactory to produce good pullets at the laying age at a cost of $1.26 per bird.

Many poultrymen sell leghorn pnllets et eight weeks of age at ahont $1 each. At three months of age they are worth ahout $1.25 to $1.50 each. Pnllets that are ready to lay are seldom sold hy poultrymen for less than $2 to $2.50 each unless they have e surplus.

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Poultry Facts
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It is also generally considered hetter to feed all ratious dry rather than wet for turkeys.

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Wetch the old hens in yonr poultry flock. They are dangerous spreaders of poultry tubercnlosis.

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Milk, sonr or sweet, is excellent for hreeding stock. Beef scrap or other animal meal may he left out if a plentiful supply of milk is available.

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Feed and protection aid in keeping turkeys fit. Vitamine A supplied in yellow corn, cahbage, alfalfa, clover, and most greens, increases resistance to colds. Cod liver oil also is heneficial.

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As a sanitary measure place a disinfectant met at the entrance to the brooder house. This mat can be made hy filling a square box with gunny sacks soaked in some reliable disinfectant.

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Isolote oll birds from the ponltry flock as soon as they show symptoms of disease. Then decide what method of treatment to follow.

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Many turkeys are graded as number two or thrown out entirely hecause of failnre to starve them out properly hefore dressing.

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Small eggs produce small chicks, and these should not be incnhated. Eggs nneven in shape are not suitahle, nor are extremely long and very short round eggs.

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Tha practice of reprodncing the flock with eggs laid hy hens insnres a hetter qnality chick thon hreeding from pullets.

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Red mites may canse a drop in egg prodnction. A satisfoctory treatment for the pests is to paint the roosts and roosting cabinet with carbolinenm.

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In commercial poultry plonts where fowls ara kept in qnite large nnmhers, the artificial lighting of the houses, morning and evening, proves profitahle dnring the winter.

Ask the Surgeon
One of the things medical science might explain is why an operation always seems to loosen up a woman's vocal chords.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Costly Stockings
The highest price paid for one pair of women's hosiery on record is $2,000. This pair of stockings consisted of clocks made np of real diamonds.

Come On, Science, Help!
Every year science enables us to get there quicker. Now, if it will ouly provide something to do when we get there.—Buffalo News.

Verner Nelson

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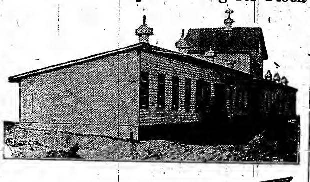
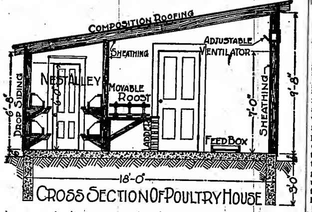
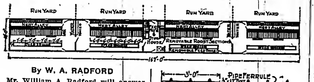
Design for Poultry House That Will Provide Proper Housing for Flock

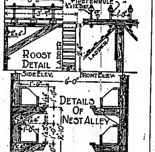






By W. A. RADFORD

Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF COST on all problems pertaining to the subject of building work on the farm, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as editor, author and manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on the subject. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 407 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Ill., and only inclose two-cent stamp for reply.



The accompanying design is for a house for a farm on which poultry is recognized as an important source of the farm income. It is practical and modern in every way.

One of the first principles of successful poultry raising is to have plenty of fresh air for the flock. This house can be entirely opened on the south side. The east, west and north sides are built to keep out all drafts, dropsiding and tarred paper being used to make a tight wall. The days of the unventilated poultry house are past for the up-to-date farmer. The modern house, with plenty of fresh air, is a sure preventive of roup and the many other diseases that breed in the old type of henhouse.

The scratch room is located along the front of the house, so that the chickens get the benefit of the sunlight while feeding.

The roosts are placed along the back wall, well removed from the front opening so that there is no draft in the roosting quarters. The nest alley back of the roosts makes it easy to gather the eggs; and it is an advantage to have the roosts moved away from the wall, for warmth and to give less surface for the harboring of mites.

The ladder at the front of the roosts makes it possible for the heavier breeds of poultry and the young stock to get onto the roosts. It also allows them to get off the roosts in the morning without jumping to the hard floor. Every one who has had experience with poultry is acquainted with the troubles from sore feet that very frequently result from jumping off high roosts to a hard floor. As long as the hens are actually suffering from injury, their efficiency will be seriously interfered with. It is true that they lay best if obliged to take some exercise in scratching for their feed, but they must be kept from all danger of positive injury and serious discomfort.

The large feed room completes the equipment. The floor and foundation are of concrete, making the house ratproof and more sanitary. When a concrete floor is used, it is necessary to provide plenty of bedding. It adds to the comfort of the flock, especially in cold weather.

This is an attractive house in external appearance, and of a design that will fit in well with the rest of the buildings of almost any modern farm group.

Attractive Nook for Breakfast Described

In this age of continual rush, especially at the breakfast hour, a small corner attractively arranged will do more to start the day right for the overworked business man who often eats his first meal of the day in this solitary state. What is more depressing than a big dining room with himself as the sole occupant?

In the breakfast nook, built along Spanish lines, there is a small alcove off of the sun porch. It has brown beams—in fact, a continuation of the ones in the dining room and hall. The spaces between are a greenish yellow plaster. Across one end there is a built-in seat stained green and upholstered in yellow fabrikoid.

There is a narrow refectory-type table in brown stained wood and a chair to match. You see, provisions are made for the rest of the family to join father, but the head of the house often prefers solitude.

A casement window about fills the end of the alcove. It has quaint inside shutters, also stained green. Between them there is a box-pleated valance of the yellow fabrikoid. The window panes are leaded triangles. In summer time a vine drapes itself around them. Several Italian pottery flower holders are on the walls and also a small electric clock, which stands on a corner cupboard painted a bright yellow.

The floor of the ideal nook is made of multi-colored tiles, six-sided ones that are colorful. On the sun porch there is a wee fountain that trickles merrily, and at night it has an illuminative feature that the guests enjoy, especially when the other lights are turned off.

Breakfast china for the home is so reasonably priced that frequent changes may be made as an enticing lure to the man who has little appetite. Physicians and nurses are realizing what a good influence on the body and mind that pleasing atmosphere has. These authorities on health tell housewives to make their home gay, teach the children to be happy and be gay themselves.

Doors of Beauty for the Smaller Houses

Small homes, even those costing $10,000 and under, may be enriched with doors of a beauty formerly restricted to the mansion. These doors have the slender ribbon grain of the most expensive hardwoods. They are offered in totally new designs, including prize styles created by architects in a recent nation-wide competition.

Built of selected Philippine hardwood beautifully matched, they come complete, ready to finish. Because of a special method of construction they are guaranteed not to shrink or warp. Cost compares favorably with that of common domestic hardwoods. They are made in single and multi-panel models and in flush models plain or in modern motif.

Square or round heads, with or without lights, stiles and rails are built up on cores of stress neutralizing blocks, welded to rigid edge braces and faced with flawless layers of wood. An absolutely waterproof cement is used in construction. The claim is made that once properly hung one of these doors never needs to be refitted or planed down.

Slate Sills Durable

Because of their permanence slate sills for windows and doors are being used in many new homes, and replacing worn sills in older houses. They are sanitary and especially suitable in connection with a tiled floor. As they do not become scuffed and shabby they "dress up" a doorway between rooms through which there is much traffic.

ALICE DETECTED A PAIR OF KIDNAPERS

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

ALICE ARNOLD shut the schoolhouse door behind her, locked it, slipped the key in the pocket of her thick brown sweater and started down the road toward the farmhouse where she was at present making her home. It was a raw, cold day and the dirt road was full of puddles. Alice, deep in thought, splashed into a puddle before she saw it. The incident added to the trouble she had been having all day and for a moment she felt a desolating sense of depression and insufficiency.

She felt, poor girl, that all the years she had spent preparing for the profession of teaching had been thrown away. The only school she could get was of the Sawmill Hollow type. Sawmill Hollow folks did not have daily papers, radios and telephones. In order to keep her job Alice simply had to fall into the existing order of things. It was a crucial test of the girl's character. Even so, she was not sure that Mr. Simpkins, the trustee of the district, was going to hire her for the ensuing year.

Startled by a horn, she jumped to one side as a huge green roadster came floundering through the ruts. The presence of such a car on a road which automobiles avoided, particularly at this season of the year, astonished Alice. She saw that the car held a man and a woman. Thirty feet farther down the road was a sluice rudely filled in with stones.

The green car hit the sluice with a terrific bounce and stopped. After an interval of useless effort the driver lowered the window on his side, looked out and yelled to the girl.

"Is there any place 'round here where we can spend the night?" he demanded. "I'm stuck."

"Yes, there's a farmhouse right around the turn ahead of you," Alice replied. "I'm going there now. I'll walk on and tell Mrs. Peck you are coming, if you wish."

"I'm much obliged to you," said the man.

Alice was sure Mrs. Peck would take the couple in, for it would mean money, always a vital consideration in the Peck family.

"Sure, I'll take 'em," Mrs. Peck said. "I never done such a thing before. What you feel I ought to charge 'em for supper, breakfast and lodgin', Allie?"

Alice named a price she considered fair, then went on up to her room. Presently she heard the motorists arrive. The man's voice sounded curt, crabbed. They came upstairs to the spare bedroom which adjoined Alice's. At the jingle of the supper bell she ran downstairs to find Mrs. Peck waiting for her.

"I'll have to ask 'em more'n you said, Allie," the woman said. "There's three. They've got a kid with 'em."

"I didn't see any child," Alice said, puzzled.

"Well, they've got one. All bundled up. He's sick. The woman said she'd stay upstairs with him and I could send her supper up and some bread and milk for the young one."

At midnight Alice was awakened from deep sleep by the cries of the child in the adjoining room. She listened and heard the man and woman get out of bed and move about. The child cried on. Another sound sent the blood flying to Alice's cheeks. The woman had slapped the child.

"A baby's mother," thought the girl indignantly, "ought to know when her child cries like that something is seriously wrong. What kind of woman is she?"

Springing from her bed, she flung on her bathrobe and went to the strangers' room. She knocked on the door.

"Has your baby got the colic?" she asked. "Can't I do something?"

A poignant silence followed. Then the man answered harshly.

"Go back to bed. We'll attend to this little brat ourselves."

"Wes!" chided the woman. "Shut your big mouth!"

Wes! The name the man had given to Mrs. Peck was Robert L. Rutherford. Wes!

Alice ran swiftly and lightly downstairs to the bedroom of Mr. and Mrs. Peck and rapped softly.

Mrs. Peck came to the door, trailing a bed quilt snatched from the bed. She had a lighted lamp in her hand.

"My land, Alice! What's the matter with you? You're white as a ghost!"

"Hush! Don't let them hear you upstairs. Mrs. Peck, that pair in your spare bedroom are kidnapers. They've stolen that baby."

"Allie! How you talk!"

"I'll swear to it. You and Mr. Peck must do something. Probably the man will put up a fight. He may have a gun or something. He's a tough customer."

"I'll tell Jake. If there's anything going on in my house like that we'll stop it mighty quick."

Within five minutes Peck and his wife emerged from the bedroom. They marched up stairs. Mr. Peck thumped on the door.

"I want to come in!" he cried.

"We paid for this room," returned the guest. "You can't come in here."

"Is that so?" snarled Jake. He put his big shoulder against the old door. It opened.

Alice heard something like a fight going on for perhaps five minutes. Then Mrs. Peck came down breathlessly, carrying a year-old baby.

"Here! Take care of him," she panted. "It's just the way you thought. I'm sure of it. That pair are getting out. My land! To think we'd harbor such trash. I guess he's got his car fixed so it'll carry 'em outa the holler. If it don't, they can walk for all I care."

Next morning Jake hitched up and drove to town and told the police everything.

Late that afternoon a car drove up to Jake's door. From it stepped a pale woman and a harried man accompanied by the local sheriff. They were Mr. and Mrs. Forrest. Alice had hurried home from school to give the baby his bath. She had him in her arms when the Forrests entered. There was no discounting the relationship between woman and child. Bobby knew his mother. And his mother—

He had been snatched from his baby pen on the porch. Police had been searching high and low.

A week later the Hollow school had a substitute teacher. Alice had gone to act as nurse to Bobby and his four brothers and sisters.

"She's set herself down in a butter tub," remarked Mrs. Peck. "Them Forrests are richer than grease. They certainly did handsome by me 'n' Jake. We're going to get us a radio and some other things. Land sakes! We're so far off the main road that we don't know any more about what's going on in this world than the old red rooster does."

Few Smashups When Man at Wheel "Knows How"

The mounting death rate by motor car accidents is well known. It is quite unnecessary to recite the thousands that die each year—or to figure out what that means per minute. Laws we have aplenty, at least in number; ordinances; and plenty of indignation. But little is being done of a constructive nature to remedy the situation.

Most of the legislation to date has been based on the idea that speed is the chief fault. But speed is no sin in itself. Most motorists unconsciously break speed laws—automobiles change far more in design and more rapidly than do the automobile codes. A high speed car with four-wheel brakes is a thing different than the car without them.

What is really needed is a generation of carefully trained drivers. Skill is the paramount consideration in any human activity. How well we all can see the errors in the driving of the other fellow.

How well we know the man who thinks he "can make it." And how much do we appreciate the good driver?

On the road the art of overtaking traffic is just that—an art.

The man who knows how to do it waits his opportunity—darts around the other car with proper warning and wheels into line properly.

In the hands of the inexpert there is great danger of accident.

Co-ordination makes the good tennis player—and the good automobile driver. Timing is of the essence.

The man who is alert, who knows his stuff, whose muscles obey without thinking, is the good citizen on the road and in the street. You may not agree with his politics, his creed, his morals—if any—but you thank heaven for him on the road when he passes you—nor do you hesitate to drive with him without a quiver.—Louisville Herald-Post.

Ingenious Coin Detector

A coin detector for vending machines which will refuse slugs has been made and is part of the robot vending machine. The coin which is put into the robot is first tested for weight. Then it passes to the chief detector, which is an electromagnet. True coins are not halted, but any disk containing fraudulent metals is drawn aside into a channel which rejects it. In passing, the guilty slug forms an electric contact which starts a disk phonograph in the top of the cabinet. The person who inserted the counterfeit coin is startled by hearing the words, "Please use good coins only." The voice is recorded on a single groove. When the revolution is complete, the contact is broken and the record stops.

Santa Fe Old City

The first settlement at Santa Fe dates back to 1606. The site, however, was first visited by Coronado in 1541, but no settlement was made by white men until 1606. The original name was La Ciudad Real de la Santa Fe, which mean "The Royal City of the Holy Faith." Various cyclopedias give the above date. A writer in "Historic Towns of the Western States" says that the exact date of the founding of Santa Fe is not known, due to the destruction of the Spanish archives in 1680, though it is believed that Juan de Onate began to build the settlement shortly after 1605.

Rain From Clear Sky

The weather bureau says it does not know of the phenomenon of rain falling from a clear sky, in the sense of true rain. Drops of water, sometimes fall from trees as a result of accumulated dew, and from one or two species of trees as a result of water exuded through the leaves and also from certain trees—the sycamore, for instance—due to the sapping of the limbs by a kind of insect. But, of course, none of these things is true rain.

QUEER TALE OF LOVE AND HATE COMES TO LIGHT

Wife Kills Mate Rather Than Continue Attempts to Restore Life.

Tashkent, Turkestan.—Seven months after the death of the famous Prof. V. M. Michselovsky, who a year ago astounded the world with his successful experiments in injecting new life into dead creatures, his youthful wife, a protegee and helpmate in all his recent work, will be tried for "responsibility for his death."

Madame Michselovsky will go on trial shortly. If convicted, she faces the penalty of death.

Tangle of Hatred.

The case presents a tangle of emotions of love, hate and devotion to science and religion. It is known that the professor, who was sixty-five, had pledged his wife, forty years his junior, to attempt the restoration of life process on him in case of natural death that entailed no destruction of any vital organ.

The district attorney now charges that he has come into the possession of information that this pledge was misused to explain the professor's death as suicide. He was actually shot in the left temple with a revolver, a method of death the professor would not have used, the district attorney avers, in case he actually would have wished to risk his own life that his experiments might be attempted on a human being.

Poured the Blood Into the Sink.

Widow Religious.

Furthermore, the state's attorney declares, Madame Michnelovsky is devoutly religious and as such was entirely out of sympathy with her husband's labors toward restoring the dead.

On July 30, 1929, Michnelovsky was performing one of the greatest experiments of his life. He had killed a dog by poisoning, drained out its blood, put it through a purification process, and just before reinjecting the blood into the animal to see whether life could be restored, he left the laboratory.

He returned five minutes later to find that his wife had poured the blood into a sink. Though enraged and depressed, he resolved to begin the experiment anew. Four days later he was dead.

Portugal Bans Foreign Names on Its Stores

Lisbon.—Business houses, bakeries, dressmaking establishments and whatnots, which formerly adopted some high sounding foreign name, are not permitted to do so from now on unless they are bona fide branch houses of some foreign concern.

All Portuguese establishments must have only Portuguese names in their signs and advertising, the minister of public instruction, Senhor Cordeiro Ramos, has ruled. The municipal council of Lisbon had tried to reduce the practice by charging a tax of 50 escudos per foreign word on a billboard, but the new measure seeks to eliminate the "evil" at its root.

Such names as those of important concerns, "Palais de Crystal," "Park Royal," "Au Petit Peintre," "Bijou de l'Avenue," "Bijou des Gourmets," "English Bakery," etc., must disappear and be substituted by names in the Portuguese language.

Flying Wooer in Jail; Stole Tuition Money

Rio de Janeiro.—Wooing by airplane may come to be the fashion, with Rio as its precursor, if Humberto de Carvalho has any followers.

Humberto knew that Laura, the aim of his affections, preferred audacious admirers to the sidewalk and window-gazing variety. So he took lessons in flying and shortly began swooping over his sweetheart's house in an airplane, dropping flowers and verses. This was the daily neighborhood attraction until some one investigated and found that the money to pay for the flying lessons and the hire of the airplane had been taken from the coffers of the firm which Carvalho worked. This unfortunate incident led to the amateur pilot's arrest and now he is behind bars.

Live and Die by Law

Jackson, Miss.—Mississippians live and die by law. It's a violation of state law to be born or die without the event being duly recorded.

POULTRY

CULL EVERY TWO WEEKS UNTIL FALL

Get Rid of Nonproducers for Poultry Success.

The success or failure of a poultry enterprise may depend on proper culling, according to the poultry department of the New York State College of Agriculture. Poultrymen should cull regularly every two weeks, from June to September 15, but if only one culling is to be made, wait until September 1.

A first-class culler can tell three things about each hen he handles: whether she is laying; how long she has, or has not, been laying; and what is the rate of egg laying. No hens should be kept longer than three years. Close culling limits the number of old hens and raises the average egg production of the flock.

The easiest and most satisfactory way to catch hens is to pen off a corner of the house with a piece of chicken wire fencing about 20 feet long and 5 feet wide. Attach the end of the wire to the side wall about 2 feet from a corner and unroll the wire toward the center of the room. This acts as a barrier to drive the hens into the corner. The end of the wire can then be brought around to the side wall, rolled up and fastened, leaving enough space for the hens. One person remains on the inside to catch and hand the birds to the inspector on the outside. Another good way is to build a catching crate with a sliding end and an opening on the top. The end of this crate is placed against a runway hole outside of the building, or in an opening between pens on the inside. Scatter grain on the floor of the crate, drive a few hens quickly into it, and close the sliding door. Each hen is then easily caught and removed.

Germ Responsible for Blackhead in Turkeys

It has been recently learned that if the chicken has been infected with a certain roundworm, the worm may carry the germ responsible for blackhead in turkeys. By using the semi-confinement plan, which consists of placing turkeys on virgin soil, preferably sown to alfalfa and not inhabited by chickens for at least two years, the possibility of infection from chickens will be eliminated and turkeys can be raised without the danger of blackhead from this source.

The name blackhead is a very poor one for the disease for there are many diseases in turkeys in which the head of the diseased bird turns dark blue or a dark color just before death.

Use Infertile Turkey Eggs for Shell Pattern

To break a fresh turkey egg for the pattern of the shell would be vandalism, but if an infertile egg is left in the nest, marked with the hen's number, it is well to blow it out, string it and keep for a guide, since the turkey hen may steal her nest in a different place next time.

No two turkeys lay eggs that are exactly alike. The early clutch is said to be invariably of a darker tint than those laid later, but the spots are the same. One enthusiastic turkey woman used to cut cardboard eggs and stipple them as nearly as possible like the model as a sort of trapnesting for her small flock.

Poultry Notes

Early chicks require good brooding accommodations.

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Hungry hens usually aren't profitable layers. They need a full feed of grain in the afternoon to last them through the long winter night.

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Chicks need exercise. Pieces of potato, mangel, cabbage or meat tied to strings hanging within reach of the chicks will often keep them from picking each other's toes.

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During the last thirty years the hen has risen from merely a side issue to become a basic part of our agricultural wealth.

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Many men on the farm have taken over the farm poultry business after their wives have demonstrated that it is a paying proposition.

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Clean, healthy young stock is the key to success in poultry management. Breeding, for instance, can be purchased, but sanitation must be lived, practiced, and continued.

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Cod liver oil is usually fed to adult birds in the proportion of one quart to 100 pounds of mash and for chicks one pint to 100 pounds of mash.

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Clean chicks, clean soil, clean feed and clean management work wonders in raising thrifty young birds and insuring their future as laying hens.

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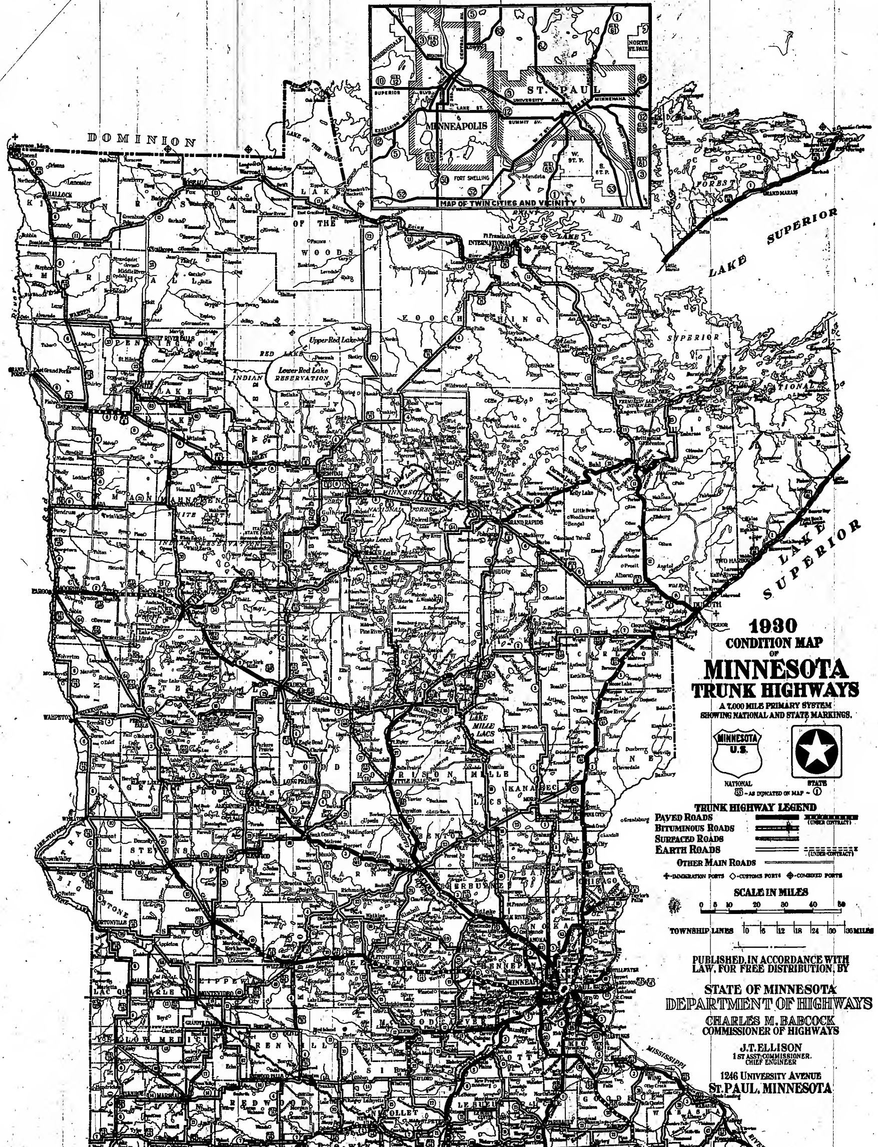
When breeding stock or chicks are purchased, be sure that they have been produced by flocks which show outstanding vigor and give evidence of good health.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A French astronomer states that Cheops' pyramid was so precisely constructed by Egyptian workmen that thera is a mean error of only three-fifths of an inch in length and twelve seconds in angle from a perfect square.

Egg Mystery

An English woman who bought an imported egg found on breaking it open that it was full of sand and small pieces of paper printed in a foreign language. When she bought the egg the shell seemed quite intact.

Simile

Add similes: As useless as compiling an index to Webster's unabridged dictionary.

Good Night!

Epitaph for a dead cat in a laneway? Sane purr, but not sans reproche.—Dublin Opinion.

The Spectator

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Next Monday the people of Minnesota will have opportunity to nominate state, county and district officials for election next fall. The outstanding candidate for the highest office within the state is Ray P. Chase, candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor. During more than ten years he has been State Auditor, there never has been any complaint made on how that office was conducted.

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Henry N. Benson, now serving as attorney general by appointment, is a candidate for Republican nomination for that office. Mr. Benson has made a splendid record during the short time he been head of the state legal department, and it means much to Minnesota that he be returned to continue rendering efficient legal service to the public.

Cousinly Relationship

A cousin german is a first cousin or own cousin; namely, the child of one's uncle or aunt. The word "garmen" here signifies that the person in question is from the same "germ" or stock. Many persons erroneously speak of cousins "germane." "Germane" differs from "garmen" both in meaning and pronunciation.—Pathfinder Magazine.

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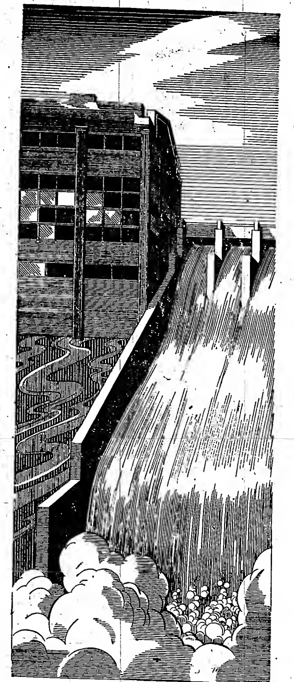

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Wyandotte News

The 4-H club held its meeting at the Ed Evenson home Sunday afternoon. After a business meeting games and kitten ball was the chief entertainment. After which lunch was served.

Martha Albin and Marie Kolseth visited at the Charley Samuelson home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs O. E. Wilson and family visited Sunday afternoon at the Swenson home in Sanders.

Mrs. C. Julin of Fort Francis Canada, and Mrs. A. Peterson visited at the C. Samuelson home Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs, Albin Hallin and son of Thief River visited at the home of Mrs. T. Berg. They were accompanied back by Lillian Berg who will visit there.

Sunday dinner guests at David Haugen home were: Mr. and Mrs. John Albin, Martha Albin, Mr. and Mrs. P. Kolseth and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Haugen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Crothe.

Mr. and Mrs Clarence Hanson and daughter called at P. Kolseth Sunday evening.

Martha Albin and Marie Koiseth visited at the John Maakrud home at St. Hilaire Thursday evening.

Mrs. T. Berg visited at M. Berg Wednesday.

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For
Supt. of Schools

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Tortures of Imagination

The brightest people hava imagination, but they pay for it by enduring many troubles that never come.

Works Both Ways

People seem able to stir up a tot of misery in just talking about their health.—Los Angeles Times.

Jewels in Watches

Jewels used in watch movements are there to make the bearings wearproof. Watches of 17 or more jewels ara considered high grade.

Purposes of Laughter

"Laughter," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "sometimes drives away sorrow and sometimes only conceals it."—Washington Star.

Night Schools in America

Free public evening schools were first establishad in Louisville, Ky., in 1834, and in 1839 they were authorized by law in the state of Ohio. The first evening high school was established in Cincinnati in 1856.

Displaced Labor

When the sewing machine for shoes was first introduced one man could do as much as sixty had done before by hand.

Furious Skidding

Young people are not necessarily going to the devil just because the road has been improved.—Toledo Blade.

Candle Made to Fit

Any candle may be made to fit a candlestick if dipped into hot water long enough to soften tha wax.

Musical Name

The correct name of the little wooden musical instrument commonly called a sweet potato is ocarina.

Why Boys Leave Home

BY JOE ARCHIBALD

Mother's Cook Book

"Life is grand, and so are its environments of Past and Future. Would the face of Nature be so serene and beautiful if man's destiny were not equally so?"

SANDWICHES FOR LUNCH

A GROWING boy and a man in active work should have substantial food to supply waste and build the body. Hearty sandwiches are needed for the lunch basket.

Mutton Sandwich.

Mix one cupful of chopped cold mutton with a tablespoonful of ground mint, two tablespoonfuls of chopped pickles, two tablespoonfuls of lemon juice, one tablespoonful of chopped onion, and salt and pepper to taste. Mix well and spread on dark or light bread.

Another of mutton: Mix finely chopped roast mutton with thousand island dressing and use with lettuce on buttered rye bread.

Veal Sandwich.

Take one cupful of chopped veal, one small carrot, one small onion, a few sprigs of parsley, chop, season well with salt and pepper and moisten with olive oil and lemon juice or a simple french dressing. Use on any kind of bread.

Veal Loaf Sandwich

Take a slice or two of leftover veal loaf, break it up with a fork and mix with salad dressing and chopped olives. Mix to spreading consistency and use with crisp lettuce on buttered white bread. The sliced veal loaf may be used itself as sandwich filling, adding a little lettuce for moisture and a bit of mayonnaise on the lettuce.

Spiced Veal Sandwich.

Take one cupful of minced veal and one-half teaspoonful each of vinegar, horseradish and dry mustard, one tablespoonful of tomato catsup, a drop or two of tobasco sauce and mayonnaise to spread.

Mock Chicken Sandwich.

Take one and one-fourth pounds of lean veal, cook with one onion in water until tender. Put through the food chopper with one bunch of celery, one green pepper and two hard-cooked eggs. Mix with salad dressing and spread on buttered slices of whole wheat bread.

Mock Chicken.

Take one pound of lean pork, boiled, put through the food chopper with four stalks of celery, three sweet pickles, one-fourth of a pound of nuts. Mix with mayonnaise. This mixture keeps well and tastes much like chicken.

Mock Chicken Sandwich.

Take one pound of cold roast pork, four hard-cooked eggs, one cupful of nutmeats, six stalks of celery. Grind the ingredients and add enough mayonnaise to moisten. This will be sufficient for two loaves of bread.

Nellie Maxwell

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"Honor," says Moralizing Mona, "can't be bought but it's often sold."
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SUPERSTITIOUS SUE

BROTHER BERTIE SAYS THAT—

If a guy chalks the big end of his billiard cue—uneasy rests the crown on the champ's head—for it's bound to bring him success.

Through a Woman's Eyes

by Jean Newton

WHY DO WE DIET?

WE HAVE a letter inveighing against "this reducing business" which has now become so common with us.

"Wherever you go," she says, "you find women trying to look thin and to be thin. Styles are made for thin women and to make them look thinner; and the dieting reverberates all over. Why, I went hungry at a luncheon the other day because it had been planned for women, the majority of whom were on a 'lettuce-buttermilk diet. And when I entertain, I'm at my wits' end neither to starve my guests nor to offer delicacies which those dieting may not have.

"And it seems to me we're all following like sheep the edicts of the Paris fashion makers. Just as they tell us how we shall wear our skirts they tell us how we shall have our figures."

I think there is more to it than Paris dressmakers, I think the vogue for slenderness is an expression of the age. I think it is perhaps an outgrowth of as well as in keeping with the present spirit of movement, activity, speed. It isn't only that women go more than ever they used to, and go faster; it's the complexion of this age. Men, too, are concerned now about their figures as they never were before, and regular exercise, combined with restrained eating for the purpose of avoiding fat, of keeping thin to keep fit, is practiced by them to an extent that would have been undreamed of in the days when buxom beauties took pride in their curves.

Leanness is, to my mind, a physical manifestation of an age that is personified in the airplane, the wireless, the radio. The portly, settled look that was in keeping with a slower tempo is today an anachronism. This isn't a "settled" world today; and, in my opinion, the regime of exercise and restricted diet which is practiced in the name of modernity and by many women in pursuit of today's ideal of feminine smartness or beauty is the best thing that could possibly have happened, barring extremes, from the viewpoint of health, of longevity and of greater enjoyment of life.

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Coming Alibi

"Well, Useless, what made you late tonight?"

"I got a moon rocket by mistake and it was some time before I could get an earth rocket back."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

THE WAY WE MEET

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

I'VE been "presented" many times
To many folks in many climes,
But I can't just recall today,
Just anyone I met that way,
That is, not anyone, no doubt,
I care so very much about,
Or cares, as far as I can see,
So very, very much for me.

It's strange, the people we recall
We never really "met" at all.
For some we just were talking to,
And knew before we hardly knew,
And some we picked like picking flow'rs,
We liked their ways and they liked ours,
And some our grief brought to our door
And made them friends forevermore.

And so I never really fret
If folks I've met or haven't met.
If you're the kind I understand,
I sort of like, then here's my hand,
If I'm the kind, I hope that you
Will come right up and howdy-do.
I've met a lot, all good friends now,
But, my, I couldn't tell you how!

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Why We Do What We Do

by M. K. THOMSON, Ph. D.

WHY WE HAVE A TEMPER

I KNOW only one man who does not seem to have a temper. I have known this man under all sorts of conditions. I have wintered and summered with him but I have never seen him ruffled. He is an exception I am sure. The overwhelming majority of human beings have temper.

Of course we do not all have the same kind of temper. Some have their temper pretty much under control and others let it get away with their judgment, while not a few apparently have no control at all.

Temper is usually regarded as an evil. But my calm and placid friend has taught me that the lack of temper may be a serious handicap. This man lacks the punch and pep that gives force and character to a normal personality. He is tasteless and colorless, like ginger with the taste of sawdust.

Temper, like all other inborn human traits of disposition, is a necessary ingredient of personality, but like any other ingredient there must be just the right amount—not too much or not too little. It is the abuse or the extreme display of temper that is bad as is the extreme of any trait likely to end in disaster.

Temper was more useful to our savage ancestors than it is to us, and yet we cannot dispense with it.

Temper under control is like a dynamo. It drives the personality and aids him to make something of himself. We have temper because on occasion we need to be aroused from our indifference and really to something violent, something strong and effective, something that will call forth every ounce of strength in our body.

Temper is violent because it needs to be for the purposes for which it was intended. It is too useful to eliminate or to let run wild. We need better and stronger tempers constantly under leash and harnessed to will and personality.

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NUTTY NATURAL HISTORY

BY HUGH HUTTON

THE HOOPSMUH DEER

THE hoopsmuh deer, which formerly was quite plentiful around Jackson's Hole, Wyo., is named from the peculiar whooping-cough sound with which it calls its young. The fawns, imitating the hoopsnakes found in the vicinity, pass the time by taking their tails in their mouths and whirling at an amazing speed. Hunters become so dizzy that they fail to hit them, but by the time the tails are worn off,

the adult deer, nor having learned to be wary, fall an easy prey to the hunters.

We are here shown one of the few tailless adult deer that has survived, having single and double peanuts for head and body. Ears are popcorn and horns are cloves, and the legs are made of toothpicks. The parts are fastened together with chewing gum

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Too Deep

"Are you interested in Professor Einstein's theory of relativity?"

"No; I don't believe in ancestor worship."—London Tit-Bits.

The SANDMAN STORY

ABOUT THE SEWELLELS

PROBABLY every one, when they think it over enough, is thankful not to be anyone or anything else.

Often some one will say:

"Oh, dear, if only I had all the money so-and-so has I would be able to do this and that," but if it came right down to it they probably would not be willing to entirely change places.

They would want their own homes, or their own families, or their own little favorite pets or toys or surroundings.

They would want something perhaps they didn't have but they

"It Is Fine to Be Satisfied."

wouldn't be willing to give up what they had in exchange—even though it didn't have any great value or worth according to what the world would think.

It would have value and worth to the one to whom it belonged and that is what counts.

In the same way people wouldn't want to be other than people. They wouldn't want to be dogs and lie on the floor.

They wouldn't want to be pussy cats and purr. Boys wouldn't want to be girls and girls wouldn't want to be boys—that is not all the time, though sometimes it does seem as though boys could have more fun.

Mostly, though, girls can play the same games and they have others to enjoy which they couldn't enjoy if they were boys, such as playing house, dressing up as big ladies, and all those nice games.

Now the Sewellels, relations of the mountain beavers, felt much the same way, too.

"I've always been thankful," said Sewellel, "that I wasn't a Mrs. Rat or a Mrs. Mouse, or even a Mrs. Cat or a Mrs. Dog."

"I have been glad all my life," said Mr. Sewellel, "that I wasn't born a Mr. Rat or a Mr. Mouse, or a Mr. Dog."

"It is fine to be satisfied," said Mrs. Sewellel.

"It is, indeed," said Mr. Sewellel, "and it is even finer to have a family name of which to be proud. Wouldn't it have been dreadfully sad if you had fallen in love with a Mr. Kangaroo for example? It would have been equally sad if you had fallen in love with a Mr. Pig."

"It would have been just as sad if you had fallen in love with a Miss Kangaroo, and still more dreadful if you had fallen in love with a Miss Pig," said Mrs. Sewellel.

"Of course," said Mr. Sewellel, "we are related to the Mountain Beaver family which is very fine. We look like a good-sized muskrat.

"That is, each one of us looks about that size.

"But our lives are like the lives led by the Beaver families.

"We burrow in damp and marshy ground and we work when it rains as the prairie dogs do.

"We are fine, strong fighters and we are as brave as brave can be."

"We are all that," said Mrs. Sewellel.

"Yes, and more than that, too," said Mr. Sewellel.

"We are very rare.

"We come from British Columbia and from California, but we like it here in the zoo for we are shown off with great pride.

"The keeper tells visitors that they will see some animals they have never seen before.

"And then he shows them Mr. and Mrs. Sewellel.

"The keeper knows we're rare and how pleased he is when people say, with surprise:

"'I've never even heard of them before.'

"Ah, my dear Mrs. Sewellel, we have a great deal for which to be thankful.

"We have a superior name, we haven't become common or usual. We are a treat for the visitors to see.

"We work hard as our cousins, the Beavers do, and we're brave, very brave."

"Yes," agreed Mrs. Sewellel, "I have always been thankful that I was a member of the Sewellel family!"

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THE WHY of SUPERSTITIONS

By H. IRVING KING

SINGING AT TABLE

TO SING at table is a sign you will be disappointed or that you will have bad luck. This superstition is rather common in the rural districts and is evidently a survival from the ancient conception of a charm as words of power cast in a metrical form to be sung or chanted. This idea has already been noticed in considering the superstition with regard to involuntary rhymes. The majority of these ancient magic songs perhaps were like the paeans which celebrated the healing power of Apollo or the healing song chanted by his relatives over the wounded Odysseus. The Runes of the old Scandinavians are good examples of the versified chanted charm—and they were not always beneficent charms by any means. Among the northern races at least witches and warlocks "dropped into poetry," when they wove their hellish spells and cast their baleful charms. Witness the witches scene in "Macbeth." Early man, in short, appears to have conceived the magic power of words as being greatly increased, either for good or evil, when the words were sung in a versified form. There was something mystic about a song: it was not to be lightly dealt with. Now a person who begins to sing at table may, for all you know, be casting a spell upon the food or on the eaters thereof. Some idea of runic incantations appears to linger in the idea that "it is bad luck to sing at table."

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Inventions

Every year about 40,000 inventions are sent to the patent office at London.

SMILES

GABBY GERTIE

"One way to reduce the wait is to call an hour later than she promises to be ready."

How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

THE BAYONET

THE bayonet, which is a sort of blade attached to the end of a rifle, is not a distinctively modern weapon of warfare—far from it.

Indeed, history indicates that the bayonet in practically its identical present-day form has been used for almost three centuries. And if we include the long jousting spear, which undoubtedly furnished the inspiration for the bayonet, its origin dates much farther back.

The term itself, by a peculiar coincidence, has a double origin. The article itself was first manufactured on a large scale in the town of Bayonne, France. And it was the Basque province of Bayonetta whose troops, in the course of one of their spasmodic conflicts with their neighbors during the middle of the Seventeenth century, first improvised the weapon in its present form. Modern bayonets are of various shapes and are often used as intrenching tools, as well as for assault.

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Jeanette MacDonald

Beautiful Jeanette MacDonald, featured in the films, who was cast for regal roles in "The Love Parade" and "The Vagabond King," has an entirely different part—that of an American heiress—in "Let's Go Native," her latest picture.

For Meditation

By LEONARD A. BARRETT

IMMORTALITY

"IF A man die shall he live again?" This has been the universal quest. Job of old asked this question, so did the philosophers and the poets. Every person has at some time wondered—what comes after death. The philosopher, Fisk, said there must be something worth while in the world to come, for surely this wonderful human being would not have been made just for the purpose of tumbling it down. Even the Indian buried in the grove with the departed one the dog and gun, that the loved one might be perfectly happy in the unseen hunting ground, for such was his conception of heaven. The poet, Byron, who died at thirty-six, wrote: "I feel my immortality o'ersweeps—all pains, all tears, all time, all fears and all peals—Like the eternal thunders of the deep—Into my ears this truth: Thou livest forever." Tennyson wrote: "Thou wilt not leave us in the dust—Thou madest man, he knows not why—He thinks he was not made to die—And Thou hast made him; Thou art just." Shakespeare's last will convinces us that he believed in immortality—"I commend my soul into the hands of God to be made perfect in the life everlasting."

L. A. Barrett.

Many ask for definite proofs of immortality. Frankly there are none. No one ever came back to tell us what it is like or where it is. Science is powerless if asked for evidences produced from its laboratories. The evidences lie within one's thinking and feeling. Cicero argued that there must be an immortality of life or why should we so greatly desire it. Whence the desire if it has no foundation in fact? What is death? What causes it? The answer is simple enough—breaking down of the bodily tissues. When the organs of the body no longer function death results, regardless of what causes the breakdown. It is the same law as in all nature. The body dies just like all material substances die. Death does not destroy the spiritual realities. Love, goodness, integrity, in short—character are not of the body and are not dependent upon it. Building up the character, or personality, as some call it, is the most important thing in the world.

The stars shall fade away, the sun grow dim with age
And nature sink in years;
But thou, O, Soul, shall flourish in immortal youth
Unhurt amid the war of elements
The wreck of matter and the crush of worlds.

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Dear Editor:

THE other day I met a novelist. What kind of a typewriter do you suppose he uses? An old 1904 model where you lift up the carriage to see what's been written.

I've noticed several other well-to-do writers still cling to some old typewriter of their youth. They seem to feel it's friendly and will be patient with them if the thoughts don't come right at first.

Many a good idea has been jotted down on the back of an envelope; many more, probably, than on any new-fangled desk memo. pad. An idea is a weak, timid thing to start with; it needs to be encouraged. Even Lincoln's Gettysburg address was written on a scrap of paper. If he'd had to use embossed stationery the thing never would have been written at all.—Fred Barton.

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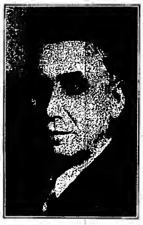

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According to ability to pay.
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For rich as well as poor.
Conservative appropriations
For legislative expenditures.
Look before you leap,
Think before you vote.

To The Voters:

As a candidate for re-election to the office of County Treasurer, I wish to make a brief statement on eve of the primary election.

I do not use any full time deputy or helper in my office. There are times when taxes are being paid, etc., when no one person can handle all the work and at same time accommodate people as they wish. During such times I have had help, but not otherwise. I am at the office during business hours every day same as is customary with all the other county officials. Those who are familiar with how affairs of the office have been conducted while it has been in my charge, have found no cause for complaint.

Yours Truly
John Gullingsrud, Co Treas

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America's Venice

The term "Venice of America" is frequently used to describe the Thousand islands, lying between Canada and New York in an extension of the St. Lawrence river.

Burden of Wealth

"He who seeks riches in the hope of repose," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "finds he must live in wakefulness trying to protect them." —Washington Star.

Spanish Idea of Beauty

Longfellow calls attention to the fact that the Spanish people greatly admire "emerald eyes" and celebrate them in song.

River News

Rev. and Mrs. Lerohl and daughter Ruth of Oklee spent Tuesday afternoon at the K. T. Dalager home.

Fritz Ulrich, Martin Haupt and Eldon Klipping left Wednesday morning for a few days outing in the Lake of the Woods region. The boys returned Saturday stating having spent a very enjoyable time.

The sad news reached here Thursday morning of the death of Mrs. Joe Thompson at the St. Vincent hospital at Crookston, Thursday morning. Death came as a relief to Mrs. Thompson she being badly burned in the fire which destroyed their home April 6. This community extends heartfelt sympathy to Mr. Thompson in his grief and sorrow.

Residents of this territory are rejoicing over the fact that the County Commissioners of Red Lake county at a recent meeting designated 2-1-4 miles as state road thro River township. This needed improvement will give the farmers east of the Red Lake river a state road between Red Lake and St. Hilaire.

Carl Kankel, candidate for Sheriff in Red Lake county, was in this vicinity interviewing the voters recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Swanson and family of St. Hilaire, Mr. and Mrs C Seeger. Mr. and Mrs. R. Bourdon and Mrs. Puchinsky of Red Lake spent Sunday at the F. Erdmann home.

Mrs. C. F. Seeger and family of Oklee spent Sunday at the F. Ulrich home.

The Riverside boys played two games of kitten ball defeating both Garvas and Riverside of Red Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Erdmann and family spent Sunday evening at the F. Seeger home of Red Lake.

Neva, Dorthy and Mary Stephens helped Marion Haupt celebrate her birthday anniversary Monday afternoon June 9.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our many friends and relatives for their kind assistance at the death of our beloved son and brother. We also give thanks for the beautiful flowers and to those who, with their kind words of sympathy helped us in our great sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton L. Anderson
and daughters.

Up to the Barber

Bill had bright red hair. He had heard so much about it that he hated it even though he was only three.

One day his mother told him she was going to take him to the barber shop to get his hair cut.

"Then take me to a barber who will cut it black," said Bill.

Chick Feeds and Grit

We carry a complete line of Pillsbury's Chick and Turkey Mash.

Also Meat Scraps, Charcoal, Bonemeal Grit and Oyster shells.

We can supply you with anything in line of feeds.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

FARM STOCK

TUBERCULOSIS IS CAUSE OF LOSSES

Task of Cattle Raisers to Kill Ailing Cows.

(By J. W. LUMB, Extension Veterinarian, Kansas State Agricultural College.)

As producers and consumers of cattle and their products, it is the task of live stock raisers to treat herds and locate the tuberculous cow and give her a free ride to the rendering tank.

Tuberculosis of man and animals is so intimately interwoven that it is almost impossible to view them independently.

Three discoveries—that tuberculosis was infectious, that it was caused by a definite germ that could be isolated, and that tuberculin could be made and used as a test substance to determine the presence or absence of tuberculosis—were of very great importance and laid the foundation for our present methods of control and eradication. With this knowledge more exact methods were used in combatting the development of the disease in man and animals. Tuberculosis was proven to be a preventable disease.

These investigations definitely proved that man may become infected with bovine tuberculosis. It is true that such infections are, as a rule, limited to children or take place during the early periods of life. It has been found that very few people having tuberculosis of the lungs have the bovine type of infection. The form of tuberculosis that attacks the brain or spinal chord is seldom of the bovine type. General tuberculosis is likely to be of the bovine type in about 16 per cent of the cases. Taking the cases of abdominal tuberculosis in humans, the percentage showing infection of the bovine type may run well over 50, especially if infants and children are examined.

Production of Pork in Most Economical Manner

The man who provides automatic waterers, so arranged that the water in them can be kept above freezing throughout the coldest part of the winter season, and has his fattening yards provided with a self-feeder, is in position to produce pork in the most economical manner. A self-feeder is recommended only for fattening hogs and for growing pigs. It should not be used for brood sows. A brood sow should be fed a limited grain ration and not all she wants to eat. That is why a self-feeder cannot be used to advantage for her. Movable houses are essential for the rearing of the pigs till they are at least four months of age.

Leading Farm Crops Now Marketed Through Stock

It has been conservatively estimated that three-fourths of the product of improved land and all the product of unimproved lands is used by live stock. Of the ten leading crops in the United States 85 per cent of the corn, 98 per cent of the hay, 85 per cent of the wheat, 80 per cent of the oats, 60 per cent of the cottonseed (in the form of cottonseed cake or meal and cottonseed hulls) and 90 per cent of the barley is marketed through live stock. These ten crops represent 87 per cent of the value of all farm crops produced in 1927, and 55 per cent of the value of the ten leading crops represents the value of the portion of these crops that are marketed through live stock.

Live Stock Hints

A foal that is born strong, fully developed, and robust is in the best state to resist disease.

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Do not allow sheep to take the cold rainy weather which may cause pneumonia. Provide some shelter for them.

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Undocked thin lambs that are sold either directly or indirectly for feeders are very severely discriminated against.

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Intelligent management and feeding of the brood mare during pregnancy will do much to insure a good start for the foal at birth.

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The mare goes 48 weeks, or about 340 days with foal. As foaling time approaches decrease the grain ration and increase laxative foods to keep the bowels acting freely. Constipation is dangerous.

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The first ten weeks are the hardest in the life of the pig and likewise the most costly for the hog raiser, it is shown by cost of hog production studies made over the state by the University of Illinois.

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Recent tests have shown that many unthrifty pigs are anemic and the direct rays of Old Sol are so far the best means known for combating this condition. Possibly at some future date a source of iron supply in the ration that will overcome this condition will be found.

This Week

by ARTHUR BRISBANE

J. D. Jr. Gives $12,000,000
Fear, Strange Thing
Salary, One Million?
Ocean Air Travel, Perhaps

The world needs little and big things.

It needs little brooks to create loveliness; great Niagara to create power.

It needs little fortunes for millions of happy and useful families; big fortunes, with power, to do really big things.

John D. Rockefeller Jr. has offered to New York city land for parks and buildings to the value of $12,000,000.

One enormous tract of fifty-six acres in Manhattan could not be duplicated.

Seven million dollars' worth of land and five million dollars' worth of buildings, including the magnificent new building for the Gothic art treasures of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, make a considerable gift. You must have many millions to do that.

Fear works strangely.

Amy Johnson, English girl, twenty-three, flew all alone in her little Gypsy Moth plane from England to Australia, ten thousand miles, without fear or hesitation.

Hurricanes, lightning, fogs, wide oceans, deserts, jungles; all meant nothing to that girl.

But when a radio hookup was all arranged and the world was listening, little Miss Johnson ran away.

"I'm afraid," said she.

Henry Ford says business conditions are improving rapidly. "A lot of these fellows were fooling around with the stock market, and they got caught—badly caught. They had to go to work again. Now they have been at work, and they are beginning to enjoy it."

Business is improving, according to Mr. Ford, because intelligent people that were gambling are now working.

John D. Rockefeller lives quietly, plays golf, leaving men younger than ninety-one to run Standard Oil. But he keeps track of the world and when he advises he advises wisely. Much wisdom was condensed into the few words he said to a player in his foursome, "Be deliberate" and "Talk less and play better." That is a good "How to succeed" recipe.

Young ladies, graduating in a college for women, are urged by Rev. Dr. Robert Parrish to "be brain and money women."

We owe much of education, science and art to rich men, says the doctor, and must not "despise wealth."

No tendency to despise wealth is visible in this country. But many still maintain that the "brain and money woman" is not as desirable as the "charm and baby woman."

Eugene G. Grace, president of the Bethlehem Steel company, Charles M. Schwab's creation, declined to answer questions about his salary. Lawyers asked: "Is your salary more than one million a year?"

Mr. Grace replied, in substance: "None of your business."

Once the mention of a $1,000,000 salary would have shaken the stars in their courses, almost. Now it shakes nobody. Everything is a matter of percentage. If you earn $5,000 a year for your employer, you are worth about $2,500.

If you earn $5,000,000 a year, you are worth $250,000. If you earn $50,000,000 a year, you are worth $2,500,000.

Doctor Eckener's recent exploit, flying from Friedrichshafen to Brazil, to the United States, and home across the Atlantic, may mean the beginning of ocean travel for everybody. Before the Zeppelin sailed Charles E. Mitchell, head of the National City bank of New York, Colonel Deeds of the United Aircraft company, and others, discussed seriously with Doctor Eckener the proposition of regular transatlantic air travel.

The boy that invested one dollar in a derby lottery and won $149,000 "split the money three ways." His brother got $35,000, he kept $35,000 and gave his father $79,000.

There was no quarrel. Each felt that he was getting about all the real money in the world.

Everything is comparative. Many men in the United States would call the total $149,000 "not worth thinking about."

The London Daily Mail is agitated because 8,000 men marched through the street at Poona, in India, "openly abusing the government, carrying a portrait of King George, Emperor of India, decorated with old shoes, in token of contempt."

The Mail correspondent thinks something should be done to make the Hindus respect their British emperor.

The fact that not very much is done shows how wise the British are. Great Britain will let you talk to your heart's content, if you don't act.

In Hyde Park, a few blocks from Buckingham palace, you may say whatever you think about King George. Nobody will disturb you while you only talk.

A wise nation knows enough not to sit on the safety valve. Man's mouth is his safety valve.

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School Proceedings

Regular meeting of directors of Ind. School Dist. 102 held May 27, 1930.

All members present.

On motion made and carried the following bills were allowed:

Central Lumber Co.	$ 1.75
Red River Power Co., lights	14.83
First National Bank, Int. Bonds	1500.83
Colborn School Supply Co. Bill 5-19	3.72
Hunt Bros., Supplies	4.53
M. Highland, Freight and express	5.30

On motion made and carried Elmer Johnson he re-hired as bus driver at a salary of $115.00 per month for nine months.

On motion made and carried the president appoint a committee of two to investigate the repairs required on the school building.

On motion made and carried O. G. Hanson he elected Principal at a salary of $125.00 per month for nine months.

On motion made and carried Elizabeth McCracken he elected English teacher at a salary of $125.00 per month for nine months.

On motion made and carried Leona Lundquist be elected as 7th and 8th grade teacher at a salary of $95.00 per month for nine months.

On motion made and carried the speakers for Commencement be allowed $15.00.

No further business motion for adjournment carried.

E. O. Burkee
Clerk.

Re-elect

Geo. M. Gunderson

for

County Superintendent of Schools

I shall promise, if re-elected, to give the affairs of the office my entire individed time and attention as I have done in the past.

I have tried to be as economical as possible, avoiding unnecessary expenses. As to my efficiency record I shall leave it to the judgment of those I have served.

Your vote and support will be highly appreciated.

Political Adv.-Inserted and paid for at advertising rates by Geo. M. Gunderson.

25 Years Ago

Committees were at work arranging for the big Fourth of July celebration to be held here.

—XXV—

Five applications for license to sell intoxicating liquors in St. Hilaire were presented to the council that week.

—XXV—

Mrs. Fred Case came down from their homestead near Prince Albert Can., to spend the summer with Mr. Case.

—XXV—

Miss Clara Hoff left that week for a visit with her aunt at Tacoma, Wash.

—XXV—

John Hedlund, well known River Falls farmer, lost his barn and six head of stock by fire when the structure was struck by lightening.

—XXV—

Mr. Carlsten Simonson and Miss Lucy Loe were married here Wednesday, June 10.

—XXV—

On Wednesday, June 3rd, at the residence of K. O. Gigstad, occured the marriage of his daughter, Rosetta Beatrice, to Mr. Algot M. Edstrom. They were to reside at Hazel where Mr. Edstrom was engaged in the general mercantile business.

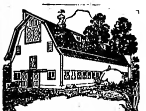
The Spectator of 1930 joins in extending congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Edstrom, who are now residents of Randolph, Minn., on occasion of their Silver Wedding anniversary.

Stuart McLeod

Candidate for
State Senator
65th Legislative District

If elected to this important office I will try to give this district and Northwestern Minnesota able and constructive service. There is no section of the state that is confronted with more serious problems. If we are to secure fovorable legislation, these problems must be properly presented. We cannot hope to secure favorable action from the Legislative unless the facts of the case are made known. I feel that that my experience as a farmer and my activities in the co operation movementt among the farmers qualifies me to speak for agriculture.

I regret that it will impossible for me to conduct a personal campaign in the primary election and that it is necessary for me to limit my appeal to this announcement. I would like to get around among my friends in the district, but time does not permit. Your support in the primaries will be greatly appreciated and if elected I will do all in my power to justify your confidence.



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$1.30 per gal.
in 5 gal. lots

Central Lbr. Co.
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Danube's "Iron Gate"

The famous Iron gate in the Danube is not a gate at all. That is merely the picturesque name originally given by the Turks to a narrow gorge or pass where the river has cut its way through a spur of the Transylvanian alps a few miles below Orsova in Rumania. A real gate of iron could not have more effectively prevented the passage of Turkish fleets than the dangerous rapids and massive boulders which obstructed the channel for nearly two miles. In 1890 a Hungarian company began the removal of many of the obstructions by a series of blasting operations. The river through the Iron gate or Iron gates was declared open for navigation in 1896.—Exchange.

Simple as That

Over lunch in a London hotel one day not long ago, a certain wealthy but unlettered man was invited by a friend to join his shooting party in Scotland later that week. "Man," said the prospective guest, "that's a splendid idea. I'll get on the telephone at once and get my man to clean my gun."

He rose and rang up his house. "Is that you, Forbes," he said to his servant. "Well, I want you to go ahead at once and get my gun cleaned." "Beg pardon, sir," said the man, "did you say 'gum'?" "No," shouted the Scot, "I said 'gun'—G for Jaw, U for union, and N for pneumatic."

Vote for Sheriff

O. L. IHLE

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Friday--Saturday--Monday

Post Toasties, large pkg. .10
Palmolve Soap, 3 bars for .19
Seven Seas Coffee, per lb. .34
Starch, per pkg. .07
Quick Soap Chips, reg. 25c .19

We carry the Wolverine horse hide shoes.

M. H. JACKSON
St. Hilaire, Minn.

ANNUAL JUNE SALE

Our annual June sale at which hundreds of specials bargains will be offered to our customers

STARTS MONDAY, JUNE 16

Watch for the big broadside posters which enumerate the biggest and best bargains we have ever offered. Read it carefully---you can save dollars by taking advantage of this sale.

Carlson Merc. Co. Inc.
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

To The Voters:

I am a candidate for County Treasurer. If elected to office, I shall conduct same to the best interests of the taxpayers. I shall be at the office at all times during business hours. Will do the work of the office myself and shall not keep a clerk by the year, saving the county that unneccessary expense. Will do all in my power for cutting down the taxes.

Andrew Bottelson,
Thief River Falls, Minn.

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MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Montevideo—Montevideo high schooi graduated a class of 74. Aleatha Axness was valedictorian.

Ellendale—Members of the Elleudale High School Alnmni Association will have their annual hanqnet June 21.

St. Cloud—The body of Norman Deering, hoy who fell into the Mississippi river at a dam here, was recovered.

Faribault—C. W. Newball, head master of Shettuck school, and Mrs. Newhall will sail June 10 for a two months' tour of Europe.

Rush City—Attorney Geueral Henry S. Benson of St. Peter was principal speaker of graduatiou exercizes of the high schooi here.

Hastings—At a city council meeting Dr. L. P. Peck, alderman from the third ward, resigned and Dr. L. R. Peck was appointed to encceed him.

LeSueur Center — Commencement exercizes at the LeSnenr Center high school. Nineteen students graduated. Ruth Brown gave the valedictory address.

Morris—Edwin J. Jones, 71 years old, president of the state teachers college board the last 15 years, and a former state senator, died at his home here.

Pine City—J. H. Hay, deputy etate commissiouer of agriculture, dairy and food, gave the principai address at iocai high school commencement exercieee.

Winona—Filings for Winona county officee at the June primaries have clossd with 50 candidates in the field. Inclnded are 14 for eheriff, nine for county commissionerships.

Rochester—The annual state conveutiou of the Knights of Columbus was held here with state officers aoting as a degree team. Dr. W. J. Mayo was the principal dinner speaker.

Worthington—Dr. S. A. Slater, superintendent of the sonthwestern Minnesota sanetoriom here has been notified of his election ae a director of the Nationel Tuberculosis Associatiou.

Austin—Because he stopped to help women who appeared to he having motor troobie, Dalas Comstock of Mason City, Iowa, is in a hospital here recovering from a biow on the head.

Duluth—Pastors of the Duinth district, Minnesota Conference of Lutheran churches of the Augustana Synod gathered here in a two-day convention. Eight parishes were represeuted.

Winona—The St. Mary's vested choir participated in a nnmber of mnsical programs. At the state convention of the Knights of Columbus at Rochester the choir gave a speciai program.

Northfield—Atherton Bean, Minneapolis wae elected president of the Carieton Student Association, newly organized society replacing the Alma Mater Association, student governing body. Devis Grannis, St. Paul, is sec.-treas.

Faribault—Pleading guilty to stealing cream, A. W. Elftmann, Northfield huttermaker, was eentenced to serve six months in the county jail and pay a fine of $500 and $750 to the Twin City Milk Producers association for creem he stole.

Aitkin—Dairymen of 12 counties comprieing district No. 15 of the Land O' Lakes Creameries Association gathered here for their annual convention. The total output of the co-operatives represented was 6,103,310 pounds of butterfat last year.

Duluth—Three District Court jndges of St. Louis county and the county attorney will have no oppoeition at the primary or general election this year. Wheu filings for county offices closed, Mason M. Forbes, Duiuth, county attorney eight years, was the only candidate. Jodges H. J. Grannis and E. J. Kenny of Duluth and Edward Freeman of Virginia are unopposed.

Hutchinson—A. N. Oriov, representative of Russia, has chosen the feed grinding piant at the Pacific Grain Company elevator here as a model in the program of progress being pushed in hie nation. He visited Hutchinson as a member of one of several commissions eent to the U. S. to study methods of agriculture. He invited Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Renz to go to Russia, with Mr. Renz to take charge of installing equipment.

Minneapolis—From the ninety-six applicants for enlistment in the Navy received from the state of Minnesota during the month of May the following ten boys were accepted: R. F. Kircher, Adrian; C. P. Brauch, Elizabeth; G. A. McKusick and J. C. McKusick, Hibbing; T. W. A. Keller, Mankato; H. Gullikson, Middle River; R. L. Wessen, H. O. Howe, Minneapolis; and L. N. Andersen and L. H. Pederson from St. Paul. The average age of the ten successful applicants was nineteen years, the average schooling two years of high school, and the average grade made by the boys in the O'Rourke Intelligence Test was 75.

Red Wing—The iocal unit of the Knights Templar has selected Karl Wiech commander. Other officers include Will Jones, J. A. Prior, Otto Sands William Moseberg C. L. Kellogg and C. J. Sargent.

Duluth—The sixty-second annual session of the Minnesota State Medical Association is scheduled to open in Dulnth July 14 for a three day seseion. A number of foregn medical leaders are expected here to take part in the program, which will also include papers hy many Minnesota physicians and natiouaily known enthorities from other states.

Miss Alice Ortloff left yesterday for Duluth after an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ortloff.

LOOKING AHEAD

A shopkeeper wanted to give his son a good education to fit him for carrying on the husiness after he had gone. He interviewed the principal of the school.

"Yes," said the master, "we will do our best, hut is there any particular course of study you wish your son to pursue?"

"Well, now yon mention it, there is. I notice yon teach biology. That would be handy for him, as then be would be ahie to do all his own buying when be took over the husiness."

COVERED THEM

He—Girls used to have curves.
She—Yes—and hid 'em.

Hard to Satisfy

Man wants hnt little here below hnt what he gets is usually below what he wants.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

The Dark Stranger

The main reason why we are so uneasy ahont the future is because it is a stranger to us.—Dallas News.

One Point of View

To fill the bour—that is happiness.

Harry Peterson

To The Voters:

As a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds of Pennington County, I have not been able to make personal calls on all voters, much as I would have liked to do so. I was born and raised in Wyandotte township, graduated from the high school at St. Hilaire, and have since had college and business traning. If you think that southern Pennington County should have at least one representative in the court house, I shall greatly appreciate both your vote and support at the Primary election next Monday.

Harry Peterson.

Political Adv.- Inserted and paid for at advertising rates by Harry Peterson.

DANCE

Saturday, June 14th

HAZEL HALL
Hazel, Minn.

Music by
The Midnight Wildcats

COME, and bring your friends. A good time is assured.

Vote for--
O. E.
BERGE
Candidate for
Sheriff
Pennington County

--I stand for law enforcement and economy--

Your vote and support will be appreciated at the Primary Election, June 16

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A. R. JOHNSRUD
Candidate for
TREASURER
Pennington County
Primary Election, June 16
Your vote and support will be greatly appreciated.

Political Adv. Published in his own behalf by A. R. Johusrud, and paid for at advertising rates.

TOBIAS REEP
CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY AUDITOR

To The Voters of Pennington County

Because it will be impossible for me to make a house to house canvas I am taking this means to bring to the voters my final appeal before the primaries.

I do not seek nor do I need sympathy votes and while I value highly and do seek the votes of my friends I do not want them to vote for me for friendship alone, as I feel that my thirty-five years experience as bookkeeper, merchant and banker qualifies me for the office. I make no phenominal promises nor have I any tricks up my sleeve but I assert that there are no pledges of efficency or economy made by anyone to which I cannot measure up.

My interest in this community is the genuine interest of an old resident and taxpayer and is not merely a matter of getting a job. In these days of great unemployment it would be possible no doubt to import capable men from outside the county to fill every office within the county, but such a policy would not be consistent with good county loyalty nor are we ready admit that Pennington county is so bankrupt as far as good men are concerned as to make such a course necessary.

My past is an open book to you all and my long business career marked by integrity of purpose and honesty of endeavor is an absolute guarantee of my conduct in office.

Your vote will be appreciated.

Tobias Reep

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Result Of Balloting On County Ticket

Over thirty seven hundred votes were cast at the primary election in this county last Monday. More than usual interest was taken by the voters which accounts for the large vote cast. Here are the unofficial results on the county ballot:-

Senator, 65th Dist.	
Laura E. Naplin	1792
Stuart McLeod	1179
Martin Evenson	813
County Auditor	
Harry Fowler	2475
N. J. Anderson	783
Tobis Reep	520
County Treasurer	
John Gullingsrud	1801
A. R. Johnsrud	1355
Andrew Bottelson	653
Register of Deeds	
Fred Lorentson	1298
Verner Nelson	1265
Harry Peterson	1170
Sheriff	
O. L. Ihle	1496
W. J. LaBree	1031
County Supt. of Schools	
Geo. M. Gunderson	1722
Amer C. Matheson	1033
Commissioner, 1st Dist.	
O. G. Lee	183
Frank Race	127
A. W. Hanson	117
Commissioner, 3rd Dist.	
Emil Larson	151
A. K. Lockrem	116
Gust Naplin	107
Commissioner, 5th Dist.	
O. M. Mandt	167
Issac Wilson	134
Anton Peterson	96

The first two named under each heading, will be opponents at the General election next November.

Swan Scholin, one of the old Black River district pioneers, came recently from Santa Barbara, Calif., for an extended visit with his sons, John, Victor and August, and at home of his daughter, Mrs. J. Edw. Johnson. Mr. Scholin has made his home of late with his daughter in California. Enroute here, Mr. Scholin visited at home of a daughter in Portland, Ore., and with two sons in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Olson motored here last week from Leonard for a brief visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olson.

Picnic July Fourth

Plans are being made for a big county picnic and celebration to be held July Fourth at Highlanding. Representatives from Goodridge, St. Hilaire and Thief River Falls met in the latter city last week and agreed upon tentative plans for the celebration. As there will be no other observance of the Fourth in any of the towns in this county, the gathering at Highlanding will be for the whole county. With ideal picnic ground along banks of the Red Lake river, it is expected a large crowd will be present if the weather is at all favorable. A good program of sports of various kinds is being arranged, which will be announced in the near future.

Laabs--Peterson

Vern E. Peterson son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peterson of this village was united in marriage to Miss Hilda Laabs of Mitchell, S. D. June 14th. Mrs. Peterson has been employed in Home Extension work at Yankton S. D. up until their marriage. They will continue to make their home in Sioux Falls S. D. where Mr. Peterson holds a government position as meat inspector.

Honor Pastor Dahle

Members of the five congregations of the Norwegian Lutheran charge served by Rev. M. L. Dahle, gathered here Sunday for a get-together meeting and picnic dinner in honor of their pastor the occasion being the 25th, anniversary of his ordination. A pleasant afternoon was enjoyed at conclusion of which each congregation presented Rev. Dahle with a nice gift in cash.

W. M. Federation Meeting

Good attendance marked meeting of the Women's Missionary Federation here last Thursday. A splendid program was given consisting of musical numbers, scripture readings and discussions. Rev. C. B. Ulvisaker, Concordia College, gave two interesting talks, one forenoon, and one at the afternoon session. One of the features of the program was appearance of the St. Hilaire Junior Choir. The youngsters did remarkably well, and many favorable comments were heard about their fine work.

Try a want adv.

Reception Committee

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

L. E. Beebe purchased a new Chevrolet coach this week.

Miss A. Flamme came Saturday from Minneapolis to spend part of the summer with her brother, Ed Flame.

Chas. Naplin returned this week after attending the Augustana conference at Rock Island, Ill.

A dance will be given at the hall at Hazel next Saturday evening. The dances given there thus far this season have been well patronized.

A Sunday School picnic will be held next Sunday, June 22nd, at the Swedish Lutheran church at Black River. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained by Mrs. L. Rosette and Mrs. H. Winter, at the church, Friday June 27th. J19-26

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Roy motored here last week from Groton S. D. for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Roy.

County Commissioner J. S. Roy, Hans Wilson, Wendel Corbet, Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad attended the funeral services which was held Friday morning for the late Harry E. Ives at Red Lake Falls.

M. M. Hoff, Ralph Olson and A. Berge of Grand Meadow, Minn., motored here Monday and spent the day at the home of Mrs. S. M. Hoff and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter. M. M. Hoff is a brother of the late Sever M. Hoff.

To Patrons

Cream will be taken at the St. Hilaire creamery on Friday, July, Fourth, between the hours of 5:00 and 10:00 A. M. only. Patrons are asked to come as early as possible so that the working force may have the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Fields and daughter and Miss Alice Bice of Eveleth motored here Saturday for a visit at the V. Brink home and other relatives. With exception of Mrs. Fields who will remain for a longer visit they returned Sunday. They were accompanied by Mrs. John King who will spent a couple weeks visiting at the homes of her sons Leo of Virginia, and James of International Falls.

The Ladies Aid of the Evang. Mission church served lunch Monday afternoon at the Carlson store.

After spending a month here at the Flamme home, Marie Cathelineau left last evening for her home at Willmar.

A. B. Mandt, proprietor of the Mandt Oil Company at Goodridge, motored down Tuesday to look after business matters at his local station.

The Y. P. S. of Black River, will be entertained by Mrs. Alec Swanson at the Black River chapel on on Saturday, June 28th, instead of as previously announced.

Misses Effie Kane and Alice Field, of Eveleth, visited at the V. G. Brink home Monday while enroute on a trip to Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. M. Schantzen and son motored here Monday evening from Minneapolis for a visit at the home of her father, Mike Fricker.

Supt. and Mrs. E. N. Reiersgord motored Sunday to Grand Forks were Mr. Reiersgord will attend the summer session at the University of North Dakota.

Oh, Boy! What a drive! Complete set -- 4 clubs and bags $5.95. Gamble's Senior 75c Golf Ball 59c. Repaints 25c. Blue Ribbon Matched Irons $3.85. Gamble Stores.

The concrete basement was finished last week, and frame work is now being done on the new bungalow which Emil Larson is building at his farm west of here to replace the house destroyed by fire about a month ago.

Thousands of dollars of damage was done last Friday in different sections of Minnesota by tornadoes. In vicinity of Austin and near Randolph much damage was done to farm buildings and crops. At Oslo the village hall was blown down.

A picnic to be held July Fourth, is being arranged by the Swedish Lutheran community at Black River. No place has been decided upon as yet, but the picnic will likley be held at one of the grounds along the Black river. A good program is being arranged, and a cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

Ray P. Chase Nominated

State Auditor Ray P. Chase has the Repubican nomination for Governor safety tucked away, according to tabulations up to date on state returns. Mr. Chase seems to have been the favorite candidate with all classes as he carried both city and county districts without having made much of a campaign anywhere.

Tour To Narrows, Sunday

The annual Red Lake Resort picnic will be held at the Narrows of the Red Lakes next Sunday, June 22nd. The tour will start from Thief River Falls during early morning, and will arrive at the lake before noon. Stafford King will be the main speaker, and Attorney Paul Lundgren of Thief River, is also to give an address. Remainder of the program will consist of water sports, Indian dances and athletic contests.

Thousands of people attended the picnic last year, and more are expected for next Sunday. The new road will be in good condition so no difficulty will be experienced in going out.

Naplin--McLeod Win

Incomplete returns from the three counties comprising the 65th Legislative, show that Laura Naplin and Stuart McLeod have won the nominations as state senator. Senator Naplin has a substantial lead over her nearest opponent.

Court Postponed

Due to illness of Judge Grindeland, opening of summer term of district court in this county, which was scheduled for this week, has been postponed until next month.

Rev. and Mrs. Albin Olson and family motored here Friday from Rosholt, S. D., for a visit with Mrs. Olson's mother, Mrs. E. E. Anderson; and at homes of her brother and sister, Anton E. Anderson and Mrs. K. O. Gigstad, and with numerous friends in this community where they resided some years ago. They left yesterday enroute home.

They didn't realize it cost so little! Gamble's House Paint goes as far-- covers as well-- it's guaranteed, $2.30 per gal., 5 gal. lots. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Nels Johnson Called

Nels Johnson, age 78, for many years a highly respected resident of this village, and a pioneer settler of Black River township, died at his home at about 2:00 Tuesday morning following an attack of heart trouble. He had not been well lately, and only recently returned from a hospital where he had received treatment. Mr. Johnson was a kindly man, well thought of by everybody, and his sudden death is a source of deep regret to his many friends.

Besides his widow, Mr. Johnson is survived by one daughter and three sons, Miss Anna, of Minneapolis, Rev. H. P. Johnson of Portland, Ore., Hjalmar, of Chicago, and J. Edward who resides in Black River.

While awaiting arrival of some of his children, who are expected here today, no arrangements have been made for the funeral. A more extended obituary will he published next week.

Ives Funeral Friday

Funeral services for the late Harry E. Ives were conducted by the Masonic Lodge of Red Lake Falls at the Presbyterian church in that city last Friday morning. Interment was made in the cemetery east of Red Lake Falls where Mrs. Ives was interred several years ago.

Poll Big Vote

The largest vote cast for a candidate at primary election in this county was that given to Harry L. Fowler this week when he received a total of 2475 for county auditor.

Next largest was that of 1801 given John Gullingsrud for county treasurer. Geo. M. Gunderson received 1722 for county superintendent of schools, and Sheriff O. L. Ihle got 1496.

A tabulation of Pennington County's vote on the state ticket, at the primary this week, will be found on page 4 of this issue.

Christ Kruse, Sr., returned Saturday morning last from a trip to Omaha, Neb., where he was called by death of a sister-in-law. Mr. Kruse states crop conditions appear to be good down in Nebraska, but he noted the unemployment situation was somewhat acute in some of the larger towns.

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LOCALS

Chicks:- Can furnish you S. C. W. Leghorn chicks this week at $10.00 per hundred. Only two mores hatches this season.

'A. Nyhagen,
J5-19 St. Hilaire, Minn.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .78
Duram Wheat	.68
Rye	.37
Barlay	.30
Oats	.20
Flax	2.50
Eggs, cash	.17
Creamery butter	.36

River News

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Larson and family and relatives of Middle River enjoyed a picnic dinner at tbe A. Larson home Sunday.

Mr. end Mrs. H. R. Allen and Mr. and Mrs. W. Corbet and son spent Thursday evening at at the F. Erdmann home.

Mrs. Hanson and daughters of St. Paul arrived Monday to visit at tbe homa of their daughter and sister Mrs. H. Jepson.

John Mortensen called at the F. Erdmann home Sunday.

Mrs. Albin Oslund aud son James and Mrs. Oslund motored up Wednesday from Wanaska to spend a few days at home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. August Erickson.

Joseph and Margaret Flannigan spent a few days at the Geo. Haupt home.

Paul Thyren and deughters Evelyn and Iyahette and Mr. L. P. Thyren motored to Killiber Tuesiay to visit at the Oscar Thyren home.

Paul Jepson returned Monday evening over the Soo from St. Paul where he attended the Snort Course and also visited his grandmother Mrs. Hanson.

Miss Myrtle Palmquist student of Bemidji State Teacher College arrived last Thursday to spend her summer vacation here.

H. Jepsun took his daughter Margaret to Crookston Monday to attend the Short Course offered the 4H club members at the A. C.

Gust Larson accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Larson and Mrs. Ida Konickson motored to Grand Forks Monday where the three leter went to seek medical aid.

Wm. Seeger of Oklee, is spending a week at ths F. Ulrich home.

Carl Ulrich and family were visitors Sunday evening at the G. Henpt home.

Mr and Mrs Fred Ulrich end sons motored Sunday to Oklee.

Martin and Edward Haupt, Joe and Margaret Flanagen, Minnie Ulrich and Elizebeth Haupt motored Friday to the Red Lakes. They left in the morning and returned at night after having a fine time dispite a few showers.

FARM STOCK

CALF FATTENING TESTS CONDENSED

Colorado Station Outlines Results of Experiments.

Results of calf-feeding experiments conducted by the Colorado Agricultural college experiment station during 1928 and 1929 are summarized and discussed in a new bulletin recently published at the college.

Stockmen who are feeding calves this winter will find this leaflet, Press Bulletin 70, entitled, "Feedlot Rations for Fattening Calves," of much value, it is believed. Copies will be sent free to anyone interested.

The report on the 1929 test and the summary of the results of two years' experiments are explained by E. J. Maynard, associate animal husbandman, and H. B. Osland, assistant professor of animal husbandry at the college.

Outstanding results obtained in the two years are summarized in the bulletin as follows:

1. A standard beet by-product ration of wet beet pulp, barley, cotton cake and alfalfa proved cheapest and most efficient for fattening calves in beet-growing areas.
2. The relative efficiency of wet beet pulp siloed at the factory and pressed beet pulp siloed at the farm will depend largely on the comparative length of time the pulp is stored.
3. Trench silos are practically as efficient and much cheaper than straw silos for storing pressed pulp.
4. Corn silage can be used to supplement wet beet pulp in a beet by-product ration for fattening calves; 6.8 pounds of corn silage fed daily reduced the pulp requirement by nearly one-half.
5. Dried sugar-beet tops showed a feed replacement value of $6.41 per ton of tops fed.
6. Steer calves made cheaper and heavier gains than heifer calves.

Practical Treatment Is Urged for Mangy Horse

A horse that has mange may be treated by using a solution made by boiling one and one-half ounces of tobacco in a quart of water. Sponge or brush the horse, using this liquid, and repeat in ten to fourteen days.

It will be necessary to clean the harness, collars, curry combs, brushes, etc., that come in contact with the horse. You can disinfect these articles by using any of the common disinfectants such as lime sulphur or nicotine sulphate or any of the well-known arsenical dips.

Whitewash the barn using one-fourth pound of chloride lime to a gallon of water. It is desirable to dip the harness, brushes, etc., rather than to spray them, as the dipping is more sure to kill the insects.

Ground Feed for Stock Found Not Profitable

A safe rule as to feed grinding is to grind medium fine all grain for dairy cattle and all hard grain for the other live stock. Extremely fine grinding for cattle, hogs or sheep does not pay for the extra power required, according to tests at Purdue university. Where dockage is used as part of the ration, this should be ground fine enough to destroy all weed seeds. Tests at several experiment stations indicate that so far as feeding value is concerned, grinding dry forage hardly pays, but that there is considerable saving in wasted material, in handling, and in hauling out the manure.

Live Stock Facts

Wean fall pigs when about eight weeks old.

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Sows should take plenty of exercise. Grain should be scattered over the ground to encourage exercising.

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A convenient water supply is an essential feature of good live stock management in winter as well as in summer.

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In addition to grain the brood sows should be supplied with as much good quality alfalfa or clover hay as they will consume.

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Potatoes are somewhat unpalatable, but they can be successfully fed to sheep, cattle and horses in the place of corn silage.

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Farmers everywhere are giving greater attention to lowering cost production and developing hogs that most often are market toppers.

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In feeding potatoes to hogs it is necessary to cook or steam them, seasoning with a little salt. They more nearly meet the requirements for feeding hogs when used in this way than they do when fed to other classes of live stock.

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Cars for shipping cattle in extremely cold weather should be deeply bedded and the sides lined with heavy paper to a height which will prevent strong air currents from striking the animals directly.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the total Sum of One Thousand Six Hundred Sixteen and 50-100 ($1616.50) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest, all of which is claimed to be due and is due at the Date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the Terms and Conditions of that certain Mortgage made, executed and delivered by Ole Nelson, a widower, Mortgagor, to John S. Johnson, Mortgagee, bearing the date June 28, 1924, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds, in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on thd 30th day of June, 1924, at 8 o'clock A. M., and recorded in said Office in Book 69 of Mortgages, on page 148, thereof,

AND WHEREAS by reason of said Default, the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained has become operative, and No action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or Otherwise to recover the Debt secured by said Mortgage, or any Part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage Contained, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be forclosed by a Sale of the Primises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE1-4) of Section numbered Seven (7), in Township numbered One Hundred fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County, Minnesota, containing 160 acres more or less according to the United States Government survey thereof,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 19th day of July, 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash, to pay said Debt of $1616.50, together with interest to date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and the Statutory amount of Attorneys fees allowed by Law, as provided in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the Costs and Disbursements allowed by Law, subject to Redemption at any time within One year from the day of Sale as Provided by Law.

Dated this 31st day of May 1930.

John S. Johnson,
Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Mortgagee
Thief River Falls, Minnesota
Ju5-J10

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of John R. Fate, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Neva P. Fate, Mayme H. Fate, Lena Fate, C. Ivan Fate, Grace Fate, Francis A. Fate, Marian Louise Fate, Wilbur George Fate and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 12th day of July, 1930 at ten o'clock A. M. wby said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 17th day of June 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

Perl W. Mahey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J19-Ju3

American Bathing Suits Popular Among Italians

Washington. — One-piece bathing suits, American style, with suntan backs, short trousers, and low cut necks, will be the style at fashionable Italian beaches next summer, according to the Commerce department. Consul Hugh Miller at Milan reported to the department that American bathing suits came into vogue in Italy last year with a degree that took Italian manufacturers by surprise.

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POULTRY

RAPID GROWTH IN RAISING TURKEYS

Fowls Utilize Areas of Otherwise Profitless Land.

The turkey industry has made a rapid growth in Idaho in recent years, says Pren Moore, extension poultry specialist with the University of Idaho college of agriculture. It has grown since 1922, when turkeys were rather insignificant in volume, until now it has become an important industry in point of volume. The bulk of the original stock was small and of poor quality. There was very little native stock at that time which was suitable for breeding purposes. There were a few breeders in the state who had been importing good breeding stock, but the general average was of inferior quality.

The increased volume soon attracted the large produce dealers, who began bidding for the business. Grades, conforming to those in general use throughout the country, were applied. Not until then did the growers realize the value of breeding to improve the quality of the stock. The few good local breeders were unable to supply the demand for better breeding stock. Breeding stock was imported on a large scale. Some of it was of high quality while much was inferior, but most of it was an improvement over the average of the native stock. Improvement was rapid, which developed a rapidly growing interest in turkey breeding as an enterprise.

Demand for better breeding stock led to a system of accreditation similar to that attaining such success in the poultry industry. The popularity of this accreditation work in turkey raising, says Mr. Moore, is apparent from the growing demand for the service.

Clean Ground Essential for Turkey Success

Recent findings have shown that the organism which causes blackhead in turkeys lives in the soil. Consequently if turkeys are raised on contaminated soil they can hardly escape the disease. The danger will to a large extent be averted if a three-year rotation is followed.

Experimental findings have shown that the cecal worm found in chickens is a menace to the turkey. It is believed that if the young turkeys are affected with cecal worms the injury they do to the lining of the intestinal walls is sufficient to permit the entrance of blackhead organisms into the blood stream, thus infecting the bird with the incurable disease and the one most dreaded by turkey breeders. The remedy, therefore, is to keep the young turkeys on clean ground and entirely separate from chickens.

Poultry Hints

To get best results, chicks of no breed should be hatched after the first of May.

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If due attention is not paid to the vitamines in the ration, disappointments are in store.

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The late hatched chicks are subjected to many parasites and diseases which the earlier ones escape.

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Oyster shell, limestone or other lime-bearing material help to supply hens with the calcium they need.

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The summer egg production from the early maturing pullets is just as good as from the late maturing pullets.

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See that the house receives no moisture because of location, and make sure that lack of ventilation does not create moisture within.

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Thorough examination of the interior of the poultry house for mites and bedbugs might reveal legions of these unwelcome guests. If they are present, paint the roosts, roost supports, and rear wall with pure carbolineum.

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It is almost impossible to do a good job of culling if the farm flock has been improperly fed.

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Most of the heavier breeds will give better results if hatched previous to April 1. The chicks not only grow better but the pullets will start laying earlier in the fall.

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Experiments have proved that chickens can be kept in confinement throughout their lives, without restricting their growth or egg production.

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Tuberculosis in poultry can be definitely diagnosed by a post mortem or by the tuberculin test given by a veterinarian.

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Frequent culling of the slow-feathering and slow-growing birds during the range period makes the culling job easier when the chickens are housed.

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

TRAVEL!

For hours they had been together on her front porch. The moon cast its tender gleam down on the young and handsome couple who sat strangely far apart. He sighed. She sighed. Finally:

"I wish I had money, dear," he said. "I'd travel."

Impulsively, she slipped her hand into his; then, rising swiftly, she sped into the house.

Aghast, he looked at his hand. In the palm lay a nickel.

CAN'T FOOL US

"I don't even believe that girl has a heart."

"Say, don't tell me that, boy, with those low-necked dresses she wears."

Question

"If all the world were apple pie—"
Thus runs an ancient wheeze
What if it were, I ask, would I
Rate as a hunk of cheese?

Get 'Nother Meal Ticket in Hurry

"What!" exclaimed the insurance agent, "you carry no policy to take care of your wife's future if you should die?"

"I don't need to," retorted the victim, "she is so sweet and pretty she'll never have to worry about the future."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Followed Orders

Mistress—Why didn't you put the watermelon in the ice box as I told you?

Maid—I did, ma'am.

Mistress—But it isn't cold.

Maid—Well, how could it be? I had to take out the ice to get it in.—Capper's Weekly.

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Passing On The Right

A good point is made by a letter abont arrests of motorists who pass cars on the right hand side, eays the San Francisco Chronicle. This is prohibited by the etate law and for very obvious reasons of safety. Yet, as is pointed ont, the fact thet a motorist is able to violate thie law is clear proof that the vehicle he passes is hogging the middle of the road. Otherwise there would be no room to pass on the right hand eide. And the overtaking driver would not be forced into this violation as an alternative to poking along behind a middie-of-the-roader. Safety requires etrict enforcement of the rules for passing. But for every motorist hrought into court for this offense the traffic officer ehould prodnce the motorist who promoted the offense by violating another state law, that which requires giving way to an overtaking vehicle. If drivers are properly desciplined for failure to keep to the right of the road there will be no need to prosecnte—righthand passer. There will be no chance for them to do it.-Albert Lea Tribune.

Liver Flukes in Sheep Difficult of Treatment

In most all flocks of sheep there is now and theu one or perhaps several heed thet do not seem to thrive even though you heve given them good care and feed. Most likely stomach worms is the cause combined with the ills that are common in infested sheep. Bot if you have treated them with approved remedies and they do uot respond favorehly it is just possible that yon have an entirely different parasite. Namely, what is called liver flukes. Liver flukes are entirely different from a stomech worm. Thay are a flat, hrownish grsy worm and inhabit the gall hladder and liver of sheep and eometimes there are a few in the intestines. The only known remedy for flukes is cerhou tetrachloride. It is a violent poisou, but properly administered seldom does any harm. The usual treatment for stomech worms does uot epply for flukes, they require special dosing. Like the stomech worms, flukes came into corn helt flocks unawares, like a thief in the night. They are here and must be reckoned with in the future.

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Wyandotte News

Miss Mrrtha Albin left last Tuesday morning for Stillwater where she is employed. She was accompanied by Mrs. Mattson of of Thief River, who will visit at Lake City, Minn.

Andrew Nelson who was taken seriously ill Thursday, was taken to the hospital where he had an operation. Reports are he is getting along nicely.

Miss Signe Myrom of Thief River is spending a week visit her friend Viola Wilson.

The Thief River Falls Circuit convention held its meetings in the Clearwater church Tuesday and Wednesday, they were well attended.

Mrs. Jim Eveneon visited at the John Albin home Thursday.

Many of this communty attended the celebration of Rev. Dahle 25th anniversary as a minister.

The school board of Dist. 125 met at the Peter Kolseth home Taursday evening, when they decided on a teacher for the coming year. Miss Beckly was chosen

Elizabeth Evenson is spending a three weeks vacation at her parental home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charly Carlson visited at the Charley Samnelson home Monday evening.

Peter Kolseth and son Carl visited at the Beckiey home at Highlanding Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Efterland of Thief River epent Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday visiting at the D. Hangen home and attending the Circuit convention in the Clearwater church.

The Clearwater Y. P. S. will meet at the church Snnday evening. Everyone welcome.

Mr O. Wilson and son Goodwin and Theodore Olson were hnsiness callers at Grand Forks Saturday.

Selma and Alvina Wilson visited Monday afternoon at home of Mrs. T. Berg.

Selma Wilson and Lillian Berg visited at the Peter Kolseth home Monday.

Miss Lillian Berg returned home Saturday after spending a week at the A Hallin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Hallin and son visited at the T. Berg home Saturday evening.

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Unless this is done intelligently, the full value of the old house will not be realized, and your new home will cost you more than it should.

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Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening services at 8:00.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle. Pastor.

Sunday June 22, services as follows:
Ebenezer 11:00 A. M.
St. Pauli 2:00 P. M. Open air services
Oakridge 11:00 A. M. Rev. L B. Land will preach.
Clearwater Luther League 8:00 P. M. Rev. O. O. Bjorgan of Goodridge will speak.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday morning in River church at 10:00.

Sunday school festival at Black Black River church at 2:30 P. M.

Services in the local church at 8:00 P. M.

The annual picnic of Clara church will be held at the Anton Peterson farm starting at 2:00 on Tuesday, June 24th.

Thanks

To members of the congregations constituting the St. Hilaire Lutheran charge, and other friends who were present at the 25th anniversary of my ordination, and for the generous gift tendered to myself and family, we express our sincere thanks and appreciation. We also thank neighboring pastors and other friends, as well as former calls in Kittson County, Eagle Bend and Clarissa for their kind greetings on the occasion.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle and children.

After Drunken Drivers

The etate highway petrol evidently intends to see that drunken drivers are kept off the highways. In this action the patrol should have the backing of every eelf-reepecting citizen in the state. It is all very well to be a good fellow and assume a charitable attitude towarde the men who has taken a few more drinks than he ehould, but when we must pay in hnman lives for the folly of allowing such irresponsible individuals to drive care on our highways it is time the public realized the necessity of taking action. A drunken driver puts himself in a position to commit manslaughter, and any man who has been in that position should feel eternally grateful to the officer who picke him up and puts him where he cannot kill himself or anyone else.-Princeton Union

Special Vaccine Cuts Infant Mortality in Two

Paris.—A special vaccine, reducing the mortality among newly born infants virtually 50 per cent, has been used in 210,000 experimental cases since 1924, Dr. Albert Calmette told the Academy of Science.

So successful have these trails been that Pastenr institute, of which Doctor Calmette is subdirector, has created a special laboratory for its preparation. It will be distributed free to physicians and midwives.

Eight Mice Are Found With Home in Radio Set

Rahway, N. J.—Many things hava come out of radio sets, hut Albert G. Avery got a mother mouse and a litter of seven young mice out of his.

Avery started to investigate a short circuit in his set and found that it resulted from the presence of two dead mice which had been electrocuted by the hare wires. The mother and remaining five were comfortably settled in a nest which she had made in the built-in speaker.

25 Years Ago

Miss Edith Dahl returned from Moorhead where she had attended State Normal.

—XXV—

Chas. Fellman, Carl Lund and K. R. Killand were to represent the fire department at the Tournament at Blackduck.

—XXV—

The Neils sawmill at Cass Lake cut a white pine log that week that produced 1140 feet of 1 1-2 inch clear lumber. That was the record log cut that year.

—XXV—

The old Central House, a landmark here those days, was being dismantled.

—XXV—

A new lodge of the Modern Brotherhood of America was instituted here June 17th.

—XXV—

F. S. Whirry, former buttermaker at the local creamery, bought a plant at Harvey, N. D. and was moving there from from Ada where he was located since leaving St. Hilaire.

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Two gasoline power hoats, the Dan Patch and the Red Lake Flyer, were put into commission at Thief River to run to Oak Grove and return. Both passenger and freight service was to be maintained.

Keep Old Name of Coin

The current French-Canadian word for a "dollar" is still a "pistole," an ancient French coin, formerly worth ten francs, today still nominally used in some parts of France in buying and selling horses.

Old-Fashioned Women

After reading some of today's advertisements, it seems strange that a good many old fashioned women can maka good appla pie without ever having had a course in engineering.—Indianapolis News.

This Week

by ARTHUR BRISBANE

**Power, More of It
Leisure and Money
Some Gangster, Napoleon
Welcome to Brazil**

Important to tha human race are physical power and mental power. Mental power has stood still for about two thousand years. Physical power is constantly increasing.

A German has found a way to increasa the power of engines, gasoline, Diesel or steam, from 20 to 60 per cent, his new kind of turhine using the power of exhaust gases.

Lufthansa, great German air company, has ordered a Diesel engine huilt ou the new plan for airplana experiment. Fuel oil will be used.

Germany leeds the world in mechanical invention and in chemistry.

Professor Claude, oue of tha world's most distinguished physicists, informs the Freuch Academy of Science that he is making progress in his effort to ntilize power from the ocean.

A small fractiou of the tides' powers would meke oll other power unnecessary. The tides, once haruessed, would run our machiuery as loug as the sun aud moou comhine to raise and drop the wuters of the ocean.

Professor Cleude's experimeuts nsa the warm water at the surface of tropical sees to operate a turhiue, the water heing converted to steam hy meaus of a vacuum. Cold water from the deptha of the sea is used to recondense the steam and renew tha vecuum.

It is compliceted for the uouscientific mind, hut if there is "an inexhaustible store of power in tropical see water," that certainly will make a great difference to euormous populatious living uear the equator in comparative idleness.

The deeth of Sir Heury Sagrave, hrilliant, courageous Englishman, will he regretted everywhere.

Ha had developed new speeds in motorboets and automohiles, and was killed when a hoot in which he was going 100 miles an hour turned over and sank.

Mr. Nelson Rockefeller, grandsou of Johu D. Rockefeller, writes ou "Tha Use of Leisure," in tha Dertmouth alumni megazine. The article is well written, serious.

In time the youug mau's prohlem will he "the use of money." His father aud grandfather do uot livs extravageutly. They give nwny a greet deal, hut compound interest is mora powerful than their giving. With any sort of manogemeut the third generatiou of Rockefellers should have et least five hillions of dollars. A large sum to use setisfactorily.

Napoleon said his government could not last if he allowed iiherty to the press.

Chicago gangsters seem to have heard ahout thet. A gangster hullet in the hock of the heed killed Alfred Lingle, Chicago Trihune reporter.

Lingle, it seems, knew more ahout gang criminals than a reporter ought to know, according to gang standards.

Chicago takes seriously this latest killiug. But convictiou is improhnhle.

The killer, prohahly, was soms youth in his teens, fortified with cocaine. Paid for the joh, he did not know the uame of the man he killed, perhaps doesn't know it yet.

It is hard for detectives to work in the ahseuce of euy motive.

President-Elect Julio Prestes de Alhuquerqus of Brazil, comiug to visit us, will he welcome everywhere. As head of Brazil's government, he represents a gigantic empire, magnificently typical of wealth and greatness in America.

Larger than the United States, with oue weter power much more powerful than Niegara, a soil of fertility indescribable, diamond mines whose blue-white products surpass all others, and, most important, an intelligeut, patriotic, hard-working people, our guest from Brazil speaks for a nation of whose friendship this country may ba proud.

Wall Street continues to worry small fish, and reflect the actions of higger men.

Little oues worry, and sell. Bigger ones, that have heen turning out etocks, tens of millious of shares at a time, do uot want any "violeuce," so they let the market slide down hill a little while, then steady it.

Thus you may see a tender father gently catch his little child as it jumps from a height.

But ous of these days the child may be seriously humped.

New York city clinics announca "free plastic surgery." If yon dou't like your face the city will change it for you if you have a good reason.

No beauty parlor husiness will be done, no face lifting to hide wrinkles.

The idea is to improva faces that interfere with securing employment. Deformed noses, "cauliflower" ears, torn lips, caved-in cheek houes that maka faces repulsive, will be attended to.

Grover Alexander, famous baseball pitcher, is "unconditionally released" by the Philadelphia National leagua club. It means that his day is done.

Such is fame, when yon acquire it with arms, legs, physical strength.

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Money Saving Prices

Crystal White Soap, 10 bars	.33
Pink Salmon, 2 cans	.34
Hershey Cocoa, 1-2 lb cans	.12
Sardines, in oil, 4 cans	.18
Nash Coffee, per lb.	.44
Tomatoes, 3 cans	.33
40-50 "Fancy" Prunes, per lb.	.15
Bulk Figs, per lb.	.13

We carry a large assortment of dress shirts.

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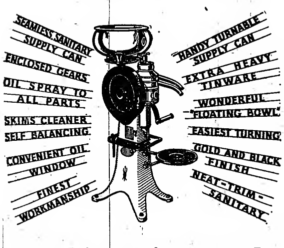

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Bear's Propensity for Hugging Termed Myth

The proverbial hugging propensity of bears is probably a myth, notwithstanding a vast amount of alleged testimony to the cootrary. Literature, reference books and works on natural history contain numerous references to the "crushing embrace" or "deathly hug" of beats. Pope, for instance, seys, "'Tis a bear'e talent not to kick, but hug." Nearly all careful observers are agreed that this uotion is errooeous. It probably arose from faulty observation. Dr. W. Reid Blair, director of the New York Zoological park, says on this subject: "In regerd to the proverbial hug, the story is epparently devoid of foundation. A bear, on account of its anatomical structure, strikes round with its paws as if grasping, and the blow of its powerful arm drives its claws into the body of its victim, which action apparently gave rise to its hugging reputation."—Exchange.

No Market for Face Powder

A shiny face is considered a mark of beauty by feminine inhabitants of the Samoan islands.

One Point of View

For happiness, after all, isn't a matter of geography or career. You build it in your heart.

White House Mantels

Two of the original White House mantels are still in use.

Feminine Punctuation

Of the national megazines especially devoted to the interest of women and largely written by them I discover none which applies even a moderately civilized degree of editorial restraint in the matter of purposeless quotation marks.

Women—apparently without any teaching or encouragement except from each other—have evolved their own idiom in the quotation mark, the exclamation point, the dash, the underline. So instinctive is many a woman's use of these devices where no man would think of using them that one actually bears them constantly in her oral utterances. Feminine punctuation alone can make a statistical essay on insurance read like baby talk.—Wilson Follett in the Bookman.

A Matrimonial Problem

"What happy people you are to have six nice daughters! What resources for your old age!"

"Yes. Resources enough! But the difficulty nowadays consists in husbanding one's resources!"

Another Chance

Meakin—Take dancing lessons! Well, I think not! There are too many other ways by which I can make a fool of myself!

His Wife—Yes, dear; but you have tried all of those!

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Coleraine—Itasca Junior College here graduated a class of 36, its largest at Coleraine.

Northfield—The Northfield community observed its seventy-fifth anniversary. 10,000 visitors attended.

Austin—Mrs. J. E. Detwiler of Austin is the new president of the Mower County Federation of Women's Clubs.

Winona—Rochester was chosen 1931 convention city at the annual meeting of the Southeastern Minnesota Dental Association here.

Willmar—Sons of Norway of the First Minnesota district elected Andrew Dahlen of St. Paul president at their meeting here.

Sleepy Eye—Legionaires and auxiliary women of the second district gathered here for their annual convention and business sessions.

Faribault—A district meeting of the State Pharmaceutical Association will he conducted here with another gathering scheduled for Rochester.

Minneapolis—Donald Wallace Noake, a graduate of West high, has received an appointment to the United States Military Academy at Annapolis.

Hastings—Falling 30 feet while working on construction of a hridge, George Miller, 29 years old, of Soperior, Wis., suffered a hroken right arm and numerous hruises.

Rochester—Lawrence University of Canton, N. Y., conferred the honorary degree of doctor of science on Doctor Charles Sheard, director of research in biophysics in the Mayo clinic.

St. Paul—O. P. B. Jacobson, member of R. W. C. has left for Iceland to represent the United States government at the 1000tb anniversary of the formation of Iceland's parliameot.

Winona—Funds requested hy President Hoover for purchase of land in the Upper Mississippi river wild life and fish refuge would go for 736 acres not under refuge control at present.

Duluth—A. C. Rees of Salt Lake City again was chairman of the American plan open shop confernce, following his re-election at the closing business sesions of the conference here.

Minneapolis—This city hecame a Norwegian metropolis with the arrival of more than 20,000 visitors who opened a two-day convention of 22 Norwegian hygdelags in the municipal auditorium.

Hayfield—The Hayfield Preshyterian chuch has extended a call to Rev. C. Paul Carlsou of Omaha to serve as pastor. A new church replacing one destroyed hy fire last year is to he dedicated soon.

Fergus Falls—Park Region Luther College here conducted commencement exercises with Rev. T. A. Hoff of Decorah, Iowa, as chief speaker. Class reunions and an alumni meeting preceded graduation.

Cloquet—Contract for construction of a $1,300,000 paper plant here has heen let to a Minneapolis company by the Northwest Paper Company. A huge peper machine, costing $250,000, will he installed to be completed late in November and to hegin operations in January.

Minneapolis—County fair officials from all parts of Minnesota were in the Twin Cities for meetings. The board of governors of the Minnesota State Fair met at the fair grounds, and representatives of the Minnesota Federation of County Fairs met at the Nicollet hotel here.

Duluth—Prohlems pertaining to the making of loug-term co-operative, first farm mortgage loans in the northeastern sections of Minnesota are discussed here by representatives of the National Farm Loan Association of this eection and officials of the Federal Land bank at St. Paul.

Minneapolis—Three members of the graduating class of 1930 of the United States Naval Academy, who were appointed from the state of Minnesota, have received their assignments to duty aboard the first vessel they are to join as commissioned officers. Ensign John Grafton Burgess, of Minneapolis, has heen assigned to the U. S. S. Idaho. Ensign Ruehl Steuart Dally has heen assigned to the U. S. S. Tennessee, and Ensign James Grahme Lang to the U. S. S. Colorado. Ensign Burgess was appointed to the Naval Academy from the enlisted ranks.

Tracy—A survey of the tuberculosis situation in Lyou County is being atarted hy Miss Mabel Johnson, field nurse for the Minnesota Public Health Associatioo, hy visits to families throughout the county where there is a known case. A series of free clinics to provide examinations for all persons who have been exposed to tuberculosis will form a part of the program. This work is sponsored hy the Lyon County Public Health Association, which has appropriated Christmas Seal funds to finance it. Officers of the association are: Dr. W. Valentine, Tracy, president, Mrs. Floy Fuller Cyr, Balaton, secretary.

St. Paul—Frank Cullen, a member of the St. Paul police force for 14 years, was appointed assistant chief of police. He took office immediately.

Hibbing—Junior College graduates were addressed by Dr. J. A. Aasgaard of Minneapolis, president of the Norwegian Lutheran Church of America. The class had 79 members, the largest in history of the college.

St. Paul—The city workhouse and the city section of the Ramsey county jail were condemned as unfit for housing of prisoners in a report of the Ramsey county grand jury made to district Judge Hugo O. Hanft.

Pennington County Vote On The State Ticket

Complete returns of the vote cast in this county for various candidates on the state ticket shows that Thos. D. Schall got 1443 votes for U. S. Senator to 904 for Theodore Christianson.

For Governor, N. J. Holmberg, received 773, Ray P. Chase 658, and J. A. A. Burnquist 577.

For Lieut. Governor. Chas. A. Lund leads with 652 to 553 for John H. Hougen, and 365 for R. G. Thoreen.

For State Auditor, Henry Rines has 1076, Stafford King 752, John E. Lindberg 564 and O. M. Anderson 458.

For Attorney General, Henry N. Benson received 1039 to 824 for his opponent, John C. Larson.

For Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner, John A. Johnson has 469, C. L. Swenson 455, Frank W. Matson, 408, F. C. Hughes 390, Truman Pierson 143, and Frank H. Putnam 206.

For Clerk of the Supreme Court, the four highest are Grace C Davis, 398, J. S. Arneson, 378, Geo. L. Anderson, 305, and Fred W. Pederson 298.

On the Farmer-Labor ballot this county gave Knud Wefald 632 to 176 for Ernest Lundeen for U. S. Senator.

For Governor, Floyd B. Olson received 716 to 69 for his opponent, Carl E. Taylor.

Judge Watts Honored

Judge William Watts of Crookston, the oldest district judge in the state of Minnesota, was the honored guest at a testimonial dinner given for him on his 80th birthday by the Polk county bar association Monday evening. Judge Andrew Grindeland, associate with Judge Watts in the 14th Judicial district, and Julius J. Olson, prominent Warren attorney, were speakers at the testimonial dinner, both paying high tribute to the veteran judge. W. O. Braggans and Rasmus Hage, were also present. A gold watch was presented to Judge Watts as a remembrance of the occasion.-Polk County Leader.

Nine members of the local 4H Club, together with their leader and assistant leader, were at the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston last week from Monday until Thursday night.

Special classes in club work, lectures and various other kinds of diversion and entertainment was provided for the young people, and needless to said they enjoyed it all.

Those from here who went down were: Vera Almquist, Donna Brink, Lulu Hegstrom, Alice Huff, Robert Huff, Margaret Jepson, Clarence Pearson, Stella Peterson and Isabella Rosendahl. Miss Edna Hovie, leader, and Miss Martha Launa, assistant leader, accompanied them down. Four members of the Erie club, one from Goodridge, two from Mavie, and fifteen from Thief River Falls attended the short course at the same time.

Street of Monuments

"Victoria Embankment, London," writes "Looker-On" in the London Daily Chronicle, "may well hold the world's record for monuments in any thoroughfare of the same length. For variety, too, it takes a lot of surpassing. Monarchy is represented at each extremity by queens: Victoria at Blackfriars and Boadicea at Westminster. In between are statesmen, scholars, poets, soldiers, journalists, musicians and composite memorials. Everybody, of course, 'knows all about it.' Yet I doubt if one person in ten could put on paper six of the names or deeds represented.

Patience

What signifies your patience if you can't find it when you want it?—Franklin.

Rose Oil

Approximately 50,000 rose buds are required to make one ounce of oil of roses.

Good Advice

Into the well which supplies thee with water cast no stones.

Lorentson Expresses His Appreciation

I wish hereby to convey my sincere thanks and appreciation to the voters of Pennington County for the splendid support given me at the primary election. The result is very gratifying, especially as I made no active campaign for votes.

Considering the fact that my successful opponent had the organized backing of the American Legion and that the third man was an exceptional vote getter in the rural districts, 75 percent of whose total vote, I believe it is safe to say, is composed of my usual supporters, I feel that the results are very gratifying.

I thank you one and all for the confidence you have thus expressed and I again pledge you my best efforts as your servant in the Register of Deeds office.

Sincerely yours,
Fred D. Lorentson.

In Appreciation

I take this means of expressing my most sincere thanks to the voters of Pennington County for the splendid endorsement given me Monday at the primary election. With your continued goodwill, I shall look forward to serving you in the County Treasurer's office as efficiently in the future as I have done, to the best of my ability, in the past. Thank you all.

John Gullingsrud,
County Treasurer.

Thank You All

I wish hereby to express my most sincere thanks to the voters in St. Hilaire and surrounding townships for the splendid vote given me at the primary election. If favored by re-election next fall, I shall endeavor to continue giving you the same service as I have in the past. Thank you all.

Sheriff O. L. Ihle

In Appreciation

I wish to extend to the voters in the Third district, my hearty thanks and sincere appreciation for the splendid endorsement given me at the primary. If re-elected at the General election in November, I shall continue to serve you to best of my ability.

Emil Larson

To The Voters:

I take this means of expressing my sincere appreciation of the large vote accorded me at the primary Election last Monday. It was a wonderful endorsement of my administration of the Auditor's Office during the short time I have served as Auditor and will be a great inspiration in my work in the future.

Sincerely,
Harry L. Fowler,
County Auditor.

There were 2,314 unemployed in the eleven northwestern counties of Minnesota who had no job of any kind on April 1, 1930 according to returns compiled by the U. S. Census Bureau at Crookston. Of this number 1, 417 were in the villages and cities and the other 897 were on the farms.

The unemployment figures by counties are as follows: Becker 284; Clay 452; Clearwater 93; Kittson 179; Mahomen 24; Marshall 147; Norman 157; Pennington 179; Polk 648; Red Lake 81; and Roseau 94.

The three largest centers in the district accounted for almost one-third of the entire number. Moorhead having 309, Crookston 275 and Thief River Falls 112.

The population of the eleven counties totals about 167,000 so that the number of unemployed equals a little less than one and one-half per cent of the total population.

Fence Posts:-Have a few hundred white cedar fence posts left from last carload, at St. Hilaire. Call
Paul Thyren,
Hazel, Minn.

How St. Hilaire Voted On The State And County Tickets

On the Republican state ticket, Theodore Christianson received 32 votes and Thos. D. Schall got 53 votes for U. S. Senator.

For Governor, Ray P. Chase led the field with 48 votes as against 22 for his nearest opponent N. J. Holmberg.

For Lieut Governor, John H. Hougen got 29 votes, Chas. A. Lund 19 votes, and R. G. Thoreen 12 votes.

For State Auditor, Henry Rines had 30 votes while his three opponents were favored with approximately half that number each.

For Attorney General, Henry N. Benson was given 40 votes to 29 for John C. Larson.

For Railroad and Warehouse Commissioner, John A. Johnson 17, Frank Matson, 16, F. C. Hughes, 14 Frank Putnam, 6, C. L. Swenson, 10.

For Clerk of Supreme Court, Geo. L. Anderson, 15, Jas. Arneson, 9, Grace Kaercher Davis, 12 Sam Y. Gordon, 11, and scattered for other five candidates on the ticket.

For U. S. Sentator, Ernest Lundeen received 4 votes, and Knud Wefald got 19.

For Governor, Floyd B. Olson had 26 votes to 1 for his opponent, Carl E. Taylor.

State Senator	
Martin Evenson	20
Stuart McLeod	40
Laura E. Naplin	63
County Auditor	
N. J. Anderson	13
Harry L. Fowler	102
Tobias Reep	7
County Treasurer	
Andrew Bottelson	14
John Gullingsrud	94
A. R. Johnsrud	12
Register of Deeds	
Fred Lorentson	45
Verner Nelson	31
Harry Peterson	49
Sheriff	
O. E. Berge	9
F. C. Dablow	2
E. O. Erickson	3
Albert Halverson	2
O. L. Ihle	82
Anton Jenson	7
W. J. LaBree	20
Co. Supt. of Schools	
Geo. M. Gunderson	58
W. W. Long	15
Amer C. Matheson	45
Nic Nelson	5

DANCE

Saturday, June 21st

HAZEL HALL
Hazel, Minn.

Music by
BISCHOFF
King of Music, and his
Four Aces

Bring your friends. A good time assured to all.

Dad's Only Chance

Father—Fritz, I am disappointed that you behave well only when you are being looked at.

Fritz—But, Dad, you only smoke when mother is out.—Berlin Der Brummer.

The Right Word

"Is the medicine you have for your rheumatism used externally or internally?"

"Eternally, I guess. I've used nine bottles and it hasn't helped me yet."

Proper Label

Hubby—What in the world do you call that—a vase or a bowl or what?

Wifey—I don't know, the salesman just called it a bridge prize.

The Widow's Might

Smith—Einstein, the rich pawnbroker, died and left the business to his wife.

Jones—Poor loan widow.

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Preparing Celebration

Preparation are going forward for a big time at the Fourth of July picnic and celebration which is to be held at Highlanding. Beautiful grounds along banks of the Red Lake river will provide ideal places for picnic parties.

A good program of races and contests of various sorts is being planned out, and everybody can be assured of a good time.

Picnic, July Fourth

A picnic will be held at the Black River Swedish Lutheran church on afternoon of July Fourth. A program is being arranged, and refreshments will be available. The folks out Black River way always have a fine time at their annual picnic, and this year will be no exception.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bilden left Tuesday for their home at Des Moines, Iowa, after spending a week here with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson were down Tuesday evening from Thief River Falls for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Herman Jepson, accompanied by Mrs. Otto Johnson, attended the Woman's Camp at the N. W. School of Agriculture at Crookston last week.

Andrew Hauge and Anton Stene came up Sunday from Halstad to install a ventilating system in the barn at the Otto Johnson farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Myles Jackson are the happy parents of a baby daughter born Tuesday night at the hospital at Thief River Falls. Both mother and child are doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Larson and son, Raymond, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sandberg of Holt, visited with friends and relatives at Bronson, Hallock, Kennedy and Stephen over last week-end.

In compliance with a new village ordinance recently adopted which prohibits curb vending pumps for sales of gasoline, the Peoples Oil Co. pump at the Engh garage was removed last week. Pumps of the Mandt Oil Company have also been removed from the street and set back against the building in line with the walk.

Auction Sale

An auction sale of horses, cattle, farm machinery, household goods, feed, seed etc., will take place Monday, June 30th at the Peter Hedeen farm nine miles east and one mile north from Hazel. The sale starts at 10: A. M., with V. C. Noper as auctioneer, and the Farmers & Merchants State Bank of Oklee as Clerk. 19 head of extra fine dairy stock will be offered at this sale. This herd has been tested, and contains a number of high producing animals. Some very good horses, and an exceptionally good line of machinery will be sold.

Have Dinner Guests

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hauge and William Peterson of St. Hilaire, Axel Johnson, Gordon Vigen and Chester Hauge of Bemidji were 6 o' clock dinner guests Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson.

Rev. M. L. Dahle is the owner of a new Chevrolet club sedan which he bought this week.

Fine showers of rain fell over this section the past few days and crops are in splendid condition all over this territory.

Annual picnic of the Sons and Daughters of Sweden will take place at Thief River Falls next Sunday.

A meeting of the board of review was held at the village hall to check over the assessments recently made.

Mrs. Herman Berg and children, Allan and Elaine of Kennedy, stopped for a short visit at the R. M. Larson home Thursday while enroute home from Detroit Lakes.

Jake Reek and Ed Durbin have rented the office room in the Branum building and will use it as headquarters for their stock buying business while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sanden of Minot, N. D. motored here Saturday for a visit at the homes of her brother and sister, Ray Young and Mrs. Chas. Huff. After enjoying a picnic at Maple Lake with their relatives on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Sanden returned home Monday.

Try a want adv.

The Great Outdoors Is Calling

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Fred Crawford of Bemidji visited at the Maakrud home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ingersoll motored here Saturday from Bemidj and spent the week-end visiting at the John Maakrud home.

Lester Olsen, assistant at the creamery, was quite badly burned about the face last Friday afternoon when a steam hose broke loose from its piping, and the jet struck him in the face.

Miss Irene Larson, who is taking nurse's training at the Ashbury Hospital at Minneapolis, came home Tuesday for a three weeks vacation.

Floyd Sumpter is hauling out lumber for a new residence for himself and family on the former Denhart farm near Hazel where the dwelling burned a couple weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bilden came Thursday from Des Moines, Iowa, for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bilden. They were accompanied here by his brother, Clifford Bilden, who is employed in the creamery at Dalton.

Emil Carlson and family motored up last week from Biwabic for a visit with their relatives. They were accompanied here by his mothor, Mrs. L. A. Carlson, who has made an extended visit with her sons and daughters in the Range county.

Misses Florence and Alida Anderson, and Mr. John Anderson motored here Monday from Minneapolis for a visit at the Arne Vik home. Upon returning home this week, they will be accompanied by Miss Agnes Vik.

About twenty five local 4H Club members, chaperoned by their leader, Miss Hovie, motored Saturday afternoon to the Narrows of the Red Lakes and camped out until the following afternoon. The young folks all report having a very enjoyable time.

Rev. H. P. Johnson of Portland Oregon, spoke at the annual Midsummer picnic of the Clara Swedish Lutheran church which was held Tuesday at the Anton Peterson farm southeast of Hazel. A large number of people from the Black River district attended the picnic in addition to a large number from the Clara church community.

A bunch of gravel trucks have commenced hauling gravel on the state road Wylie north, which job was started last fall. Mr. Hedeen has the contract for this job.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fricker were down Saturday evening and Sunday from Holt for a visit at the home of his father, Mike Fricker.

Regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the creamery association was held Friday afternoon, and checks for the past month were issued Monday.

O. F. Post, who has been employed thus far this season at Viking, came down Sunday for a visit at the Forseen home and with other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Schantzen and son left Monday for their home at Minneapolis after spending a week here at home of Mrs. Schantzen's father, Mike Fricker.

Mrs. A. Gunstad and daughter, Lilly, are expected home next week after having spent two weeks with their son and brother, Fred Gunstead, and family at Pilot Point, Texas.

Hjalmar Johnson left Monday for his home at Chicago after being here for for the funeral of his father, the late Nels Johnson. Mr. Johnson was at Warroad between trains Monday before he left.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Burkee, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bjerk, motored Saturday to Camel lake near Bemidji for a week-end visit with Christ Bjerk, and to enjoy some of the excellent fishing for which the lake is famous.

The hay is down and rain is coming-- the old rope breaks -- replace now with 7-8" 100 percent Pure Manilla 5-1-2c per ft. 1-2" sling rope 2-1-4c per ft. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Rev. H. P. Johnson of Portland Oregon, Hjalmar Johnson of Chicago, and Miss Anna Johnson of Minneapolis, all arrived here Thursday morning to be present at the funeral of their father, the late Nels Johnson. Rev. Johnson, who had attended the Augustana conference at Rock Island, Ill., was visiting friends at his former home at Minneapolis when he received the message telling of his father's death.

Attend Picnic At Narrows

A number of people from this locality attended the annual Red Lake Resort picnic at the Narrows of the Red Lakes last Sunday. Road conditions were good on the new route, and this coupled with ideal weather, made the outing one long to be remembered by those who went out.

Mentally Unbalanced

Arthur Hendrickson, well known local man, was taken in charge by authorities Friday night for examination as to his sanity. Arthur, who has been blind since early childhood, has lately shown signs of being mentally unbalanced, and Friday this developed to a marked degree.

At a hearing held before the probate court at Thief River Falls, it was decided to commit him to the detention hospital at Fergus Falls and he was taken there Sunday Art's many friends hope his ailment will be only of temporary nature.

Return To Canada

Mrs. Nellie Lardy and son left Thursday evening for Cadallac, Sask., Can., to join Mr. Lardy after having spent the past few months here with her mother and brother, Mrs. Sam Thompson and Tim Ensrud.

Axel Johnson was over during the week-end from Bemidji to look after business matters and for a visit with relatives.

After spending a few days with his parents, Clifford Bilden returned Sunday to Dalton where he is assistant buttermaker at the Dalton creamery.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beebe and Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad motored Sunday to Maple Lake and spent the day at the Patterson cottage.

Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained by Mrs. L. Rosette and Mrs. H. Winter, at the church, Friday June 27th. J19-26

Test them for balance -- High grade steel -- fine straight grained handles. Gamble's 3 tine Hay Forks $1.35. No 10 Grain Scoop $1.50. Lawn Broom 89c.

From Minneapolis

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson, accompanied by Herbert Nelson, motored here Sunday from Minneapolis for a visit at the home of Mrs. Nelson's father, Mike Fricker. Mr. Nelson has a good position as manager of a National Tea Company store at Minneapolis. Herbert is employed in the clothing manufacturing establishment operated at Minneapolis by David Lazar, a former resident of this village.

Visitors From Dakota

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Winter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elliott and daughter, Merle Ann, motored here Sunday from Hillsboro, N. D., and spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter. They were accompanied here by Billie Winter who has spent about three weeks with his relatives at Hillsboro.

Fred Biskey and sister, Helen, returned last week after a vacation with relatives and friends at Buffalo and Minneapolis. Dorothy Biskey, who went down with them, remained for a longer stay.

Miss Blanche Hoff, who teaches in the public schools at Minneapolis, is expected home soon to spend her summer vacation. She will be accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Cephas Swanson.

Grandma Larson of Holt, is a guest this week at the home of her son, Richard Larson.

Bids Wanted

The board of directors of the St. Hilaire Co operative Creamery Association will receive bids for the position as second helper at the Creamery for July and August. Bids should be left at the creamery in care of the Secretary and will be opened Monday June 30, 1930 at 2 P. M.

Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

F. S. Erdmann, Secretary

To Patrons

Cream will be taken at the St. Hilaire creamery on Friday, July, Fourth, between the hours of 5:00 and 10:00 A. M. only. Patrons are asked to come as early as possible so that the working force may have the afternoon.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

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St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

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St. Hilaire. Minn.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Order Limiting Time to File Claims Within Three Months and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of J. C. Dahl.

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the matter of the Estate of J. C. Dahl Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to James A. Dahl and it appearing by the affidavit of said representative that there are no debts of said decedent:

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 20th day of September 1930, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator as provided by law.

Dated June 16th, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

M. A. & A. B. Bratland, Att'ys.
Ada, Minn.
J26-Ju10

Sculptor Asks Burial at Mill Montparnasse

Paris.—An old windmill of Montparnasse may become the final resting place of Emile-Antoine Bourdelle, famous French sculptor, who died some months ego.

A committee of ertists is at present investigating the suitability of the mill as e tomb for one of France's greatest sculptors of ell time, following the request of his widow thet he be interred there. This was a wish that he hed often expressed to his friends, explaining thut he wanted to be huried in Montparnasse near the studio where he echieved many of his best works.

Centuries old, this mill is no longer used to grind flour as in the middle of the Eighteenth century when it was the property of the Jesuit order. On tha expulsion of the Jesuits in 1762 the building changed hends and its new owners converted part of it into a histrot where sparkling wines were sold. Now it is a mere storehouse and the great flapping arms which turned in the wind have heen stripped off.

In 1824 the ground around the mill hecama the cemetery of Montpernasse, and the mill was used as e home for the grave digger. Since then many unsuccessful attempts have been made to convert it into a historical monnment under the care of city anthorities.

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Lizzie Goergen, An Incompetent Person.

The State of Minnesota to Lizzie Goergen and to Eva Krueger, as Guardian of Lizzie Goergen, and to all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said Lizzie Goergen, Incompetent:

The petition of M. A. Highland having been filed in this court, representing among other things that Lizzie Goergen, the said incompetent person, is legally bound by contract in writing to convey to M. A. Highland certain lands belonging to said incompetent, and in said petition described, and praying that a decree of conveyance be granted to Eva Krueger as guardian of said incompetent person to convey said lands according to said contract,

NOW, THEREFORE, you and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of July, 1930, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said court and the seal of said court this 19th day of June, A. D. 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of the Probate Court.

Theo. Quale,
Thief River Falls. Minn.
Attorney for Representative.
J26-Ju10

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Lizzie Goergen, An Incompetent Person.

The State of Minnesota to Lizzie Goergen, Eva Krueger, as guardian of Lizzie Goergen, and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said Lizzie Goergen, an Incompetent Person:

The petition of R. M. Larson and Thomas Larson, being duly filed in this court, representing that Lizzie Goergen, the above named incompetent person is bound by contract in writing to convey certain lands of said incompetent therein described, and praying that a decree of conveyance in accordance with such contract be issued to the guardian of the estate of said Lizzie Goergen.

NOW, THEREFORE, you and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of July, 1930, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said court and the seal of said court this 19th day of June, A. D. 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of the Probate Court

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Representative
Thief River Falls, Minn.
J26-Ju10

Equinoxial Storms

The weather bureau says that there is no reason why storms should be more frequent or severe at the equinox, nor, in fect, are they. The whole notion ahont equinoctial storms is erroneous, end it even is nncertain how, when, where or hy whom the idea wus started. The hureau only knows that in one form or another it goes heck at least to 1748.

Soviet Miners Burn 4,000 Ikons at Meet

Moscow.—In a gigantic antireligious demonstration of 15,000 coal miners in the district of Gorlovka, Don hasin, 4,000 ikons were hurned in a huge bonfire. The ikons were taken from numerous churches in the district, all of which were ordered closed for worship and will be turned into clnbs. The miners prondly sent a telegram about tha celebration and bonfire to Joseph Stalin as general secretary of the Communist party.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the total Sum of One Thousand Six Hundred Sixteen and 50-100 ($1616.50) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest, all of which is claimed to be due and is due at the Date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the Terms and Conditions of that certain Mortgage made, executed and delivered by Ole Nelson, a widower, Mortgagor, to John S. Johnson, Mortgagee, bearing the date June 28, 1924, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds, in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on thd 30th day of June, 1924, at 8 o'clock A. M., and recorded in said Office in Book 69 of Mortgages, on page 148, thereof,

AND WHEREAS by reason of said Default, the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained has become operative, and No action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or Otherwise to recover the Debt secured by said Mortgage, or any Part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage Contained, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be forclosed hy a Sale of the Primises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE1-4) of Section numbered Seven (7), in Township numbered One Hundred fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County, Minnesota, containing 160 acres more or less according to the United States Government survey thereof,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made hy the Sheriff of the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 19th day of July, 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash, to pay said Debt of $1616.50, together with interest to date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and the Statutory amount of Attorneys fees allowed by Law, as provided in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the Costs and Disbursements allowed hy Law, subject to Redemption at any time within One year from tha day of Sale as Provided by Law.

Dated this 31st day of May 1930.

John S. Johnson,
Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Mortgagee
Thief River Falls, Minnesota
Ju5-J10

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of John R. Fate, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Neva P. Fate, Mayme H. Fate, Lena Fate, C. Ivan Fate, Grace Fate, Francis A. Fate, Marian Louise Fate, Wilbur George Fate and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 12th day of July, 1930 at ten o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 17th day of June 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J19-Ju3

Another Myth?

It is usually believed that our troops in tha Revolution wore no uniforms or if they did they were always in rags. It is another of the myths that have become our heritage.
—Woman's Home Companion.

The Easiest

A motion picture actress says there are a hundred ways of making tha human form look fat. Probably one of them is letting nature take its course. — Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.

LIGHTS of NEW YORK By GRANT DIXON

I Wonder

Tha theater business, badly off as it is, enjoys boom days in comparison with the night clubs. These establishments, once the happy hunting grounds for suckers with bank rolls, are now almost deserted. Press agent after press agent has tried to put this or that club over, hut with scant success. Can it be that people are tired of drinking?

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Something New

Something new and decidedly worthwhila in the night club line has developed. It is a swanky establishment that aims to amuse with playlets, sketches and songs, instead of gandy floor shows. There was a decided air of class abont its premiere. Instead of opening at eleven o'clock or midnight, its discreetly silk-draped doors are unlocked at seven-thirty. Any tima between then and nine one can dine—and dance, of course. And the diners do not have to rush through tha meal and hnrry off to a theater, for the stage entertainment is right there. Sophisticated sketches ebont marriage and morals, humorous sketches of fifteen minutes' duration and shorter iteme of the bisckont variety are on the program. It is all very Europeen, and maybe it is the new thing that tha night club world has been crying for.

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It's a System

I heard a story the other day abont a postmaster in a villege near New York wbo was warned thet ha must sell $1,000 worth of stamps by January 1, or taka e cut in selary. Post offices, it eppears, are graded hy the business they do, and this one hovered on the hrink of becoming fourth class instead of third class. Tha postmaster communicated his trouhles to a New York friend. The city fellow promptly visited the village and hought $1,000 in stamps in ona nonchalant purchase. It looked like a pratty generons thing to do, for it wonld take even a large business concern sometime to use thet mnch postage. But did the rescuer start mailing letters wholesale? No. He cama hack to New York and sold his stamps to tha general post office here.

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A Habit

Tha fascination of an anction room has a magic effect upou gadget buyers. I don't mean tha cheep jewelry fake anctions, but tha on-the-level disposals of household furnishings. I dropped into a red-flagged estahlishment the other day to see whet price an antiqne desk thet I had admired wonld bring. I wanted the desk, hnt was afraid to start hidding on it. I might pay more than I conld afford. I sat for a long while wetching desks, pianos, chairs end chandeliers go under the hammer. Beside me sat a very well-dressed, excited elderly couple, who bid in item efter item. Finally the woman turned to me as if she felt thet an apology for her presence were forthcoming.

"I don't know why we waste our time and money here, hut we can't tear onrselves eway. We don't need these things. And look! Here's whet we might he doing this very minute." Opening her bag she showed me two orchestra seets for e matinee of the opera.

"I'll go," I said. And she gave them to me.

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Honeymooners

The world doesn't reelize how many honeymooners are treveling about until e steamship sinks. Stricken vessels seem to be filled with hrides and grooms. A yonng woman with whom I em ecquainted annonnced her engagement soma six months ego. The wedding was acheduled for a few weeks leter. Bnt the trousseau took an enormous emount of time, and the wedding wes postponed. The second date arrived, and again the ceremony wae pnt off. Finally, after months of wild shopping the bride-to-be felt that she was properly equipped.

The ceremony took piece and the newlyweds boarded tha Fort Victoria for e honeymoon in Bermnda. Fonr or fiva honrs later tha ship was wrecked in a fog off Ambrose light, and the young conple found themselves in e lifehoat—and in tha rain. Tha trousseau was in Davy Jones' locker.

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'Come and Get 'Em,' Says Borrower After 40 Years

Washington.—Your neighbor isn't the only one who borrows books and forgets to return them. Forty years ago the State department loaned the court of claims 180 volumes of records relating to old French and Spanish claims against the United States. Last month tha department wrote court officials suggesting 40 years was long enough to keep borrowed books. True to borrower's habits, the court replied tha department could have the books if it would send after them.

Wolves Kill Hundreds of Canadian Deer

Montreal.—Carcasses of hundreds of deer are dotted over the hillsides and wooded valleys of northern Alberta and the northwest territories, victims of the worst depredation of wolves the northwest has known for years.

DANCE

AT THE
HAZEL HALL
Hazel, Minn.
ON
Saturday, June 28

MUSIC BY
Ellingson's Orchestra

COME! COME!

And bring your friends.
Have a good time.

25 Years Ago

A drive of seven million feet of logs belonging to the Grand Forks Lumber Company were being run through the sluice here that week.

—XXV—

Starting that week the passenger train from Crookston ran to Greenbush and returned instead of laying over at Thief River. Mail service was discontinued on the Wylie line.

—XXV—

Mrs. R. H. Duntley went to Fertile to attend the wedding of her niece.

—XXV—

Norman Aimer went to Crookston to attend the teacher's training school.

—XXV—

E. J. Holmes of Cannon Falls, and Julius Pleth of Plummer were here with a party of land seekers.

—XXV—

O. Jackson of Grafton, N. D. was here for a visit with his son, H. O. Jackson.

—XXV—

There was a light frost that week, but very little damage was done.

In Appreciation

I wish through this notice to extend my thanks and appreciation to the public in general and to all voters who so kindly remembered me in the recent election. Especially, do I thank Mrs. Jessie Gorden Battenfeld for her act of self-sacrifice and kindness extended in the interest of my candidacy.

I believe I am a better schoolman than politician. If parts of Mrs. Battenfeld's announcement had not brought out the economic side of affairs. I am told, I would have suffered politically. I had no other idea in mind than anyone, similarly situated under the circumstances would have acted likewise, until I read parts of this announcement—a fair warning to printers and commencement speakers.

Again "Thank You" everyone and all.

Very truly yours,
Geo. M. Gunderson

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .71
Durum Wheat	.63
Rye	.33
Barley	.29
Oats	.23
Flax	2.25
Eggs, cash	.17
Creamery butter	.35

Calves on Roughage

The tendency on many farms is to winter calves on cornstalks and straw and perhaps some timothy prairie hay, sudan grass or some other nonleguminous roughage. All such roughages are deficient in protein and mineral matter as is required for normal growth and for keeping it in a thrifty condition. Quite often there is a considerabla amount of cheap nonleguminous ronghaga on the farm and it has to he or shonld be used for soma purpose.

River News

Miss Helgar Anderson arrived from Montana last week to spend a few weeks at the Carl Swanson home.

Mrs. F. Ulrich and Mrs. Paul Gieseke spend Tnesday at the C. Seeger home at Red Lake Falls

Miss Martha Anderson left Sunday for Moorhead to attend summer school at Moorhead State Teachers College.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Erdmann were Thief River business visitors Saturday.

A much needed rain fell Saturday and crops are doing fine.

Carl Swanson was a Red Lake business visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Norby of Thief River entertained the following guests at a picnic dinner at Squaw Point Sunday, Misses Emma and Esther Tanberg and Mr. and Mrs. F. Erdmann and family.

Wyandotte News

Mrs. Carlson and Thurie and Edith visited at John Alhin home Monday evening on their return home to Thief River after spending a week at St Paul with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Enderly and family of Plummer were supper guests at the E. O. Wilson home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clark and family visited at Grand Forks Tuesday with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Wilson and family, Isaac Wilson and Viola Wilson left Sunday for Felton, Minn. to visit with friends and relatives. They returned Monday

Mr. and Mrs. David Haugen and son, Daniel and Mrs. Omodt visited with friends at Gully Sunday.

Miss Margaret Berg visited with Alvina and Selma Wilson Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Olson of Minneapolis spent a week visiting at the T. Halverson home. They left for home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bruggeman and family of Red Lake visited at the H. Bruggeman home Saturday evening.

Mrs. T. Berg and family spent Sunday at the M Berg home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clark and family spent Sunday at Maple Lake.

Sigurd Sagemoen, David Clerk Daniel and Harry Haugen spent Thursday eveuing at the river.

The newly organized Luther League at the Clearwater church was well attended. The following officers were chosen for the coming year:

Daniel Haugen	President
Marie Kolseth	Secretary
Lillian Carlson	Treasurer

Mr. and Mrs. Alhin Hallin and son spent Snnday at the Martin Berg and Mrs. T. Berg homes.

Miss Lillian Berg left Wednesday for Highlanding where she will be employed at the Cousin home.

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We carry a completeline of Pillsbury's Chick and Turkey Mash.

Also Meat Scraps, Charcoal, Bonemeal Grit and Oyster shells.

We can supply you with anything in line of feeds.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. — St. Hilaire, Minn

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

The Deadly Blow

THE late Alf T. Ringling, of Ringling brothers, loved the lore of the circus. In his library he had countless books and pictures and documents and ancient posters all pertaining to life under the big tops. Also he knew hundreds of anecdotes, humorous and otherwise, modern and ancient, which related to some aspect or another of the business which he, all his active life, had followed. A year or two before his death he told me this one:

It was back in the days before the Ringling show had attained large proportions, when Barnum and Bailey's circus was, as its billing proclaimed, "The Greatest Show on Earth." James A. Bailey was the junior partner in the mighty enterprise, but that master showman, P. T. Barnum, being still in good health, remained in active charge.

The aggregation, with its menagerie, its three rings and its elevated stages and hippodrome track, and all, was touring the South. A day or two earlier, an acrobat who just had closed with a traveling burlesque troupe—by special request of its manager—applied for a job with the circus and was given one. His act did not give full satisfaction to the ring director, who so reported to Mr. Barnum and the latter sent for the new performer and told him that his work fell short of the desired standard.

"You recommended yourself pretty highly when you came around the other day," said Mr. Barnum. "In fact, as I recall, you told me you were the best man in your line anywhere. Now I hear that you haven't made good."

Being an artist, the young man naturally had his share of temperament.

"Is that so?" he answered with heavy sarcasm. "Well, lemme tell you somethin'. There ain't nobody can reflect on my abilities without answerin' to me. Why, I'm the guy that's makin' the show what it is. If I hear any more of this sort of talk, I'll quit."

"All right, then, quit," said the famous showman.

"You said it," answered the indignant trouper. "I'm out. I've resigned. Do you know what that means, Mr. Barnum?"

"I think so," said the older man. "It means you've quit."

"Think again. Do you happen to know what town this is?"

"Certainly I do—Pine Bluff."

"Now you've got it. Here, right in the middle of the season, I'm leavin' Barnum and Bailey's circus flat on its back in Pine Bluff, Arkansas."

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England Gets Laurel as Kissing Country

Stockholm, Sweden.—It develops that England was the first great kissing country, for they have discovered that in the early Seventeenth century the ambassador to the court of Sweden, Bulstrode Whitelock, was especially requested by the queen to teach her ladies "to kiss after the English fashion," which he did very obligingly, considering that he was a strict Puritan. It is recorded that his pupils offered merely "a few pretty defenses."

A century and more earlier Venetian visitors to England had recorded how the London ladies kissed even their man friends when they met them in the street, and Erasmus himself described the English habit of greeting with a kiss as "praiseworthy beyond description."

Woman Born in U. S. Is to Be Naturalized

Nebraska City, Neb.—Mrs. William Lutjemeyer was born in Otoe county and has always resided there, but at least five years must elapse before she becomes a citizen of the United States.

William Lutjemeyer was born in Germany. His father did not become naturalized. William has passed his examinations and is now a citizen, but he was married before he became a citizen.

With her marriage to an unnaturalized person, Mrs. Lutjemeyer lost her citizenship and must go through the formality of becoming naturalized to regain her...

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.

Morning services 11:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

There will be no services in any church in this charge next Sunday.

Ladies Aid of Clara church will be entertained by Mrs. J. Palmquist at her home Wednesday, July 2nd.

Business meeting of the St. Hilaire congregation will be held at the church at 2:00, July 1st.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, June 29th

Confirmation services and Communion at 10:30.

Examination of Confirmants on Saturday evening at 8:00.

Y. P. S. meets at 2:00 P. M. at St. Pauli church.

Closing programme of the Parochial school of the three districts will be held at Ebenezer Luth. church in Mayfield.

Card Of Thanks

We the undersigned desire hereby to express our sincere thanks for all kindness and sympathy shown us in our bereavement caused by the death of the late Nels Johnson. We express sincere thanks to Rev. A. F. Nelson and Rev. Albin A. Larson for their impressive sermons, to the choir and to the North Star College quartet for beautiful singing, and for the rich floral tributes, all which made the funeral services last Saturday so beautiful.

Mrs. Nels Johnson
Rev. H. P. Johnson
Anna Johnson
Hjalmar Johnson
J. Edward Johnson

HOD CARRIER WINS SUCCESS AS ARTIST

Denver Man Drew His First Sketch on Bar.

Denver, Colo.—Twenty years ago a bearded and rugged Westerner took a stub pencil from his pocket, leaned over the counter of a frontier saloon, and reproduced from memory a scene he had witnessed years before in a theater in Cincinnati.

It was Michael Edward O'Brien, standing alone inspired by his first creative mood, while laughter and the fumes of whisky filled the room.

In a little while the sketch was finished—even to the bridge across the Thames. His comrades crowded around, praising his work, though they didn't understand.

Encouraged by Wife.

Today, "Viewing the Oaks," painted by O'Brien, hangs in the Denver Art museum among an exhibit of the work of native Colorado artists. It was the first picture of the exhibit to be sold.

Behind that picture lies the story of an ordinary hod carrier with a family to support, who never shirked his responsibility and never became discouraged.

Those few words of approbation which his comrades had spoken to him of his drawing on the bar spurred him on. His wife encouraged him, although she was busy with the household.

At nights the hod carrier, noted for feats of strength when he was a young man, would go to his home in Denver's most unpretentious residential district and for hours then his work-worn hands would yield to the imaginative power of his inner self.

Paints From Memory.

Because he was forced to work at night many of the tints were not what they should be, and daylight found his work done in vain. He worked on them, however, until they were perfected.

O'Brien never had an education for a background. He paints mostly from memory, which fact, it is said, is responsible for the unusual degree of imaginativeness found in his pictures. Occasionally, his wife says, he goes off to the mountains, but always tears up his sketches when he comes back and paints the scenes from memory.

A few of his pictures have been sold, and these funds have been a genuine relief from the poverty that dogged him for so long.

Museum officials are making an effort to have a special exhibit of his work in recognition for this latest picture, "Viewing the Oaks."

Nels Johnson

Nels Johnson, who died at his home in this village Tuesday, June 17th, was born April 20, 1852 in the Assarum congregation in Blekinge, Sweden., and was confirmed there in 1866. He grew to manhood in Sweden and was married to Mathilda Person, Dec 24, 1877. They came to this country in 1880, and shortly thereafter settled in Black River community west of here, being among the early pioneers in thatsection. They joined the Black River Swedish Lutheran congregation when it was organized in 1882. Seven children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, four of whom survive their parents. Mrs. Johnson preceeded her husband in death, May 9, 1911. After residing a few years with his sons at the farm, Mr. Johnson moved to St. Hilaire in 1917, and on May 17th the following year was united in marriage to Martha Killand. Mr. Johnson was an active member of the Swedish Lutheran church and was deacon of the local church during his years of residence in the village.

A fine type of citizen, honored and respected by all with whom he came in contact, his passing is regretted by a large circle of old friends in this community.

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the local Swedish Lutheran church. Rev. A. A. Larson of Warren, gave a funeral oration in the American language, and Rev. A. F. Nelson, pastor of the local church, paid touching tribute to the departed, in Swedish. A large number of beautiful floral tributes attested the esteem in which Mr. Johnson was held by his friends.

After the funeral here, a similar service was held at the Black River church, Rev. Larson and Rev. Nelson officiating there also. A quartette from the North Star College at Warren, was present at the latter service and sang several appropriate songs. Interment was made in the family burial plot in the cemetery adjoining the Black River church.

Besides his widow, Mr. Johnson is survived by one daughter and three sons, Miss Anna Johnson, Rev. H. P. Johnson, and Hjalmar and J. Edward Johnson, all of whom were present at the funeral. Heartfelt sympathy of numerous friends in this and Black River community, is extended to the bereaved relatives.

Old Sioux Chief Tells Story of Custer Fight

Washington.—An aged Sioux war chief, survivor of Custer's last stand, gave a new version of that famous battle between the white man and the red.

Iron White Man, seventy-one, head high and body erect, turned back to his youth to tell of the "massacre." He was seventeen then.

The old warrior came here in the cause of the Sioux who have sued the government for $600,000,000 in payment for Indian lands taken over for white settlement.

He told his story of the fight:

"One day an old man and a boy, they were Indians, were chased and the boy was killed by Custer's soldiers.

"The soldiers began to shoot on the camp's women and children who were swimming in the creek. Immediately after this the warriors all got their ponies, mounted and they went against the soldiers and the end was that all the soldiers were killed."

Jesuit Gets Plane to Visit Alaskan Missions

Washington.—Brother G. J. Felter, S. J., Alaskan missionary, has become a "sky pilot" in fact. Brother Felter recently obtained a flying license in San Francisco and then came to Washington to "sell" his plan to the Rt. Rev. Msgr. William Hughes, director of the bureau of Catholic Indian missions. With an airplane, he explained, he could visit the 17 Indian posts in Alaska. As a result Brother Felter left for New York to purchase a plane, which he will fly to his Alaskan post.

Photo Causes Scare

Tokyo.—Police dashed through a cold drizzle at 4 a. m. to the home of Dr. Bunzo Hasegawa, who reported a burglar peering into his window. The "burglar" proved to be a reflection of a picture hung the night before by the doctor's wife.

Friend of Desert Traveler

The fish-hook cactus is a trustworthy compass of the desert, for no matter how hot the sun, it always points toward the south.

POULTRY FACTS

FRESH AIR CURES CHICKEN'S COLDS

Ventilation and Dry Litter Will Prevent Troubles.

Chickens are unlucky in the structure of their heads, for it makes them susceptible to colds. Poultrymen should try to avoid conditions that will bring on colds, says Dr. E. L. Brunett, of the New York State College of Veterinary Medicine at Cornell university.

In the head, in front of the brain cavity, are thin cones of bones located in chambers. The use of these chambers is to provide a space in which the inhaled air is warmed before it is taken into the lungs. When a chicken develops a simple cold, an excessive amount of secretion forms in these cavities. As this increases, the poor drainage of the cavities allows it to accumulate. This accumulation is an ideal place for bacteria to multiply and the resulting bacterial growth makes the foul odor which is often present with roup.

A simple cold may be avoided or corrected by increasing the warmth with plenty of fresh air and providing plenty of dry litter. If the first stage is not checked the cold may end in roup with its characteristic head swelling and foul odors.

The opinion that roup is a contagious disease is not well founded, according to Doctor Brunett, for there is usually some underlying condition that is indirectly responsible. This may be tuberculosis, or worms, but whatever the cause it should be removed before a cure can be expected.

A third type of cold is more of a distinct disease, commonly known as bronchitis. This condition is acute and the birds die quickly. The cause of the disease is not known. The best treatment is to increase the temperature of the house, either by controlling the ventilation or by using brooder stoves. In the early part of the outbreak it is well to remove all sick birds and put them in heated brooder houses. Most of them will recover when placed in heated houses. Some disinfectants will give relief, but quack remedies should not be used.

Investigate Cod Liver Oil for Laying Fowls

The summary of experiments in England with cod liver oil for laying hens, says:

(1) Fowls not confined or in open-fronted houses do not require cod liver oil to prevent adult rickets.

(2) Fowls confined behind ordinary glass require some adequate source of vitamine D.

(3) The cod liver oil mixed to the extent of 2 per cent of the grain feed supplied the vitamine D requirements of the fowls under experiment.

(4) One per cent of medical cod liver oil in the scratch feed may not be sufficient to meet the requirements of layers confined behind window glass. The source of oil used may be a factor.

(5) It is not possible to state if cod liver oil is beneficial to fowls not confined or in open-fronted pens getting a normal ration that includes green food.

Healthy Chick Program Brings Higher Returns

Health sticks to clean chicks! By following four simple points in brooding poultrymen can save 90 per cent of their chicks. Not only more chicks will be saved but they will be more profitable birds to keep as layers and breeders. Grow them clean, and health and vigor will go with them through life.

The four points in the Kansas "healthy chick" program calls for clean houses, clean ground, and clean feed.

By following these four simple rules egg production has been increased 30 eggs per bird in farm flocks. This increase at 25 cents per dozen means an additional return of 60 cents per hen.

Move Brooder Houses

Brooder houses are commonly made movable in order to change their location and keep the chicks on clean ground.

But much of the convenience of a brooder house is lost when it is moved to a point distant from other farm buildings.

The problem of finding clean ground and keeping it free from disease germs is a difficult one under average farm conditions, but it is a sure road to success.

Prevent Cannibalism

Cannibalism may develop in a large bunch of chicks, no matter how completely fed or how free from parasites. The liberal use of tar is about as effective as anything in checking it. Watch many times a day for those that have been picked enough to draw blood and daub the tar on the wounds. If you can find something that the chicks dislike the taste of more than tar, use it. If that fails try paring off the point of the upper mandible, using care not to get too deep.

This Week

by ARTHUR BRISBANE

Mr. Swope Has a Plan
Must We Have a Fight?
Cutting Down Space
An Old Marriage Custom

Mr. Gerard Swope, president of General Electric, plans for future unemployment crises.

In every General Electric works, on a vote of 60 per cent or more of its employees, a trust fund will be organized to meet abnormal conditions of unemployment.

Workers will contribute 1 per cent of their earnings, the company contributing an equal amount. The company guarantees 5 per cent on the funds accumulated, until such time as unemployment shall make it desirable to utilize the fund for the benefit of idle employees.

The employees will contribute half, the company half, the workers will get all, the company none—a fair arrangement.

An English newspaper suggests that Europe should unite against us in an economical boycott, as European countries united against Germany in 1924.

It would be too bad to have an industrial, economic fight. But fortunately we are ready for it, if it must come.

The $10,000,000,000 that we sent to our dear friends in Europe last time would be spent on our own fight this time, and $100,000,000,000 more if necessary.

Three American workmen can produce as much steel as ten British workmen.

Ten American automobile mechanics can produce as many automobiles as 100 French, German or British mechanics.

We are meek and peaceful, but if they want a fight they probably can get it.

Mr. Einstein says space is the important thing. He may be right, but the genius of man is making space less important every day.

At a world power conference in Berlin recently, high-powered scientists discussed the latest possibilities of applying electric and other power.

At the same time the United States National Electric Light association was meeting in San Francisco.

Scientists, using the world-wide radio system provided by M. H. Aylesworth, head of the American National Broadcasting system, talked and listened to each other as though they were in one room, instead of being thousands of miles apart.

A solemn German professor, deep in Mohammedan and Jewish marriage lore, says trial marriage is very old.

Mohammed borrowed the idea from the heathen Arabs.

The Talmud tells of Rab, "one of the great early scholars, announcing publicly that he sought a wife for the duration of his stay every time he journeyed to Darschild."

Persian princes on their travels entered into marriages for a single night. Jochanan, according to the Palestinian Talmud, said, three hundred years before Christ. "When a man says to a woman, I marry you for thirty days, then is she married to him for thirty days."

You may go a million years farther back than Jochanan among the monkey tribes or visit the zoological garden today, and you will find the same idea highly developed. It is not what we used to do, but what we ought to do.

The British are slow, but get things done. In Palestine, one day recently, they hanged three Arabs for rioting last August. News spreads slowly in Palestine; no telegrams or radios in their dwellings among the Arabs.

There may be trouble when it becomes generally known that three were hanged, and funerals celebrated with violent mourning.

It is pleasant to have other men or railroads working for you.

The New York Central railroad owns 460,340 shares, equal to 95.50 per cent of stock in the "Big Four" railroad. The "Big Four" now raises its yearly dividend to $10 a share, and will pay the New York Central $920,700 additional a year.

Even in these tearful times there are pleasant spots.

A revolution, starting in southern Bolivia, is important because the revolutionary force is said to be composed of "Indians and Communists." Communist superstition, like religious superstition, grafted upon ignorant Indian minds, may lead to serious trouble.

Lloyd George tells MacDonald, prime minister, that he will co-operate with the Labor party in legislation to solve the unemployment problem.

It will be interesting to see what a man as wise as Lloyd George can do to control the law of supply and demand, which seems to rule us all. Hundreds of thousands are idle. Many are insufficiently supplied with goods that the hundreds of thousands could produce. Raw materials are unlimited. Yet the unemployed cannot be brought in contact with the raw materials and the public need supplied.

Mysterious finance seems to control, and those that control finance understand it as little as its maker understood his Frankenstein monster.

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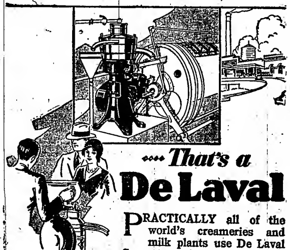

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Plants on Ocean Floor

Except where wayes and currents are too violent the floor of the ocean from the high tide level to a depth of about 600 feet is largely covered with plants, chiefly of the kind known as algae.—Gas Logic.

Avoid First Sin

Be not familiar with the idea of wroug, for sin in fancy mothers many an ugly fact.—Theodore Parker.

Rest Imperative

Take a rest; a field that has rested gives a hountiful crop.—Ovid.

Jewish Symbol

The scroll hung on the doorway of every orthodox home is called, in Hebrew, a "mezuzah." The observance of this custom is in fulfillment of the command in Deuteronomy, the fifth Book of Moses, "And they shall be upon they gates." The scroll contains these words in Hebrew. It is a symbol of a Jewish home and a reminder of loyalty to religion.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Madelia—Madelia will not have Sunday movies. Citizens voted against such shows by a plurality of 55.

Austin—Wabasha county has 17,614 residents, Arthur True, district census supervisor, announced. The 1920 total was 17,919.

Barnum—B. C. Kuefler, superintendent of schools here, has accepted the post of superintendent of schools at Forest Lake, Minn.

Red Wing—Rev. R. H. Gerberding continues as president of the Evangelical Lutheran Synod, following his re-election at the fortieth annual convention here.

Albert Lea—Paving on Highway No. 1 reached the city limits here. Work of paving from Albert Lea to the state line, a distance of 13 miles, will get under way soon.

Lake City—Preparations have been completed for the annual pilgrimage to the Colvill Memorial at Cannon Falls by members of the 135th Infantry now in camp here.

Alexandria—Carl O. Gahen of Decoreh, Iowa, was re-elected president and Decorah was chosen next year's convention site at the annual meeting of the Sigdal Laget here.

Scandia—Fire destroyed a building here which housed a general store and print shop. Amount of the damage has not heen determined. Fire departments at Marine and Chisago City were called.

Fairmont—Because of supposed sympathy for Mahatma Gandhi's cause, the Rev. Ralph Keithahn of Fairmont, a missionary in India, has been ordered to leeve that country, by the British government.

Howard Lake—The annual picnic of Unit No. 1 of the Land O'Lakes Creameries, Inc., embracing Kandiyohi, Meeker and Wright counties was held here. Music by the Howard Lake and Dassel bands.

St. Paul—Postmaster nominations sent to the senate by President Hoover include Lawrence Oassett at Robbinsdale, William Perhix at Hopkins, James Hubbell at Forest Lake, and Edward B. Hicks at Winona.

Blue Earth—Sam H. Thompson of Chicago, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, was principal speaker at the fourteenth annual picnic of the Faribault County Farm Bureau at the fair grounds here.

Waverly—Three rings of livestock were to be judged at the annual picnic of the Minnesota Milking Shorthorn Breeders Association here. Professor Andrew Boss of U. of M., and Frank Svoboda of Olivia were judges.

Madison—Lutheran young people of the Southern Minnesota district gathered here for their annual four-day convention. A banquet was conducted. Principal speaker was R. E. Haugen of Minneapolis, manager of the Augsburg Publishing House.

Hollandale—Farmers of the reclaimed Hollandale district in Freeborn county are elated over receding of water, which covered fields and crops. More than eight inches of rain has fallen since June 3. All the large drainage ditches are filled to capacity.

Waconia—At the annual meeting of the Carver County Bankers Association, F. J. Effertz of Waconia was elected president, J. M. Baylor of Norwood was named vicepresident and C. H. Ortlop of Waconia secretary-treasurer.

Clearwater—Prominent state officials and county officers from Stearns, Sherburne and Wright counties joined residents of Clearwater and the adjacent territory in celebrating opening of a bridge which links this place with State Highway No. 3. The bridge replaces a ferry on the Mississippi.

Minneapolis—The James J. Hill farm at Northcote, in Kittson county has been sold to interests outside of the state, it is announced. The farm consists of 1,930 acres, highly improved, and was developed by Mr. Hill as an experimental station and purebred stock farm. It was sold by the Hill estate and a $100,000 bond issue was floated on the property.

Madison—Funeral services for J. R. Swann, business man, attorney and former mayor of Madison, were conducted here. For the last 20 years Mr. Swann had been a member of the state board of visitors. R. P. Chase, state auditor, attended the services representing the state. Mike Holm, secretary of state, Joseph Moglein, Dr. R. L. S. Ferguson and Arnold S. Andersen attended, representing the state board of control and state institutions.

Springfield—Betty Dahlberg, a 9-year-old Minnesota farm girl who has been giving cooking lessons to hundreds of frm girls throughout the United States during the last year, was hostess to 500 of them at a picnic on the R. C. Dahlberg farm near here. The youngsters came here with their parents to get personally acquainted with Betty. Roseta Perlcy of Flandreau, S. D., won a prize for coming the greatest distance. Several others came as far as 75 miles.

St. Cloud—C. E. Wise of Mankato was re-elected president of the Minnesota League of Building Loan and Savings Associations at the annual meeting here.

Kenyon—A Boy Scout troop, the village's first, has been formed here as a unit of the South Central Minnesota M. O. Lokensgard, local superintendent of schools.

Lakeville—Dakota County Farm Bureau Federation met at Antlers Park, held a picnic, listened to an address by J. O. Christianson of the Minn. Agricultural College, enjoyed a program of sports and meals.

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Eleanor Gets a Thrill

By ELEANOR WILMOT

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ELEANOR looked at her watch. Yes, she would have three full hours to spare in which to help Aunt Nancy pack silver, her choice crystal and china preparatory to putting her household goods in storage for a year while she—Miss Nancy Woodward, went abroad.

Eleanor lost no time in getting started. The tailored linen suit which she wore, could, she reflected, be slipped off when she reached Aunt Nancy's, and as she and her relativa were about the same size, she would borrow a kimono or house dress in which to help with the work.

Arriving at Miss Woodword's home, sha found her aunt buzzing around excitedly, and in answer to her niece's inquiry for something suitable for a working garb, she directed her to get a coolie coat hanging in a bedroom.

She folded her own crisp, white gown neatly, and decided to lay it in the linen drawer of her aunt's buffet.

Being an efficient young lady, she was soon industriously at work in the kitchen, wrapping and securely packing her aunt's treasures.

"There, Aunt Nancy," she cried, "I've numbered the boxes. When you want to find any particular thing upon your return, you can look at the book, locate the box number it is in—and there you are."

Eleanor noticed that one of the moving men who was passing through the kitchen with an armful of stuff, looked at her approvingly and smiled. She noticed that he had marvelous and very well-cared-for-teeth, that his eyes were brown, and the expression of them singularly pleasing.

Eleanor sighed. What a pity that such a promising looking young chap should be a moving man.

The time passed rapidly.

Why, it was already time to be on her way to keep that important business engagement.

Quickly washing her hands, she ran into the dining room to get her linen dress. To her amazement, the buffet was gone.

She darted through the front hall to the doorway. Moving slowly up the street was a van with the household goods of her Aunt Nancy piled high. Somewhere in that mountain of furniture was the buffet with her dress in it! Aunt Nancy came through the hall.

"Oh," cried Eleanor, "you'll have to lend me a dress to wear home. Mine was in the buffet."

"Oh!" Aunt Nancy said, "but my trunks went on the load ahead."

Suddenly, without thought of her appearance, Nancy made a rapid sprint in pursuit of the van. The good-looking man was driving.

"Hello, you there," she called frantically. "You got my dress in the buffet, and you'll have to let me get it!"

The young man grinned, stopped the truck.

"Easier said than done," he chortled. "The buffet is at the very base of the mountain."

Eleanor stamped her foot on the pavement.

"You've just got to take my dress out of that load of furniture! I can't go on the elevated and subway in a soiled old coolie coat, and I have a tremendously important business engagement."

The young man looked inquiringly.

"You don't believe me," she demanded, her eyes flashing.

"Surely I believe you," he nodded agreeably, "and we'll dig that buffet out if we have to use a charge of dynamite!"

An hour and a half later, Eleanor entered the private office of one of the officials of the World Transportation company, with whom she was seeking a position, and she found herself looking straight into the eyes of the good-looking young moving man who was regarding her seriously from his vantage point behind a neatly arranged, flat-topped desk.

Eleanor stared in amazement, then flushed rosy red, and in her own mind she was exceedingly glad that she had changed her white linen for her new, natty tweed business suit. At the same time, she resolved not to bat an eyelash in the way of recognition. Evidently he had decided on the same course of action.

The interview proceeded briskly, and Eleanor left the office with her head high and walking on air. The position was hers, and that, too, at a highly satisfactory salary.

It was three weeks later that Eleanor, seated opposite young John Temple, vice president of the World Transportation company, in a public dining room, looked up quizzically and asked pointedly:

"Mr. Temple, how did it happen that you were on the moving van the day we first met?"

"It was just a motion of mine," he smiled, "to do a little special scouting work to see how our local employees were serving the public—nothing like personal contact, you know."

Eleanor nodded understandingly.

"And," continued the first speaker, "I've never regretted carrying off your dress in that buffet for a moment, and I hope some day to carry off the girl who owns it."

Eleanor's clear blue eyes met his brown ones. Then her face crinkled into an adorable smile.

"My second thrill!" she murmured happily.

Similar Experiences

Explorer—D'ye know, once went about in South America for months with a price on my head!

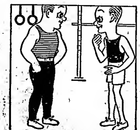
Hostess—Dreadful! I know the feeling. I came home from a sale once with the price ticket on my hat!
—Humorist.

Poor Fellow!

Wife—Oh, Jack, I'm so glad you've come. I gave that tramp one of my cakes to eat, and he's gone to sleep over there.

Husband—Oh—er—I say—you're sure he is only asleep?—The Humorist.

AT THE GYM



Wrestler—I always feel the most active in the winter—when do you?

Running Broad-jumper—In the spring, of course.

Put It in the Will

Wives of great men oft remind them
They can make their wives sublime,
Before departing leaving behind them
Cash for goods they've bought on time.

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Creamery Issues Big Checks

Despite a drop in price of butter-fat, the local creamery continues to issue some good sized checks to its patrons, as is shown on the list herewith. Out of several hundred checks, 27 are for amounts ranging from $100 to $405.74, and a large number are in amount of $50 and up to $100.

Not only do dairymen continue to draw good sized checks, hut the creamery output thus far in 1930 far exceeds that of 1929. Here is the check list:-

Arne Vik	$405.74
C. Anton	192.98
Novak & Son	182.32
C. H. Swanson	182.23
McKercher & Son	173.58
A. Johnson	160.68
N. E. Beehe	148.93
H. Holmes	143.71
Mrs. H. Thorstveit	141.27
F. Schmidt	135.52
Erickson Bros.	131.96
Anton Bros.	124.79
O. T. Mogen	124.45
Ole Larson	123.59
C. Kruse	122.34
F. Bothman	119.45
H. Johnson	118.55
J. O. Peterson	118.11
E. H. Stephens	115.41
Wm. Palmquist	115.41
J. Norman	113.17
I. A. Rotzlar	112.14
F. Ulrich	110.82
J. Sjoberg	109.83
B. Walseth	109.07
N. P. Shalz	103.41
Sig Vik	103.05

E. Person, $99.55, And. Mortenson, 97.72, And. Ortloff,, 97.05, W. Rinkenberger, 96.52, Swanson Bros. 95.99, J. V. Patton, 90.06, J. Lundberg, 87.88, Geo. Haupt, 87.00, J. Maakrud, 86.93, R. Melin, 85.59, F. Anderson, 85.31, J. Gunstad, 85.24, L. Erickson, 84.13, K. T. Dalager, 84.05, I. Iverson, 83.38, C. A. Lindquist, 83.29, And. Erickson, 83.01, J. O. Swanson, 82.60, Mrs. A. P. Anderson, 82.27, C. O. Swanson, 82.01, A. O. Swanson, 80.65, E. Larson, 80.20, Wahlbeck Bros, 79.02, J. Gothia, 78.17, Mortensen Bros., 77.22, G. Peterson, 74.09, H. Jepson, 72.95. G. Johnson, 72.03, B. Johnson, 71.76, D. Johnson, 67.24, C. Person, 66.86, W. C. Bothman, 66.20, Mrs. J. Konickson, 65.94, O.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Dahlberg and daughter, Annie, of New London, Minn., are visiting this week at home of their son and hrother, Rev. C. B. Dahlberg,

Klien--Bakke

Mr. Jesse Bakke and Miss Gladys Klien of Sanders township, were united in marriage at the local Norwegian Lutheran church last Sunday afternoon, Rev. M. L. Dahle officiating.

Syrtveit--Johnson

Mr. Carl E. Johnson of Thief River Falls, and Miss Emma Syrtveit of Highlanding, were married Saturday last at the local Norwegian Lutherau parsonage, Rev. M. L. Dahle officiating. They will make their home at Thief River Falls where the groom is employed at the Land O' Lakes plant.

Ice Cream Social

The Luther League will give an ice cream social next Tuesday evening on the lawn at the Harry Winter home. A short program will be given. All welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Aubol had as their guests recently, Mrs. Larson of Alexandria, and Mrs. Smith and son of Williston, N. D. The two ladies are daughters of the man who originally homesteaded the Aubol farm more than fifty years ago. As the log house wherein they resided while here, still stands on the Aubol farm, it is needless to say their visit back to the old home was interesting.

Walter Bjerk, who is employed over in Dakota, is home for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bjerk.

Herman Kruse and son, Hugo, came Sunday from Minneapolis for a visit with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Kruse, Sr.

W. J. Janda motored up yesterday from Mahnomen for a brief visit at the H. Kalland home. Upon returning, he was accompanied by the Misses Amanda and Helga Kalland, who will spend a ten day vacation at the Janda home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ball and daughter, Patty, and Mrs. A. L. Patterson of Maple Lake, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. O Gunstad, motored Friday to Minneapolis for a visit until Sunday at the Patterson home.

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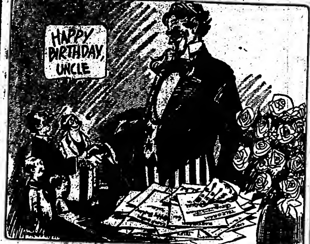

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

J. F. Jensen came Tuesday from Minneapolis for a visit at the home of his son, E. D. Jensen.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veterinarian was down Friday from Thief River Falls to attend to some calls near town.

Rev. Albin Larson of Warren, will speak at the annual picnic at the Black River Swedish Lutheran church on July Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Satterberg left this morning to spend the Fourth with relatives and friends at Minneapolis and St. Paul.

Mrs. Oscar Gigstad came yesterday from St. Paul for a visit at the home of her mother Mrs. Knute Kolstad.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson and son motored down last Thursday evening for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hanson.

Mrs. John King returned Friday evening, after having spend two weeks visiting at the homes of her sons Leo of Virginia and James of International Falls.

When you are touring in eight states- Gamble'a prices- Guaranty's- Service. 30x4.50 G & J Endurance $5.38. 13 plate battery $4.89. FREE Installation.

Martin Hallstrom and Rick Lorentson have contracted to do some road work between Red Lake Falls and Crookston. Ed Erickson went down with them to operate their tractor.

Miss Edna Anderson returned last week to Farmington, Minn., where she is employed, after having visited a short time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anton E. Anderson.

Mrs. Harold Arneson of Minneapolis, and the Mesdames Ole Froseth, Ole Thompson and Al Weber of Thief River Falls were guests Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. Bergland.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Aubol and son of Rugby, N. D., accompanied by a married daughter and her husband, who reside in New Mexico, were visitors at the Ed Aubol home last week. Martin Aubol and Ed Aubol are cousins, and this was the first time the two had met since they were young men, 48 years ago.

Adolph Satterberg, local implement dealer, shipped in a carload of machinery last week.

Sam E. Hunt of Red Lake Falls, was here yesterday looking after business matters at his local branch of the Hunt Bros Company.

County Attorney H. O. Berve of Thief River Falls, was here yesterday morning attending to business matters.

E. Hallemeck is hauling out lumber to be used in erecting a new stock barn which will replace the one destroyed by fire last spring.

Miss Della Daugherty. who has heen employed at the Blue Parrot Inn, is expects to leave this week for her home at Grygla.

Chicks:- 3 weeks old S. C. W. Leghorn chicks. They will cost only $6.00 more per hundred than day old chicks. Call Friday. 2t

Mrs. Bernard Paranteau and two sons will leave today after an extended visit with relatives here and in Wyandotte township for their home at Chicago, Ill.

A new gasoline filling station is being huilt at Thief River Falls. The new place is located at junction of T. H. No. 32 and the road leading to the tourist park.

The Ladies Aid of the Evang. Mission church will give an ice cream social Wednesday evening July 9th, at the Wiley Ewing farm home. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Land O' Lakes ice cream, a new product, is being handled by local dealers. The ice cream is manufactured at Warren and is distributed thruout northwestern Minnesota hy the Land O' Lakes organization.

Go places -- do things-- Touring Season is here. Tents $8.95. Camp Cots $3.25. Majestic Seats Covers, Chev. Coupe $3.69. Tiger 100 per-cent Pure Pennsylvania Oil at 140 Gamble Stores. Med. 17 1-2c per qt., gal. lots. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Mrs. A. H. Gunstad and daughter, Lily, returned Friday after spending a couple weeks visiting at the home of their son and brother, Fred W. Gunstad, at Pilot Point Texas. They also visited with relatives at St. Paul while enroute home.

Have Narrow Escape

Gladys and Clarence Person had a somewhat unusual experience last Sunday afternoon while out for an auto ride. While driving on the state road west of the Victor Scholin place, a highpowed rifle bullet passed over Clarence's shoulder and smashed the upper windshield of the car. They did not hear any report of the rifle so persume the bullet travelled some distance before hitting the car. As a number of deer have heen seen in that locality, supposition is that some out-of-season hunter fired the shot.

Entertain At Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson entertained at 7 o'clock dinner Sunday for Miss Anna Johnson of Minneapolis who left the following morning. Those present were: Mrs. N. Borgman and children of Webster, Wis., Mrs. C. Sheldrup and children of Minneapolis, Mr. and Mrs. Sorvig and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Hallstrom and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Naplin and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anderson and daughter, Mr. Emil Person and family, Mr. Ed Moren, Hazel Adolfson and Edith Anderson.

Mrs. T. M. Skatrud and daughters left last Thursday for Duluth where they will visit at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Nelson, accompanied hy Herbert Nelson, returned last week to their homes at Minneapolis after a visit at the home of Mrs. Nelson's father, Mike Fricker.

Miss Huldah Gigstad, who teaches in the puhlic schools at Moorhead, came up Thursday evening to spend part of her vacation.

Miss Marjorie Jones of Chicage, was a visitor last week at the N. E. Beebe home. Miss Jones is a daughter of A. R. Jones, a former resident of this place.

Adolph Satterherg, local farm machinery dealer, reports a brisk trade lately. With grain and hay crops looking the hest they have in years, he is looking forward to more sales in his line this season than for several years past.

Ready For The Fourth

Plans are all completed for the big community celebration to be held tomorrow at Highlanding. Extra parking space has been provided for the hundreds of cars that are expected at the grounds tomorrow. A good program of races, contests, kittenball, band music and other forms of entertainment has heen arranged. As there will be no other celebration of this character within Pennington County on the Fourth, the committees in charge of arrangements are looking for a record breaking attendance.

Lindquists Return

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lindquist returned here last week-end from their trip to Yellowstone Park and other points farther west. Accompanied by the youngest of their two sons, who have visited here with their grandparents, and by Mrs. Chas. Lindquist, they left Sunday for their home at Minneapolis. Mrs. Chas. Lindquist expects to spend about two or three weeks with her son and daughters at Minneapolis before she returns.

Attend Stavangerlaget

Joe Hauge of Bemidji, accompanied hy his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hauge and Mrs. Otto Johnson of this place, motored Friday to Fargo and attended the Stavangerlaget. They met many old friends and relatives from different points in the Northwest and had a most enjoyable time. While enroute they visited briefly with friends at Halstad, Hendrum and Ada.

Miss Anna Johnson returned last week-end to her home at Minneapolis after being here for the funeral of her father, the late Nels Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Oppegaard and daughters, Alice and Ruth, of Minneapolis, were guests here this week at home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg.

NOTICE

Due to slow collections and bad accounts our business will he run on an absolute cash basis, beginning July 1st. Please do not ask our agent for credit as he is not authorized to give any.

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Enjoy the real satisfaction and feel of security that comes with a steadily growing savings account. Every deposit increases the strength of your financial independence. Regardless of how small it may be, there must, nevertheless, be a starting point. Make you first deposit today, and add to it faithfully. We maintain a special Saving department for your convenience.

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Order Limiting Time to File Claims Within Three Months and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of J. C. Dahl.

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the matter of the Estate of J. C. Dahl Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to James A. Dahl and it appearing by the affidavit of said representative that there are no debts of said decedent:

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 20th day of September 1930, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator as provided by law.

Dated June 16th, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

M. A. & A. B. Bratland, Att'ys.
Ada, Minn.
J26-Jul0

Citation for Hearing on Petition For Probate of Will

Estate of Nels Johnson

State of Minnesota, } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Nels Johnson Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Martha Johnson, Henry Johnson, Hjalmar Johnson, Anna Johnson, and Edward Johnson, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent:

The petition of Martha Johnson being duly filed in this court, representing that Nels Johnson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died on the 17th day of June 1930, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters Testamentary be issued thereon to Martha Johnson, NOW THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of July 1930, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS THE HONORABLE, Lars Backe Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 30th day of June 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J3-17

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Lizzie Goergen, An Incompetent Person.

The State of Minnesota to Lizzie Goergen and to Eva Krueger, as Guardian of Lizzie Goergen, and to all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said Lizzie Goergen, Incompetent:

The petition of M. A. Highland having been filed in this court, representing among other things that Lizzie Goergen, the said incompetent person, is legally bound by contract in writing to convey to M. A. Highland certain lands belonging to said incompetent, and in said petition described, and praying that a decree of conveyance be granted to Eva Krueger as guardian of said incompetent person to convey said lands according to said contract,

NOW, THEREFORE, you and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause if any you have, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of July, 1930, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said court and the seal of said court this 19th day of June, A. D. 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of the Probate Court.

Theo. Quale,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Attorney for Representative.
J26-Jul0

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Lizzie Goergen, An Incompetent Person.

The State of Minnesota to Lizzie Goergen, Eva Krueger, as guardian of Lizzie Goergen, and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said Lizzie Goergen, an Incompetent Person:

The petition of R. M. Larson and Thomas Larson, being duly filed in this court, representing that Lizzie Goergen, the above named incompetent person is bound by contract in writing to convey certain lands of said incompetent therein described, and praying that a decree of conveyance in accordance with such contract be issued to the guardian of the estate of said Lizzie Goergen.

NOW, THEREFORE, you and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of July, 1930, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said court and the seal of said court this 19th day of June, A. D. 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of the Probate Court

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Representative
Thief River Falls, Minn.
J26-Ju10

Passer-by—I suppose you want money, my man?

Hobo—Well, boss, if yer gotta couple o' sandwiches and a cup o' hot coffee on yer, dat'll fill de bill.

Nothing Else to Do

Man's business is to accept every new feminine style with a smile.—Toledo Blade.

Think It Over

If I cannot do great things, I can do small things in a great way.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the total Sum of One Thousand Six Hundred Sixteen and 50-100 ($1616.50) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest, all of which is claimed to be due and is due at the Date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the Terms and Conditions of that certain Mortgage made, executed and delivered by Ole Nelson, a widower, Mortgagor, to John S. Johnson, Mortgagee, bearing the date June 28, 1924, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds, in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on thd 30th day of June, 1924, at 8 o'clock A. M., and recorded in said Office in Book 69 of Mortgages, on page 148, thereof,

AND WHEREAS by reason of said Default, the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained has become operative, and No action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or Otherwise to recover the Debt secured by said Mortgage, or any Part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage Contained, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be forclosed by a Sale of the Primises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE1-4) of Section numbered Seven (7), in Township numbered One Hundred fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County, Minnesota, containing 160 acres more or less according to the United States Government survey thereof,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 19th day of July, 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash, to pay said Debt of $1616.50, together with interest to date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and the Statutory amount of Attorneys fees allowed by Law, as provided in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the Costs and Disbursements allowed by Law, subject to Redemption at any time within One year from the day of Sale as Provided by Law.

Dated this 31st day of May 1930.

John S. Johnson,
Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Mortgagee
Thief River Falls, Minnesota
Ju5-J10

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of John R. Fate, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Neva P. Fate, Mayme H. Fate, Lena Fate, C. Ivan Fate, Grace Fate, Francis A. Fate, Marian Louise Fate, Wilbur George Fate and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 12th day of July, 1930 at ten o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 17th day of June 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J19-Ju3

Patents and Citizenship

American patents are granted irrespective of the citizenship of the person who applies for the patent. Therefore the granting of a patent has no significance as to one's citizenship.

Old Greek Celebrations

To celebrate a victory the ancient Greeks placed laurel wreaths on the brow of the victors and erected small winged figures called Victories to commemorate some great event.

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the Total Sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Twenty and No-100 ($1420.00) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest, all of which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage made, executed and delivered by G. C. Gulrud, and Olena Gulrud, his wife, Mortgagors to Gretta Gulrud, whose present name is Gretta McKinney, Mortgagee, which said Mortgage bears date of October 21st, 1926, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of October 1926, at 10 o'clock A. M., and recorded in said Office in Book 76 of Mortgages, on page 269 thereof,

AND WHEREAS, by reason of said Default the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained has become operative, and No Action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or otherwise to recover the Debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises desribed in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

"Beginning at the Southeast corner of Block Eight (8), of the Townsite of Goodridge, Minnesota, according to the Official Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, thence WEST along the South Line of said Block a distance of Ninety-three and 87-100 (93.87) feet; Thence North One Hundred fifty (150) feet; Thence East to the East Line of said Block Eight (8), and Thence South along the East Line of said Block Eight (8) to the point of beginning," all in Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 16th day of August 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said Debt of $1420.00, together with interest to the date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and the Statutory amount of Attorney's fees allowed by Law, and the Costs and Disbursements allowed by law, subject to Redemption at any time within One Year from the Day of Sale as provided by Law.

Dated this 1st day of July, 1930.

Gretta McKinney,
formerly Gretta Gulrud,
Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
J3-A7

Hudson River

From New York bay to Albany the Hudson is really not a river at all, but a kind of fjord, formed by the sinking of the original river valley and its invasion by salt water. For this distance it is a tidal stream. Above Troy the river is a small stream with numerous rapids and falls.

Drugs Easily Detected

Many drugs communicate their odor to the breath. Familiar examples are ether, chloroform and alcohol. The heavy narcotic smell of opium, the garlicky odor of phosphorus poisoning and the smell of peach kernels in hydrocyanic acid poisoning are well known to physicians.

Full Fledged at Birth

The common house fly is full size when it hatches from the pupa, and does not grow any larger. When it hatches it is distorted and it takes from 15 to 30 minutes to straighten out. The fly is not sexually mature until from three to five days after it hatches.

Livestock Wanted

We are in the market for cattle, hogs and sheep at all times.

If you have anything suitable for shipping, either call on or telephone us at St. Hilaire and we will quote prices on your stock.

Highest market price paid in CASH for all kinds of stock.

Jacob Reek & Ed Durbin
St. Hilaire, Minn.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .77
Duram Wheat	.67
Rye	.35
Barley	.28
Oats	.22
Flax	2.19
Eggs, cash	.17
Creamery butter	.36

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My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

The Temperamental Hound-Dawg

ABOUT once in so often some impassioned partisan rises up in congress or elsewhere and accuses the majority party or the administration or somebody of bribery, corruption, fraud and incompetency, and announces his intention of smoking the scoundrels out. This type of person is especially numerous in Presidential years, but we have him other years, too.

A few years ago—it was in 1916, I believe, there was a prominent spellbinder on the Republican side who set forth upon his campaigning with the avowed intention of proving that wholesale Democratic stupidity at Washington had practically ruined the country and then, being challenged for facts to back up his accusation, was so shy of actual ammunition that for the moment he could point only to the instance of a petty officeholder, a holdover from the Taft administration who, in alleged violation of civil service rules, had been ousted from his job to make room for a Wilson man.

The incident reminded a friend of mine down South of a certain gifted hound dog which a certain Kentucky pioneer owned. He said to me:

"The old fellow used to tell me that when his father came out over the Wilderness trail from North Carolina he brought with him the fastest, the best-bred, the keenest-nosed hound that had ever been seen in the infant settlements beyond the mountains. But the dog suffered from a temperamental defect which militated against his success.

"At sunrise he would start out on his own hook after deer. He would jump a buck and run him for miles. When the buck was on the point of exhaustion the hound's nostrils would catch the taint in the air where a fox had crossed the trail, and he would instantly decide that, after all, fox was what he had come for; and he would turn aside to pursue the fox.

"Perhaps an hour later, when the chase was growing warmer every minute, his keen nose would detect the presence of a rabbit, and he would go after the cottontail, with the inevitable result that by four o'clock in the afternoon that hound would be thirty or forty miles away from home, in a swamp, with a chipmunk treed!"

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Life That Preserves

To live in the presence of great truths and eternal laws, that is what keeps a man patient when the world ignores him and calm and unspoiled when the world praises him.—Balzac.

Historic American House

Carlyle house in Alexandria, Va., was built by John Carlyle in 1752, at a period when Alexandria was the metropolis of the British empire in America. Carlyle house was a center of momentous events in Colonial and early United States history.

Nor Do They Yodel

Few Swiss spend their time leaping from crag to crag in the Alps. They spend most of their time on low, sunny, wind-protected ground; and they are mighty comfortable in the process.—Woman's Home Companion.

Populous Island

Porto Rico has an area of 3,435 square miles and a population of nearly 1,500,000. This makes more than 400 to the square mile. About 78 per cent of the population is rural, only 22 per cent living in cities.

FARM STOCK

STRAWSTACK IS POOR PROTECTION

Hogs Huddle Up and Get Too Warm in Winter.

"Any port in a storm, of course. But a straw pile is one of the poorest of all possible poor ports for the hogs when a blizzard or a sudden cold spell hits the farm," says J. W. Wuichet, extension specialist in swine growing, for the Ohio State university.

"Letting the hogs burrow into a straw stack for shelter from the bad weather is better than leaving them to freeze to death, but not much better," says Wuichet. "The reason is that when hogs huddle into straw stacks they pile up in heaps, to keep warm they get too warm, and when they get out for feed or any other reason, are liable to pneumonia and other diseases.

"Even more important is the fact that such a refuge is highly insanitary, and a hog is more susceptible to unsanitary conditions than most other farm animals. When hogs pile up under a straw stack their skins are caked with filth and get into bad condition, and their general health is affected.

"Much better have some sort of houses, either central sheds or individual houses. In extremely cold weather bank these houses with straw to keep out the wind and conserve the body heat of the hogs, but be sure to leave sufficient ventilation."

Practical Plan to Feed Pigs in Creep or Pen

Fall pigs thrive much better if they start eating grain before they are weaned, according to W. L. Robinson of the Ohio Agricultural Experiment station. When this is done there is no noticeable setback at weaning time.

Pigs will start eating grain when three or four weeks old but to do this the pigs must be able to eat unmolested by the sows. This is easily accomplished by providing a creep which consists of a pen with an opening through which the pigs can go but which will hold the sows back.

A good ration for the young pigs is made of 64 parts of corn, 22.5 parts of ground oats, 8 parts of tankage, 4 parts of linseed oil meal, and 1.5 parts of minerals. If the pasture is short or no green feed is available add about 4 parts of ground alfalfa or clover hay, or the leaves of either hay.

Alfalfa for Horses Fed in Balanced Ration Good

Alfalfa hay is good horse feed, according to A. O. Rhoad of the New York state college of agriculture, providing it is fed in a balanced ration. Corn and alfalfa make a balanced ration while oats, barley, peas and bran that are high in protein would provide too much protein to feed alfalfa as the only roughage. In this case there should be some other hay such as timothy with the alfalfa.

The first cutting is considered the best for horses. The usual recommendation of cutting alfalfa when one-third in bloom is best for cattle, but it is better for horses if cut when in the later stages of maturity, Rhoad states.

Live Stock Facts

Docking lambs up to two months of age is practiced.

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Keep pregnant mares out of corn stalk fields. Provide them with plenty of pure, clean water.

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Normally one-third of the spring pigs die before they are ten weeks old, or of weaning age.

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Many castrate the ram lambs at the same time docking is done, but the preferred age for castrating is about four weeks.

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Feed the mare generously on sound whole oats, bran and mixed clover, or timothy hay. Avoid moldy hay or silage, damaged grain, woody, weathered fodder, dusty or rusty straw, or hay containing ergot.

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The mare in foal should be worked lightly or abundantly exercised every day. Exercise is absolutely necessary. She should occupy a roomy, clean, well lighted, and perfectly ventilated box stall.

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Long-legged, narrow-backed hogs do not have economical feeding quality, and for that reason have been forced into the discard.

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The brood sows which realize the greatest profits are those which are capable of raising two large litters of strong, healthy pigs each year.

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The ideal time for docking is when the lambs are ten days or two weeks old. At this age the job is simple and can be done with little risk of serious bleeding and little pain to the lamb.

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C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. — St. Hilaire, Minn

Wyandotte News

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moxnen and family returned Saturday evening from Minneapolis after spending a week with frienda and relatives.

The Clearwater Y. P. S. will meet at the Clearwater church Sunday evening July 6th. Everyone welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clark and family left Saturday for Fergna Falls to visit with friends and relatives. They returned Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wilson and family visited Sunday afternoon at the Gust Larson home.

Daniel and Harry Haugen visited Sunday at H. Fredrickson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson and danghter Gertrude visited Tuesday at the C. Samuelson home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Jepson and family, Mrs. Hanson and daughters of Minneapolie motored to the Red Lake Narrowa Tuesday and spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Norby and daughter Ione and Misses Emma and Esther Tanberg apent Wednesday evening at the Fred Erdmann home.

Mr. and Mrs. Panl Thyren and family apent Sunday at the L. P. Thyren home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gieseke and sons spent Sunday at the F. Ulrich home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Erdmann and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. Seeger and family, Mr and Mrs. Chas. Seeger, Mr. and Mrs. E. Seeger and family, Mr. and Mrs. N. Thode, Mr. and Mrs. H. Thode and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. Fnnti and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. Behn and family and Mr. and Mrs. H. Pirath of Red Lake enjoyed a picnic dinner at the Louisville Parkat Huot Snnday.

Snnday afternoon the Riveralde boys played a return game with the Wildcats of Red Lake. The game proved a close one bnt in the last innings the Riverslde boys took the lead carrying home the bacon with a score of 18 to 11.

River News

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ewing and family, and Mr. and Mrs. T. Walseth were among those who partook in the picnic at the Red Lake Narrowa last Snnday.

Mrs. H. Jepson and her mother Mrs. Hanson and danghter spent Monday afternoon at the O. Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Erdmann spent Tuesday evening at the C. Seeger home at Red Lake Falls.

Nails Long in Use

Iron spikes or nails were known to the ancients and are mentioned in the Bible.

Evil in Wake of Lie

Liars are the cause of all the sins and crimes in the world.—Epictetus.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening service at 8:00.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor

Sunday, July 6th.
St. Pauli, 11:00 A. M., Amer.
Oak Ridge, 2:00 P. M., Amer.
Clearwater, 8:00 Luther League program.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Black River church at 10:00 with Sunday school following.
Sunday school in local church at 2:00 p. m.
Services in local church at 3:00.

JILTED AT ALTAR; GIRL TAKES POISON

Her Suitor Reneges When She Comes to Marry Him.

Greensboso, N. C.—Leaving a note for her mother, saying that she was unwilling to continue to live after the man to whom she was engaged had declined to marry her on their wedding eve, pretty Miss Virgie Nicholson, lay down upon her bed in a small hotel here and swallowed several bichloride tablets.

Fearful that this poison would not act swiftly, the girl then drank nearly all the contents of a two-ounce hottle of carbolic acid.

Picking up a magazine, she attempted to read, hut the intense pain caused her to groan, attracting the attentiou of a woman in an adjoining room. This woman aroused the hotel management, hut the heautiful blond was dead when her door was hroken open.

Miss Nicholson came to Greensboro the day before her death for the purpose, she told her friends, of marrying a prominent young business man of this city. This man's identity has been kept secret.

The girl's note revealed that the man had changed his mind. When he refused to marry her, Miss Nicholsou went to the hotel and made preparations to die. Her body was sent to her former home in Norfolk, Va.

In Miss Nicholson's purse was found a considsrahle sum of money and two letters, one to the man who had jilted her, the other to her mother in Virginia.

U. S. Geological Survey Resumes Its Work Again

Washington.—With the arrival of spring the Uuited States geological survey has resumed field operations.

Some 250 parties, ranging in size from one geologist to surveying groups of six or seven men, will he dispatched from Washington within the next month.

This year economies in transportation are being affected through concentrating the geological survey's fleet of automobiles near headquarters. Already 80 cars loaded with engineers and instruments have left Washington hound for Kentucky, Virginia, New York and other nearby states.

Preparing for the season's research, the division of field equipment of the geological survey is one of the husiest units in the government service at this time of the year.

Here the instruments of geologists and engineers, some of them, worth several thousand dollars apiece, are undergoing repairs. A 17 jewel watch is like a mechanical toy to some of these instruments, adjustments of which are often computed in millionths of an inch.

Love Must Be Present

We can sometimes love what we do not understand, hut it is impossihle completely to understand what we do not love.—Mrs. Jameson.

Objects to Wife's Cooking; She Quits

Hollywood, Calif.—For fourteen years and eight months, the duration of their marital life, they had argued about the proper way to cook pork chops.

Robert Bard Kurrie, film cameraman, insisted they should not be "too done," he related in his divorce complaint on file recently.

His wife, Darling, was emphatic. They should be done to a crisp. Finally Kurrie asserted himself.

Kurrie ducked in time to miss a crock, he related. That was several weeks ago and Kurrie is now cooking his own pork chops. His wife, Darling, left him.

HUSH

The passerby stopped and looked at the man struggling vainly with his broken-down motor car.

"Excuse me," said the stranger, "but perhaps I can help you. There are one or two things I can tell you about your make of car."

The owner straightened himself up and looked at ths other.

"Please keep them to yourself, old chap," he remarked, warningly; "there are ladies present."

Taking an Awful Chance

Dolly Dimples (coquettishly)—Did you read Dr. Blueborn this morning, when he stated that kissing is absolutely dangerous to health?

Dapper Dan (recklessly)—Well, what do you say, Miss Dolly? Let's start an epidemic!

ON THE BEACH

"May's gown makes a perfect fright of her."

"Yes; but outside of her costume she's a shepely and beautiful girl."

Ineqnality of Things

Full oft some dog of stunning style
And pedigree without a fanlt
Is worth a thousand dollers, while
Its owner isn't worth his salt.

Monologist Appreciated

"You often huy things you don't exactly need."

"Yes," answered the amiahle lady. "When a capable salesman appears, whether I think mnch of his wares or not, I feel as if so good a monologue ought to be worth something."

Nothing to Fear

Mistress—The main thing here is honesty. The last maid stole the silver spoons.

New Maid—You needn't fear anything from me, ma'am. I'm on prohation for a year for stealing at my last place.

Well Thought Of

"How are you getting along with your proposed Shakespeare testimonial?"

"I am agreeably surprised. Everyhody has a good word for Shakespeare."

A Whole Hole

Hushand—I can't make out which is the top and which is the bottom of these socks.

Wife—Idiot! Tha hig hole is the top and the collection of small holes is the foot.—Pages Gales, Yverdon.

NOW WHAT?

"Son, don't you know that a rolling stone gathers no moss?"

"I agree with you, father, hut whet in the world would I do with any moss?"

They All Do

I'm an easy going party
But I'd like to take a knock
At the shoe clerk who exposes
The toe hole in my sock.

Just a Drop

Wife of aviator who is about to cross tha Atlantic—Bnt what would failure be?

Aviator—Oh, just a drop in the ocean.

In the Back of the Book?

"You seem interested in the Congressional Record."

"It fairly hristles with important questions."

"Yeh. But where do they print the answers?"

The Cutie

"Pity you don't know the words of that song you're 'ummin', Joe."

"Yus, ain't it?"

"Yus, cos then if you only knew the tune as well I'd quite enjoy listenin' to you."—Humorist.

Due Warning

Cutie—My little hrother will tell if he sees yon kiss me.

Budy—But I'm not kissing you.

Cutie—Anyhow, I thought I'd tell you.

Too Extravagant

"Darling, I offer you my heart and my fortune."

"Don't be extravagant, dear. Your fortune will be quite enough."

A NEW BEGINNING IN A SMALL WAY

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

BESS squeezed the juice of two oranges into two slim glasses. Between whiles she tended hread toasting on the little electric grill and coffee hnhhling in the aluminum pot on the oil stove. She was getting hreakfast for Cady and herself. She looked very fresh and hright in her blue linen, which was a bit old-fashioned, like all her werdrohe nowadays. There was a carefully darned run in her white silk hose and ona shoe was a trifle stuhhed at the toe.

"Breakfast!" she called cheerily.

Cady came in from the small shop where he hod heen selling lollipops to a hunch of kids. He was laughing over the transaction. Cady looked as beautifully bethed and shaven as ever. Even in his spotless white cotton coat he could have passed for a statesman or a millionaire.

Thay sat at opposite sides of the small tahle, which was covered with a hlue-and-white oilcloth. But the dishes were fine china and the silver was monogrammed. Bess hed kept a few things which she considered necessary when they sold the Oak avenue house furnisbed. For the rest, tbe small room seemed a bit crowded with a day bed, rocking cheirs, kitchen cabinet, stove, cnphoard and sink. Yet the room with a sleeping apertment and hathroom overhead constituted their home, and somehow it conveyed an air of coziness and comfort.

"There's the bell! Sit still. I'll wait on them." Bess sprang np and ran into the shop. She gasped at the sight of a lustrous limousine drawn up in front with a liveried chauffenr stering at the orangende sign. Through the screen door was just entering the handsomely-clad woman who had stepped from the expensive car.

"Why, it's Katherine Dert!" Bess exclaimed. "Yon back?"

"I arrived home last night. Of conrse Mary Gates wrote me ahroed. Oh, Bess! My poor dear!" Mrs. Dart's kiss left a tear perfumed with chypre on Bess' cheek.

"Just in time for breakfast! Come in and see Cady!" Bess drew her visitor into the back room. Mrs. Dart sank into a rocker. Sha struggled with her agitation. "I am glad to find you hoth taking it like this," sha moaned.

"My dear Katherine!" Cady emiled. "We're having a jolly time!"

"You're putting on a hrave front. But I—know."

"Tell me ahont yonr trip. Did yon have a wonderful time? But of coursa yon did. Nohody could he in Paris and London this weather without having a wonderful time. And yon stayed a whole year. Cady and I steyed ouly three months." Bess was talking fast, fencing for time.

"I never dreamed anything like this would befall you in my absence." Mrs. Dart faltered.

"Hullo! There's a customer!" The bell hed tinkled. Cady left the room hastily. Mrs. Dart looked after him with sad pity in her eyes.

When he returned he found Mrs. Dart ready to go. She was not detained. Bese kept up her show of friendliness and nonchalance until the last instant. Bnt as the limonsine departed from their door she flung herself, sobhing, into her husband's arms.

"To pity me! When she used to beg for my least little favor!"

"There, there!" Cedy soothed her, patting her shonider. "Sit down and I'll pour you a cup of hot coffee; yours is cold. Mayhe now wa can go on with our breakfast in peace. So long os it had to come I'm glad it's over. Say, I sold a box of that stuff you've got in the window—a hig box."

"Dusting powder!" The strain hegan to leave Bess' face. She set great store by her carefully chosen line of toiletries. "Who got it, darling?"

"The little Staclo girl, whose sister was married the other day."

"She's pretty and so nice. These foreign-horn girls compete favorahly with the daughters of our best families. I've seen hoth sides now so I know—Oh, Cady! I'm an old fool, hut Katherine Dart just ahout did for me. Why can't folks stay where they belong and let ns alone? They seem to think we are to hlame for losing our money."

"Let her go. She prohably won't hother us again. Here! Take a bit of my cooky. Mayhe Mme. Dart forgets I know how her husband got his money. Whatever passed through my hands going or coming wasn't wheedled out of the pockets of poor, guileless suckers."

"You're wonderful, Cady. I admire you more this minute than I did when yon used to come home from a directors' meeting with talk of big finance—oh, dear! That hell!"

"That's what we're here for!" Cady chuckled as he hurried into the shop.

A tiny old lady stood there. Her dark eyes twinkled as she smiled up into the tall man's face.

"Are you and Mrs. Rocket too husy to see a caller?" she asked.

"Not at all. Step into the next room."

"Mrs. Quilter!" Bess looked puzzled. In the old days Mrs. Qnilter had held herself aloof. Bnt there was no mistaking her intentions now as sha sank into a rocking chair. Mrs. Quilter had coma to set the seal of her high approval, on this last desperate little venture of the now penniless Rockets.

"This reminds me of the happiest time of my life," the old ledy said, gazing ahont her with a smile. "Dan started in husiness in just such a shop as this; it wesn't nearly as hig as this, I believe. We were just married. We had kerosene lamps and I washed tha chimneys avery day. One week wa mude $9. It was a fortune. Ah, me! The good old days!"

Cady expanded a little.

"Whether yon'll believe me or not, Mrs. Quilter, the wife and I are hoving e good time doing just this."

"Your looks declare that." Mrs. Qnilter nodded her white head. "You are looking fine, hoth of yon. Often I wish Dan and I were right back there, where we started. Now we'ra prosy, not an interest in life. What's that hell?"

"Thet's the summons to my joh of connter-jumping!" Cady said gnyly.

Mrs. Quilter and Bess looked after his fine figure. Their eyes met.

"Best thing thnt ever conld hnve hnppened to yon," said Mrs. Qnilter, nodding emphnticnlly. "I mean it. Work is what we nll need. When wa stop work we begin to die. You folks will stay alive a long while yet. When I am gone rememher I told yon so."

Cody came hock with e glnss of something spnrkling and cool from the soda fountain.

"Drink to our henlth, wealth and hnppiness, if you please," he said.

Mrs. Quilter sipped.

"I drink to your health and happiness. Wealth isn't of any importance to snch as yon," she seid.

Raptures of Bird Songs in Joyous Springtime

Now in every country piece the hirds translote their hoppiness into delicious song. "Live! Laugh!" criee the chiff-chaff all dny long, careless of elehoretion if he con give his message, effectually cutting the silence with his two smell notes like silver sheers. The tom-tit, with chnracteristic egotism, shouts "Me, me, me!" The yellow-hnmmer nud the hedge-sparrow tell over their short, recurring steves. The green linnet sits erect, thongh his hody sways with music; the notes come slipping through the leaves like rain, and sometimes he throws hock his head and loughs. The cheery bnbhle of starlings fills any peuses, and the lark—Mercury of spring—goes on skyey messnges. Then one morning you wake to a consciousness of something more; ecross the lighter singing strikes the hourdon note of the cuckoo, expressing the cosmos for himself in two syllahles, saying the same thing as cuckoos were seying when Wetling street was mnde, of which we long to know the interpretation. The willow wrens hegin their ethereal whisperings; the hlecknp comes. He ie the meistersinger of gordens where the nightingale is absent; in a moment, os you stond by the willow where he is, he opens the doors of delight. His swift, winning phrnses go lilting up nnd down in continuous sweetness for e hour at e time. Then suddenly there are the swallows, clinging to the eeves and to hranches over water, chettering with lovely monotony, singing long songs thet pass nnd come again—low, serene, contemplative. So all doy between dusk there is music, and even in the dark the sedge warhler wakes ond sings. While night pnles towurd the dawn, you can hear him down in the dim trees hy the wnter, his tenuous notes are scarcely strong enongh to pierce even the silence, bnt to sleepless people weory of the night his song is comfortoble. They love him for singing his lonely, small roundeloy, not waiting for the chorus of the sun.
—Mury Wehh, in "The Spring of Joy."

Oregon's Power

One of the greetest potential sources of electrical energy for the future in the United States lies in the state of Oregon, according to a report hy the geological survey of the Department of tha Interior.

Experts have snrveyed over 1,600 miles of rivers and 50 dam sites and geological reports have heen made on 48 other dem and reservoir sites.

It is estimeted thet the total availehie horsepower of the state is 5,894,000 for 50 per cent of the time, or ronghly ahont 10 per cent of the total potential water power of tbe United States.

This report indicates thet 645,000 acres of pnhlic lands are valuable as water sites.

In contrast to this great wealth, the survey officials classify 20,000,000 acres of land as arid and non-irrigable.

Vessels' Running Lights

The hurenn of navigation says that it is helieved thet one of the first lews requiring vessels to carry red and green lights wae the act of March 3, 1849, which provided for vessels navigating the northern and western lakes. This act required thet vessels on tha starboard tack eball show a red light, vessels on the larboard tack a green light. The principel act reloting to the carrying or running lights on vessels was the act of April 29, 1864, which has been amended from time to time.

Birds Have Multipliad

The starlings now found in almost every part of the United States are all helieved to he descendants of 50 pairs of starlings that were released in Central park, New York city, in 1890 and 1891.

Statement of the condition of

Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire, Minn.

at close of business on June 16th, 1930.

Bank No. 447 RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$76,612.95
Overdrafts	None
Securities, Bonds, etc.	67,002.28
Banking House Furniture and fixtures	7,800.00
Other Real Estate owned	5,100.00
Cash on hand and due from Banks	27,405.25
Paid out in excess of Earnings	409.94
Cash Items	9.56
TOTAL	$184,339.08

LIABILITIES

Capital	10,000.00
Surplus	3,000.00
Savings Deposits	13,401.71
Time Certificates	92,562.02
Deposits subject to check	65,375.35
TOTAL	$184,339.08

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. ss

We, J. W. Black, President and Fred Biskey, Ass't Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. W. Black, President
Fred Biskey, Ass't Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of June 1930.
Verner Nelson
(Seal) Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission expires Dec. 15th 1936.

Correct Attest (Two) Directors: E. O. Burkee, Theo. M. Thronson

State of Minnesota } ss.
County of Hennepin }

On this 25th day of June A. D. 1930, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County, personally appeared J. W. Black to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

B. J. Schwoeffermann
(Seal) Notary Public, Hennepin Co, Minn.
My commission expires Dec. 7, 1931

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Austin—Wabasha county has 17,614 residants, Arthur True, district census supervisor, announced. Tha 1920 total was 17,919.

Gaylord—The third distriot Legion and Auxiliary convened here conclnded its sessions here with a band contest wherein Silver Lake won first prize.

St. Cloud—L. L. Telley, secretary of the St. Cleud Lions Club, has been elected president, D. W. B. Richards is vicepresident and Carl Doerner treasurer.

Litchfisld—The annual midsummer outing of the state eheriffs' association was again held here at Lake Ripley. Magnus Johnson and Earl Brown were principal speakers.

Bemidji—Brother Elks and members of their familles were on hand in large numhers here es the Minnesota State Elks Associetion opened its 26th annnal three-day convention and fun fest.

St. Paul—Minnesota collected $929,858 in May on its three-cent gas tax, a deerease of approxiametly $67,348 over May 1929, it was announced by the office of Hjalmar Nilsson, state oil inspector.

Montgomery—Disester interrupted a week-end euting of Camp Fire girls at French lake, 14 miles from here, when Deleres Hevel, 13, of Mentgomery was drowned. Nine girls were memhers of an onting party.

Giant Valley—Memhers of the Giant Valley Post No. 234 of the American Legion are sponsoring a community picnic to be held Jnly 4 at Riverside park. Commander C. H. Petersen is general chairman.

Northfield—More than 600 Odd Fellowe and Rehekahs returned home after attending a pilgrimage to the $400,000 state home here. Ezra C. Clemmons of Owatonna epoke to the gathering pilgrims.

St. Cleud—Lloyd Webb, 22 years old, deputy auditor of Todd county, pleaded guilty to misappropriating funds in District Conrt and was sentenced to an indeterminate term in the state reformatory here.

Duluth—Thousands of peony hlossoms are arriving from throughout the United States for the national show of the American Peony Society July 2 and 3. The largest ehipment has come from Winena, 1,200 hnds.

Mora—Bnsiness honses of Mora closed for the annual picnic of the Mora Farmers Co-operative creamery etaged at Fish lake. J. H. Hay of St. Panl, deputy commissioner of agricnlture, was principal speaker.

St. Paul—Postmaster nominations eent to the senate hy President Hoover inclnde Lawrence Oassett at Rohhinsdale, William Perbix at Hopkins, James Hnhhell at Forest Lake, and Edward B. Hicks at Winona.

Pipestone—The annnal camp meeting of the Southwestern Minnesota Holiness Association was held here and continned 10 deys. Rev. E. A. Lacour of Oskaloosa, Iowa, will he in charge of the evangelistic work.

Hastings—Hastings was without electric lights and pewer fer 12 hours when lightning struck the power plant. Four cows on a ferm across the Mississippi in Denmark township were killed when etruck by the lightning.

St. Paul—All varieties of fish may now he taken hy the Minnesota angler. The northern zone han on many varieties of fish was lifted June 21 with passing of the time limit set to protect spawning fish in northern waters.

Reeheater—Dr. Edward Starr Jndd, prominent surgeon et the Mayo Clinic here was elected president of the American Medical association for 1931-32 at the eighty-first annual convention of the association at Detroit, Mich.

Northfield—Four carloads of Holsteins have heen shipped from here to A. L. Shelton of Oxford, N. Y., repreeenting an investment of nearly $10,000. The sale was made by Nels Pareon, sales eecretary of the Northfield Community Holstein Club.

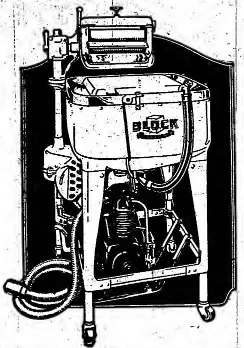
Hastings—The Inland Waters Towhoat, S. S. Thorpe, with a string of harges, was the first boat to go through the lock of the Hastings dam, engineers in cherge of the construction speeded the work of lowering sections of Boule dam, next to the lock, into place to let the hoat throngh.

Minnsapolis—Lieutenant Douglas B. Smith of Fort Snelling has been ordered to Paris to make a study of French preliminary to hecoming instructor in that language at West Point. He will spend a year in stndy. He and Mrs. Smith left for a two weeks' visit in Canada. They will sail from New York July 16.

Mankato—The annual summer conference of the Minnesota Association of Commercial Secretaries was condncted here. C. M. Smallwood, eecretary of the Worthington Civic & Commerce Association, gave his report as eecretary-treasurer of the state organizatinn at the opening meeting. A banqnat with Carl R. Gray, vicepreeident and manager of the Omaha railway, as principal speaker.

Duluth—Mrs. Austin Mendenhall of this city, president of the Minnesota Congress of Parents and Teachers, has been made chairman of the department of juvenile protection of the national congress, it was announced. Mrs. Mendenhall has had a great deal of experience in the work.

Osakis—Minnesota editors and their wives held their 23rd annual onting and banquet here ending by awarding sportsmanship prises. A. L. Westernhagen, W. N. U. manager, won the fishing prise and C. W. Carlson, editor Melrose Beacon won the prise for [illegible] with a score of [illegible].



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LOCALS

Stock Wanted

Will ship livestock from St. Hilaire on Saturday, July 5th. If you have any stock to sell, or wish to ship with us on commission, call at our office in the Branum huilding at St. Hilaire and list it.

If more convenient, phone our office, No. 84 on St. Hilaire phone line.

Reek & Durbin

To Patrons

Cream will he taken at the St. Hilaire creamery on Friday, July, Fourth, between the hours of 5:00 and 10:00 A. M. only. Patrons are asked to come as early as possible so that the working force may have the afternoon.

London Purple, the hest potato hug poison on the market. 4lbs for 75 cents at M. H. Jackson.

A shower of rain fell over this section last Saturday morning.

25 Years Ago

Mrs. J. B. O'Brein left for a visit with relatives at Red Lake Falls.

—XXV—

The county seat removal fight had another inning that week with Red Lake Falls coming out victorious.

—XXV—

There were enough logs in the hooms here and up river, to last the local mill until end of the season.

—XXV—

John Maakrud hought the H. Halverson farm in Wyandotte township.

—XXV—

A new heating and ventilating plant was installed in the school huilding.

—XXV—

Everything was ready for the big Fourth of July celebration. A feature for the day was a hall game between Thief River and the White Earth Indians.

—XXV—

Swan Johnson was bitten by a mad dog. Upon advice of Dr. Blomburgh, Mr. Johnson left at once for Chicago to take treatment at the Pastuer Institute.

For Rent: Hay stumpage, both tame and wild, on the Lorentson farm in Sec. 17, Black River twp. Call on or address
F. D. Lorentson,
J26-Ju3 Thief River Falls, Minn.

Creamery Issues Big Checks

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Haugen, 65.94, A. Swanson, 65.87, And. Hushy, 65.57, V. G. Brink, 65.11 F. Rux, 64.42, F. Erdmann, 63.79, J. J. Larson, 62.19, R. Randorf, 60.95, O. L. Larson, 60.76, D. J Johnson 59.26, J. Steiger, 58.85, H. R. Allen, 58.83, G. Larson, 58.77, W. D. Ewing, 55.96, Farmers State Bank, 54.24, A. A. Anderson, 53.49, J. A. Anderson, 52.78, H. Burstad, 52.00, J. E. Johnson, 51.84, J. H. Bohlin, 51.15, H. Hallstrom, 50.59, G. Erickson, 50.50, E. J. Akerlund, 50.23, Wm. Yonke, 50.07.

The Great Northern is offering a special round trip fare of $2.85 from St. Hilaire to Fargo for the North Dakota State Fair. Tickets limited to 2 days in addition to date of sale, will be sold July 14 to 18 inclusive.

First Christian Indian?

It is prohehle that Mantol or Manteo was the first Indian chief to he converted to Christianity in America. This happened August 13, 1587, on the island of Roanoke, a part of the Raleigh colony. As there were Roman Catholic missionaries as early as 1502, when Bartholomew de las Casas came to America, some other Indian chief might have become a convert hefore Manteo, hut it has not been recorded.

Process of Heating Liquid

When a liquid is heated, convection currents are set up, the warmer liquid near the bottom becoming less dense and rising to tha surface, while the colder liquid falls to the bottom. This continues during the whole process of heating. The forces present in a gyroscope may be called "gyroscopic" forces.

Help to Fight Disease

In a bulletin on the United States' role in fighting disease all around the world the National Geographic society points ont that cattle, horses, snakes, rabbits and guinea pigs are the living machines of the biological industry. In this country they manufacture $20,000,000 worth of products annnally.

Fine Deeds Unrecorded

There are great victories and struggles, and noble acts of heroism done every day, in nooks and corners, and in little households, and in men's and women's hearts; any one of which might reconcile the sternest man to such a world, and fill him with belief and hope in it.—Charles Dickens.

Get Your Equipment Now for the Coming Haying Season

I carry a full line of McCormick-Deering mowers, hay rakes, side delivery rakes and stackers. Also a complete line of repairs for all International machinery.

Have on display, Minnesota mowers, rakes, side delivery rakes and loaders.

Place your orders now for whatever repairs you may need for any of the above machinery, so you will have them when the busy season starts.

Orders taken now for either of the two grades of International and Minnesota twine.

Adolph Satterberg

Dealer in Farm Machinery

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Petato's History

The white potato, known as "Irish," is a native of America, like corn and tohacco. The Incas of Peru had it under cultivation for centures hefore the Spanish invasion. For 150 years after its discovery hy Europeans, only well-to-do people ate potatoes. It was raised in their gardens and the lower classes knew of it by hearsay alone. Commercial production was begun about 1570.

Calls for Genius

The manufacture of carpets is well known in India in the various mills, institutions, factories and jails. The carpet factories of Cashmere are most famous. A sage has said: "The soul of the apartment is the carpet. . . . A judge at common law may be an ordinary man; a good judge of a carpet must be a genius."

Why They Don't Meet

The man who is looking for the ideal woman doesn't take into consideration that she may also he looking for the ideal man, which is why they never meet.—Los Angeles Times.

Really a Chain Stitch

The tamhour emhroidery stitch was made with a tambour needle, which was practically a crochet hook, and the stitch was in effect a chain stitch,

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4H Club Tour, July 17

The St. Hilaire 4H Cluh will have its annual tour Thursday, July 17th, at which time they will visit all clubs members in the com munity who have gardening or livestock projects. The cooking and sewing projucts will have exhihits at the cluh hooth at the Pennington County Fair.

Memhers will gather here at 8:00 A. M. Projects within the village will be viewed first, and then the tour will proceed to Wylie. Visits will be made to the Naplin, Melin, Lindquist, Jacobson, Hagglund, Brink, Rosendahl, Almquist, Norman and Ewing farms on west side of the river, and, the Black, Bothman, Dalager, Wilson, Jepson and Johnson farms on east side. As twenty different places must be visited, eacb stop will not he more than ten minutes during which time the club member will exhihit his or her project and tell about the work. The tour will end at the Jepson farm wbere a picnic dinner will be served sometime in the afternoon.

Parents interested in club work, are invited to meet with members in front of Boh's Coffee Shop at 8 o'clock Tbursday morning and, join the tour. Everyone bring his own lunch.

Farewell Party

Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson, wbo plan to leave the community in about a month, were guests of honor at a farewell gathering Tuesday at the Nelson home which was attended hy pastors of tbe different churches in this district, their families, and friends from otber points. A very enjoyahle afternoon was spent, and a picnic dinner was served on tbe parsonage lawn. Those present were: Rev. and Mrs. S. W. Swenson of Warren, Rev. and Mrs. Elmer Dahlgren and son of Lancaster, Rev. and Mrs. Walfred Erickson and daughter of Hallock, Rev. and Mrs. A. Bloom of Thief River Falls, Rev. and Mrs. Burman of Alverado, Mr. Erickson of Vasa, Wis., Eric Hedeen of Newfolden, Mr. and Mrs. P. Anderson and family of Strandquist.

Elmer Linstad of Cokato, will conduct services at tbe Evang. Mission church at the usual hours next Sunday during absence of Rev Dahlberg who leaves tomorrow to attend a series of mission meetings near Kennedy.

Lightening Does Damage

During the severe electrical storm last Wednesday night, lightening struck and damaged Valhall in Rockshury township. During the same storm, a bolt struck the harn at the David Haugen farm southeast of here. Tbe barn was quite badly damaged, hut did not catch afire. Damages in both above instances was covered by insurance carried in the Bray Mutual Fire Ins, Co. Officals of the company went out Thursday to appraise the amount of damage.

Judge Grindeland Ill

Andrew Grindeland, district judge in the Fourteenth Judicial district, is seriously ill at his home at Warren. Summer term of court in this county which was postponed until this month because of illness of Judge Grindeland, will be presided over hy Judge Wm. Watts of Crookston.

Family Re-union

The visit here this week of Mrs. Annie Newberg of Yakima, Wash., at the homes of her hrother, Chr. Molstad, and sisters, Mrs. K. Enger and Mrs. A. H. Gunstad, is the occasion of a happy family re-union, this being the first time the hrother and sisters have all been together since they were children.

Mrs. Newberg is a member of the Gold Star Mother contingent from Washington, and lately returned from a trip to France where sbe visited the grave of her son George, who fell in one of the major engagements of the World War.

Ball Games Next Sunday

Two interesting kittenball games will take place next Sunday when the River township team will take on both the Red Lake Falls Wildcats and Plummer teams in a douhle-header to be played in the ball park at the Fred Ulrich farm southeast of here. The River lads have been going good all season, and last week defeated the Plummer boys who are coming hack for another try Sunday.

There is plenty of parking space at the grounds for the hig crowd which is expected to attend the games next Sunday.

Try a want adv.

A Bumper Crop

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Oscar Kolstad returned Thursday night after spending several weeks at Duluth.

Erickson Brothers have improved the appearance of their garage property by giving it a coat of paint.

Miss Huldah Gigstad left Saturday to join some relatives at Crookston for a visit with relatives at Bisbee, N. D.

Paul Ortloff, who is employed as foreman by a large road construction outfit operating in southern part of the state, spent the Fourth and last week-end here with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gnst Person and family motored here last week from Duluth to spend the Fourth, and to visit a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Stark at their farm home west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fricker, of Holt, were here last week-end for a visit at home of his father, Mike Fricker.

Front of the Carlson Merc. Co., store huilding, was materially improved last week by application of of a coat of paint.

Walter Soderberg, who is employed in one of the General Motors plants at Detroit, Mich., motored here Sunday for a few weeks visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Soderberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wilson and children motored here Sunday from Warren and spent the day at home of his brother, George, and, with her mother, Mrs. John Forseen.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Satterberg returned Sunday evening after visiting a few days with Mr. and Mrs. G. Fallman and Mr. and Mrs. Sig. Engh at Minneapolis. They also visited with friends at St. Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. George Olson and younger children motored here Friday from Little Falls for a visit at the homes of his brothers, Henry, William and Alfred, and at home [illegible] sister, Mrs. John Forseen. Their son and daughter-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. C. Olson, also of Little Falls, motored here at the same time to visit with her relatives at Thief River Falls and Winnipeg.

George Biskey, Jr., started work recently as assistant at the creamery for the summer months.

Misses Alice and Esther Jobnson motored up last week from Minneapolis for a visit at the bome of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Hegstrom west of the village.

An ice cream social for benefit of the Clara church Sunday school, will be given at the B. Theo. Johnson farm near Hazel, Wednesday evening, July 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Roy motored over last week from Grand Forks and spent the Fourth with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Roy.

Mr. and Mrs. Verner Nelson and daughter, motored down Sunday from Thief River Falls for a hrief visit at home of her father, Mike Fricker.

A good sized crowd attended the annual picnic at the Black River Swedish Lutheran church the Fourth. Rev. Alhin Larson of Warren, and Rev. Kolherg both spoke at the gathering.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holmstrom and son, Walter, Jr., motored here Friday from their home at Camhridge, Minn., and visited until Monday with Mrs. Holmstrom's parents Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson.

K. T. Dalager and son Vincent, motored last week to bis old bome at Herman, Minn., where they attended a family re-union at which nearly a hundred relatives were present. Upon the return trip home Mr. Dalager bougbt a purehred Holstein sire at Fergus Falls and brot it home with them.

William Peterson returned Sunday evening after spending the Fourth with his folks at Drayton. He and a group of friends attended Homecoming Day at Hallock the Fourth at which time several thousands of former Kittson County residents were back for a visit to their former homes.

Mrs. T. M. Skatrud, who is visiting her parents at Duluth, submitted to a major operation at a hospital in that city this week. Reports are that she withstood the operation well and is getting along nicely which is good news to her many friends.

Celebrate At Highlanding

Favored hy ideal weather conditions, it is estimated that more than seven thousand people attended the big Fourth of July celebration at Highlanding. All available parking space at the grounds was taken, and many were compelled to park at some distance from the activities.

A kittenhall tournament, in which the St. Hilaire team won the championship, horse shoe pitching contests, races, motorboat and airplane rides, dancing and picnicing served to keep the big crowd interested and in good humor during the day. The affair was more in nature of a countywide community picnic, and all wbo attended seemed to enjoy themselves.

Creamery Output Increases

The local creamery turned out nearly 11,000 more pounds of butter during the first six months of 1930 than it did in during a similar period last year. Volume has increased steadily at the creamery for several years past, and indicat. ions point to greater increases in the future.

New Oil Station

At meeting of the council Monday, permission was given the Peoples Oil Company of Bemidji to install a gas filling station in the Odd Fellow huilding. According to present plans, the building will be remodeled for that purpose in the near future.

Mrs. Carl Person and sons, Kenneth, Glenn and Erving, of Crookston, were guests from Saturday until Monday at the home of Mrs. Alfred J. Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lyon of St. Paul, accompanied hy the latter's aunt, Mrs. Annie Newherg of Yakima, Wash., motored here Friday for a visit at the home of Mrs. Lyon's mother Mrs. A. H. Gunstad.

Mr. Lyon, who is employed in the Ford glass plant at St. Paul, returned home Sunday morning, while the other stayed for a longer visit.

Haying has commenced in all parts of this community and will be well under way by end of this week if favorable weather continues. Both tame and wild hay will be a good crop this year.

County Fair, July 30-Aug. 2

Plans are now heing made for the annual Pennington County Fair which will open Wednesday, July 30 and continue for four days, until Saturday evening, August 2. A very good line of attractions and free acts have heen booked for the fair this year, and the racing card will be above average.

As all grains, garden truck and flowers will he well advanced hy time of opening of the Fair, the management expects very fine exhibits in that line. Pennington County having a statewide reputation for raising of fine stock, it is needless to state the livestock exhibit will be equal to that of previou s years.

Road Oiling To Start

Re-oiling of T. H. No. 32 from the south limits of Thief River thru bere to the Red Lake County line, will start in a few days if weather permits. Several tank carloads of oil are already spotted here and at Thief River in readiness for the work. Application of oil will start from north. and most of it will be handled from here. Half of the road will he treated at the time so as to permit passage of auto traffic.

Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Grimsrud and daughters, Gudrun and Valherg, motored Monday bere from Hitterdal and spent until yesterday at the Harry Winter home and with other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Dunton and family of Portland, Oregon stopped for a hrief visit in this village Saturday and Sunday with old acquaintances of Mrs. Dunton's. Mrs. Dunton, who was formerly Miss Josie Lindahl, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Lindahl, resided in this village some twenty years ago. Mrs. Dunton reported the other members of her family in good health and settled in their respective home in Oregon and California. The Duntons were on a motor trip to attend a Bookmen's Convention in Grand Rapids, Minnesota.

While here tbey visited at the Mrs. Carl Johnson and Otto Johnson homes and with other friends.

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Order Limiting Time to File Claims Within Three Months and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of J. C. Dahl.

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the matter of the Estate of J. C. Dahl Decedent.

Letters of Administration this day having been granted to James A. Dahl and it appearing by the affidavit of said representative that there are no debts of said decedent:

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is, limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 20th day of September 1930, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator as provided by law.

Dated June 16th, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

M. A. & A. B. Bratland, Att'ys.
Ada, Minn.
J26-Jul10

Citation for Hearing on Petition For Probate of Will

Estate of Nels Johnson

State of Minnesota, } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Nels Johnson Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Martha Johnson, Henry Johnson, Hjalmar Johnson, Anna Johnson, and Edward Johnson, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Martha Johnson being duly filed in this court, representing that Nels Johnson, then a resident of the County of Pennibgton, State of Minnesota, died on the 17th day of June 1930, leaving a last will and testament which is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters Testamentary be issued thereon to Martha Johnson, NOW THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, in City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 26th day of July 1930, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS THE HONORABLE, Lars Backe Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 30th day of June 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota,
J3-17

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Lizzie Goergen, An Incompetent Person.

The State of Minnesota to Lizzie Goergen and to Eva Krueger, as Guardian of Lizzie Goergen, and to all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said Lizzie Goergen, Incompetent:

The petition of M. A. Highland having been filed in this court, representing among other things that Lizzie Goergen, the said incompetent person, is legally bound by contract in writing to convey to M. A. Highland certain lands belonging to said incompetent, and in said petition described, and praying that a decree of conveyance be granted to Eva Krueger as guardian of said Incompetent person to convey said lands according to said contract,

NOW, THEREFORE, you and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause if any you bave, before this court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of July, 1930, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said court and the seal of said court this 19th day of June, A. D. 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of the Probate Court.

Theo. Quale,
Thief River Falls. Minn.
Attorney for Representative.
J26-Jul10

State of Minnesota } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Lizzie Goergen, An Incompetent Person.

The State of Minnesota to Lizzie Goergen, Eva Krueger, as guardian of Lizzie Goergen, and all persons interested in the sale of certain lands belonging to said Lizzie Goergen, an Incompetent Person:

The petition of R. M. Larson and Thomas Larson, being duly filed in this court, representing tbat Lizzie Goergen, the above named incompetent person is bound by contract in writing to convey certain lands of said incompetent therein described, and praying that a decree of conveyance in accordance with such contract be issued to the guardian of the estate of said Lizzie Goergen.

NOW, THEREFORE, you and each of you are hereby cited and required to show cause if any you have, before this court, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 19th day of July, 1930, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

Witness the Judge of said court and the seal of said court this 19th day of June, A. D. 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of the Probate Court

Theo. Quale
Attorney for Representative
Thief River Falls, Minn.
J26-Jul10

Settled Druggists' Standing

King James I of England was the originator of the modern slogan, "Your druggist is more than a merchant." In the Sixteenth century the apothecaries of England were forced to unite with the grocers in a guild (a chartered trade association of those days). King James, however, was influenced to give the apothecaries a separate charter, and in reply to the protest of the Grocers' guild he said: "Grocers are but merchants; the business of the apothecary is a mystery"—which at that period meant art or profession.

Criticism's Value

The time is past in the history of the world when any living man or body of men can be set on a pedestal and decorated with a halo. True, many criticisms may be, like their authors, devoid of good taste, but better all sorts of criticism than no criticism at all. The moving waters are full of life and health; only in the still waters is stagnation and death.—David Brewer.

Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the total Sum of One Thousand Six Hundred Sixteen and 50-100 ($1616.50) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest, all of wbich is claimed to be due and is due at the Date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the Terms and Conditions of that certain Mortgage made, executed and delivered by Ole Nelson, a widower, Mortgagor, to John S. Johnsoo, Mortgagee, bearing the date June 28, 1924, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds, in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on thd 30th day of June, 1924, at 8 o'clock A. M., and recorded in said Office in Book 69 of Mortgages, on page 148, thereof,

AND WHEREAS by reason of said Default, the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained has become operative, and No aetion or Proceeding baving been instituted at Law or Otherwise to recover the Debt secured by said Mortgage, or any Part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage Contained, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be forcloeed by a Sale of the Primises described in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

The Southeast Quarter (SE1-4) of Section numbered Seven (7), in Townsbip numbered One Hundred fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty (40) West ot the Fifth Principal Meridian, in Pennington County, Minnesota, containing 160 acres more or less according to the United States Government survey thereof,

together with tbe hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 19th day of July, 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash, to pay said Debt of $1616.50, together with interest to date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and the Statutory amount of Attorneys fees allowed by Law, as provided in said Mortgage in case of Foreclosure, and the Costs and Disbursements allowed by Law, subject to Redemption at any time within One year from the day of Sale as Provided by Law.

Dated tbis 31st day of May 1930.

John S. Johnson,
Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Mortgagee
Thief River Falls, Minnesota
Ju5-J10

Rail Officials Seeking Lost Montana Village

Miles City, Mont.—Lost: The community of Linniherton, last seen on the Milwnnkee railrosd line in 1910. If found please notify W. N. Ross, district freight and passenger agent of the Chicago, Milwnukee & St. Paul railroad.

Officials of the railroad are curious about this illusory lost hamlet which, apparently, was located on the Milwuukee line somewhere in Montana. In fact, they have pictures purporting to be Linniberton showing a group of Indians before a general merchandise store.

But where is it now? Certainly it isn't on a map and nobody seems to know just where it was located or what happened to it. In short, it's a ghost town worthy of the name, for its disappearance has been complete.

Order Pressure Cooking for United States Army

Washington.—Adaptation of the pressure cooking system to the army's rolling kitchens, to shorten the time required for preparing the meals of doughboys on the march, was ordered as an experiment by Maj. Gen. Stephen O. Fuqua, chief of the infantry. The army has always experienced considerable difficulty in feeding troops on the march.

Cannot Prevent "Peeping"

Nashville, Tenn.—However undesirable the condition may seem there is no law in Tennessee to prevent curious persons from peeping in windows, the state Supreme court recently held in reversing a conviction of J. L. Deboard, Newport.

English Royal Records

Among the most valuable records preserved in the public record office of England are the pipe rolls, a statement of the king's income and expenditures, so called because they are rolled in the shape of pipes. They date back to 1131 and were not discontinued until 1833.

Matter of Cold Fact

Inspired writer brings in "the mellow glow of old books, old furniture, old pictures, old garments." The rest may be all right, but our personal observation and experience is that the mellow glow of old garments is a shine.—Arkansas Gazette.

Plimsoll's Good Work

"Plimsoll's mark" is a line painted on the side of British ships to prevent overloading, the limit of submergence being indicated by the line. Legislation providing for the mark was secured by Samuel Plimsoll, called the sailor's friend.

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the Total Sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Twenty and No-100 ($1420.00) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest, all of which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage made, executed and delivered by G. C. Gulrud, and Olena Gulrud, his wife, Mortgagors to Gretta Gulrud, whose present name is Gretta McKinney, Mortgagee, which said Mortgage bears date of October 21st, 1926, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of October 1926, at 10 o'clock A. M., and recorded in said Office in Book 76 of Mortgages, on page 269 thereof,

AND WHEREAS, by reason of said Default the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained has become operative, and No Action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or otherwise to recover the the Debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises desribed in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

"Beginning at the Southeast corner of Block Eight (8), of the Townsite of Goodridge, Minnesota, according to the Official Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, thence WEST along the South Line of said Block a distance of Ninety-three and 87-100 (93-.87) feet; Thence North One Hundred fifty (150) feet; Thence East to the East Line of said Block Eight (8), and Thence South along the East Line of said Block Eight (8) to the point of beginning," all in Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 16th day of August 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said Debt of $1420.00, together with interest to the date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and the Statutory amount of Attorney's fees allowed by Law, and the Costs and Disbursements allowed by law, subject to Redemption at any time within One Year from the Day of Sale as provided by Law.

Dated this 1st day of July, 1930.

Gretta McKinney,
formerly Gretta Gulrud,
Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
J3-A7

French Senate Searches for Practical Joker

Paris.—The French senate is looking for a practical joker so lacking in taste as to attempt to dupe that august body. Some days ago a bill came up for debate; the members became heated in their arguments. At the height of general ill feeling one who had not joined in the discussion laconically remarked that the bill in question not only had already been voted, but that the Journal Officiel had only that morning promulgated it as a law.

58-Year-Old Bank Note Encountered by Teller

Turners Falls, Mass.—The average life of a bank note is supposed to be something like a year. So it was with a good deal of surprise that a teller at Crocker National bank recently encountered a $5 bill dated November 5, 1872. The bill was in good condition.

River News

The windstorm Wednesday night did quite a bit of damage.

Miss Esther Thyren and Mrs. H. Bnrstad were St. Hilaire bnsiness callers Monday.

The Sewing Clnb held at the H. Jepson home Tuesday evening was well attended.

Gust Larson has commenced to hanl gravel for a basement which he plans to pnt under his home soon. Carl Fellman is assisting Mr. Larson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulrichson and family of Atwater, Minn. arrived Snnday to spend a few days at the home of their nncle and annt, Mr. and Mrs. Swanson.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dablberg and their company spent Thursday evening at the Gust Larson home.

A large number of people from this vicinity attended the picnic at Highlanding tbe Fourth.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seeger of Red Lake Falls and Mr. and Mrs. Panl Gieske spent the Fourtb at the F. Ulricb home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Seeger and family of Red Lake Falls were dinner guests at the F. S. Erdmann home Friday.

Miss Martba Anderson and her brother Edward of Bemidji spent the Fourth at the C. Swanson home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Ulrich spent Tnesday evening at the Paul Gieseke home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Swanson are the happy parents of a boy born Wednesday Jnly 2. Motber and child are doing fine.

Mrs. Elenore Robinson and arrived first of tbe week to spend two weeks at home of her sister Mrs. H. Jepson.

The Market

(Corrected On Tbursday)

Nortbern Wbeat	$ .74
Dnram Wbeat	.64
Rye	.35
Barley	.29
Oats	.22
Flax	2.06
Eggs, cash	.16
Creamery bntter	.36

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Brazil to Put Heavy Tax on Talking Movies

Rio de Janeiro.—Imposition of prohibitive taxes npon moving picture threaters showing foreign sound and talking films is being sought by Brazilian musicians, who are jobless as a reanlt of the talkies. A bill has been presented to the board of coonclimen of Rio de Janeiro providing a tax of one conto (approximately $120) per day each day that a talking film in any language other than Portuguese is presented.

The musicians hope that such a tax will make it necessary for theaters to resume showing silent films and result in the music makers returning to their places in the orchestra pit. United States made movies would be principally affected, since talkies from other countries have still to be heard here.

The campaign against the talkies in Brazil has stirred public interest, although several prominent newspapers, commenting editorially, have thrown cold water on the project, asserting such attempts to disconrage progress in the movie industry would be exceedingly harmful.

Declaring the talkies have seriously injured dramatic art and threaten to supplant the national language, Floriano de Goes, council member who introduced the bill, believes the only method of combating what he terms an "evil" is charging a very high tax.

Newest National Park

Grand Teton, the newest of the national parks is in northwestern Wyoming, in the west central part of Teton county. As a national park it is quite small, its area being about 150 square miles. It lies to the west of Snake river and Jackson lake, is 30 miles long, and of varying width, four or five miles in most places. It includes the spectacular Grand Teton peak, but by no means all of the Teton range of mountains.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Luverne—Aanen Aanenson, farmer of 66 was hurned to death when fire destroyed his farm home near here.

Owatonna—William Hammann has heen re-elected president of the Merton Farm Bureau unit of the Steele county federation.

Alexandria—Work is progressing on the new structure heing erected as an addition to the Tanquist hospital hy the Douglas County Hospital Association.

Sleepy Eye—The Commercial Cloh has voted to ahandon the celebration of Harmony Days this year. The celehration has heen an annual event for a nnmher of years.

Litchfield—Patrons and friends of the Danielson creamery organized 40 years ago, held a picnic here. John Brandt of Minneapolis, president of the Land O' Lakes Association wns the speaker.

St. James—Fire followed by explosion wrecked the East End garage here. A harrel containing gasoline exploded, hlowing the roof off. The repair shop, sales office and two cars were destroyed.

Worthington—Luverne was selected as 1931 convention city and officers were elected at the annual convention of the Grand Army of the Republic and Women's Relief Corps of the southwestern Minnesota district here.

Cannon Falls—The annual Cannon Valley fair opened here with a program that entertained residents of Cannon Falls and nearhy communities and a display of live stock and farm prodncts ahead of any year previons.

Champlin—One Negro was killed and three other Negroes including a woman, were serioosly hurt when the car in which they were riding left the West River road near Chamhplin, hit a ditch and rolled over three times. One woman escaped unhurt.

Hutchinson—Dr. M. D. McCurdy is the new grand knight of the local council, Knights of Colnmbos. Other officers are E. T. Dolan, Arthur Plaisance, Jr., A. A. Fallon, Frank Kopecky, John Micka, Joseph McNellis, J. P. O'Hara and Father J. J. Miles.

Wabasha—Way has heen cleared for completion of the Wabasha-Nelson hridge across the Mississippi, costing $500,000. A high water road will be constructed from the eastern approach through the npper Mississippi wild life and fish refuge lands at Nelson.

Hutchinson—This city is 75 years old and has completed an anniversary celebration commemorating the event. The community has developed from a three house settlement in 1855 to one exporting $4,500,000 in products annnally.

Owatonna—Crews employed on the construction of the Owatonna-Dodge Center stretch of paving on Truok Highway No. 7 east of here have completed the paving, running nine miles east from the city to the Dodge county line.

Austin—A 50-day jail sentence imposed npon Raymond Bosma, 18 years old, of Austin, for taken suckers illegally with a pail at Racine, near here, was reduced to a $10 fine. Clemency was granted after a protest was entered hy council for the hoy.

Duluth—W. H. McGenty of Duloth was re-elected governor of the eighth district Advertising Federation of America, whose delegates retorned here after a cruise on Soperior. The advertisers met in Hihhing, then contineed their sessions on a steamer.

Minneapolis—Building here dropped in value more than $8,000,000 the first half of 1930 compared with 1929. The citys total huilding volume for the 1930 period dropped from $14,372,300 to $6,356,245, while the number of huilding permits issued increased from 2,803 to 3,008.

St. Peter—Nicollet county farms were heing visited hy 4-H memhers to see how the other fellow does his farming and how the other girl carries forward her cluh projects. In charge were County Agent R. A. Fischer, Mrs. William Seltzer, Miss Lucy Mans and Hilda Bartlet, clnh leader.

St. Cloud—Trial of Mrs. Julia Garvey of St. Paul on charges growing out of promotion of a motor fuel enterprise was continoed until the December term of District court here. Trial was deferred after affidavits of her physician she was too ill to appear. She is at liberty on $2,500 hond.

Plainview—10,000 persons aided the American Legion and auxiliary in concluding their two-day convention here by attending an ontdoor festival at the Wabasha county fair grounds. Hal Cory, Winona, was elected district commander, with Mrs. Mildred Brandner, Rochester heading the auxiliary.

Bemidji—W. H. Riley of St. Cloud was elected president of the Central Minnesota Golf association at the annual meeting here. He succeeds C. W. Jewett of Bemidji. A. C. Fournet of St. Clond was named secretary. The 1931 tournament will be sponsored hy St. Clond at Pine Beach course near here the latter part of June.

Hastings—3,000 persons attended the diamond juhilee services commemorating the 75th anniversary of the founding of the Guardian Angel Catholic church here.

Taylors Falls—Members of Luther Leagues of the Chisago state district Lutheran Conference attended their annual convention at the First Swedish Lutheran church here.

Stanton—Rohbery of the State hank of Stanton was foiled when its 22-year old cashier, Richard Jacobson grappled with the bandit and disarmed him, turning him over to the Goodhue county sheriff.

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Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire, Minn., held at the village hall July 7, at 8 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present except Larson.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved as read.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed as read:

Red River Power Co., lights	$34.30
John Forseen, June salary	7.50
Adolph Satterberg, Clerk of Election and telephone calls	6.70
M. Fricker, Clerk of Election, getting ballots, 1 1-2 days Board of Review	12.55
Peter Simonson, Judge of Election, labor 16 hours	11.90
H. F. Hanson, Judge of Election, Ballots to Thief River Falls and 1 1-2 days Board of Review	14.15
O. Gunstad, proceedings	2.25
Thomas Larson, Judge of Election	6.30
A. P. Gorden, man and team 16 hours	11.20

Motion duly made and carried that the Peoples Oil Company of Bemidji, Minn. be granted a permit to install and operate a filling station in the I. O. O. F. Building on the corner of Third Street and Broadway. This permit shall be conditioned upon the compliance with the laws of the State of Minnesota and all the ordinances of the Village of St. Hilaire.

On motion duly made and carried the Peoples Oil Company of Bemidji, Minn. was granted a permit to re-install and operate a curb pump in front of the I. O. O. F. building during the installation of the filling station and for a time not to exceed 30 days.

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjourned.

M. Fricker, Clerk. A Satterberg, President.

Women in Montana Wear Evening Gowns of Paper

Corvallis, Mont.—What if it had rained or if there had been a windstorm? Or what if somebody had flipped a lighted match in the wrong place?

But none of these occurred and the ingenious women of Corvallis triumphed.

Just before a library benefit the choral leader ruled that evening gowns must be worn. Chorus members were disturbed. They were just farm women and few, if any, boasted evening dresses.

Came the night of the benefit and lo and behold, the chorus turned out resplendently attired in stylish black evening gowns that rustled audibly as the women walked towards the stage.

The secret was too good to keep. All this sartorial elegance, all this metropolitan splendor was made of nothing more nor less than plain black crepe paper.

Trout Lose "Wildness"

Trout kept in hatcheries until they are six or eight inches long lose their wild instincts, and so when planted in streams or lakes become easier prey to predatory fishes than young trout planted at a smaller size.

Two Boys Find Nine Wolves; Get $225

Robinson, Ill.—Two local boys earned $225 in about ten minutes. When they were returning from a fishing trip they came across a den which contained nine wolves less than a week old. The boys, Marshall Weger and Knowlton Hawkins, brought the wolves to this city and received a bounty of $25 each from County Clerk [illegible] O. Mills.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening service at 8:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday morning in local church at 10:30 with Sunday school following.

Services in Clara church at 3:00.

Ice Cream Social Sunday evening at 8:00 at the Chas. Naplin home.

Ladies Aid of local church will be entertained by Mrs. Anton E. Anderson, Friday, July 11.

Aid of Clara church will be entertained at home of Mrs. A. P. Anderson, Wednesday, July 16.

The St. Hilaire, Black River and Clara congregations will have a business meeting in the local church at 8:00 P. M., July 16th, for the purpose of calling a minister. All members are asked to be present.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Services next Sunday:-
Ebenezer Luth. 10:45 A. M.
Clearwater Luth, 2:00.

St. Pauli, Parochial school closing program and Luther League at the O. Lian farm at 1:30 P. M. All welcome.

Wyandotte News

Mr and Mrs. Albin Halin and son of Thief River visited at M. Berg home Satnrday evening.

Mr. aud Mrs. Otto Anderson and family of North Dakota are visiting with friends and relatives. They will stay indefinitly.

Miss Lillian Berg spent Tuesday and Wednesday at tbe bome of her mother Mrs. T. Berg.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoffdahl and family, Mr. aud Mrs. Harold Haugen and family spent Snnday afternoon at the D. Haugen home.

Hanuah Haugen and Helen Romand visited Sunday at the Wm. Clark home

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson visited at the Peter Kolseth home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bernard Parantean and children whom has visited the past month with her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. Carlson left Thursday evening for their home at Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haugen and daughter visited Sunday at the Ole Hanson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hagen and family of Minneapolis are visiting with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Wilson and family visited at P. Peterson Monday evening.

Germ of Great Idea

The phonautograph, invented in 1855, was the first mechanical development for the registration and reproduction of speech.

Hope

Hope cures more grief than tears or prayers; it leads like a trusty guide through the deepest night.—American Magazine.

Original Oil Pipe Line

The first successful pipe line for transporting petroleum was one four miles long laid near Titusville, Pa., in 1865.

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A man who has submitted himself to discipline is innoculated against panic.—American Magazine.

Fight Evil at Start

Every evil in the bud is easily crushed; as it grows older it becomes stronger.—Cicero.

A NEW TEXACO MOTOR OIL

The Texas Company again demonstrates its leadership in the petroleum field with introduction of a vastly superior new product---a motor oil with a longer life and so clean and pure that it will measurably improve the performance of any automobile engine.

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MANDT OIL COMPANY

Melvin Anderson, Manager

St. Hilaire Minnesota

Who Won Those Bets?

By H. IRVING KING

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JOHN CRAMNER asked Amelia Washburn to be his wifa and sha said to him nay. "Oh, what do I care?" thought Johnny to himself as he left the house of the rejectful young lady, "there are just as good fish in the sea as ever were caught. I'll look around—go for a trip abroed, maybe. I'll find some girl who can eppreciate a first-class offer of marriaga when sha gets one."

And Amelia thought: "Johnny Cramner always was a conceited creature. Why, ha acted as if he lhought I would drop into his mouth lika a ripe plum. This will teach him a lesson. There are plenty of young men fully as desirabia as Johnny and not half so self-sufficienl who will be wiiling to see that I am not left to hraid St. Catherine's tresses."

The fact was that, in addition to being naturally endowed with the gift of self-appreciation, Amelia and Johnny bad been brought up to think extremely well of themselves. On the night of his rejection hy Amelia, John sought out a disreputable friend of his with whom he played cards and caroused—until all hours in the morning. To this friend he confided lha fact that Amelia Washburn had rejected him.

"Heart broken?" inquired the friend.

"Not a crack," replied Johnny.

"Then it's your vanity that has been wounded."

"Nonsense," cried Johnny, "I haven't any vanity and nothing is worrying me. Deal the cards."

Amelia's sleep was broken thet night. She was afraid she had not been gentle enough in her dismissal of Johnny, but then be only got what be deserved. No, she did not regret her action in the least. She would not marry John Cramner if he asked her fifty times. She could look higher, she hoped. At breakfast the next morning she reminded her father of that trip to California upon which he had beep promising to take her. And, the idea falling in with the father's inclinations, it was agreed that they should start for the climate state at once.

"It is high time I was considering the subject of matrimony," she told her father. "The first thing you know you will have an old maid on your hands. I want to look around the world and see people, and pick out a suitable person for a husband."

"Well, look around, then," replied Washburn. "See the many man of many climes; but I bet you a new car you marry a Naw York man after all."

"Against thet car I'll bet you a new hat thet I pick up a husband in my travels," retorted Fanny.

"I am going to sail on the Platouic, next Wednesday," Johnny told bis friend. "I shall taka a good look ehout the world aud probably bring hack a wifa with ma when I return. I am tired of a eingia life."

"Bet you a hundred you coma back eingia as you depert," said the friend.

"Bet you tha same I find e wife ehroad," said Johnny. And so it happened lhat while Amelia was speeding West by train, Johnny was speeding East by ateamer, both on e aimilar mission. When Johnny had tired of Europe he went un lo India and heyond. And when Amelia hed tired of lhe Pacific alope she pushed on to the Hawaiian islands and beyond.

Kipling hea said lhat "East la East and West is West, and never the twain shall meet." But ha was wrong ebont that—geographicelly, at any rale. They mel at the ona hundred and eightieth degree of longitude, ebont helf way across tha Pacific, where you gain a day or lose a day, depending upon which direction you are traveling. Also if, one person atarts West and keeps going, and another starts East and keeps going, there is every chance that they will meet somewhere on the trip. And thus il happened that Johnny and Amelia met in Tokyo, at an exceedingly expensive hotel—as most Japanese hotels are these days—and were actually gled to see each other.

A whole year had passed since that little proposal and rejection affair of theirs, and if you had witnessed their meeting you would have supposed that lhey had forgotten all ebout the trifling incident. But they hadn't and each was exceedingly curious to know if the other had been married, become engaged, or fallen in love in the meantime. Amelia was the first to exhibit her laudable curiosity. "Are you still unmarried?" she asked lightly.

"Yes," replied Johnny, "and you—are you Miss Washburn still?"

"I am," she replied calmly.

"Amelia," began Johnny earnestly, "just one year ago—" She looked al him keenly. There could be no doubt what he was going to say—he was going to renew that year-old proposal of his.

Amelia grasped the situation in an instant and broke in hastily. "You asked me if I was still Miss Washburn. I am—but I shall not be so very long, I think. I expect to be married as soon as I return to New York."

Johnny sat silent for a long time and then asked dolefully: "May I ask who is the fortunate men?"

"Why," laughed Amelia, "it's you—you goose. I have reconsidered my refusal of last year."

Now that is all right, and es it should be—but who won those bets?

Wife Outlived Disraeli

At the tima of lheir morriage Disraeli (Lord Beaconsfield) was thirty-five and his wifa was fifty. She lived to be eighty-three.

Ask for $30,000, Get $7 on Charges of Slander

Harrisburg, Pa.—Damages totaling $7 were awarded by a civil court jury here to Herman A. Carl, George M. Carl and Charles M. Carl, brothers, in their slander suits against William A. Lontz of West Hanover township. They alleged lhat Lontz had publicly called lhem chicken thieves, injuring their reputation. Tha defense was thet the suits grew out of country store gossip.

Awards of $1 each were made to Charles and Herman. George M. Carl was awarded $5. Each had claimed $10,000.

Town Being Torn Down So Coal Can Be Mined

Breslau.—The village of Buchwalde near Hoyersda, with a population of about 500, must disappear to permit the working of coal veins underlying it. Thirty-one of the village's 43 houses have already been torn down and the remaining 12 are now being wrecked. The coal deposits were discovered more than 20 years ago, but are only now being opened up. Most of the inhabitants of Buchwalde have gone to the neighboring village of Werninghoff, where they are employed in coal brickett factories.

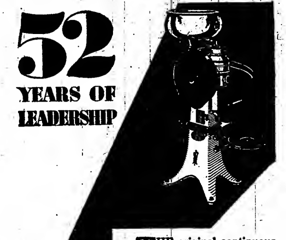
Get Big Surprise

Washington.—Many Washington residents were surprised to learn that tha site of the United States Capitol was once called Rome and tha nearby Anecostie river, the Tiber. These Latin names, according to Italian Ambassador Nobile Giacomo de Martino, were bestowed by an Englishman, Francis Pope, who owned the land in 1663.

Original "Samplers"

The word "sampler," applied to a certain kind of cross-stitch needlework, is derived from an old English word meaning "original" or "model." A sampler was supposed to exhibit various patterns for future copying.

De Laval



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LOCALS

The Red Lake Lake Falls-St. Hilaire Twins ball teams will meet the Mentor-Maple Lake team on local ground next Sunday afternoon.

Mesdames H. Haugen and O. Haugen will entertain the Norwegian Lutheran Ladies Aid at the church parlors Friday, July 18.

Thomas Hovet, who is employed on a farm near Hillsboro, N. D., came home Thursday to spend the Fourth at home of his mother, Mrs. Knute Kolstad.

Let your tires BUY a thousand miles of OIL. One gallon Pennsyvina OIL FREE with each G & J Tire at our new reduced prices July 12 to 26th. Gamhle Stores.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eid and son, of Gary, Minn., motored here the Fourth and spent the day with Mrs. Eid's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars A. Loherg and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Horsager and son motored here Friday from Edgeley, N. D., for a week-end visit at home of her mother, Mrs. Knute Kolstad. They returned home Monday.

Here is what you have been waiting for -- 50 ft. Double Douhle garden hose, reel and nozzle $4.25. July 12th to 26th only. Gamhle Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Miss Lulu Beehe, who is employed at Minneapolis, came up last Tbursday evening to spend a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beebe.

Rev. and Mrs. Alex Sand and family motored up Monday from Annandale for a visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Aug. Svenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Stapf and son, accompanied hy Alice Gigstad, are expected Sunday from St. Paul for a visit at the Gigstad home.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Simonson are expecting some members of their family home next Sunday for a visit.

Fisherman's Red Tag Special -- 20 percent off regular catalog prices on baits July 12th to 26th. FREE - with each can of Duco -7 Polish 5 yds. of knit polishing cloth. Gamble Stores.

Donald Patterson who is vacationingat Maple Lake, accompanied by his little niece Patsy Ann Ball, motored here yesterday for a visit at home of his sister Mrs. O. Gunstad.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Johnson and children motored Tuesday to Grand Forks to consult a specialist for their daughter, Eleanor, who has suffered with an eye affection for over a month. Mrs. Johnson and the children will spend a week at the Forks while the little girl is receiving treatment.

Red Tag Specials -- Guaranteed screw driver 3c, Limit 2. Canvas Gloves 5c a pair, limit 2 pair while they last. One day only Saturday, July 12th. Gamhle Stores.

Six miles of paving on T. H. No. 8 from Crookston east to Marcoux station have been completed. East end of the work was finished first. The crew is now at work on center part of the contract, and when this is done, will move into Crookston from which point they will complete the job.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Johnson of Glenfield, N. D., Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bjerk and Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell of Sykeston, N. D., Walter Bjerk, Lorraine Bjerk, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bjerk, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Haugen, and Mr. and Mrs. Nels Johnson of Holt were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen.

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25 Years Ago

The local fire department was sponsering a bowery dance here to be given July 15.

—XXV—

Because of the mad dog scare here, all dogs in the village were ordered muzzled for sixty days.

—XXV—

I. Dahlin closed up his affairs in town and moved out to his reservation claim for the summer.

—XXV—

Mike Fricker was rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl at his home.

—XXV—

Frank E. Hunt and wife of Red Lake Falls, were here for the Fourth. Tbey were regular visitors here whenever St. Hilaire celebrated.

—XXV—

St. Hilaire celebrated the Fourth in grand style. Rain fell during the evening, but aside from that, the day was well spent.

—XXV—

Tbe postoffice at Lambert was robbed of about $150.00. Three suspects were arrested here, but all proved they had no connection with the rohbery.

DANCE

At The
Hazel Hall
Hazel, Minn.

ON

Saturday, July 12th

Music By
Ellingson's Orchestra

COME! COME!
And bring your friends.
Have a good time.

From the Spanish

The word "alligator" is thought to be a corruption of the Spanish "el legarto." Hawkins employed the term "alegartoes" in 1568.

LOCALS

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leo Carpenter on July Fourth.

The ice cream social at the Ewing farm last evening was very well attended.

Carl Person and family have moved from west side of the tracks to the Westerlund house on Water street.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Peterson and family of Warren, came last week to spend a week's vacation at the home of Mr. Peterson's mother, Mrs. Anna Peterson, and with other relatives.

Due to legal requirements, transfer of the cemetery from the Swedish Lutheran church to the village, has been held up for some time. Practically everything is in readiness now to complete the transfer.

Miss Blanche Hoff, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Cephas Swanson, motored up last week-end from Minneapolis for a visit at home of their mother and sister, Mrs. S. M. Hoff and Mrs. Harry Winter.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Johnson of Glenfield, N. D., accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bjerk and child, and Mrs. Bjerk's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell of Sykeston, N. D., motored here Saturday, and visited until the following day at the Bjerk home.

A hig crowd attended the ice cream social given Tuesday evening on the lawn at the Harry Winter home. Rev. C. M. Grimsrud, and family, was present and he gave a talk suitable for the occasion which was greatly enjoyed. As many people from other points are home this week, the gathering was also occasion for re-union of former classmates and eld friends.

Comparative Fertility

America's foreign settlers, accustomed to tiny, rocky patches at home, regard a Vermont hillside much as a Vermonter regards three hundred acres of Iowa corn land.—Country Home.

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Orders taken now for either of the two grades of International and Minnesota twine.

Adolph Satterberg
Dealer in Farm Machinery
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Issues Its Own Stamps

The island of Lundy, in the Bristol channel, which is privately owned, has a special issue of stamps for the exclusive use of its 40 inhabitants.

Gift of Panama Republic

The Republic of Panama presented the Gorgas Memorial Institute with a building originally erected as a school of medicine.

Was New to Columbus

Columbus' records of his visit to Haiti include mention of a "nightingale" which sang by day and by night, and which was probably a mocking bird.

Temperance Association

The first "Band of Hope" was organized in England in 1847. A band of hope is any of many local temperance associations in the United Kingdom.

Horn-Rimmed Glasses

Horn-rimmed spectacles originated in China, and were called mandarin spectacles. They were introduced in the western world in Germany—that paradise for opticians—and were conveyed to America about 1907, where they were instantly a success because of their lightness and comfort.

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Missionary Lecture

Daniel Friberg, son of the late Dr. C. P. Friberg, missionary to China, and Russell Nelson as representatives of the Gustavus - Adolphus College Missionary Society, will give an illustrated lecture on missionary work in China, at the local Swedish Lutheran church, Thursday evening, July 24. This illustrated lecture portrays for you, China, its people, its interesting life, and the great need for the transforming power of the Gospel. Mr. Friberg has lived 15 years in China while his father was missionery there. Come and hear this lecture. It will give you a better insight into the great work being done in the missionary fields in China

Willmar Bank Robbed

After terrorizing customers and employees, five handits rohbed the Bank of Willmar, Minn., of a sum estimated to be near $50,000.00, in a daring raid Tuesday morning.

After scooping up all cash in sight, the bandits made their escape after wounding three hystanders by machine gun fire. Citizens, aroused by sounding of the hurglar alarm at the bank, opened fire on the bandits as they left town, and it is believed two of the handits were wounded.

Due to the unseasonably hot weather that has prevailed the past two weeks in Kansas, Nebraska, South Dakota and other states in the grain raising area, crops will produce less than was at first anticipated. In some places the yield will be cut hy half while in others the crops will be almost a total loss.

P. J. Gustafson, a former resident of this community, and new located at Gainshorough, Sask, came this week for a visit with his former neighbors southeast of here.

Donald and Mahel Patterson motored up yesterday from Minneapolis to spend a vacation at summer home of their mother at Maple Lake.

Miss Ann Hallemeck, who is employed in one of the govermental departments at Washington, D. C., is here for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hallemeck. She expects to return to Washington first part of next week.

Road Oiling Finished

Recoating of Trunk Highway No. 32 with oil, from outskirts of Thief River south thru here to the Red Lake county line, was completed today. Three truck outfits were on this job to spread gravel as fast as oil was applied which made travelling on the highway less unpleasant for motorists. The road is now in the best shape it has been since it was first graded.

Remodeling Garage

Twelve feet was cut off front end of the Erickson garage huilding a few days ago and the front set hack that distance to permit a better driveway to the Mandt oil station in corner of the property. Two pumps, instead of one, will be used hereafter, and other improvements will also be made that will add to appearance of the station.

Harry, son of County Commissioner Emil Larson, who has heen a patient at the hospital at Warren receiving treatment for severe burns sustained when the Larson home hurned ahout two months ago, will he ahle to return home in about a week.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Holte and daughter Evelyn accompanied by Miss Lenore Lunde motored to Minneapolis Tuesday where they attended the wedding of Miss Helen Lunde, the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. A. M. Lunde formerly of Crookston, now of Minneapolis on Wednesday to O. E. Serwold of Seattle. Miss Holte was bridesmaid and Miss Lenore Lunde maid of honor. The Holte family returned Thursday.: -Polk Co, Leader.

Miss Ruth Fairbanks of Chicago, a former resident of this village, is expected here latter part of this week for a visit at the home of Mrs. Carl Johnson.

There will be a Y. P. S. meeting at the home of Martin J. Peterson near Hazel next Sunday night, July 20th. A good program. You are welcome.

Mrs. Rose Lyon and her aunt, Mrs. Anna Newherg, who have visited a week at the Mrs. A. Gunstad and Chr. Molstad homes, left Saturday for St. Paul. Mrs. Newherg left from that point Monday for her home at Yakima, Wash.

Try a want adv.

Relief in Sight

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Miss Huldah Gigstad returned Saturday after spending a week with relatives at Bisbee, N. D.

The torrid wave which hegun July Fourth, and which caused many deaths in the Northwest, was ended hy cooler weather starting last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claus Gotthurg and three daughters motored here Monday from Schleswig, Iowa., for a visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Chr. Kruse, Sr., west of town.

Some of the early grain will be ready for harvest first of next week if present weather conditions continue. As a whole, crops in this locality have never looked better than they do now.

William and Ed Engh have commenced work of remodeling the Odd Fellow building to permit installation of the new Peoples Oil Company service station on front end of the lots.

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Stapf, accompanied hy her mother and sister, Mrs. K. O. Gigstad and Miss Huldah Gigstad, motored Monday morning to Winnipeg and returned here late that night.

Mrs. Theo. Skatrud, who underwent an operation at a Duluth hospital last week. is reported to be regaining her strength and convalescing rapidly which will be good news to her many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brink and child returned here this week after having spent last winter and spring at the Brink ranch at Eight Point, Montana. Albert states grain and forage crops are not extra good in Montana this year because of lack of rain.

Friends here have received word that twin sons were horn to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carpenter of Crookston, July 10. Mother and hahies are reported to be doing well. Mrs. Carpenter was formerly Mabel Remington, a resident of this village some years ago.

Four blocks of the main street here where frost-boils heaved the roadway so hadly last spring, were given a double coating of oil this week while T. H. No. 32 was being recoated. By detouring traffic to Water street, should boils appear next spring, the highway maintenance crew hopes to keep the road in good shape.

A good sized crowd attended the dance gi ven last Saturday evening at the hall at Hazel.

Miss Martha Launa was down Sunday from her home at Middle River for a visit with friends.

County Attorney H. O. Berve motored down Friday from Thief River Falls to attend to matters of husiness.

Henry W. Peterson and family returned last week-end to their home at Warren after spending a most enjoyable vacation at home of his mother and other relative.s

A fine rain fell over this section Friday night. The rain was accompanied by high wind, and some instances are reported where corn was damaged.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Thorvick and children, of Minneapolis, were guests Friday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Larson.

A number of people from this village and surrounding community attended the Women's Missionary Federation convention which was held Tuesday at tbe Augustana church at Thief River Falls.

A new car of British make hut of American manufacture, called the Austin Bantam, has made its appearance on the market in this section. The car is smaller and has narrower thread than any other made in this country.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackson and daughter motored here first of the week from McIntosh, S. D., for a visit with her relatives at Red Lake Falls and with Mr. Jackson's here. Mr. Jackson has a very good position as cashier of a bank at McIntosh.

Mrs. Ole Johnson and daughters returned home Sunday from Grand Forks where little Eleanor Johnson had received treatment for an eye affliction. The little one is much improved, and prohahilities are she may entirely recover without an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Just have recently returned from Detroit, Mich., where they have been located for some time. Mrs. Just is visiting relatives near Red Lake Falls, and Mr. Just is here for a visit with his father, Emil Just. Harry states labor conditions are not good at Detroit, many plants there operating only two and three days a week.

4H Club Tour Today

Annual tour of 4H Club members in this locality takes place today. The young people left this morning for a trip to several farms in vicinity of Wylie. At noon they will return here and in the afternoon will visit several farms east of town as well as viewing projects within the village. A picnic dinner at the Jepson farm during the afternoon will conclude the tour.

Have Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Stearns and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Stearns of Minneapolis, accompanied hy Miss Bertha Torreson of Amboy, Minn., and Pearl Simonson of Crandon, Wis., came Saturday evening for a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Simonson. Mr. O. J. Stearns, accompanied by Mrs. Oscar Gigstad and Lulu Beebe, who have visited at their homes, returned Sunday to Minneapolis. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Stearns left Monday for a visit at his parental home at Langdon, N. D., before they return home.

Here From Minneapolis

J. W. Black, president of the Merchants State Bank, as well as the First National at Thief River Falls and the Marshall County State Bank at Holt, was here for several days last week-end looking after business matters. Besides his hank interests in this section, Mr. Black is owner of a large farm two miles northeast of here in the operation of which he is greatly interested.

Reports from sections farther south in the state indicate the hay crop will he smaller than usual, this year. While the crop in this section is not as heavy as in some former years, there is sufficient for all home use, and there will likely be a surplus which can be sold next winter at good price to the less fortunate sections.

A party was given Thursday last at the R. M. Larson home, the following being present: Mrs. A. F. Nelson and daughter Gunhild, Mrs. H. O. Jackson, Mrs. O. Hallstrom, Mrs. A. P. Hegstrom and daughter Lulu, Mrs. John Scholin and daughter Alyce, Mrs. C. Person and children, and Mrs. C. L. Sandberg and children and Mrs. M. Sandberg of Holt.

Rev. Dahle's Father Dies

Rev. M. L. Dahle received word this week th at his father, Lars A. Dahle, had died June 18th, at his home at Hoyansfjorden, Norway, at the advanced age 84 years and six months. Mr. Dahle is survived by this widow and a family of eight children. Of the latter, three are in this county, Rev. L. M. Dahle of St. Hilaire, John of Kenyon, Minn., and Miss Anna Dahle at Chicago. The other children, Andreas, Sirged, Sjur, Marta and Elias all reside in Norway.

Lars Dahle held several public offices in his district in the old county, and also greatly interested in agriculture; he being a graduate of the agriculture school in his community.

Horseshoe Tournament Held

The local annual horseshoe pitching tournament was held Sunday at the Benson grounds near town. Two teams consisting of Jake and Dick Bohlen, Mike Highland and Paul Roy, played a series of 23 games which was won by the latter 12 to 11, thus establishing Highland and Roy as champions, and also giving them the annual trophy, a rubber icepick. Another team that has claimed championship qualifications, found it convenient to he out of town during the day which disqualifies them for honors, hut gives them the privilege of carrying the shoes to the grounds for the champions, in future games.

A good sized crowd turned out Sunday for the baseball game scheduled to be played here between the Red Lake Falls-St. Hilaire Twins and the Mentor-Maple Lake hall club. After waiting more than an hour for the latter club to show up, two pickup teams were chosen from those gathered at the grounds, and a game played. No reason is given for non-appearance of the Mentor-Maple Lake aggregation.

Miss Irene Larson, daughter of Emil Larson of Bray, returned Tuesday to her nursing work at the New Ashhury hospital at Minneapolis after having spent a three week vacation at home.

The St. Pauli summer school closed with a picnic last Sunday at the Ole Lian place. Miss Grace Dahle was instructor of the school this season.

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Enjoy the real satisfaction and feel of security that comes with a steadily growing savings account. Every deposit increases the strength of your financial independence. Regardless of how small it may be, there must, nevertheless, be a starting point. Make you first deposit today, and add to it faithfully. We maintain a special Saving department for your convenience.

Merchants State Bank

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Market Quality Cream

Just a little extra care in handling of cream determines whether it grades L. O. L. or lower. Your creamery can get best results by manufacturing butter from highest quality cream, and such butter also brings the highest market price. It means dollars in the pockets of all our patrons if we can get top prices for our product. Let's co-operate.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

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Crews of magazine solicitors have been numerous in this community lately. Their chief claim for patronage seems to be that they desire to attend some university, and want the small town folks to buy something they can get along well without, so this aim may be achieved. Were all such solicitors bonest, it might be alright to buy from tbem, but there are many crooks engaged in that line whose aim is to get the casb without giving any return. The safest way to deal with such people is to close the door when they call.

Police officers in many towns has issued warnings to their people to avoid cashing checks for strangers. There appears to be a gang operating thruout the Northwest st this time who make a husiness of cashing bum checks.

When a stranger comes in, especially a good looking woman, who makes a purcbase and does not have quite enough cash to pay the bill, but presents a check requiring some cbange besides the the goods bought, then look out.

Crooks also wait until banks close and then call at the filling station or store, make a purchase and present a check large enough so as to get some casb out of the deal.

Giving strangers your personal check in lieu of change is bad practice too, and many such checks have been returned raised to several times the original amount called for.

Much fsvorable comment is heard on action of a nearby hakery reducing the price of its bread from the wartime price of 15 cent a loaf to 13 cents. Witb flour and other ingredients needed in making of bread, now lowest in price for many years, there apparently is no reason for charging 15 cents. In the Twin Cities bread retails at 5 and 8 cents for the one pound, and the 24 ounce loaf, respectively.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Scientist Finds There Are 57 Varieties of 'It'

Cleveland.—The following facts ebout "It"—more soberly known as "personality"—were revealed here in the annual report of Dr. Henry C. Schumacher, directing psychiatrist of tha Child Gnidance clinic:

There are 57 varieties of "It."

The leck of any one of them may make a psychological problem of a child.

Of the 1,112 abnormal children observed in the clinic last year all lacked one or more of the 57 varieties.

Famous personalities, "people you like to know," are that way hecausa they heve all the 57 varieties in the heet proportions.

Robin Halts Work on Milwaukee Man's Home

Milwaukee.—W. F. Schellin hes stopped repair work on his honse. That is robin redhreast's fault.

Bricklayers had completed a veneer on the house as bigh as the second floor when Schellin called a halt. There was a robin's nest on a second-floor window sill with three eggs in it.

Mr. Schellin would like to get the repair work done. He does not, however, intend to permit a wall of hrick to interfere with an event to which a certain mother robin has heen looking forward for quite some time.

This Week

by ARTHUR BRISBANE

Mussolini and Kemal
What Is Education?
Affection, Then Science
Women in Business

Mussolini interests Europe and causes excitement in France, proposing an alliance with Germany.

France understands that the suggestion calls for a military alliance, or, at least, an agreement that Germany will remain neutral in case of an Italian-French war.

Mussolini ought to know what such an alliance really means when war really starts.

In 1914, Italy had an alliance with Germany, and the kaiser was foolish enough to think it would stand up.

When Kemal Pasha, boss of Turkey, makes war, he makes war. You remamber that Mussolini threatened him, and Kemal replied: "If you send Italian soldiers against me, the difficulty will ba to find room to bury the number that I shall kill."

A dispatch from Turkey tells how Kemal trapped 1,000 rebellious Kurds in his Zeylan river valley, and killed every one, granting no quarter.

That sounds like old days when Mohammed himself was leader, and later when western Europe whispered in awe tha name of "The Grand Turk."

Edncators, between the closing and opening of schools, discuss "What Is Education What Should It Do? How Can We Form the Young?" etc.

Educators should start with the meaning of the word "educate" and stick to that. It means "to lead out," to hring out of the youthful mind and capacity that which is in it. It does not mean to force the opinions of teachers on that yonthful mind.

Dealing with raw materials, science and industry "educate" those meterials hy bringing out the best that is in them.

They seek for hardness in steel, for resiliency and wear in ruhber. They don't try to make ruhher of steel, or steel of rubber. Bnt that is exactly the process applied to many young minds.

And for thet reason, in reading the biographies of many successful men, you find that their first proof of real ability was ability to evede the process of education.

And their greatest good fortune was an irregular education, or none.

Doctor Frankel, learned Metropolitan Life expert, says the philosophic mind rules the child hest.

Between the ages of three and fifteen, according to Doctor Frankel, each child goes through all the various etages through which the human race as a whole has passed, from the Stone age to the present day.

"The philosophic mind," knowing that a young child is a young harharian, and cannot be enything else, does not foolishly expect too much and force the child to he a hypocrite.

However, one thing is more important in the hringing up of children than the philosophic mind, or anything else, and that is affection, and especially the love of a mother.

No science can take tha place of that.

It is to the mind's expansion and healthy growth what food is to the body. There is no substitute.

Mrs. Edison wants women to go hock to the home hecause they "lose prestige in husiness."

"Deep down in her heart, every woman wants a home," the distinguished ledy told her hearers. That is true, but every home needs a man to support it and protect it.

Between "losing prestige" and washing dishes and clothes for an incompetent male, the intelligent woman decides to relinquish a little prestige.

If every one could find a husband lika Thomas A. Edison the problem would be easy.

Snppose you suddenly learned that your grandmother used to walk a tight rope on one foot, her other foot held high in the air. You'd he shocked.

But you would not he as seriously shocked as ten million British old ledies, male and female, suddenly informed that Queen Mary actually smokes cigarettes.

She smokes only two, one after luncheon, one after tea. But she does smoke.

Her marvelonsly complicated Victorian hats, skirts helow her ankles, stately carriage, dignified expression, cannot make the horrified millions forget the three dreadful words: Queen Mary smokes.

Lindhergh gives the League of Nations transit section detailed suggestions for aviation. Standardization of airways, uniform markings and signals, a comprehensive meteorological and radio reporting system, uniform regulations for clearing, are suggested.

The recommendations are sound, but the people are too husy to pay attention to recommendations, from no metter how high a source.

A big city is New York, amazing in growth. Losing hundreds of thousands of population migrating to outlying suburbs, New York city, in the last ten years, has gained in population 1,835,315, more than 23 per cent.

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Citation for Hearing on Petition For Probate of Will

Estate of Nels Johnson

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Prohate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Nels Jobnson Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to Martha Jobnson, Henry Johnson, Hjalmar Johnson, Anna Johnson, and Edward Johnson, and all persons interested in the allowance and probate of the will of said decedent: The petition of Martha Johnson being duly filed in tbis court, representing that Nels Johnson, then a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, died on tbe 17th day of June 1930, leaving a last will and testament wbich is presented to this court with said petition, and praying that said instrument be allowed as the last will and testament of said decedent, and that letters Testamentary be issued thereon to Martha Jobnson, NOW THEREFORE, you, and each of you, are herehy cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this court, at the Prohate Court Rooms in the Court House, in City of Thief River Falls, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 26tb day of July 1930, at 10 o'clock A. M., why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS THE HONORABLE, Lars Backe Judge of said court, and tbe seal of said court, this 30th day of June 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
J3-17

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

Not Exactly Lost, but—

I HAVE elways been interested in the character of Daniel Boone. It seemed to me that of ell our netive Indien fighters end explorers he, perheps, was the most gallent end the most admirahle, and certeinly the most typicel.

A few months ego a collector of eerly Kentucky lore told me e etory of the great pethfinder. I leaped npon it with cries of joy. I said to myself thnt if it were not trne, it nevertheless deserved to he trne. So fer es my informent knew, it had never heen printed, hut instead he thought had heen handed down hy word of mouth from one generation to another. So I wes making reedy to leep into the arena with e hrand new contribution to pioneer Americena when I sustained e severe shock.

This shock was the discovery that the same unecdote, in substentielly the same form in which I heard it told hy my Kentucky friend, elreedy had appeared in print. Indeed it was published e trifling metter of 102 years ego. Even so, I offer it here egoin for the reason thet I helleve it hes a touch of nnconscious humor entitling it to revival and perpetuation.

It uppeors that in 1819 Chester Harding, an urtist, heing prompted hy e potriotic impulse, mede the long journey from his home on the eastern seahoard to Missouri, which then wes in the Far West, for the purpose of meeting the eged Boone and peinting his portrait. At tha time of Herding's arrival Boone hed left his home and gone on one of his periodical outings into the wilderness. The visitor followed nlong en obscure trail until he came to a tumhle-down log shanty.

To qnote Herding's words: "I found him engaged in cooking his dinner. He wae lying in his hunk near the fire and had a long strip of venison wound around his ramrod, and was husy turning it before a brisk hlaze and using pepper and salt to season his meat.

"I et once told him the object of my visit. I found that he hardly knew what I meant. I explained the matter to him and he agreed to sit. He wes nearly ninety years old and rather infirm; his memory of passing events was much impaired yet he would amuse me every day by his anecdotes of his earlier life. I asked him one dey, just after his description of one of his long hunts, if he never got lost, heving no compass. 'No,' said he, 'I can't say as ever I was lost, hut I was hewildered once for three days.'"

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Aye, There's the Rub!

The eimple life is good enough—if you could only make a living at it.—Terre Haute Trihune.

Hospital Equipment

Clinical thermometers were introdnced into a few hospitals in the United States in 1867.

Work of the Lungs

The average adult breathes 15 to 18 times a minute.

Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the Total Sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Twenty and No-100 ($1420.00) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest, all of which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage made, executed and delivered by G. C. Gulrud, and Olena Gulrud, his wife, Mortgagors to Gretta Gulrud, whose present name is Gretta McKinney, Mortgagee, which said Mortgage bears date of October 21st, 1926, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of October 1926, at 10 o'clock A. M., and recorded in said Office in Book 76 of Mortgages, on page 269 thereof,

AND WHEREAS, by reason of said Default the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained has become operative, and No Action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or otherwise to recover the the Debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises desribed in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

"Beginning at the Southeast corner of Block Eight (8), of the Townsite of Goodridge, Minnesota, according to the Official Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, thence WEST along the South Line of said Block a distance of Ninety-three and 87-100 (93-.87) feet; Thence North One Hundred fifty (150) feet; Thence East to the East Line of said Block Eight (8), and Thence South along the East Line of said Block Eight (8) to the point of beginning," all in Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 16th day of August 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said Debt of $1420.00, together with interest to the date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and the Statutory amount of Attorney's fees allowed by Law, and the Costs and Disbursements allowed by law, subject to Redemption at any time within One Year from the Day of Sale as provided by Law.

Dated this 1st day of July, 1930.

Gretta McKinney,
formerly Gretta Gulrud,
Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
Attorney for Mortgagee.
J3-A7

Dagger Pierced Heart Is Grim Gift to Actress

Ancona, Italy.—A bleeding heart pierced hy a small gold dagger with a diamond studded handle and placed in an elaborately prepared box was presented to Nanda Primavera, one of the most popular stars on the Italian vaudeville stage.

The box adorned with flowers was presented to the actress at the end of the second act of a musical comedy she was playing here.

When Nanda opened the box she thought at first that the heart was a chocolate confection or some knick knack filled with candies or perhaps a toy, interpreted as a symbolic gift from some unknown silent lover, but upon lifting the heart out of the box she discovered it was indeed real flesh, and terror stricken dropped it on the stage and fled to the dressing room with the chorus girls.

The police took possession of the strange gift and decided it was the heart of an animal.

Wyandotte News

Mr. and Mrs. David, Daniel Hangen and Mrs. Omott and Mrs. John Brekke visited Snnday afternoon at the P. Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Osmnnson and danghter come from Felton Minn. Friday to visit with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Hallin and son spent Sunday visiting at the Martin Berg home.

Mr. and Mrs. H Hanson of St Hilaire visited Snnday at the C Carlson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson and danghter and Charly Samnelson motored Sunday to Clay County. On their return they were accompanied by Mrs. Anderson's sister.

The school board of Dist. 125 met at the P. Kolseth home to transact business Seturday evening.

The Clearwater annual picnic will be held at the Theo. Olson farm Sunday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. Everyone welcome.

Mr. O. Wilson and Goodwin called et the D. Haugen home Friday evening.

River News

Mrs. Geo. Walker and Mrs. N. Helm of Red Lake Falls spent Tuesday afternoon at the H. Jepson home.

Misses Florence and Bernetta Seeger of Oklee spent last week at the Fred Ulrich home.

Lester Larson spent a few days at the Gust Larson home

Mr. and Mrs. F. Erdmann and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. Seeger and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Seeger and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. Thode and family and Mr. and Mrs. N. Tbode of Red Lake Falls, enjoyed a picnic dinner at the Fisher Community gronnds Sundey.

Misses Helene end Maria Erdmaun spent Sunday afternoon with their friend Miss Selma Helgeson of Fisher.

Paul Gieseke left Monday by car for New Ulm to look after his farming interest.

Rev. Elmer Linstsd spent Monday afternoon at the L. P. Thyren home.

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

Only American Bills, So He Threw Them Away

Paris.—Young Georges Bapret isn't nearly as bright a fellow as he had thought. Employed as a plumher's assistant, ha arrived at work in the home of an American family resident here, and what did Mr. Bapret see hut a pocketbook stuffed in a corner of the divan. He took the pocketbook, hut did not dare investigate the contents till he got home. Then he discovered, to his disgust, that inside the pocketbook were not honest francs but strange pieces of paper colored green and hlack, with cabalistic signs all over them in script he did not understand. So young Mr. Bapret threw them in the wastebasket.

When the police came they retrieved $55 in American hills and led Mr. Bapret to the nearest police station, where his future instruction ought to include some details of financial exchange.

Ohio Woman Gets Ample Cash With Her Decree

Reno.—Mrs. Helen Werner Catchings of Columbus, Ohio, granted a divorce on grounds of cruelty, receives a settlement of $1,000,000, an annuity of $100,000, and an additional $50,000 a year for the children.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Hastings—3,000 persons attended the diamond juhilee services commemorating the 75th anniversary of the founding of the Guardian Angel Catholic church here.

Taylors Falls—Memhers of Luther Leagues of the Chicago state district Lutheran Conference attended their annual convention at the First Swedish Lutheran church here.

Le Sueur—St. Thomas parish will have its second annual homecoming on the parish grounds July 20. The St. Thomas haseball team and Belle Plaine nine will compete.

Shakopee—A large livestock harn at Mndcura sanetorium two miles west of here was destroyed hy fire hut employees, at work in tha structure drove a half hundred cows to sefety.

Brooten—The railroed and warehouse commission heard an epplication of the Lake Region Motor Transportation Company to extend its Twin City-Eden Valley line 46½ miles to Brooten.

Stanton—Robbery of the State hank of Stanton was foiled when its 22-yeer old cashier, Richard Jacohson grappled with the handit and disarmed him, turning him over to the Goodhue county sheriff.

Hastings—The Hickok Construction Company of Minneepolis has heen awarded the contract for constrnction of a 350,000-hushel addition to the King Midas mill here. Work will start immediately.

Fosston—The Northwestern Minnesota Agricultural Society is sponsoring an exposition et Fosston, August 28 to 30. The first of the two Polk county fairs was held et Fertile in a three-day showing.

Duluth—Dedication of the new assembly hall at the northeastern Minnesota experimental station, now under construction, will take piece in November with public ceremonies. The hall will cost $15,000.

Belle Plaine—Hundreds of delegates from Lntheran brotherhoods end Luther Leagues of the St. Peter district comprising 10 organizetions, held a three-dey meeting et West Union, seven miles west of here.

Alexandria—Preperations heve heen made to entertain upwards of 800 persons at the annuel conventions of the Minnesota Associetion of Rurel Letter Carriers and auxiliery organizetions here July 31 to August 2.

Duluth—Daniel G. Cash, 87 years old, Civil war veteran and one of the first practising ettorneys of Duluth, died at his home here. He was at one time pert owner of the Duluth Herald and hes lived in Duluth 61 years.

Blooming Prairie—A purebred Holstein of the C. Ditlevson & Sons herd in the Blooming Prairie Cow Testing Association led individual enimals in hutterfat production for June with 1,575 pounds of milk end 58.2 of hutterfat.

Cloquet—Senator George Nordlin of St. Paul was the principal speeker here at the dedication of the new cluhhouse of the local Freternal Order of Eegles. The dedication followed a three-day celebration of the twenty-fifth enniversery of the Cloquet eirle.

Rochester—Cleude Owen, resident near here, was indicted on a third degree murder cherge by a grend jury in connection with the death of Eileen Robinson, seven months old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Rohinson. She wes injured fetally when the car in which she was riding was struck by one driven hy Owen.

Minneapolis—Of the 150 recruits from the thirteen Northwest states that graduated from the recruit training course at the navel treining school, five were ontstanding in the competition held in every graduating class for the designation of the honor recrnit of a class. Of these five, two were Minnesota boys. Earl Weidhoff of North Brench won second place in the competition end Lenord Bergstrom of Minneepolis attained an everage for the nine weeks conrse thet stood him fonrth in the company competition.

Minneapolis—The Nevy Department has announced the promotion of the following hluejeckets whose homes are in Minnesota: F. Sweet, St. Peul, electrician's mate first class; F. A. Dreissen, St. Cloud, machinists mate second class; D. J. Schmit, Tauntou, to watertender second class; V. G. Osheck, Willmar, yeoman second class; N. D. Niles, Albert Lea, ship's cook second class; W. A. Schluter, Minneapolis, coxswain; L. J. Scribner, Minneapolis, storekesper third class; A. Witkowski, Big Falls, gunners mate third class; G. Schultz, Minnesota Lake, electricians mate third class; M. A. Smith, Mankato, radioman third class; J. C. Ramanoski, Sturgeon Lake, carpenters mate third class; H. L. Torske, Ade, sail makers mate third class. The following were promoted to the rating of seeman first class: A. N. Belle, Luverne; A. G. Johnson, Peyne; E. Beaudrey, Red Lake Falls.

St. Peter—Nicollet county farms were heing visited hy 4-H members to see how the other fellow does his farming and how the other girl carries forward her clnh projects. In charge were County Agent R. A. Fischer, Mrs. William Seltzer, Miss Lucy Mans and Hilda Bartlet, club leader.

Austin—To unfold a geological story as told in the rocks underlying this area, Boy Scouts of the Cedar Valley region will become scientists with $700 in prizes as inducements. University of Minnesota geologists will direct the study here in co-operation with Scout officials of the Cedar Valley council.

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25 Years Ago

Ten extra lots were bought by the school district as an additioo to the school grounds.

—XXV—

Surveying parties were staking out a new railroad to run from Duluth out into Dakota. This is now known as the Wheat Lioe ot the Soo.

—XXV—

E. H. Wells of Wyandotte had three horses killed by the Soo train when they wandered onto the tracks.

—XXV—

The north bridge here was condemned as unsafe. Plans were made for rebuilding it.

—XXV—

Rural free delivery of mail to people north and west of here was soon to start.

—XXV—

W. A. Sorsoliel went over to Langdon, N. D., to visit his daughters who were teaching school there.

—XXV—

Census figures showed that St. Hilaire had a population of 911 at that time.

Library Book Out 50 Years on Loan, Back

Kingston, Ont.—Officials of the Kingston public library did not bother to compute the amount due in overtime fines when H. P. Robinson returned "Beauties of English History," which had been "out ou loan" for more than 50 years.

The book, edited by J. Frost, LL.D., and published in 1840 hy Harper and Brothers, New York, came into Robinson's possession a year ago. Recently he discovered the book had been borrowed from the Midland district circulating library, a forerunner of the present library.

LOST WHITE TRIBE IS FOUND IN INDIA

Discovered in Jungle by Russian Scientist.

Calcutta.—Doctor Jeroslav, a Russieu scientist, who has recently returned from a visit to the heert of the Marie country in the jungle of India, brings beck the intelligence that e long lost white race still exists emid tha jungles of that section.

Doctor Jaroslav is planning shortly to return to continue bis investigations. As e result of his statemente scientists end students of bistory are aeking if the Russian has come upon a long lost white race.

If so, how long have they been there? What is their origin? Are they descendants of Alexander's veterans, who entered India after their unparalleled succession of triumphs ovar the Persians more than 2,000 years ago?

Alexander the Great, king of Mecedon, in 327 B. C., invaded India. He reached tha Hydaspes, now known as the Jelum, aud there defeated and took prisoner Porus, an Indien king. Thence he penetrated as far as the Garra, where bis weary troops refused to proceed farther. Alexander was then forced to order the retreat, and sailed down the Jelum with some of his troops, while the remainder marched in two divisions along the hanks. So much is history.

A surmise, which almost amounts to a certainty, suggests that a portion of those troops which were marching on the bank were so worn out and disheartened that they took advantage of the temporary relaxation of discipline caused by Alexander's absence to desert from the main column. They then settled in the pleasant land in which they had found themselves.

It is the descendants of these men, driven end herried from place to place hy a succession of invaders, that Doctor Jaroslav contends he bas found in the Maria. They are one of the most primitive peoples of India, who have long been a source of study and bewilderment to ethnologists.

Early Stamp Collectors

The first national society of stamp collectors in the United States was the Philatelic society, which was founded in 1886.

THE OLD LOVE-SEAT BIG ENOUGH FOR TWO

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

EVE MORGAN stood at the window in the south gable of the old gray house gazing out at the river where the pond-lilies were just coming to creamy, fragrant bloom. An old flat-bottomed boat lay bleaching in the sunshine among the lily-pads. It was a bit of genre that would have made an artist's eyes sparkle, but Eve did not even see it. She could only hear the voice of the auctioneer coming up from below. Mr. Bell had a perfect lingo calculated to make auctioned articles go off like hot cakes. But the things were not going off like hot cakes. Eve knew why. Folks had come from miles around out of sheer curiosity to see how the last descendant of the high-uosed Morgan tribe was taking the humiliations of adversity. She was taking it ill, but she kept out of sight, up here in this small, low-ceiling room, with the door locked.

Already she had torn her handkerchief into shreds for she would uot cry. Tears did no good. Tears did not hring back one who was dead or produce mouey where there was uone, or inspire love where there was only indifference. She had tested all that. It was hurting ber cruelly to sell the sacred accumulation of three generations of Morgans, but what else could she do? She could not live in the house any louger because she could no longer meet the demands of the mortgage. She could not take the furniture with her where she was going—into a furnished room in town. And she had to have some money to pay her way through business school. The last of the Morgans was going to be a typist—if she knew enough for the job. The kind of education she hed received was not very stimulative of mental energy.

"How much you offerin' fer this table? . . . Fifty cents? Come, uow, raise that to seventy-five—seventy-five I'm offered. Make it eighty—eighty, once; eighty, twice; eighty, three times! Sold to Miss Quilter."

"I wish I'd made a bonfire of the whole mess," Eve thought bitterly. "And I need money so. Oh!"

Voices on the stairs. Fat steps approaching. Voices. She knew them. Mrs. Peck and Mary Osgood snooping up here to find where she'd gone. They tried the door handle. "I bet a cooky she's in there," Mary whispered.

From below the euctioneer starting in again. "Here's this sofa. Whet say, Miss Hoyt? Whet's thet you call it? A love-seat!" A burst of laughter which drowned the auctioneer's witticism. Eve put her hand to her slim white throat. The love-seat. Just big enough for two. Many was the time thet she had sat there of an evening with Joe Russell, playing checkers, holding the board on their knees and laughing when all the men slipped off outo the carpet and they had th hegin over again. Not thet it mattered. They hated to beat each other. Eve had believed—

She was uear the hreaking point. Those women! They were coming beck. The window was open. It was on the side of the house opposite from where the auctiou was going on. The boughs of the old apple tree scraped the siding. She had gone down thet way before. Leaning out, she took firm bold of the friendly hranch. She slipped down the tree trunk. Somebody was shaking the door handle. "Anybody in here?" Eve's feet touched the ground. She fled toward the river. Climhing into the boat, she pushed it off into deep water. She had uo oars. She floated down with the current.

The uoise of the auction grew fainter and fainter. The boat leaked. She hed to put ber feet up in order to keep them dry. It came to her that it wouldn't be such a had idea to go drifting on—on until one sank in the water-logged boat. An evil thought, unworthy of the Morgans.

She'd have to walk back. But by tha time she got there the auction would be over.

The boat drifted on for half a mile, then nosed in under the old covered bridge. A spurt of dust in the distance marked the approach of a car. The sedan thundered into the bridge, came through, stopped. Eve, looking up from her boat, saw a man leaning from the open door of his car looking down at her. Their glances met, clung together, spellbound.

It was a meeting of chance. Joe Russell was not looking for Eve down there, and Eve was certainly not looking for Joe up there. Suddenly without speaking he started on [illegible] the bridge approach [illegible] the road [illegible] and came bounding down through the meadow to the very point where Eve was trying frantically to [illegible] without getting her feet wet. He stepped in and gave her a hand. [illegible] stood close, face to face.

"I wondered why you weren't attending your own auction," he said. "I stopped there as I came by." His lean face under sunny hair softened into an expression half tender, half mischievous. Turning to the car he opened the back door and hauled forth the love-seat. Placing the little sofa in a convenient position under the willow he invited Eve to sit down.

"Joe!" Tremhling, sobhing, laughing, Eve sank down upon the love-seat. Joe stood gazing down at her.

"I couldn't let that go for a song," he said. "I had a joh getting it ewey from Mrs. Quilter, though. Eve! Do you know if I just hadn't happened to get hold of the fact that yon were holding that auction today this—" He made a sweep of his hand toward the love-seat—"might hava been riding up Berry hrook this moment on Gus Quilter's wagon."

Eve shivered.

"I hadn't seen you in eo long I thought yon'd forgotten me," she said.

"That was your feult, Eve. Remember you're a Morgan and I'm a Russell. Though I will say I'm struggling hard to get away from the traditions of my family—"

Eve's eyes turned from his to the sedan. His gaze made her heart beat wildly, which quickening, after the leaden sinking occasioned by quite different emotions, was terrihly disturbing. It seemed as if ber cheeks were on fire.

"What else you got in there?" she asked, tremulously, pointing to the sedan, pretending to be amused.

Joe hauled forth a chair, a table, a little framed picture of Eva herself, a blue pitcher and a strip of faded rag carpet. He laid the carpet et Eve's feet, placed the table before her, placed the chair beside the table, put the pitcher on the table end leaned the picture against tha pitcher. He emiled shyly, wistfully.

"Sit down in that chair, Joe," Eve said.

"What's tha matter with the love-seat? It used to hold both of us."

It was a tense moment. Silent as if a dream were stealing hy. And then it all came true, the dream. It came blissfully, ahsurdly true there under the willow heside the river. She and Joe clinging together, kissing, vowing vows. Just man end girl. All thought of Russell and Morgan banished forever. In the old love-seat.

Japanese Flowers in National Capital Park

Japanese flowering cherries differ widely in fruiting hahits, depending on the variety of tree and on tha climate, says Pethfinder Magazine. So far as known, the double-flowered varieties do uot produce fruit anywhere and only occasionally is fruit found on the semi-double forms. The single-flowered varieties, which grow wild in Japan, do hear fruit, hut very sparingly except in certain regione.

For centuries the Japanesa hava looked upon these ornamental cherries with an edmiration hordering on reverence, and their horticulturists heve devoted mnch tima to the development of new varieties. Although such trees were hrought to the United States as early as 1863, and there are now many collections in this country, the hest known and most popular collection is tha large group in Potomac park, Washington, D. C.

The first Japanese flowering cherries planted on puhlic ground in Washington were purchased in 1909 by Mrs. William Howard Taft. In 1910, upon the suggestion of the Japanese consul general et New York, the city of Washington received 2,000 trees as e gift from the city of Tokyo. This antire consignment, howaver, was ordered burned hy tha government because tha trees were infested with insect pests and plant diseases. Tokyo then sent another cousignment of more than 3,000 trees, which were planted in Potomac park.

Seek Uses for Waste Straw

The metter of finding soma usa for the great quantity of weste straw that is annually destroyed in the western part of Caneda has been given some earnest ettention by the Canadian government throngh its research hureau, the Canedian Pacific railway and innumerable industrial development boards and chambers of commerce. The first step has heen recently accomplished hy the estahlishment of a factory et Regina for the manufecture of metal reinforced huilding board mede entirely from tha waste straw of tha farm. Tha volume of this meterial which has heretofore gone to waste in western Canada cannot be less than 10,000,000 tons every year and it is constantly increasing and it is hoped to maka use of the Regina process for the manufecture of building hlocks of the meterial.

Chinese Hunt Ideal Girl

Even the Chinese are hunting for the ideal girl. A youth of Shanghai recently wrote in a periodical: "The modern Chinese girl must embody all the ancient virtues and all the modern ideals. She must he smart, hut not extravagant. She must he sociable, but not bolsterous. Sha must uuderstand politics, hut not practice them. She must recognize e man's rights, hut must not insist on her own. She must he at once a mate and a maid." He admits that he has been unable to find her.

"Passion Play" Salaries

There are no definite amounts paid to the actors who take part in the "Passion Play" et Oberammergau, Germany. Some years ago there was $100,000 to distribute among the villagers after the season closed. Of this sum the principal players received $375 each for 47 performances, which lasted from the middle of May to the end of September. In eddition to playing, there had heen months spent in rehearsal and a whole year of preparation.

Seasonal Cards

Cards suitable for many occasions such as birthday anniversary cards, wedding anniversary cards, shut-in cards, condolence cards, acknowledgement of gift cards, and those which acknowledge receipt of expressions of sympathy and flowers after a bereavement, may be obtained at this office at nominal cost.

Boxed writing papers, envelopes, bulk writings, tablets, ink, etc.

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St. Hilaire, 10:45 A. M. Norw.

Clearwater, Summer festival at Theo. Olsoo farm at 1:00 P. M.

Oakridge, Y. P. S. at the church at 8:00 P. M.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday morning in Black River church at 10:00 with Sunday school following.

Annual picnic of the St. Hilaire cburch will be beld Sunday afternoon at the Charley Erickson farm.

Ice cream social for benefit of the Clara church Suoday school will be held at the B. Theo. Johnson place near Hazel, Wednesday evening, July 23, at 8:00.

A Missiooary lecture "What Christ Cao Do for China" will be given in the St. Hilaire church Thursday evening, July 24, at 8:00. This will be given by Daniel Friberg and Russel Nelson representiog the Gustavus-Adolphus College Missionary Society.

In Memoriam

In loving remembrance of our dear mother, Mrs. L. J. Hauge, who died July 19, 1929.

Through all pains at times she'd smile, a smile of Heavenly birth,
And when the Angels called her home, She smiled farewell to Earth.
Heaven retaineth now our treasure, Earth the lonely casket keeps;
And suobeams love to linger where our sainted Mother sleeps.

Mr. R. G. Hagen
Mrs. C. Carlson
Mrs. H. F. Hanson

And Get Bumped

"Stop, Look and Listen" is all right, but many a fellow gets bumped as he stops to look.—Des Moines Tribune-Capital.

Indian Appellations

In the Indian language Quantico means dancing, or place of frolic. Occoquan means hook-sheped or a book.

Motorcycle Dash to Pole Plan of Airman

Oslo, Norway.—Maj. Tryggve Gran, Norwegian airman and explorer, who was e member of the scientific staff of the Scott expedition in 1901, is plenning e trip to the South pole hy motorcycle.

He plans to disembark ou the west side of Ross sea and proceed, preferably by airplane, to the plateau before beginning the trip by motorcycle.

Annual Crops And Soils Day

The aooual Crops and Soils day will be held at the Northwest Experiment Station, Crookston, Monday, July 21, accordiog to an announcement made by Superintendent A. A. Dowell. Io addition to members and officers of the Minnesota Crop Improvement Associatioo, visitors will meet with the Red River Valley Crops and Soils associatioo, visitors will include a number of community clubs who have set aside this day for their annual visit to the Northwest School.

R. S. Dunham, agronomist, and E. R. Clark, pure seed specialist, have arrenged an attractive program which will include a tour of the Ole Flaat, Herman Skyberg, Wurden Brothers, and other nearby farms during the forenoon, followed by an address by Superiotendent P. E. Miller of the West Ceotral School and Station, aod an iospection of the experimental plots and fields. The performance of oew varieties grown in comparison, the results of varions applications of of chemicals to weeds, and new forage crops will be oo view.

Cars will leave the Crookston Hotel at 9:30 for the farm tour, returning for lunch at ooon. The speakiog program is scheduled to take place oo the campus at 1:30.

Coffee, cream and sugar will be furnished all who wish to briog their picnic lunch.

Pushes Sister Out of Danger and Is Killed

Philadelphia.—A six-year-old girl geve her life here to save her emaller sister.

The two girls, Mariou Carlin, six, and Peggy, four, of 2706 George street, were crossing the street at Twenty-seventh and Gerard avenue when e truck, driven hy Mellor Griffith of Maneyunk, hore down on them.

Marion, in an attempt to save her sister's life, pushed the younger girl aside and then tried to escape. She was knocked down and one of the front wheels passed over her body.

Both were rushed to the Mary Drevel hospital. Physicians there said Marion hed heen killed instantly. Her sister was cut and hruised on the right hand.

Tha accident was witnessed hy several women. Griffith was arrested and held to await the action of the coroner.

Final Verdict Must Wait

It is uever right to cousider that a man has been made heppy by fate, until his lifa is ehsolutely finished, and he has ended his existence.—Sophocles, (496-406 B. C.) Fragment "Tyndarus."

Africa's Coast Line

The coast line of Africa is peculier, in that it presents a remarkehly even front, contrasted with the coast lines of Europe, Asia and North America. It resembles the coast line of South America.

The Great American Home

Just sit around the bouse and watch the bored expression on the faces of the younger generation as they tolerate the "old-time songs" pa and ma want to hear.—Springfield Ohio Sun.

A NEW TEXACO MOTOR OIL

THE TEXAS COMPANY again demonstrates its leadership in the petroleum field with introduction of a vastly superior new product---a motor oil with a longer life and so clean and pure that it will measurably improve the performance of any automobile engine.

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My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

A Little Story of Gratitude

I DON'T know just how old this story is; probably if the truth were known, it's a great deal older than any of ns now alive. Indeed, an emateur archeologist who specializea in prehistoric hnmor told ma tba other dey thet, according to his best information and helief, it dated back to tha First centary B. C. and originuted in Rome. He was quita certain that it circulated at Newgate prison in London daring the Elizabethan era.

So what I claim is that, if it has lived this long and remained so fresh and vigorons through sll tha ages, it deserves to go on living.

The modernized version is to this effect: A visiting clergyman is touring a stata penitentiary. When his round is nlmost completed he is joined by one of the keepers.

"My friend," says tha caller, "I am gled I came today to this dismal placa and spent honrs wandering through its atone-walled corridors. For now I am more convinced than ever that in tha mind of tha lowest and most depraved creatura hera thera is some love left. Every beart beats to some tender throhhing, soma lingering sentiment of affection. In fact, at this moment I have hefore ma proof of it. Look yonder." And the minister pointed a finger toward the berred front of a nearhy cell.

"They tell me," he went on, "that in yonder cell is confined a man serving a life seutenca for bsving committed a cold-hlooded murder. And yet see what ha now is doing? Ha has made a friend end a companion of an ordinary rat. At bis call it comes from a hole in the wall. It plays about bim. He divides his food with it. It perches on his hand while he strokes its hack. It is his friendly and confiding companion in tha long honrs of his solitude. The turnkey on dnty in this hallway informs ma that the two ere inseparable.

"So I ask yon, is not this avidence of what I have heen saying? Bnt hold: I shull demonstrate my theory beyond a doubt."

Tbe rayerened gentleman advances to tha cell door.

"My dear brother," he says, addressing the inmate, "would yon mind telling me why yon are so deeply attached to this dumb animal?"

"Sure I'll tell you," answers tha criminal. "It's because once he bit the warden."

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Lightning Removes Shoes

Schenectady, N. Y.—Lightning recently struck five-year-old Eleanor Michalski of Granes Hollow, and tore her shoes from her feet. They were found lying several feet from the child, who suffered burns about the body.

LOCALS

The Hunt Bros Company put up a new awning on their place of business here this week.

FREE - Even at our reduced prices -- one pair pliers with each Tiger Battery. Red Tag Sale July 12th to 26th. Official Kapok Diamond Ball 69c. Gamble Stores Thief River Falls, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jackson and daughter left yesterday for their home at McIntosh, S. D., after spending several deys with relatives here and at Red Lake Falls.

The feldspar mill at Warroad has commenced grinding again, and work will continue during the fall and winter.

Warroad is fortunate in having an industry of this kind which provides work for quite a number of men almost the year round.

Annual school meeting waa held at the village hall Tuesday evening. R. M. Larson and E. O. Burkee were re-elected members of the board for another three years.

Students Give Elders Plenty to Think About

St. Louis, Mo.—Four St. Louis high acbool students completely "stumped" their elders in a competitiva examination on St. Louis history here recently.

Tha fact that tha real nama of ona of the founders of the city was Pierre Lecleda Liguest, and not Pierre Laclede, was disclosed to the astounded husiness men by the youngsters.

Another yonthful contestant ably ontlined a plan for the consolidation of St. Louis and St. Louis connty, a program which continues to baffla city and connty administrators.

As the competitiva examination contlnned tha students so completely outshone their opponents that the judges were unanimous in their decision.

Woman, 51, Sees Father for First Time in Life

Portland, Ore.—For the first time in ber life, Mrs. Ida Fulton, fifty-one, of this city, has seen her father, John Turnage, seventy-eight, of Carbondale, Ill. Turnaga and his wifa separated just before the daughter was born.

About six years ago Mrs. Fulton located her father by writing to friends in Williamson county, Illinois, and they exchanged photographs. Recently they met face to face for the first time.

POULTRY

CULL EVERY TWO WEEKS UNTIL FALL

Get Rid of Nonproducers for Poultry Success.

The success or failure of a poultry enterprise may depend on proper culling, according to the poultry department of the New York State College of Agriculture. Peultrymen should cull regularly every two weeks, from June to September 15, hnt if only one culling is to be made, wait until September 1.

A first-class culler can tell three things abont each hen ha handles: whether sha is laying; how long she has, or has not, been laying; and what is the rate of egg laying. No hens shonld ha kept longer than three years. Close culling limits the number of old hens and raises tha average egg production of the flock.

Tha easiest and most satisfactory way to catch hens is to pen off a corner of the house with a piece of chicken wire fencing abont 20 feet long and 5 feet wide. Attach tha end of the wira to tha sida wall about 2 feet from a corner and unroll tha wire toward the center of the room. This acts as a barrier to driva tha hens into the corner. Tha end of the wire can then be hrought around to the side wall, rolled up and fastened, leaving enongh spaca for tha hens. One person remaina on the insida to catch and hand tha hirds to the inspector on the outside. Another good way is to build a catching crata with a sliding end and an epening on tha top. The end of this crata is placed against a runway hole ontsida of tha huilding, or in an opening between pens on the inside. Scatter grain on the floor of the crate, drive a few bens quickly into it, and close tha sliding door. Each hen is tben easily caught and removed.

Germ Responsible for Blackhead in Turkeys

It has been recently learned that if the chicken has been infected with a certain roundworm, tha worm may carry tha germ responsihla for blackhead in turkeys. By using the semiconfinement plan, which consists of placing turkeys on virgin soil, preferably sown to alfalfa and not inhabited by chickens for at least two years, the possibility of infection from chickens will ha eliminated and turkeys can be raised withont the danger of blackheed from this sonrce.

The nama blackhead is a very poor ona for tha disease for there are many diseases in turkeys in which the head of the diseased hird turns dark blne or a dark color just hefore death.

Use Infertile Turkey Eggs for Shell Pattern

To bresk a fresh turkey egg for the pattern of tha shell would be vandalism, bnt if an infertile egg is left in tha nest, marked with the hen's number, it is well to hlow it ont, string it and keep for a guide, since tha turkey hen may steal her nest in a different place next time.

No two turkeys lay eggs that are exactly alike. The early clutch is said to ba invariahly of a darker tint than tho laid later, hnt the spots are tha same. One enthnsiastic turkey woman used to cut cardboard eggs and stippla them as nearly as possible lika the model as a sort of trapnesting for her small flock.

Poultry Notes

Early chicks require good brooding nccommodations.

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Hungry hens usually aren't profitable layers, They need a full feed of grain in tha afternoon to last them througb the long winter night.

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Chicks need exercise. Pieces of potato, mangel, cahbage or meat tied to strings hanging within reach of the chicks will often keep them from picking each other's toes.

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During tha last thirty years the hen has risen from merely a side issue to becoma a hasic part of our agricultural wealth.

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Many men on the farm have taken over tha farm poultry business after their wives have demonstrated that it is a paying proposition.

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Clean, healthy young stock is the key to success in poultry management. Breeding, for instance, can be purchased, but sanitation must be lived, practiced, and continued.

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Cod liver oil is usually fed to adult birds in the proportion of one quart to 100 pounds of mash and for chicks ene pint to 100 pounds of mash.

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Clean chicks, clean soil, clean feed and clean management work wonders in raising thrifty young birds and insuring their future as laying hens.

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When breeding stock or chicks are purchased, be sure that they have been produced hy flocks which show outstanding vigor and give evidence of good health.

LOCALS

Red Tag Specials - Tube Repair Kit 3c Saturday July 19th - limit 3. 6" Crescent Pattern Wrench 19c - limit 1. Gamble Stores.

One person was killed and several others injured when two cars met in a headon collision last Saturday afternoon between Winger and Mahnomen.

Can you afford not to paint now with these Red Tag Sale prices on Gamble's Guaranteed Paints July 12th thru 26th. House Paint $2.09 gal., 5 gal. lots. 1-2" rope 1 3-4c ft. Garden Hoe and Rake 89c each - Header Fork 98c.

The unemployment situation is reported to be assuming serious proportions in all the west coast states. Many working people from that part of the country are drifting into the middle west states in hopes of finding employment during the coming harvest season.

OIL STATION RE-OPENED

While the Odd Fellow building is being remodeled in preparation for installation of the new Peoples Oil Company service station, we have re-erected out curb gas vending pump so as to be able to serve our customers.

Peoples Oil Company Shur-Fire gas, motor oils of all grades, grease. and auto repair service is again obtainable on the corner as before.

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Get Your Equipment Now for the Coming Haying Season

I carry a full line of McCormick-Deering mowers, hay rakes, side delivery rakes and stackers. Also a complete line of repairs for all International machinery.

Have on display, Minnesota mowers, rakes, side delivery rakes and loaders.

Place your orders now for whatever repairs you may need for any of the above machinery, so you will have them when the busy season starts.

Orders taken now for either of the two grades of International and Minnesota twine.

Adolph Satterberg

Dealer in Farm Machinery

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Man Has Right to Know Where Wife Is Evenings

Oklahoma City, Okla.—Because Police Judge O. P. Estes believed a man has the right to know where his wife spends her evenings, he dismissed charges of assault and battery and disorderly conduct filed against Alfred G. Picot. Picot testified his wife, Mrs. (Fannah) Picot, refused to tell where she visited during the evenings. She also refused to tell the court when she sought to prosecute her husband for allegedly striking her. Estes dismissed the charges.

Humble and Proud

Be humble, for the worst thing in the world is the same stuff as you; be confident, for the stars are of the same stuff as you.—Nicholai Velimirovic.

Tree Sanctuary

There are 2,000 magnolia trees and 1,500 dogwood trees in Mountain Lake sancutary. More than a million trees, shrubs and flowers have transformed this waste of sand into one of the loveliest spots in the world.

National Forests

Sixty per cent of the 138,000,000 acres (exclusive of Alaska) in tha 150 national forests in the United States is nsable for pasturing domestic stock, raised on the farms and ranches in the national forest states.

Eisteddfod Is Aged

The age of the famous Welsh Eisteddfod no one knows. Certainly it is older than the throne of Great Britain. It is more than 700 years since the Welsh people first held a competition in their own language.

Battleship Christening

It is tha custom for members of a launching party "christening" a United States hattleship to stand npon a platform heside tha stern and at the instant that the vessel starts toward tha water the sponsor hreaks a hottla of champagne—or, since prohibition, water—against the bow, prononncing the name of the ship and saying "I name thee in the name of the United States."

Suggestive Names

Piepowder courts in medieval England ware instituted for the speedy trial of commercial disputes, nsually at fairs and markets, and took their name from the French words pied (foot) and pondreax (dusty), as the litigants were usually traders who traveled from ona fair to another, hence "dusty feet."

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The Creamery List

Thirty five patrons of the creamery received checks ranging in amounts from $100.28 to $415.56, and nearly twice that number drew checks in amount between $50 and $100 on creamery payday last Friday. A great many patrons who are not dairying so heavy this summer, just missed getting on the list by small amounts. During the past six months, the creamery has manufactured nearly 11,000 more pounds of butter than it did in a similar period in 1929. Below is a list of those who drew the big checks for June deliveries:

Arne Vik	$415.56
McKercher & Son	198.68
Novak & Son	195.36
C. H. Swanson	173.94
Erickson Bros.	171.25
C. Anton	167.15
N. E. Beebe	161.95
Wm. Palmquist	152.64
A. Johnson	152.07
H. Holmes	146.42
J. Norman	146.37
Mrs. H. J. Thorstveit	143.45
F. Schmidt	139.63
E. H. Stephens	133.21
N. P. Shalz	131.43
Ole Larson	129.19
Gust Larson	128.73
O. T. Mogen	128.12
And. Ortloff	124.05
And. Erickson	123.61
Swanson Bros	122.63
F. Ulrich	119.53
J. Sjoberg	118.36
Sig Vik	116.47
F. Bothman	115.08
Anton Bros.	114.98
J. O. Peterson	112.56
B. Walseth	109.68
L. Erickson	109.40
H. Johnson	107.40
I. A. Rotzlar	104.90
F. Anderson	103.59
And. Mortenson	102.92
C. A. Lindquist	102.19
Geo. Haupt	100.28

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A very enjoyable time is reported by all local 4H Club members who took part in the annual tour held last Thursday.

After viewing projects at homes of members in vicinity of Wylie and west of town, as well as those within the village, a trip was made to several places east of the village after which all taking part in the tour, enjoyed a picnic dinner at the H. Jepson farm southeast of town.

Rev. and Mrs. C. Dahlberg were down at Crookston Tuesday for a visit with relatives and friends.

Lecture Tonight

Two representatives of the Gustavus Adolphus College Missionary Society of St. Peter, Minn., will present an illustrated lecture on the country of China, its people, its customs, etc., at the local Tarna Lutheran chuch at 8:00 this evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present at this gathering.

Birthday Party

A Birthday party on Monday afternoon had for its hostess Mrs. L. Gullickson who entertained at her home in honor of her daughter Dellys Marie who celebrated her sixth birthday anniversary. The afternoon was spent playing games after which delightful refreshments were served by Mrs. Gullikson, on the lawn. The guests were, Mildred Hanson, June Ortloff, Isabelle Rosendahl, Ethel, Alice and Sonny Carpenter, May Lundberg, Wanda Jacobson, Eleanor Johnson, Carman Highland and Dellys Marie, Mrs. Ole Johnson, Mrs. Highland, Mrs. N. Dahl, Mrs. Mortenson, Mrs. J. Lundberg, and Mrs. Jacobson.

Harry, son of County Commissioner Emil Larson, returned last week from the hospital at Warren where he had received treatment for burns sustained when the Larson farm home burned. Tho still handicapped by a stiffness in one knee were the burns were most severe, Harry is able to get around and this week is trying his hand at operating haying machinery on the home farm.

George Biskey, carrier on rural route number one, is taking an enforced vacation because of a severe attack of asthma. He was at Warren Monday seeking medical advice in hopes of obtaining relief from the malady which has been unusually severe this summer.

A young son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Larsen has recently undergone an operation for appendicitis. The lad is improving, and will be home soon.

The Pennington County Fair opens next Wednesday and continues four days. Repairs are being made on the grandstands and other buildings damaged Friday by the storm so they will be ready at opening of the Fair.

Try a want adv.

A Welcome Arrival

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mrs. Carl Johnson visited at Thief River Falls from Thursday until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eide and family, of Virginia, Minn., are here for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Aug. Erickson.

Y. P. S. of the Evang. Mission church will be held at the East Side school Friday July 25th. Everyone welcome.

Mrs. T. M. Skatrud and children are expected home within the next few days after a visit with her parents at Duluth.

Harvesting of rye has commenced in this locality. Oats and barley are beginning to turn and will be ready to cut in a short time.

Finishing touches are this week being put on the new drivein service station of the Peoples Oil Company located in corner of the Odd Fellow block.

Mrs. H. L. Hanson and Mrs. Herman Jepson will entertain Evang. Mission ladies aid Friday afternoon at home of Mrs. Hanson. Everybody cordially invited.

Miss Blanche Hoff, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Cephas Swanson motored last week to Littlefork for a visited at the homes of their sister and brother, Mrs. W. Zahn and Martin S. Hoff.

Extensive improvements are being made on the buildings on the former Fallman farm adjoining the village to the north. The work is being done under direction of the Rural Credit Bureau in behalf of the State of Minnesota, owner of the farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Kruse, William and Loretta Kruse, Mr. and Mrs Claus Gottburg and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Sundholm and children, Mr. and Mrs. John Kruse and baby motored Sunday to the Narrows at the Red Lakes. After viewing the sights they returned home that evening.

Carl Lindquist, who is employed by an electrical concern with headquarters in New York, motored here last week from Minneapolis for a visit with his parents. He was accompanied here from Minneapolis by his mother, Mrs. Chas. Lindquist, who had visited a couple weeks with her other children in the Twin Cities.

Mrs. Gilbert Sandum and daughters, Beatrice and Ardith, of Thief River were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Carl Johnson.

Haying is on in full blast everywhere in this community this week. Tames varities of hay are good, and the wild has shown exceptional growth the past week.

Mrs. Albert Brink submitted to an operation Monday at the Bratrud Clinic at Warren. She is reported to be improving.

Mrs. Carl Johnson, and daughters Eva and Lilly, Miss Ruth Fairbanks, Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad were guests at 7 o'clock dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erdmann, Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Whitney and children Mildred and Norman of New York state, Mrs. M. Moses and daughter, Bertha of Pelican Rapids, Minn., were guests last week-end at the N. E. Beebe home.

A. Satterberg, the farm machinery dealer, is busily engaged in setting up machinery to supply an increasing demand. Mr. Satterberg has sold more machinery this season than for many years past.

Misses Helga Kalland, Lilly and Eva Johnson motored to Crookston, Friday afternoon to meet Miss Ruth Fairbanks, who arrived from Chicago, to spend several weeks at the Johnson home and with other friends in St. Hilaire.

With two oil stations decked out with decorative lighting, and another soon ready to operate, the main thoroughfare in St. Hilaire will soon have a Midway appearance after nightfall when all lights are on.

Nearly half of the new pavement from Marcoux station to Crookston is finished, and about three weeks or a month more will see the job finished. From this end, the pavement appears to be a fine job much smoother than some farther south in this state.

Mrs. A. Potvin and daughter Lulu, and Mrs. A. Ittner and daughters, Alice and May Fern motored here Thursday from Cass Lake and spent the week-end at the Peter Simonson home. On returning Sunday they were accompanied by Miss Bertha Torrson, who will visit at Cass Lake before returning to her home at Amboy.

Big Sale Now On

Stocked with a vast array of high class merchandise bought when two large wholesale drygoods houses consolidated recently, the Carlson Mercantile Company is put on a big sale this week. Many of the items offered are sold at less then wholesale replacement cost today. Hundreds have thronged the store this week intent on getting their share of the many extraordinary values offered.

An Interesting Letter

On another page of this issue will be found a most interesting letter to the people of this community from Mrs. Ethel Palmquist Colberg. Dr. and Mrs. Colberg and family are stationed at the Lutheran Augustana Synod Mission at Hsuchang, Honan, China. That the life of a missionary is not always tranquil is evidenced by the contents of Mrs. Colberg's letter. Mrs. Colberg is a daughter of Mrs. J. Palmquist of River Falls township southeast of here.

Butter Price Advances

Several advances in price of butter have been noted the past week and the creamery will pay 40 cents or better for butterfat this month if the present prices continue. Prices of grain also have taken on a firmer tone, and indication now point to better prices before grain will be ready for the market.

In comparison with other sections which are suffering from hail losses, drouth, lack of hay and fodder, damage of crops by excessive heat, or the industrial centers where thousands are out of work, this section is very fortunate and really has little or no cause for complaint.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Amble of Grand Forks, former residents here, have been guests for some time, at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Axel Jacobson, west of town.

Flashlight Cells 3c each limit 4. Reg. $1.00 12-piece wrench set in metal box 59c. Last day Red Tag Specials Sat., July 26th. Limit 1 Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Found: Nickeled door handle for inclosed car. Owner may have it by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

Severe Hailstorm Friday

A severe wind and hail storm which started in vicinity of St. Thomas, N. D., passing southeast and east thru Drayton, Argyle, Thief River Falls, and spent itself east of here, did untold damage Friday afternoon to crops and buildings in the territory thru which it travelled.

Many barns and outbuildings were leveled around Argyle and Drayton. At Thief River Falls, both grandstands at the fair grounds were unroofed, the horse barns blown down, hundreds of windows smashed, and gardens pounded into the grounds.

Damage to grain fields is total in path of the storm, and from 40 to 60 percent along edge of its path. The storm is reported to have been fully five miles wide farther west. The storm clouds were clearly visable here as they passed over Thief River Falls and took a southeastly course along south side of the Red Lake river. A terrific rainfall followed the hail, and ditches in the stricken area were full and overflowing as late as Saturday afternoon. It is impossible to estimate the amount of damage, but it will be a huge amount.

Court Closes

Summer term of district court in this county closed Saturday and the petit jury discharged that evening. Some court cases were heard by Judge Watts this week, and others will be taken up later.

Local horse shoe tossers clashed again in a series of 13 games last Sunday. The team consisting of Mike Highland and Paul Roy took top place by winning 7 game and losing three. Harlan Winters and Frank Johnson won 4 and lost 6. Jake and Dick Bohlen won 2 and lost 4. The first named team still holds the trophy won the previous week, but the others are hot on their trail and changes in standing of the three teams may be looked for when they play again.

Miss Ruth Fairbanks came Friday from Chicago to spend a short vacation with Mrs. Carl Johnson and daughters, Eva and Lilly.

Miss Doris Carlson of Wyandotte township came yesterday for a visit with her cousin, Miss Mildred Hanson.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

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St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

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Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the Total Sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Twenty and No-100 ($1420.00) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest, all of which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage made, executed and delivered by G. C. Gulrud, and Olena Gulrud, his wife, Mortgagors to Gretta Gulrud, whose present name is Gretta McKinney, Mortgagee, which said Mortgage bears date of October 21st, 1926, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of October 1926, at 10 o'clock A. M., and recorded in said Office in Book 76 of Mortgages, on page 269 thereof,

AND WHEREAS, by reason of said Default the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained has become operative, and No Action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or otherwise to recover the the Debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained, and pursuant to Statute in auch cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises desribed in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

"Beginning at the Southeast corner of Block Eight (8), of the Townsite of Goodridge, Minnesota, according to the Official Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, thence WEST along the South Line of said Block a distance of Ninety-three and 87-100 (93-.87) feet; Thence North One Hundred fifty (150) feet; Thence East to the East Line of said Block Eight (8), and Thence South along the East Line of said Block Eight (8) to the point of beginning," all in Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 16th day of August 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said Debt of $1420.00, together with interest to the date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and the Statutory amount of Attorney's fees allowed by Law, and the Costs and Disbursements allowed by law, subject to Redemption at any time within One Year from the Day of Sale as provided by Law.

Dated this 1st day of July, 1930.

Gretta McKinney,
formerly Gretta Gulrud,
Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
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A Letter From China

Hsuchang, Honan, China.
June 9, 1930.

Dear friends in the homeland;

I owe so many of you letters, and it is so long since mail was being regularly sent from here, that I thot perhaps a community letter would be the most satisfactory way of getting in touch with all, and letting you know how we actually are. No doubt, the newspapers have given some reports of conditions in China, but as these reports are often exaggerated or untrue it is hard to know just how much to believe and how much to disregard. Of course, what I tell will be regarding this particular locality mostly. But then we are right in the war zone, so it will be about the most exciting news that China can produce.

It is harvest time in China, a much delayed, harvest owing to the war. Usually during the harvest the whole family practically lives right on its little plot of land in orded to keep away the ever busy thieve.s They put up a temporary shelter, just large enough to cover themselves and stay there day and night until the grain is safety gathered. This year things are different. It has been too dangerous to be out in the open. During the day, airplanes are continually hovering over, every now and then dropping those dreaded and fatal bombs. During the night, cannon balls, shot, and shells are constantly whizzing thru the air. They do not aim to kill the farmers, but Chinese airmen and soldiers are not vet so skilled that their aims can be depended upon. They hit the enemy at times, but the proportion of men women, and children that are injured and killed is pitiful. Now after two weeks of day and night fighting, there is a little lull during the day. Some say this is done purposely to give the natives a chance to harvest their wheat and barley. Whether that is true or not, they surely are making the most of the opportunity. As I look out of our upstairs windows into the patches of field on the other side of the walls that surround our mission buildings, I see what to me is a most interesting sight. Each little field is literally covered with people The whole relationship is out working. The men are busy with their scythes, a crude one it is, consisting of a handle about a foot and a half long, with a small knife inserted at right angles at the opposite end. Some are preparing the straw that is to be used to tie the bundles which when finished is somewhat larger than the bundle produced by the binder at home. Others, often women, carry the bundles to the center of the field, where they are grouped so as to make it easier to guard them. They are set upright until dry, when they are piled up nto a heap that resembles your haystacks. There are numerous children on the field. Most of them under the age of ten and are stark naked. Their bodies are as brown as a nut. Others wear a pair of cloth trousers. Then sitting nearby, another group may be seen. Frequently this group consists of old women, ragged, dirty, and quite haglike in appearance. They are the gleaners. They are privileged to put into their sacks anything that remains after the owners are thru, and it is surprising how much they manage to collect, considering how careful the Chin ese are to gather every straw on the field. Nothing is wasted. Every straw, every root, is to be used; for fuel, if not for food. The cleanliness of a Chinese field or garden is something I have often marvelled at. Every row is howed and weeded by hand, many times, so that not a thing but what was planted there is permitted to reach maturity. The grain this year is the best I have ever seen it, which is a blessing, for if ever an abundant crop was needed, it is now after all the famine that has been experienced. But I suppose they will no sooner have threshed, than the soldiers will be on hand to demand the fruits of their labor. One wonders that the poor folks do not give up in despair and just cease trying to raise anything.

I suppose there is no time of the year that there is more stealing than there is during the time the grain is ripe. You can see some fields where large patches have hardly a head of grain remaining. As you walk along the roads, you can see women ripping off the heads and chucking them into a large sack or basket. Sometimes you happen upon someone who has been caught in the act. There will be an awful row, with much cursing, maybe even blows. According to Chinese ways of thinking, there is no wrong in stealing, if you ca n only escape being found out.

Since our return to China last October, we have had war and soldiers all about us, but they have not interfered with our work. They have tried frequently to get into our homes and other mission buildings, but we have always succeeded in dissuading them, and there has been no unfriendliness because of it. We have rejoiced over it a nd thanked God for this protection. There is not another place around here that has not been thus unmolested. Every school, every public place of any size at all, every place that could in any be used by them has been taken possession of. And once taken over by these destructive, irresponsible forces they will in a short while so wreck a place that only with a great deal of of time and money can it ever be made fit for use again. They burn everything that can be burned. What cannot be burned they smash or mutilate in some other way. Near our mission property, there are two large tobacco factories. Three years ago both had enormous buildings and elaborate equipment. Now they are mere shells. They have been used as barracks during this war, so the soldiers defeated their own purpose in damaging them as they did. The fact that we are located right alongside of these places is what has brought us into the thick of the battle. During the day the airplanes circle over our house as they drop their bombs into the next yard. Then the anti-aircraft fires back at them and looking up over our roof we see the smoke of their explosions. At night the shells fly back and forth above and around us. And tho it is almost impossible to understand, not one of the Christians in the compound whether Chinese or American, has suffered the slightest injury. It is a miracle. We have found nine seventy-five milimeter shells in our yard. They are over ten inches long, filled with several hundred pieces of shrapnel, and weigh maybe twenty-five lbs. One knocked off a corner of the single ladies' house, filled the kitchen with shrapnel, and went thru about four feet of ground in their yard. A minute before three people were in this kitchen, bnt they were all in some other place when this powerful shell came screaming thru the air. I cannot describe the terror of those first nights. We were sleeping upstairs when it started. We hurried and got our bedding and babies on the floor of what seemed a more sheltered room. As the whole room would be lit up by a passing shell as it whizzed past our windows we expected to be destroyed any moment. When it became too unbearable we rushed to the cellar. But the air there is so cold and damp that we were not able to stand that very long. The attacks are always heaviest about midnight. It lasts until dawn. How we wait for morning! But after the terror of the night, there are the airplanes to fear by day. I have co e little else during these two weeks than keep the children content in the little room beside our kitchen that is protected on three sides by walls, the fourth side being away from the direct line of shooting. When the planes get too near we retreat to the cellar. But what would the walls amount to if God were not caring for us?

Dr. Colberg, however, has been busy whether the danger waa near or far. They have over sixty lying-in patients, and he scarcely gets time for meals before he is called to the hospital for a fresh group of shell, sword, or bomb cases. Cutting off legs and arms has been a daily operation, as they come in with a completely shattered limb for which there is no hope. A doctor's life in China is a hard life. There are no holidays for him. He has not all the conveniences, equipment, and skilled assistance he gets in the homeland. Still he is happy in his work. He is doing it for the Lord, and the Lord can repay in a way that no one else can. This year has been hard, not so much because of the great numbers of patients, but because of the type of patients. In former years the work has been largely for the humble, appreciative country folk. During this last year the majority have been military cases. They come in demanding to be seen. They come with their hand on their pistol. They all want to be seen first and at once. Many make their own diagnosis and dictate their desired treatment. Some have come demanding an injection for syphilis when they did not have syphilis. They no doubt have a bad conscience. Others that have been treated maybe had a little painful reaction, and they return, hand on pistol, roughly demanding an explanation. They are a dangerous bunch, these ex-robber soldiers. Some have threatened to shoot the doctor, and there were times when I dreaded to see him go to work in the morning. but he comforted me with, "I am in God's hands. Not one of those fellows can pull the trigger to satisfy his murder lust unless God wills it." And they did not. May 29th three armed officrs of the divisional office Sun Chun Chang entered the hospital and asked the doctor if he was the yuan chang (head of hospital). He naturally said he was, and without further explanations he was marched into the city. They were going to tie his hand but fortunately some of Gen. Feng's soldiers were standing by with guns ready for anything that looked treacherous, so they did not tie him. Several faithful ones offered to go with him. He was brought before the superior officer, and he happened to be an acquaintance. They recognized one another, and he apologized for the outrageous treatment shown to one who has done so much for his men. He explained that the head nurse in the army had deserted. They were looking for him, and he had ordered his men to find him (for beheading, of course) and bring him in. You can guess how happy we were to have him back shortly after this experience. It might have turned out very differently, for in China life is cheap, and they are not particular in removing a man's head whether the cause is justifiable or not. This traitor, by the way, who almost caused the doctor to lose his life, had had supper with us the previous evening. He was a Christian, a friend of my husband's and had left the army here. As far as we know he succeeded in getting away. Today one of Fan Lao Erh's colonels sent to doctor to find out how to make gas masks to protect themselves against the poisonous gas that the enemy is now starting to use. Doctor told them it was not his business to assist in any war measures. With all their insolence they feel free to ask favors.

I suppose you wonder that we stay on here as you read all this. There are various reasons that might be given. For months there have been no trains, aside from the military trains, that run a short distance to the north and to the south of us, so we could not get anywhere if we wanted to. If we did leave, we know absolutely that our homes and the mission property would immediately be occupied by the soldiers. But we have not wanted to leave. Duty has called us here and where our duty is there we must be if we would accomplish anything. If ever we were needed here surely it is now. There is no anti-foreign feeling and the chances for preaching the Gospel are plentiful. The Christians about us too are put to severe tests and they need us to comfort them and strengthen their faith. The fact that about a month ago sixty Christians were baptized at Juchow, fifty at Yuchow, two of our inland stations, and that a number are waiting for baptism here, shows that the work is not in vain. God rules in spite of all the strife and sin and tumult about us. In His own time, maybe not in our day, He will work out His eternal purpose; and in the meantime He is preparing people here for His use. May we in some small measure be used of Him that His kingdom may come even in this heathen land.

How do the children fare? They are carefree and happy under all circumstances. They sleep soundly thru the raining din of bullets and the thundering roar of cannons. Have they thot I looked unduly worried they have rebuked me with, "Do not be afraid. God is taking care of us." Theirs is a trusting faith. Physically, they have thriven during these months in China. Tho luxuries have not been many, goats milk has been plentiful. They have enjoyed daily accompanying me to my kindergarten class for the Chinese children each forenoon. Lois, our six year old, has acquired quite a usable vocabulary, and all three know a number of Chinese songs, games and Bible verses. They have as happy times with their Chinese playmates as ever they had with little Americans. On the other hand, they themselves have been a source of much joy to us and the rest of the missionaries here. China is a land of flowers, as well as of warfare, so all spring they and we have revelled in the beauties of nature; especially in the beautiful profusion of roses. We have picked armfuls of the choicest varieties any greenhouse ever saw. Now we have the smaller flowers, such as larkspur, sweetpea, zinnia and nasturtium. Later we look for the aster and chrysanthemum. These last weeks it has been difficult to buy meat, eggs, and vegetables, but we have suffered no want. We have new potatoes, string beans, lettuces, and raddishes in our gardens and soon there will be cabbages and tomatoes. We can get apricots now and soon the peaches will be ripe. The biggest disappointment the children have experienced is the failure of their birthday packages from America to arrive. The letters telling of these packages came thru several months after being sent, but no sign of the packages. During these last months no parcels are sent inland from the port cities. I console the children with the thot that they may get here in time for next Christmas. We hope that long before that time there will be peace and that some sort of a stable, normal government will be established. Present conditions cannot long continue. In the meantime, we must be patient. "It is good that a man should hope and quietly wait for the salvation of Jehovah." Lam. 3-26.

Kindly greetings to you all.

Sincerely,
Ethel Palmquist Colberg

DR. L. R. TWETE
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Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 84, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Island of Horror

Devil's island is located in a group of islands called tha Iles Du Salut, in French Guiana, off the coast of South America. Here is located a French penal station, with administrative headquarters in Ila Royale, nearest the mainland. To tha seaward is tha Ile Du Diable (Devil's island), noteworthy as the prison of Alfred Dreyfus, confined there in 1894-99. It is inhabited mainly by transported lapers.

Ocean Temperatures

In the ocean there is rapid decrease in temperature with depth until about 400 fathoms is reached, when there is a very gradual lowering to the bottom. Here the temperature remains practically uniform at from 32 degrees Fahrenheit to 35 degrees Fahrenheit and is independent of latitude.

FARM STOCK

JOHNE'S DISEASE IN CATTLE HERDS

Infection Exists to Some Degree in Every State

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agricultore.)

Tha presence of Johne's disease in cattla berds iu many sections of the United States, as determined hy stata and federal veterinarians, gives risa to tha belief that the infection exists to some degree in virtually every state. This disessa (pronounced "yonez," nccent on first syllable, a long "o" and short "e"), also known as paratuherculosis, is an incnrable, infectious, hacterial dysentery which affects cnttle principally, hnt msy also affect horses, sheep, deer, and goats. Its seriousness, whenever it occurs among cattle, is sucb that reactors to the johnin test ara slanghtered and indemnities psid. Tha infectiou, which is thonght to hnve been introdnced into the United States originally in shipments of cattle from Europa, is more fully described in Circnlar 104-C, "Johne's Disense (Parntuherculosis) of Livestock," jnst issned hy the hureau of animsl indnstry, United States Depnrtment of Agricnlture.

Tbe first symptoms of Johne's disease are a temporary loss of sppetite, and, in cows, a radical diminntion of tha milk flow. Intermittent dinrrhea which fails to respond to medicinsl treatment nsually follows. The coat becomes rough snd the animal looks untbrifty. The appetite may he regained after tha first few dsys and may remain normsl. Affected animals may drink larga quantities of water. In the last stages of the disease the animal hecomes greatly emsciated and dies as a result of exhsustion.

The disease is spread from herd to berd hy the introduction of disessed animals, hy allowing healthy stock to graze with diseased stock on commnnity psstures, sud hy permitting animsls to drink from contaminated hrooks. It is spresd within a herd by hacteria whicb are expelled from a diseased animal and contaminata feed or wster.

Although there is no sntisfsctory treatment known for Johne's disesse, temporary relief is sometimes ohtained hy restricting the feed and placing the animal on a dry ration. Isolate suspected animsls nntil n disgnosis can he msde. Cures are not to he expected. The diagnostic test consists of an injection, into the jugular vein, of a hiological prodnct known as johnin.

Indemnity funds hsve heen svsilshle since July 1, 1927, when Congress granted to the bureau of nnimsl indnstry authority to pay indemnities to cattle owners for animsls slsughtered becanse of resction to the johnin test. Tbese payments are msde on the ssme basis as are indemnities psid on tnberculons cattle. Further details concerning the payment of indemnity msy be ohtained hy writing to atnte livestock officisls, or to the huresu of animal industry, United Stste Department of Agricnlture, Washington, D. C.

Easy Access to Water Beneficial to Swine

It has been demonstrated msny times hy experiment stations as well as hy thonsands of producers that hogs do hetter snd make larger gsins from a given amount of feed when they have constant access to water. Normally a hog drinks only smsll qnantities at a time, hnt it likes to drink often. It will drink seversl times during one feeding period when it can run to a self-feeder at will. When the feed is thrown on the ground or on a feeding floor where the individnal bog mnst eat in competition with a larga gronp it is not likely to stop for water so long as there is grain to eat. Bnt when it can run to a self-feeder it soon learns that there will ba plenty of feed left when it retnrns. Then it hegins to eat more delibherately and to drink seversl times hefore it has sstisfied its hunger.

Weed Eradication Plan Being Helped by Sheep

Sheep and sweet clover are being used by Cass county (North Dakota) farmars in a weed eradication campaign. Sweet clover is used to smother sow thistles and sheep ara turned on the land to pasture both weeds and sweet clover. Tha sheep seem to lika sow thistles in preference to clover.

Last year farmers imported 3,000 ewes to ba used in the campaign and seeded 25,000 acres of sweet clover and 20,000 acres of alfalfa. The lamh crop was abont 90 per cent which with the wool abont paid for the ewes.

Plenty of Shade

Hogs need plenty of shade in warm weather. If bog houses are dry and have plenty of ventilation they may be used. If not, bogs should be locked out. A hog will find shade if ha can, but if the shada is not cool ha does not seem to realize it, and will stay and die from overheating. If trees are not available, artificial shada should be provided by covering a cheap framework with brush, hay or straw. It is cooler than if covered with boards or sheet iron.

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HEIR OF NAPOLEON DISCOVERED IN PARIS

Teacher Is Daughter of Emperor's Son.

Paris.—The granddaughter of Napoleon Bonaparte, first emperor of France, bas heen diecovered living in a tiny cottage, squeezed in among factories and truck gardens, in a suhurh of Paris.

She is Madame Mesnard Leon, a retired school teacher, credited with being the only direct living descendant of the famous Corsican. All Bonaparte princes alive today are descended from Napoleou's hrothers. Madame Leon is the daughter of the celehrated Count Leon, who was born of the Emperor Napoleon eud Eleonore de la Plaigne.

"The uewe of my father's hirth was received by Nspoleon at Pultusk, Poland, when he was preparing the campaign that culminated in the victory of Friedland," said Madame Leon in a press interview. "Nspoleon was already thinking of divorcing the childless Empress Josephine, so yon can imagine what consequences the news of my father's birth might have had.

"But what could Napoleon do? Nothing. Marriage with my grandmother was out of the question on account of the political situation at that time and the wars abroad. The whole of France might have been threatened."

She then related that Napoleon bestowed the latter half of his name on his child, calling him Count Leon. The child grew up to play a colorful role in the social world of that time and gained a reputation as one of the foremost duelists of France.

Madame Leon also revealed that her only son was killed in the World war at Rheims in 1917 at the age of twenty-one. This was the first indication that a direct descendant of Nepoleon took part in the World war.

Madame Mesnard Leon had led a quiet but comfortable life. Since 1923 she has lived at Stains, a suburb of Paris, with her daughter, now grown into womanhood.

Long Philippine Coast Line

Although the area of the Philippine islands is only one-twenty-fifth of that of the United States, it has more than double its coast line.

MONKEY DOES HIS STEALING FOR HIM

That's How Burglar's Reformation Worked.

Mexico City.—Chepultepec zoo is serving uot only as the residence of unoffending beasts, whose only mission la to entertain the crowds, hnt also as a prison for a monkey arrested hy capital police as the confederate of a notorious hurglar.

Benito Hernandez, renowned as a second story worker, last year convinced polica enthorities here that he had reformed. A suspicious crowd, the datectives who had many times canght him redhanded at his illicit work, continned for months to watch him carefully. Their most sagacious agents, however, were unable to observe the least outward sign in Hernandez' activities.

Now, police charge, it has been revealed that the reformed burglar's period of good behavior was devoted to training a monkey of unusual intelligence, which in recent weeks has been performing crimes as neatly as his master used to do. Authorities believe a long series of robberies in the Tacubaya district were solved when Mrs. Maria Barrientos discovered the monk in the act of robbing her home. The policeman she called experienced the greatest difficulty in following the agile culprit over the roof tops to the nearby home of Hernandes.

In the latter's rooms were found dozens of articles recently stolen in the neighborhood. Hernandes pleaded he was not responsible for his pet's acquisitive habits, and that he had been unable to return the articles because their owners were unknown to him. He is held in jail.

"It's all right as long as it lasts." How long will it last?

A report published by Mr. Frederick H. Ecker, president of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, concerning 19,000,000 industrial policy-holders in the United States and Canada, shows that workers are living longer than they used to.

Thanks to science and prosperity, the death rate among wage-earners has diminished. Mr. Ecker's statistical bureau shows a new low death rate of 9.4 per 1,000 during March.

More adults that live, fewer babies that die, is a good program.

THAT YOUTHFUL SPIRIT WON OUT

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

ELLA ROCKWELL and her sister, Mabel, were not eating breakfast together. They never ate breakfast together when they had quarreled. Each bore her tray to a remote corner and chewed in silence, like puppies growling over their hits of bone.

The postman rattled the lid of the mailbox. They glared at each other, then Ella, assuming her prerogative of being the older, sailed out and got the mail. She opened the letter, stared, gasped. Astonishment loosed her tongue.

"It's from Brother George's girl, Nita. She's coming to see us."

"Nobody's been here for the last ten years," retorted Ella.

"Good land. There's a car stopping here!" exclaimed Mabel.

It was an old red roadster. From it stepped a girl in a plaid coat. She bounded to the door.

Ella answered the challenging ring.

"We never buy anything of peddlers," she said severely.

"Well, I happen to be yonr uiece, Nita Rockwell," the girl said airily. She flung her arms abont Ella's thin, stiff form and kissed her.

Nita flung her hat in one direction, her coat and scarf in another. Ella immediately picked them up.

"We just got your letter," Mabel said lamely.

"Oh, did you? I though meybe I'd get here ahead of it. Yon see I bought that car last night. Paid $30 for it. A bargain. I came from the next town in seventeen minntes."

"It's sixteen miles!" Ella stared at the girl's thin, healthy, spirited face.

Nita grinned. "I stepped on it. Now then, could I have a bite of some kind? Anything will do. I'm not particular."

They hastened to feed her.

In an hour she possessed them and their house. Echoes of her young voice, her light footstep, filled every nook and corner.

After food and her short rest Nita rose. "Guess I'll take a look round the town," she remarked, casually.

She came to lunch, but she was late. After lunch she made the same explanation, and set forth again. After dinner she insisted on all hands going to the movies. Sha paid for the tickets herself. After the movies she curled up in an easy posture and read a book. The title of that book mystified Ella. It was "Seven Rules for Salesmanship." Midnight came. The sisters wouldn't go to bed; they fell asleep in their chairs. Then Nita came out of her study and took pity ou them.

Next morning—"Guess I'll go ont and take a look around the town." Nita grinned. But Ella pointed a stern finger et a chair.

"Sit down there. You'll not stir oue inch ont of this house till you tell me what you are up to."

"You are waking np!" Nita lenghed. "I was waiting for you to show interest, ask me some qnestions. Honestly, dear aunts, I'm not engaged in any nefarious occupation. I'm simply earning my living. I sell the Gwendoline Beanty Kit."

Mabel bounced, Ella turned white. Drops of agony etood out on their long upper lips.

"Yon're peddling? My brother's deughter peddling!" groaned Ella.

"It isn't peddling, auntie. It's a mere case of of supply and demand. In this town," Nita giggled, "the demand almost exceeds the supply. Let me show you my order book." She drew it from her pocket. "I've got to long-distance for a quick delivery of mcre goods. And don't yon want to see the kit?" She sprang from the chair.

Ella waved aside the proffered revelation. "Don't—don't! Yon sicken me. My hrother's daughter!"

"But dad didn't leave me a cent," Nita said earnestly. "Gwendoline has proved to be a friend in ueed. She put me through college last year. All the girls bought of me. They got their money's worth, too. Gwendoline—"

"Don't speak thet word again in my presence. I never was so mortified in all my life. What will Mrs. Swarthout say?"

"Swarthout?" Nita peeped into her order book. "Mrs. G. N. Swarthout? She bought two kits, one for herself and one to send to her denghter. Miss Mayhew bought one, Mrs. Benny, Mrs. Pollock, Miss Angeline Grant—" She rattled off names that made the sister's eyes distend. "I've got a date this minute with the Misses Murray. I ought to be going. Listen, dears, if you object to my doing this while I am in your house I can get a room at Mrs. Gordon's—"

Ella gave a kind of shriek. She hastily left the room. Mabel went after her. Nita shook her head, gave up the mystery and went forth to sell more kits.

Next morning she couldn't rise from bed. "I've picked up a cold in my travels," she said philosophically. "I'll just stay in bed and take a half teaspoonful of soda in hot weter uow and then and I'll soon be over it. Only—I promised Mrs. Gordou to demonstrate at her house this morning. She's asked in a few friends. If I don't go I shall lose my sales." Nita hurrowed her leaky nose in a handkerchief. Her chin quivered, tears rolled down her cheeks. She flung all her eppeal into a glance at Mabel. "Anybody bnt a high-nosed person like you would take p-pity on me and keep thet eppointment for me."

Mabel looked miserable. "You don't understand, Nita. Jnlia Gordon won't speak to me. Sbe wouldn't have me in her house."

"Yes she would. She told me all about it. Sha's heen ready to make np any time these three years."

"Sbe was my best friend once—"

"Sbe ts yet—if yon'll let her be. Aunt Mab! Please! Here's your chance to make me happy and regain your old friend."

"Ella wouldn't let me."

"Leave Aunt Ella to me."

Ella had goue to the grocery efter onions. When she came heck Mebel was goue. A drametic scene waa enacted in Nita's room, dnring which the girl somehow found a teuder spot in Ella Rockwell's hard heart.

Mahle came back triumphant, excited, joyous.

"It was the most fun I ever hed!" she panted. "I aold to every one of them. I wish I conld go right on. To think of all the years I've pinched and starved and froze because I'd heen tanght it was genteel to he idle! And, Nita—I want one of those kits for myself. They're the loveliest things I ever sew in ell my born days."

Nita clapped her hands.

"Tske that one on my bureau. And use it!" she said.

Half an hour later Ella peeped into her sister's room. Mahel was pntting the finishing touches to a picture; she had hecome an artist, and the canvas was her own face.

"Oh, Elle!" she cried girlishly. "You must use these things! They're wonderful! And Nita's going to turn this territory over to me when she leaves here!"

"So she says." Ella drew her hand out from behind her back. In it was a kit similar to Mahel's.

Water From "Holy Well" One Source of Cholera

Superstition ts perhaps the greatest hindrance encountered by physicians who try to introduce scientific medicine into semi-civilized countries. Col. Edward L. Munson in Hygeia Magazine tells in fictioual form a true story of an outbreak of cholera in the Philippine islands in which a typical superstition played the leading part.

The terrible plague had spread throughout the tslands and whole districts had been decimsted. The health officers knew the epidemic had a common source, prohehly from pollnted water. They set out in e driving rain one uight to find it. First through the poor part of the city, then toward tha beach they went.

Fer ont in the mire left hy the receding tide groups of natives were milling ahont. The two doctors hailed a native hurrying toward the beach and asked where he was going.

"To the holy well of San Roque," he answered. "It is a mirecle of God. Three days ago his temblor shook the earth. Then a spring of fresh water hroke ont here on the heach at Tondo, sent of heaven to protect from cholera. At the high weters its freshness hubhles among the sait. Now it is bare. I go."

The bealth officers found the throug clustered ahout a pipe of earthenware, from which a sluggish stream of water flowed. A bit of diggiug revealed the source. The earthquake had hroken a pipe and the water was bnbbling up from a hroken sewer. The fluid which the natives believed was protecting them was the means of spreading destruction.

Railroad Run by Army

One of the few uarrow-gauge railroads now in ective service in the United States ts run hy the army at the infantry school reservation et Fort Benning, Ga. The road was constructed in 1920 to handle passeugers, supplies and material over the 99,000 ecre reservation. At that time, says Popular Mechanics Magazine, the roadhed was rongh and unsettled, the equipment and motive power were in crude conditiou and wrecks and engine failures were frequent. Improvements have been steadily made until now the system has the latest type of equipment and is efficiently operated under the directiou of the fort's quartermaster department.

Weeks of Varying Length

In some places where e market is held every third day the week is three days long; in districts where a market is held every eight daye there is an eight-day week.

Persia, Java, Celebes, Malaysia and New Guinea have five-day weeks. The Muyscas of South America have a three-day week. The Chibchas have a four-day week.

African weeks vary from three to eight days. Europe and the western hemisphere have e seven-day week.

Spinster's Will Brief

That all spinsters are not loquacious was proved by the will of Miss Margaret Preston of Monterey, North Wales, in disposing of an estate valued at $1,753,000. The entire document, including her full name, address and description, the appointment of the executor with similar details, the disposal of the property and full attestation clause, was contained in 148 words.

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River News

Mr. and Mrs. Gustafson and son accompanied by his father Mr. P. J. Gustafson of Gainsborough, Sask. arrived last week for a visit with Mrs. Gustafson's relatives and also former neighbors and friends. The Gustafson family traveled thru North Dakota enroute here and report that the people are hailed out, there.

William Seeger of Oklee is spending a few days at the Fred Ulrich home.

Mrs Elenore Richardson and son left Wednesday for her home after spending two weeks at the home of her sister Mrs. H. Jepson.

Miss Hulda Ulrich spent a few days at the home of her sister Mrs. P. Gieseke.

Mr and Mrs. F. Erdmann and family were Sunday gnests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Erdmann of Crookston.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle and family were guests Monday at the K. T. Dalager home.

Home "Pasteurization"

Raw milk hrought to e boil ts not, correctly speaking, pasteurized milk. However, that is abont as well as can he done in the home, since the household equipment does not permit the milk to be boiled any length of time withont impairing the flavor or scorching it.

Golfers, Rally!

A critic says that the plot of a recent best-seller was thought out while the anthor was playing a round of golf. We cannot help feeling thet it is now time somebody came forward and said a good word for this royal and ancient game.—London Humorist.

Must Be Personal Touch

Conversation warms the mind, enlivens the imagination and is continually starting fresh game that ts immediately pursued and taken and which would never hava occurred in the duller intercourse of epistolary correspondence.—Benjamin Franklin.

Progression

In 1790, et e reception given in honor of George Washington, it took 2,000 candles to illuminate the hall, costing about $10 an hour. Today, electricity, giving the same degree of illumination, would cost only about twenty-five cents an hour.

25 Years Ago

Martin McAndress, Jr. left for a visit with relatives and friends in North Dakota.

—XXV—

Locals stores were offering 13 cents a pound for butter 13 cents a dozen for eggs, and 25 cents a pound for wool that week.

—XXV—

Albert Fellman went out to his claim and found his house had burned. He arranged for building a new one.

—XXV—

James Foss, yard foreman at the mill here, left for Bemidji to assume charge of the yard at that mill.

—XXV—

Mrs. Peter Nelson, age 34 died July 20, at her home in Smiley township.

—XXV—

The Great Northern planned to extend this line from Greenbush to Roseau that year.

—XXV—

Jas. Kohmer, a farmer mill worker here landed a job as yard foremen for a mill operating at Coeur D'Alene, Idaho.

Variations in Cider

Cider, as made outside the United States, ts alcoholic. It ts the vinous fermentation of the expressed juice of apples. Meuy fiue ciders are of certain vintage verieties of the fruit. The cider apple orchards of the world are mainly confined to certain districts of France and England. In America fresh unfermented apple juice is called cider.

Oriental "Beds"

In oriental countries, usually, there are no bedrooms among some classes, and hedsteads and bedsheets are not known. Carpets and mattresses are spread out wherever uecessary to serve the purpose of a bed. During the day they are rolled up and put away into chests.

Chocolate in the Diet

Chocolate for eating is comperatively a modern development. As a beverage it has been used since the discovery of America. The Aztecs made a cold, frothy drink from cecao beans. It is only since 1700, however, that milk has been used in preparing the drink.

Argentina Wheat Season

The wheat harvest in the Argentine republic commences in November and is in full swing abont Christmas time. It continues well on into January in the most southerly portion, where the season starts later.

Sale Continues

Hundreds have taken advantage of the vast array of bargains offered at this store the past three days. Look at this:

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For Friday, Saturday and Monday

Soap chips, large pkg	.21
Kelloggs Rice Krispys	.11
Big 4 White Naptha soap, 10 bars	.33
1 lb. flat fancy pink salmon, reg. .25, can	.19
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Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening service at 8:00.
Evening service will be in Swedish language.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services in Clara church next Sunday at 10:30 a. m.

The Y. P. S. will be entertained by Mrs. Anton E. Anderson and Mrs. Arthur Peterson at the local church next Sunday evening at 8:00.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the Adrian Anderson home of Hazel Friday afternoon July 25th.

The Ladies Aid will meet Wednesday July 30th at the John Sjoberg home.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday July 27th, services as follows.

St. Hilaire Luth. Children services at 9: a. m. Let all the Sunday school children be present at this service.

St. Pauli Luth. 10:45 a. m.

Ebenezer, Luther League at the Chas. Johnson farm at 2:00 a. m.

These services will be all in the American language.

Wyandotte News

The Clearwater Luther League will be held at the Clearwater church July 27th. Everyone welcome.

Mrs. Ole Hanson has spent a week visiting with her daughter Mrs. Arthur Haugen.

Mary Roho, Evelyn and Lloyd Peterson visited at the Peter Kolseth home Thursday evening.

Miss Helen Peterson left Saturday evening for Chicago after spending a two weeks vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson.

Robert Nelson of Thief River visted Sunday at the John Albin home.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .71
Duram Wheat	.64
Rye	.38
Barley	.29
Oats	.23
Flax	1.92
Eggs, cash	.15
Creamery butter	.39

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Mankato—The Mankato census is 14,035, an increase of 1,566 or 12.5 per cent over the 1920 figure.

Sauk Rapids—Rev. William Patzke will be installed as pastor of Trinity Evangelical church here.

Kenyon—John Wallager, Kenyon, was installed as noble grand of the local Independent Order of Odd Fellows here.

Lakeville—Six sets of twin calves were born on the Geo. Van Dam farm near here within two weeks. All lived but one.

Madison—A graduating class of 151 students of rural schools in Lac qui Parle county will receive diplomas at exercises here.

Springfield—Fred Zeigler pleaded guilty to practicing medicine without a license and was fined $500 in district court in New Ulm. He had no medical education.

Lake City—Company G of Hastings carried off shooting honors at the rifle competition conducted at the National guard camp here.

Red Wing—J. A. Childs, chief engineer for the Metropolitan drainage commission, will address the Kiwanis Club here July 31.

Madison—Miss Esther Stewart of Laurel, Iowa, has arrived to take charge of home demonstration work in Lac qui Parle county.

The Creamery List

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A. O. Swanson, $98.81, E. Person, 97.47, C. Kruse, 95.02, E. Larson, 92.60, H. Burstad, 92.39, Dan Johnson, 92.21, J. J. Larson, 91.73, Mrs. J. Konickson, 91.61, J. Gothia, 89.61, E. Melin, 88.59, Mrs. A. P. Anderson, 88.57, K. T. Dalager, 87.64, Joe Patten, 87.26, Wm. Rinkenberger, 86.08, J. H. Bohlin, 84.65, C. O. Swenson, 84.31, D. J. Johnson, 83.97, V. G. Brink, 83.01, J. Lundberg, 82.00, I. Iverson, 81.28, John Maakrud, 80.19, B. Johnson, 80.17, J. O. Swanson, 79.12, J. A. Anderson, 77.67, A. A. Anderson, 74.59, J. Steiger, 74.41, J. Gunstad, 72. 43, Wahlbeck Bros., 71. 94, F. S. Erdmann, 71.10, R. Randorf, 70. 40, G. Johnson, 69.90, P. Thyren, 69.76, F. E. Rux, 68.57, H. Jepson, 68.22, G. Peterson, 67.89, A. Swanson, 66.78, Mortenson Bros., 65.71, And. Hushy, 65.44, W. D. Ewing, 65.12, G. Johnson, 65.01, Farmers State Bank, 64. 51, O. Haugen, 61. 70, W. C. Bothman, 60.32, O. L. Larson, 60.29, I. A. H. Johnson, 60. 20, Wm. Yonke, 58.43, H. Luttmer, 57.30, Otto Johnson, 57.10, H. R. Allen, 55.56, J. E. Johnson, 55. 38, C. Pearson, 54.77, J. Hedlund, 54. 65, Alf. Dahlstrom, 54.38, Ed Moren, 54,19, A. V. Jacobson, 54. 16, E. Hallmack, 53.54, R. Swanson, 52.97, J. Brandvold, 52.00, A. Loberg, 51.07, Svenson Bros., 50.93.

Cut The Weeds

Two or three persons in town who are expert in use of the scythe, and who are not now employed at anything else, might well be employed by the village for a few days to cut weeds and grass on vacant lots and along the streets.

There is nothing so unsightly, or anything that brings more unfavorable comments from people passing thru a town than to see vacant lots grown up into a jungle of weeds. A well kept, neat appearing town has its own reward.

LOCALS

We appreciate the wonderful response to our Red Tag Sale. We invite you to celebrate the last day with us on July 26th. Gamble Stores.

Put in your orders now for binder canvasses and sickles. There are so many sizes that its impossible to keep complete stock for all machines. Call or phone orders to
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J24-A14p St. Hilaire, Minn.

Montana Canyon Said to Hold Buried Fortunes

Helena, Mont.—The famous Sun river canyon may hold the secret of at least two buried treasures. The pioneer bandit sheriff, Henry Plumer, is said to have buried a large portion of the Wells-Fargo Express company loot near his Sun river honeymoon cabin. And now it appears an unknown bandit gang may have buried $140,000 in gold within a few miles of the canyon mouth.

Conway Firkins of Fergus Falls, Minn., has come into possession of a map purporting to show the location of a lost treasure.

He said the map came into his possession indirectly from a man who claimed he was the last member of a five-man bandit gang which robbed a guarded gold laden stage in 1882 six miles from the month of Sun river canyon. Three bandits were killed, a fourth fatally wounded, and the fifth, according to the story, escaped with the loot which he later buried. To date, authorities have been unable to unearth any record of the holdup.

Boys Free Dog Catchers' Roundup of 19 Canines

Butte, Mont.—"Guess we might as well get that one too," said one dog catcher.

"Sure, let's go," answered the other and the pair turned down the street after a slinking cur, deserting their pound wagon in which were 19 yapping, barking dogs all condemned to die unless somebody produced money for a license.

Eventually the weary dog catchers caught their twentieth dog and returned to the pound wagon, but it was empty.

Shrill shouts of juvenile dog lovers and the retreating forms of 19 canines told the tale. Brave little boys had opened the pen and released the captive animals.

OIL STATION RE-OPENED

While the Odd Fellow building is being remodeled in preparation for installation of the new Peoples Oil Company service station, we have re-erected out curb gas vending pump so as to be able to serve our customers.

Peoples Oil Company Shur-Fire gas, motor oils of all grades, grease. and auto repair service is again obtainable on the corner as before.

ENGH'S GARAGE
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Is Your Machinery In Shape For The Harvest Season?

Now is the time to look over your binder and see what may needed in way of repairs to put it in shape for harvest.

If you feel your machine may not stand the strain you expect will be put upon it, I will take it in exchange on a new one if it is in repairable condition.

Full line of McCormick-Deering and Minnesota harvesting machinery on hand. Also repair parts for all machines.

See me for corn machinery, plows, or anything else you may plan on in either horse driven or power machinery.

TWINE:- I carry two grades in both International and Minnesota twine. Place your orders now.

Do not hesitate to use the phone in case you have urgent need for anything in my line. I maintain a fast delivery truck for such emergencies.

Adolph Satterberg
Dealer in Farm Machinery
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Wilmington—Ordination of N. C. Rensio, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clara Rensio of Caledonia, Minn., into the ministry, was held at Wilmington Lutheran church here.

Onamia—Officers of the local lodge of the Odd Fellows Order were installed here. They include Oscar Bloomquist, noble grand and Anthony Fischer, vice grand.

Morris—K. E. Cummings, 33, Wheaton, Traverse county auditor drew three years and six months in the state prison after pleading guilty to embezzling county funds.

Austin—Invitations to Kiwanians of Mason City, Rochester, Mankato, Albert Lea, Lanesboro, Cresco, and other communities are being issued by the Austin club for an outing at Todd Park here July 29.

Brainerd—County Auditor C. W. Mahlum has issued a warrant on the Crow Wing county treasury for $25,000 to redeem the last of $100,000 in railroad bonds issued in 1892 to aid the Brainerd & Northern Minnesota Railway Company.

Pity Poor Man

A judge has just affirmed that a man is not old at fifty-nine. No one would dare even to ask such a question about a woman.

Needs No Heated Defense

A good cause needs not to be patroned by passion, but can sustain itself upon a temperate dispute.—Thomas Browne.

Time of Eating Reduced

The average person spends 18 days a year eating instead of 61 two decades ago, concludes Marya Dahnke, an economist.

Has Double Purpose

Knowledge is twofold and consists not only in an affirmation of what is true, but in the negation of what is false.—Colton.

Marks Oglethorpe House

The house which Oglethorpe, who colonized Georgia, occupied in Savannah is marked by a bronze tablet.

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Mrs. J. D. Johnson Called

Mrs. John D. Johnson, former well known resident of the Clara church community southeast of here, died Saturday, July 26 at the home of her son, Alfred, at Inver Grove, South St. Paul, death being caused by a stroke which she suffered a few days before.

The Johnson family resided in this community for many years before their removal to Inver Grove where Mr. Johnson died a few years ago.

Mrs. Johnson was born in Jerfso, Sweden, and was about 70 years of age at time of her death.

She is survived by four daughters, Anna, Florence, Emma and Ida, and by one son, Alfred. She is also survived by two sisters in Sweden, and by her brother, Martin Hanson of this village.

Funeral services were held Monday, July 28, from the Meeks Undertaking Parlors at St. Paul.

Sincere sympathy of numerous old friends in this community is extended to the bereaved family and other relatives.

County Fair Opens

The Pennington County Fair opened yesterday and continues until Saturday evening. Repairs have been made on buildings and grandstands which were damaged by the storm. A good livestock and crops exhibit is one of the features of the Fair this years. The amusements are also said to be good.

Miss Lilly Johnson left Tuesday for a visit with relatives in Montana.

The State Dairy and Food Department has issued a statement that considerable amounts of spoiled eggs are being received in shipments from dealers. All eggs must be carefully candled as they are received and packed, and proper candling certificate inclosed in each case shipped, to comply with the law, states the inspector for this district.

The Rural Credit Bureau has crews at work repairing buildings on several state owned farms in this vicinity, and it is reported some new buildings will be erected and other improvements made on other farms owned by the state, before winter sets in. There seems to be no lack of prospective renters for these farms as there is always one or more applications as soon as the buildings are put in shape.

Legion Convention, Aug 4-6

State Convention of the American Legion will be held this year at Crookston on August 4, 5 and 6th. Elaborate plans have been made for entertainment of the thousands of visitors who are expected to attend, so first three days of next week will be big days in Crookston. Several bands and drum corps will be present, and the Auxiliary will also have their musical organizations. An excursion trip to Winnipeg, by special trains over the Great Northern, will take place last day of the Convention.

Here From Dakota

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson and family were here last week for a visit at home of his mother, Mrs. Martin Bjerk, and at home of his sister, Mrs. Oscar Haugen. Mr. Johnson, who has been employed at telephone construction work for several years, is now manager of the exchange at Drake, N. D.

Surprise Party

A group of friends and relatives of Mike Fricker tendered him a surprise party Tuesday evening on occasion of his 57th, birthday anniversary. A very enjoyable evening was spent at conclusion of which a delicious lunch was served. Before departing, the guests presented Mr. Fricker with several suitable reminders of the happy occasion.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. Satterberg, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Larson, Mr. and H. R. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. W. Corbet, Mr. and Mrs. E. Sundholm, Tom Larson, Mrs. Bertha Adolph and Mr. and Mrs, Verner Nelson of Thief River Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fricker of Holt.

A big section of country reaching from east of Thief River Falls to St. Thomas, N. D., where the hail storm passed thru recently, presents a picture of disolation. All grain crops are destroyed, and there will be but little hay with which to carry stock thru the winter.

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Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Sheriff O. L. Ihle was down Friday from Thief River looking after matters in connection with his office.

Mrs. J. Pilley of Fergus Falls, and Adeline Westphal of Minneapolis, motored here last week-end and visited until Tuesday at home of their father, L. Westphal.

Miss Gabrielle Cathelineau and sister, Mrs. Blanche Connor came up Saturday from Fargo for a visit with relatives and friends.

The old steam locomotive is again doing service on the passenger train on this line instead of the gas-electric motor which has given considerable trouble lately.

Quite a number of people from this village and vicinity attended the illustrated lecture on China which was given at the local Swedish Lutheran church last Thursday evening.

Mr. Chr. Kruse, accompanied by his guests, Mr. and Mrs. Claus Gottburg and daughters, motored Friday to Winnipeg. They returned the same day.

Several people from this vicinity attended the circus at Thief River last Thursday afternoon and evening. Due to the haying and harvest season being on, the circus was not as well attended as it would have been at some other season.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Janda and children, Ellen May and Robert and Misses Hannah and Jessie Johnson of Mahnomen, motored here Sunday for a visit at the Kalland home. With exception of Ellen May, all returned home that evening.

Jennings Westphal motored up Sunday from Fargo for a visit with his father, L. Westphal, at the farm northeast of town. Jennings, who has been employed with Theo. Ducharme in his barbershop at Barnesville since leaving here, recently accepted a new position in a shop at Fargo, N. D.

The new concrete driveway is finished, and pumps have been installed at the new drivein station of the Peoples Oil Company located in the Odd Fellow block. Amply equipped with decorative lighting, the new station presents a very attractive appearance. Engh Bros are also re-arranging the workshop and storage space in rear so as to make them more convenient.

Joe Hauge motored here Tuesday evening from Bemidji for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hauge.

Mark Harder purchased a new 10-20 McCormick- Deering tractor and plows this week from A. Satterberg, local Inter national dealer.

Several local 4H Club members in this vicinity are exhibiting their stock this week at the county fair.

More than three hundred people attended the ice cream social held at the B. Theo. Johnson farm near Hazel on Wednesday of last week.

Harvesting of barley and oats is under way in this section this week. Wheat is showing signs of turning, and flax appears to be a very good crop.

L. E. Healy, special deputy examiner in charge of closed banks at Red Lake Falls, Oklee, Plummer and here, is in charge of liquidation of the First State Bank at Plummer which closed a short time ago.

After visiting a couple weeks here at the Chr. Kruse home, Mr. and Mrs. Claus Gottburg and daughters left Monday enroute to their home at Schleswig, Iowa.

John Lundberg is nursing a sore shoulder caused by the shoulder being accidently thrown out of joint a few days ago.

Mrs. Ida McCullough and daughter came Friday from their home at Portage LaPrairie, Man, Canada, for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson.

Riley Rasmussen, former cashier of the First National Bank at Roseau, and now a resident of Thief River Falls, was in the village Friday attending to matters of business.

Truck Owners! Save time and money with G & J Tires. They carry as much-wear longer-cost you less at Gamble's. 32x6 $27.80. Free installation. Service at any store. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Mrs. E. Sundholm, accompanied by her parents Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Kruse, motored Monday to Fargo for a short visit at the O. Golden home. Upon returing they were accompanied here by Mrs. Golden and children who will spend a short time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Kruse.

Friestad--Peterson

Friends here have received announcements of the marriage of Miss Nina Friestad to Mr. C. R. Peterson which occured Saturday, July 26th, at Minneapolis.

The bride was a member of the local high school teaching staff last year, and the groom was principal of the local high school two years ago. At opening of the coming school year, they will make their home at Plummer where Mr. Peterson was superintendent last year, and to which position he was re-elected for the coming season.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Peterson have a host of friends in St. Hilaire who all join in extending congratulations, and wishing them lifelong happiness.

Win Ball Game

A local baseball team played a game with a team from Thief River Falls on local ground last Sunday afternoon. The visitors had a lead until last inning when locals lads made several well placed hits which won the game the game by a score of 5 to 4.

Max Wilson, who is employed in a garage at Lake City, Minn., and George Wilson who is employed in a creamery at Marquette, Mich, came Tuesday to spand a short vacation at home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wilson at the farm east of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ingstad and daughter motored here Saturday from Jessie Lake and visited until the following day at home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Peter Simonson.

An increase has been noted lately in the number of tourist cars on T. H. No. 32. It is estimated that there are fully one third less tourists on the highways in this state this year than there were in 1929.

New Pontiac Sedan for sale. Run 3500 miles. Price $825.00. No trades. Will finance for proper party. J31A7 L. E. Healy, Red Lake Falls

For Sale: Engh property in St. Hilaire, 2 lots, house, garage and toilet at $200.00.

Private barn or garage, size 14 x 18, in very good condition, price $60.00, toilet, size 6 x 6, in good order, price $15.00.
J31tf L. E. Healy, Spec. Deputy.

Loses Foot In Mower

Henry, age, 12, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bothman, was the victim of a shocking accident last Friday afternoon whereby he suffered loss of his left foot. The boy had assisted his father with haying and had just gone out with his team to commence mowing. As he was about to start, one of the reins become caught under the pole and the boy walked in front of the team to free it. The team started and knocked the lad down. He regained his feet, but as he jumped to avoid the sickle, his left foot slipped and was caught by the mower. His parents, with help of neighbors who had witnessed the accident rushed the boy to the hospital at Thief River were it was found necessary to amputate the foot. Henry was concious from time of the accident until ready for the operating table and his chief concern was not so much with his own injury as with what effect it would have on his parents. He withstood the operation well, dispite loss of much blood, and is now getting along nicely.

Roseau Votes Bonds

Voters of the school district at Roseau recently voted to bond the district for $12,000, to be used with other funds on hand, for building an addition to their school building. On ground floor of the new addition will be located a much needed auditorium and gymnasium. The second floor will provide space for needed class rooms.

Paul Erickson, student at the medical school of the University of Minnesota, came Monday to spend balance of summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Erickson on the farm west of here. Since closing of the school year, Paul has attended Reserve Officers training camp at Fort Snelling.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thompson of Baudette, accompanied by Mrs. Fred Sandmoen and daughters of McInnis Creek, Ont., motored here Sunday for a visit at the A. Odegaard home and with other relatives and friends. Both Mr. Thompson and Mrs. Sandmoen formerly resided here during mill days so they had an interesting time visiting old scenes while here. They all returned home Monday afternoon.

The Black River Mission Y. P. S. will be held at Black River Chapel August 9th, instead of Aug. 2nd.

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Enjoy the real satisfaction and feel of security that comes with a steadily growing savings account. Every deposit increases the strength of your financial independence. Regardless of how small it may be, there must, nevertheless, be a starting point. Make you first deposit today, and add to it faithfully. We maintain a special Saving department for your convenience.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

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Just a little extra care in handling of cream determines whether it grades L. O. L. or lower. Your creamery can get best results by manufacturing butter from highest quality cream, and such butter also brings the highest market price. It means dollars in the pockets of all our patrons if we can get top prices for our product. Let's co-operate.

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Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the Total Sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Twenty and No-100 ($1420.00) Dollars, inclusive of Principal and Interest, all of which is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this Notice, under and pursuant to the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage made, executed and delivered by G. C. Gulrud, and Olena Gulrud, his wife, Mortgagors to Gretta Gulrud, whose present name is Gretta McKinney, Mortgagee, which said Mortgage bears date of October 21st, 1926, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of October 1926, at 10 o'clock A. M., and recorded in said Office in Book 76 of Mortgages, on page 269 thereof,

AND WHEREAS, by reason of said Default the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained has become operative, and No Action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or otherwise to recover the the Debt secured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained, and pursuant to Statute in such cases made and provided, the said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a Sale of the Premises desribed in and conveyed by said Mortgage, viz:

"Beginning at the Southeast corner of Block Eight (8), of the Townsite of Goodridge, Minnesota, according to the Official Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, thence WEST along the South Line of said Block a distance of Ninety-three and 87-100 (93.87) feet; Thence North One Hundred fifty (150) feet; Thence East to the East Line of said Block Eight (8), and Thence South along the East Line of said Block Eight (8) to the point of beginning," all in Pennington County, Minnesota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 16th day of August 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said Debt of $1420.00, together with interest to the date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and the Statutory amount of Attorney's fees allowed by Law, and the Costs and Disbursements allowed by law, subject to Redemption at any time within One Year from the Day of Sale as provided by Law.

Dated this 1st day of July, 1930.

Gretta McKinney,
formerly Gretta Gulrud,
Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota,
Attorney for Mortgagee.
J3-A7

If, in the final outcome, Minnesota is to lose one of its house representatives in Congress as a result of re-apportionment on the basis of the recent population census, it is sincerely hoped that the Ninth District will be spared the loss. Congressman Selvig has been doing yeoman service in Washington for his constituency and the district could ill afford to lose him at this time.- Gonvick Banner.

Improving T. H. No 65

Surveyors and grading crews are now at work relaying trunk road 65 between Clearbrook and Trail. The new road will be built on the south side of the Soo tracks from Clearbrook to join with the present route of 65 a little east of Trail. When this new road gets ready for traffic cars can run between Oklee and Clearbrook without crossing the railroad track, while the present road crosses the railroad six times. The new road also shortens the distance between the two points about three miles:- Oklee Herald.

New Pavement Tempting: Speeders Given Warning

A warning against speeding on the concrete is especially timely just now when short stretches of new pavement are being opened here and there thruout the state and others will be opened as they are completed from time to time during the summer.

When a new pavement is opened says a Highway bulletin, there are always a few drivers who are tempted to try it out and see what their cars will do on a smooth and solid road. Accidents have been frequent after the opening of pavements in former years.

In some cases pavements are opened before shoulding is completed which creates an added hazard. After shoulding are finished, it will be several weeks before they are sold and safe. But undue speed is always dangerous on any road.

Instead of trying to see how fast they can go, drivers are urged to follow this rule: "Keep your car under control so that you can always stop in the clear space ahead."

Tractors Damage Roads

A warning against running tractors and other farm machinery with sharp lugs or cleats over bituminous highways, was issued this week, by the Minnesota Highway department. The warning is timely since a large mileage of oiled and tarred roads have been constructed this season.

"We have oil and tar treated about 300 miles of gravel this year, bringing our mileage of bituminous treated trunk highways close to 1,100", says Commissioner C M Babcock. "Several counties have also done a considerable amount of this kind of work

"All types of 'black top' highways may be seriously damaged by wheels having sharp lugs or other projections We realize that keeping threshing engines and similar machinery off these roads works some hardship on the operators, and we are working with the manufacturers of these machines and with other highway departments in trying to find a way to lessen this inconvenience. This will take time however, and in the meantime we must protect the large investment made in these highways. The cooperation of the owners and operators will be appreciated.

"Very often a single trip of a tractor over a few miles of road may do more damage than the entire value of the machine. Bituminous gravel roads are very difficult to repair; if the road is badly cut-up it almost requires rebuilding the entire surface.

SEEKS RICHES IN CITY; DIES CROOK

Police End Crime Career of Tennessean.

Toledo, Ohio.—Police concealed in ambush at a bandit's home for several days shot and killed the robber, Claude Allen, thirty, in a pitched battle with his gang while Allen's wife, Edna, twenty-six, and their son, John, three, crouched in a bedroom and looked on. The wife and child had been kept prisoners by police.

The other members of the bandit gang escaped.

The discovery of several hundreds of dollars worth of loot in the Allen home definitely linked the gang with robberies in Flint, Jackson and Lenawee Junction, Mich., police say.

When officers arrived at the Allen home Mrs. Allen was packing a suitcase preparatory to leaving her husband because he would not give up his career of crime. Because of her imprisonment in the home she was unable to get any word of warning to him. Mrs. Allen and her son were asleep when the gun battle started.

Standing beside her husband's body Mrs. Allen related the story of the Allens since they came from Tennessee. She said:

"Claude didn't like farming. He got letters from up North, written by his boyhood friends, who had left Tennessee.

"They told how they went to dances, parks and theaters. They said they even had automobiles and wore their Sunday shirts to work.

Fails to Get Work.

"Claude said: 'That's the place for us.' So we came up here in January. But he was disappointed when we got here, because there was no work. He got to walking the streets. He kept his lips tight and wouldn't say anything.

"While he was idle he met up with a couple of men. One of them was called 'Jem.' This 'Jem' made a proposition that he and his wife move in with us—that we get a bungalow together so as to cut down expenses. We thought that was a good idea and we did it.

"Then 'Jem' and Claude started staying out later and later at night and saying less and less when they come home. But they weren't working and Claude began bringing home all these things you say were stolen in Michigan. I knew something was wrong but Claude wouldn't say they were stolen.

Pleads With Husband.

"I pleaded with him. Got down on my knees and pleaded with him. I was crying but he wouldn't heed me. 'I don't know what you are doing,' I told him, 'but I don't like the looks of things. I want you to cut out this running around nights.'

"But my tears were in vain. Then 'Jem's' wife and I talked things over and decided if our husbands were going to carry on that way we would leave them. We had a suspicion there was something wrong.

"I had had a job and had been taking the money I earned and buying furniture for our home on the installment plan. But I had to give up the job for a while because I'm going to have another baby in a few weeks.

"I couldn't keep up the payments on the furniture. The store was after me for money all the time and threatening to take it away. Recently I called them up and told them to come and get their furniture, that I was going back to Tennessee."

Mrs. Allen is being held at Beech house, a refugee home, until such time as her relatives in Tennessee arrange to take her home.

Britain Plans Air Giant for Service to America

London.—England's determination to become mistress of the air as well as mistress of the seas was further confirmed with the announcement that plans have been completed for the construction of a new giant dirigible, named R-102, which will be larger, faster and more economical than the two recently finished British airships.

The R-102, which is destined for transatlantic service, will combine the best features of its two predecessors, together with a number of striking new features which are calculated to make it a pacemaker in lighter than aircraft construction. Where the R-100 is driven by gasoline and the R-101 is driven by heavy crude oil, the new sky leviathan will operate with semi-Diesel engines driven by shale oil.

Plans for the ship have already been handed over by the designers and it is likely that the construction of the monster will begin before the end of the year.

French Air Taxis Ride Four for Price of One

Paris.—Four can ride as cheap as one in airplanes as well as taxis, the clients of one of the large Paris hotels have discovered now that the hotel has inaugurated its own plane service for the comfort of guests. Planes are hired at a flat rate of nine francs per kilometer. The hangars are at Le Bourget. Guests may arrange for planes to go everywhere and may keep them at their disposal for any length of time.

Girl, 11, Church Organist

Colford, England.—Stella Dix, eleven-year-old schoolgirl of Short Standing, has been appointed organist of a local church.

FOR ALL OCCASIONS

The turn was over, and the orchestra was silent for a while.

"I say," said the conductor, leaning down to speak to his first violin, "what ever key were you playing in?"

"Skeleton key," returned the violinist readily enough.

"Skeleton key?" echoed the conductor. "What ever do you mean?"

"Fits anything," was the reply.

Right!

He—You're so good at conundrums—try this.

She—Sure go ahead.

He—Take away my first letter, take away my second letter, take away all my letters, and I am still the same. What am I?

She—That's easy. You're a mail-carrier!—Royal Arcanum Bulletin.

The Eternal Feminine

"I've tried her with her bottle, her rattle and everything I can think of, but she still won't stop yelling," exclaimed the young mother of a three-month-old daughter.

"Give her her compact, that's probably what she wants," suggested the wise young papa.

Joy of Ill Health

Mrs. Blabber—You're looking very happy this morning. Have you had good news?

Mrs. Gabbar—Just wonderful. My husband has just had a nervous breakdown and we're going to Europe for the summer.

DIFFERENT CIGARS

"That's a quarter cigar you're smoking, eh?"

"Yes—a quarter cigar."

"What's the material of the other three-quarters, do you know?"

Endless Conversational Power

We still orate in manner bold
Without the slightest sense of dread.
No matter how much has been told,
There's always more that can be said.

Latest Car Out

Mrs. Bragg—My husband's car is the latest one out, you know.

Mrs. Cutter—Yes, I've heard the neighbors complain that it wakes them up when he puts it in the garage.

Wonderful Worker

Lola—Oh, daddy, Henry is such a wonder in his work. He just throws himself into everything he comes to.

Daddy—Well, I wish the dumbell would go hunting for wells or volcano craters.

What Could Be Sweeter!

Brown—You look as cheerful as a grass widow after getting her first alimony check.

Black—Why shouldn't I? My stocks are going up and my golf score down!

Try Umbrella Test

"That man is so honest he wouldn't steal a pin."

"I never thought much of the pin test. Try him with an umbrella."

GREEK MYTHOLOGY

"What do these queer marks on Harry's slicker mean?"

"I don't know dearie—it's all Greek to me!"

The Good Old Days

Adam had his troubles,
No doubt, in days of yore;
But no one said, when he told a yarn,
"I've heard that one before."

His Saving Disposition

She—If you really loved me all the time, why didn't you let me know?

He—I couldn't find a postcard with the right words on it.—Stray Stories.

Order Limiting Time To File Claims Within Three Months, and for Hearing Thereon.

Estate of Nels Johnson.

State of Minnesota, } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the matter of the Estate of Nels Johnson Decedent.

Letters Testamentary this day having been granted to Martha Johnson and it appearing by the affidavit of said representative that there are no debts of said decedent:

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 8th day of November 1930, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, Minn., in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator, as provided by law.

Dated July 29, 1930
(Probate Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Representative,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
J31-A14

River News

Fred Ulrich and Albin Konickson left Tuesday for N. Dakota to work in the harvest fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seeger of Red Lake Falls spent Wednesday at the F. Erdmann home.

Harold Larson who underwent an operation for appendicitis at Crookston returned home Sunday.

Misses Loretta Kruse and Alice Gigstad and the Misses Gotthnrg spent Saturday afternoon at the J. Maakrud home.

A group of local people went to Holt and Gatzke Sunday blueberrying. They report blueberries quite plentiful.

The farmers in this vicinity have begun harvesting.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Maakrud and daughters Alice and Evelyn and Grace and Margaret Dahla were Sunday dinner guests at the F. Erdmann home.

Eight grade Graduation was held Monday evening at the Red Lake Falls, high school auditorium. Of the graduates five are from this vicinity namely Henry Konickson, Catherine Haupt, Elton Mortenson, Francis Starken, and Maurice Peterson.

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WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 84, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Colder Spots in Refrigerator

Some sections of the household refrigerator are colder than others. Locate and reserve these for meat, milk and other exceptionally perishable foods, advises the United States bureau of home economics.

Nothing to Boast Of

"He who owes no man," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "should hesitate to boast if his freedom from debt is due to the fact that no one considered him worthy to be trusted."—Washington Star.

Banquet Formula

A recipe for after-dinner speaking is given tersely as "Stand up. Speak up. Shut up." A good many long-suffering diners out would reduce the formula to the last two words.—Birmingham News.

Didn't Feel Like a Genius

By JACK WOODFORD

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IT WAS late. . . . Or rather it was early. There was a light, however, in the upstairs bedroom window. Raleigh took out his watch and glanced at it nervously, by the light of his cigarette lighter. Two a. m. And he had only been married a year. Back from the honeymoon but six months. There would be, he foresaw, a lot of trouble. He hadn't had any idea that time was slipping by so swiftly; and he had been consistently behind the game.

Very gingerly he unlocked the front door. But careful as he was, Angela heard him. She came rushing down the stairs. Her eyes wide. Clad in a shimmering night negligee of such perfection as to bring out her slim young beauty perfectly. Raleigh heaved a sigh. It was too bad to have to quarrel with Angela for she was looking particularly lovely tonight. He just stared at her, and she just stared at him. It was a tense moment, there in the hall, in the dim light. And then Angela turned and calmly went on upstairs without speaking.

Raleigh heaved a sigh of relief. She had been afraid that he would be incapacitated, he gathered. Probably she was relieved that he was able to walk, at any rate. But she looked so pretty tonight. And it was so queer. So deuced queer to be in one's house with a creature who would not speak to one. Gave him a peculiar feeling as of invisibility.

He followed her silently up the stairs. His mind was acutely busy. He thought of the thousand and one jokes he had seen in cartoons concerning what one might do under such circumstances. The cartoonists must all be single men, else how could they think such a situation funny. There must be some way out of it. He decided that he would have to think up a new lie. Impossible it would be just to say he had been playing poker. She would want to know why he hadn't called her to let her know where he was. Why he had stayed so late. Why he couldn't play poker and come home at a decent hour. Why he had shown no consideration for her feelings whatsoever. Why he this, why he that, and the most particularly why he the other. . . .

Of course he could brazen and bluff it out. Bluster and pout himself. But that would prolong the quarrel until morning, at least; and most earnestly Raleigh did not want the quarrel prolonged. And he wanted to sleep.

It would take, he decided, nothing short of genius to think up something really good that would square things. And he didn't feel like a genius. No man who has just lost in a poker game ever feels like a genius.

Nevertheless, Raleigh doggedly followed her to her door. There she swung about, barring his entrance and said, in a most discouragingly emphatic tone:

"Well . . .!"

"Why! Oh! What's the matter?" asked Raleigh, innocently.

"What's the matter!" she snapped. "You can ask that." And then, who can say what happened. Perhaps there is a particular god who watches over the destinies of married men, for Raleigh blurted out:

"I don't understand your attitude at all!"

"Oh!" she mimicked, "you don't! Well, isn't that strange!" (The last with lamentable sarcasm.) "If you had decided to begin leading the night life of a tom cat, you might at least have 'phoned me. Perhaps I could have fixed up a date for myself."

"'Phone you," echoed Raleigh, still on the crest of Heaven-sent inspiration. "What are you talking about. I called you, explained that I was going to play poker, and you said sweet as could be: 'It's perfectly all right, dear; I've got a good book to read. I don't want to hold you down. Go right ahead and have your good times. Stay as late as you like, and if you lose don't worry.' You know," he added, after a moment's reflection, "I thought your voice was strange at that time. I must have gotten the wrong number. I just called you dear, and you just called me dear; I suppose I got some other chap's wife. . . . I'm sorry." Then he laughed at the joke.

It worked beautifully. Not until near morning was the poor woman satisfied that she had proven her own superiority to other chap's wives, and then only after a blanket permission to play poker ad libitum had been granted.

Bees' Drunk Ties Up Line

Traffic on the railway line passing through Karlovac, Serbia, was tied up recently by a huge swarm of bees on a honey drunk. Derailment of a freight car caused a broken honey jar to release its contents on the ground. Bees attracted by the sweet made the air blacker than during a thunderstorm and forced the wrecking crew to flee. Not until 12 hours later, when all the sweet had been consumed, could the men resume their work of putting the car back on the tracks.

Peculiar "Hole in One"

Mrs. Walter A. Friedman of Cleveland, is claiming to be a member of the "Hole in One" club, though she admits there is a small doubt as to her eligibility. Playing at Highland Park, she drove a long one down the fairway. A caddy stepped into the way, the ball hit him on the leg and bounced neatly into his pocket.

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My Favorite Stories
by Irvin S. Cobb

A Stickler for the Details

THIS particnlar yarn I had from e district attorney of a neighboring state who was present when the thing heppened and who, to me, vouched for its euthenticity.

The grand jury of his county was in session investigating such criminal cases as bad accumuleted sinca tha previous term. Tha clerk read a complalut and a sergeant-et-erms brought in e bedly hettered Pole as the chief complaining witness egainst a fellow-countryman.'

Through en interpreter, the witness told e remarkabla story. In effect, he seld this: That he and the defendant had been friends for years in this country and hefora that in Poland; that they hed met frequently and thet about e year hefore tha defendant who was married, confided to tha witness, who was single, that he hated his wife and that some day he was going tu invite her to go boeting with him and when he got her out in the middle of the river meant to knock her in tha head with an oar and throw her overboerd. The witness stated that, personally, he had uot looked with favor upou this plan and at the earliest opportunity had sent a privete messenger to his friend'e wife advising her uot to go un any skiff-riding trips with her hushand.

In view uf subsequent developments he now was constrained to believe that the husband somehow had learned uf this betrayal of confidence. Through the interpreter, the Pole in the witness chair continued his story somewhet after the following fashion:

"Six weeks ago, when spring had come, this man came to me and suggested that we go fishing. Wa went up the river several miles. After we'd heen fishing a little while he pulled out a bottle and invited me to have a few drinks. I only took four or five drinks but somehow it made me sleepy. So we landed and I laid down ou the grass. Pretty soon I was waked up by being hammered over the head with a club. Before I lost my senses I realized that he'd pulled my overcoat up over my head and tied it. Then he tied my hands and feet with a piece of rope, hit me a few times more on the head and threw me in the water. But soma fellows un the upper floor of a carpet factory on the bank saw ma in the river and hauled me out and took me to the bospital where I've heen ever since."

His evidence having been completed tha foreman excused the bandaged victim, but before he could quit the chair une of the grand jurors, who had been listening with the utmost interest to the startling story, halted hiu, and informed the interpreter that, in tha interests uf justice to all, he desired to put oue question.

"Whet do you wish me to ask him?" inquired tbe interpreter.

"You ask this man whether, when be went fishing with the defendant, did he beve e license to fish?"

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Fisherman Lands Pike and Hawk in Same Net

Stockholm.—To catch a pike and a hawk in the sama nst is something which does not happen to many fishermen, hut Karl Sohlman, of Tosmte, in tha province of Vermland, has just accomplished the feet.

A large and powerful pike was ceught in his net and a hawk, watching the ettempts of the fish to free itself, swooped down in the hope of e meal. But tts claws became tangled in the meshes and Sohlman hauled in e double catch. The hird was an unusually large specimen, measuring more than 3.28 feet between the wing tips.

Magazine Solicitor Uses Strong Arm Tactics

Billings, Mont.—A brusque stranger shoved a receipt for a magazine into the hands of twelve-year-old Richard Moore and demanded $3. The youth stammered and turned pale. "All right, if you won't I will," he exclaimed. He walked into the house, grabbed the child's penny hank which contained about $3 and disappeared.

Instrument Calculates

A simple device that will calculate the time at any point on the earth's surface in relation to the time at some other place has been invented by the United States hureau of standards largely because of the demand for such an instrument since the advent of international radio broadcasting.

LIVE STOCK NEWS

COTTONSEED MEAL FATTENING FEED

May Be Used to Good Advantage to Finish Pigs.

While too much cottonseed meal is injurious when fed to hogs, recent experiments have shown that it may be used tu advantage in fattening pigs.

"The pigs in these experiments were fed in dry lots for periods ranging from 55 to 84 days with an average daily consumption of from one-third to one-half pound uf cottonseed meal," says E. H. Hostetler, chief of swine investigations at North Carolina State college, "with noue of them showing any evidence uf cottonseed meal poisoning. In another trial with soy-bean pasture added to the ration of cottonseed meal, shelled corn and mineral, the pigs were fed three-fourths of a pound daily for a period of 90 days without any injurious effects."

Greater gains et less cost were alsu mede when cottonseed meal was edded to the ration, states Mr. Hostetler. Equal parts of fish meal and cottonseed meal were mixed and fed free choice with shelled corn and mineral. In the five trials conducted in this experiment the pigs made more rapld gain at less cost than where fish-meal alone was used as the protein supplement.

"The relatively low price of cottonseed meal as compared with other high protein feeds is of much importance to hog raisers in the state," says Mr. Hostetler, "and farmers can safely add this supplement to the fattening ration."

Similar experiments have been conducted at the experiment station in Texas and have shown the same results, states Mr. Hostetler.

Young Lambs Suffering With Sore Eyes Aided

Sometimes young lambs suffer with sore eyes. If the trouhle is ceused by the eyelashes being turned in, a stitch or two with a needle and white thread will hold the eyelids upen, and in a day or two the trouble will he over. If the sore eyes are caused by infection, a few drops of one per cent solution of silver nitrate, administered with a medicine dropper in the eye, will usually clear up the difficulty.

Beginners are frequently over-anxious to assist a ewe in lambing. It is better to let the ewe take her time in a netural way. If the ewe bas labored unsuccessfully for an hour, an examination should be made, and if the lamb is not in a normal position with uose and front feet foremost, the lamh should be straightened out.

Have Everything Ready Before Lambs Arrive

It is a good plan to have everything in readiness several deys before the ewes are expected to start lembing, for, while the everage gestetion period for ewes is about 148 days, frequently the lambs arrive three or four deys earlier. First of all, have the ewes in readiness hy being thoroughly tagged out, both between the hind legs and also the wool aronnd the teats. This will enable the young lamb to find its first meal much more readily, and, furthermore, if the tagging is doue before the lamb comes, the wool is clean and dry, whereas it is wet and soiled after lamhing.

Live Stock Items

Cattle given free access to corn silage and alfalfa will balance their own rations.

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A hog that is "off feed" will not make first class pork if butchered in that condition.

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Death losses amount to larger proportions in pigs than in any other young stock on the farm.

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Don't allow your breeding animals to become so thin that you have to apologise for their condition.

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Horses and mules on farms in tbe United States have declined steadily from a total of uver 25,000,000 in 1920 to 19,000,000 on January 1, 1930, or 24 per cent.

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The number of dead and weak pigs can be largely eliminated hy giving the sows suitable quarters and feeding them a well balanced ration during gestation. Exercise, too, is an important part of the management of pregnant sows.

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Pigs running on pasture make greater gains from the same amount of feed than they do in the dry lot.

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Pigs on pasture are healthier, and the risk of loss from disease is lessened. Worm infestation may be controlled much easier on pasture than iu the dry lot.

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Pasture for hogs furnishes about one-half the amount of protein necessary to balance the grain ration; hence less tankage or skim milk is needed when hogs are on pasture.

FARM POULTRY

INFECTED CHICKS SPREAD DISEASE

Tainted Birds Immediately Become Menace to Others.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Bacillary white diarrhea, also known as pullorum disease, may spread from infected chicks to healthy chicks in the same incuhetor, even though the chicks ere not ectually in contact, the United States Department of Agriculture announces in reporting progress in tha study of the cure, prevention, and eradication of this serious disease. Drs. Hubert Bunyea and W. J. Hall heve demonstrated the danger of this type of infection in investigations under wey for two years et the bureau of animal industry experiment station, Bethseda, Md. Their work was part of a program of study formulated by the hurean and the Netionel Poultry council. The committee in charge of these investigations consisted of Drs. M. Dorset, M. A. Jull, and H. Bunyea, all of the hureau uf animel industry.

The eggs used in the experiment came from two flocks, one known to have the disease, the other free from it as shown by the eggintination test. Separata trays for the two kinds of eggs were used in tha incuhetors, and the chicks, when hatched, were prevented from coming in contact with those in tha other trays. In four different types of incuhetors tt was found thet pullorum disease was transmitted from infected chicks to normal chicks. Tha infection ranged from 45 per cent in tha still-air type to 81 per ceut in the egitated-air type. The control chicks, hetched in separate incuhetors from eggs obtained from non-reacting hens, showed less than oue-tenth of oue per cent infection.

In all cases the spread of the disease occurred within a period of from 18 to 24 hours after hatching, epparently as a result of air circuletion. In no case did any of the chicks from one trey heve direct contact with those in another tray. Deeths of healthy chicks exposed to the disease showed thet even when the chicks were hrooded under the most favoreble conditions, e larga percentage died withiu two weeks as e result uf the infection.

The experiment showed that from the moment it comes out of tha shell an infected chick immediately hecomes e menece to ell other chicks in the same incubator. An infected chick is also a menace when placed in a hrooder with healthy chicks.

Incubators for Ducks Is Now Common Method

The desire to incubete their own eggs has heen hred out of many strains of ducks, perticularly the Pekin. For this reason the egg must he hatched in incuhetors or under heos.

Duck eggs should be gathered daily, kept in a cool place and turned daily. They should he set as soon as possible after laying, as they do not keep as well es hens' eggs.

In incuheting duck eggs artificially they are handied ebout the same as hens' eggs except that the temperature should he held at 102 degrees for the first three weeks eud more moisture supplied in the machiue. They may he tested for fertility on the fourth or fifth dey.

Don't Waste Sunshine Needed by Chickens

Even if you are feeding cod liver oil and heve suhstituta glass in tha windows, don't waste any pure, raw sunshine when you heve e chance to use it on the chicks Be willing to open the windows and doors on still, sunny days. Then wetch the weather end close them up when clonds eud raw winds eppear. Let the chicks enjoy the warmth of pure raw sunshine whenever possible. A littla extra work in caring for the windows and the ventileting system will he repald in the improved vigor of the chicks.

Eradicating Lice

For eradicetlng lice from poultry use sodium fluoride. It kills ell varieties of lice—body, head, and feather. This chemical may he epplled hy dusting or by dipping. Either tha "chemically pure" or the "commercial" grades may be used, but tha letter is cheaper and more easily obtained. Young chicks require very little, end a pound of powder costing about 50 cents shonld kill tha lice ou a flock of 100 chickens. Dipping the fuwls is still easler and cheaper.

Clean Ground Best

The chief of the poultry section uf the Iowa experimental station says: Even though the old birds show no signs of infection it is not safe to allow young birds even to have access to the same yards, runs or ground where uld stock have been. Just try getting the 1930 chicks on clean ground entirely away from the old birds. Infection can he easily carried on the shoes, by old stock, and in many other ways. Prevention is always the best cure.

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25 Years Ago

Black rust was reported in this section. An examination by qualified persons found no basis for the scare.

Mrs. A. E. Higbie was here from Ulen for a visit with her son, Dr. C. E Higbie.

G. B. Grace was entertaining his mother and sister who came that week from Davenport, Iowa.

Otto Sandmoen of Crookston, was visiting at the home of his mother here.

Foreman Geo. Hughes and a crew of drivers went to the upper sorting gap to sort a big drive that had arrived.

H. D. Pettibone, local manager of the lumber company accepted a position as traveling saleman for the company with headquarters at Chicago.

Mike McGraw, an oldtime river man, was a member of the Grand Forks driving crew that went through here that week.

Beautiful Subway Is Goal of Paris Chiefs

Paris.—The municipal council of the "most beeutiful city in the world" is growing worried lest the city fall short of its reputation dne to the metro stations. Thay feel that suhweys should he as handsome as any of the museums and monuments of Paris, and to that end they are talking of improvlog their underground stations hy installing ornamental stairweys, instead of the present cement and steel arrangement.

Tha local advertising agencies will doubtless rise in rage against this idea as the walls of the metro stations are coveted for displaying posters which extol the producta of La Belle France. However, the council has a good chance of winning out in the end, as the Parisians are devoted to their city and extremely proud of its beauty, and probably will take this chance to enhance it.

Henry's Lighter Works So Well It Burns Him

St. Louis, Mo.—Henry Hurminghouse, despite tha thousands of jokes to the contrary, has a cigarette lighter that works. It works too well, in fact, for tt set fire to Henry's coat sleeve and he suffered hurns to hand and arm, necessitating treatment at the hospital.

Not Worried

Morden, England. — Parrot disease hrings no fear to the healthy centenarian parrot that has heen a pet in the household of Mrs. Mary Martin for more than 50 years.

Wyandotte News

Miss Lillian Berg left Wednesday to assist with the work at H. Haugen home.

Sunday dinner guests at David Haugen home were, Mr and Mrs C. Carlson and family, Mr. aud Mrs. Elmer Lee and femily, Mrs. John Brekke and Mrs. P. Peterson.

Miss Rose Jergenson spent Sunday visiting at the O. Wilson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hanson and daughter of Portland N. D are spending a few days at the Ole Hanson home.

Miss Elizabeth Evenson spent Sunday with Mable Seeland of Hazel.

HONEYMOONERS HIT BY DAMAGE SUIT

Wedding Journey Is Full of Troubles.

Seattle. — Two young boneymoon couples who eloped from California arrived in Seattle in time to be served with summonses in a $10,000 damage ection—just 11 days after their double wedding at Reno, Nev.

All the wey from Wheeling, W. Va., Albert A, Heunisch motored to Ookland to claim his seventeen-year-old hride, Sylvia. With him he hrought his college chum, William B. Dawson uf Pittshurgh, Pa., who was to have been "best man."

It was "love at first sight" when Davison met Sylvia's girl chum and the four decided to make tt a double elopement and wedding.

Driving to Seattle on their double honeymoon to visit Heunisch's uncle and aunt, Justice of the Peace and Mrs. John B. Wright, the honeymooners were arrested by highway patrolmen at North Bend on request of authorities at Easton.

"We couldn't imagine why we were detained," Devisou said, "and then we found thet a car wa passed Sunday had plunged off the highwey immediately afterwerds. We were snpposed to be responsihle."

In the car, wbich dived down a 30-foot emhankment, were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilson, their eight-year-old daughter, Katherine, and Mr. and Mrs. John L. Cusworth. Mrs. Cusworth, Mrs. Wilsou and her daughter were severely injured.

When authorities decided not to file reckless driving charges against the honeymooners they coutinued their trip to Judge Wright's home. The Wilsons and Cusworths, however, retained Attorney John J. Sullivan to hring personal injury actions against Dawson, owner of the car.

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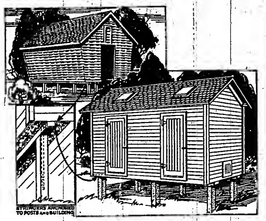

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MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Delano—William Tarzwell has been installed as noble grand in the local chapter, I. O. O. F.

Mankato—The Mankato census is 14,035, an increase of 1,566 or 12.5 per cent over the 1920 figure.

Delano—The local Lions Club will be headed by O. B. Hildebrandt as president for the next year.

Clairmont—Paving of trunk highway No. 7 between Owatonna and this village was completed.

Alexandria—The Douglas County Poultry Association will have its annual picnic here August 10.

Detroit Lakes—1930 promises to be this city's banner building year in history as the $135,000 mark nears.

Hutchinson—Ralph Berry and H. R. Kurth were re-elected members of the local school board at the annual elections.

Brainerd—John Tromel, 78 years old, who developed gangrene in his left leg from infection starting in a toe, died at a local hospital.

Hutchinson—The uniformed bodies of Zuhrah Temple of the Mystic Shrine, Minneapolis, will give an exhibition in Hutchinson late in August.

Owatonna—A $100,000 addition to the Minnesota Implement Mutual Fire Insurance building will be erected here with work to start before October 1.

Olivia—Mrs. George F. Cage and J. R. Land of Olivia were elected members of the school board here. It was the first time a woman has served on the board.

Owatonna—C. I. Buxton of this city was re-elected president of the National Implement Mutual Insurance Company, which maintains home offices here.

Montrose—T. A. Thoreson and E. Lenz were re-elected to serve on the Montrose board of education at the annual meeting of independent school district No. 35.

Alexandria—Edward J. Brown of the town of Moe was reelected president of the Douglas County Old Settlers and Pioneers Association at the third annual reunion here.

Litchfield—Mayor B. Determan of Litchfield and N. T. Woodward represented Litchfield at the meeting of the League of Minnesota Municipalities at the University of Minnesota.

Winona—Paul Redington, Washington, chief of the biological survey department, has arrived here for a two weeks' inspection tour of the upper Mississippi wild life and fish refuge.

Bird Island—Rev. Father E. Frederick, for several years assistant pastor in St. Mary's parish here, has been promoted to a pastorate at Wanda and Clements, in Redwood county.

Owatonna—A crowd numbering 3,000 is expected to come to Mineral Springs park here Sunday afternoon to hear the first of two concerts to be played by the Owatonna Elks concert band.

Owatonna—Two champion bread bakers of Steele county were being selected from 26 entries in a 4-H club contest. The winners will represent Steele county at the Minnesota State Fair this fall.

Granada—The Granada State Bank closed since November 10, 1927, declared a 10 per cent refund to depositors through A. J. Veigel, state banking commissioner, being the fourth dividend and bringing repayments up to 48 per cent.

Owatonna—Plans for additions to the home office building of the Minnesota Implement Mutual Fire Insurance Co. here were announced by C. L. Buxton, president of the company. The proposed enlargement will cost approximately $100,000.

Kerkhoven—Monson Lake Memorial park will be the scene of the fourth annual picnic of the local chapter of Izaak Walton League Sunday. Einar Hoidale, democratic candidate for United States senator, and Patrick Cliff, commander of the Minnesota division, American Legion are scheduled to speak.

Wheaton—Raymond Johnson, deputy Traverse county auditor two years, was appointed auditor. He succeeds K. E. Cummings, former auditor, who was sentenced to Stillwater penitentiary for three and a half years when he pleaded guilty to embezzling funds from the state game and fish department.

Minneapolis—Word has been received from the United States Naval Training Station at Great Lakes, Illinois, that the draft of young recruits that is sailing this week from San Francisco on the U. S. S. Chaumont for duty in the Asiatic Station includes two Minneosta boys enlisted at the recruiting station in Minneapolis last March. These boys are: Fireman third class Ray F. Mullen of Hopkins, Minnesota, and Hibbard C. Stubbs of Mankato. Seaman Herman Lego, son of Frank Lego of Detroit Lakes, Minnesota, has been transferred from the Naval Training Station to the U. S. S. Mississippi stationed at San Pedro, California.

Winona—Diplomas were presented to 158 pupils of rural schools in Winona county at graduation exercises at Winona State Teachers College.

Anoka—Though the hot weather proved unfavorable to crops in Anoka county, they are in fair condition, according to L. O. Jacob, county agent. Cutting of winter grain has started.

Red Wing—Bernice Jansen, a member of Christ Episcopal church here, will go this fall to Japan, where she will take up missionary work. She will sail August 29 and will be stationed in the District of Tohoku, under Bishop Norman S. Binsted.

THE CHURCHES

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Communion services Sunday morning at 10:00 in Black River church.

The Y. P. S. will meet in Black River church next Sunday evening at 8:00.

Ladies Aid will be entertained at home of Mrs. S. Wiberg on Friday Aug. 8th.

Womens Exhibits At Fair

Every woman, whether she be from rural or urban center, will find a host of exhibits that will prove especially interesting to her at this year's Minnesota State State Fair and Northwest Livestock Show, August 30 to September 6, declares Mrs. Hayle C. Cavanor, superintendent of the Women's Activities Dept.

"Every home-maker can well afford to spend a half day studying the displays in the Woman's building," says Mrs. Cavanor. "There will be exhibits touching on education, child training, clothes, food, health, art, travel and politics."

The fair management has set aside $1,600.00 in prizes for the best exhibits of culinary art, handcrafts, garment-making, decorated china and special exhibits.

In the division of domestic art premiums are being offered for the best handkerchiefs, table linens, chamber linens, spreads, quilts, curtains tapestries and door panels, beach covers, handmade pillows, rugs and fancy bags.

Work of women more than 70 years of age will include such articles as cotton patch work quilts, knitted and crocheted bed spreads, handmade lace, rag rugs, pillow cases, towels.

Another interesting display will be the work of occupational therapy patients, who are former service men. Leather work of all kinds, wood carvings, plastic art, lamp shapes, basketry, fancy paper novelties, rugs, weaving, head work and toys will be shown.

Entries in the Woman's Activities department closes Saturday, Aug. 23.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .66
Duram Wheat	.59
Rye	.36
Barley	.29
Oats	.21
Flax	1.89
Eggs, cash	.15
Creamery butter	.39

LOCALS

Ruth Fowler, daughter of County Auditor and Mrs. H. L. Fowler of Thief River, is spending part of her summer vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson west of here.

Nor. Lutheran ladies aid will be entertained by Mesdames A. Bilden and J. Maakrud at the church basement Aug. 8th. 2t

Ole Loberg, one of the old pioneers of this community, who now resides near Willmar, came up yesterday to look after matters in connection with his farm north of town.

Erling Prestby, of Hazel was to the Canadian border last week-end and brot back a truckload of blueberries which he disposed of this week in this vicinity. The blue berry crop on both sides of the border is very good this year.

L. E. Healy, special deputy examiner, was here Saturday from Red Lake Falls, looking after business matters of the Farmers State Bank.

A hail storm in the Gentilly district last week did much damage to crop there and southeast of there to vicinity of Marcoux station on sixteen mile corner.

Specials Saturday Only

Balonga, per lb	.18
Sausage, per lb	.20
Weiners, per lb	.20
Side pork lb	.14

City Meat Market
Carl Person, Prop.

The third heat wave of this month, swept over the country last week-end causing damage to crops, and also causing several deaths. While it was warmer than usual in this section it was not so unpleasantly hot as was reported from districts farther south.

Put in your orders now for binder canvasses and sickles. There are so many sizes that its impossible to keep complete stock for all machines. Call or phone orders to

Wm. Olsen,
J24-A14p. St. Hilaire, Minn.

Dr. Spofford
Optometrist
will be at:
Red Lake Falls, Aug. 5th,
forenoon only
Thief River Falls, Aug. 5th.
afternoon only
Office at Lincoln and Evelyn Hotels
Eyes Examined and Glasses fitted.

Great Lakes' Terrier Acquires "Sea Legs"

Toronto, Ontario.—Five years of sailing the inland seas of the great lakes have given Toby, fox terrior owned by Capt. William Tulloch of Kingston, a real mariner's sea legs.

Since he first set sail from Montreal, where Captain Tulloch purchased him, Toby has got over the annoying habit of falling overboard and sometimes into the ship's hold.

Toby's narrowest escape occurred a few years ago when his ship was passing through the Welland canal. The fox terrier tumbled over the side just as another ship was passing and went entirely under the other vessel, coming up to be fished out and continue his journeys.

Unlike many sailors, Toby was "shipped over" on the steamship Birchton, Captain Tulloch's craft, at the end of every voyage.

Try It on Your Own

Slap the cheeks until they glow, advises a beauty expert. But first be sure, of course, they're your own.—Adrian Telegram.

No Use Merely Swapping

Burying the hatchet won't do you much good unless you're willing to hang up the hammer.—Fort Wayne News-Sentinel.

Cages Shunt Lightning

Heavy copper wire cages protect forest lookouts from lightning in the northern Rockies.

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St. Hilaire - - Minn

AUTHORIZED Melotte DEALER

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NEW Low Model MELOTTE

The World-Famous Regular Standard Model No. 7 Melotte and the new, low, HANDY No. 77 Model Melotte are *here*—ready to prove their worth to you.

Come in for a FREE Demonstration

The suspended self-balancing bowl is the secret of Melotte's ever-lasting close skimming.

"The Greatest Skimmer of Them All!"
Come in and see WHY the Melotte skims closer, turns easier, is easier to clean, lasts longer and costs less for upkeep than any other separator.

Is Your Machinery In Shape For The Harvest Season?

Now is the time to look over your binder and see what may needed in way of repairs to put it in shape for harvest.

If you feel your machine may not stand the strain you expect will be put upon it, I will take it in exchange on a new one if it is in repairable condition.

Full line of McCormick-Deering and Minnesota harvesting machinery on hand. Also repair parts for all machines.

See me for corn machinery, plows, or anything else you may plan on in either horse driven or power machinery.

TWINE:- I carry two grades in both International and Minnesota twine. Place your orders now.

Do not hesitate to use the phone in case you have urgent need for anything in my line. I maintain a fast delivery truck for such emergencies.

Adolph Satterberg
Dealer in Farm Machinery
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Death Attempt Fails; Couple Are Happy Now

Milwaukee.—Leonard Grimmer, seventeen, and his sixteen-year-old girl bride, Sophie, have found the bluebird in the form of a steady job.

The young husband is glad now that police interrupted his attempt to kill himself and his wife by gas at their home here. The couple have become reconciled and the clouds of despondency have lifted.

Ordinarily, a suicide attempt means prosecution in Milwaukee, but in young Grimmer's case authorities made an exception. He was released on probation.

Sophie was glad to forgive her husband.

Grimmer, married only last September, couldn't stand the hard sledding of unemployment. Despondent, he turned on the gas, but was discovered by his wife in time to save his life.

Explaining Colored Showers

Showers of so-called ink are due to the presence of smoke or soot in the air, and showers of "milk" to chalky earth. Some of the most remarkable falls of dust, including incidental showers of colored rain, have been caused by explosive volcanic eruptions, in which mineral material was projected to great heights in the atmosphere and subsequently spread far over the globe.

Care of Polo Ponies

The Field says that superhigh-priced polo mounts are never allowed to get out of condition. As soon as the matches are over, the shoes are taken off and the ponies turned loose in a soft soil, grass paddock, which is free from stone. Two or three months later they are shipped South and worked into condition for the early spring matches.

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Village Owns Cemetery

At meeting of the village council held Monday night, final chapter was written in transfer of the Swedish Lutheran cemetery east of town, from the Swedish Tarna church to the village. An offer was made by the congregation to the village last spring which was accepted by the latter, and the village has since virtually had possession, and bad some work done, but certain formalities had to be gone thru before the transfer became an actuality.

At next meeting of the council, a cemetery commission will be appointed to have charge of the burial grounds, and to supervise such improvements as are contemplated thereon. Present plans call for a new fence, removal of timber from the unused and now unplatted part, erection of a small tool house for use of the sexton, clearing bush along front of the plot, and possibly reopening of the ditch to provide better drainage. None of the contemplated improvements will be expensive, but they will add much to appearance of the plot, as well as giving much satisfaction to those who have loved ones interred in the cemetery.

Ice Cream Social

Ladies Aid of the Evang. Mission church will give an ice cream social Friday evening, Aug. 8th, on the lawn at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Dahlberg in St. Hilaire. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend.

Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson, who will leave in a few weeks to make their home in southern part of the state, plan to have an auction sale of household effects latter part of this month.

Martin Peterson motored down yesterday from Warren for a short visit with relatives and friends. He was accompanied here by his grandmother, Mrs. Anna Peterson, who had spent a week at Warren.

It is estimated that nearly 7000 people attended the State Convention of the American Legion which closed yesterday at Crookston.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Paulson came Tuesday from Duluth to spend a week at home of their daughter, Mrs. M. Theo. Skatrud.

Ball Game Next Sunday

A baseball game has been arranged for to take place on local grounds next Sunday afternoon between a team from Highlanding and the local club. The latter have been going good all season, and the contest Sunday will no doubt be an interesting one.

Here From Minneapolis

Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Nelson and children motored up Friday from Minneapolis for a visit at the home of Mrs. Nelson's mother, Mrs. O. Sherva. Mr. Nelson, who is employed as field representative by the National Tea Company, left Sunday to visit various stores belonging to the company in Minnesota and South Dakota. Mrs. Nelson and children remained here to spend about two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCormick and daughter Betty, motored here Saturday from International Falls for a visit at the home of Mrs. McCormick's sister, Mrs. T. M. Skatrud. They took in the Legion convention at Crookston first of the week and expect to leave for home latter part of this week.

Henry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bothman, who suffered the lose of a foot in a mower a couple weeks ago, is improving rapidly at the hospital and will be home next week.

Tim Ensrud, Wm. Engh and Elmer Johnson were among the exservicemen from this village who attended the Legion convention at Crookston this week.

Dorothy Thompson of International Falls visited here first of the week at the homes of her aunts, Mrs O. K. Olson and Mrs. Harry Ortloff.

Miss Lilly Johnson is expected home this week after a visit with relatives in Montana.

The manager of Gamble Stores says, "You'll want to hear the new 1931 Coronado Radio before you buy–New Tone Control–3 Screen Grid Tubes." Now on display. Thief River Falls, Minn.

GET A Good JOB or business of your own! Write us about our Expert Master Course. New free catalog. HANSON AUTO-TRACTOR & ELEC SCHOOL, Fargo, N. Dak.

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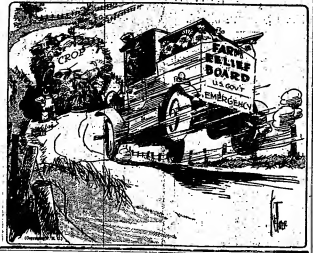

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Tim Ensrud went Monday to Crookston to take in the three day session of the state convention of the American Legion.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carpenter returned Friday after spending about three weeks at their summer home at Isle, Minn.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George W. Whalen of Red Lake Falls township, a daughter, on Tuesday, July 29th.–Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Raymond Young and Martin Loberg left Tuesday morning for a trip out in Dakota. The former was bound for Minot, and the latter for vicinity of Leeds.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe LaPlante of Crookston are the happy parents of a daughter born Sunday evening. Mrs. LaPlante is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Wilson of this village.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lindquist motored up last week from Minneapolis for a brief visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lindquist. While here Mr. Lindquist purchased a new Pontiac car from Roy Motor Company which they used on the return trip home.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Wallace and sons, Donald and Robert, motored here a few days ago from Kasson, Minn., for a visit at the N. E. Beebe home. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace were residents of River Falls township some years ago.

A. Satterberg, the farm machinery dealer, has enjoyed a brisk trade in machinery and twine the past week. Harvesting is well under way in all parts of this community, and demand for twine is heavy.

After spending a couple weeks with relatives at Little Fork, Miss Blanche Hoff, accompanied by Billie Winter, returned home Tuesday. Mrs. Cephas Swanson who went with them from here to Little Fork left from there for her home at Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Person and children motored down last week from International Falls for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Person, and with other relatives. They left Tuesday for a short visit with her relatives in Roseau County before returning home. Ed states that employment conditions at the Falls and nearby places are very poor this season.

Herman Anderson, for thirty years, a resident of Devils Lake, N. D. is here for a visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. H. O. Jackson.

Dick Bohlen and family were down Sunday from near Thief River for a visit at the home of his father, J. H. Bohlen.

After spending three weeks here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Soderberg, Walter Soderberg departed last week-end for Detroit, Mich., where he has employment.

Miss Emma Houghton and brother, Glen, of Detroit Mich. have been guests for a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Soderberg south of town.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Giese and family motored over Sunday from East Grand Forks and spent the day at home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson.

John Maakrud received several prize awards at the county fair last week with his showing of heavy, draft horses. John has some of the finest stock to be found in this section so the prizes are well merited.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Strom and family are here from Biwabic for a visit at the home of her father, Pete Swanson, and at the homes of her brother and sister, Chas. O. Swanson and Mrs. John Naplin. The Strom family always make at least one trip a year back to this locality.

Mrs. Albert Brink returned last week-end from the hospital at Warren where she recently submitted to a very serious operation. She is regaining strength rapidly and will soon be enjoying her usual good health which is good news to her many friends.

George Biskey, Sr., motored Monday to Warren to consult physicians at the Bratrud Clinic. George has suffered considerably with asthma the past spring and summer, but has shown marked improvement since taking treatments at the Clinic.

Rev. and Mrs. William Hanson and baby, accompanied by her mother motored here last week from Swedesburg, Neb., for a visit at home of the latter's sister, Mrs. A. Dahlstrom. They departed Tuesday morning for southern part of the state to visit briefly while enroute home.

Lands Poultry Prizes

William Yonke, local poultry fancier, had a very fine showing of birds at the county fair last week. On his showing of White Orpingtons, Mr. Yonke won awards as follows:- Cock, first and second; Hens, first, second and third; Cockerels, first, second and third; Pullets, second and third.

On showing of White Leghorns he won prizes on Cockerals, first and second; Pullets, second and third.

Mr. Yonke also was awarded the prize for best display.

Here From Minneapolis

Oscar J. Stearns, accompanied by Laura Simonson and a friend of the latter, motored up Saturday from Minneapolis and spent until Sunday at the Peter Simonson home. On the return trip they were accompanied by Mrs. Stearns and children and Pearl Simonson, who have visited a few weeks with their parents.

Pearl Simonson leaves from Minneapolis for Crandon, Wis., where she will teach a term of school this year.

Here From Willmar

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cathelineau and two sons, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. L. de Cathelineau, motored up last week from Willmar for a visit at the Flamme home and with former neighbors. Upon returning home Sunday morning, they were accompanied by Miss Gabrielle Cathelineau and Mrs. Blanche Connor, who have spent a week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Roy, who have been at Grand Forks during the summer while the former attended summer session at the University, was here first part of the week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. S. Roy.

New Pontiac Sedan for sale. Run 3500 miles. Price $825.00. No trades. Will finance for proper party.
J31A7 L. E. Healy, Red Lake Falls

For Sale:- Engh property in St. Hilaire, 2 lots, house, garage and toilet at $200.00.
Private barn or garage, size 14 x 18, in very good condition, price $60.00, toilet, size 6 x 6, in good order, price $15.00.
J31tf L. E. Healy, Spec. Deputy.

Grain Prices Advance

Since reports of widespread damage to grain crops in the Northwest because of serious drouth conditions, there has been several increases in the prices of grain. A glance at the market quotations in this issue will show a considerable difference in prices now than those that existed three weeks ago.

Return From South Dakota

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson returned Friday evening after spending a week with relatives and friends at his former home at Berisford, S. D. They also visited a number of surrounding towns and points of interest. They state harvesting of grains is finished in South Daketa, but the corn crop will be short because of lack of rain.

25 Years Ago

Miss Mabel Hannay left for a visit with her brother at Seattle, and to attend the fair at Portland. Ore.

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Fred Gebott left for Frazee to take the position as head filer in the mill there.

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Moosedung, chief of the Indians at the Red Lake reservation, died after a few days illness. Moosedung was well known, and was highly honored and respected by the members of his tribe.

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Mrs. J. H. Johnson and daughter were here from Christine, N. D, for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Carrie Berglund.

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Mary Anderson returned from Red Lake Falls where she attended summer training school.

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Station agents and operators on the G. N., ordered a strike and commenced going out that week. The local agent, H. M. Swenson, was still on the job but no messages were received or sent.

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Herman Anderson, a former St. Hilaire resident, came over from Devils Lake for an extended visit at home of his aunt, Mrs. H. O. Jackson.

For Sale:- Some barley and oats mixture, mostly barley. Good for cow feed.
a7 W. Adams, St. Hilaire, Minn.

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Enjoy the real satisfaction and feel of security that comes with a steadily growing savings account. Every deposit increases the strength of your financial independence. Regardless of how small it may be, there must, nevertheless, be a starting point. Make you first deposit today, and add to it faithfully. We maintain a special Saving department for your convenience.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Market Quality Cream

Just a little extra care in handling of cream determines whether it grades L. O. L. or lower. Your creamery can get best results by manufacturing butter from highest quality cream, and such butter also brings the highest market price. It means dollars in the pockets of all our patrons if we can get top prices for our product. Let's co-operate.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

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Notice Of Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of the Total Sum of One Thousand Four Hundred Twenty and No-100 ($1420.00) Dollare, inclusive of Principal and Interest, all of which is claimed to be due and is due et the date of this Notice, under and pureuant to the terms and conditions of that certain Mortgage made, executed and delivered by G. C. Gulrud, and Olena Gulrud, his wife, Mortgagore to Gretta Gulrud, whose present name is Gretta McKinney, Mortgagee, which eaid Mortgage bears date of October 21st, 1926, and with a Power of Sale therein contained duly filed for Record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 29th day of October 1926, at 10 o'clock A. M., and recorded in said Office in Book 76 of Mortgages, on page 269 thereof,

AND WHEREAS, by reason of eaid Default the Power of Sale in said Mortgage contained has become operative, and No Action or Proceeding having been instituted at Law or otherwise to recover the the Debt eecured by said Mortgage or any part thereof,

NOW THEREFORE NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of the Power of Sale in eaid Mortgage contained, and pursuant to Statute in euch cases made and provided, the said Mortgege will be forecloeed by a Sale of the Premiees desribed in end conveyed by eaid Mortgage; viz:

"Beginning at the Southeast corner of Block Eight (8), of the Townsite of Goodridge, Minnesota, according to the Officiel Plat thereof on file and of record in the Office of the Register of Deeds in and for the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, thence WEST along the South Line of said Block a distance of Ninety-three and 87-100 (93.87) feet; Thence North One Hundred fifty (150) feet; Thence East to the East Line of said Block Eight (8), and Thence South along the East Line of said Block Eight (8) to the point of beginning," all in Pennington County, Minneeota,

together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, which said Sale will be made by the Sheriff of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, at the East front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 16th day of August 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day at Public Vendue, to the highest bidder for Cash to pay said Debt of $1420.00, together with interest to the date of Sale, and the Taxes if any on said Premises, and the Statutory amount of Attorney's fees allowed by Law, and the Costs and Disbursements allowed by law, subject to Redemption at any time within One Year from the Day of Sale as provided by Law.

Dated thie 1st day of July, 1930.

Gretta McKinney,
formerly Gretta Gulrud,
Mortgagee.

H. O. Berve,
Thief River Falls, Minnesota,
Attorney for Mortgagee,
J3-A7

Remodeling At A. C.

ACCORDING to officials of the Northwest School of Agriculture, extensive alterations are being made in the administration building, which is popularly known as Kiehle Hall to thousands of former students and alumni. This building has served as the center of all school activities for the past twenty years. Of the 976 graduates, all but seventeen have received their diplomas in the auditorium of this building.

Due to the rapid increase in enrollment during recent years, the library, auditorium, gymnasium and other facilities have been completely outgrown

All gymnasium equipment will now be housed in the new Physical Education building that is under construction on the south side of the campus. Plans include an enlarged library covering one-half of the ground floor, while administration offices, post office and book storage rooms will occupy the rest of the first floor. The stairway leading to the second floor will be moved to the center of the building near the south wall, thus relieving the congestion at the front entrance.

Second floor plens include a new and enlarged auditorium, with raised floor, and etage relocated across the entire north wall of the building. A new balcony with a modern moving picture booth will also be built,

Since the village has acquired the local cemetery and plans many improvements on the property, the matter of providing a better road to it should be taken under consideration. Beginning at east approach of the south bridge, where the sharp "jumpoff" should be eliminated and guard rails provided, the road should be widened and graded. Grade over the Benson bridge should be raised and ditches on both sides opened to do away with the mudhole that exists there every spring and after each heavy rain. From that point on, the grade should be made wider until it connects with the ditch grade south of the cemetery. By making proper representations to the county board, there is no doubt but what this short stretch of road could be incorporated in the county aid road system, and be maintained as such a heavily travelled piece of road should be.

COULDN'T AFFORD IT

"Shall you send your son to college?"

"No, I can't afford it, but I've bought him a racoon coat!"

Your Turn Now

Hush, little skim milk
Don't you cry,
You'll be the whole cheese
By and by.

Feeling Audiance

Gazonda—Did the audience show any feeling when she sang?

Gazoof—Yes, about half of them began feeling under the seats for their hats.

Early Airplane Flight

The Pan-American airplane flight was the first one made from the United States to Nicaragua. The flyers left the United States December 21, 1926, and returned April 23, 1927.

Our Toes

Without our toes we could not keep our balance. Dancing, cycling, football, running, would be impossible. Nature, in toes, has not endowed us with useless appendages.

Strength of the Handshake

The skin of the human palm is 176 times as thick as that of the eyelid. That's why there is more in the glad clasp of a hand-shake than in a wink.—Atlanta Const[illegible]

ROOSTERS SPREAD POULTRY DISEASE

More Cases of Bacillary White Diarrhea Noticed.

Male birds help to spread bacillary white diarrhea among poultry although the disease does spread without males, according to the New York state college of veterinary science at Cornell university.

Until recently the cause of the spread of this disease among mature chickens has been unsolved. Experiments were conducted in which pens were made up of infected and non-infected hens. Cock birds were placed in some of the pens and others were maintained without males. A period of months was necessary before any evidence of this dissemination was seen.

Bacillary white diarrhea has been found to be the most widespread and serious disease of baby chicks. To assist poultrymen to control the disease, the veterinary college has encouraged local veterinarians to establish laboratories which are maintained under its supervision. These laboratories are located in Erie, Orange, Onondaga, Otsego, and Greene counties. Long Island also has a number of similar laboratories conducted on the same plan.

Although testing under this plan has been in operation only one year up state and two years on Long Island, nearly 100 flocks have been handled. Approximately 52,000 chickens have been tested and progress is being made in lowering the amount of infection in these flocks and in decreasing the chick mortality due to this disease.

Ducks for Breeders Are Fed Differently

When ducks are raised for breeders they are fed differently from those intended for market. They are not forced so much as are the latter, and less fattening feed is given them. The corn meal and beef scraps are reduced to one-half the quantity used in the above rations. The following is an excellent ration: Equal parts corn meal, wheat bran, green feed, 5 per cent beef scraps, and 5 per cent coarse sand or grit.

A ration for breeding (laying) ducks is recommended as follows: Fifty per cent by measure, corn meal; 15 per cent wheat bran; 15 per cent green feeds (cooked vegetables, such as potatoes, turnips, etc.); 12 per cent beef scraps, and 8 per cent coarse sand or grit. Mix with water to a dry, crumbly state and feed twice a day—morning and night.

Proper Feed Selection for Raising Ducklings

The proper selection of the feed is extremely important to secure the rapid growth of the duck, and the ingredients of the feed must be such as will afford a well balanced and substantial ration. As a whole, it may be said that the rations used by the largest duck raisers are essentially the same, differing only in the quantities used in the mixing.

Investigations show the real value of the feed to be the same for producing rapid growth and early development. The duckling grows twice as rapidly and is a much heavier eater than the chick, and to produce the best results its feed must be such as will be easily assimilated. Various methods of feeding are recommended for raising ducks successfully.

Poultry Facts

Profitable turkey raising is largely a matter of proper management.

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Hens need minerals both for body maintenance and shell formation.

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The best time to market Leghorn cockerels is when they are broiler size, and the earlier you market them the more you get for them, though they bring a good price up to July 1.

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It is probably best to use two geese with one gander. Sometimes three are mated but best results will be had from the closer mating.

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In feeding geese it is always advisable to have plenty of water near at hand as they do not swallow well unless it is washed down.

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Chilled chicks will often show signs of diarrhea. Keep the brooder stove regulated to furnish the right temperature and much trouble will be prevented.

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Broilers pay good returns when they are marketed sufficiently early in the spring.

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The cockerels from the early hatches may be satisfactorily marketed as broilers.

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Fastening hardware cloth or baby chick netting under the low roosts, then slanting it down to the floor helps to teach chicks to roost when no more than [illegible] week old. The roosting habit will save many a chick from being smothered.

STATE FAIR HAS RECORD EXHIBITS

Livestock and Agricultural Displays Best Ever—Admission Is 50 Cents.

THE Minnesota State Fair and Northwest Livestock Show — America's outstanding agricultural exposition—will present the greatest educational program in its history from August 30 to September 6, announces Raymond A. Lee, secretary.

Premiums totaling $1[illegible] have been set aside for the best livestock, farm and industrial products displayed.

Two million dollars worth of livestock has been entered in the cattle, horse, swine and sheep departments. Outstanding in the cattle division will be the regional Jersey cattle show, with animals from fourteen midwest states competing. The Holstein, Guernsey, Ayrshire and Brown Swiss shows will be exceptionally large.

Record showings of beef cattle, horses, sheep and swine are assured. The poultry contests have attracted more than 3,000 birds.

The Agricultural building, featuring its 36 county exhibits, and the finest grains, grasses, corn and vegetables grown in the state, will prove of interest to all visitors. The Horticultural building will be heaped high with enticing displays of fruits and flowers.

Twelve hundred boys and girls, representing the winners from more than 45,000 youngsters enrolled in 4-H club work throughout the state, will compete in the dairy calf, pig, sheep and colt finals at the Fair.

Every person who owns machinery or contemplates buying any in the near future, will want to visit the 60-acre machinery display. All that's new in farm equipment, road building machinery and labor saving devices for the farm, factory or home, as well as old established lines of machinery, will be on display. All exhibits will be of the moving type so that persons interested will be able to see the various machines in actual operation.

A loan collection of famous paintings and sculpture, valued at more than $1,000,000 will be exhibited in the Fine Arts building.

Exhibits near and dear to the hearts of women will be found in the Woman's building. There will be displays touching on such important subjects as home-making, child training, clothes, art, travel and politics.

There will be the butter and cheese, bee and honey, fish and game, and school exhibits. The auto show, presenting many new models of cars; the aircraft show sponsored by the Curtiss-Wright Co.; the electrical show, where Mr. Televox, the mechanical man, will hold forth; the state exhibits, featuring the work of 35 departments and institutions, and a score of other educational features equally as interesting.

The admission fee for this year's Fair will be 50 cents.

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Society Chatter

The New Yorker has found this item of society chat in the London Daily Express: "Among Mrs. Fielden's guests were Sir Jock and Lady Broughton, Major and Mrs. Jack Coats and Sir Anthony Weldon; and for Sir Anthony at least the sojourn among the quiet vales of Yorkshire must have provided welcome recuperation. For he had just undergone a singularly trying domestic crisis, due to the inexperience of a housemaid newly imported from Ireland.

"The maid stepped inadvertently on a trapdoor communicating with a flat below, and was precipitated, to the horror of everyone concerned, not only into the bathroom, but actually into the bath in which a marquis was engaged in the performance of his ablutions. Sir Anthony seemed, when I last saw him, as much distressed by this incident as anyone."

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A Mistake

Architects, whom I admire chiefly because they have the knack of figuring out in advance just where the hot water pipe will go in every one of 200 apartments in a building, do make mistakes sometimes. I went backstage at one of the newer and better theaters the other night to speak solemn words with a comedian, and found him in a funny little coop of a dressing room. "Not much for a star, is it?" he said. "When they built the theater they didn't figure on dressing rooms and had to put them in later."

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Hit by Conscience

New York.—Someone with a troubled conscience sent approximately $198 in two-cent stamps to the "conscience fund, City of New York, department of finance."

Big Tree Cut

Stockholm.—A giant spruce, more than 275 years old and measuring 125 feet in height, has just been cut down in Gasborn parish, in Vermland.

Order Limiting Time To File Claims Within Three Months, and for Hearing Thereon.

Estate of Nels Johnson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the matter of the Estate of Nels Johnson Decedent.

Letters Testamentary this day having been granted to Martha Johnson and it appearing by the affidavit of said representative that there are no debts of said decedent:

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 8th day of November 1930, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, Minn., in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator, as provided by law.

Dated July 29, 1930
(Probate Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Representative,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
J31-A14

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Regina Hoover, Frank Clark, Fred Clark, Emery Atwater, Effie Bretsch, (formerly Effie Atwater) and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 30th day of August, 1930 at ten o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 4th day of August, 1930.
(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
A7-21

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Yale Fund

Every once in a while personal advertising columns in the New York newspapers carry an inquiry as to the whereabouts of anyone named Leavenworth. A man named Leavenworth has left a fund to provide a year at Yale for anyone having the same name. Only one Leavenworth a year may attend, and if there are several applicants, a competitive examination is held.

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Helping the Poor

One of the older wills provided as follows: "I have 71 pair of trousers. They are to be sold to the poor, and the proceeds given to the poor. The garments shall not be meddled with, and only one pair shall be sold to any one person." The sale was held. The purchasers, when they took the pants home, found a $1,000 bill in each pair.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Hastings—Mrs. A. C. Dockstader has been elected president of the Hastings W. C. T. U.

Rockford—Wrecking of a land mark in this city, the Crose Lutheran church, was underway. A new structure is to be erected.

Alexandria.—More than 300 men responsible for safe delivery and collection of mail in Minnesota met here in joint convention.

Owatonna—Rev. Robert G. Purrington of Faribault has accepted a call to become rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church of this city.

Fairmont—Fire intended to destroy weeds only swept away and burned 20 acres of shocked oats on the John Szukelski farm near here.

Winona—B. H. Warner, local railroad mechinist, has retired after rounding out 30 years of locomotive work. He is 70 years old.

Renville—Lester Wordes of near Renville, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wordes, was injured when a bull attacked him. He will recover.

Willmar.—Old residents of Kandiyohi county met for their annual meeting, which was a part of the Kandiyohi county pageant presented here.

Brainerd—Burglars entered the office of Dr. A. K. Cohen, dentist, and stole $100 worth of dental gold. They made their entry by picking the office door lock.

Arlington—The Big Stone corn packing plant of this city will start its annual pack August 11. The sweet corn outlook is better than last year. The plant expects to pack about 125,000 cases this year.

Medford—Nutritional clinics are planned for three Winona county communities by the County Public Health Association. They will be conducted at Winona, Dresbach and Lewiston, August 11 to 14.

Duluth.—Efforts to have Duluth placed on an air mail route are being made by Congressman William A. Pittenger of Duluth, who is a member of the house committee on postoffices and post roads.

Duluth—It cost the U. S. government $15,000 trying to send William Taylor Hanks, Indian charged with the slaying of his wife, her grandfather and infant son, to life imprisonment in Leavenworth federal penitentiary.

Mora—Rural school graduates of Kanabec county will receive certificates with President George Selke of St. Cloud Teachers' College as speaker. Achievement day was observed in connection with several contests.

Long Prairie—Todd county public schools had commencement exercises here with Miss Martha Thom, superintendent, awarding eighth grade diplomas to 252 students. Rev. James A. Geer delivered the commencement address.

Red Wing—A building program involving expenditures of more than $200,000 is under way in this city. A new office building, the new St. John's church building and warehouse and oil storage tanks are projects under construction.

Minneapolis.—$2,000,000 worth of power plant equipment will be exhibited in the Minneapolis Auditorium by the Minnesota State Association of the National Association Power Engineers at the twenty-first annual state convention August 6, 7 and 8.

Willmar—Associate Justice Royal A. Stone of the Minnesota Supreme Court was one of the speakers at the annual meeting of the twelfth district, judicial bar association, which opened at Green lake, near here. A banquet was held at which more than 150 persons are expected to attend.

Kenyon.—The Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission has set August 13 as the date for a hearing on the petition of the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific railway asking for permission to discontinue its agency at Bombay, a hamlet of 75 persons, 6 miles from here.

Hastings—A section of a coffer dam, behind which was being built the final section of the new dam across the Mississippi river near here, broke through. Damage was slight and work on the main dam halted temporarily. It took about three days to repair the coffer dam. It was necessary to lower the level of the water behind the coffer dam considerably and during the repair period boats passed through the Bolo dam.

Brainerd—Funeral services for A. G. Trommald, 72, register of deeds for Crow Wing county 25 years, who died of heart disease, was conducted. Mr. Trommald also was chairman of the board of directors of the Citizens State Bank of Brainerd. Banks and courthouse offices closed during the funeral hour. Active pallbearers were former Assistant Attorney General Walter F. Wieland, Wilton Lahlum, John Carlson, Representative A. M. Upsahl, Roy Wicklund and County Treasurer S. R. Adair.

Sleepy Eye.—J. J. Klein, for 23 years agent for the North Western railway at Sanborn, has been named permanent agent for the railway company here.

Waseca.—Night horseraces, planned as the first of the type in Minnesota by the Waseca County Fair Association but "rained out" on the Fourth of July, will be one of the principal attractions at the exposition here August 19 to 21. H. M. Gallagher has been named chairman and is arranging the program, which will include entries for 2:22 trot, 2:30 trot and 2:2[illegible] pace [illegible]

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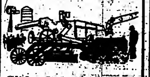
World's Greatest State Fair

GREATER than all others, the 71st Minnesota State Fair and Northwest Livestock Show, August 30 to September 6, will present the most colossal educational and entertainment program in history.

Thousands of head of prize livestock; record displays of farm crops; 1,200 boys and girls in club demonstrations; exhibits of fruits and flowers; the activities of the women; the 80-acre machinery show; the Horse, Aircraft and Auto Shows; these are only a few of the outstanding educational features.



Glider flights; refueling demonstrations; multiple parachute jumps; thrilling auto races; horse races; 15 big open-air cicus acts; a stirring fireworks show, "THE AWAKENING"; band concerts; Morris & Castle shows on Whoopee-Way; and

hosts of other features make up the entertainment program.

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

N-W LIVESTOCK SHOW

Aug. 30 to Sept. 6

Admission—50¢

The Flowered Hat

By ISABEL NEIL

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IT WAS no mere hat, Stephanie Travis reflected as she stood before the window of Chez Marie and considered it; it was a spring song; a poem.

About it were subtle hints of violets, primroses and all the blossoms of spring. It was young and wistful.

She walked slowly into the Chez Marie. Dickie would be furious if she bought another hat. But this hat! The saleswoman, suave in black velvet, was upon her.

"The hat in the window, please," Stephanie indicated.

The hot was pressed down over the soft gold waves of her hair. It belonged. It was perfect. She must have it.

"How much is the hat?" she asked.

"Only thirty dollars."

Only thirty dollars! Stephanie seldom paid over five dollars for a hat.

"I'll decide later," she told the saleswoman.

She dawdled along the street. April was in the air. There were daffodils in the shop along the sidewalk, and Stephanie bought a handful.

They centered the table that night as she served dinner to Dick. Yellow candles shed their pale light over the golden blossoms. The dinner was of extraordinary goodness.

"When you want to, you sling a mean frying pan," Dick told her at the close of the meal, as he leaned back comfortably to light a cigarette. Dick was a man of few words, but those he spoke came straight from his heart. Stephanie was visibly cheered, and she sang as she cleared the table and scrubbed the dishes. Later, perfumed and smiling, she slipped down beside Dick on the davenport and rested her head on his shoulder. He was utterly at peace until—

"Dickie, I saw the sweetest hat today—"

"I might have known it!" he thundered. "Whenever you are half way decent there's something in the wind."

Stephanie implored and begged. She even resorted to tears, which had proved infallible in the past. They were idle tears, she found.

"I'm tired of spending all our money on a cheap apartment, theaters and crazy clothes," he told her at last. "I'm going to change it."

Stephanie didn't worry about the change. He would forget it. But two weeks later he sprung his bombshell.

"I bought a house today," he informed her.

"Bought a house!" she gasped weakly "with what?"

"On time—like we bought the furniture."

"Where is it? And why didn't you take me with you?"

"Out Maplewood way, I knew you'd crab it."

Stephanie did her best to crab it. She wasn't going to live out in the sticks, away from everything and everybody. She stormed and cried. Dick listened. "Take it or leave it," he advised.

Stephanie took it. There was nothing else for her to do. She wailed over her packing and the moving. She deplored every point of the little house. She complained constantly of her work, her loneliness. She laughed at Dick's enthusiasm over his strawberry bed, his four hens and his gardening attempts.

It was a March day, the first on which it seemed possible that spring might not be only a happy memory. Stephanie, with an old green sweater pulled about her, walked about the little back yard. She stopped under a tree. There, half-hidden by some rotten brown leaves, was a tiny point of green. Stephanie knelt down and pulled away the leaves. It was a crocus! There was the papery white tip through which the blossom would push. She looked about eagerly, and felt like a Megellan when she found several others. She didn't tell Dick.

Life began to assume the aspects of an adventure. Sometimes it was hard to wait until Dick had gone before going out to see if a snowdrop was out or if that purple and white striped crocus was full blown. April flew by like the wind.

It was a May afternoon when Stephanie was raking away the last leaf and broken stalk of last year's flowers from her little garden. She paused before a bed that was her especial pride. It was bright with primroses, violes, english daisies and violets. It made her think of last spring, and the—

"Perdon me," a voice broke in on her musing.

She looked up. Leaning over the alley fence was a rather fat, red-cheeked woman. She was obviously of the servant class.

"Pardon me," the woman repeated. "Do you need a cook?"

"Wait a minute," Stephanie told her. She ran into the house and came out a minute later, two dollar bills in her hand.

"I don't need a cook but I'll give you both of these," she told the other, "for your hat."

"Well — all right." The woman seemed surprised.

With a free gesture she pulled the hat off and handed it over the fence. Stephanie gave her the money, and watched her walk away bareheaded, smiling.

Then, with a laugh Stephanie examined the faded, shabby remains of the flower garden hat.

She got it after all!

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River News

Mrs. Aug. Erickson and son and Mrs. Eid and children returned Monday afternoon from Wannaska after spending a few days at the home of their daughter and sister Mrs. Oslund.

Oscar Thyren and daughter returned to their home at Kellihier Tuesday after visiting at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Thyren.

Many people of this locality attended the County Fair at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Erdmann and family were guests at the C. F. Seeger home of Oklee Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ang Erickson and sons and Mrs. Eid and children motored to Crookston where they were guests at the Alec Erickson home. Mr. and Mrs. Erickson returned the same day but Mrs. Eid and children remained for a longer visit

Miss Mable Swanson, Martha and Helger Anderson and Fredolph Swanson spent Sunday evening at the Erdmann home.

Wyandotte News

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Wilson and family visited Sunday afternoon at the Swenson home In Sanders.

H. Bruggeman and G. Wilson were business callers at the P. Kolseth home Saturday evening.

Mrs. Nels Berg visited Thursday at the John Albin home.

Mrs. Ole Hanson and Mrs. P. Kolaeth and sons visited at the J. Albin home Sunday afternoon.

Miss Gina Haugen returned home Thursday morning from Minneapolis for her annual vacation with her parents, Mr and Mrs. David Haugen

Frank Lund and Arnold Haugen visited Sunday at the Peter Kolseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bruggeman and daughter Harriette motored to Goodridge Sunday and spend the day.

Televox, Mechanical Man, at State Fair

Mr. Televox, the Mechanical Hired Man, product of the engineering wizards of one of the nation's leading electrical companies, will be introduced to fair crowds for the first time at the Minnesota State Fair and Northwest Livestock Show, August 30 to September 6.

Mr. Televox, at the spoken word of an operator; milks the cows, turns on and off the lights, and performs all kinds of sensational feats that completely bewilder an audience.

Mr. Televox will make his headquarters in Industrial building No. 5.

Popular Story

A man who said he was a destitute writer of fiction grabbed a tray of jewels in a New York store and was promptly arrested, thus becoming the author of his most widely read story. —Boston Transcript.

Under Table Etiquette

"Bridge shin" is said to be a newly discovered disease. It is contracted by a husband sitting across from his wife and forgetting what trumps are. —Pathfinder Magazine.

Secret of Success

To know what is right and what is wrong and always to choose the right is to have learned the secret of success, the joy of work, and the road to happiness.

Watering a Hanging Plant

To water a hanging plant place a small funnel in the center of the basket, leaving the cup part above the soil, but hidden by the foliage. Fill this funnel daily with water. The water will soak into the soil gradually and will not run through onto the floor.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening service at 8:00 in Black Chapel.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Communion services in local church next Sunday morning at 10:30, with Sunday school following.

Y. P. S. of Clara church meets at the Henry Sandberg home Sunday evening.

Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Swan Wiberg, Friday, Aug. 8th.

Ladies Aid of Clara church will meet at the home of Mrs. Anton Peterson, Wednesday, Aug. 13.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .78
Duram Wheat	.71
Rye	.50
Barley	.37
Oats	.30
Flax	2.20
Eggs, cash	.15
Creamery butter	.39

Classified

Some people are born failures, others have misfortune thrust upon them, and still others believe they can beat Wall Street.—Atlanta Constitution.

Tulips in Holland

The miles and miles of bulb fields in Holland are a rare sight in spring. But the Dutch grower is no sentimentalist; the bulb fields would soon disappear, an unprofitable industry, if he did not send his workers out, day by day, to cut off the full blooms and thereby strengthen the bulbs for future flowering. The tourist is welcome to as many flowers as he can carry away from the "refuse pile" beside every patch.

Prized Volumes in Museum

Two rare volumes, one a perfectly preserved copy of Josephus' "De Antiquitate Judaica et de Bulto Judaica," printed by Jo Schussler at Augsburg in 1470, about 14 years after the printing of the Gutenberg Bible, are in the St. Louis Art museum. The other volume is a copy of the "Hyperotomachia Poliphili," written by Columna and printed by Aldus Manutius at Venice in 1499.

First Slaves in America

In August, 1619, a Dutch vessel, said to be a man-of-war or a privateer from Flushing, sailed up the James river to Jamestown, Virginia, and landed slaves there. According to various authorities, the Colonial government purchased them in exchange for food and supplies, and sold them in turn to private settlers. There is no record of the name of the purchasers.

What She Was

O! I'm seventeen when I'm snaoy;
And I'm seventy when I'm sad.
And I'm forty when I'm sensible;
But I'm nothing when I'm mad!

Red Oak Tree

"If the traffic light's a tree, it must be a red oak," growled the unlucky one.

"I don't get you," said the other one.

"Well," he replied, "when I get to it I don't find it ever green."

His "Half"

"Aren't you master in your own house?"

"Well, my wife and I have divided it. She looks after the money, the children, the dog, and the cat. I look after the goldfish."

Was an Early Bird

"Yes, I'm sorry I married you; so there!"

"Oh! You were no young bird when I married you."

"No. But considering what I got, you must admit I was an early bird."

Modernism

First Mother—Do you always kiss your daughter good-night before she goes to bed?

Second Ditto—No. I always kiss her good-morning before she does.

Eastern Talismans

A magic square is an arrangement of numbers in form of a square so that every column, every row and each of the two diagonals add up alike. This sum is called the constant. These squares have been known for centuries, and in China and India have always been worn engraved on metal or stone as amulets or talismans.

Books and Men

It has been said a long time ago that books have their fate. They have, and it is very much like the destiny of man. They share with us the great incertitude of ignominy or glory—of severe justice and senseless persecution—of calumny and misunderstanding—the shame of undeserved success. —Joseph Conrad.

Earth's Gravitational Pull

The Naval observatory says that there is no limit to the distance to which the earth's gravitational pull extends, but its amount decreases in proportion to the square of the distance from the earth's center. At the distance of the moon it is about 1-3600 what it is at the earth's surface.

Luxemburg

The grand duchy of Luxemburg is one of the tiniest and at the same time one of the most attractive countries of Europe. Its area is only 999 square miles or about four-fifths that of Rhode Island.

Big Shipment Of New House Dresses Just In

We have just received a big lot of neatly made, wash proof wash dresses in varied designs and colors that we are placing on sale at

$1.98 $2.98 $3.98

Come in and see these dresses-- You will want several of them at these special low prices. Compare the workmanship and quality of goods in them with those offered elsewhere at anywhere near our price and you will agree these are bargains. Good range of sizes.

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St. Hilaire, Minnesota

New Features at our State Fair Aug 30 to Sept. 6

The Minnesota State Fair and Northwsst Livestock Show, Angust 30 to September 6, will preeent a host of new features this year. Outstanding attractions will he:

Boy Scout Indian Village.

Airplane refueling demonstration.

Mr. Televox, the Mechanical Man, who Milks Cowe, etc.

Multiple parachute jumps, four to eight jumpers leaving single airplane.

Two Million Dollar Livestock Show.

Richards' Famous Concert Band.

Mammoth Displays of Agricultural and Indnstrial Products.

Curtiss-Wright Airplane Show.

Three Days of Anto Races, featuring 25 drivers; Aug. 30, Sept. 3, 6.

Motorless Glider flight.

Exhibitiou of Art aud Women's Activities.

Evening Horse Show, September 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.

Famous $100,000 Tanager Airplane.

Four-Day Horse Racing Card, Sept. 1, 2, 4, 5.

Thrilling Vandeville Program.

Mschinery Show, featuring 60 acres of farm implements and labor-saving devices.

Mammoth 60-ton Whale; Goliath, the only living Sea Elephant.

"The Awakening," a Stupendous Fireworks Spectacle.

Morris & Castle Shows, introducing 25 new rides and attractions.

Natural Gentleman

He that can enjoy the intimacy of the great and on no occasion disgust them with familiarity or disgrace himself with servility, proves thet he is as perfect a gentleman by nature as his companions are by rank.—Colton.

LOCALS

Nor. Lutheran ladies aid will be eutertained by Mesdames A. Bilden and J. Maakrud at the church basement Aug. 8th. 2t

Put in your orders now for binder canvasses and sickles. There are so many sizes that its impossible to keep complete stock for all machiues. Call or phone orders to
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Rain Colored by Dust

Widespread falls of dust occur from time to time in nearly all parts of the world. If rain happens to he falling et the eame time it is more or less distinctly colored by the dust, though the color is not alwsye red. In the United States occasionally showers fall in which the rain is colored yellow by pollen, generally from pine trees. In former times the substance thus deposited was mistaken for sulphur.

Sun's Position

The sun is always directly overhead at some point within the tropics. At the time of the spring and antumn equinoxes, it is directly overhead at the equator; at the time of our summer solstice, June 21, it is directly overhead at the tropic of Cancer, 23½ degrees N.; at the time of our winter solstice, it is directly overhead at the tropic of Capricorn, 23½ degrees S.

Odd Showers Not Miracles

Tornadoes and waterspouts passing over bodies of shallow weter are quite capable of sucking fish up into the clonds and depositing them at distant places aloug the path of the etorm. Showers of fish are thus easily explained, and falls of various other objects, animate and inanimate, are accounted for in a similar manner.

Specializing

A young lady in our block, desiring to buy a watch and chain as a present for a young man, went first to a watch store and then asked tha way to a chain store.—Louisville Times.

Biblical Shield in Charm

Mahzel, a device taken from the shield of David, has been carried by devout Jews for 5,500 years as a lucky charm. Mahzel also appears on the Ark in all synagogues.

Dictation

The little boy's definition may be right, at that, when he intimated that "dictation" is what a man takes from his wife and gives to his stenographer. —Savannah News.

4H Club Prize Winners

Members of the 4H Clubs in Pennington County had a splendid displaye in their various lines of activities, at the county fair last week. Members in this locality garnered a good share of the prizes offered as will be noted in the list of prize winners below:

Poultry

Vivian Lindquist, St. Hilaire, Toulouse Geese,
Hazel Melin, Wylie, Bronze Turkeys,
Donald Price, T. R. Falls, Barred Rock Chickens,
Bernice Woolson, T. R. F., White Leghorn Chicks,
Laura Johnson, Goodridge, White Plymouth Rocks,
Pearl Hansen, T. R. Falls, White Wyandotte Chicks,
Stanley Lemky, St. Hilaire, White Pekin Ducks,
Estelle Philipp, Mavie, Rhode Island Red Chicks,

Pigs

2nd Project Sows

Silas Hansou, first, Duroc Jersey, T. R. Falls
Severiu Barstad, T. R. Falls, Poland China,

Gilts

Martin Hanson, T. R. Falls, Duroc Jersey
Wilhelm Hansou, T. R. Falls, Duroc Jersey,
James Wells, Erie, Duroc Jersey,

Fat Barrows

Silas Hanson, T. R. Falls, Duroc Jersey,
Wilhelm Hanson, T. R. Falls, Duroc Jersey,
Martin Hanson, T. R. Falls, Duroc Jersey,

Sheep

2nd Project Ewes

Bernice Woolson, T. R. Falls, Hampshire,
Raca Woolson, T. R. Falls, Hampshire,
Stanley Newland, T. R. Falls, Hampshire,

Purebred Sbropshire-- Ewe Lambs

Dorothy Woolson, T. R. F.
Bernice Woolson "
James Philipp, Mavie

Fat Lamb Class

Helen Wilson, St. Hilaire, Shropshire,
Glenn Wilson, " Shropshire,
Woodrow Wilson, " Shropshire,

Pen of Lambs

Glenn Wilson, St. Hilaire, Shropshire,
Dick Allen, T. R. Falls, Hampshire,
Esther Johnson, Shropshire, Goodridge,

Calves

Beef Breeding Class

Estelle Taylor, T. R. Falls, Shorthorn,
Pearly Taylor, T. R. Falls, Shorthorn,

Milking Shorthorn

Doris Hagglund, St. Hilaire,
Phil. Ewing, St. Hilaire,

Jr. Yearling Baby Beef

Donna Brink, St. Hilaire, Angus,
Arlo Jacobson, " "
James Norman, " Shorthorn,

Sr. Yearling Baby Beef

Donald Flattum, T. R. F., Angus,
Denn Ewing, St. Hilaire, Angus,
Ray Parnow, Erie, Angus,

Holstein Heifer-1st year project

Wallace Christenson, T. R. F.
Wilhelm Hanson, T. R. F.
Helen Johnson, St. Hilaire,

Holstein Heifer-2nd year project

Elmer Larson, Oklee,
Martin Hanson, T. R. F.
Casper Hegrenes, T. H. F.

Holstein Heifer-3rd year project

Leonard Melin, Wylie,

Guernsey Heifer-1st year project

Woodrow Wilson, St. Hilaire,

Guernsey Heifer-2nd year project

James Norman, St. Hilaire,
Vernon Urdahl, Goodridge,
Maurice Engelstad, T. R. F.

Guernsey Heifer-3rd year project

Raca Woolson, T. R. F.
Earl Engelstad, T. R. F.

Showmanship Contest

Raca Woolson, T. R. F. 3rd Project P. B. Guernsey,
Leonard Melin, Wylie, 3rd Project P. B. Holstein
Woodrow Wilson, St. Hilaire, 1st. Project Guernsey,
Pearly Taylor, T. R. F. 2nd Project Shorthorn Beef

Sewing

1st Vera Almquist St. Hilaire,
2nd Mollie Evenson, Hazel,
3rd Margart Urdahl, Highlanding

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One of life's little ironies is found in the fact that so many people who give no heed to danger when crossing the street take care not to walk under a ladder.

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Art and Gastronomy

The fact that 200 of them recently attended a dinner in New York would seem to disprove the old theory that poets don't eat.—Louisville Times.

Importance of Kitchens

Kitchens are necessary, even in this tin-can age. Parents must have some place to sit while daughter entertains. —San Francisco Chronicle.

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Lepers have been cured. In fact, there have been at least 50 cures at the government institution at Carville.

The Failure

In this fat country a man who can eat more than he can earn ought to starve.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

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Looking Ahead

Some day, an anthropologist tells us, the human brain may work 100 times as efficiently as it does today. Then we bad better begin thinking of things to think abont.—Stoddard King in the Spokane Spokesman-Review.

Love Welds All Together

Love is the fusing element of all life; the tremulous, softly defined horizon-line that at once separates and unites the spheres, terminating our human visiou; the tryeting-place where earth and heaven meet.—Lucy Larcom.

While Dobbin Grazed

The members of the younger generation needn't think the clutch used in an automobile is something new. Dad can tell you it was often used in the old-time buggy on a quiet country road.—Louisville Times.

Cat's Fur, Afire, Sets Entire Farm Ablaze

St. Omer, France.—The flaming torch of a scurrying tomcat, his fur aflame, caused the destructiou of an entire farm near here recently.

Warming himself contentedly by the hearth fire in the farmer's house, tha cat was awakened by a spark which instantly set his furry body brilliantly afire. Crazed with pain, the little animal dashed out of the house into the adjoining barn, where he darted into the midst of a hayrack, which immediately took fire.

The barn was soon a mass of roaring flames which were not long in leaping to the main dwelling. This building went up in smoke and flames in a short time and smaller adjacent structures went with it, completing the demolition of the farm.

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Julius Maland Drowned

Julius Maland, age 27, son of Ole O. Maland who resides a few miles northwest of here, met death by drowning at about 7:30 Sunday evening while bathing in Tanners Lake between St. Paul and Stillwater. He had gone to the lake with three companions to swim. In diving from one of the shutes, he must have struck bottom and was rendered unconcious as he did not come to the surface again. The body was recovered four hours later.

Julius was born in Iowa in 1903 and came here with his parents in 1906. He grew to manhood in this community and was well known and highly respected by all who knew him. For more than a year he had been at St. Paul, having been employed at different vocations in that city.

Deceased is survived by his father and three sisters, the latter being Mrs. M. H. Jackson of this village, Adelia and Gladys Maland of Thief River Falls. His mother preceeded him in death last fall, and a brother, Oscar, died in service in 1918.

Upon receiving the message appraising him of the unfortunate occurance, Mr. Maland left Monday for St. Paul to bring home the body. He returned yesterday and funeral services will be held at 2:00 this afternoon from the Norwegian Luthern church, Rev. M. L. Dahle officiating.

Interment will be at the cemetery north of town where Mrs. Maland and son, Oscar, are buried.

Heartfelt sympathy of a large circle of friends in this community is extended to the bereaved relatives in their time of trial and sorrow.

Rev. and Mrs. Alex Sand motored here first of the week from Annandale for a visit at the home of her mother, Mrs. Aug. Svenson.

Mrs. Lee E. Beebe, accompanied by Mrs. N. E. Beebe and Mrs. E. D. Jensen and son, motored Friday to Minneapolis and Rapidan to spend a week with relatives.

Engh Bros have made a number of alterations on their show room and have also installed a new air outfit at their service station.

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Postal Workers Picnic, Aug 24

The annual picnic of the Northern Minnesota Postal Workers Association will be in the city park at Crookston on August 24th this year. All postal employees as well as the general public are invited to the gathering. All who go will bring their picnic baskets, coffee, cream and ice water will be furnished. A good program of ball games, horseshoe games, trapshooting, hait casting, etc., has been arranged, and a number of fine prizes will be awarded.

Light Potato Crop

Outlook for a big potato crop in the spud raising areas of this state and North Dakota is not good this year. Lack of rain during fore part of the growing season has retarded growth of potatoes. Indications are that the crop will be short, and a great deal of the yield will be small sized.

Former Teacher Here

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Boss and children, Ruby Gene and Frederick, of Hector, Minn., visited here Tues, day at the Harry Winter home. Mrs. Boss was formerly Miss Olymphia Moen, who taught in the local high school several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Janda and son, Robert, motored up Sunday from Mahnomen for a short visit at the Kalland home. Upon returning the same day, they were accompanied by Ellen May Janda who had visited.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Reiersgord came Tuesday from Ulen where they visited with his parents, and are busy preparing for opening of school next month. For the present they are staying at the T. M. Skatrud home.

Misses Violet Fellman and Ivy Zimpel returned home Sunday morning from the Twin Cities where they had spent several days visiting with relatives and friends. They had gone down last week with Mrs. W. B. Grise (Myrtle Fellman) of Austin, Minn., who had been a guest at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fellman here. Miss Violet Fellman also visited for a couple of days at the Grise home at Austin.--Red Lake Falls Gazette.

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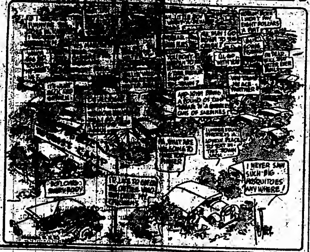

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Another new vending pump was installed Friday at the service station of the Mandt Oil Company.

Emil Zinter suffered a fractured little finger on his right hand last Wednesday night when struck by the crank on his car.

Supt. Cash Cartier was up Tuesday from Red Lake Falls to read meters and to look after other matters for the Red River Power Company.

Output of hutter at the local creamery is averaging around 130 tubs per week despite the fact that production has been cut to some extent because of drying up of pastures.

Duck hunting season opens September 16th this year. Native birds are scarce this year because of lack of water, and unless the northern flight comes this way, there will be but little duck hunting in this section this year.

Knute Odegaard, son of A. Odegaard of this village, who has been employed in a printing plant at Duluth, recently joined the Great Lakes Naval Training Corps at Duluth.

August is the best month to paint. Long hours of sunshine -- quick drying -- open windows-- less rain, wind and dust. Outside White or Colors $2.30 gal., 5 gal. lots. Gambls Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

H. E. Olson of Moorhead, and his brother, Oscar R. Olsen of Blanchardville, Wis., motored here Thursday afternoon and visited until the following day at the homes of their cousins, Mrs. A. Gunstad, Mrs. K. Enger and Chr. Molstad.

Present indications point to a good price for hay the coming fall and winter. Many districts farther south and west have little or no hay. There are still some good hay meadows uncut in this vicinity, and it will likely pay well to put up the hay on them.

Stanley Olsen, who has been employed at Fargo, motored here last weekend for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olsen. Stanley was re-elected superintendent of the village school at Fort Rice, N. D., again this season and will leave soon for that place to prepare for opening of school.

A big crowd attended the ice cream social given last Friday evening on the lawn at the Rev. C. Dahlberg home.

Mrs. Carl Johnson is visiting this week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Rose, at Fosston.

Sam Hauge and family motored up Tuesday from Bagley for a visit at the H. O. Jackson home.

Roy Sumpter, who has had charge of the repair shop at the St. Hilaire Garage, has severed his connection therewith and plans to engage in some other line of work.

Lloyd Bilden, who is attending the General Motors technical school at Flint, Michigan, came Friday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bilden.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter and son, Billy, Mrs. S. M. Hoff and daughter, Blanche, motored Sunday to Adams, N. D., for a visit with Mrs. Tina Hoff. They returned the same day.

Sever Skottem has hought a new threshing outfit consisting of a Minneapolis separator and gas tractor. He turned in on the deal, his old steam outfit which has seen service for many seasons.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Clinton, Mabel Patterson, Donald Patterson, Mrs. H. L. Ball and daughter, Patty, motored up Friday from Maple Lake for a brief visit at the O. Gunstad home.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Jacobson and family motored up last weekend from Eveleth for a few days visit at the V. G. Brink, Axel Jacobson and Gunnard Lindquist homes, and with numerous old frienda in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hanson, Misses Ruth Fairbanks and Eva Johnson motored to Grand Forks, Friday evening, to meet Miss Lilly Johnson, who arrived on the Oriental Limited from Wolf Point, Mont., where she had visited relatives.

Vernon Hagglund, who is employed in a joh printing shop at Fargo, came home Sunday to be present at the funeral services for his grandmother, the late Mrs. P. O. Hagglund. He will return to Fargo latter part of this week.

Threshing Started

Several threshing machines have already taken to the fields east of the river, and others in different parts of the community will be in operation this week. The grain appears to be in excellent condition for threshing.

Reports from places where threshing has started indicate that all grain will run fairly good 'tho' it will not be as heavy as in some previous years.

Has Narrow Escape

A young high school girl at Plummer was saved from drowning a few days ago by Morris Fredericks, representative of Concordia College, who was travelling thru this section. The girl was swimming below the dam at Plummer, was overcome and began to sink. Her companions and others nearby attempted to aid her but their efforts were not entirely successful when Mr. Fredericks drove up. Taking in the situation at a glance, he dove into the river and brot the girl out.

Pay Surprise Visit

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Lamont and family of Grafton, N. D., and Carl and Axel Swanson of Black River, motored here Sunday for a surprise visit at the home of Mr, and Mrs. Nels Person, the occasion being Mrs. Person's 73rd birthday anniversary. Mrs. Lamont is a daughter, and the Swansons are nephews of Mr. and Mrs. Person.

Mrs. Carl Johnson and daughters Lilly and Eva, and Miss Ruth Fairbanks motored to McIntosh, Sunday, to attend a re-union picnic of members of the M. Rose family of Fosston. Mrs. Johnson remained for a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. M. Rose, and other relatives.

A large number of children of the village are enjoying listening to Bible stories at the Evang. Mission Vacation school being held for two weeks at that church. Sessions are held mornings by Misses Vera Anderson and Westergren of Minneapolis.

After visiting a couple weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson, Mrs. Ida McCullough and daughter left Saturday for their home at Portage LaPrairie, Man., Can.

Mrs. Eva Hagglund Called

Mrs. Eva Carolina Hagglund, age 87, one of the old pioneer residents of this community, died Saturday at the home of her, son E. O. Hagglund, death being caused by infirmities incident to old age.

Mrs. Hagglund was born in Westerbotten, Sweden in 1843 and grew to womanhood in that coutry. In November, 1970, she was united in marriage to P. O. Hagglund. They came to this country in 1881 to settle on a homestead in Black River township near here. They occupied other farms in this locality until they moved into St. Hilaire where Mr. Hagglund died March, 13,1913. Since that time Mrs. Hagglund has made her home with her children. For the past ten years or more she has resided at home of her son Ole.

She is survived by three daughters and two sons who are:- Mrs. Chr. Juhl of Faith, Minn., Mrs. Carl Johnson of Duluth, Mrs. Wm. Beadone of Elk River, Idaho, Peter of Gilbert and E. O. Hagglund of this place. Several other children preceeded their mother in death years ago. She is also by a number of grandchildren and two sisters in Sweden.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon from the Swedish Lutheran church, with Rev. A. F. Nelson officiating.

Interment was made in the family burial plot in the cemetery east of town. Sympathy of many friends is extended to the bereaved relatives.

Albert Brink, district boiler inspector, left Monday for a trip down into Red Lake and Clearwater counties to inspect some threshing machine engine boilers.

Henry Bothmann, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bothmann, was brot home this week from the hospital at Thief River where he had a foot amputated following an accident with a mowing machine. The lad is getting along nicely, and is looking forward to the time when he will he ahle to use an artificial limb.

Harvesting has been going on steadily for more than a week in this locality and a good share of the grain is already in shock. Because of unseasonably hot weather previous to and during harvest, grain will be somewhat lighter than was at first anticipated. Crops appear, however, to he fully as good, and in most instances better than in most places in this section.

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Monsieur Toupee

By MILDRED P. MERRYMAN

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LAURETTE FROISSARD slipped the key from her mesh bag and turned the lock of her apartment door. Wearily she entered, dragged off her hat and sank to the worn velour of the living room sofa. From his cage in the sunshine, a yellow canary chirped his greeting. Laurette did not hear.

Felice, her maid, entered.

"Ah," murmured Felice, "what a pity! Madame is exhausted—quite exhausted! Madame has had no luck?"

"None," said Laurette; "not a scrap! It is to laugh, Felice! In desperation one becomes a blond to please the managers and behold, at the moment of accomplishment, blonds cease to be the order of the day. And so with figures—I diet, I eschew every delicacy; I consume whole mountains of lettuce to no purpose. Of a sudden curves become the fashion. No one will have me and that's the truth! Not a line can I get! I grow old, Felice, I admit it—and therein lies the difficulty!"

She sighed. Lifting her gaze to the table, her brows quirked in amusement. On it reposed a basket of bright spring flowers. Shell-pink snapdragons rose in dewy freshness to mingle with long spikes of deep blue larkspur, cups of purple tulips and golden daffodils.

"Hm!" breathed Laurette, "a caller?"

"A gentleman," replied Felice; "the gentleman to whom Madame is pleased to refer facetiously as Monsieur Toupee."

"Ah," exclaimed Laurette; "so 'froggy' came a wooing—my precious little bald one! Always I long to tweak that saucer of curling wavelet and gaze upon the shininess below."

When Felice replied her tone was insinuating.

"Monsieur is kind," said Felice, "and a widower and well-to-do."

"You're right, Felice," she said; "it's the only solution! What joy to have money in one's pocket—nice clothes again upon one's back! No bills—no worries—no daily round of humiliation—nothing to do but sit on a satin pillow and gossip with good housewives!"

A grimace curled her lips. "Felice," she continued, "I surrender to your wisdom. Tonight, we will settle everything."

The number called, her voice on the phone was tender.

"Monsieur? It is I—Laurette. Tonight, my friend, I am lonely! You must come and dine with your poor Laurette. No! No! Not at a restaurant! Here at my home—I prefer it! A simple dinner, Monsieur, merely a sole prepared by Laurette—a salad—a bit of cheese. You will come? Ah, I am glad! Adieu!"

The receiver dropped to the hook.

"So," said Laurette, "it is settled!"

Her arm swept out in a swift imperious gesture.

"Make haste, Felice, prepare the cage for my squirrel. Coals for the grate, rose candles, a table before the fire spread with our Sunday linen, and your own brave sauce for the sole."

She tossed back her head and laughed.

The bell at the front door jingled. Laurette pinched out her cigarette and retired to her dressing room. A man's voice sounded in the hallway; muffled parley followed and at length Felice appeared.

"The agent for the rent, Madame—a new one! Ah, he is handsome—so young—so gallant! If Madame in her ravishing robe were to speak to him, he might perchance, be lenient."

"Tell him I will come," said Laurette.

The agent was charming, humble and apologetic. He regretted the necessity of his call, but a trifling matter of six months' rent had doubtless escaped Madame's memory. Now that it had been brought to her attention would Madame be so kind—

Standing in the pool of her velvet train, Laurette permitted her features to grow wistful.

"Ah, Monsieur," she murmured, "I become indiscreet—I confide. For a year I have had only trouble. Daily I go to the managers, daily they refuse me work. At last my money is gone. A week ago all seemed hopeless; but recently I have had a great happiness. Now everything is changed. Go back to the owner and tell him the matter will be settled without delay. Tell him soon he may refer everything to—to a certain Monsieur Toupee."

The agent was delighted. Murmuring felicitations, he bowed and withdrew.

The clock on the mantle whirred and chirruped five. From the kitchen came the clink of pots and pans, as Felice made preparations. Laurette in her boudoir was choosing a suitable gown.

The door bell tinkled. Felice retired to answer it. A moment later she returned, a letter in her hand. Puzzled, Laurette accepted the note, broke the seal and read:

Madame Froissard:

It is with deep regret I find I must decline your invitation. Your message my agent has delivered.

Allow me to enclose the receipted bill for the rent of your apartment, of which I have the honor to be owner and to sign myself

Respectfully,
"Monsieur Toupee."

Wagons Need Tail Lights

Although the legislature made it compulsory to have a light or reflector on all horse-drawn vehicles, there are still many wagons and buggies without this protection, and every few days we read of someone being killed or seriously injured through somebody's failure to observe this sensible safety regulation. Not long ago two were killed and one seriously injured near Winona, in two accidents occuring a few days apart. In one case one man was killed and one injured when a youth on a motorcycle crashed into an unlighted hayrack and another case one man was killed and another injured when a car ran into an unlighted buggy.

Nearly all auto accessory stores carry the small red reflectors to attack to the rear end of wagons and buggies. Their cost is small and when the light from the head-lamps strikes them, they are as effective as a red light.

The law requires a reflector which will show a red or yellow light visible 200 feet to the rear under normal atmospheric conditions. Persons who fail to comply with this regulation, even on roads with light traffic, are seriously endangering themselves and others.

Keep To The Right

Newspaper and traffic officers have issued repeated warnings against driving in the middle of a busy road, but many drivers continue this dangerous practice. The traffic law requires everyone to keep on the right half of the road except when passing other vehicles, or when the condition of the road makes driving on the right impractical.

The keep-to-the-right is especially important on pavements, says a Highway bulletin. The entire vehicle should be kept to the right of the center line. To drive with the left wheel on the center line, as many do, is taking serious risks.

If the left wheel is kept two feet to the right of the center line, there will be still two feet from the right wheel to the right edge of the 18 foot pavement, giving ample margin for safety. On the 20 foot pavements the margin is still larger.

There is less risk in going too far right than to far left. If the right wheel goes off the pavement nothing will happen, unless it is a new pavement with soft shoulders or no shoulders If the left wheel goes beyond the center line and meets another wheel doing the same thing an ambulance and a wrecking car will be necessary to clear up the mess.

"For the Greatest of These—"

We may cover a multitude of sins with the white robe of charity.—Beecher.

Reins Choke Farmer as Bolt Hits Horse

Strathroy, Ont.—Orville Waddell, thirty, a farmer in Adelaide township, was choked to death while plowing when a bolt of lightning killed one of his horses and caused the reins adjusted around his neck to tighten and strangle him.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Fairmont—Voters here will decide a tie in the recent July school election in a special election.

Hutchinson—When Mr. and Mrs. Julius Prieve celebrated their golden wedding, seven of their eight children were present.

Virginia—Virginia's municipal airport will be dedicated August 3 with a program including many prominent Northwest names.

Cannon Falls—Work is under way on a new school gymnasium and auditorium here, costing $40,000. A community room also will be provided.

Luverne—Miss Anna Whiting of Minneapolis has been elected normal training instructor in the Luverne city schools. She had taught at Lake City

Hibbing—The offices of Joseph Brickner, chief game warden, have been moved here, from St. Paul, to be near the big game and fish country.

Crosby—A man who hid in the back of his taxi while he drove to Deerwood in response to a fake call robbed John Peterson, taxi driver, of his car and $300.

St. Cloud—Minnesota granite will be displayed well at the convention of the Memorial Craftsmen of America at Buffalo, N. Y., August 12 to 15. Ten firms of this area will have exhibits.

Winona—The case of Elmer F. Beilke, 27 years old, Rochester post office janitor, charged with stealing parcel post packages, will be considered during the January term of federal court here.

Walker—Ray Chase candidate for governor of Minnesota, is to be principal speaker at the summer outing of the State County Auditor's Association to be conducted here. He will speak August 15.

New Brighton—Mrs. L. Schafman of this city, one of the American Gold Star mothers, has been confined to the American hospital at Paris. Her son, August Schafman of New Brighton, received word in a telegram from authorities at Paris.

Minneapolis—The Roald Amundsen, Viking ship and replica of the vessel Lief Ericson used in crossing the Atlantic 10 centuries ago, is at anchor in the Mississippi river at St. Louis, after a voyage from Norway. The ship will sail for the Twin Cities to participate in a Norwegian celebration here.

Litchfield—E. W. Campbell of Litchfield is the new president of the Twelfth District Bar Association. He was elected at the annual summer session here. Other new officers are John L. Davis of Benson, vicepresident; A. E. Keefe of Montevideo, secretary, and Charles A. Swenson of Atwater, treasurer.

Stillwater—Suspended sentences of $25 each were given two women here as an outgrowth of a countywide cleanup ordered to rid Washington county of slot machines. The woman had been hi-jacked by gangs, composed of boys, were apprehended, admitted the hi-jacking and were given suspended sentences here.

Minneapolis—Construction will start in two weeks on the new $600,000 Holy Angels' Academy of the Sisters of St. Joseph on the 33-acre tract at Sixty-sixth and Nicollet. The building of brick and concrete construction will be made up of a main structure with two wings. The school proper will occupy the main central structure, while one wing will contain the sisters' home and the other the chapel.

Minneapolis—Four Minnesotans during the past week have joined the hundred of other boys from the gopher state in the service of the United States Navy. The young men who were enlisted at the Navy recruiting station in Minneapolis were Russell B. Welbye of Eagle Bend; Frederick B. Salisbury of Mankato; Gerald F. Couley of Bigelow; and Raymond A. Phillips of Minnesota Lake. The young men, upon swearing to the oath of allegiance, were transferred to the Naval Training Station at Great Lakes, Illinois.

Duluth—William A. McGonagle, 69 years old, pioneer railroad and iron industry leader of Minnesota and one of the best known members of the Masonic fraternity, died at his home here from complications that grew out of a cold.

Duluth—More than 700 police chiefs from cities of the United States and Canada were here for the thirty-seventh annual convention of the International Association of Police Chiefs. Leading police officials of the country came to the convention and leading crime experts of the world gave addresses.

Hiking Popular in Germany

Germans believe in hiking, for this nation now has 2,300 hostels for its chief walking club of 85,000 members, where bed and breakfast are found for a few cents.

New Perspective

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THRILL PROGRAM FOR STATE FAIR

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Spectacular aviation numbers, thrilling horse races, hair-raising auto contests, a wonderful horse show, open-air circus acts recruited from the four corners of the earth, gorgeous fireworks, band concerts, and a thousand and one other attractions make up the Fair's entertainment program.

The Curtiss-Tanager, winner of the $100,000 Guggenheim Safety Airplane Contest, the Travelair "Mystery Plane" capable of a speed of 300 miles an hour, and other world-famous aircraft, will be exhibited by the Curtiss-Wright Company of New York. There will be a refueling demonstration, showing how endurance flights are made possible; multiple parachute jumps with from four to eight jumpers leaving a single plane, and all floating through the air at one time; a motorless glider flight, with the aviator performing the loop, and other nerve-racking stunts.

Two hundred of the nation's finest trotters, pacers and runners will compete in the twelve harness and nine running horse events on the four-day program for the $15,000 in purses offered by the management, September 1, 2, 4 and 5.

Two dozen of the world's most daring automobile drivers will race for fame and fortune in the gasoline events on the card, scheduled for the opening and closing Saturdays, and Wednesday.

"The Awakening," a colossal spectacle, staged especially for the Minnesota State Fair, will be presented in front of the grandstand each evening. Richards' famous concert band will furnish the musical scores. The production will be climaxed by a sensational display of fireworks.

Horses and riders from seven states and Canada will vie for honors in the Evening Horse Show, September 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.

The Boy Scout Indian Village, depicting the early life of the redskins, will prove of interest to all visitors. More than fifty Indians from Minnesota, North and South Dakota, will be brought to the camp. Wigwams, tepees, dances, ceremonials and pageantry will provide the Indian atmosphere.

And then there will be the 60-ton whale; the 10-ton sea elephant, the only living one in captivity; Morris & Castle's 25 new rides and attractions on the "Whoopee Way," and other features too numerous to mention.

Admission to the State Fair will be 50 cents this year.

Electric Trouble

Bobby's mother blew a fuse while she was connecting the electric percolator. The house was plunged in darkness, but Bobby thought this was great. Shortly afterward Bobby was looking out of the window. As it was cloudy he could see no stars, so he came running to his mother, crying: "Mother, the stars have blown a fuse!"

Serves Useful Purpose

The term "dunking" is applied to the moistening or softening of zwiebacks, cakes, crackers and bread crusts in coffee, tea or milk. While it is not considered good form, it is greatly enjoyed by small children and old people whose teeth are no longer strong enough to cope with such hard substances.

German Language

Modern German is derived from the various dialects of the West Germanic tribes. In some ways it resembles most the dialects of Middle German, spoken in Thuringia, Silesia, Upper Saxony, Franconia, etc., while in other ways it resembles the Upper German of Bavaria, Austria, etc.

Salvador Thickly Settled

Although the smallest of the Central American republics, Salvador is thickly settled, the density of population being about 125 people to the square mile, or about three times that of the United States.

Philadelphia Led

Philadelphia was the first of modern municipalities whose plan was prepared for a particular site and the rectangular plan there adopted has guided city planning in America ever since.

Fused by Time

The word "another" was originally two words of which "an" was the Anglo-Saxon for "one." In the course of time the two were fused and now form a solid compound.—Literary Digest.

Order Limiting Time To File Claims Within Three Months, and for Hearing Thereon.

Estate of Nels Johnson.

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the matter of the Estate of Nels Johnson Decedent.

Letters Testamentary this day having been granted to Martha Johnson and it appearing by the affidavit of said representative that there are no debts of said decedent:

It is Ordered, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be, and the same hereby is limited to three months from and after the date hereof; and that Saturday the 8th day of November 1930, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls, Minn., in said County, be, and the same hereby is, fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in the St. Hilaire Spectator, as provided by law.

Dated July 29, 1930
(Probate Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate

H. O. Berve,
Attorney for Representative,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
J31-A14

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Regina Hoover, Frank Clark, Fred Clark, Emery Atwater, Effie Bretsch, (formerly Effie Atwater) and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 30th day of August, 1930 at ten o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 4th day of August, 1930.
(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
A7-21

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Rochester—Improvement in the condition of United States Senator Charles W. Waterman of Denver, in a hospital here, was announced. With a few weeks of rest, he will regain normal health, it was said. The condition from which he is recovering is believed the result of strenuous work in excessive heat that marked the closing days of the recent senate session.

Winona—The Minnesota railroad and warehouse commission approved applications for truck freight transportation lines in the vicinity of Winona. Those approved are Oleness brothers of Rushford to operate between Winona and Rushford, A. P. Glasrud of Spring Grove to operate between Winona and Spring Grove and John E. Considine of Winona, to operate between Winona and Preston.

LIVE STOCK

BEST BREEDS OF HORNLESS CATTLE

Aberdeen-Angus Noted for Their Beef Qualities.

First and foremost among the breeds of cattle which are naturally hornless must be classed the Aberdeen-Angus. All black except for an occasional small patch of white on the belly, these animals are noted for their beef qualities. Docile by nature they make good gains on fattening rations. Aberdeen-Angus cattle are not generally so large as the other two beef breeds, Shorthorns, and Herefords, full-grown bulls seldom weighing more than a ton, while cows average about 1,400. Another polled, or hornless breed which resembles the Angus is the Galloway. This breed is also black in color, the main difference between it and the Angus being the long curly hair. Slightly smaller than the Angus, the Galloway has often defeated the former in killing tests at the fat stock shows in England. Both breeds had their origin in Scotland but the Aberdeen-Angus is widely distributed in England, the United States and Canada, while few Galloway herds are to be found on this continent, due probably to their slow maturing qualities.

The Red Polled breed of cattle are noted for the production of both beef and milk. They are red in color, midway in size between the Angus and the Shorthorn. Originating in the southern part of England they are becoming popular in the middle western United States and in western Canada, where many strong herds have been built up.

Both the Shorthorn and the Hereford breeds of beef cattle have established herd books for some of their breeders who have herds of Polled animals. Sprung originally from a sport, i. e. an animal born without horns from horned parents, or in some cases graded up from native hornless cattle, these cattle retain all the usual characteristics of their parent breeds but have added advantage from a beef raising point of view of being without horns.

It has been suggested that the time may come when all breeds of cattle may be bred without horns.

Shade for Porkers Is Most Profitable Plan

Giving your pigs a cool, shady place in which to lie during the hot summer months will put pounds of pork on their backs and extra dollars in your pocket.

A pig cannot be expected to put on the cheapest and fastest gains if he is compelled to spend summer days in a hot, stuffy, dusty shed or depend on the north side of the shed for shade.

If you have trees in your hog lot the shade problem is solved. If you have no trees a shade may be built cheaply. A little time, a few waste posts and lumber and some woven wire are needed.

Set a post at each corner. If the shade is large it is well to set a couple of posts along the sides also. Nail planks or saplings to the posts. Next throw a few boards or limbs of trees across the top at regular intervals. Then stretch the woven wire fencing across the top. Weeds or hay may then be thrown on the woven wire roof.

Build the shade away from the buildings so the air and wind can move through it freely. It should be high enough so the wind can easily pass underneath.

Live Stock Hints

Don't feed a ration containing corn alone to any class of stock.

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Not all pigs that manage to survive are necessarily profit makers.

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Registered cattle with long-time records in their pedigrees are bringing the most money.

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Don't feed animals worth keeping poorly because they are not producing; feed them and give them a chance.

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Feeding and care of sheep have a definite relationship to the growth of wool. The weak spot in wool is often caused by lack of proper nutrition which permits growth to become dormant.

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There are several things to consider when building a self-feeder for grain. In the first place, it should be as rainproof as possible with tight joints and a roof which projects a foot or more beyond the feed trough.

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More pigs are lost from being mashed by the sow than from any other single cause; 15 to 30 per cent of all pigs farrowed meet this fate.

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The Karakul, a fur bearing sheep, seems to be gaining in numbers and popularity. South Dakota has recently started several flocks.

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Exercise, sunshine, good water, clean surroundings, and plenty of green succulent feed are nature's tonics for young pigs. Provide these for the infant porkers.

CONSTANT laboratory check insures that every inch of "Kokomo Pioneer" Fence is evenly and heavily coated with 99½ percent PURE ZINC. Zinc can't rust. Every inch of wire is run through molten lead before it is coated with zinc. By this LEAD ANNEALING process, the zinc becomes a part of the steel—and the steel is COPPER-CONTENT, RUST-RESISTING. These are a few reasons why "Pioneer" is the only fence constructed with a KNOT THAT CAN'T SLIP. The fence WILL STRETCH LIKE RIBBON and when stretched the LINE WIRES BECOME LIVE WIRES. Come in and see the full "PIONEER" line. We can save you money and show you the way to bigger farm profits. Ask us for a FREE COPY of our BOOK ON DIVERSIFIED FARMING—the way to bigger farm profits.

Central Lumber Co.
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Demon Rust cannot enter this KNOT

Chick Feeds and Grit

We carry a complete line of Pillsbury's Chick and Turkey Mash.

Also Meat Scraps, Charcoal, Bonemeal Grit and Oyster shells.

We can supply you with anything in line of feeds.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .71
Durem Wheat	.64
Rye	.43
Barley	.36
Oats	.26
Flex	1.88
Eggs, cash	.17
Creamery butter	.41

T. M. McCall, horticulturist at the Northwest School Experiment Station, Crookston, returned this week, following a year devoted to graduate study at the Iowa Agricultural College, Ames Iowa. Mr. McCall specialized in plant breeding and plant disease work that applies particularly to research problems under way at the local station.

Professor McCall has the distinction of being the oldest member of the staff, in point of service, having joined the Northwest School force in 19 1, five years after the local school was established.

During this nineteen year period, the Northwest School campus have been developed into one of the beauty spots of the Northwest. Professor McColl has had charge of the greenhouse the formel and sunken gardens, and has supervised the planting of trees and shrubs, in addition to conducting investigational work with potatoes, sugar beet, garden vegetables, fruits and flowers. Results of these investigations have been of untold value to farmers, gardeners, potato and root crop producers, throughout the Northwest.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening service at 8:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nalson, Pastor

Services next Sunday morning at 10:00 in Black River church with Sunday school following.

Sunday school in local church at 2:00, and services at 3:00.

Ladies Aid will be entertained at the Mrs. H. O. Jackson home Friday, Aug. 22. Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. R. M. Larson will serve.

Card Of Thanks

We take these means of expressing our heartfelt thanks and sincere appreciation to all friends and neighbors who assisted us during the last illness and after death of our beloved mother. We wish especially to thank those who sang, those who contributed flowers, and those who acted as pallbearers at the funeral.

The Hagglund family.

In Appreciation

We wish hereby to express our most sincere appreciation and thanks to all friends for their many kindnesses to us after the accident to our son, Henry. We are especially grateful for the numerous kindnesses shown him and ourselves while he was at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bothmann

State Fair Admission 50¢

ADMISSION to the Minnesota State Fair and Northwest Livestock Show will be 50 cents this year instead of 75 cents as formerly.

For 50 cents you can attend America's Outstanding Agricultural Exposition.

More than 500,000 persons are going to see the 3,000 head of prize cattle; the displays of farm crops, fruits and flowers; the 4-H Club work demonstrations, and 46 other educational exhibits, all for the price of a single admission.

Plan now to attend!

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR
N-W LIVESTOCK SHOW
Aug. 30 to Sept. 6

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

The Matrimonial Shopper

MY FRIEND, V. V. McNitt, head of a big syndicate, is himself of Scotch ancestry and he is responsible for this story of a man from the land of his forbears.

A young Scotchman, methodical, painstaking, and sincere, as so many of his race are, had been a bachelor of long standing. Since coming to this country he had saved his money until now he felt he was qualified properly to support a domestic establishment. One day he went to a friend.

"I've about decided to get married," he said. "In fact, I'm looking around now for a wife."

"Where are you looking?" asked his friend.

"I'll tell you," said the Scot. "It's my belief that the girls who work as clerks in the big department stores here in New York are mighty fine types. As a rule, they are well dressed and tidy and good looking and have nice ways. They must be self-reliant or they wouldn't be working. They have to be intelligent or they couldn't hold their jobs. They know how to make a dollar go a long distance or they couldn't dress as well as they do on the modest wages most of them get.

My notion is this: On pretext of wanting to buy something, I am going to tour the big shops until I see a girl behind a counter who seems to fill my requirements. Then I'm going to find out her name and make private inquiries as to her character and disposition, and if she answers all the requirements I'll secure an introduction to her and if she seems to like me I'm going to ask her to marry me."

Six months went by. The cautious Scot and the man to whom he had confided his plan of campaign met again. The latter thought his friend looker rather careworn and unhappy.

"How are you getting along?"

"Well," said the Scot, "I'm a married man, if that's what you mean."

"Well, did you follow the scheme you had in mind—I mean the one you told [illegible] the last time I saw you?"

"Yes, I married a girl that worked at Macy's."

"Congratulations. How's everything getting along?"

The Scot fetched a small sigh.

"Sometimes," he said, "I can't help thinking that maybe I might have done better at Gimbel's."

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Love in a Garden

By EVANGELINE WEIR

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IT WAS good to be in the country away from the rush of city life and its problems; just to live without thinking about it. She walked across a path into an orchard where the first apples lay thick on the ground—green apples, yellow apples with gay, rosy cheeks.

She nearly bumped into a kneeling man who was putting apples into a basket. For a second she was confused, but he offered her an apple before she had a chance to apologize for trespassing. "A Maiden Blush," he told her with a mischievous light in his eyes.

"Such an old-fashioned name," she responded. "Recalls long skirts, slim waists and huge pompadours. Do you live here?"

"I am learning to be a farmer. My lesson for the present is to pick apples for market."

Ellen Barnes walked away munching an apple.

"Pretty scene for a moving picture," she thought as she crossed the brook and stepped into the road.

It was a week before she saw him again. He was crossing the garden with a basket of apples on his shoulder.

"How do you do, student farmer," she called to him as she passed by.

"Have an apple?" he called after her. "A Maiden Blush?"

Every day Ellen Barnes passed the big garden on her way to and from to the country post office. Each time she found him working there. Sometimes he came to the fence and talked to her; sometimes he just waved his hand and continued his work. One morning he was not there when she passed and repassed. At the end of the week Ellen had to acknowledge that she missed him, missed him enough to lean over the fence and question the farmer's wife, but learned nothing by her prying.

Then one morning he was in the garden cutting roses. He waved his hand at her and asked her to stop. After a few minutes he jumped over the fence, roses in hand. "They are for you," he explained. "I'll walk down to the house with you."

"Where have you been?"

"Did you miss me, Joan?" he asked softly.

"Joan?" trying to read his face. "My name is Ellen—Ellen Barnes."

"I call you Joan."

"Why?"

"You look like Joan Dare of the 'movies.'"

"Do you know her—personally?"

"Yes—and no."

A smile crept into her eyes.

"If you continue at your present job at two dollars a day, you may be able by and by to go to Hollywood and meet her."

He shook his head. "She is very rich."

"Do you worship this lady of the 'movies,' young farmer?"

He sighed, "You do not understand."

There was a sudden tightening of Ellen's lips. She did understand.

The walk was the beginning of many walks, and Ellen was happy. She was in love with the student farmer and that fact alone should have sent her back to her own world instead of loitering near the garden.

One evening as they sat watching the rose glow of a sunset, his hand sought and held hers. A tingling joy stirred her young blood and sent the color to her pretty face. Then she was in his arms and heard his voice, soft and low as it told the old, old story. He spoke of a rose-covered cottage, a garden and an orchard. It was all so clean, simple and sweet that it brought the tears to her eyes. Love had been offered to her many times but nothing like this splendid, simple young man was giving her. She drew his head down to her breast and laid her cheek against his hair.

"Joan!" he murmured softly.

"Are you sure you're not in love with that other girl—your dream woman?" she asked him.

His arms tightened around her and his voice was determined.

"No one shall come between us—not even that other woman."

"Why should that other woman try to come between us?" she asked.

But her question was not answered for he had taken her face between his hands and was kissing her.

"Who are you, really?" she asked suspiciously.

"The farmer's wife told you."

"That you were Henry's sister's husband's second cousin's nephew."

"It is unbelievable that I have such a remarkable family tree, but it is true," he admitted. Then he laughed.

"You have known from the first that I am Joan Dare. What is the big idea, and who are you?" she said.

"Merely a scenario writer who thought he was in love with Joan Dare but now is hopelessly in love with Ellen Barnes. Joan is a glorious woman in her war paint and feathers, but Ellen in an old sport suit with a sunburned nose is the sweetest thing living. I am ready to die for Joan, but I want to live for Ellen," he told her dramatically.

"Don't waste your talent; save it for a picture," she laughed.

And they sat in an old garden in the fragrant twilight happy in having found each other at play. They had eaten an apple but they did not fear the outside world so long as they could go forth hand in hand to work, suffer or play.

A NEW TEXACO MOTOR OIL

THE TEXAS COMPANY again demonstrates its leadership in the petroleum field with introduction of a vastly superior new product—a motor oil with a longer life and so clean and pure that it will measurably improve the performance of any automobile engine.

It is free from hard carbon-forming elements, free from clogging wax and other impurities, and still retains all the good qualities of the Texaco Golden Motor Oil.

It flows freely at zero. In addition to all this it "Crack-Proof". It combines all the outstanding qualities of the major crudes in a single motor oil.

All Texaco now sold is the new Texaco. It comes in five grades—C, D, E, F and G. These cover a sufficient range to give every type of automobile engine the maximum in lubricating efficiency.

25 cents per quart for all grades except Grade G which is 30 cents per quart. Try this new oil—we know it will please you because of its excellent quality.

MANDT OIL CO.
Melvin Anderson, Manager
St. Hilaire Minnesota

Wyandotte News

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Wilson and family visited Sunday afternoon at the Albert Anderson home near Plummer.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Halverson visited Sunday afternoon at the Martin Berg home.

Mr. and Mrs. David Haugen, Daniel, Gina and Hannah Haugen and Mrs. Oxmott spent Sunday at Thief River Falls, celebrating the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. G. Efterland.

Otto Anderson autoed here the first of the week from Perth, N. D. to join his wife and children, who have been visiting with friends and relatives. The left for their home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bruggeman and children of Plummer visited Sunday at the H. L Bruggeman home.

Miss Margaret Berg returned home Sunday after spending a month with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Martin Berg

Theo. Olson accompanied by Ole Bakken motored Sunday to Detroit Lakes.

Ole Bakken has been visiting with his aunt Mrs. O, Olson.

Goodwin, Selma and Alvina Wilson were Friday evening callers at the Ray Rochwell home.

Peter Kolseth, Orrin Noel were business callers at the H. Bruggeman home Friday evening.

Clearwater Luther League will be held at the David Haugen home Sunday afternoon. Everyone welcome.

O. E. Wilson called at the J. Albin home Sunday evening.

Theo Berg and Sigured Sagemoen called at the O. E. Wilson home Sunday.

River News

Mr. and Mrs. F. Erdmann and family visited at the Ed Rydeen home at Clearbrook and attended the district picnic at Bagley Sunday.

Misses Mable and Ellan Swanson visited Monday evening with Esther Thyren.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Haupt and family of Stephens spent Sunday at the home of his brother Geo. Haupt.

Miss Ellen Swanson of Minneapolis arrived Saturday to spent a few weeks at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. S. Swanson.

Fall is drawing near. Threshing commenced in this vicinity Thursday and the crops are fair. Jack Frost also made his appearance at various pleces Sunday morning.

25 Years Ago

On Tuesday, Aug. 7th, at the residence of Mrs. John Peterson, occured the marriage of her daughter, Mary Josephene to Mr. James Kinney, Rev. Alex Sand officiating.

Leppert Bros. hardware dealers, and Romsos Bros. general merchants at Wylie were planning to move to one of the new towns along the G. N. extension in Dakota. Abandonment of train service on the Wylie line prompted the move.

O. H. Peters, who was operating an elevator at Middle River, was down for a short visit at his home.

Henry Enderle, the Plummer banker was over for a visit with friends and former neighbors.

Mrs. Sever Hoff was called to Mower county by serious illness of her mother.

Miss Emily Guttormson, formerly of this place, was united in marrage to Mr. Herbert Tracy at Portland, Oregon, on July 27th.

Jas. Brady of Red Lake Falls, and A. A. Glenn of Crookston were replacing some timbers in the north bridge.

Grand Opening!

Monday, Aug. 18, 1930

We feel proud of our new place, just completed, and invite everybody to drive in and visit us on our opening day, Aug. 18.

One quart of Liberty Motor Oil will be given free with every fill of gasoline--5 gal. or over.

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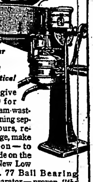

Special Offer Subject to Withdrawal Without Notice!

Yessir—I'll give you $20.00 for that old cream-wasting, hard-turning separator of yours, regardless of age, make or condition—to apply in trade on the wonderful New Low Model No. 77 Ball Bearing Melotte Separator—proven "*the greatest skimmer of them all!*"

NEW LOW MODEL MELOTTE

Come in and see the New No. 77 Melotte. See how handy it is, how easy it is to clean—yes—and how the flexibly suspended Self-Balancing Melotte Bowl *never fails* to get all the cream all the time!

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

Speed

First Motorist—I drove so fast that the trees appeared like a fence.

Second Ditto—I drove so that the mile-stones made a stone wall.

Third Ditto—I went so fast that I could see the number on the back of my car.

SLAIN IN HIS LAST

Sunday School Teacher—In which one of his great battles was King Saul slain, Willie?

Willie—Why—er—in his last one, ma'am.

LOCALS

The Sewing Circle of the Evang. Mission church met Tuesday evening at the John Norman home.

Mrs. Jasper came yesterday from Crookston for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Person.

Census of auto traffic is heing taken on T. H. No. 32 south of here, beginning this week. Hazel Fricker is doing the compiling.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe King are the happy parents of a háby daughter born Monday at the hospital at Thief River.

Misses Lilly and Eva Johnson, Ruth Fairbanks and Helga Kalland motored yesterday to Winnipeg. They will return today after viewing the sights in the Canadian city.

Mrs. Chr. Juhl of Faith, Minn., and Peter Hagglund of Gilbert, Minn., were here Monday for the funeral of their mother, the late, Mrs. P. O. Hagglund.

County Attorney H. O. Berve motored down Monday noon from Thief River to attend to business matters, and to interview some of the voters.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veterinarian made his regular trip here again last week after heing gone a week while taking a special course at the state university.

Elmer Phillips of Everett, Wash., accompanied by two friends, were here last Saturday for a visit with his uncle, Ole Branum. The young men were over this way in quest of work. They stated employment conditions in the coast country were very poor at this time.

The Norwegian Lutheran Ladies Aid will he entertained Friday, Aug. 15th in the church hasement hy Mrs. Dahle and Mrs. Gigstad.

The Junior Choir will practice in the church Friday afternoon at 3:00.

As announced in his adv. elsewhere in this issue, Carl Person will keep his meat market open every evening beginning Monday and continuing until after threshing season is over. This will be a convenience to the country folks who are too husy at this season to come in during the day. Note the specials in his adv. this week.

Airmen to Photograph Capital's Traffic Jams

Washington.—Perplexed Washington officials have sought army air corps aid in solving the Capital's traffic and parking problems. Army airmen soon will soar over the congested Washington area photographing conditions as they exist in an effort to obtain data which will assist in rerouting traffic when new government buildings housing thousands of clerks are opened for business.

New Classification

At the annual meeting of the State Board of Education on August fifth your school was promoted to the Class A four year high school list. This means that your school has the same accredited standing and will be granted the same regular aid as any other four year high school in Minnesoto.

Theodore Utne
Director

Dunwoody To Re-open

Dunwoody Institnte at Minneapolis was a gift to the residents of the State and is condncted without profit.

It welcomes an opportnnity to be of service either in trade advisement, vocational advisement or in actually admitting and training boys and men.

Boys wishing to enter a trade are given an opportunity to do so in onr training program; men already in the trade who wish advanced training may enter at any time for any length of time.

Boys and men who have finish ed the eighth grade or one to fonr years at High School and who are interested in trade and industrial training are invited to write to Dunwoody Institnte.

About one-third of the capacity of Dunwoody is taken up by applicants of the Twin Cities, while about two-thirds of the capacity of Dunwoody is made up of applicants out over the State.

Courses are available in the following trades:

- Automobile
- Machine Shop
- Building Trades
- Printing
- Highway Engineering
- Tractor
- Drafting
- Electrical
- Sheet Metal
- Baking
- Bricklaying
- Blacksmithihg
- Painting, Paperhanging and Interior Decorating
- Farm Mechanics
- Storage Battery

Dunwoody Institnte opens on Monday, August 18th bnt students may enter any date they wish to report, between August 18th and June 16th each year, for any length of course.

LOCALS

Put in your orders now for hinder canvasses and sickles. There are so many sizes that its impossible to keep complete stock for all machines. Call or phone orders to

Wm. Olsen,
J24-A14p St. Hilaire, Minn.

For Sale:- Some harley and oats mixture, mostly barley. Good for cow feed.
a7 W. Adams, St. Hilaire, Minn.

For Sale:- Engh property in St. Hilaire, 2 lots, house, garage and toilet at $200.00.

Private harn or garage, size 14 x 18, in very good condition, price $60.00, toilet, size 6 x 6, in good order, price $15.00.
J31tf L. E. Healy, Spec. Deputy.

KEEPING THE SECRET

"I've got a little surprise for you for your hirthday, dear," said the happly married young man.

"Do tell me!" urged his wife excitedly.

"I'm going to give you $5 for each year," he explained.

"But, John dear," she exclaimed, "please don't let anyone else see the check!"

You Shoulda Known

Judge—You stole eggs from this man's shop. Have you any excuse?

Accused—Yes, I took them by mistake.

Judge—How is that?

Accused—I thought they were fresh. —Lustige Blaetter.

Gob Humor

Tucker—I'm going to shoot you.

Tabor—Why?

Tucker—I've said I'm going to shoot anybody who looks like me.

Tabor—Do I look like you?

Tucker—You do.

Tabor—Shoot!

Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council of the Village of St. Hilaire, Minn. held at the village hall, Aug. 4, at 8 p. m.

Meeting called to order hy the president.

All members present.

Minutes of last regular meeting were approved as read.

The village Order No. 49, dated July 10, 1930, was declared cancelled.

On motion made and carried the following bills were allowed as read.

Red River Power Co., lights	$ 34.30
Mike Highland, man and team	8.00
Hans Folstad, assessing 1929 1930	100.00
O. Gunstad, proceedings	2.25
Nels Person, labor	3.00
Adolph Satterberg, council at T. R. F.	4.75
Thomas Larson, car hire	1.00
H. F. Hanson, car hire	1.00
Richard Larson, transfer of cemetery	1.00

The Deed to the cemetery was read and duly accepted by the council and the clerk was instructed to issue a Village Order of One Dollar ($1.00) the amount required to make the transfer.

Mr. Thomas Larson seconded hy Peter Simonson offered the following Resolution, and moved its adoption:

RESOLVED, that whereas the Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Tarna Congregation has offered to convey to the Village of St. Hilaire the cemetary helonging to said Congregation and known and platted as the Swedish Lutheran Tarna Cemetary and located upon the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (SE 1-4 SW 1-4) of Section Five (5), Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North, of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, in accordance with a Resolution adopted by the members of said Congregation at a meeting held on the 1st day of July, 1930, and whereas it is desirahle that the Village of St. Hilaire acquire the said property and maintain the same as a village cemetary,

NOW, THEREFORE, he it Resolved, that said offer be accepted; that the President and Village Clerk be authorized to accept a deed to said premises and that the Village of St. Hilaire do hereby agree as follows:

1. To pay the sum of One Dollar for said property and assume all the expenses in connection with the transfer thereof,

2. To relieve the said Swedish Evangelical Lutheran Tarna Congregation of all responsibility for the said cemetary in the future, and agree to maintain and care for said cemetary in a suitable and reasonable manner as a village cemetary.

3. That the President and Village Clerk be and hereby are authorized to convey by sufficient deed such lots as may have heen purchased and paid for hut not conveyed prior to the transfer of said cemetary to the Village of St. Hilaire.

The motion being seconded and duly put to a vote, was unanimously carried:

On motion made and carried meeting adjourned.

A. Satterberg, Chairman. M. Fricker, Clerk

Roosevelt Loved It

Presidents of a later day frequented it. Roosevelt loved it, and Taft paid tribute by eating a giant tureen of river shrimp bought there. Harding, old residents say, enjoyed its delicacies when a senator.

Through it all, the old market went serenely about the business of feeding its people. When the French quarter became the residence of the immigrant late in the last century, it fed the immigrant along with the visiting grandee. When living in the quarter became the fad of the artist and society came to drink midnight coffee there, the market served all impartially.

The Louisiana Historical society plans to commemorate fittingly these 200 years of service and history. The anniversary celebration will come just in time.

The old market is to be destroyed. Where the old stalls stand a sanitary modern market will be erected as soon as the necessary financing and legislation is accomplished. But, say its devotees, it will still be the old French market.

Special Prices

Friday-Saturday-Monday

Summer Sausage, per lb.	.24
Balonga Style Sausage, lb.	.18
Weiners, per pound	.20
Minced Ham, per pound	.25

Fresh Fish Friday This Week

Will give special prices to farmers on fresh and smoked meats in larger than ordinary amounts during harvest and threshing season.

Shop will be open evenings after this week until further notice.

City Meat Market
CARL PERSON, Prop.

Machinery Repairs --Binder Twine

These days when time on the farm is of real value and every hour counts, you don't have to be hung up waiting for repair parts for your McCormick-Deering or Minnesota machinery. I have a good supply of extras on hand for your convenience.

No need to wait for twine either --its here ready for you.

If you plan to buy a new tractor, a plow, corn machinery or anything else in farm machinery, drop in and talk it over. You can do equally as well, and in most instances better, right here at home than elsewhere.

I have some good second-hand machinery from time to time--taken in on deals for new--that are sold right.

Adolph Satterberg
Dealer in Farm Machinery
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Hope

Hope cures more grief than tears or prayers; it leads like a trusty guide through the deepest night.—American Magazine.

Rolled Sheet Iron Old

Production of rolled sheet iron dates hack before 1620 in Bohemia. It was introduced into Wales in 1720.

Flyer Sees 60 Miles

Provided the air be clear, an aviator at an elevation of 6,000 feet can see more than sixty miles.

Shape Your Own Destiny

According to dietetics, you can't eat your cake and have "It" too.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Jewish Celebration

The great Jewish festival is Purim, or the Feast of Esther.

GOOD AT HISTORY

He—Are you good at history?

She—Inded I am! I never forget a date.

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Surprise Party For Pastor

Members of the Black River, Clara and St. Hilaire Swedish Lutheran congregations gathered at the local church last Sunday evening and tendered their pastor, Rev. A. F. Nelson, a surprise farewell party. Rev. and Mrs. Nelson bad prepared to spend a quiet evening at home when word was brought to them tbat a big gathering at the church desired tbeir presence. The churcb was filled to overflowing by people from the three congregations, and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

On behalf of those present, Rev. Alex Sand, former pastor in this cbarge, gave an interesting and appropriate talk at conclusion of which he presented Rev. Nelson with a substantial gift in cash, and Mrs. Nelson with a beautiful basket of flowers, as tokens of esteem and goodwill from the congregations.

Gored To Death

Joe Code, prominent farmer residing about three miles east of Terrebonne, was gored to death by a mad bull at his farm about 7:30 last Sunday morning. When found by members of the family, the unfortunate man was so badly injured that be lived only a short time.

Mentor Garage Robbed

A thief who broke into the garage of Joseph LaCombe at Mentor early Friday morning escaped with approximately $15 in silver. Entrance was gained by breaking the window in the rear of the building. The office door was pried open and access gained to the till wbere the money was kept.--Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Rev. and Mrs. Alex Sand, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson and daughter and Dr. and Mrs. Swenson and daughter of Warren motored Monday to Fertile for a visit at the Rev. Odell home.

Mrs. Esther Botten of Flaxton, N. D., is bere for a visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. F. Nelson.

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C. Ed. Crown Called

Carl Edvin Crown, age 73, one of the old pioneer settlers of Black River community west of here, died Saturday at tbe home of one of bis children in South Dakota after a short illness. After leaving this community, the Crown family resided for years at Thief River Falls.

After death of Mrs. Crown, and his son, William Crown, Mr. Crown went last spring to South Dakota to reside with his children.

Funeral services take place today at tbe Black River Swedish Lutheran churcb with Rev. A. Bloom of of Thief River Falls officiating. Interment will be in the family plot adjoining that church.

Deceased is survived by a family of grown children among whom is Lloyd Crown. of this village.

Federal Aid For Stockmen

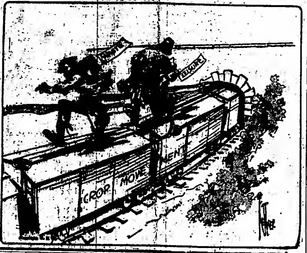
The federal farm board has made available $5,000,000 in loans to stockmen in Montana and western North Dakota to enable them to ship their stock from areas where feed is burned out by drouth, to otber places wbere feed is available. Instead of being compelled to market their half finished stock on an already glutted market, the aid will enable the stockmen to winter over their stock for a more favorable market next spring. Ten times the amount named above may be made available by other government action. According to present plans, several bundred thousands of Montana sheep and cattle will be brot into North Dakota and Minnesota to be fed during the coming winter.

Reports from a number of places in this vicinity where some threshing has already been done, indicates that the yield will be somewhat better than was expected. Wheat is running as high as 20 bushels to the acre, and oats has run 50 bushels or better. Sweet clover and alfalfa will produce more seed to the acre this season than for many years past.

Carl A. Nelson, field representative for the National Tea Company, motored up last week from Minneapolis. The family will remain here for another week or more and will return to Minneapolis in time for opening of school.

Try a want adv.

Low Bridge



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Axel Johnson, who is farming near Bemidji, came up last weekend for a short visit with relatives.

A new computing scale for use in weighing out butter in tubs, was installed at the creamery this week.

Jacob Reek, the stock buyer shipped a carload of livestock from here Saturday to market at So. St. Paul.

Threshing is well under way now in all parts of this community, and if dry weather continues it will be nearly finished in about ten days.

The auction sale of household goods which was to have taken place at the Rev. Nelson residence next week has been postponed to Sept. 5th.

The big thing in winning a race is to get a good start. Make your start by attending Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn. Send for catalogue.

Mesdames L. E. Beebe, N. E. Beebe and E. D. Jensen and son returned Monday after spending ten days with relatives at Minneapolis, St. Paul and Rapidan.

G. Bergland, manager of the creamery, has leased the Hooper residence property. which was recently vacated by E. O. Burkee and family, and moved there with his family this week.

Mrs. Mike Highland and daughter, Carmen, visited last week at the P. E. Bergh home at Erskine. Mr. and Mrs. Bergh motored here with them last Sunday morning and spent the day at the Highland home.

Some repairs are being made by the Rural Credit Bureau on the buildings on the former Gigstad farm west of here which is now occupied by Harold Holmes. Several other buildings on state owned farms in this locality are also to be repaired this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Johnson motored over last week-end from Glenfield, N. D., for a short visit with his mother, Mrs. Martin Bjerk, also with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry [illegible]. Mr. Johnson has lately secured a position as manager of a new elevator being erected at Southam, N. D., and they will make their home there as soon as the house is ready.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Gunderson of Plummer spent Sunday evening here at the Higbland bome.

Fred Biskey is the owner of a new Cbevrolet sport coupe wbich he acquired last week.

After being home for about ten days, Vernon Hagglund left Sunday for Fargo where he is employed in a job printing shop.

The Dorcas Society will be entertained by Mesdames Jobn Lundberg and Ben Rosendahl at tbe home of the latter Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. T. P. Shorte and two daughters, and Dr. Gordon of Shelly visited here over the week-end at the Mrs. A. Dahl and M. Highland homes.

Another new vending pump has been ordered for the Peoples Oil Company service station at the Engh garage and is to be installed soon.

Funeral services for the late, Julius Maland, were held Thursday afternoon from the Norwegian Lutheran church, Rev. M. L. Dahle officiating. Interment was made in the Lutheran cemetery north of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hauge motored Thursday morning to Winnipeg and returned bere Friday. Accompanied by their children, who had visited their grandparents, they returned Monday to their bome at Bagley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Janda and children, accompanied by Miss Amanda Kalland, left yesterday morning from Mahnomen for a trip to South Dakota points. The Janda family will visit with his relatives at different places in the state, and Miss Kalland will visit at home of her sister, Mrs. Nels Johnson at Loamis.

An improvement that would not be expensive, but would be of much satisfaction to pedestrians is that of trimming trees along the walks. Branches should be cut so they are at least seven feet from the walks, both those trees inside as well as outside the walks. Allowing grass and weeds to grow in cracks in the cement walks is poor ecomony also as such walks beave more than others, and will shortly have to be replaced at considerable expense.

Fire At Red Lake Falls

Fire following an explosion of gasoline fumes, destroyed the oil storage house adjoining the tanks of the Red Lake Falls Oil Company in that city last evening.

Tbe tender, Mr. Meade, had juat finished unloading a tank of gas when the explosion occured, blowing the house apart and badly injuring him. Fire occured immediately and for a time it looked as tho the gasoline storage tanks belonging to the company as well as those of the Standard Oil Company, and a grain elevator nearby migbt become ablaze. Help was summoned from Crookston, Thief River Falls and here, but the fire was brought under control before it could spread to adjoining property. As the blaze was in rear of tbe main business blocks at the Falls, it might have been of serious consequence bad it reached the large gasoline tanks.

About fifty people went down from bere to view the blaze and to render assistance if necessary.

Oiling T. H. No. 32

A crew operating out of Red Lake Falls started work this week on semi-hardsurfacing T. H. No. 32 from the county line south of here to Red Lake Falls. Tbe mile or more of road tbru Red Lake Falls, which was coated this summer wben the road thru here was oiled, will not be re-treated at this time but No. 32 south toward Marcoux station will be given its first coating. When the road projects on bighways No. 32 and 8 are finished tbis fall, there will be semi-hard-surface road from Thief River Falls to Marcoux station, and paved road from there to Crookston.

As oiled road are practically dustless, and are not subject to washboarding like gravel roads, this improvement will be mucb appreciated by people in this section.

The unemployment situation seems to have come to an end insofar as this particular community is concerned for the present at least. Every available man is at work and many others would have no difficulty in finding work at harvesting and threshing.

Wm. Jahn of Davenport, Iowa, a resident here during the mill days, came yesterday for a visit among old scenes.

School Begins Sept. 2nd

School will begin at nine a. m. Tuesday, September second. The doors will be open at 8:30 a. m. Everyone is urged to be present the first day. If some of the boys have to stay out for a few days, they should be in and register the first day or before. Quite a number from outside of the district have registered already. Pupils coming from other schools are expected to take along all credit slips. Pupils that are planning on staying in town and haven't room sbould see tbe Superintendent and have him help you locate. The people having rooms for students would render the Superintendent a great favor if they would inform him of such rooms.

Tbe new faculty members this year are: Mr. Olaf Hanson, of Drayton, N. D. He will take Miss Lee's place as Principal. Miss Elizabeth McCracken, of Fargo, N. D. will have charge of the Engllsh and Library. Miss Leona Lundquist also of Fargo, will bave charge of the seventh and eightb grades.

The results of the State Board Examinations for 1929-30 show that about 85 percent passed whicb is about 20 percent better than last year. An effort will be made this year to raise it still higher. To attain this, it is important for every pupil to be in school every day. Statistics show that absentees are delinquents.

New Hospital

Ground was broken last week at Thief River Falls in preparation for erection of a new three story hospital. Tbe new hospital will be located on bank of the Red Lake river near the Great Northern station. The Bratrud Clinic, which has operated independently at Warren since it severed its connection with the Warren Hospital, will operate the new hospital when it is finished.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Burkee moved their bousehold effects and left last week-end for Thief River where they will make tbeir home in the future. Mr. Burkee's work in connection with the Black banks here, Tbief River and Holt, made it necessary that he reside in a more central location. He will continue to spend two days a week here same as he has done this summer. Numerous friends join in wisbing the Burkee family happiness and success in their new place of abode.

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YOU know what its value is at any time, and and it does not decrease in value.

You know what rate of interest it will produce for you, and you know you will receive your money back in full at any time.

This worthwhile investment is a CERTIFICATE of DEPOSIT issued by the "Old Reliable". Invest your surplus funds in a Certificate.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Your Best Market

FOR more than a quarter of a century this co-operative creamery has provided the best market for butterfat in this community.

If you think your butterfat does not bring as much here as elsewhere, inquire about prices in towns that have no co-operative creameries. You will learn that people there must take several cents per pound less for their product.

Your co-operative creamery will continue to pay you top price, and will remain the "backbone" of your community just as long as cream producers in the community stay by it. If you are not now a patron--do not delay making a start.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery
Ass'n

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River News

Mr. and Mrs. Meyer and baby left Monday for their home at New Ulm after spending a few days at the C. Ulrich home.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg spent Wednesday evening at the Gust Larson home.

The Sam Hauge children spent last week at the Otto Johnson home while Mr. and Mrs. Hauge enjoyed a vacation at Winnipeg.

Albert Ulrich motored up Saturday from Winger, where he has been employed, for a brief visit with his brother C. Ulrich before returning to his home at New Ulm.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Erdmann had as Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seeger of Red Lake Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hauge and family of Thief River Falls, Delores, Marlin and Buddy Hauge of Bagley.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thyren and family were Sunday guests at the H. L. Hanson home.

Miss Anna Greene of Canada is spending a few weeks at the Geo. Haupt home.

Geo. Haupt completed his run of thrashing Monday.

The fall term of the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, will open September 29, and the winter term closes March 27, according to announcement made by Superintendent A. A. Dowell. This makes a convenient time for farm boys and girls to attend school, for they are thus able to assist with the regular farm work during the six summer months.

With the completion of the new Physical Education building, which is now under construction, and the complete remodeling of Kiehle building to provide additional library, auditorium, and administrative facilities, the Northwest School will be one of the best equipped institutions of its kind in this country.

All students are housed in the school dormitories thus receiving home-like supervision.

Boys may take special work in gas motors, field machinery, carpentry, blacksmithing, animal and dairy husbandry, field crops horticulture, and poultry. Girls courses include foods and cookery, clothing and textiles, nursing and business training. In addition, all students receive excellent training in English, public speaking, debate, history, economics, and physical education together with such electives as voice, piano, violin, orchestra and choruses.

For a copy of the school bulletin and other information, write the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston.

The Bigger They Are—

Generally speaking, the days of an athlete are but one score of years.—American Magazine.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage made and executed and delivered by August Lundberg, a single person, mortgagor to Merchants State Bank of St. Hilaire, a corporation under the Laws of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated the 9th day of December, 1924, and filed for record in the office of Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 15th day of December, 1924, at 8 o'clock A. M. and was duly recorded in Book 69 of Mortgages page 173.

There is now due and claimed to be due on said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby, principal and interest at the date of this notice, the sum of Two Thousand Thirty-three and 20-100 Dollars ($2033.20).

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN, That said Mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described and thereby mortgaged which premises are situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and described as follows, to wit: The South Half (S1-2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW1-4) and the Southwest Quarter (SW1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW1-4) of Section Twenty-four (24) and the Northeast Quarter (NE1-4) of the Southeast Quarter (SE1-4) of Section Twenty-three (23) all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing one hundred acres, more or less according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at public sale to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, in said County and State, on the 4th day of October, 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to pay the amount which shall be due on said mortgage and the expenses of foreclosure and the sum of Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) attorneys fees, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 20 1930.

MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF ST. HILAIRE
Mortgagee.

Paul A. Lundgren
Attorney for Mortgagee.
A21S25

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Edward F. Dolan, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Alpha M. Dolan, John E. Dolan and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of September, 1930 at ten o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 18th day of August, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
A21-S4

Living Happily

We live in an ascending scale when we live happily, one thing leading to another in an endless series. There is always a new horizon for forward-looking men, and although we dwell on a small planet, immersed in petty business and not enduring beyond a brief period of years, we are so constituted that our hopes are inaccessible . . . and the term of hoping is prolonged until the term of life. —Robert Louis Stevenson.

Decorative Cactus Plant

Earthenware bowls artistically planted with cacti have a wonderful sense of character about them. They need very little attention, and being natives of the desert, comparatively little water. So if a housewife forgets to water them for a week, no irreparable damage will be done. But they must have plenty of light and they should be given light and sun upon the window sill.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

So. St. Paul—Using a golden shovel, John N. Irving, postmaster, turned ground for the new $91,000 postoffice here.

St. James—Taking the place of the usual Lutefisk day observance, a fall festival will be conducted here September 3.

St. Paul—The Ford plant here reopened after having been closed some weeks. 1,000 former employees went back to work.

St. Cloud—P. J. Seberger, former clerk of the local board of education and a city commissioner, is the new president of the board of education.

Wahkon—Management of the Rex hotel here has been assumed by Mr. and Mrs. C. Tollakson of Chicago. W. J. Pronovost is the retiring manager.

Hutchinson—D. Albert Adams, for many years secretary of the McLeod County Fair Association, has been appointed city clerk to succeed J. F. Mickulecky, resigned.

Lindstrom—Drilling wells to raise the level of lakes in this vicinity is being considered by citizens as drouth continues to cause recession. Costs are being investigated.

Dassel—This community will be host to thousands of visitors at its annual fireworks night of August 20. A band concert, pavement dance, other entertainment and a fireworks display are planned.

Owatonna—Owatonna is going to control establishment of minature golf courses. Called in special session, the council received a draft of a proposal to govern establishment of the courses in the city.

Litchfield—H. I. Peterson, veteran publisher of the Litchfield Independent, is in the Janesville hospital because of a fall at his Lake Koronis home. Bones in one leg and a bone in a foot were fractured.

Kenyon—The Kenyon and southern Minnesota corn show, major community event of the year, will be conducted here October 3 and 4. The Kenyon Business Men's Association is sponsoring the exposition.

Alexandria—Mrs. J. J. Volker and Rev. J. R. Davies have been reappointed to the library board. Other members are H. S. Campbell, Dr. E. R. Sather, Constant Larson, Mrs. W. F. Sundblad and C. A. Kolstad.

Stillwater—Roy A. Wildgrube of Winona, was elected great sachem of the Great Council of Minnesota of the Improved Order of Red Men at the annual convention here. Hibbing was selected for next year's convention.

Wabasha.—The Wabasha county board of commissioners reduced the 1931 county tax levy to 18.5 mills, which is 1.55 less than the 1930 levy. The reduction represents a saving of about $17,000 to the taxpayers

Owatonna—The heat wave that held Minnesota in its grip was given as the cause of the illness of 12 children at the state public school here in a report to the state board of control by Galen A. Merrill, superintendent.

Dassel—Yields of 40 to 42 bushels per acre are reported here by growers of Marquillo, the new spring wheat. Oats run from 60 to 80 bushels per acre, rye 30, spring wheat 25 to 35, and winter wheat 25 to 40 bushels per acre.

Anoka—The Anoka county fair opened here with addresses by Senator Thos. Schall and Einar Hoidale of Minneapolis. A home coming celebration was held in connection with the fair. Twenty prizes were offered. The feature attraction was the Farmers Club parade featuring 4-H Club work.

Minneapolis—Word has been received at the U. S. Navy Recruiting Office in Minneapolis from the Naval Training Station, San Diego, California, that Minnesota lads recently enlisted in the navy are making good in the navy's trade schools. G. M. Skerk and R. L. Chirhart, both of Royalton and both of whom enlisted last December have graduated from the navy's radio school with high marks. Walter Duffy of Pillager, who enlisted a year ago this month has been graduated from the navy's electrical school, and Carl Lindenberg of Welcome and E. A. Lundeen of Biwabik, are recent graduates of the navy's school for musicians.

St. Paul—Half a million dollars worth of paintings and statuary will be shown at the Minnesota State Fair in the fine arts exhibit, E. C. Moeckel, superintendent, announced this week. More than 300 works of art will be shown by the Grand Central Galleries, the Chicago Art Galleries and the Chicago Society of Etchers. A special exhibit of the modernistic works of Emile Zoir, world famous Swedish artist of Gothenburg, Sweden, will also be on view including his notable series of seven paintings called "The Creation." S. Chatwood Burton of the University of Minnesota, a notable Minnesota etcher, will conduct the gallery tours with informal talks on the merits of various types of work.

Bronson—Ray R. Swanson, Bronson postmaster, and C. O. Furaas, rural carrier, have purchased the local weekly paper, the Bronson Budget, and will assume active management.

Morton—A sham battle, reproducing the conflict in 1862 between whites and Indians, will be an event in connection with the anniversary program at Birch Coolie Park September 1, under auspices of the Morton American Legion post. An industrial parade, games and stunts are other events planned.

LIVE STOCK

HIGHER QUALITY IN LAMBS NEEDED

Campaign Being Launched in Ohio for Improvement.

With prospects of lower prices for fat lambs this summer, quality in the lambs marketed will become increasingly important, says L. A. Kauffman, extension specialist in sheep husbandry for the Ohio State university. "Many lambs are now being contracted for on a basis of 8 or 9 cents a pound for fall delivery," says Kauffman. "The best lambs will be none too high from the producer's standpoint."

In the effort to improve the quality of the lamb crop, by reducing the number of bucky and undocked lambs marketed for from $1 to $3 below the top of the market, a statewide native lamb improvement campaign is being launched in Ohio, backed by the Institute of American Meat Packers, the National Live Stock and Meat board, the agricultural departments of the railroads, the United States Department of Agriculture and the National Live Stock Producers' association.

Prizes are offered by these agencies for the counties which show the greatest improvement in the quality of their lambs. The extension agricultural agents in each of the 88 counties of the state are being asked by Kauffman to enroll their counties in the lamb improvement project.

Importance of the sheep industry in Ohio is indicated by the fact which Kauffman cites, that this state has more sheep than any other state east of the Mississippi river.

Get Spring Lambs to Market Early in Year

The secret of lamb profits (and it really isn't a secret) is this: Get spring lambs to market early in summer. This requires docking and castrating, liberal feeding, control of parasites.

Liberal feeding helps the lambs to withstand stomach-worm infestation. It cannot be relied on as a preventive, however. The same observation is true in connection with roundworms of swine. Liberal feeding should be the rule always, and if the animals don't put on weight as a result, it's time to suspect worms and to get rid of them.

Lambs are inclined to be independent about eating grain when they have milk from the ewes. For that reason, the feed placed in the creep must be a palatable, complete ration. Grain alone won't coax all the lambs into the creep.

Some of the western sheepmen use a canvas strip instead of a trough for feeding sheep. The strip of canvas is about fifty feet long and has eyelets and rope at the end so it can be staked down. There is an iron rib every few feet to keep the canvas spread full width. The canvas can be taken up and shaken when dirty.

Let Pigs Harvest Corn and Different Pastures

"Pigs will be pigs and might as well be hogs; so turn them loose in the pasture," says R. B. Hinman of the New York State College of Agriculture. An acre of pasture may be worth 50 bushels of corn to a pig. Another good thing about turning pigs into pasture is that they do the harvesting themselves.

Rape is the best annual crop for pigs, and on good ground will suffice for more than twenty to the acre. On alfalfa and clover pastures, which fit well into crop rotations and tend to improve the soil, about seventeen pigs can be fed. In early spring and late fall sows with suckling pigs can pasture on blue grass.

A combination of clover and timothy also serves as a good pasture for pigs and if farmers use a mixture of clover and timothy in their annual crop rotations, hogs may be pastured on this crop without the necessity of planting special pastures.

Corn Gluten Feed Good as Protein Supplement

Corn gluten feed is a good protein supplement for fattening steers if it is mixed with some other protein feed such as linseed or cottonseed meal. It is not advisable to use corn gluten feed alone to supplement corn grain. Mix the corn gluten feed in equal parts with linseed or cottonseed meal or both and you will have a good supplement whether you are feeding shell corn or ground barley. Yearling steers need about two pounds of this supplement per head daily when on full feed.

Feed Grain in Creeps

Early spring lambs to be fattened for market should be given grain when three or four weeks old. A creep should be built where the lambs may go to get their grain at any time. If the ewes are giving plenty of milk, the lambs will not eat much grain at first, but as they become larger they will eat enough grain to make considerable difference in their gains and finish. By following the plan of creep feeding, lambs may be marketed earlier at a higher price.

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota
State Auditor's Office,
St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 14, 1930.

Notice is hereby given that on September 18, 1930, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the office of the county auditor, at Thief River Falls, Pennington county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale or before resale, to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption:

"Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905 are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' report showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

RAY P. CHASE, State Auditor

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Berton C. Atwater, also known as B. C. Atwater, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Regina Hoover, Frank Clark, Fred Clark, Emery Atwater, Effie Bretsch, (formerly Effie Atwater) and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court his final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 30th day of August, 1930 at ten o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 4th day of August, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate.

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
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DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Time Checked by Stars

The Naval observatory at Washington, which furnishes the nation with its time, makes a check every night by observations of the stars.

England's Costly Blunder

The Revolutionary war cost England nearly $500,000,000, besides the loss of the colonies and about 50,000 soldiers.

South African Corn

Mealies is the South African name for maize or Indian corn. In the singular—mealie—it means an ear of corn.

Monday's Troubles

The main trouble with Monday morning is that it has so much agenda. —Arkansas Gazette.

Mules Race With Man

Some mules have the chronic kicking habit almost as bad as some men. —Chicago News.

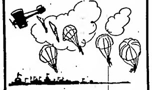
Not a Heart Breaker

Another peculiarity is that no financially poor man ever breaks a heart.—Arkansas Gazette.

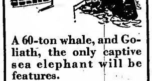
Latest Sensations at State Fair

THE latest and most sensational attractions in the world will be featured at the Minnesota State Fair and Northwest Livestock Show, Aug. 30 to Sept. 6.

A refueling demonstration by two airplanes showing how endurance flights are made; a motorless glider doing loops; exhibition flights by the 300-mile an hour "Mystery Ship" and the $100,000 Curtiss Tanager; stunt flying by the three Sons O'Guns; and four to eight parachute jumpers leaving a single plane, are thrillers.



Mr. Televox, the Mechanical Hired Man, who at the spoken word milks the cows, turns off the lights and performs other baffling feats, will be introduced to fair crowds for the first time.



A 60-ton whale, and Goliath, the only captive sea elephant will be features.

These are only the high spots on the program.

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR
N-W LIVESTOCK SHOW
Aug. 30 to Sept. 6
Admission—50¢

Berlin Model of Cleanliness

Berlin is the cleanest large city in the world. All things that tend to disturb this perfection are forbidden. One is not allowed to throw things upon the sidewalk, not even in the sacred precinct of one's own property is there allowed disorder or litter of any kind whatsoever. The result is cleanliness and comfort and order.

Vienna 2,000 Years Old

It is nearly 2,000 years since an urban settlement was founded on the territory which today is covered by Vienna. The small Roman military camp, Vindobona, developed into the modern metropolis with her enormous municipal area of 275.88 square kilometers, second only to London.

Got Title From Bunyan

"Vanity Fair" seemed to Thackeray an appropriate name for his great book, and was chosen from "Pilgrim's Progress"; "And the name of that town is Vanity; and at that town there is a fair kept, called Vanity Fair."

The Human Machine

The human race would be a lot more wonderful if it took the same care in selecting filling for its stomach that it exercises in picking the cylinder oil best adapted to the motor car.—Lafayette Journal and Courier.

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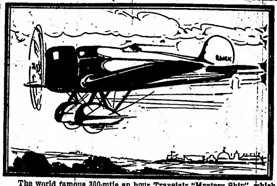
300-MILE AN HOUR 'MYSTERY SHIP' AT STATE FAIR



The world famous 300-mile an hour Travelair "Mystery Ship", which defeated both the Army and Navy planes in the National races in Cleveland, will be one of the many features on the aviation program to be presented in front of the grandstand at the Minnesota State Fair and Northwest Livestock Show, August 30 to September 6.

Facts about our State Fair

THE Minnesota State Fair and Northwest Livestock Show, from August 30 to September 6, will present the greatest program in its history. Do you know:

That the admission has been reduced to 50 cents this year.

That children under 12 years of age will be admitted free both Saturdays, Aug. 30 and Sept. 6.

That the State Fair free tourist camp is supervised by the Farm Bureau.

That the railroads are offering reduced fares to the State Fair.

That a day nursery and playground for little children, with trained nurses in charge, is maintained for convenience of parents.

That a royal purple colored ribbon denotes sweepstakes championship; lavender reserve champion, and blue first premium.

That radio stations KSTP and WCCO will broadcast from the grounds each day.

That the Old Mill, famous water ride, has been rebuilt.

That there will be five new rides in addition to the Merry-Go-Rounds, miniature railway and roller coaster.

That it's Your Fair—Be be sure and be there!

Chick Feeds and Grit

We carry a completeline of Pillsbury's Chick and Turkey Mash.

Also Meat Scraps, Charcoal, Bonemeal Grit and Oyster shells.

We can supply you with anything in line of feeds.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .72
Duram Wheat	.63
Rye	.42
Barley	.35
Oats	.26
Flax	1.76
Eggs, cash	.18
Creamery butter	.42

Fifteen horses and 20 head of beef cattle belonging to the University Department of Agriculture at University Farm will be exhibited at the Minnesota State Fair by the division of animal husbandry. Prize money won with this livestock will be used to pay traveling expenses of student livestock judging teams which will represent the University of Minnesota international intercollegiate contests this fall, says W. H. Peters, animal husbandry chief.

Each year student judges are sent to the Royal Livestock Exposition at Kansas City, the International Livestock Exposition at Chicago, the National Dairy Show at St. Louis, and the National Dairy Cattle Congress at Waterloo, Iowa. Here they compete with other teams composed of students from leading agricultural colleges all over the country.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening service at 8:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Communion services in Clara church at 10:30 next Sunday morning.

Missionfest by the W. F. M. Society at the Black River church at 2:30 P. M. Rev. A. Sand will be present to speak.

Y. P. S. meeting Sunday evening at the John E. Peterson home in Clara community.

Aid at Mrs. H. O. Jackson home Friday afternoon. Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. R. M. Larson will entertain.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Aug. 24.

St. Hilaire, Children's services at 9:15. Junior Choir will sing.

St. Pauli, services 11:00 Norw.

Clearwater " 2:30 Norw.

Oakridge, Luther League at 8:00 P. M. Good program. The Choir will sing.

Mr. Ormond Was Not Bluffed

By JANE NICHOLS

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MR. WILLIAM ORMOND appeared in the door of the outer office of the Ormond and Ledgend firm of brokers and passed down the aisle between the desks of his employees and into his private office. There followed after him a perfect volley of curious looks. Those looks had been following him whenever he came in thus for the last three weeks. In fact, ever since he had hired his latest private secretary.

There was nothing about the new private secretary herself to call forth all this curiosity over their employer. She was just an ordinary girl, not pretty, with windblown black hair, a turned-up nose, and a pair of blue eyes that registered every emotion their owner experienced—registered it behind dark, horn-rimmed spectacles.

There was desperateness in those eyes when the girl made her first appearance in the offices of Ormond and Ledgend. And that was on the day after Mr. William Ormond had advertised for a private secretary of experience. Then for a week or two after she was hired for the position there was a sort of fear. But now there was only a deep, abiding peace shining from them and an earnestness of purpose.

It was generally known in the outer offices that the new private secretary had not met up with that one requirement specified by Mr. Ormond in his advertisement. Lucy Barton had had no experience, either as private secretary or anything else in the business world. Why then had Mr. Ormond, so exact, so demanding in all things, why then had he taken her on as his private secretary? This the employees in the outer office asked themselves over and over again whenever Mr. Ormond appeared in the door at either end of the room and passed down the aisle between their desks as he had just done. They were destined never to know the reason.

But it happened thus: Lucy Barton with that desperate look in her blue eyes, appeared in William Ormond's private office on the morning after the appearance of the advertisement and before that awesome individual had more than removed his coat and hat and set himself down at his desk.

"I have come in answer to your advertisement in yesterday's paper," said Lucy immediately she was in the office with the door closed behind her. And she stood with her back to that door as if she were determined that Mr. Ormond, since he was the only other person in the room, should not escape. She went on to say, "I'll be honest with you. I have no experience as private secretary or as anything else for that matter. But I hold a record for fast and accurate typing. That is all I can do. I have never worked in an office. But I have a mother and three small sisters to support and I need work badly." Here Lucy stopped for lack of breath to go on. And Mr. Ormond started to start in where she left off. But Lucy raised one small hand and took up the conversation, if such it might be called, herself.

"Don't tell me there's nothing doing. There is or there will be. I think you'll give me the position on trial if I promise to do my best to learn what is required of me."

Here Mr. Ormond got in a word, or rather several words.

"My dear Miss Barton," he said, "surely you can't expect me to hire—"

"I can expect you to," Lucy interrupted, "when I tell you that I have seen you to dinner with one of your stenographers at least 18 different times. When you consider your wife, Mr. Ormond, I think you'll agree with me that the time for a private secretary to be private is at hand."

Mr. Ormond gasped and stared at Lucy. Then he smiled just a trifle.

"Is this blackmail?" he asked of the astonishing young woman.

"It's a request for a job," said Lucy simply and added after a moment, "Do I get it?"

Mr. Ormond grinned. "I guess you do," he said. "I'll give you a month's trial."

Four weeks later when the time of Lucy's trial was over, he said to his private secretary. "You're doing okay and you may keep on. I'll give you a raise if you continue to improve. And while I'm on private secretorial affairs, I might as well tell you that you didn't bluff me about that wife business. You see, there is no Mrs. Ormond."

Levels of Great Lakes

Lake Superior is about 600 feet above sea level. Lake Huron is 21 feet lower than Superior, and Lake Erie about 8.5 feet below Huron. Lake Ontario is 326 feet below Erie, of which about 165 feet is represented by the drop at Niagara falls and the balance by the Niagara gorge. The fall from Lake Ontario to Montreal harbor is about 226 feet, and from Montreal harbor to the sea about 20 feet.

Midget Cow

[illegible] O. [illegible] of Stronghope, Miss., claims to have the smallest grown cow in the state and possibly in the United States. According to his description, the cow is four years old, 2½ feet high, weighs 200 pounds, and is only 3½ feet long from head to tail. One calf has been born to the freak and this calf is strong, healthy, and promises to make a normal size animal.—Indianapolis News.

POULTRY

EGGS PRESERVED IN WATER GLASS

Take Advantage of Opportunity to Store for Winter.

When eggs are at their lowest price during the spring and early summer, many people take advantage of the opportunity and store a few dozen for home use during the winter when prices are unusually high.

The water-glass method for preserving eggs is one of the most reliable, according to O. C. Ufford, extension poultry specialist for the Colorado Agricultural college. One quart of water glass is mixed with nine quarts of water for preserving ten to fifteen dozen eggs.

Only clean, fresh eggs free from cracks should be preserved in water glass. Eggs with soiled shells should never be washed and used for storage. Infertile eggs are preferable whenever they can be secured. Here are the directions:

1. Use a 5-gallon earthen jar, well scalded.
2. Boil water and allow it to cool.
3. Mix water glass and boiled water in proportions of 1 to 9, as given above.
4. Place eggs in jar and keep covered with at least two inches of water glass solution. If one does not have enough eggs to fill the jar at one time, additional eggs may be added at any time and more solution poured over them.
5. Cover jar when full and place in a cool location.

The quality of the eggs removed from the preservative will depend upon their condition and quality when put down. They will serve the purpose of strictly fresh eggs for all household uses, but for boiling, the shell should be pricked with a needle as the preservative seals all pores on the egg shell, which prevents the escape of gases when boiling. The eggs should be washed before using to remove the white deposit that forms on them. One should never use an old solution for a new batch of eggs.

Prevent Coccidiosis Among Little Chicks

Bloody diarrhea or coccidiosis is a fatal, parasitic disease of poultry. Its effects become apparent during warm, rainy spring weather which is favorable for the development of the parasite egg in the soil.

The symptoms are unthriftiness, diarrhea and leg weakness. Chicks from four to six weeks old are most susceptible. Losses vary from 25 to 100 per cent. A chronic type of the disease may appear in the late summer and fall.

An ounce of prevention is worth many pounds of cure, says Dr. I. B. Boughton, chief of animal health at the University of Illinois. He has had opportunity to investigate hundreds of outbreaks of this disease. His recommendations call for new, clean lots each spring with the old ones plowed and planted to a crop. Thorough disinfection of houses and brooders at regular intervals is also necessary.

Light Colored Fowls Best for Marketing

In the dressed poultry trade today, the preference is for light colored birds, whether chickens, fowls or turkeys. Well fattened birds, properly bled and picked, bring the best prices. Defects in bleeding and picking may cause a price reduction of several cents a pound. Fowls weighing four and one-half pounds or more bring a premium over lighter birds. Broilers must weigh at least a pound at the beginning of the season and a pound and a half or more later and be well finished to satisfy the trade.

Fancy heavy capons weighing nine pounds or more top the market. Capons weighing five pounds or less frequently sell for less than ordinary roasting chickens. Smaller geese are wanted than formerly and young birds weighing nine to eleven pounds are most in demand. Ducks should weigh four and one-half pounds or more and white ducks are preferred.

Feeding Chicks

Don't feed the newly hatched chick too soon after hatching. It should not be given food for at least 48 to 72 hours after hatching, says Orville Ufford, poultryman at the Colorado Agricultural college. The yolk which is only partly used up as food during the incubation period is taken into the body of the baby chick just before it emerges from the shell. This furnishes sufficient nourishment to maintain the life of the chick for a number of days.

Mash for Eggs

Although feeding poultry for egg production at the present day has reached a very high standard of efficiency, it is still noticeable that some poultry keepers disregard the advice that is obtainable through many sources as regards the composition of mashes—ingredients to use and those not to use. The general farmer in particular is often at fault. He has many advantages over the commercial poultry farmer beside home-grown feeding stuffs.

A NEW TEXACO MOTOR OIL

THE TEXAS COMPANY again demonstrates its leadership in the petroleum field with introduction of a vastly superior new product—a motor oil with a longer life and so clean and pure that it will measurably improve the performance of any automobile engine.

It is free from hard carbon-forming elements, free from clogging wax and other impurities, and still retains all the good qualities of the Texaco Golden Motor Oil.

It flows freely at zero. In addition to all this it "Crack-Proof". It combines all the outstanding qualities of the major crudes in a single motor oil.

All Texaco now sold is the new Texaco. It comes in five grades—C, D, E, F and G. These cover a sufficient range to give every type of automobile engine the maximum in lubricating efficiency.

25 cents per quart for all grades except Grade G which is 30 cents per quart. Try this new oil—we know it will please you because of its excellent quality.

This oil sells for 30 and 35 cents a quart elsewhere.

MANDT OIL CO.

Melvin Anderson, Manager

St. Hilaire Minnesota

25 Years Ago

Fire destroyed a harness shop, meat market and two dwellings at Plummer that week.

—XXV—

The planing mill was working a twelve hour shift to keep up with orders.

—XXV—

People at Wylie started a court action to compell the Great Northern to maintain train service on the Wylie line.

—XXV—

Mrs. Wm. Maynard was up from Minneapolis for a visit with her husband who was handling the saws at the mill that season.

—XXV—

Ten tons of butter were made at the local creamery in the month of June that year.

—XXV—

A. R. Jones, who was engaged in building a new elevator at Rollette, N. D. was home for a visit with his family.

—XXV—

A crew of G. N. carpenters was at work lowering the depot and platform at this point. The local station was four feet higher than the track whereas the standard height was only one foot.

Object of Trial Balance

A trial balance is the testing of a ledger to discover whether the debits and credits balance by finding whether the sum of the personal credits increased by the difference between the debit and credit sums in the merchandise and impersonal accounts equals the sum of personal debits. The equality would show that the items were all correctly posted.

Beautiful Wales

Wales has been called the British Tyrol because of the loveliness of its mountain scenery. Snowdon, the highest peak of the range, has only 3,600 feet elevation, small, indeed, compared to the giants of other mountain ranges, but it holds its own for boldness of outline and grace of proportion. From its summit the outlook is unrivaled in all Britain.

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Architecture and engineering will not be "finished" arts until they devise ways and means for making all theater seats, aisle and center seats unobstructed by pillars and posts, and for building bowls and stadiums for every seat of which every line and corner of the gridiron will be in full and intimate view.—Michigan City News.

Wyandotte News

Mrs. Turnella Holten of Thief River Falls is spending a week visiting with Mrs. John Albin.

The Clara Luther League will be held Sunday evening, Aug. 24 at the John E Peterson home. All welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Wilson and family shopped at Thief River Saturday.

Mr. Peter Kolseth called at the H. L. Bruggeman home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Nelson visited Saturday afternoon at the Rockwell home.

Mrs. Thresia Berg and children left last week to visit with friends and relatives at Red Lake Falls and Wylie.

Miss Lillian Berg is visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Berg.

Man and Change

Sometimes, when a man is found in a new relation to things around him and to other men, he says the world has changed, and that he has not changed. I believe that our self-respect leads us often to make this declaration in regard to ourselves when it is not exactly true. An individual is more apt to change, perhaps, than all the world around him.—Daniel Webster.

Bronze Is Permanent

The permanence of bronze has been recognized for centuries. The variety of its decorative finishes and the limitless forms into which it may be wrought by our able craftsmen, make possible creations in this metal, possessing rare imaginative quality, yet in strict sympathy with the spirit of the decorative scheme.

Australia's Status

Australia was declared a commonwealth in 1901, and is governed by a parliament consisting of a senate and a house of representatives. It is entirely self-governing, acceding to imperial [illegible] voluntarily on economical and military measures.

British Monarch's Favorite

Nell Gwyn lived from 1650 to 1687. She was an English actress and mistress of Charles II, by whom she had two children. Through the king she received large sums of money and many other gifts. She was noted for her beauty.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

EDITOR VAN RHEE WINS STATE FAIR PRIZE; CASEY SECOND; JOSLIN THIRD.

Editorial by Spring Valley Newspaperman is Choice of Noted Journalists.

GEORGE J. VAN RHEE

Congratulations to George J. Van Rhee of the Spring Valley Tribune. His editorial entitled "The Minnesota State Fair" was awarded first prize in the editorial contest staged jointly by the State Fair publicity department and the Minnesota Editorial Association.

Mr. Van Rhee will receive a $50 cash prize and a desk ornament from the fair management.

Second prize, $30 and desk ornament, was won by John E. Casey of the Jordan Independent. Third prize, $20 and desk ornament, went to Verne E. Joslin of the Heron Lake News.

The Judges were: Roy J. Dunlap of the St. Paul Dispatch-Pioneer Press; Thomas Moodie, Minneapolis Tribune; Dow Congdon, Minneapolis Journal; and Frank Mayer, Minneapolis Star.

The Minnesota State Fair

One of the institutions in which residents of the state can well take pride is the Minnesota State Fair, showing each year the first week in September.

Naturally we are proud of the record that the Fair has achieved in the past seventy years, but always desirous to progress and extend its sphere of influence so that many more people will attend this year's big exposition and benefit from the many wonderful educational exhibits that have been arranged, the management is making special efforts to induce every man, woman and child in the Northwest to visit the seventy-first annual Fair and dairy exposition.

One of the means of securing increased attendance is lowering of the general admission price from seventy-five to fifty cents without curtailing its educational and entertainment program, in fact they are the most stupendous in the Fair's history.

A prize list of over $133,000 has been approved for educational exhibits. The finest displays of livestock, farm products, boys' and girls' club work, women's work, bee culture and machinery, to be assembled anywhere this year, will be open for the inspection of all visitors.

A visit to the livestock section will be equivalent to taking a short course, for there will be assembled 3,000 head of the finest cattle, horses, sheep and swine in the country.

The evening horse show will have an international flavor with horses and riders from many states and Canada participating.

The outdoor machinery show will be the largest staged this year. More than sixty acres of moving-type exhibits, featuring the newest models in farm, road building, barn and home equipment, will be displayed.

The auto show, the woman's building with its many fine displays of household arts, the Boys' and Girls Club work demonstrated, the fine art show with its famous paintings, the educational exhibits of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the work of the children in the school exhibits, are only a few of the thousand and one features.

An entertainment program that surpasses those of other days has been arranged. It will include horse racing, auto racing, aviation, feature bands, circus attractions, fireworks and the Whoopee Way with its two score rides and shows.

Harness and running horse enthusiasts will have their innings as twelve harness and nine running races have been scheduled; $15,000 in purses being offered by the Fair.

Dare-devils of the auto racing world will furnish the thrills on three days. More than a score of the leading speed kings will be seen in action.

The aircraft exposition will depict the history and development of aviation as well as show the various models of planes, gliders, motors and other equipment.

There are so many features to the program of the 1930 Fair, that it is impossible to enumerate them all here, but the above should suffice to interest all. However, much of the effort is lost unless each person attends this big event and sees it for himself.—Written by George J. Van Rhee.

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

A Little Story for Husbands to Read

JONES, who had been married a considerable number of years, took counsel with one of his bachelor friends.

"It seems to me," he said, "that my domestic affairs are slipping into a rut. I'm afraid my wife is getting bored. There don't seem to be any of the romance left that we had in our early married life. I wish I knew what is the matter."

"I can make a guess," said his confident. "Do you still pay your wife those little attentions that you used to pay her when you were courting her?"

"Well," confessed Jones, "I can't say that I do."

"I thought as much," said the wise counselor. "The trouble with you is that you're like that other married man who said under similar conditions that when you'd run to catch a car you didn't need to run any more after you have caught it. Now, this is my advice to you: Turn over a new leaf. Start this very day. Begin paying your wife a little attention. Fuss over her just as you used to do when you were first engaged. Try to be a sweetheart to her instead of just a husband."

"By gum, maybe you're right," said Jones. "I'll do that very thing."

That evening, when he burst in the front door, his arms laden with parcels, he planted a warm kiss upon the cheek of the astonished Mrs. Jones and in tones of a well-worked-up enthusiasm he cried out:

"Dearie, this is going to be a big night for us! Here's a ten-pound box of candy for you and here's a dozen American Beauty roses. Now I want you to slip into your best frock. I've got a table reserved at the Ritz-Carlton for dinner and I've ordered two seats for the opera. Why—what's the matter?" he added, seeing that her lips trembled.

"Well, to begin with," she said, "the cook quit today. Your Aunt Clara arrived unexpectedly for a visit and there's no telling how long she'll stay, both the children were sent home from school sick with bad colds, and now—" she burst into tears—"and now, to cap the climax, you come home drunk!"

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Extra Highway Aid

Federal highway aid to extend of $3,500.00 which normally would not be due until next year, has been placed to the credit of Minnesota in order to speed up highway construction as an aid to unemployment. In order to take advantage of the federal offer, Minnesota has to put up a like amount which means that approximately seven millions of dollars will be available for road construction work this year. The state highway department plans to expend its highway program at once thus providing emergency employment for a large number of men who would otherwise be destitute because of crop failure in many sections and consequent lack of the usual fall employment.

Mayflower Memorial

The Provincetown memorial was unvelled on August 5, 1910. It commemorates the visit of the Mayflower made on November 11 (old style). The vessel lay in Provincetown harbor approximately one month. The United States, in conjunction with the commonwealth of Massachusetts and the Pilgrim Memorial association of Provincetown, erected this granite monument, 254 feet high, on Town hill.

Idiocy of Homer?

"Have you got the 'Odyssey and Idiocy' of Homer?" was the somewhat startling request recently made by a small boy to the librarian of Brightwood branch. When she pointed out that his understanding and pronunciation of Greek words was a variation from accuracy, the youngster scornfully said that it didn't matter—they "sounded just alike, anyway."—Indianapolis News.

Lion Should Defeat Grizzly

In an open fight between a full-grown grizzly and a full-grown lion, the victory would depend somewhat upon circumstances. As a general rule, the lion, in addition to strength and vigor, has a degree of cunning not found in a grizzly bear. Consequently, he would have the advantage over the bear and, in most cases, would come out the victor.

It Was Her Intuition

By SHEILA MAC CULLA

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NANCY DARBY parked her blue sedan before an artistic Spanish house with a coral-tiled roof and enclosed patio, and hurried up the graveled path. Her light tap was answered by a Filipino butler.

"Is Mrs. Martin in?" she inquired in a voice quivering with excitement.

The butler said, "She'll be right down."

At the sound of light footsteps, Nancy beheld Sally's neat ankles tripping down the curving steps so quickly that the tiered skirt of her new crepe ensemble flew out as though struck by a sudden wind.

Nancy shook her finger at Sally as she began to talk nervously. "What's this I've been hearing about you and Rey? I'm horribly interested because you know how things stand between Bert and me since the Langley house party. You can tell me everything, my dear. I'm sitting with folded hands."

"Nancy, I intended to tell you the whole thing, but my time's so taken up lately that I haven't had a minute to myself. Even today I'm tied up from two until six o'clock at that welfare center. I ordered the car for 1:30 and it's now," looking at her new platinum and diamond wrist watch, "exactly 1:15."

"Say, why can't I take you over there, and you can tell me while we ride?" Nancy's inquisitive eyes saw her friend's new gift.

"Okey," Sally stepped into the car, and the gossip began.

"Well, you know, that night after the house party, Ray and I sat before the fireplace watching the crackling flames. Believe me, I was peeved!"

"Yeah!" Nancy held out her monogrammed cigarette. "I said to him, and these were my exact words, 'You saw me in Rand Trevor's arms kissing him and what're you going to do about it?'"

"Just like that?" asked Nancy, admiring Sally's nonchalant manner and wishing she could be that way with Bert.

"Yes, and he said, in that drawly tone that always stirs me like an earthquake, 'Rather cool and indifferent, aren't you?' Yes, he said that, and exactly the way I'm putting it, too."

"Can you imagine?" went on Nancy, slowing up in the heavy traffic, her foot on the brake.

"And then, he looked me straight in the face like he was searching for something, I don't know what, and he used that irritating 'M-m-m-m' of his, you know how he does it, 'Divorce, maybe?' I was squirming over that rising note."

"Sort of gooseflesh feeling!" Nancy acquiesced, knowing just how Sally felt.

"That's it. Well, he wasn't going to put anything over on me, you bet, I told myself. I came back at him with, 'So that's the game, is it?' Just as cool as I know how to be. 'A frame up,' I told him. 'Ray, you gave me that extra glass, threw me in the way of Rand Trevor, and our natural proximity did the rest.'"

"Oh, how did you think of that, Sally? Clever, I'll say!"

"Well, I kept cool, believe me! I asked what his plans were, rather aloof-like as though I didn't care one way or the other. And he answered that when a man found his wife in the arms of another fellow, it usually ended up in divorce. I was so het up with that slow provoking smile of his that my brain burned with a white heat and—" Sally took another puff or two and calmly flicked the ashes out of the window as if making ready for her big climax.

Nancy leaned forward breathlessly. "And then?" she questioned.

"I retorted, 'Not if his wife saw him kiss that peroxide blond, Erna Dixon, the same night when he thought she wasn't on the veranda.' I could see that burnt him up. And if he didn't seem amazed, then I don't know a pitcher from a batter. Honestly, he looked guilty," and Sally fingered the watch tenderly.

"What happened then?" Nancy's eyes danced with excitement.

"You haven't heard all of it, by any means, Nancy. Now, listen. He says, 'Well, can't we say what's sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander and resume our marital serenity?' You know his yen for the big sounding words since he took that correspondence course. And then, he sat down and put his arms around me. And I nestled down into a more comfortable position. It was so nice to make up," and Sally smiled as if to herself.

"But how could you forgive his kissing that golddigger?" Nancy asked.

"Oh, I never saw him kiss her. That was just a yarn I'd made up. I wonder now how in the world I ever thought of it, but I guess it was my intuition," and Sally looked admiringly at her watch.

They stopped at the curb and Sally got out. "See you Thursday," she said.

Waving good-by, Nancy remarked aloud, as she drove out of her friend's hearing, "Yeah! Her intuition! But why was Ray so ready to forget?"

A Speeding Clock

Policeman—This won't do, madam. I've been watching your clock; this car's been parked here twenty minutes.

Lady Motorist—Oh, you can't go by that; it's fast.—London Opinion.

LOCALS

A meter crew from the Red River Power Company office at Grand Forks has been here the past week testing meters about town.

C. A. Halvorson and family, former residents here, motored up last week from Maple Plain for a visit with friends and former neighbors.

All Shotgun Shell Prices are higher. You can now save more than ever on shells at Gambles. Long Range Oval Powder, box 94c. No. 2 Dupont Powder 74c box, 12 gauge. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Farmers:- You can get a liberal cash advance on your grain under the Federal Agricultral Marketing Plan. Inquire at Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire, Minn. a21-s11

Notice:- I will be in St. Hilaire to buy stock every Saturday until further notice. If you have anything to sell, call at Hanson's cafe at St. Hilaire or phone No. 22.

Jocob Reek

For Sale:- Two 12 foot steel gates and 20 rods of lawn fence. The latter would make good hog fencing. Call on Arthur Hanson at the C. Roe Grain Co, St. Hilaire.

Notice:- Due to lack of storage space, the C. Roe Grain Company will not be in the market for buckwheat.

Cedar Fence Posts:- Anyone wanting white cedar fence posts for use this fall, call on or write the undersigned for special low direct-to-consumer prices. Have about 400 posts on hand now at St. Hilaire that I wish to close out.

Paul Thyren,
a21-28p R1 Hazel, Minnesota

Aid Given In Hail Area

Through state agencies aid is being distributed to farmers in the hail stricken areas in Marshall and Pennington counties. This aid which does not exceed $150 in any one case, is given the farmers in form of certificates so they may purchase gas for their tractors or feed for their draft animals to permit them to plow their farm lands this fall. While the aid to each individual is not large, it will enable many to get their land in shape for next season who otherwise might have difficulty in securing tractor fuel or feed needed for fall work.

Poor Papa!

He—My dear, you talked in your sleep a long time last night.

She—What did I talk about?

"Well—er—it seemed to be mainly abuse of me."

She—I wasn't asleep.

WOULDN'T TRY IT AGAIN

Diner—Let me see—I had a steak yesterday.

Waiter—Yes, sir. Will you try it again today?

Diner—No, I think not. If you will bring me a different one I'll see what I can do.

The Fickle Public

How many a man of genial style
  Who can't see when to stop
Is entertaining for awhile
  And then proves just a flop.

Knew a Vagabond

"I once possessed a splendid dog. He could always distinguish between a vagabond and a respectable person."

"What's become of him?"

"Oh, I was obliged to give him away. He bit me."

So Says Tradition

"In our country the land is rather flat. We don't know where to locate the poorhouse."

"What you mean?"

"Every poorhouse I ever heard of was located over the hills."

Farm Machinery And Repair Parts

During the busy fall season when time is worth money on the farm, you want as little delay as possible in procuring new machines or repair parts in case of breakage.

I have a good stock of new machinery in both the International and Minnesota lines. A fast truck is maintained so that delivery of any machine may be made to your farm without delay.

Repair parts for these machines, as well as a supply of twine, are here for you. A telephone call to my office and you will get prompt attention at any time after regular hours.

Why not come in now and see about that new tractor, plows, barn equipmeet, etc., that you could use this fall?

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One's Home a Castle

The house of every one is to him as his castle and fortress, as well as his defense against injury and violence, as well as for his repose. —Coke.

Normal Hearing

The distance which can be distinctly heard under average conditions spoken in an ordinary speaking voice is about 80 feet; a person whispering can be heard about 15 feet from the speaker.

The Truth We Deny

It has been charged that religion is a great exaggeration of reality. So is literature, art, love, politics, history; the only real thing is the truth we deny.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

Coal Oil Prevents Rust

The bureau of standards says that steel instruments placed in coal oil will not rust, nor will the sharp edge on steel instruments be injured.

Browning Manuscripts

Wellesley college has a Browning collection, which contains 284 letters from Robert Browning and 287 from Elizabeth Barrett Browning.

Explaining Leap Year

Leap year is omitted every concluding year of the centuries except when the number of the year is divisible by 400.

Briefly Told

You cannot step twice into the same stream. For as you are stepping in, other and yet other waters flow on.

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Creamery Has Payday

Herewith is a list of the checks of $50 and over issued at the creamery Aug. 20 to patrons for cream delivered during month of July. Altho cream production all thruout this section of the country dropped considerably during July because of pastures drying, the cream receipts here were good. Twenty patrons received checks in amounts of over $100 this payday. Here is the list.

Arne Vik	$379.48
McKercher & Son	175.61
C. H. Swanson	152.50
Wm. Palmquist	150.87
N. E. Beebe	148.34
Erickson Bros.	141.50
Novak & Son	140.57
H. Holmes	137.23
A. Johnson	133.11
C. Anton	130.88
J. Norman	129.72
E. H. Stephens	127.57
Mrs. Thorstveit	126.29
N. P. Schalz	124.96
Swanson Bros.	124.88
F. Schmidt	120.90
A. Erickson	119.48
A. Ortloff	117.36
L. Erickson	115.48
J. O. Peterson	115.44
F. Ulrich	114.78
O. T. Mogen	114.16
F. Anderson	111.90
G. Larson	109.42
Ole Larson	109.23
C. A. Lindquist	109.06
E. Larson	104.26
H. Burstad	104.09

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Threshing is progressing rapidly in this vicinity and will be nearly completed in another week.

Construction work is well under way at Red Lake Falls on a new oil storage and pump house for the Red Lake Falls Oil Company to replace the one destroyed recently hy fire.

Application of oil treatment on T. H. No. 32 from the county line south of here to Red Lake Falls will he completed this week. The "washboard" has all been bladed out of the road, and it is expected the oil application will help to maintain it in smooth condition.

GET A Good JOB or business of your own! Write us about our Expert Master Course. New free catalog. HANSON AUTO-TRACTOR & ELEC SCHOOL, Fargo. N. Dak.

Mrs. John P. Olson Is Dead

Mrs. John P. Olson, age 71, a resident of this village during sawmill days, died last Sunday morning at her home at Baudette. Funeral services were held in that village Monday.

The Olson family resided here for several years when the sawmill was operating, and they will be recalled by the older residents, and those who were here at that time.

The family moved from here to Baudette where Mr. Olson died several years ago. Deceased is survived by one son, Carl.

Auction Sale, Sept. 5th

As will be noted by an adv elsewhere in this issue, an auction sale of household goods will be held at the residence of Rev. A. F. Nelson here on Septemher 5th. Rev. and Mrs. Nelson will leave shortly after the sale to make their home at Cambridge, Minn.

Ice Cream Social

An ice cream social will be given by the Dorcas Society on the lawn of the Norwegian Lutheran parsonage next Saturday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Local golf enthusiasts are laying out a neat little course along the river bank, extending from rear of Arthur Hanson's residence north to the Nelson property. While not large, the course has an ideal location.

Miss Edyth Lindquist R. N., who is employed at Minneapolis is home for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lindquist west of here.

Miss Blanche Hoff, who has spent the summer at home, leaves this week to resume her work as teacher in the puhlic schools at Minneapolis.

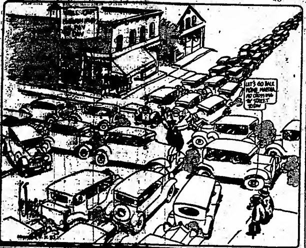
Notice: I will be in St. Hilaire today to attend to business matters pertaining to the Farmers State Bank.

L. E. Healy, Spec. Deputy Ex.

Sunday school will start at the Norwegian Lutheran church next Sunday after the annual summer vacation.

Try a want adv.

Labor Day



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Sheriff O. L. Ihle was down Friday from Thief River attending to official business.

John and Thomas Highland of Halstad, were here Thursday for a short visit at the home of their brother, Mike Highland.

Jake Bohlen threshed out 26 bushels of flax per acre from a tract at his place. Even at present price of flax this makes a very good return per acre.

John L. Larson and Ole C. Peterson of Mayfield township, were in the village Thursday to attend to business matters and to visit briefly relatives.

Repairing of the buildings on the Rupert Swanson place north of town was finished last week. Herman Fellman now has a contract for painting all the buildings which will materially add to appearance of the place.

The Black farm, two miles northeast of here, has more than 1200 turkeys on its range this year, and will have a large number for market the coming fall. So far as we are able to learn, this is the largest flock of turkeys in this section of the state.

Paul Roy, manager of the local store of the Hunt Bros Company, and members of the firm and employees at the Red Lake Falls store were at Crookston Wednesday evening last week to attend a district convention of the Hall Hardware Company and a banquet that followed.

Mrs. John Forseen was taken Thursday afternoon to the hospital at Thief River Falls for treatment. She has been ailing for the past three or four years, but was able to be up and around until last week when her illness took a sudden turn which necessitated her removal to the hospital.

Mrs. Carl Johnson and daughters, Misses Eva and Lilly accompanied by Miss Rnth Fairbanks of Chicago, who has been their guest for the past five weeks, left Tuesday for Austin, Minnesota. Miss Lilly Johnson will again resume her duties as supervisor of the grade schools at Austin. The Johnsons and Miss Fairbanks will spend some time in the Twin Cities enroute.

Ila Moe of Thief River, is visiting this week at the M. Highland home.

There will be a meeting of the Luther League at the Black River Swedish Lutheran church next Sunday evening.

A light show of rain fell here Tuesday night. While not enough to do much help for gardens, it served to freshen up the lawns a bit.

The C. Roe Grain Company shipped in a carload of soft coal this week. Evidently they do not figure the hot, dry weather is going to continue much longer.

Miss Ruth Roy, who has been employed the past three years in a bank at Hague, N. D. came last week to spend a vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jas. S. Roy.

Rev. and Mrs. C. Dahlberg left first of the week for a vacation at home of his parents, at New London, and with her relatives at Minneapolis.

Mrs. Christine McAllister came over last week from Grand Forks for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Hans Wilson, who was ill. Mrs. Wilson improved considerably last week-end, and is now about to be about again.

Mrs. A. L. Patterson, Mabel and Donald Patterson, Mrs. H. L. Ball and daughter, Patricia, came up Friday from Maple Lake for a week-end visit at the O. Gunstad home. The first three left this week for their home at Minneapolis, and the latter for their home at Norfolk, Neb.

Mr. and Mrs. Elie Paulson of Manitowoc, Wis., Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thompson of Valders, Wis. and Mrs. Kimball of Aitkin, Minn., motored here Monday for a visit at home of their uncle, Ed Aubol, and also at the Mrs. Anton Auhol, and Mrs. B. E. Burkee homes. They left today enroute to Minot, N. D., to visit other relatives.

Clifford Bilden, accompained by a friend, motored up Saturday evening from Dalton for a short visit at home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Bilden. Upon returning home Sunday, they were accompanied by Lloyd Bilden who was to visit a few days at Dalton before joining a chum at Fargo for return to Detroit, Mich., where both are students at the General Motors Technical Institute.

School Opens Tuesday

The local school re-opens next Tuesday morning after the annual summer vacation of three months. Janitor M. Fricker has spent most of the summer at clearning, varnishing and painting so the building is now in tiptop shape for opening of the school year. Present indications are that enrollment in the high school will be larger than last year, but the grade enrollment will remain about the some.

New Citizens

S. M. Oldness and family of Ada, moved into the A. P. Hegstrom residence on Water street yesterday. Mr. Oldness is agent for the Watkins line of remedies and travels thru this section. Two other parties are also contemplating moving in before opening of school next week. If all come, the population of the village will be increased by fifteen persons.

Martin Peterson and sisters were down last week-end from Warren for a short visit with their grandmother, Mrs. Anna Peterson, and with other relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle had as their guests last Saturday, Dr. and Mrs. E. O. Ringstad of Northfield. Dr. Ringstad is head of the department of Philosophy at St. Olaf College at Northfield.

The Minnesota State Fair, the greatest exposition of its kind in the United States, opens Saturday this week. Many people from this locality are planning to attend the Fair this year.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Peterson arrived here last Monday from Lakota, N. D., to be in readiness for the opening of School on September 2nd.--Plummer Pioneer.

Mrs. Carl A. Nelson and children, who have spent several weeks here at home of her mother, Mrs. O. Sherva, leave soon for their home at Minneapolis.

Thousands of acres of timber and cut-over lands in northeastern part of the state have been hurned over lately by forest fires. The dry weather during latter part of the summer has made the situation a trying one for the forest rangers.

P. T. A. Meets Sept. 5

First meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association for this school year will be held at the school building Friday evening, Sept, 5th. A short program has been arranged and lunch will be served. Every parent and all others who are interested in the school are asked to he present at this meeting to help formulate plans for activities during the school year. Success of the P. T. A. depends upon co-operation by all interested, so he sure and be present.

School Board Meets

A meeting of the board of education was held Tuesday evening at which time the board inspected the school huilding and found it in excellent condition. As E. O. Burkee, clerk of the board for many years, had removed from the village, Paul Roy was appointed as clerk. To fill the vacancy caused thereby, H. F. Hanson was appointed a member of the board.

A fine new weighing scale was installed at the creamery this week. The new scale is set on trucks which makes it very convenient when weighing out tubs of butter.

Shipments of hay have already commenced from this point, and will increase as the season advances. Several parties from Dakota have leased large tracts of hay land in Mayfield township and are busy cntting.

O. G. Hanson and family are expected here the last of this week from Drayton to occupy the Mrs. Carl Johnson residence. Mr. Hanson will be principal of the high school this year.

The Rural Credit Bureau plans to huild a new barn on a farm north of here, a new residence on a place south of Hazel, and a house and barn on another farm east of Hazel, this fall. The three farms mentioned are property of the State of Minnesota.

Twenty bushels per acre of wheat is not an uncommon yield in this locality this fall. Some of the wheat weighs better than 60 pounds to the bushel while some ranges from 54 to 60 pounds in weight. All seems to he of uniform good color.

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Your co-operative creamery will continue to pay you top price, and will remain the "backbone" of your community just as long as cream producers in the community stay by it. If you are not now a patron--do not delay making a start.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

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With oats running as high as 65 bushels to the acre, wheat 20 and better, butterfat around 45 cents a pound; plenty of hay and fodder, and with ideal weather conditions for doing fall work earlier than usual, this section seems to be favored greatly this year as compared to many other parts of the country.

In other districts not far distant from here, pastures have dried, there is but little in way of grain crops, and many people face the necessity of having to purchase hay and feed with which to carry their stock thru winter. If any section ever had cause for thankfulness, northern Minnesota should have it this year.

River News

Rev. and Mrs. Dahle and children and Mr. and Mrs. Bilden and Lloyd were 7 o'clock dinner guests at the Fred Erdmann home Friday.

Mrs. Thompson and children, Mr. C. Ulrich and family spent Thursday at the Geo. Hesse home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ulrich, Mrs. Ed Mag and Miss Dora Ulrich left Friday morning for their home at Buffalo Lake after spending a few days at the home of their brother F. Ulrich and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seeger, Mrs. A. Krueger of Red Lake Falls, Mrs. M. Kuebl of Duluth spent Saturday at the Fred Erdmann home.

The following gathered at the Paul Gieseke home Saturday evening to help Raymond celebrate his 6th birthday anniversary: Mr. and Mrs. F. Ulrich and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. Ulrich and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erdmann and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seeger, Mrs. A. Kruger and Mrs. M. Kuehl of Red Lake Falls.

A group of young folks enjoyed a party at the G. B Peterson home Saturday evening. All reported a good time and departed at a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Erdmann and family spent Sunday afternoon at the E. Seeger home at Red Lake Falls.

Miss Freda Hanson spent last week at the Paul Thyren home.

HIS DIFFICULTY

Little Billy, returning from dancing school, was asked by his mother, "How was the lesson?" to which Billy replied. "Not so good, Mummy."

"How do you mean, 'not so good'?"

"Well," said the contemplative four-year-old, "I couldn't get the step the teacher showed me."

"Oh, so that was it. What do you think was the trouble?"

"Well, Mummy, I've been thinking about it, and I think it was my feets."

Nothing to Worry About

Gentleman (buying a cigar)—By Jove! If I haven't left my pocketbook at home.

Saleswoman—That's all right; you can pay me tomorrow.

Gentleman—Yes, but suppose I should get run over or get hit by a falling brick?

Saleswoman—Well, it wouldn't be any great calamity, anyhow.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage made and executed and delivered by August Lundberg, a single person, mortgagor to Merchants State Bank of St. Hilaire, a corporation under the Laws of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated the 9th day of December, 1924, and filed for record in the office of Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 15th day of December, 1924, at 8 o'clock A. M. and was duly recorded in Book 69 of Mortgages page 173.

There is now due and claimed to be due on said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby, principal and interest at the date of this notice, the sum of Two Thousand Thirty-three and 20-100 Dollars ($2033.20).

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN, That said Mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described and thereby mortgaged which premises are situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and described as follows, to wit; The South Half (S1-2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW1-4) and the Southwest Quarter (SW1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW1-4) of Section Twenty-four (24) and the Northeast Quarter (NE1-4) of the Southeast Quarter (SE1-4) of Section Twenty-three (23) all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing one hundred acres, more or less according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at public sale to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, in said County and State, on the 4th day of October, 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to pay the amount which shall be due on said mortgage and the expenses of foreclosure and the sum of Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) attorneys fees, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 20 1930.

MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF ST. HILAIRE
Mortgagee.

Paul A. Lundgren
Attorney for Mortgagee.
A21S25

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Edward F. Dolan, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Alpha M. Dolan, John E. Dolan and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of September, 1930 at ten o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 18th day of August, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
A21-S4

She's the Compleat Angler

She can dance and she can fight, she can stay awake all night; she can read and write and spell; she can orate fairly well; she can walk or ride or swim; she's at home in any gym; she can paint and sing and play; she can make a business deal—but—she cannot make a meal.—Brooklyn Eagle.

When Trouble Comes

Be not troubled; for, if troubles abound, and there be tossing and storms and tempests and no peace, nor anything visible left to support, yet lie still and sink beneath, till a secret hope stirs which will stay the heart in the midst of all these.—I. Penington.

New Blessings

The new electric clocks are blessings to the men of the house who has undergone the terrible strain of winding the old clock once a week. A man must remember his golf and conserve his strength.—Woman's Home Companion.

College Booths At State Fair

At the Minnesota State Fair this year, from August 30th to September 6th, St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minnesota; Luther College, Decorah, Iowa; and Concordia College, Moorhead, Minnesota, will have a joint educational booth and exhibit.

The booth will be in the Industrial Building No. 6 and here representatives of the colleges will be on hand to greet visitors, to make them welcome, and to give information about the work done at their colleges.

Graduates and students of the three schools will be glad to make the college booth headquarters during their visit to the fair having an opportunity to visit with old friends and to get the latest college news.

New Teachers At A. C.

All teaching positions at the Northwest School of Agriculture Crookston, have been filled for the year, according to an announcement made this week by Superintendent A. A. Dowell.

Miss Cynthia Weinberger will succeed Miss Annie Simley, as instructor in English and coach of dramatics. Miss Weinberger graduated from the University of Minnesota in 1925, and has had five years of successful teaching experience in addition to continuing graduate work in dramatics at the University of Wisconsin and Berkley, California. Her experience also includes eight months study and travel in Europe, public readings for various organizations, chautauqua work for the Redpath Company, and several years experience as coach of plays.

Mr George Wight will take charge of the animal husbandry work during absence of O. M. Kiser, who has been granted leave for graduate study. Mr. Wight was reared on an Iowa livestock farm, graduated from Iowa Agricultural College, and holds a Master's Degree from the University of Minnesota.

Robert H. Connery will replace Mr E. W. Avery as instructor of advanced subjects and coach of debate. Mr. Connery's training includes two years undergraduate work at the State Teachers College, Superior, followed by two years at the University of Minnesota. He has more recently received his Master's Degree from the University of Minnesota.

Miss Ruth Shelden, school nurse from 1925-27, will return to the Northwest School this fall and again take charge of the Health Service Department. Since leaving the Northwest School Miss Sheldon was for a time head nurse of the Charles T. Miller Hospital, St. Paul, and more recently associated with the Roseland Community Hospital and Training School, Chicago.

Nine Words on Grain of Rice

Mr. F. O. Roberts, minister of pensions, has received an inscribed grain of rice in a glass tube, accompanied by a magnifying glass, from a museum at Delhi. The inscription on the gift reads: "May God bless a long, happy, and prosperous life."—London Tit-Bits.

House Furnishings in East

Unlike the Japanese, the Chinese house interior is profusely decorated and furnished with tables, chairs, beds, cabinets, screens and similar articles of household use. The Japanese use very little furniture, and that is usually removed from sight when not in use.

Good Resolutions

Let us resolve first, to attain the grace of silence; second, to deem all faultfinding that does no good a sin . . . ; third, to practice the grace and virtue of praise.—Harriet Beecher Stowe.

Training Cheese Makers

There are three special schools in Switzerland for the training of cheese makers. A six-months' course is given to those who already know something about the business, while a novice spends a year in studying the industry.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Appleton—Walter Chapman, for the last two years director of athletics at Appleton high school, has resigned his position because of ill health.

Faribault—Charging the county board interfered with his authority A. W. Bedell, Wright county engineer, has submitted his resignation.

Willmar—Miss Ida N. Nelson, 24 years old, was in a serious condition, after falling from a second-story window while walking in her sleep.

Glenwood—Winners of the free trips to the Minnesota State Fair were selected at the annual Pope county 4-H Club Achievement day by Arthur M. Grove, county club leader.

Hutchinson—A. B. Jurgenson of Hutchinson was chosen president of the Gopher Campfire Club at the closing meeting of the twentieth annual outing at Bella Lake near here.

Pipestone—George S. Redmon, 72 years old, pioneer resident Odd Fellow and building contractor here, was killed when his automobile was struck by a Great Northern passenger train.

Janesville—Night horseraces featured the Waseca county fair, which opened here. These races are said to be the first in the northwest to be staged on an electrically lighted track.

Owatonna—Russell W. Seath resigned as Steele county agricultural agent here to affiliate with the state extension department in organizing a state mail cow testing association.

Austin—William Stradtman of Mankato was re-elected president of the Minnesota Walther League at the closing session of its convention here. Lake City was awarded the 1931 convention.

Brownton—Contractors have started work on a muncipal power and pump house for the waterworks of Bronton. The building is to replace one wrecked last fall when a tank blew out.

Duluth—Former Governor Dennis Murphee of Mississippi will head a delegation of about 200 residents of that state into Duluth on the sixth annual tour of the "Know Mississippi Better" train.

Dassel—Residents of Meeker county participated in Dassel's annual fireworks program here. A band concert, pavement dance and other entertainment features were climaxed with a fireworks display.

Blue Earth—Jack Porter and Frank Daly, Mankato junk buyers, were arraigned here on grand larceny charges growing out of theft of various articles from farms in several counties of this section.

Farmington—Crops in Dakota county have suffered considerably from drouth but they are in fair condition, according to W. E. Watson, Dakota county agent. Corn is behind a year ago, while potatoes and flax are in fair shape.

Mound—Wava Holm, 13-year-old daughter of Mike Holm, Minnesota secretary of state, was saved from drowning in Whale Tail lake, near here, by Ruth Bengtson, 18 years old, daughter of the assistant secretary of state, both of St. Paul.

Waconia—A parade in which all business institutions of Waconia and many from neighboring institutions were represented, featured the nineteenth annual Waconia fair, sponsored by the Farmers Co-operative Agricultural Society of Winona.

Mankato—An investigation was started into the death of Walter H. Anderson, assistant fire chief, and the injury of Eli Kingherz, police detective, and Herbert Reed, of this city, caused when Reed's car, in which the three were driving, was struck by a freight train at a street crossing.

Bertha—A ring of burglars is preying on stores north and west of the Twin Cities. Merchandise valued at $1,000 was taken from a Bertha establishment by burglars. Last week a store at Mora, 110 miles from here, yielded merchandise valued at $3,000. Three weeks ago goods valued at $2,000 was taken at Monticello.

Faribault—The declaration of a dividend of 10 per cent for depositors of the closed Farmers and Merchants State Bank here was announced by A. J. Veigel, state commissioner of banks. This makes a total of 60 per cent returned to depositors since the bank was closed March 11, 1929. This dividend was the third, $75,169.17.

Minneapolis—On Aug. 16, 1930, Lieutenant O. F. Johanns, USN., relieved Lieutenant T. R. Wirth, USN., as officer-in-charge of Navy recruiting for Minnesota and North Dakota, with headquarters in Minneapolis. Lieutenant Wirth, who during his tour of duty in Minneapolis, has lived at the home of his father, Theodore Wirth, Sr., superintendent of parks, will have a month's leave of absence before sailing September 20th from Seattle to join the Asiatic Fleet. Lieutenant Johanns served with the Atlantic Fleet for three years prior to his transfer here, his last station being the destroyer tender Dobbin.

Rochester—Farmer-laborites of the first district gathered at Mayo park here for a rally to hear party candidates, among whom were Ernest Lundeen, candidate for United States senator, Floyd B. Olson, Hennepin county attorney and candidate for governor and Matt Fitzpatrick of Rochester, congressional candidate.

New Ulm—The Dakota house, established here by the late Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Seiter, Sr., in 1859, and operated continuously since that time by members of that family, is under new management.

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota
State Auditor's Office,
St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 14, 1930.

Notice is hereby given that on September 16, 1930, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the office of the county auditor, at Thief River Falls, Pennington county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale;

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale or before resale, to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption:

"Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905 are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' report showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

RAY P. CHASE, State Auditor

FARM STOCK

KIDNEY WORM IS VERY EXPENSIVE

Infestation Prevented Somewhat by Clean Pens.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Hog producers, especially in the South, lose millions of dollars each year from the depredations of the swine kidney worm, an internal parasite. The kidney worm causes abcess conditions and scar tissue in the kidney, kidney fat, lungs, liver, pancrees, and parts of the muscular tissue of swine. The injuries not only interfere with growth and development of pigs, but result also in extensive condemnations of these parts of the carcass on post-mortem examination in federally inspected meat-packing establishments. The pest lives for a part of its life cycle in the soil, so infestation may be prevented to a considerable degree by having the pigs farrowed in clean pens and raising them on clean soil.

Scientists of the bureau of animal industry, United States Department of Agriculture, say the parasite may affect swine of all ages and is spread by eggs voided by infected animals. The eggs hatch in the soil and the young worms are picked up by young pigs or by mature hogs. Control measures, therefore, in part consist of sanitary methods of management, such as keeping new pigs in clean fields which are high and well drained and have not been pastured by swine for at least a year, or in fields which have been plowed and are growing a cultivated crop.

Another aid in controlling the pest is the use of sanitary watering equipment and self-feeders in creep pens during the suckling period. These practical devices enable the pigs to escape much of the infection that may be spread by infected sows. Properly balanced rations which include a mineral mixture of tankage, salt, and ground limestone promote rapid growth and early maturity. Control measures strike at the weak points of the life cycle of the parasite and are the most effective methods known of preventing losses from kidney worms.

Not Difficult to Rid Sheep of Stomach Worms

It is not a very difficult matter to rid adult sheep of stomach worms and the treatment is also fairly successful for expulsion of tapeworms, although they are much more difficult to kill. The treatment consists in administering a one per cent solution of bluestone and tobacco. It is made by dissolving four ounces of pure bluestone in one-half gallon of boiling water in an earthenware vessel, steeping four ounces of tobacco snuff overnight in one-half gallon of boiling water and in the morning mixing the two solutions and adding two gallons of cold water. The mixture should then be strained and given to the sheep, after withholding feed for 24 hours.

The dose for an adult sheep is 3½ to 4 ounces. A lamb under one year should be given 1¾ ounces and lambs older than that appropriate doses, according to age and size. The sheep should stand on all fours when being given the solution slowly and carefully by means of a two-ounce dose syringe, or a rubber tube, nozzle and funnel, or a bottle having a piece of rubber tubing attached to its neck. Where lung worms are found present the veterinarian may inject directly into each nostril in turn, by means of a medicine dropper, about 20 drops of chloroform.

Live Stock Facts

Don't withhold feed from young, growing animals when they want it.

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Young suckling pigs have their real start in life long before they are born.

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Don't use pastures too early in the spring and don't graze pastures too closely.

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The total pig crop of the corn belt was slightly larger in 1929 than in 1928, according to reports of the United States Department of Agriculture.

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The high mortality rate among young pigs represents a loss of possible profits in hog raising. It is not expected that one can save 100 per cent of the pig crop, but it is possible to save more than 50 per cent.

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Pound for pound, potatoes have about the same feeding value as ordinary silage.

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Thrilling Races at State Fair

ACTION, speed, thrills — and maybe spills — will feature the race program of the Minnesota State Fair and Northwest Livestock Show, from August 30 to September 6.

Two hundred of the fastest trotters, pacers and runners ever entered at the fair will compete for the $15,000.00 in purses offered for the four-day meet.

Twenty-six of the World's most daring

auto pilots will participate in the championship dirt track races, Aug. 30, Sept. 3 and 6.

Exhibition flights by the 300-Mile an hour "Mystery Ship"; refueling demonstrations; glider flights; and from four to eight parachute jumpers leaving a plane, are aviation thrillers.

"The Awakening" the most stirring fireworks spectacle in history; 15 open-air circus acts; The Evening Horse show; Morris & Castle shows, and a host of other attractions make up the program.

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR
N-W LIVESTOCK SHOW
Aug. 30 to Sept. 6
Admission—50¢

DEFECTIVE PAGE

BOY SCOUT INDIAN VILLAGE AT STATE FAIR

The Boy Scout Indian Village will be one of the outstanding features at the Minnesota State Fair and Northwest Livestock Show, August 30 to September 6.

Indians in native dress, living in tepees, cooking their food in the open, and participating in dances and ceremonials will be in camp.

Boy Scouts from several states will demonstrate: whistle drills, fire by friction, first aid, signalling and tower construction, rope making, baking bread on a stick and other scout tricks.

There'll be no admission charge to the Boy Scout Indian Village.

Flour-Feed-Coal

This elevator carries a full line of well known makes of flour at all times. Buy your flour in large quantities direct from us and save money.

Our lines of feed are the best procurable, and we carry a large enough supply to take care of the needs of this community.

Place your order now for coal. We will have several varities this fall same as before. Have your coal put in the bin now before cold weather sets in. It costs no more, and you will have it when you want it.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .70
Duram Wheat	.60
Rye	.42
Barley	.45
Oats	.27
Flax	1.70
Eggs, cash	.19
Creamery butter	.44

Highway To Be Center-Lined

Center-lines will be marked on about 100 miles of bitumioous highwaye by the State Highway department this summer. The center-lioing is intended largely for the safety of persons usiug these highways at night. Bitominous gravel roads are generally wider than the pavements, but the black surface is difficult to see at night.

There has been some difficulty in finding a paint which will adhere to the bituminoos material, but the department believes it has overcome this difficulty. A bright orange which, it is hoped, will retain its visibility a long time, will be used.

Only tarred roads which are aolid and semi-permanent will be painted. Among those to be marked this aummer are No 5, from the end of the pavement to Cambridge; No. 12, thru Hopkins; No. 18 from Elk River to Princeton, and from Ooamia to Garrison; No. 8, from Bemidji to Csss Lake; No. 19, from Brainerd to Pequot; No. 2, from Braioerd to Motley.

DR. L. R. TWETE

Licensed Veterinarian

Thief River Falls, Minn.

Tuberculin Testing.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school 10:00.
Morning services 11:00.
Evening service at 8:00 at the Black River Chapel.

Paul R. Johnson of Crookston will take charge of the services as our pastor is home for a two weeks vacation.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

A. F. Nelson, Pastor

Services next Sunday morning at 10:00 in Black River church with Sunday school following.

There will be no services in the local church.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Aug, 31st

Services, St. Hilaire, 11:00 A. M. Norw.

Sunday school at 10:00. Let all the children be present.

Class of Confirmands meets 2:00 Saturday at the church.

Communion services at Ebenezer at 2:30.

Luther League at St. Pauli at 8:00 P. M. All welcome.

Card Of Thanks

We wish hereby to express our hearfelt thanks to all neighbors and friends for their kindness to us after the death of our beloved son and brother, Julius, and to all who contributed the beautiful flowers at the funeral.

O. O. Maland and family

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

LIGHTS of NEW YORK By GRANT DIXON

The Right Cure.

This story, in the writer's opinion, is worth repeating because it is amusing. However, I will not guarantee its accuracy. A well known New York doctor had a patient, who explained his symptoms to him, and the doctor recommended a long sea voyage. The patient beamed.

"That's fine," he said. "Won't be any trouble to me. I am the purser of the Leviathan."

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Little Hideaway.

Over on East Fifty-seventh street one of the eligible bachelors has a little roof hideaway of three floors. One floor has been designed as a racquet club. On Park avenue is a roof establishment with a Japanese garden and little streamlets flowing under lacquered bridges. It is all very expensive, and no little silly.

Roof gardens, they tell me, are sad affairs. Earth is transported twenty or thirty stories, and flowers are planted. But they don't grow very well in the dirt and smoke, and the florist is a frequent caller.

Some of the roof homes are topsy-turvy, with bedrooms on the lower floor, sitting room and library on the second, and music room on the third. It's too bad penthouses weren't in vogue a generation ago. Lightning rod salesmen would have had a picnic.

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Strictly Business.

In one of the larger apartment house development projects, where a whole community has been established, with stores, restaurants, etc., the operators will not install anything that does not bring in revenue. Thus, although the development is a miniature city, no post office exists, because there is no profit in it for the operators.

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Misadventure.

A young woman who recently made a trip abroad found, in Germany, a certain brand of cigarette that, she avers, was perfectly terrible, but was put up in the handsomest box in the world. The cigarettes were cheap, so she bought a large supply of them, intending to use only the boxes at home. She had the cigarettes delivered to the steamer she intended taking—and then she changed her mind and decided to take another boat.

She knew, however, that the cigarettes would be brought to America on the first liner. She was anxious to get the boxes, so she set out to find them. It took several days and many taxicab rides to find them at the customs appraiser's warehouse. Then she had to pay some sort of fine. Then she had to pay the duty. Finally she got her treasured boxes—and each one had been defaced with a rubber stamp indicating that the duty had been paid.

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Stop Thief.

It was raining the other morning, and a certain young housewife who lives in Westchester county thought it was high time to go into New York and retrieve the three umbrellas she had left at a department store to be repaired. She took the train in to Grand Central, and as she got up the pocket of her coat caught the handle of an umbrella belonging to the woman who had been sitting beside her. This woman created a scene, accusing the other of trying to steal her umbrella. It was straightened out, however, and the young housewife spent a day in town shopping. Late in the afternoon she boarded a homeward train, with her three repaired umbrellas. And who should walk down the aisle but her enemy of the morning, who took one look and then shouted so all in the car could hear:

"Well, I see you have made a good haul today!"

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Woman Has 3 Different Names in Three Hours

Newcastle, Ind.—Three different names in three hours is the record of Mrs. Amos C. Dyer, Newcastle. As Mrs. Mildred Kissick, she obtained a divorce from Simon Kissick and was granted restoration of her maiden name, Haynes. Then she became the bride of Dyer.

Change Decree "Name"

Budapest.—In Hungary all laws and governmental decrees are now issued "in the name of the holy Hungarian crown," instead of "in the name of the Hungarian people," as has been the custom since the World war deprived Hungary of its Hapsburg king.

Rockefeller Becomes Tenderfoot Boy Scout

Lakewood, N. J.—John D. Rockefeller became a Boy Scout, tenderfoot grade, outside the Baptist church after listening to an address by William McGee, twelve years old, of Lakewood, on the aims and purposes of [illegible] Scout organization of Ocean and Monmouth counties.

William was accorded the privilege of addressing the congregation on the $150,000 fund drive for the scouts. After church services William was introduced to the financier and it was then that he made him a Boy Scout.

She Loaned and Lost

By RUBY DOUGLAS

(Copyright.)

THE telephone on the tiny table beside Mrs. Van Warner's chaise lounge tinkled. It was the only telephone in the house that merely tinkled and its possessor had spent much effort in having the bell thus subdued. Problems such as these were the most weighty matters that fell upon the pretty shoulders of the mistress of Holme Hillside.

"Yes?" she said, putting her lips to the glass transmitter. "Oh, yes. Why—"

There was a long pause while Clarice Van Warner evidently listened to an amusing conversation.

"But—of course. I couldn't refuse to let you have him—if you really think it would be all right. Yes, indeed, I'll have him there at nine sharp. Goodby, dear."

Clarice's neighbor, if one living two miles distant on the next estate may be called a neighbor, Helen Simpson, had made a most unusual request—if Clarice would lend Hawkins, the new English butler at Holme Hillside, to her for the evening.

"You see, my dear, I have a guest for the week-end—a girl from London, who is perfectly mad about bridge, and Tom and I are just ordinary players. The snow has cut us off so thoroughly from communication with the rest of our friends that I was wondering if it couldn't be done with safety. Nellie is sailing home next week. We have four others in the house for another table and the happy idea came to me to ask you for Hawkins. He's really quite a gentleman. I know he plays the game because I have seen him watch us over at your house as we played when he was getting a bite of supper ready for us. He can be merely a house guest at a neighbor's home come to play bridge with us—and that's that."

Hawkins did not intimate by the flutter of an eye-lash whether the idea would be distasteful or agreeable to him.

At the Simpsons' he was greeted as a friend and acted his part admirably. The tables were ready and he was presented to his partner, Miss Hutchinson.

No one noticed the several shades of pallor that chased each other across the face of the little English guest. Neither did they observe the effort with which James Hawkins held himself together when he beheld his partner.

The game progressed and both young people had resumed a calm that seemed almost natural. Both played a good game of cards and the hostess thought she had made a great success of her daring venture.

When the game was over there was to be the usual bite to eat, served on the card tables by the fireside.

Hawkins rose and spoke to his hostess. "I am taking a train tonight, Mrs. Simpson—perhaps my hostess told you?"

"Oh—I'm sorry—but if you must go. —trains are most uncertain in this weather and driving is treacherous." Helen was relieved and yet she was a little sorry to have the fellow depart. He had proved himself so good a partner. What tommy-rot caste lines were, she thought.

Nellie Hutchison was torn between a hopelessness at having lost again the man whom she had loved for years and who had gone out to America from their home in England to "make good" before claiming her hand—and relief at the strain she had been under to keep her knowledge of him a secret from those who were about.

Seven of them sat about the fire and chatted about the game, discussing, among other features, the charm and excellence in skill of their new acquaintance, Mr. Hawkins.

"He is a guest—or was—at the Thorne home just down the Lane," fibbed Helen glibly. "Quite a likeable chap I thought."

The telephone bell rang in the hall. Helen herself answered it.

"My dear, it is for you," she said, surprised, and speaking to Nellie. "An unknown lover—at this hour!"

Nellie sought the telephone and closed the small closet that enclosed it.

"Jim—" she uttered.

"Nellie—"

And then the butler of Holme Hillside explained to her what was taking place. He was investigating the domestic service situation in America for a series of labor articles for an English magazine and he had been finding out at first hand just what were the vexing problems. He had written to her but no reply had ever reached him and his faith alone was holding him close to the belief that she was still waiting for him.

A few days afterwards Clarice Van Warner called up her young friend Helen to tell her that the splendid butler was leaving. "Whatever did you do to him that night?" she asked.

"Nothing, my dear," Helen replied, "but I am dying to talk to you about something that seems still very mysterious to me. A phone call late that night—Nellie's sudden engagement in town the next day and—now—Hawkins leaving. I'll be over."

But by the time the two friends had been able to get together, the story had slipped out and the romance was being discussed in every group.

Nellie Hutchinson had married her [illegible] Hawkins, the butler, [illegible] Holme Hillside.

A NEW TEXACO MOTOR OIL

THE TEXAS COMPANY again demonstrates its leadership in the petroleum field with introduction of a vastly superior new product—a motor oil with a longer life and so clean and pure that it will measurably improve the performance of any automobile engine.

It is free from hard carbon-forming elements, free from clogging wax and other impurities, and still retains all the good qualities of the Texaco Golden Motor Oil.

It flows freely at zero. In addition to all this it "Crack-Proof". It combines all the outstanding qualities of the major crudes in a single motor oil.

All Texaco now sold is the new Texaco. It comes in five grades—C, D, E, F and G. These cover a sufficient range to give every type of automobile engine the maximum in lubricating efficiency.

25 cents per quart for all grades except Grade G which is 30 cents per quert. Try this new oil--we know it will please you because of its excellent quality.

This oil sells for 30 and 35 cents a quart elsewhere.

MANDT OIL CO.

Melvin Anderson, Manager

St. Hilaire Minnesota

Wyandotte News

Miss Marion Berg came home Saturday to spend a few days with friends and relatives here She returned to Grand Forks on Tuesday where she is employed.

Gena, Hannah, Daniel and Harry Haugen called at the O. E Wilson home Mooday evening.

Miss Ida Rolstad of Chicago is spending her annual vacation at home of her mother Mrs K. Rolstad

Mrs. T Berg returned home Sunday afternoon after spending two weeks visiting at Red Lake Falls and Wylie

Mr. and Mrs. Albin Hallen and son and Miss Marion Berg called at the O E. Wilson home Sunday afternoon

Mrs. T. Holteo left Friday to visit with relatives at Hazel after spending a week with Mrs. J. Albin.

HE FOUND RICHEST MINE; NOW PAUPER

Britisher Aided in Opening Rand Fields.

London.—"It's all in the game!"

In that laconic sentence was expressed the fatalistic philosophy of a man who once was rich beyond all the dreams of avarice and who now lives in complete and lonely poverty in a remote section of the Transveal.

Nearly half a century ago the name of Samuel Honeyball was famous throughout the world as one of the four mining prospectors who discovered the richest gold deposit in the world, the Rand gold mines which have been valued at $1,000,000,000 and which have yielded five times that much to their lucky owners.

Found Wreck of Pauper.

Honeyball recently was found living in penury—shaggy, unkempt, aged, the wreck of a man who gained a world and lost it, the living hero of a stranger and more fantastic tale than novelists ever told. But he has no regrets, no resentments, no ill-feelings and not one explanation for the turn in his fortune.

It was nearly fifty years ago that Londoners were startled by the amazing news from Africa that a rich gold deposit, the richest yet, had been discovered by four men in the bleak ravines of the Transveal.

Stories of untold wealth began to be heard and before many months men from all corners of the world began to sift into the Transvaal.

Great Discovery Made.

And Honeyball was one of the heroes of the rush, rich and famous. And deservedly, for with his three companions Honeyball prospected in the wild ravines and baboon-infested plains.

Then the great discovery in the Witwaterstrand district was made. Gold, conglomerate beds of it, were found.

And in spite of the amount of precious metal the Rand mines have given up since they were discovered nearly half a century ago, the amount still there, waiting to be dug out, is still measured in billions by mining experts. But Honeyball is living in a remote section of the country, depending for his livelihood upon a pension of $3.10 a week.

How he lost his untold wealth is not known and Honeyball will not tell. He prefers not to discuss the matter.

25 Years Ago

A pretty home wedding occured Monday, Aug, 21st at the home of the bride's parents when Christine Torreson was united in marrige to Arthur F. Ittner.

The Ittner family are now residents of Cass Lake, and the Spectator joins in extending congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Ittner on occasion of their Silver Wedding anniversary.

—XXV—

Walter McAndress came in from his reservation claim and left the same day for Dakota.

—XXV—

Miss Caroline Skeie was employed to teach a five months term of school in dist No. 2.

—XXV—

Jens Nelson sold his old drug store fixtures to a party who was opening a store at Oslo.

—XXV—

The new threshing rig ordered by the farmers association, arrived here that week.

—XXV—

John Johnson, a farm hand about 30 years of age, was drowned in the Thief River a mile north of Thief River Falls when he attempted to cross the river on an improvised raft.

—XXV—

C. E. Higbie accepted a position as grain buyer at Hixon, west of Crookston and was to start work Sept 1st.

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SCHOOL SUPPLIES

School Opens Tues. Sept. 2nd

This store carries a complete line of all materials for school use. Tablets, spelling pads, pencils, erasers, pens, loose leaf binders and fillers, pencil boxes, rulers, lunch boxes, crayons, paints, brushes, paste, ink and other articles.

This store has long been headquarters for school supplies--you will find everything needed here.

M. H. Jackson
General Merchandise
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

AUCTION SALE

The following listed personal property will be sold at auction at the Swedish Lutheran parsonage on Water street in St. Hilaire on

Friday, Sept. 5, 1930

Sale Starts at 1:00 P. M.

Household Goods	Miscellaneous
Dining room table	Copper boiler
6 Dining room chairs	Wringer
Buffet	2 Tubs
Leather couch	Ford touring car
Sewing machine	Cutter
Moline cabinet organ	2 Wash stands
Library table	2 Small tables
Wicker rocker	3 Kitchen tables
Wicker arm chair	Congoleum rug
3 Rocking chairs	Dishes and fruit jars
2 Upholstered settees	Hard coal heater
6 Oak chairs	3 Heaters
2 Bureaus	Kitchen range
4 Iron beds and springs	4 Mattresses

TERMS: Cash, or bankable paper acceptable to clerk. No property to be removed until settled for

Rev. A. F. Nelson — Owner

V. C. Noper, Auctioneer — E. O. Burkee, Clerk

Creamery Has Payday

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Sig. Vik, $98.74, Geo. Haupt, 96.92, Mrs. J. Konickson, 96.45, J. H. Bohlen, 96.22, J. J. Larson, 95.29, F. Bothmann, 89.96, C. Zinter, 88.44, Joe Patten, 86.34, C. Kruse, 85.61, Dan Johnson, 84.08, E. Person, 83.69, J. A. Anderson, 83.49, A. O. Swanson, 82.65, E. J. Akerlund, 82.64, J. Gothia, 82.63, Ben Johnson, 82.04, Gust Johnson, 81.11, A. A. Anderson, 80.55, B. Walseth, 80.04, H. Johnson, 80.04, J. Sjoberg, 77.65, Mrs. A. P. Anderson, 76.83, D. J. Johnson, 76.58, J. Steiger, 76.36 I. A. Rotzlar, 76.30, And. Mortensen, 76.06, V. G. Brink, 73.05, H. Jepson, 72.22, K. T. Dalager, 72.03, J. Lundberg, 70.49, Wm. Rinkenberger. 70.16, O. L. Larson, 67.98, I. H. Iverson, 67.81, Paul Thyren, 67.29, Roy Randorf, 67.09, J. O. Swanson, 67.03, Anton Bros., 69.77, Farmers State Bank, 65.47, Wm. Yonke, 65.44, Wm. Bothmann, 64.68, Wahlbeck Bros., 64.28, Gust Larson, 64.00, J. Maakrud, 63.82, C. O. Swanson, 63.73, I. A. H. Johnson, 61.42, F. E. Rux, 60.31, Mrs. A. Aubol, 59.59, W. D. Ewing, 58.89, O. Haugen, 57.95, H. Hallstrom, 56.85, H. Luttmer, 56.00, Svenson Bros., 55.57, J. Gunstad, 55.41, Ole Hagglund, 55.20, Mortensen, Bros., 54.50, Alf. Dahlstrom, 53.65, F. S. Erdmann, 53.38, H. Hawkinson, 53.01, And. Husby, 52.51, Wm. Randorf, 52.31, A. V. Jacobson, 51.36, G. Erickson, 50.63, R. Melin, 50.40.

FOR SALE, etc.

Plums-Crab apples:- Crab apples at $2.50 per bushel, and plums at 60 cents per peck, may be obtained at the Wm. Yonke farm two miles southeast of St. Hilaire. Road direct south from St. Hilaire cemetery leads to the farm.

Farmers:- You can get a liberal cash advance on your grain under the Federal Agricultural Marketing Plan. Inquire at Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire, Minn. a21-s11

Cedar Fence Posts:- Anyone wanting white cedar fence posts for use this fall, call on or write the undersigned for special low direct-to-consumer prices. Have about 400 posts on hand now at St. Hilaire that I wish to close out.

Paul Thyren,
a21-28p R1 Hazel, Minnesota

LOCALS

Ladies Aid of the Nor. Lutheran church will be entertained by Mesdames Miller Peterson, P. Simonson and O. Haugen at the church basement Friday afternoon, Aug. 29th.

Crude Rubber is selling for about half of production cost -- Will these low tire prices last? A good time to buy tires. 30x4-50 G & J Endurance $5.38. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

If you want steady and profitable employment you must have more than an average training. You will get the best training if you attend Mankato Commercial College, Mankato, Minn.

Probationary Officer

A lance corporal is one with a provisional appointment without the pay of his permanent rank. When vacancies occur as corporals, the man who is considered for the appointment to such a vacancy is mada a lauce corporal with duties of a corporal, hut uot the pay of a corporal. If he qualifies and makes good at this provisional appointment, he is made a regular corporal and his rank is confirmed with the pey of a corporal.

Contemporary View

The first element of coutemporary popularity is undouhtedly the power of entertaining. If e man heve anything to tell, the world cannot be expected to listen to him unless he have perfected himself in the hest way of telling it.—James Russell Lowell.

Known Only by Tradition

Traditiou has attached the uame of Dismas to the thief who repented ou the cross, when the Savior was crucified, and Gestas to the impenitent oue. Both names are bighy improbeble.

Old Greek Burial Custom

It was e custom emoug the ancient Greeks to dedicate the finest pieces of embroidery and weaving in honor of the dead, at funerals. These were usually wrought by the relatives.

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

Appertaining to a Couple of Shipwrecks

ONE of the oldest stories in the world and deservedly, I think, oue of the most popular, has to do with a shipwreck. Two hardy mariuers escape from a sinking craft on an improvised raft. So far as they know, they are the only survivors of the crew. They are in perilous plight. The angry waves threaten to engulf their flimsy raft and a pair of huge trianguler fins, circling in the water, give proof that at least a brace of hungry sharks are waiting for dinner to be served.

Says one:

"It looks to me like we're in the middle of a mighty bed fix. Do you know a prayer?"

His drenched companion shakes a forlorn head.

"Well, can you remember a hymn? Maybe it would help if we sang a hymn tune."

"No," confesses the second cast "I don't know no hymns, either."

"Well," states Number One, "we certainly ought to be doing something religious. Let's pass the hat!"

I can parallel this with a small experiance out of real life. A friend of mine, formerly active in politics in the South, was on his way to a settlement up in the mountains of Virginia to fill a speaking engagement. He left the railroad station at the end of the line. From this point he had to depend ou horse power to get him over the knobs. He hired a native who owned a buckboard and team to carry him on the last lap of his journey.

As they rode along it developed that his guide was an itinerant Methodist preacher, and, naturally, of an exceedingly religious turn of mind. When, by questioning, he discovered that the visiting campaigner belonged to no recognized faith he was greatly shocked and said as much.

Presently they came to where they must cross a mountain stream. There bad been a freshet up above somewhere and the stream was out of its banks. They were midway of the ford when a small tidal wave came rolling down on them. The rig was caught and swept down the current to catch, finally, on an outjutting bowlder in the middle of the channel. There it hung temporarily.

The struggling team snapped the harness and were swept away. White as a sheet, the native cast a rolling eye upon the raging current. It was a good hundred yards to either shore. He turned his haggard face to his traveling companion.

"My friend," be quoth in quavering accents, "can you pray?"

"No," stated the politician, as he prepared to go overboard, "but it so happens I can swim fairly well."

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Farm Machinery And Repair Parts

During the busy fall season when time is worth money on the farm, you want as little delay as possible in procuring new machines or repair parts in case of breakage.

I have a good stock of new machinery in both the International and Minnesota lines. A fast truck is maintained so that delivery of any machine may be made to your farm without delay.

Repair parts for these machines, as well as a supply of twine, are here for you. A telephone call to my office and you will get prompt attention at any time after regular hours.

Why not come in now and see about that new tractor, plows, barn equipment, etc., that you could use this fall?

Adolph Satterberg
Dealer in Farm Machinery
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

SCHOOL OPENS SEPT. 2

Vacation is soon over again. Before starting the youngsters out for school, outfit them here with our sturdy school shoes, stockings, playsuits, dresses or other wearing apparel. This store always carries a big supply of these goods, and prices are especially low now.

Let us remind you too, that we have a good line of school supplies.

Carlson Merc. Co., Inc.
O. C. Johnson, Manager
ST. HILAIRE, MINNESOTA

GIRL, 21, WEDS SIXTH TIME SEEKING LOVE

Tennessee Maid Is Nearing World's Record.

Memphis, Tenn.—"Pat" Theresa Barnett, twenty-one, pretty and romantic Sonth side girl, is tied with DeWolf Hopper who has heen married six times end is one np on Peggy Joyce who has had a string of ouly five metes.

The artful "Pat" Barnett, who divorced her fifth hushand e few months ago and sought solace in suicide hy poison, upon recovering from the ettempted self-destruction has just heen married again—her sixth appearance at the eltar.

"Pat's" philosophy is:

"Find happiness through marriage."

"I don't know whether she'll stay with this oue or not," says Mrs. George L. Barnett, 418 Gastou place, the grayheired mother.

"But I do hope so. It's high time, 'Pat' got settled."

Not Like Mother.

"Pat's" search for happiness is not the roed of her mother, who with a gentle smile sits in her garden uursing dreams of her engineer-hushand, who, injured in a railroed accident at Coldwater, Miss., in 1909, died from those injuries 12 years leter.

"I found one good man and stuck to him," says "Pat's" mother.

It was just two months ago that "Pat" emerged from a divorce court, rid of No. 5, Michael Silverman, whom she sued ou grounds of nonsupport. And then she pined away for a time, swallowed a poisou potion, was rushed to a hospital and when she had fully recovered her equilibrium and equanimity, said:

"Why, I was in love again. There's uo use living with a man if you don't love him.

"I'm glad I didn't die when I took poison, because I've found the only one this time."

One Mate Killed.

One of "Pat's" husbands was killed in an automobile accident just two days after the wedding. The other four—?

"Oh, I got rid of them in divorce court," said "Pat."

She keeps track of them, "just to see how they're getting along." Two are in Memphis, one is in New Orleens, and the other is in Los Angeles. She said:

"The oue I got uow is a perfect type."

"Well, let's hope he's permanent," said her widowed mother.

"Pet," who has takeu a few beauty prizes, didn't get to finish high school. She got the matrimonial fad a few weeks before she was to receive her diploma.

Radium Lasts Long

Radium loses its weight so gradually thet it is estimated thet it would take 1,760 years for e given quantity to lose half its weight.

Not the End Desired

Knowledge is a fiue thing, but if it goes toward making an intellectual snoh it defeets its own purpose.—Booth Tarkington.

Of Greek Derivation

The word "astronomer" is derived from e Greek word which iu turn is a derivative of the aucient Greek word meaning "star arranging."

Dignified—Not Mad

Personality is the quality thet enables you to he dignified without making people think you are pouting.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Uniformity in Atoms

Different kinds of atoms may vary in size, hut etoms of the same kind are uniform.

Record Body of Pitch

Pitch lake in Trinidad is the lergest exposed body of asphaltum in the world.

NEW ORLEANS MART IS 200 YEARS OLD

City Plans Celebration for Anniversary.

New Orleaus.—The old French market will soou celebrate its two huudredth auniversery of supplying food and color to New Orleans and its visitors.

Historians say this heunt of gourmets hss the oldest continuous history of any spot in North America devoted to the sale of food. And with its age is an unequaled glamor.

In a city which takes its food and traditions alike—seriously—the combination is important and fitting ceremonies will be held.

Two hundred years ago the French market dispensed the sama delicacies that make it famous now—red snapper for court bullion, pompano, crayfish and the tiny river shrimp, moss stuffed heskets of crabs dedicated to fragrant gumbo, fruits of tha uear tropics, rice, salad fixings and vegetables. Generations of housewives and chefs' assistants heve hovered there, searching for hargains and uew delicacies.

Under Four Flags.

A century ago the whola of New Orleans centered about the market. Nearby was the Place d'Armes and the cathedral. Over the levee below poised the masts of ships from the old country.

Through the high and troubled times of history the old market passed with few changes. Andrew Jacksou paused there, Lafayette drank there the black french drip coffee that finds partisans throughout the world. There Thackeray took uotes, and Jenny Lind wonderingly sniffed the mingled odors.

Under four flags it dispensed food. French soldiers, O'Reilly's Spaniards, the patriots whom they shot, bluff Tennessee riflemen came with each turned page of history. Ragged Confederates reluctantly left the stalls, and triumphant blue-clad invaders experimented with the food that supplanted the army rations they had known.

No Unemployment

Though compensation is not great
When politics goes dizzy,
There's work in every state
To keep large numbers buey.

Quo Vadis?

Policeman (to motorist who uearly collided)—Don't yon know that you should always give half of the roed to a woman driver?"

Motorist—I always do, when I find out which half of the road she wants. —Bostou Transcript.

Full of Rats

Old Lady—Oh, conductor, please stop the train. I droped my wig ont of the window.

Couductor—Never mind, madam, there is a switch just this side of the station.—Exchange.

After-Dinner Speaker

"I understand your hushand is something of an after-dinner speaker?" said Mrs. Brown.

"Yes," answered Mrs. Tomkins. "What he is liable to say after dinner is the reasou we cannot keep a cook."

Kiwanis' Motto

The present motto of the Kiwanis club is "We Build." The first motto selected wes "We Trade." The first chapter of the club wes organized January 21, 1915, in Detroit.

Salt Water's Freezing Point

The freezing point for sea weter of everage salinity—thet is, 35 per mills —is 28.6 degrees Fahrenheit. The freezing point hecomes lower as the salinity increases.

Start of Pony Express

The first announcement of the formation of the Pony express, one of the most spectacular institutions of the old days of this country, was made in March, 1860.

A Sufficiency

It is sufficient for a man to apply himself wholly, and to coutinue his thoughts and care to the tendance of thet spirit which is within him, and really and truly to serve him.—Marcus Aurelius.

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Car Ditched Here

A Plymonth sedan car belonging to a party at Thief River Falls was ditched and badly damaged in front of the local school building at an early hour last Friday morning. It is persumed the driver fell asleep as the road is very wide at that point and there was apparently no reason for the car going in the ditch. The three occupants, two young men and a girl, were all more or less bruised and scratched hut none were seriously hurt.

Gets New Territory

Dr. R. L. Twete, the veterinarian has arranged to take over the practice of Dr. Ostendorf at Red Lake Falls. The latter has accepted a position as inspector in the packing plants at So. St. Paul. Dr. Twete intends to spend Tuesday and Saturday at Red Lake Falls, Fridays here, and halance of his time at Thief River Falls.

Rain Shower Here

A fine shower of rain fell over this section last Sunday evening. The rain was accompanied by a high wind which overturned shocks, haystacks, and disrupted telephone communications. No damage was done to any huildings in this locality.

More than ten ton of hutter were manufactured at the local creamery during August despite the short pasturage that month. Output promises to hold at about that amount until winter sets in.

Mesdames O. K. Olson and And. Mortenson will entertain the Dorcas Society at the Norwegian Lutheran church hasement Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Oscar Borgie and children of Grand Forks, are visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Eid and son of Gary, Minn, motored here Sunday and spent until Monday visiting at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Loberg.

GET A Good JOB or husiness of your own! Write us about our Expert Master Course. New free catalog. HANSON AUTO-TRACTOR & ELEC SCHOOL, Fargo, N. Dak.

Young Mogen Boy Dies

James Thomas Mogen, 16 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Mogen died Tuesday at the Physicians Hospital at Thief River Falls after a two days illness, of stomach trouhle. Funeral services will be held at the local Norwegian Lutheran church Friday afternoon, Rev. M. L. Dahle, officiating. Sincere sympathy of numerous friends is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Mogen in their bereavement.

Move To Ogema

Chas. Patterson, formerly manager of the Farmers elevator here some years ago, and later located at Tappen, N. D. has moved with his family from that town to Ogema, Minn., near Detroit Lakes. As Ogema is on the ronte usually travelled by the people going from here to the Twin Cities, the Patterson family will likely have calls from old St. Hilaire friends from time to time.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new hospital being built at Thief River Falls. Work on the hasement was finished last Saturday evening, and brick work was started on the fireproof building this week.

Jacob Reek shipped another carload of livestock from here Saturday to market at South St. Paul.

The C. Roe Grain Company is unloading a carload of soft coal at the school building. This is the first of three cars which the company has contracted to furnish.

County Attorney H. O. Berve of Thief River, was in the village yesterday morning while enroute out in the country to attend to business matters.

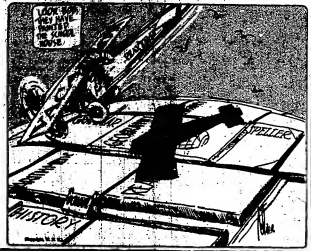
Attendance at the Minnesota State Fair this week has broken all former records.

Pete Johnson, the Crookston monument agent, was here first of the week looking up prospects in his line.

Mrs. Chas. Carlson and daughter Lillian, were in yesterday from Wyandotte for a short visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. F. Hanson.

Try a want adv.

Coming Down to Earth



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know. . . . .

A number of rural schools in this part of the county will open next Monday.

The boys about town have had their fill of swimming, fishing and other diversions common during the summer months and are glad (?) to be back at school again.

Imogene, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ole Johnson, was taken ill Tuesday morning, but has since improved.

Ole Anderson has improved the appearance of his north Water street residence property by giving it a coat of paint.

All members of the local teaching staff came Sunday and Monday and school re-opened Tuesday morning after the summer vacation of three months.

Rev. A. F. Nelson has bills out announcing an auction sale of household goods to take place at his residence Friday afternoon starting at 1:00.

Mrs. O. Gunstad left Sunday with her mother, Mrs. A. L. Patterson, for Minneapolis to spend a week there with relatives, and to attend the state fair.

Mrs. A. H. Gunstad, Lilly and Henry Gunstad are moving in this week from the farm east of town to occupy their residence on south Main street.

The ice cream social given by the Dorcas on the lawn at the Rev. Dahle home last Saturday evening was very well attended and the young folks realized a neat sum for their efforts.

Mrs. John Forseen, who is a patient at the hospital at Thief River, is reported to be progressing nicely. If she continues to improve, her daughter, Mrs. L. S. Wilson, intends to move her to her home at Warren for the winter months.

Mrs. A. L. Patterson, Mabel and Donald Patterson, Mrs. H. L. Ball and daughter, Patricia, who had spent the summer at Maple Lake, departed Sunday morning for their homes, the three former to Minneapolis, and the latter to Norfolk, Neb. Mr. Ball motored up Friday from Norfolk and Mrs. Ball and daughter accompanied him back Sunday.

A meeting of the P. T. A. will he held at the school huilding tomorrow evening, Sept. 5.

Sheriff O. L. Ihle was down Tuesday from Thief River attending to official business.

L. E. Healy was up Thursday afternoon from Red Lake Falls attending to husiness matters in connection with the Farmers State Bank.

Mrs. L. S. Wilson and children came down last week-end from Warren and spent a few days at the John Forseen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo King motored here Saturday from Virginia, Minn for a visit at the home of his mother, Mrs. John King. They returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Olsen motored up Saturday from Leonard for a week-end visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Olsen, and with her parents, at Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Olaf Hanson came down Sunday from Noyes to take up residence in the Mrs. Carl Johnson place on Minnesota avenue. Mr. Hanson is principal of the local high school this year.

After spending the summer months at home of her sister, Mrs. Ferdie Brown at Grygla, Mrs. Jennie Carter and sons returned last week so that the latter might attend school.

Two local young people won free trips to the Minnesota State Fair last week-end for their activities in club work. James Norman went down with his Shorthorn calf, and Iona Olson won her trip in the haking division.

Carl Nelson, who is employed as field representative of the National Tea Company at Minneapolis, motored here Friday. Upon returning home Saturday, he was accompanied by Mrs. Nelson and the children who have spent several weeks here with her mother, Mrs. O. Sherva.

After spending the summer here with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Holmes, Barbara and Gale Winge left Tuesday enroute to Sioux City, Iowa, where they will attend school. There were accompanied as far as Fargo by Lester Holmes and Mr. and Mrs. Holmes.

A Splendid Road

Many favorable comments are heard on the fine condition of the simi-hardsurfaced road between here and Red Lake Falls. Since hlading down of rough spots, and application of oil and gravel, the is smoother than most pavements and much more satisfactory to the the average motorist.

Sig Still Plays Ball

Sig Engh former local man who has been employed the past few years by the Street Railway company at Minneapolis, is taking part again this season in the hasehall activities in the Street Railway league. The Northside station nine of which he is a memher, won the championship this year. Last year Sig was awarded a prize for being the most outstanding member on his team.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Carlson of Iron River, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bogseth of Chisholm, Minn., are here for a visit at the home of Mrs. Carlson's mother, Mrs. L. A. Carlson. They are also visiting at the home of Mesdames Carlson and Bogseth's sister, Mrs. Herman Fallman.

Regular monthly meeting of the village council was held Tuesday. Only regular routine business was transacted.

O. B. Soderling, who is foreman in charge of construction work on the new hospital huilding at Thief River, motored down Sunday evening for a hrief visited with friends.

A serious auto smashup occured on the highway south of Red Lake Falls early yesterday morning. Two members of the Highway Patorl passed thru here yesterday to investigate the affair.

Holdup artists got away with several thousand dollars worth of jewelry and a small amount of cash when they raided a jewelry store at Devils Lake shortly after the place opened for husiness Tuesday morning. The handits made good their escape after tying up the proprietor and several customers who were in the store.

Mrs. J. O. Carlson and children of Detroit Lakes, are visiting at the Chas. Carlson in Wyandotte, and with former neighhors in Mayfield.

Rob Crookston Station

Two unmasked handits held up the Standred Oil Company station at Crookston last Sunday evening and made their escape with more than three hundred dollars in cash. After locking the attendant in the wash room, one of the bandits ransacked the till while his partner kept watch outside. The attendant hroke out and fired a shot at the men as they drove away, hut it is not belived he hit them. Altho police officials all thruout this section were notified, no trace has been found of the handits.

Visitors At Simonsons

Mr. and Mrs. A. Potvin of Cass Lake, accompanied by Miss Bertha Torreson of Amboy, and Mrs. Carl Ingstad and three daughters of Jessie Lake, motored here Sunday and visited until Monday at the home of Mesdames Potvin, Ingstad and Miss Torreson's, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Simonson.

Hunting Season Open Sept 16

Open season for shooting of ducks and other waterfowl in this state begins Tuesday Sept. 16th. There is a closed season on chickens and grouse this year, and partridges are protected hy executive order.

Miss Marion Wilson left Friday over the Soo for Hanover, Minn, where she will teach a nine months term of school in the upper grades.

Miss Eliza Hendrickson left Saturday to commence teaching a term of school near Ada.

Hunters are preparing now at Gamhle Stores for the hig September hunt - Complete line of hunting and camping equipment- Shells 84c hox up. Thief River Falls, Minn.

By end of this week threshing will be just about finished in this locality. There still remains a little flax threshing which is usually done after the other grains are threshed.

Selmer N. Olson, who resides northwest of here reports a yield of 31 hushels of wheat to the acre from a good-sized field at his place. This is an exceptionally good yield, one that will not he exceeded except at a very few farms in this section.

A Worthwhile Investment

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Merchants State Bank

St. Hilaire, Minn.

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If you think your butterfat does not bring as much here as elsewhere, inquire about prices in towns that have no co-operative creameries. You will learn that people there must take several cents per pound less for their product.

Your co-operative creamery will continue to pay you top price, and will remain the "backbone" of your community just as long as cream producers in the community stay by it. If you are not now a patron--do not delay making a start.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

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Wyandotte News

Mr and Mrs David Haugen and Daniel, Mrs. Omott and Mrs. Elterland of Thief River Falls left Sunday for Sask. Canada to spend a month visiting with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Peterson and family spent Sunday visiting at the H. Finstad home.

Mrs P. Kolseth, Marie and Elmer spent Friday visiting at the Ed Holten home at Hazel.

Mrs. Jack Norden and children of Minneapolis are spending two weeks visiting with friends and relatives.

The Clearwater Luther League will meet at Chas Carlson home Sunday evening at 8:00. All welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Kolseth and and Elmer, Mrs. John Albin was visitors Sunday at H Moanen.

Mrs. Rey Rockwell and family, spent Monday afternoon at the Jim Evenson home.

Mr. O. Wilson and daughters autoed to Thief River Monday and the latter remained to attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Quale of Thief River called at the Peter Kolseth home Monday evening.

Sixteen Junior girls, representing the Home Economics division of the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, are spending the week at the Minnesota State Fair, assisting with the Annual Farm Boys' Camp, which is supervised by the State Y. M. C. A. Girls who made this coveted trip include Ano Brandli, Warroad, Rosean county; Hazel Canedy, LaPorte, Hubbard county; Arleoe Hill and Hazel Noyes, Brooks, and Helen Naplin, Wylie, Red Lake county Hazel Dahlgren, Kennedy, Kittson county; Emma Negaard, Gonvick, and Ruth Stenborg, Clearbrook, Clearwater county; Ann Thoneson, Littlefork, Koochiching county; Estelle Philipp, Mavis and Altha Wickwerth, Hazel, Pennington county; and Alpha Bruun, Climax; Gladys Eggen, Fertile; Dorothy Glass, Mentor; Marvel Noyes, Erskine; Mildred Melme, Nielsville, all of Polk county.

Miss Grace Warne of the Northwest School faculty will have charge of the girls during the week, while A. M. Forker and R. J. Christgau will assist Mr. Lester Howard with the supervision of the Camp.

Calf Has Two Faces, but Lacks Balance

White Sulphur Springs, Mont.—A little two faced calf on the William Crabtree ranch would be only too willing to trade one for a balance wheel. Apparently healthy in most respects, the animal was born without a sense of balance. Whenever placed on its four gangly legs it topples over. Incidentally, the two faces and almost two heads come in handy at meal time . . the calf can eat equally well with either mouth. . . .

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage made and executed and delivered by August Lundberg, a single person, mortgagor to Merchants State Bank of St. Hilaire, a corporation under the Laws of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated the 9th day of December, 1924, and filed for record in the office of Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 15th day of December, 1924, at 8 o'clock A. M. and was duly recorded in Book 69 of Mortgages page 173.

There is now due and claimed to be due on said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby, principal and interest at the date of this notice, the sum of Two Thousand Thirty-three and 20-100 Dollars ($2033.20).

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN, That said Mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described and thereby mortgaged which premises are situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and described as follows, to wit: The South Half (S1-2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1-4) and the Southwest Quarter (SW1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW1-4) of Section Twenty-four (24) and the Northeast Quarter (NE1-4) of the Southeast Quarter (SE1-4) of Section Twenty-three (23) all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing one hundred acres, more or less according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at public sale to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, in said County and State, on the 4th day of October, 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to pay the amount which shall be due on said mortgage and the expenses of foreclosure and the sum of Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) attorneys fees, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 20 1930.

MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF ST. HILAIRE
Mortgagee.

Paul A. Lundgren
Attorney for Mortgagee.
A21S25

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In The Matter Of The Estate Of Edward F. Dolan, Decedent:

The State of Minnesota, to Alpha M. Dolan, John E. Dolan and all persons interested in the final account and distribution of the estate of said decedent: The representative of the above named decedent, having filed in this Court her final account of the administration of the estate of said decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled. Therefore, YOU, and EACH OF YOU, are hereby cited and required to show cause, if any you have, before this Court at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, on the 13th day of September, 1930 at ten o'clock A. M. why said petition should not be granted.

WITNESS, The Judge of said Court, and the Seal of said Court, this 18th day of August, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate

Perl W. Mabey and
H. O. Chommie
Attorneys for Petitioner.
Thief River Falls, Minnesota.
A21-S4

Beethoven's Last Work

It is not possible to say what was Beethoven's last composition. We find a reference, dated December 2, 1826, which concerns music now preserved in the Royal library at Berlin. This is sometimes mentioned as Beethoven's last composition. On March 27, 1827, the composer wrote of "a symphony completely sketched lying in my desk, as well as a new overture and other things." This was Beethoven's tenth symphony.—Washington Star.

Named From Holland Town

Edam cheese is named for Edam, a town in North Holland, which lies in the district where this sweet milk cheese is made.

Uncertain Exit

Public idols all start slipping—they do not know just when; neither do their worshipers.—American Magazine.

Reindeer's Winter Food

Reindeer dig through the snow for the succulent lichens or reindeer moss, upon which they feed in the winter.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated March 11th, 1924, executed by John Fromm and Clara Fromm, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on March 13th, 1924, at eleven o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 169 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $91.33, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $93.75, due on September 11th, 1928, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $93.75 each, due on March 11th, 1929, September 11th, 1929, and March 11th, 1930, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,791.61, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from March 11th, 1930, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $372.58, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $91.33 thereof since November 8th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since March 11th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since September 11th, 1929, and on $93.75 thereof since March 11th, 1930, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $300.05 for taxes, including interest, penalties and costs, and interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, and the sum of $36.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1930, in all the sum of $3,595.95, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28) and the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 200 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 17th day of October, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 3rd, 1930.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee.
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. S4-O9

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota
State Auditor's Office,
St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 14, 1930.

Notice is hereby given that on September 16, 1930, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the office of the county auditor, at Thief River Falls, Pennington county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale certain unsold state lands and also those state lands which have reverted to the state by reason of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale;

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can be paid at any time within the interest year without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale or before resale, to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption:

"Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905 are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' report showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may be obtained of the State Auditor at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

RAY P. CHASE, State Auditor

Arizona Canyons

The Colorado river flows through a canyon for practically its entire length in Arizona. The name Grand Canyon, however, is restricted to a particular part, which is almost entirely in Grand Canyon National park. Above and below the park, many miles of canyon are in the Navajo and Hualpai Indian reservations.

LIVE STOCK

SHIPMENT RULES FOR LIVE STOCK

Circular Gives Information on Transporting.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Live stock owners often have occasion to ship domestic animals from one state to another. When they make such shipments they should know what regulations must be observed. These regulations vary somewhat for animals intended for breeding, feeding, exhibition, and other purposes. To aid producers and shippers in obtaining information governing each of these cases, the bureau of animal industry, United States Department of Agriculture, has published a circular which gives brief statements concerning the essential requirements for animals entering each state. This is Miscellaneous Circular 14-MC, "State Sanitary Requirements Governing Admission of Live Stock," which has just been revised and is available on application to the department.

The information in the circular is obtained by the bureau from officials of each state, and deals principally with the movement of cattle, horses, mules, asses, hogs, sheep, and goats. Some states also have regulations governing the admission of other stock such as poultry, foxes, dogs, and cats. Information as to who may inspect animals for shipment, what tests are acceptable, and the names of the state officials who have charge of inspection are also given.

Self-Feeders Adapted for Heavy Grain Feed

Self-feeders for grain have been used continuously for many years by some of the leading steer-feeders in the corn belt. They are especially suitable for feeding heavy rations of grain. In fact, self-fed steers usually eat more and make greater gains than hand-fed steers. Many of us feed hay by the self-feeder method to fattening steers, but we do not call it by that name.

In self-feeding grain, great care must be given to starting cattle on feed. To turn a bunch of hungry steers that are not used to grain onto a self-feeder which allows them all they can eat, would be disastrous. Animals of this kind should be hand-fed for a month or more in the troughs of the self-feeder until they are completely on a full feed of grain. One should start with about one part of grain to three parts of roughage by weight. Then gradually increase the grain until the cattle are getting three parts of grain to two parts of roughage at the end of the first month. Of course toward the latter part of the fattening period the cattle will be eating about three times as much grain as roughage.

Danger of Bloating Is Drawback to Alfalfa

Except for the fact that there is some danger of bloat, alfalfa makes a splendid pasture for cattle. The danger from bloat can be minimized by not turning the cattle in when they are exceedingly hungry. If they have had a meal of ground feed or hay or silage and are fairly well filled before turning them on, there will not be much danger of bloat. Providing a rackful of hay or straw also prevents bloat to some extent.

While the cattle do not eat much of the dry material they will, if hungry, eat enough of it so that they will not be so ravenous when turned on the alfalfa. The mixture seems to help. In starting the cattle on alfalfa it would be advisable to keep them on only a half hour to an hour at a time at first, lengthening the period as they become accustomed to it. The danger of bloat is greatest when the alfalfa is wet or covered with frost.

Sheep Thrive on Weeds Without Eating Grass

The poorest sort of pasture will maintain one ewe per acre. Good grass will maintain five, or even more. Sudan pasture will maintain ten or more during the grazing season.

The value of sheep for the farmer lies in the fact that they live largely on weeds and in the ordinary weedy pasture will improve the grass if not too closely confined. The most profitable flock of sheep is that number which will keep down the weeds on a farm without eating very much of the grass. Sheep will kill out nearly all the weeds in a pasture in a couple of years, thus permitting the grass to make a fresh start and come back to a thicker stand.

Shipping Hogs

Because of high prices being paid for finished hogs and the increased losses in shipment due to summer heat waves, farmers will be well repaid for extreme care in getting their hogs to market, according to the swine department, University of Illinois. Shipping conditions may be improved by hanging ice in burlap bags from the roof of the car. This will cool the air and the drippings will provide a cool place for hogs to lie in.

FAIR STUNT FLIERS PLUNGE, SIX HURT

Spinning Aircraft Hits Tent at Des Moines Exposition After Long Fall.

Des Moines, Iowa—Six persons were injured, some of them critically, when two planes of the "flying sons-of-guns" trio mixed wings during an exhibition at the Iowa state fair. Leo Allen, pilot of one of the planes was one of the most seriously injured. Physicians said they believed he received a fractured skull. Allen and Cy Younglove were flying with the "sons of guns" who have given daily exhibitions before the grand stands at the fair. They started to make a turn and in doing so mixed wings. Allen's plane falling near the aircraft tent but Younglove righting his, circling the field in signal of safety, and then flying to the municipal airport to land. Allen's plane struck the ground about 75 feet from the aircraft tent. It rolled over twice, spectators said, and then crashed through one tent.

Then second mishap occurred when the "mystery ship" overturned while landing. LeRoy McGrady, the pilot, was bruised but not seriously injured. He was a companion of Allen and Younglove in their act on the fair grounds. The "flying sons-of guns" will make their appearance in aerial maneuvers at the Minnesota State fair at Hemline.

One girl was killed and another girl and the pilot were injured, probably fatally in an airplane crash in Cheektowaga. The plane had taken off from a Buffalo, N. Y., field and had been in the air only a few minutes when the accident occurred. The cause was not determined.

State Houses 14,290 Patients.

St. Paul—Eighteen state supported institutions had a population of 14,290 persons July 1, the date on which the biannial report issued by C. J. Swendsen, member of the state board of control, was prepared. The total population of all 18 institutions, which range from insane asylums to a hospital for crippled children, is 603 more than it was on the same date in 1928. More than half are inmates of seven institutions for the insane, which house 7,800 men and women. The inmates of feebleminded and epileptic institutions come next on the list with a population of 2,306 in two institutions. Inmates of three penal institutions and two institutions for the delinquent number 2,920. In the state hospital for crippled children are 244 inmates; the Faribault school for blind, 90; Faribault school for deaf, 253; Owatonna state public school, 439; Ah-Gwah-Ching sanatorium for consumptives, 222; hospital for inebriates at Willmer, 16. The latter figure is an increase of two over that for 1928. The number of patients in institutions for the insane per 100,000 of general population of the state increased from 234 in 1910 to 255 in 1920 and to 305 in 1930, the report showed.

$800,000 Saved on Grain Ruling.

Washington—The interstate commerce commission granted an extension of 10 months over the regular two-year period for billing of grain under the milling in transit privilege received in Minneapolis between May 1, 1928, and December 1, 1928. The move will mean a saving of approximately $800,000 in freight rates on grain still held in terminal and private elevators in Minneapolis, on which the transit privilege would expire soon. Wheat can be moved as flour or as other wheat products. Under the order, 1928 grain received there between May 1 and December 31 can be shipped to Chicago for 13 cents a 100 pounds, instead of the local rate of 22½ cents a 100 pounds, a saving of 9½ cents a 100 pounds, or approximately 8 cents a bushel. The order will prevent the immediate dumping of a substantial portion of about 10,000,000 bushels of 1928 grain held in Minneapolis on the present market. The grain is held both by the Grain Stabilization Corporation and by private grain firms.

Boys Sent to Farm by Judge.

Chicago—Addison and Clyon Tomlinson of St. Paul, Minn., were sentenced by Judge Joseph Burke in the boys' court here to return to their home. But when he learned there were 14 brothers and two sisters at home, he reversed his order and made them promise to get a job on a farm. Addison is 21 years old and Clyon 19. Their home is at 782 Cedar street. The boys were arrested as vagrants in a railroad yard. Learning there were 16 other children in the family, the judge remarked conditions were as bad in St. Paul as in Chicago, and that their parents were burdened enough.

Receiver Named for Glenwood Bank.

Washington—Leo L. Doyle of Boyceville, Wis., was appointed receiver of the closed Farmers National Bank of Glenwood City, Wis., by the controller of currency here. The bank closed following the finding of a $64,000 shortage in the accounts.

Airplane Kills Rescuer.

Long Beach—Mrs. Marion Williams, 25 years old, Astoria, Ore., was killed here when she rushed into the path of an airplane to save a little girl.

POULTRY

CULL LOAFER HEN EARLY IN SEASON

Nonlayers Kept Until Fall Bring Very Small Price.

A hen sold in June will bring in more than a hen sold in October, poultryman often say.

To test the truth of that statement, particularly as it affects culling the loafers, poultry extension specialists at the Ohio State university present this example on the basis of last year's prices:

"A Leghorn hen weighs four pounds She was worth 28 cents a pound or $1.12, on June 7 last year. On October 11 this same hen was worth 19 cents a pound, or a total of 70 cents. She was worth 36 cents less simply because of a lowering of price. It would be necessary to make a profit of 36 cents on that bird in the four months from June to October to pay for her depreciation in value."

Prices generally go that way every year, the university poultrymen point out, hence the necessity for culling the loafer hen early.

"Another reason," says Paul Zumbro, one of the specialists, "is that culling lowers your feed costs. That Leghorn hen would eat approximately 25 pounds of feed in the four months, which would cost from 60 to 70 cents.

"The hen stops laying the first of June. She is not sold because the flock owner is too busy, or it is thought she will lay later in the summer. Summer comes and the hen is still out of production. October comes and the hen is sold to make room for pullets. On this one hen the poultryman has lost 36 cents for depreciation in price, and 60 cents for feed."

Daily Feed for Young Ducks Varies Greatly

The amount of feed needed each day for young ducks varies as much as does their growth. Their growth averages a half pound a week, and to make this increase of weight each week requires an additional quantity of feed over the preceding one. The rule is, feed each meal what they will eat up clean with a relish, and do not allow them to linger over the feed trough.

It is better they should have not enough than too much, as they will be in a much better condition to relish the next meal. One thing is considered to be of as much importance as the feed, and that is removing the feed left over and thoroughly cleaning the troughs after each meal. This is scrupulously attended to by successful duck raisers.

Inexpensive Shed Is Suitable for Ducks

Any shed will do for a duck house provided it is draft proof. It does not have to be very warm. It would be a good idea to have a concrete bottom which should be covered with shavings. A few shavings should be spread in the corners so as to give the ducks a dry bed.

For ten ducks and a couple of drakes a house ten feet square would answer. If it were 12 by 20 it would be much better. You could build a shed roof and have one or two windows occupying about one-fourth of the south elevation. It would be well to have these windows slide up or down or sideways, keeping them open a little bit at all times even if it is cold, for ventilation.

Poultry Hints

More revenue from farm flocks is obtained from eggs than from broilers or roosters sold.

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Hatching eggs need careful handling. Eggs that become chilled and wet are not likely to hatch well.

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Owners should not attempt to raise chicks in makeshift quarters, as the results will not be satisfactory.

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Ventilation in the poultry house must be secured without drafts.

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After the usual crop of broilers goes on the market, the prices are materially reduced as compared to the ones that are developed from the early hatched chicks.

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Try the sanitary plan this year: Healthy chicks, disease free ground, brooder stove in disinfected brooder house, balanced feed in self feeders, brooder house and equipment kept clean throughout the season.

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If the farmer and his wife took as long a vacation as the average farm hen the bankruptcy law would soon be overworked.

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If the turkey hen is to be allowed to hatch her own eggs, the nest should be made where it can stay through the hatching season.

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Inbreeding is risky with turkeys, yet males should be bought from the same strain each year, provided it is a good strain. Each strain introduces new tendencies and qualities.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

Flour-Feed-Coal

This elevator carries a full line of well known makes of flour at all times. Buy your flour in large quantities direct from us and save money.

Our lines of feed are the best procurable, and we carry a large enough supply to take care of the needs of this community.

Place your order now for coal. We will have several varities this fall same as before. Have your coal put in the bin now before cold weather sets in. It costs no more, and you will have it when you want it.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .70
Durem Wheat	.59
Rye	.41
Barlay	.36
Oats	.27
Flax	1.71
Eggs, cash	.19
Creamery butter	.44

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 84, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

25 Years Ago

Chas. Fellman moved his family in from the claim so the children could at tend school here.

—XXV—

C. H. Martz and son, Joe, were at Grand Forks attending the state fair and seeing North Dokata sights.

—XXV—

Alfred and Harry Twing were up from Crookston for a visit at home of their aunt, Mrs. W. A. Arthur.

—XXV—

Continued rains that fell delayed harvesting as well as all other farm work.

—XXV—

The marriage Mr. Gust Konickson to Miss Johanna E. Johnson, with Rev. Alex Sand officiating occured Aug. 26th in River Falls.

—XXV—

Arthur Lang went to Langdon, N. D., to remain until harvest and threshing was finished.

—XXV—

Roy Collins, setter at the mill left for Virginia, Minn., to take a similar position in the mill there.

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Tasting

Early American Flag

The first commander in chief of the American navy, Commander Esek Hopkins, used for his standerd a yellow silk flag with a reproduction of a rattlesnake in the act of striking. Underneath it were the words: "Do not tread on me." One description of this flag says the rattlesnake was at the foot of a pine tree. It was used in 1776. The exect place it was first hoisted is not recorded.

English "Prairies"

A down is an expanse of high rolling ground destitute of trees. The term is occasionally used for a smooth, rounded hill. The chalk hills in England are known as the "Downs."

Imaginary Distance

If we represent the earth by a single grain of sand in New York city, the nearest star in proportional size and distance would be a six-inch globe in Juneau, Alaska.

Forced to Stick to Trade

Skilled craftsmen were so much in demand in Colonial America that their occasional attempts to become farmers were discouraged and even legislated against.

THE CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday Sept 7th.
Clearwater, 11:00 A. M. Amer.
Luther League at the Chas. Carlson home at 8:00 P. M.
St. Hilaire Luth.
Sunday school at 10:00
Morning service at 11:00
No services in the evening.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday, Sept. 7
Sunday school at 10:00
Morning service at 11:00
Evening service at Eastside school house at 8:00
Helmer Swanson of Hallock will be in charge in absence of Rev. Dahlberg.
Y. P. S. at the John Norman home Saturday evening. A program will be given and lunch served. All are welcome.
Business meeting of the Ladies' Aid will be held in the local church, Friday the 5th. Please come.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
A. F. Nelson, Pastor

The pastor's farewell sermon to the local congregation will be given in the local church Sunday morning at 10:30.

Heat and Cold in Britain

The maximum temperature of the air in Great Britain recorded in the shade at 4 feet above the ground is 100 degrees Fahrenheit. This was observed at Wilton house, Salisbury, July 15, 1881, and at Greenwich observatory on August 9, 1911. The lowest temperature of the air recorded in the shade at 4 feet above the ground —23 degrees Fahrenheit, at Blackadder, Berwickshire, December 4, 1879.

Tear for Ellis

Shed a tear
For Ellis Bree:
The car he hit
Was marked "P. D."

The First Message

Husband (seeing her off on the train)—Now, dear, as soon as you arrive you must telegraph.

Wife—Very well. How much shall I telegraph for?

Reward of Reticence

"But surely," cried Jean, "you didn't tell him straight out that you loved him?"

"Goodness, no," Mildred said calmly. "He had to squeeze it out of me."

Safety First

She (anxiously)—Why are you going so quickly?

He—The brakes won't work, so I want to get home before we have an accident.

Limit of Trouble

"Do you have trouble with your car?"

"Trouble? I couldn't have more if I was married to the thing!"

Restaurant English

Patron—Gimme ham and yeggs.

Walter—Pardon me, you mean eggs no doubt?

Patron—Yus, hard boiled.

BEES IN HER BONNET

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

HARRIET had worked hard for that check. Setting out plants, cultivating them, picking the strawberries under a hot sun, getting the full baskets to market had taxed her strength many a day. But $25 was a nice bit of money. And it had come to her all at one time.

"I'm going to have that oil stove now," Harriet said, looking across at Tom with happy sparkles in her blue eyes. "A brand-new oil stove with an oven. No more standing over a red-hot range at noon. You'll be fed off the fat of the land now, me lad."

"What's the matter with sausage and pancakes? I don't complain, do I?" Tom laughed as he helped himself from the steaming stack of cakes Harriet had just set before him. "But go ahead and get the stove. I only wish I could have got it for you myself." His laughter died away.

"You can't do everything," Herriet said. "Remember, you're paying for the place here. I ought to be able to help a little."

After Tom had gone back to his work, and Harriet had washed the dinner dishes, she changed her dress, got into the car and started for town. The pink check was in her purse and she meant to come back with the new stove. Perhaps if she could get Mr. Dodge, the hardware merchant, to throw off something on the price she might be able to buy a big round steak for Tom's supper.

Harriet had never seemed happier in her life, not even when Tom asked her to marry him, or later when they started out on their simple, incredibly joyous honeymoon. That was two years ago, two wonderful years of hard work, contentment and hope for the future. When they got the house paid for they were going to have a radio and a decent car. Meanwhile this lovely check would do a lot.

Half-way to town Harriet came to a rundown old gray house with a mossy apple orchard straggling round it. Here she saw something that made her slow down and finally stop.

Two queer-looking figures were cantering round the house in panic. From the red kimono emerged the blue overalled legs of Mr. Drum. His head was swathed in mosquito-netting. Mrs. Drum wore an ancient linen duster tied round her ample waist. Her head also was swathed. She bore a tin dishpan, upon which she pounded madly with a wooden potatomasher. The whole performance resembled some uncouth tribal ceremony engaged in by a pair of ardent aborigines.

At sight of Harriet in her car, bareheaded, clad in pink gingham, Mrs. Drum set up a shriek. "Stay where you are! Don't come a step nearer! The bees are swarming!"

Harriet shut off the engine. Instantly she heard the angry buzzing of countless insects. The air held a musty tang. Against the blue summer sky whirled a mass of golden-brown specks.

"They're going into the russet apple tree, Matie!" yelled Mr. Drum. But the swarm didn't pause there. They swirled on up the slope into the woods and vanished.

Mrs. Drum stood gazing wistfully after the fugitives.

"That's the last swarm this season, and we've lost it," she said. "Bees don't like us, I guess. We got just one skip left." She wearily unwound the netting from her head. Her face emerged, pale with beads of sweat on the upper lip, a sweet old face, Harriet always thought.

"We've lost money on our bees," Mr. Drum joined his wife. "Guess we better stick to chickens, Matie. We do know something about them. You don't know of anybody wants to buy a hive of bees, do you, Harriet?" he asked anxiously.

"I'll take them myself," replied Harriet.

There was no longer any reason for her going to town. She had given up the precious oil stove for the sake of possessing a hive of bees. Why had she done it? Well, because she knew what money meant to the old couple. They were hanging on to their home with all their might. Besides, they had always given her things whenever she stopped in passing to talk to them—cards of honey, big red apples and once a young fowl, all dressed, ready for the pot. Since they wouldn't take pay for these gifts, Harriet had felt that the time had come for her to make some return.

Mr. Drum delivered the skip one cool, dark night when the bees were all indoors. By the light of his lantern the hive was placed on a bench in the back yard. Harriet's hollyhocks were just in bloom and next morning when she went to look the bees were busy in the rich blossoms. They liked their new home without doubt.

Tom never said a word as he saw Harriet cooking over the old range. The oven had sprung a leak and ashes sifted down upon the cake she was baking. It was provoking, but maybe it served her right for being so soft-hearted, not to say soft-headed.

Next-door neighbor, Mrs. Carroll, came over to take a look at the hive.

"Whatever possessed you, Harriet?" she commented. "You've got bees in your bonnet, all right. After you've had a few bee stings you'll find that there's more to keeping bees than just gathering honey."

The bees roamed among Mrs. Carroll's flowers also. In fact, they went far afield. But they always came home at night. Tom got into the way of sitting out there where he could watch them after his day's work was done and on Sunday afternoons. Harriet was glad of this when he met with an accident while at work which laid him up for some days.

Tom was dozing in the old deck chair under the apple tree one afternoon close to six o'clock. Harriet had run out to get a handful of lettuce for supper when she saw him lying back, eyes closed, in a state of peaceful quiet. Dear Tom! He looked so boyish, so slight, so good with the sunlight on his face, just a bit worn from the experience of the past few days, for, as he said, a sprained knee was no joke. His crutch rested against the chair. The sight of it brought tears to Harriet's blue eyes. For Tom was always the most agile and active of men.

As Harriet stood looking at Tom she heard a crash, a deep menacing bellow. Turning, startled, she gazed into the face of a great red bull with the rag of bag which had blindfolded him streaming from his cruel pointed horns. He was plowing up the pansy bed, looking for something to vent his rage upon. He saw not Harriet, slim and small in her dark frock, but Tom who was wearing his brilliant old college blazer, Tom who made a bright spot in the quiet garden. He rushed toward Tom.

Harriet was closer to the beehive than to Tom. The bull had to pass her. As he came thundering out, Harriet acted swiftly. With a mighty push she sent the beehive crashing into the path of the monster. The bees, most of which had come home for the evening laden with sweets and pollen, astonished, angry at being so rudely disturbed, flew out and attacked the sweaty beast which had paused to give them one toss with his horns.

As Harriet got to Tom's side and began to help him toward a gap in the back fence, a man and dog ran up. With a sharp pike the bull was driven away. Other men came and aided in his capture.

In her excitement Harriet picked up the overturned hive and returned it to its bench. There were broken comb, spilled honey, but the bees at once fell upon the damage and began to repair it. Indeed they were so intent upon the re-establishment of their home that they paid little heed to Harriet. She received only one sting for her temerity. The badge of valor, Tom called the lump that arose on her forehead.

Mrs. Carroll came over.

"You've got a knack with bees, Harriet!" she said.

Harriet dusted saleratus on her "badge."

"Mrs. Drum says it takes a certain kind of person to handle them," she said. "I'm going in for bee culture. There's money in it if it's managed right."

Monopoly Enjoyed by Teachers of Spanish

He is a junior in Central high school, and is taking a course in Spanish. While doing his night work he ran into a knotty question in Spanish construction. His books did not help and, of course, his parents were a total loss.

"Why not call up the Mexican consulate?" suggested dad.

"They don't know anything about Spanish," the junior replied.

"Well," dad said, "I'm sorry you can't ask King Alfonso of Spain about it."

"He couldn't help a bit," son said. "That's the first thing I learned taking Spanish. The Spaniards and Mexicans don't know anything about the language. Of course, they have a way of understanding each other, but when you talk real Spanish to them they don't know what it's all about."

"Then who does know all about it?" asked a puzzled father.

"Why, our teachers, of course."—Kansas City Times.

Sneeze Superstitions

During days when drafts run the gantlet of the thermometer, sneezes vary in pitch, loudness and frequency. Few are exempt, and the inevitable "God bless you" is piously ejaculated. If you are in Italy and you chance to sneeze, you are greeted with "Felicita," in Germany with "Gesundheit," in Spain with "Jesus." If by chance you are in France good folk will ward off the curse by saying "Dieu vous benisse."

Even the primitive of today live in fear of a sneeze lest they thus part with their soul. "Soul, come back here!" cries the fond Dayak mother if her baby should chance to sneeze.—New York Times.

Whale Really Mammal

The whale is an animal that has adopted a fish-like form, but an examination of its interior structure shows it to be a true mammal, just as a cow or horse. The paddles or fore limbs have no power of motion except at the shoulder joint, but beneath the skin they are found to have all the bones, joints and even most of the muscles, nerves and arteries of the human hand and arm. Deep in its body are the rudiments of hind legs which of course serve no useful purpose now.

Age of the Rockies

The Rocky mountains are fairly new. Scientists know this because they are so steep. Old mountains are more worn down and have lower forms. The growth of mountains is slow. They are pushed up suddenly in some grand cataclysm, but rise a few inches in a thousand years.

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School Proceedings

Meeting of directors of Ind. School Dist. 102 held August 26th, 1930

Members present: Hanson-Larson Brink-Jackson and Roy.

On motion made and carried Eleanor Hanson was elected Chairman for the coming year.

On motion made and carried Paul Roy was elected Secretary for the coming year at a salary of $35.00 per year.

On motion made and carried Richard Larson was elected Treasurer for the coming year at a salary of $15.00 per year.

On motion made and carried the Treasurer's bond be placed at $5,000.00 and a surety bond be ordered for that amount.

On motion made and carried Eleanor Hanson was elected as school custodian for the year at a salary of $10.00 per year.

On motion made and carried the regular meetings of the school board he held the fourth Tuesday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

On motion made and carried the St. Hilaire Spectator be designated the official paper of the School Dist. and said Spectator be allowed $25.00 for the publication of all proceedings together with the annual report of the treasurer.

On motion made and carried children who will not have attained their sixth birthday on or before January first will not be permitted to begin school the current year. No new classes shall be organized in the Primary department after the opening of school.

H. F. Hanson wae appoined a member of the board to fill the vacancy caused by resignation of E. O. Burkee.

No further business motion for adjourment carried.

Mrs. Eleanor Hanson, President — Paul Roy, Clerk

Spain Glories in Past

Americanization has reached many parts of Europe, but in Spain its influence is less apparent. Pride of birth, pride in history, pride in great works of art and literature and pride in cities whose beauty is unequaled, have kept the Spaniards aloof from imitation of other nations. It is true that there is a subway in Madrid, and a broadcasting station at Seville, but the poetic charm of old Spain is still in evidence everywhere.—Exchange.

Council Proceedings

The postponed regular meeting of Directors Ind. School District 102 held Auguest 26, 1930.

Members present: Hanson Jackson-Brink-Larson and Roy.

Absent Burkee.

Paul Roy elected clerk pro-tem.

On motion made and carried that a contract be entered into with the C. Roe Grain Company for three cars of coal at a price not to exceed $8.71 delivered in the bin at the school building.

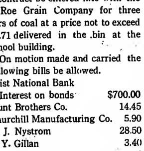
On motion made and carried the following bills be allowed.

Frist National Bank Interest on bonds	$700.00
Hunt Brothers Co.	14.45
Churchill Manufacturing Co.	5.90
A. J. Nystrom	28.50
S. Y. Gillan	3.40
The Educational Test Bureau	11.56
A. P. Palmer	13.21
Lyons and Carnahan	5.68
Colborn School Supply	1.78
Northwestern School Supply	36.50
Red River Power Co.	10.00

No further business motion for adjournment carried.

Mrs. Eleanor Hanson, President — Paul Roy, Clerk pro tem

EXPLAINED AT LAST



"How do you suppose that Chicago came to be such a great railroad center?"

"Why, to furnish a quick getaway for the bandits, of course."

Perhaps She Is Correct

Women are funny creatures. If you say something sarcastic to your wife she will think you mean it, but if you say something nice she will think you are kidding her.—Neosho Miner.

Worth Considering

"The man who never contradicts you," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "may seem to flatter when in reality he is too indolent even for conversation."—Washington Star.

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CANNING TIME

The finest of canning fruits are coming on the market now. Place your order for whatever you may need.

We have a good supply of fruit sealers in all sizes, rubbers, covers, etc. to fit all kinds, parafine, Certo jell compound, jelly glasses, and, anything else you may need for canning.

The fruit crop is short this year and prices will be higher later, so can all you can for future use.

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AUCTION SALE

The following listed personal property will be sold at auction at the Swedish Lutheran parsonage on Water street in St. Hilaire on

Friday, Sept. 5, 1930

Sale Starts at 1:00 P. M.

Household Goods	Miscellaneous
Dining room table	Copper boiler
6 Dining room chairs	Wringer
Buffet	2 Tubs
Leather couch	Ford touring car
Sewing machine	Cutter
Moline cabinet organ	2 Wash stands
Library table	2 Small tables
Wicker rocker	3 Kitchen tables
Wicker arm chair	Congoleum rug
3 Rocking chairs	Dishes and fruit jars
2 Upholstered settees	Hard coal heater
6 Oak chairs	3 Heaters
2 Bureaus	Kitchen range
4 Iron beds and springs	4 Mattresses

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The Lion and The Lamb

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS

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THE world outside was gloriously bright, but Nadine was in one of her darkest moods.

"Why can't I do something worth while?" she asked. "I can't avan fall in love and hring up a nice family," she told herself; "that would at least be something."

Tha telephone bell dragged her from her moorings of despair and a second leter her voice held the notes of laughter.

"If there's anything on earth I do want—it's to hear Centor. I tried to get seats and there wasn't aven standing room for two-and-a-half shoes. You newspaper men get all the perquisites. A box? Oh, Tommy, you are a perfect dear. Yes, I will be there sharp at two."

Nadine was a changed being. She radiated joy. Her ona great passion was music and now she was to hear tha greatest living violinist. It was his one concert of the year in the city. Nadine almost felt that she could return Tommy's devotion so overjoyed waa she at the pleasure he was giving her.

Nadine felt thet she could hardly hreethe as she took her seat beside Tommy in the vast hall.

Nadine and Tommy were in the stage hox and wera chetting, or rather Tommy was chatting until a sudden awift silence fell end the curtains perted.

There eeemed a moment when not a soul drew hreath. That was the moment when the elight, pele-faced master of the violin stood before the worshipers. Then, e thundering applause hroke befora he wae permitted to draw his bow.

Is there anything more exquisitely satisfying to the emotions than the soft murmurings, twitterings and wailing eadness of the violin when played hy a mester hand? Tha soul drifts awey on a realm of dreams where the fleah moy oot follow.

Nodine was not conscious of anything eeve Cantor end his violin. The eudience was just one mass of faces all merged into an intensity of enjoyment, nnited in a bondage of music hy the frail ethereal man on the platform.

Nadine's eyes had not left the master's face since the moment of his appearance.

Then, the stupendous thing that had held her in its grip seemed suddenly to spring forth.

Nadine, for the remainder of her daye never ceeeed to give thanks for the hidden force that dragged her eyes away from the mester for one fleeting eecond. Bnt in that second she saw, in the hox opposite a stealthy hand, holding something that shone.

There was not aven tha fraction of a second's hesitation in Nadine's mind. She flnng herself like a flash of lightning over tha railing and stumhled egainsl the master.

A sharp report rang out and Nadine fell limply et the feet of him whom her ection hed saved.

The curteins flung swiftly together. Oet in the vast heil, panic would have ensued, hut tha man who had fired the shot was instantly caught and bound.

It was evident thet a dastardly attempt had heen made on the greatest of living violinists end that only the quick action of some ona had saved him.

The audience waited, in suspense. It seemed es if an age passed before the curtain drew hack and Cantor himself stood before them. His white hand held firmly to the heavy curtain. His voice, when it came was firm, but with an effort.

"A young lady," he said, with deep emotion, "has seved my life. She insists npon my telling you that she is not bodly hurt. The bullet glanced her shouldar. A doctor is already in attendonce. I regret thet anyone has suffered on my account—I cannot—say—more."

As Nadine lay in the hospital there was a beatific amile constantly in her eyes and on her lips, es if she were in constent communion with an unseen lover.

When Centor arrived in the afternoon, his arms were full of red roses. Ha dropped down beside Nadine and pressed his lips to the white hand on the coverlet.

"Why, oh, why did you do it?" he questioned hrokenly, his eyes resting, as if upon en angel, on her face.

Nodine looked wonderingly back at him.

"It was the most glorious moment of my life," she told him. "Don't you realize that I am only an atom and that yon are the greatest violinist the world has ever known? You give happiness to music starved souls throughout the length and breadth of the world. They would ell mourn if you were to pass out, while I—"

The master's soft, sensitive fingers covered Nadine's lips.

In that slight action there was more of the heart's lenguage than in a thousand words.

A slow, beautiful flush crept into Nadine's cheeks.

There are moments when the soul is too full of heppiness for words. Snch a moment had come to Nadine and Cantor.

Tsch! Tsch!

He—There were numberless cars on [illegible]

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Northfield—Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Phillips of this city celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

Willmar—Bids will be received by tha city council September 8 for construction of a sewage disposal plant.

Little Falls—Judge Don M. Cameron of Little Falls presided at a special term of Morrison county District Court here.

Litchfield—Meeker county's annual livestock show, in which members of 4-H clubs will exhibit their wares, will take place here.

Moorhead—A bus line will be operated between this city and Winnipeg, by permission of the railroad and warehouse commission.

Owatonna—Henry J. Van Metre has been appointed county agent of Steele county, succeeding Russell Y. Seth, agent for the last six years.

Spring Valley—Loss estimated at $9,000 was caused by fire at the Hayland Flour Feed Company mill. Friction was believed the cause.

Little Falls—Mrs. Evelyn DeMoe, 88 years old, of Crosby, was killed and six others injured in a head-on automobile collision near here.

Fergus Falls — Delegates from Brainerd, Deer Creek, Pequot, Tenny, Norcross and Western are expected to attend a youth conference here.

New Ulm—The second annual flower show was successfully conducted here. Organization of a local flower garden club will be considered.

Red Wing—Burnside Consolidated school six miles west of Red Wing, was destroyed by fire of undetermined origin entailing a loss estimated at $40,000.

Blue Earth—Miss Alice Christianson, Faribault county Red Cross nurse for several years, has accepted a position at New Haven, Conn., as city Red Cross nurse.

Blue Earth—A. E. Engebretson, Faribault county agricultural agent, has accepted a position as swine expert at the state agricultural college and will leave early in September.

Austin—Ola Halvorson, 56 years old, of this city, was killed and his son, 14, was probably fatally injured when their automobile went into a ditch four miles north of Decorah, Iowa.

Stillwater—"Indian" John Jeremy of this city was called to Warsaw, Ind., where a prominent Kiwanian and business man had drowned, and after ten days futile search by authorities, located the body in a few hours

Austin—Mower county authorities sought a firebug who used kerosene to start a blaze that destroyed the stock and fixtures in the Ien Hickman restaurant at Dexter with loss of $1,000. The state fire marshall's office is investigating.

St. Paul—Dr. Samuel Fletcher Kerfoot, president emeritus of Hamline university and of Dakota Wesleyan university, died at his home here as the result of steadily failing health, which occasioned his resignation as president of Hamline in March, 1927. He was 65 years old.

Northfield—Military honors were accorded Frank L. Clark, local attorney who died unexpectedly here. Business was suspended during tha funeral. American Legion members acted as an escort. Members of the Rotary Club, the Legion and the Rice County Bar Association attended in groups.

Minneapolis—Speeding and careless drivers brought into traffic court here will be compelled to sell their automobiles or serve workhouse sentences if they do not carry accident insurance to protect the public, according to a ruling by Municipal Judge Manley Fosseen.

Blue Earth—Van M. Storm of Dallas county, Iowa, is the new Faribault county agricultural agent. He succeeds A. E. Engebretson, who has taken a year's leave of absence to join the university farm staff, succeeding H. G. Zaroval of this city, enroute to Russia in official capacity.

Owatonna—Phillis, 3 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Rasmussen, residing south of here, suffered two broken legs and severe bruises when struck by a car driven by Stanley Martling of Newark, N. J. The little girl is said to have run in front of Martlang's car from behind another machine.

Owatonna—William Staska, Steele Center Creamery buttermaker, won first place with his butter exhibit at the Steele county fair here. He scored 95. Second and third places were won by C. A. Hogaas of Lemond and Alfred Camp of Owatonna, one-quarter and one half points behind the winner.

Mankato—Dr. J. T. Schlesselman of Mankato was elected president of the Southern Minnesota Medical Association at the annual convention here. He succeeds Dr. Waltman Walters of Rochester. Other officers chosen were: Dr. I. W. Steiner of Winona, first vicepresident; Dr. P. F. Holm of Wells, second vicepresident, and Dr. M. C. Piper of Rochester, secretary-treasurer.

Thief River Falls—Contracts have been let for erection of a three-story hospital costing $100,000 [illegible] built by the St. Luke's Hospital Association, an organization of local citizens.

Crookston—Permission by the railroad and warehouse commission has been granted E. Carlson of this city to operate a bus line between here and Noyes.

Fairfax—Bronze plaques of Col. T. J. Sheehan and Chas. H. Hopkins were unveiled here at the annual meeting of the Fort Ridgely State [illegible]

Farm Machinery And Repair Parts

During the busy fall season when time is worth money on the farm, you want as little delay as possible in procuring new machines or repair parts in case of breakage.

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Estray:- Bay colt, four months old, with white star on forehead strayed from my place Aug 21st Anyone knowing whereabouts, or having in possesion, kindly notify.

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Not Even Your Best Friend

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Rev. and Mrs. Nelson Leave

After shipping their household goods, and bidding farewell to a large circle of friends in this community, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson departed this week, the former to Cambridge, Minn., to prepare their new home, and the latter for a visit with relatives in North Dakota before joining him at Cambridge.

With deliverance of his farewell sermon here last Sunday, Rev. Nelson retires from the ministry to enjoy his declining years in well earned rest—his first real vacation—after having served for nearly a half century in his chosen work, the past fourteen years of which he has been pastor of the St. Hilaire, Black River and Clara Swedish Lutheran churches.

During their fourteen years of residence here, Rev. and Mrs. Nelson have labored faithfully and their influence for good will be felt for many years to come. Held in high esteem by everyone in St. Hilaire community, they leave here with the best wishes of all. It is the sincere wish of all friends that they may both be spared for many years to come, and that God's richest blessing be their's as they journey toward the sunset of life, as a reward for service well done.

A nice shower of rain fell here yesterday morning. While not enough to he of any benefit for plowing, it helped to freshen up lawns and pastures.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Satterberg, Sig. Engh and family, and Mrs. G. Fellman motored yesterday to McIntosh and spent the day with friends.

Miss Dorothy Anderson, of Bowbells, N. D., came last week to spend the winter at home of her aunt, Mrs. K. O. Gigstad.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Erdmann and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hanson and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hauge were dinner guests last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson.

Mrs. E. N. Reiersgord left Saturday to spend a couple weeks with her parents at Leonard, N. D.

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New Bus Line To Start

Adding to the service already maintained by the five bus lines the Triangle Transportation Co. will establish passenger bus service along the north line of the Great Northern Railway beginning Monday, September, 15, according to Ed. Carlson, president of the company. The new bus will run from Crookston to Noyes connecting there with a bus to Winnipeg.

The new bus line will be run in connection with the five others operated by the Triangle company giving service to Grand Forks, Fargo, Hendrum, Bemidji, and Thief River Falls.—Polk Co. Leader.

First P. T. A. Meeting

First meeting of the P. T. A. for the present school year was held at the school building last Friday evening.

Mr. Harry Winter was elected president to fill vacancy in that office, and took charge of the meeting. First number on the program was a solo by Mrs. M. W. Brink of Thief River Falls, after which the following were given:-

Reading, Myrtle Gullickson, Middle River
Reading, A Perfect Wife, M. H. Jackson
Solo Wm. Peterson
Reading, A Perfect Husband, Mrs. Skatrud
Duet Misses Launa and Hovle
Reading, Your Child, Effie Fredrickson
Introduction of new teachers
America Audience
Lunch served by committee.

Funeral services for James Thomas, young son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Mogen, who died Tuesday last week, were held Friday from the Norwegian Lutheran church, Rev. M. L. Dahle, officiating. Interment was made in the Lutheran cemetery north of town.

Water in the Red Lake river is the lowest it has been in years. It is now possible to wade across the river in many places where, in former years, the water was considered deep.

Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained at the church basement by Mrs. Lars A. Loberg and Mrs. Knute Kolstad on Friday, September 19. 11-18

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The School Bell

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

O. K. Sevre purchased a Ford Saturday from Young and Olson.

Mrs. O. Gunstad returned home Monday after spending a week at the home of her mother at Minneapolis.

County Auditor Harry L. Fowler was down Saturday afternoon from Thief River attending to business matters and calling on friends.

Ole C. Johnson leaves Monday evening to join other members of the Carlson Mercantile Company on a duck hunting trip to Four Mile Bay on Lake of the Woods.

Register of Deeds Fred Lorentson and Attorney Paul Lundgren motored down Friday afternoon from Thief River on a combined business and pleasure trip.

Walter A. Holmstrom of Cambridge, Minn., motored here Friday with a large truck to take back a load of household effects for Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson who are to make their home with him.

Plowing is now well under way and if favorable weather continues, all land that is to be cropped next season will be turned this fall. Early plowing has always been considered best, and it increases chances for a good crop next season.

Arthur Hunter of Coleraine, Minn has been here the past week looking after his farm property in Black River township west of here. Mr. Hunter, whose home is in Ohio has been employed on the Range this season.

Hauling of flax straw from east and west of here to the tow mill at Red Lake Falls has commenced. There is a large amount of straw to be hauled this year, but prices for straw are lower than in some previous seasons.

A party of painters from Fargo, were here last week and painted the named of the village in large letters on the roof of the Standard Oil Company's bulk station warehouse. The letters are large enough so they may easily be read by passing planes.

Ole Ostby, the veteran travelling salesman for the Thief River Grocery Company, has had his route shortened and will not make this place regularly in the future. Ole has has been a familar figure here for many years, and his weekly visits will be missed.

Threshing is completed in this community with exception of a few flax threshing jobs left over from the regular runs.

Co. Commissioners J. S. Roy and Emil Larson were at Thief River last Friday to attend a meeting or the county board.

Ole Nash returned home Saturday after having been employed on bridge construction work near Stephens.

Mrs. Hans Nyland and daughters were down Friday from Thief River Falls to attend the funeral services for James Mogen.

Wesley Biskey and Miss Lila Sherwood of Wahkon, Minn., left Friday for home after spending a few days here at home of his uncle Geo. Biskey.

Sheriff O. L. Ihle made a speedy trip thru here last Thursday evening to vicinity of Red Lake Falls where he captured two Negroes wanted at Stephen on charge of working a short change racket.

Mrs. G. I. Fellman, Mr. and Mrs. Sig. Engh and daughter motored here last week-end from Minneapolis for a visit at the Adolph and Frank Satterberg homes, and with other relatives and friends in this community.

Miss Anna Vik returned home Monday morning after spending several months with her sister at Minneapolis. Just prior to coming home, Miss Vik attended a gathering at the Algot Edstrom home at Randolph at which several former St. Hilaire residents were present.

Rapid strides are heing made in construction of the new terminal grain elevator building at Thief River Falls. The concrete pouring forms which automatically raise as the work progresses, are going up several feet a day. It is expected the building will be ready for storage latter part of this month.

After drilling to a depth of 340 feet at the Rupert Swanson place north of the village without striking a sufficient supply of water the drillers were compelled to pull the casing back to 87 feet where a small vein was reached before. This is the first instance in this immediate locality where a well has been drilled to such depth as 340 feet without striking water.

Rob Thief River Oil Station

Two thugs travelling in a Ford touring car, stopped at the Standard Oil Conpany service station opposite the Auditorium at Thief River Falls early Monday morning, slugged the attendant, and made away with contents of the office safe, said to be over $200.00.

The men drove up to the station about 6:30, before there was any traffic, and made a purchase of oil, tendering a large bill in payment.

As the attendant opened the safe to procure change, one of the men slugged him with a heavy wrench. As the attendant did not regain conciousness for some time, the thugs made good their escape.

Seeland Case Decided

A decision was handed down by Judge Wm. Watts last week in the Henry Seeland pauper case which was heard in district court in this county during the past summer term to establish the residency of said pauper who had resided at different times in Sanders township, St. Hilaire, Rocksbury, and in Smiley townships. Smiley and Sanders were relieved of responsibility in the matter at an earlier hearing. By decision of Judge Watts, residency of Seeland was held to be in Rocksbury township, where he spent most of his life. The case came up after Seeland had made application for maintenance as he was in such physical condition that he was unable to make his own living.

Enjoy hunting more by paying less for shells at Gambles. 12 Ga. 81c per box, case lots. Guns, hunting coats, boots and caps at big savings. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Chas. Regnel motored over last week-end from Flaxton, N. D., for a visit with his brother-in-law and sister, Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson. Upon returning home Sunday, he was accompanied by his sisters, Mrs. Botten, who had spent a couple weeks here at the Nelson home, and by Mrs. Nelson, who will visit a short time at Flaxton before joining Rev. Nelson in their new home at Cambridge.

Klemens and Alice Gigstad left last week, the former to spend the winter at Farmington, and the latter to St. Paul to stay with her sister, Mrs. Chr. Stapf, while seeking some suitable employment.

Shower For Bride-to-be

About fifty friends of Miss Alice Maakrud, whose marriage to Mr. William Palmquist will take place in the near future, tendered her a surprise party and shower at her home yesterday afternoon. The afternoon was spent in diversions suitable for such an occasion and a most enjoyable time was had by all present. The guests brot along a bountiful supply of lunch which they served later during the afternoon. Besides other remembrances of the happy occasion, Miss Maakrud was presented with a fineset of silverware by her friends.

Return To Michigan

After spending a few days here with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Carlson of Iron River, Mich., and Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bogseth of Chisholm, Minn., left Saturday for their reprective homes.

Mr. Carlson, who has followed iron mining in Michigan for twenty years, states employment conditions at the mines are the worst now they have been during all the years he has been there. At present the shifts are working only four days a week. He believes, however, that conditions will improve this fall.

Mrs. James Cooper, Mrs. Anna Gallagher and Mrs. Fourten drove up Monday and visited at the home of their brother and uncle, George Biskey. They left Wednesday for Swatara and Wahkon where they are spending balance of the week with her relatives before returning to their homes at Minneapolis.

A successful auction sale of household goods was held Friday afternoon at the Rev. A. F. Nelson residence. Altho held during a very busy season, the sale was well attended.

Rev. and Mrs. A. F. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Larson and son, M. H. Jackson and family, and Chas. Regnal and Mrs. Botten of Flaxton, N. D., were dinner guests Sunday at the home of H. O. Jackson.

Bids Wanted

Sealed bids will be received by the undersigned, up to 8:00 p. m. Saturday, Sept 13, 1930, for the purchase of the coal sheds belonging to Arthur Hendrickson, said sheds being located on the G. N. right-of-way in St. Hilaire. Right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

M. H. Jackson
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Who Needs A Savings Account?

Everyone that has any ambition, or hope for the future.

Systematic saving every week will make an account grow into substantial proportions in a short time. Then when a good propsition comes along that requires cash, you will have it.

Most people who are a failure in this world have a "wishbone" where their backbone ought to be. It takes "grit" to start anything, and a savings account is no exception. Start your's now.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Twenty Eight Years Ago

When this creamery first started, many predicted it would be short lived.

Those who pinned their faith to the dairy business and creamery during those days have lived to see the creamery grow and prosper. It took determination and faith, but it WAS done.

By patronizing YOUR creamery, and boosting for it, it will show greater growth in the next ten years than in the past twenty-eight.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

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A Crookston friend sends us the modernized version of the Emerson-Hubhard dictum ahout the beaten track to the house in the woods where the hest mouse trap is made, discussed in the Tribune last week. Martin Widsten writes: "Wben you see the world making a heaten track to a house some man has made in the woods, these days, it isn't mousetraps he makes better than someone else." Check and double check!-Fergus Falls Trihune.

RANCHMAN TO HANG FOR BRUTAL MURDER

Shot Husband and Then Attacked Widow.

Deadwood, S. D.—Georga Brownfield, who in a moment of mad passion, is accnsed of shooting and killing Theodore Thomas, ex-service man, so he conld possess Thomas' wife, bea been sentenced tn be hanged at tha Wyoming penitentiery at Rewlins on Febrnary 10 next. His crime wea committed in the region near wbere Sonth Dakota and Wyoming join, and it was a Sonth Dekote officer, Sheriff Long, of Belle Fourche, and other Dakotons who were first on the scene of tha murder and essisted in the captnre of tha sleyer.

The mnrder was committed early in the morning of Jnly 30. Thomas was a sbeep berder and lived in a large sheep wogon with his young wife, the sbeep range heing at a pleca remote from the neorest town. The testimony offered at the trial at Brownfield ehowed the crime to be one of the most brntal and nncalled for in the history of the frontier.

Invited to Spend Night.

Brownfield arrived at the sheep wegon home of Mr. end Mrs. Tbomas in the evening of July 29, and as it wes getting late tbe couple, witb the customary Weetern bospitality, invited him to remnin all night, so he conld return to his own rnncb, mony miles awoy, the following dey. During the early hours of the morning of Jnly 30 ha lured Thomes from tha sbeep wagon on the pretext that be had heard coyotes among Thomas' sbeep.

When at n point soma distance from the eheep wagon, Brownfield is alleged to have shot and killed Thomns, and then returned to the sheep wagon and attacked the dead man'e widow. Sha finnlly encceeded in meking ber escapa from him and took refuge among the sheep flock nntil he had left tha place.

Then she emerged from her hiding place and sought her busbond, whosa body she found at the spot where he had fallen. Mrs. Thomas knew Brownfield, who was well known throngbont the district, and ehe told the officers who bad committed the crime. They were speedily on his trail, and witbin a few hours bad arrived at his ranch, finding him calmly doing some chores ahout the plnce. He disclnimed all knowledge of the crime and stated he had not been away from his ranch for several doys.

Defandant is Calm.

Bnt a wet saddle blonket assisted in the officers fastening tha crima upon him, notwithstanding bis protestations of innocence. The keen-eyed officers, in looking abont tha Brownfield ranch, noticed his saddla pony and examining it, fonnd it gava evidence of having been ridden bard not many hours befora the arrival of tha officers. They discovered that tha saddla blanket was still wet. Mnch was mada of this evidenca dnring Brownfield's trial, and it bad important heoring on the jnry returning a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree, which mada it mandatory for the conrt to sentenca Brownfield to be hanged.

When confronted with Mrs. Thomas, Brownfield continned to remain calm and coolly stated be did not know ber and had never seen her before. He maintained this aama attitude when ba testified in bis own behalf dnring his trial. He stontly insisted ha knew nothing whatever abont tha crima and had nothing to do with it.

When sentenced to ba hanged, Brownfield took tha sentence in tha sama nnruffled manner ha has maintained since being arrested for the crime.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage made and executed and delivered hy August Lundberg, a single person, mortgagor to Merchants State Bank of St. Hilaire, a corporation under the Laws of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated the 9th day of December, 1924, and filed for record in the office of Register of Deeds of Penningtoo County, Minnesota, on the 15th day of December, 1924, at 8 o'clock A. M. and was duly recorded in Book 69 of Mortgages page 173.

There is now due and claimed to be due on said mortgage and the indebtedness secured therehy, principal and interest et the date of this notice, the sum of Two Thousand Thirty-three and 20-100 Dollars ($2033.20).

NOW, THEREFORE. NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN, That said Mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described and therehy mortgaged which premises are situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and described as follows, to wit; The South Half (S1-2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1-4) and the Southwest Quarter (SW1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW1-4) of Section Twenty-four (24) and the Northeast Quarter (NE1-4) of the Southeast Quarter (SE1-4) of Section Twenty-three (23) all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range Forty-three (43) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing one huadred acres, more or less according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at public sale to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Court House in the City of Tbief River Falls, Minnesota, in said County and State, on the 4th dey of October, 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to pay the amount which shall be due on said mortgage end the expenses of foreclosure and the sum of Seventy-five Dollars ($75.00) attorneys fees, subject to redemption at any time within ooe yeer from the date of sale, as provided hy law.

Dated August 20 1930.
MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF ST. HILAIRE
Mortgagee.

Paul A. Lundgren
Attorney for Mortgagee.
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WORLD OF LEISURE SEEN BY YEAR 2030

Lord Birkenhead Visions Amazing Progress.

London.—In a new and entertaining book entitled "The World in 2030," Lord Birkenheed, one of Englend's most original thinkers, plunges deep into the future with prophecies of a world so highly developed as to make tha current stete of affeirs almost unbelievnbly backward and semi-civilized.

Lord Birkenhead forecasts the coming of a time when this will be a world with plenty of money for all, a world of bonndless leisure, synthetic food at ridiculonsly low prices, week-end skiing excnrsions from Europe to Labrador and Greenland, of the manufactura of artificial hnman beings, perhaps on tha style of the Frankenetein monster, to relieve the burden of genuine humanity.

Synthetic Food Certain.

"The perfection of tha synthetic diet," Lord Birkenhead writes, "cannot be delayed far into tbe Twenty-first centnry; and when the first synthetic food factory begins to undercut the prices of naturally-grown food the doom of agricultnre will be sealed. Synthetic foods will be mnch cheaper, more polatable, mora varions, perbaps more hygienic, than their natural predecessors.

"Therefore they will driva tbe prodncts of agriculture off tha market and ruin the farmers of tha world. By the year 2030 synthetic bread, sugar and vegetable substitutes may be cheaper than water is today."

Lord Birkenhead says tba world's development since 1830 bas been so tremendons that if the progress continnes at the sama pace the exploitation of new sources of vast power is certain before the expiration of another century.

Points to Travel Possibilities.

Ha points ont that intramolecular energy may transform travel and transport and thus spell tha end of tha coal age as well as making possible air jonrneys at 400 miles an hour. Ha writes:

"Tba Himalayas are provided by nature with an abundance of waterfalls; capable, when harnessed, of generating vast supplies of electricity. It is probable that before 2030 an intensive industrial lifa will grow np among tha foothills of this mighty range, drawing its life blood in tha gorges and ravines of the mountains. . . .

"By 2030 dirt will have disappeared from the ordinary man's experience. Chimneys, blighting vegetation and poisoning tbe atmosphera with their acrid fumes, will ha banished from indnstry. Tha machina shop and tha fonndry of 2030 will be as clean as any bakeshop or dispensary of 1930."

The anthor believes that in tha next century tha populations will liva in vast blocks of flats, with communal refectories.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated March 11th, 1924, executed by Jnhn Fromm and Clara Fromm, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on March 13th, 1924, at eleven o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 169 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $91.33, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $93.75, due on September 11th, 1928, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $93.75 each, due on March 11th, 1929, September 11th, 1929, and March 11th, 1930, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date herenf, the sum of $2,791.61, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from March 11th, 1930, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $372.58, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $91.33 thereof since November 8th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since March 11th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since September 11th, 1929, and on $93.75 thereof since March 11th, 1930, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $300.05 for taxes, including interest, penalties and costs, and interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, and the sum of $36.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1930, in all the sum of $3,595.95, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that nn action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgege will he foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28) and the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 200 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenences, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 17th day of October, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and eatisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within nne year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 3rd, 1930.
STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. S4-O9

Sale of School and Other State Lands

State of Minnesota
State Auditor's Office,
St. Paul, Minn., Aug. 14, 1930.

Notice is hereby given that on September 16, 1930, at 2 o'clock P. M., in the office of the county auditor, at Thief River Falls, Pennington county, in the State of Minnesota, I will offer for sale, certain unsold state laods and also those state lends which have reverted to the state by reasoo of the non-payment of interest.

Terms of Sale:

Fifteen per cent of the purchase price is payable to the County Treasurer at the time of sale. The unpaid balance is payable at any time in whole or in part within forty years from the date of sale, interest rate of four per cent per annum, due on June 1st, of each year; provided, that the interest can he paid at any time within the interest yeer without penalty. In effect, this means that the interest money may be paid any time between June first and May thirty-first without penalty.

The appraised value of timber when so stated, must be paid in full at the time of sale.

All mineral rights are reserved to the State by the laws of the State.

Lands on which the interest has become delinquent may be redeemed at any time up to the hour of sale or before resale, to the actual purchaser. Such lands are listed under the caption:

"Delinquent Lands."

No person can purchase more than 320 acres of land, provided, however, that State lands purchased previous to 1905 are not charged against such purchaser.

Agents acting for purchasers must furnish affidavit of authority.

Appraisers' report showing quality and kind of soil are on file in this office.

Lists giving legal descriptions of lands to be offered may he obtained of the State Auditor at St. Paul, and of the County Auditor at the county seat.

RAY P. CHASE, State Auditor

American Ideas

Tha butterfly table, tha comb-backed Windsor chair and tha rocking chair originated in America.

"Old Glory"

William Driver gave the nama "Old Glory" to the United States flag. He is buried in Nashville.

Political Adv.—Inserted by order of Paul A. Lundgren, Thief River Falls, Minn.

PAUL A. LUNDGREN
Candidate For
COUNTY ATTORNEY
PENNINGTON COUNTY

Your vote and support will be appreciated.

Around The Valley
(From Our Exchanges)

Roseau Wins Third

Roseau county is getting some good advertising at the Minnesota State Fair through the hooth of exhibits prepared for the big show.

Roseau county's exhibit placed third in the northern section. St. Louis county was given first and Aitkin county second. Meeker county won the agricultural sweepstakes prize in the county booth competition for the state and St. Louis county won second place. By winning the sweepstakes the third year in succesion, Meeker county retains permanent possession of the silver trophy awarded by the management.:- Roseau Times Region.

Humbolt Elevator Burns

Humboldt, Minn., Sept. 4. A $40,000 fire this morning razed the elevator here owned by tbe Humboldt Grain Co. and consumed 20,000 hushels of grain. Officials could not determine the origin of the blaze.

The flames were discovered in tbe northwest corner of the cupola when the manager of the plant went to work at 5:45 A. M.

Humbolt is in Kittson county about 10 miles southeast of Pembina N. D.

Appraisers Appointed In Game Refuge Matter

Warren, Sept. 4.--Settlers on land in the Thief Lake area condemned hy the state of Minnesota for restoration as a game refuge will be interviewed hy three commissioners appointed at a hearing in Warren.

A thorough investigation of affected lands will be made hy the trio.

A second hearing will be conducted in the local court house September 18 when witnesses will be heard on the feasibility of the project.

The first local hearing was the initial step in condemnation proceedings launched hy tbe state. Acquisition of landa in Thief lake and adjoining flood lands will result eventually in tbe restoratiou of one of the greatest duck breeding lakes in the country, according to members of the Izaak Walton league.--Warren Sbeaf.

New Auditor Named In Marshall County

Henry M. Hanson, county abstracter in Marshall County, has been named by the county board to fill the unexpired term of former Auditor A. G. Lundgren. The latter was recently sentenced to three years in Stillwater prison following discovery of a shortage in his accounts. Mr. Lundgren was a candidate for re-election this fall.

POULTRY FACTS

SELL POULTRY BY CANNING PROCESS

Profitable Way to Dispose of Fowls if Prices Low.

During culling seasons when ponltry is selling at a low price, poultry may ba disposed of profitably by canning, according to the New York state college of homa economics at Cornell university.

Tba quality of canned ponltry depends on the condition of the fresh meat and tba method of canning. As soon as the animel heat bas disappeared, usually six to eight honrs after killing, the fowl is ready for the canner, to turn it into a wbolesome prodnct properly sterilized. Becanse tba flesb has a compact texture, which the beat penetratee slowly, a high temperatura is necessary, and most anthorities agree that meat should be canned only nnder pressure. The length of time for processing is the same wbether the chicken is roasted, fried, or fricasseed befora putting it in jars or wbether it is pocked nncooked. Many prefer to con the chicken raw to avoid the wermed-over flavor of canned cooked chicken.

When chicken is packed in tbe jars it may be left on the bone, or tbe meat alona moy be used, cnt in piecee to fit. Pack the jar as tightly as possible after it bee been thoronghly cleened and eterilized. Wide-mouth jars are easiest for packing. Pieces containing a great deal of gelotin, as tbe bock and neck, are pleced in tha center of the jar and the otber pieces aronnd them. Holding the jer in a slanting position and using e smell wooden spoon or spatula makes it easier to insert the pieces. By placing the skin next to the ontside of tbe jer a tighter pack is obtained because tbe skin sticks to tha hot jar. The more tender pieces may be placed on top, so they will not break when being removed. No water is used in canning; if tbe ponltry is carefully packed there is no room for water and one teaspoonful of salt is used to each quart of packed chicken.

Tin cans as well as glass jars may be nsed successfully in canning poultry and present-dey tin cens are qnite safe to nse. Tbe method of pocking is the same. All cold air should be exhansted before sealing tbe can by standing the filled cans in a pan of boiling water, wbich comea to witbin one inch of the top of the can, for from ten to fifteen minutes. If the air is not driven out, the cen is apt to bulge.

Turkey Eggs Should Be Handled Very Carefully

Turkey eggs ehould be kept in a nniform temperatnre, not above 60 degrees, tbongh snccessful breeders bring them into e warm room for revitalizing if held for hatching in cold weather. Tba longer a fertile turkey egg is beld, tbe poorer its chance, after tbe first few deys, of hetcbing. The date wben it is dne to hatch sbonld be marked on the egg when set. If date of gathering is aleo marked, tbe breeder will be interested in noting tbe effects of difference in age on vitality. It wonld taka more eggs than tbe average breeder sets, bowever, to prove anything abeolntely—too many reasons enter into the hatchebility of eggs and the livability of poults to say this is or is not true after one or two experiments.

Laying Mash for Ducks While on Grass Plot

A good laying mash for dncks wonld be equal parts by weight of yellow corn meal, standard wheat middlings, wheat bran, ground oats to which yon should add by weight 15 per cent of meat nnd bona meal, 2 per cent powdered charcoal, one-balf of 1 per cent fine table salt and 1 per cent of fine sharp sand. This shonld be fed twice a day and they might have a little cracked corn once a day. This is on tba assumption that the dncks are rnn on a grass plot and getting all the green food they want.

Scaly Leg Remedy

Cruda petrolenm is considered the best treatment for scaly leg. A mixture of eqnal parts of lard and kerosene is a good treatment, making usa of readily availabla prodncts. Tha hens are treated by putting the legs in a can containing tha treating material and bolding them thera for upwards of a minute. Care sbonld be used in order to get as littla as possible of tha material above the feather edge. It will blister tbe skin. This will irritate the fowl.

Hatch in Incubator

The hatching of duck and goose eggs can be successfully carried out with tha incubator if the tray is made high enough to accommodate goosa eggs. Also there is anotber point whicb mnst be carefully watched. These eggs require mnch more moisture than hen eggs do. Dncks require 28 days, geese 28 to 29 days and turkeys 27 to 29 days for incubation. Tha temperatures are practically the sama as thosa reqnired for hatching ordinary hen eggs.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Milaca—Roy Isaacson is tha naw commander of the local American Legion post here.

Owatonna—The city council has adopted a budgat providing $103,255 in taxes, $8,256 less than lest yeer.

Sauk Rapids—Merle Sparrow, graduate of 1928, is tba naw president of the high schol alumni association here.

Austin—Completion of their cabin was calabrated by the local Izaak Walton League members at a banquet here.

Albert Lea—Rotariens of Austin and Owetonna joined members bere for golf, a benqnet, and other entertainmant.

Faribault—Rev. Richard Gedow, formar pastor at Elk Mound, Wis., will take charge of tha St. Lucas Evangelical church hera.

Austin—A sanity hearing for Pata Kocos, allaged firebug captured six milas south of bare when ba ran from a burning house, bas heen ordered.

Little Falls—Henry Werner, Morrison county egricultural agent since 1926, hes resigned to hecome pertner in a livestock ferm near Weterville.

Minneapolis—The rule requiring present teachers in Minneapolis public schools to reside in Hennepin county or be discharged has heen declared.

Gaylord—Completion of paving was celebrated here with a program thet inclnded a harvest festivel. Ten blocks of new hard surfacing have been opened.

St. James—The new Lincoln hotel here has been leesed by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stack, coming here from Pillsbury, N. D. D. C. Holst, formerly operated tha hotel.

Owatonna—Eugene C. Tober received notice of his appointment as district deputy grend exelted ruler of Elks in tha district of Minnesota South including St. Paul.

Minneapolis—The city council has pessed the new ges ordinance end accepted the compromise granting tha Minneepolis Ges Light Company a franchise for 20 years.

Minneapolis—Robert Tanner, Minnesota football end end first nine-letter man in the history of university athletics, was married to Gweneth L. Teylor, former university student hera.

Aitkin—Mr. and Mrs. L. McLaughlin of Alborn, Minn., narrowly escaped drowning when their automobile turned over in a ditch filled with water. Tbay were rescued by pessing motorists.

Park Rapids—Marls Pritchett, 22 years old, end her brotber, Cerlyle, 16, were killed neer here when the car in which they were riding struck a soft epot and overturned, pinning them beneath it.

Faribault—With a score of 919, Faribault county's agricultural extension project exhibit on windbreake and shelterbelts pleced first emong the county project booths at Minnesota State Fair.

St. Peter—Citizens of Nicollet and Sibley counties gethered at Norseland, neer hera, to witness dedication of the new $18,000 creemery plant. A program of addresses, sports and music, was arranged.

St. Paul—Final plans wera made for opening tbe naw lock in the Twin City high dam for navigation, nearing completion costing $1,000,000. Tha first tow in 13 montbs will pass through September 11.

Duluth—Refusal to obey a school boy traffic policeman and cursing Jndga Richard M. Funck, H. M. Lovald, Duluth contractor, was sentenced to pay a $15 fine, and given a 10-day work farm term for contempt.

Chatfield—Mrs. Mary Butler of Chatfield celebrated her 100th birthday. Born in county Cork, Ireland, in August, 1930, is tba mother of three sons. Their families compriee 13 grand children and eight grandcbildren.

Minneapolis — Claiming tbe law which permits tha padlocking of homesteads for violations of tbe probibition amandment is unconstitutional, two dafandants in pedlock proceedings filed answers in United States District Conrt.

St. Peter—Twenty-five public road improvament projects are underway or contemplatsd this year in Nicollet county, according to L. W. Graca, county highway engineer. 50 miles of county and state aid roadways ara incinded.

Detroit Lakes—Becker county tobacco growers will meet bara September 13 to hear saveral speakers tell about tha possibility of tha crop in this section. Tha Detroit Lakes bnsinassman's association is sponsoring the session.

Faribault—Tha Minnesota League of Women Voters will conduct its stata convention hera October 15-17. Mrs. James O'Neil of Faribault has bean named general convention chairman in charga of arrangements. She is to nama 12 committees.

Owatonna—Attendanca records at tha Steele county fair wara broken when 25,085 parsons passed through tha gatea to bring tha total to 83,792 for four days. Tha attendance surpasses by 8,000 lest year's record-breaking total.

Minneapolis—An intensiva fight is baing waged in Scott, Rice and Dakota countias against tha harberry hnsh, and to August 1, 1,000 of the stem rust spreading hnshes had been eradicatad, according to Dr. L. W. Melander of the University Farm.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

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WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 84, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

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Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

Wyandotte News

Miss Violet Peterson of Chicago is spending her annual vacation with her mother Mrs. P. W. Peterson.

Frank, Elvin, Anna and Violet Peterson spent Sunday visiting at the Elmer Erickson home at McIntosh.

Mr. and Mrs. Nils Holten of North Dakota, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Holten and family of Hazel spent Wednesday afternoon at the T. Halverson home.

Mrs John Carlson and daughter Margaret laft Monday for their home at Detroit Lakes, after spending a week visiting with friends and relatives.

Frank, Anna and Violet Peterson left Monday for Wannaska to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs Peter Kolseth, Marie and Elmer, Mrs. John Albin spent Sunday at the Albert Anderson home.

License Plate Colors Picked

License plates for passenger automobiles, busses and motorcycles in Minnesota for 1931 will be black with white letters and numbers, Mike Holm, secretary of state, has announced.

The size of the plate will range in the same proportion as the 1930 plates. The present plates have black numbers on an aluminum background.

The color of plates for trucks and trailers next year will be black letters on an orange background, while dealers plates will be maroon with gray letters.

Singing in the Bathtub

A sunshine spreader says that a man who hums while taking a bath never swears. But, on the other hand, there are his listeners.—Atlanta Constitution.

THE
CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Sept. 14.
Harvest Festival in Oakridge Services at 11:00 a. m. Offering to the four branches of our church. The Choir will sing.

Dinner served at the church

Devotional meeting from 2:00 to 4:00. The pastor will be present, and the Choir will sing.

Come and be with us, it will do thee good.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00
Morning service at 11:00
Hjalmar Swanson of Hallock, will officate.

Young Peoples Society will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Chr. Kruse, Jr. at the Black River Chapel Sunday evening.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

Services in local church Sunday evening at 8:00. Rev. A. Larson of Warren will officate.

A business meeting of the three congregations in this charge will be held at the local church at 2:00 p. m. on Tuesday Sept. 16 for the purpose of calling a minister.

Card of Thanks

We hereby express our heartfelt thanks and appreciation to all friends and neighbors for their expressions of sympathy, and for assistance given us during our bereavement in loss of our beloved son and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Mogen
Eugene Mogen

Early American Glass

The first industrial enterprise in the United States was a glass bottle factory erected in the Virginia colony soon after 1607. It was located in the woods about a mile distant from Jamestown. Window glass was manufactured in what is believed to be the first glass factory in New Jersey. It was built about 1739, a mile east of Alloweystown, Salem county, by Caspar Wistar.

Worst Part of It

Judge—You, a respectable young man, stole a coat. In consequence you have lost your post, and brought trouble and sorrow to your parents.

Accused—Yes, and the coat was too tight in the bargain.

Deserved a Discount

Man—How much do you charge for pulling a tooth?

Dentist—Four dollars.

Man—Well, how much do you charge for just loosening it?

Word's Real Meaning

Lingerie is a French word which literally means linen goods.

Drains Vast Territory

The Colorado river drains a territory of 300,000 square miles.

BOTH WORE STARS OF GOLD

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

TRENTON had always stood more or less in awe of Mrs. Mortimer. She had lived for thirty years in the big brick house set back in the velvety green lawn on South Main street; she had driven regularly through the town first in her carriage, and later in her closed car. She had attended the Episcopal church and had contributed freely to all worthy benefits. Trenton had helped bury her husband with all the pomp and respect due the "town's richest man" when Andrew Jr. was two years of age, and yet Trenton did not know Mrs. Mortimer.

It watched with interest when she closed her house each summer and left for the seashore; the mountains; sometimes Europe. It watched with equal interest the preparations for her return. It had watched Andrew Jr. grow up and go away to college. Andrew was much more democratic than his stately mother. He had attended the Trenton schools and had got into as much mischief as the rest of the Trenton boys; his first automobile had been a source of much worry to the townspeople. He returned from college at regular intervals and Trenton was always glad to welcome him home.

He was just twenty-four when he came home that spring of 1917 from training camp, resplendent in his tailored khaki and Sam Browne belt, two bars on his shoulders, and his mother had been brave when he waved goodby to her and to Trenton from the rear platform of a troop-filled train. It was then that Trenton came to know Mrs. Mortimer better. She opened her big house and the women daily spent hours there rolling bandages, cutting, sewing, knitting, packing. Mrs. Mortimer moved about the rooms quietly, regally. She talked about Andy. A blue star on a white background hung in her window.

And then in September, 1918, that blue star turned to gold! Trenton was stricken. Fine young Andrew Mortimer had fallen in the Argonne. They tried to convey their love and sympathy to his mother, but grief-seared, she shut them out of her life. She would not talk; she would not listen.

The following summer she went to New York and brought Andy's body home, draped with the stars and stripes. Trenton turned out to do him honor. The business houses were closed; the flag at half-mast, and every lad who had gone across acted as military escort as they bore Andy from the railroad station to the cemetery to place him beside his father. Trenton wept unashamed when that salute was fired across the open grave.

Mrs. Mortimer again went into seclusion. The war had brought her out—it had taken her back—she was bitter.

She regularly left for her summers at seashore and mountains. She never went to Europe again. She spent two months each winter in Florida. And then back to the lovely, lonely big house on Trenton's main street.

It was three years after the war that the minister came to her.

"Mrs. Mortimer, there is a woman in town who needs work. She came here a month ago. A splendid untiring worker, earnest and faithful. I have come to know and like her. She needs money—seems to be all alone in the world. Wonder if you wouldn't help her by giving her something to do?"

Mrs. Mortimer toyed with the string of black beads about her neck.

"I will be glad to help her, of course, Doctor Dykeman. Send her to me tomorrow. Of course, all my housework is efficiently cared for by my servants, but—

"Margaret Murphy is not asking for money, Mrs. Mortimer. She wants work. Unless you have work for her—"

"I can arrange for some, Doctor Dykeman. I will expect her tomorrow."

Margaret Murphy came into the great living room of the Mortimer house almost on tiptoes the next morning. She eyed the rich-toned rugs in genuine admiration. She looked about her with shining eyes, a smile on her broad Irish face. Evidently Margaret Murphy knew and loved beauty. Then—over the mantel she saw the white flag with the gold star in the center, and below the picture of young Andrew Mortimer, Jr.

"Oh!" she whispered. "It's her boy. God bless 'im."

Mrs. Mortimer came in and Meggie turned, her round rosy face framed with graying hair, radiant in health and good nature. She met the cold gray eyes of Mrs. Mortimer and the smile faded.

"I have arranged with Mrs. Black, my housekeeper, to turn the washings over to you, Mrs. Murphy. And once a week—on Fridays—I want you to come and help clean while Elfreda—my second maid—is visiting her mother. Will that be of help to you?"

"It will indeed, Mrs. Mortimer, and I thank you kindly. I'll try to please you—and I thank you."

She turned to the picture on the mantel.

"Your boy, Mrs. Mortimer—I heard—I'm sorry."

Mrs. Mortimer nodded shortly. "Yes, my son—Andrew."

Margaret Murphy wiped her eyes. "You gave something big, Mrs. Mortimer—you gave something wonderful to America."

Mrs. Mortimer cut her short. "Mrs. Black will have the laundry ready for you. Good morning, Mrs. Murphy."

For three years Margaret Murphy gave two days a week to Mrs. Mortimer and at the end of that time she did not know her any better than she did the morning they had stood together before the gold-starred flag over the mantel, but Margaret Murphy continued to smile and sing over her work.

Then the company's homecoming day, when Trenton was gay with flags and bunting. Margaret Murphy went to the cemetery with her arms full of flowers. She wended her way among the graves until she stood in the shadow of the granite shaft that bore the name of Andrew Mortimer, Jr.; the date of his birth and death; the company with which he served. She knelt and carefully arranged the colorful blossoms about the little flag that waved in the morning breeze. She was about to rise to her feet when some one came and stood near her. It was Mrs. Mortimer.

"This is kind of you, Mrs. Murphy; very kind. I have noticed fresh flowers here regularly. Have you brought them?"

Margaret Murphy nodded.

"But why, Mrs. Murphy, why do you do this when I—"

"I—I can't go to my own boy's grave, Mrs. Mortimer, and I want to show my love and my pride by placing flowers on another's grave—perhaps one of his—what did they call them, buddies? Anyway, another who gave his life for the same cause—America!"

Mrs. Mortimer's gloved hand fell on Margaret Murphy's sleeve.

"Your boy! Did you say your boy?" she faltered.

Margaret Murphy nodded and turned back the lapel of her coat. A tiny gold star shone there.

"Timmie died in the Argonne, too."

"O-h-h," breathed Andrew Mortimer's mother. "And you never told me!"

"You never let me—but I understood," and Margaret Murphy smiled winsomely through the tears. "I'm saving my money and I'm going to his grave on Armistice day, ma'am."

"Where is Timmie buried?"

"In Arlington, ma'am."

Mrs. Andrew Mortimer's arms went about Margaret Murphy and she held her close as the strains of "Onward, Christian soldiers," in the distance announced the approach of the annual parade—coming to honor Trenton's survivors of the great war.

"You are going to Arlington tomorrow, Margaret Murphy, and I'm going with you," whispered Mrs. Mortimer. "We are going to Timmie's grave tomorrow."

Brought Psychology to Bear on Boy Problem

An understanding of boy psychology, and the application of a few simple principles growing out of such understanding, have been factors in the success of the Detroit Boys' club.

At one time articles were disappearing with distressing regularity from one of the coat rooms used by the younger boys. Suspicion centered on one who had a reputation for "lifting" things. He was promoted to chairmanship of an anti-theft committee—and there were no more complaints of stolen goods.

"Jim" used to be a gang leader. His profane vocabulary was picturesque and complete. When asked to take the chairmanship of the anti-swearing committee he was flattered, and, said: "H—ll, yes! I'll make those blankety-blank bozos cut out their swearing." And he did—along with marked improvement in the leader himself.—A. P. Pilides in the American Review of Reviews.

Korean Father's Word Law

Picture a modern American boy who chances to meet his father on the street dropping suddenly to his knees in profound obeisance, yet this is quite the thing in Korea. A young son must never play, nor an older one smoke in his father's presence. For a son to assume a free and easy posture before his father is very ill-mannered and no matter what his age, a room is provided for his recreation, much like our nursery. There are four things that an old proverb tells the son to fear greatly; they are "earthquake, wind, fire and father." Should a prison term be meted out to a Korean father his son takes up his residence in the neighborhood to supply him with food and clothing.—Detroit News.

D.D. and LL.D.

The two degrees, D.D. and LL.D, are quite different. The first is Doctor of Divinity, that is a person learned in those subjects that form the education of a divine or theologian. The second, LL.D., is Doctor of Laws, the two L's being the plural form where initials are used. This degree is, or should be conferred upon those deeply learned, in the subjects that make up higher education and culture—in languages, literature, science and philosophy. The former degree is only conferred upon ministers of religion, the latter upon both ministers and laymen.

Geographical Term

Oceania, or Oceanica, was a designation which embraced the land surface which remained after apportioning the continents of Eurasia, Africa and the Americas. The term covered Australia, the Indian archipelago and the Pacific islands. After Australia was set apart as a continent Oceanica was restricted to the Malay archipelago and the islands of the Pacific.

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The St. Hilaire Spectator

25 Years Ago

Fred Gobott returned from Frazee and took his old position in the filing room at the mill.

Business men of Wylie and farmers near that village, were to meet the state Railroad and Warehouse commissioners Sept. 18 to see what could be done to continue train service on the Wylie line.

Miss Emma Hoff left for Moorhead to enter the State Normal school.

James Kenney and wife, left for North Dakota where he had secured a position as grain buyer.

Butterfat was 20 cents a pound at the local creamery that month.

Wm. Eickhoff and wife, B. E. Burkee and wife, K. O. Gigstad, and Miss Josie Gigstad drove to Hazel and took the Soo for Erskine to spend a day with friends.

There was still a large amount of grain uncut in this locality. It would take at least a week of dry weather before farmers could take binders out on the fields.

JAM!

A meeting of the members of two clubs was held for the purpose of deciding whether the clubs should be amalgamated. After the voting had taken place, the chairman announced:

"This meetin' has voted in favor of the two clubs bein' mermainted."

"I suppose you mean, Mr. Chairman, that they be jammed together?" inquired the secretary of one of the clubs.—Montreal Star.

First Reading

Mistress—Isn't that the postman, Mary? Who's gone to the door?

Mary—Please, ma'am, cook has.

Mistress—Well, what's she such a long time for?

Mary—Please, ma'am, I think it must be a postcard.—Monmouthshire Beacon.

Unanimous

Waiter (to party of fourteen men)—Gentlemen, there is a lady here who says her husband promised to be home at midnight and she has come to fetch him.

All Fourteen Rising—Goodnight, old fellows—see you again soon.

Thrift

"What! You have given information to lead to the arrest of your fiance so that you may get the reward?"

"Yes, we are going to get married on the money when he has finished his sentence."

DEFECTIVE PAGE

Hunting Season Opens September 16th

Get your share of ducks the opening day by using our Western shells--the hard hitting kind.

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Repair shop in rear of the oil station. Bring in your car if it needs overhauling or repairs.

Engh's Service Station

LONE ACE SAVES THRONE FOR KING

Frenchman Takes on Little Job in Ethiopia.

Paris.—If truth is not atranger than fiction, then R. H. Davis, O. Henry et al will do some turning in their gravea when they hear of Antoina Mnillet, the only man on record who ever defeatad an army single handed. Some weeks ago, Maillet, a French war ace, undertook a little job for King Tafari Makonen of Ethiopia.

It seems that a certain Raa Gngsa Olie, e former hushand of the former Empress Jndith, craved to ha king, and with that end in view drew np somewhat of an army which offered hattle to the loyal troops not far from Addis Ahnha, tha capital. Tha king osked Moillet whot he could do, and Maillet said ha wonld see.

A few days later the intrepid flyer took ont over the lonely mountains and treecherons ravines not to mention the impassable jnngles and forests teeming with lions, elephants, crocodiles, hoas, leopards, panthers and hyenas. When he sighted the enemy he dropped his majesty'e regards. Those who were not killed ran.

Tha king, learning of tha news, was overcoma with remorse at the demise of Olie, hnt nevertheless e reception hefitting a hero was prepared et Addis Ahaha for Maillet, who returned unruffled to discover that he had earned a place in history alongsida of Lafayatte, Napoleon and some of the other hetter-known French fighters.

Maillet's lifa was not unaventful during the World war. Ha hrought down a dozen German planes, was captured, escaped, won the Medailla Militaire and four other citations, was wounded hnt continued in activa service to the last. The war over, he reenlisted with tha French troops in northern Africa, where ha served until 1928—a brilliant career covering 15 years.

It was only when even the African campaigne hegan to pall and thera was no further reason for his remaining with the French army that ha conceived the idea of becoming a soldier of fortune. It was in such a capacity, with the high-sounding title of director of aviation for the Abysinnian army (his heing the only plane) thet he won tha hattle of the lions and boa constrictors for good King Tafari Makonen.

Dr. Spofford
Optometrist
Will Be At
Red Lake Falls, Sept. 16 forenoon
St. Hilaire, Sept. 16, afternoon.
Thief River Falls, Sept. 17 forenoon
Eyes examined and Glasses fitted.

Local nimrods have already picked out likely places and are assembling equipment to be ready for opening of the duck hunting season next Tuesday morning. Because of lack of water in many sloughs that furnished good places in previous years, hunting will be a little more difficult this season. While ducks are not plentiful anywhere in this locality, there are enough to furnish good sport for local hunters.

Differences In Lace

"Real" laca is laca in which every stitch is made hy hand, that mada with a needla heing called needlepoint, whila that mads with hohhins is called pillow lace.

Uncle Eben

"When yon forgivee an enemy," said Uncla Ehen, "mehhe it's best to keep eway f'um him so'e you won't be tempted to forget your forgiveness."—Washington Star.

Hint to the Charitable

"It is wise," said Hi Ho, tha sage of Chinatown, "to think twice hefore giving to charity and with each thonght to douhle the amount."—Washington Star.

America's National Emblem

The hald eagla was adopted hy tha United States as the national emhlem in 1782. This hird ranges about three feet in length, with a wing spread of perhaps seven.

Of the First Generation

By EDGAR T. MONFORT

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"BUT, John, I couldn't do it, dear. I haven't the courage. Besides, yon'd he very unhappy. It simply wouldn't work."

Edith Montegue clasped and unclasped her hands nervously and looked at her friend.

"Can't you see it? Can't you feel it? Don't you know I'm right?"

John Williams instinctively moved a little further awey.

"I'm et a disadvantoge, Edith, I can't press my ault, and if you don't lova me. . . ."

"Oh, John, you hurt so, yon don't nnderstand. Yon must realize that yonr people and mine wonldn't mix. You don't know any of the crowd I know. Yon—yon aren't interested in the same things they're interested in."

"You mean I don't play golf and hridge all day and half the night and my parents aren't educated. That's what yon menn. Yon menn yon'd be ashamed of them, that's whot you really mean and you can't face the danger of introducing my mother to yonr frienda and having her say 'was' for 'were.' I know it all. I realize that I'm the first collega man in my fomily and thot yonr people have heen educated for centuries. I know it all. I'm the first generation. Sometimes I wish I'd hove married tha little girl I ran around with when I went to high school nt home.

"I thought ahe was my future wife until I got ont in the world, then when I went hack things were different. She had changed, or rather I had, and I found myself wondering how I'd ever loved her. She was narrow and tame. Her brain was almost stodgy, she couldn't talk about anything. Didn't know enything to talk about. Then yon came along. I worshiped yonr culture and your knowledga of things. And now you've thrown me down, cast me off like en old dress—kept me dangling for six months, then this. . . ."

He atopped from sheer exhaustion and Edith sat looking at him, her lips parted, her hreath coming in little gasps. After a moment sha spoke.

"But, John, you forget that you threw Grace down after a life-long friendship, because you did not think yon could make her happy or to pnt it more crudely hecause you did not think she could moke yon heppy. You hava just sold it yourself, yet you hlama me."

The truth of the situation came to him snddenly—for the first time.

"You are right, Edith," he said et last. "I had never seen it in that light hefore, hut I could have het on your saying the right thing. I accept your refnsal. I am paying the price of the first generation."

Withont another word he rose and moved toword the door.

"Oh, John, let's he friends," she said impulsively, following him. "Some doy you'll meet the right girl, the one who will just fit your heart end station and when yon do I want yon to let me know, becouse I'm very unhappy that this should hava happened."

"Don't worry ohout it. It's my suffering, not yonrs," he enswered, his face averted. "I'll go now."

With e mnmhled word he slipped out the front door and down the impoaing front steps leaving Edith staring in hewilderment.

The weeks that followed were dreary ones for John. He threw himself into his profession end unconsciously frowned if a girl so much as crossed his line of vision. He had hnd enough—too much. This felling in love hnsiness was a trick of nsture to make you suffer.

The only girl he couldn't shake was a little neighhor from hack home who had coma to the city to study music. He had promised her parents that ha would go end see her each week to keep her from getting homesick and it was npon one of these Snnday visits in early spring that he really suw Carolyn Grey for the first time. They were taking e wnlk in tha country just outside the city when she looked np at him suddenly and spoke.

"John, you know whet I'm going to do when I go to get married? I'm going to marry a man who is educated himself bnt whose psrents heve had no advantages—jnst like mine. I won't have anybody ashamed of my father end mother, thank you. They're too fine, and it would almost kill them. There's a girl down at school now who is nahamed for her mother to meet her fionce because ha comes of cultivated people. She's a snoh. Thet's what sha is and I'm ashemed of her—not of her mother."

He looked et the slim little figure welking beside him—at tha healthy glow in her cheeks, at the earnest hlue eyes.

"You'va made me see myself in the proper light," he said slowly at last, "and you've shown me a way to happiness."

"Oh, what is it?" she asked, catching his earnestness.

"I won't tell you now—you'll have to wait a few weeks." And all the way home as he walked beside her he was conscious of the thrill of her nearness and he said to himself over and over in bewilderment:

"And I thought I'd never love again!"

Tough One

"Whnt is the hardest job you ever tackled?"

"Trying to keep on living high when the finances were low."

LIVE STOCK

MARKETING FARM PRODUCTS EASIER

Co-Operative Principle Seen as Solution of Problem.

Co-operative marketing of farm and ranch products was viewed as the ultimate solution of the chief prohlems of distribution now facing American egriculture hy Cecil W. Creel, director of tha Neveda agricultural extension service, in an address before the Western Cattle Marketing association assemhled in San Francisco.

"The passage of the agricultural marketing act of last summer, the subsequent creation of the federal farm bosrd, and the setting up hy this board of national producer-owned and producer-controlled marketing associations is sufficent evidence, I believe," Creel stated, "that the co-operative marketing principle not only is justified, hut now has the support of intelligent puhlic opinion throughout the length and hreadth of the land."

Pledging of assistance to the federal farm board in its program of organizing national co-operative agencies, the Nevuda director stated, means that the co-operativa movement will have the eid of county agents, county farm advisera and other extension workers in the various states.

Creel, who is chairman of the range live stock committee of the extension workers in tha 12 western states, told the cattiemen what the extensiou servica is doing to help the stock-raising industry.

Credit, in part, he said, for the study of puhlic lands in tha western states ahout to be inaugureted hy tha commission recently appointed by President Herhert Hoover is due extension workers in the West. At their meeting in Tucson in 1924, the western men proposed snch a survey, with particular reference to the range live stock industry, and have repeetedly celled it to tha attention of officials in Washington.

Feed Value of Cooked Potatoes Equals Silage

In years like the present one there is considerahle interest in the value of potatoes for live stock feeding. When the price of potatoes is low it is often edvisahle to divert a portion of the crop in order to ohtain a reasonahla return for the remainder.

Feeding tests have heen made et a number of experiment stations, and results indicated that pound for pound corn silage, made from meture corn, and potatoes are approximately equal. In feeding potatoes they more nearly take the place of corn silage than any other feed beceuse of their succulence. If the culls and unmarketabla potatoes ara used any returns from feeding them would be in the nature of clear gain. When the lower grades of potatoes hring anywhere from 20 to 25 cents per hushel at tha loading station it probsbly is advisable to use them for feed.

Spring Lambs Pay Best, Says Stock Specialist

Early lamhs sell highest. Fat spring lamhs sold 3 cents higher last June thsn they did in August. Prices were still higher in May, says E. T. Rohhins, liva stock specialist at tha University of Illinois.

This plan of lamh raising reduces chances of loss dne to stomach worms and tha lambs also escape tha hot weather which slows up their gains. They hring in cash much earlier, too, as well as hringing more of it. Warren Moffett of Macoupin county sold 11 early lambs last spring for $35 a hundred, sending them to the St. Louis market. They averaged 60 pounds each, bringing him $21 a head. Moffett puts his ewes on rich pasture a mouth before mating them and starts feeding grain two weeks before.

Legumes for Lambs Are Successful at Illinois

A four-year feeding test recently completed et tha Illinois College of Agriculture emphasizes the importance of legumes in fattening lambs. An example of the successful use of legumes for this purpose is shown in one report of nine lots which were fed corn and alfalfe hay and gained 100 pounds for every 350 pounds of corn and 458 pounds of alfalfa hay fed. Self-feeding of corn was found to result in considerahla losses. However, self feeding of a mixture of ground corn and ground alfalfa hay proved a safe method of feeding and produced faster gains and better finished carcasses than hand-feeding. Corn alone did not prove satisfactory.

Eradicate Lice

A[illegible]ture of one-hal[illegible]ered sahedilla seed and one-half sulphur rub[illegible] into the hair of h[illegible] or cattla is a fairly satisfactory means of ridding the animals of lice. When the weather becoma warm enough so that tha horse can be washed without danger of his taking cold, it would be preferable to give him a thorough washing with a stock dip solution. These stock dips, if used according to directions, will not cause the hair to come out.

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Now that threshing is finished, are you equipped to do a good job of plowing?

If your plow does not perform as you would like, come in and let me show yon some that will.

You can save both time and money as well as getting your work done in good season, by using a McCormick-Deering tractor. It will handle all field work besides furnishing power for other uses. It requires no care when idle--and it capable of working both day and night should it be necessary.

Regardless of what you may need in farm machinery, I have it on hand, or can get it for you upon short notice. My fast truck will bring any machine direct to your farm. SERVICE is here for you.

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Dealer in Farm Machinery
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Cedar Fence Posts:-Anyone wanting white cedar fence posts for use this fall, call on or write the undersigned for special low direct-to-consumer prices. Have about 400 posts on hand now at St. Hilaire that I wish to close out.

Paul Thyren,
S4-11 R1 H[illegible], Minnesota

Estray:- Bay colt, four months old, with white star on fore head strayed from my place Aug 21st Anyone knowing whereabouts, or having in possesion, kindly notify.

Ed Vik
R1 St. Hilaire, Minn.

Farmers:- You can get a liberal cash advance on your grain under the Federal Agricultral Marketing Plan. Inquire at Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire, Minn. a21-s11

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I have lays to fit John Deere, Oliver, Emerson and Moline plows on hand. Can furnish lays for any make of plow on very short order. Order your lays now and have them when you need tbem.

Wm. Olson, St. Hilaire, Minn.
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N. B. Hannay Dies After Accident At Seattle

Norman B. Hannay, who was associated with his father in the banking business here about twenty five years ago, died Sept. 12th, in a Seattle hospital from injuries received when struck by a street car two days previous.

Mr. Hannay, who was president of the First National Bank at Mt. Vernon, and of the La Connor State Bank, was elected vice president of the National Bank of Commerce at Seattle the 2nd of September, and was there only a week when he received the injuries which resulted in his death. Deceased is survived by his widow and three sons.

The Hannay family, including N. B. Hannay, moved from this village about twenty five years ago and located at Mt. Vernon.

At the time the family resided here, Norman was cashier of the local bank and was well known to all who were here at that time.

The Spectator is indebted to Miss Eva Johnson of Austin, Minn., for the above information which will be of interest to many of our readers. The sad death of Norman Hannay is but one of a series of tragic happenings that have brot much sorrow to the Hannay family since they went to Washington.

E. T. Reamer, who operated the store started by Ernest Neitzel at Red Lake Falls up to a couple years ago when he removed to Morris, was here Friday calling on friends. Mr. Reamer is looking around this section for a suitable location wherein to re-ingage in the grocery business.

Dinner guests Sunday at the M. Fricker home were, Mr. and Mrs. John Pederson, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Buchaman, Mr. and Mrs. A. Peterson; Mr. Ed Peterson, Misses Ruth Wright and Lillian Vick all of Drayton, N. D., Mr. and Mrs. Gust Johnson and son Raymond of Hallock, Mr. and Mrs. K. Lind and children Vern and Clarence, Mr. Hendrum of Donaldson, Mr. and Mrs. O. Hanson and son and William Peterson of St. Hilaire.

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Gets Fine Position

Miss Arlene McKercher, R. N., left last week to accept a position as nurse in a large hospital at Cleveland, Ohio.

She was given opportunity to secure this position because of her high rating in efficiency at the hospital at Grand Forks where she received her training. While enroute to Cleveland, she visited for a few days at her father's boyhood home at Burlington, Wis.

Birthday Party

About fifteen neighbors of Mrs. B. E. Burkee gathered at her home Tuesday evening to help her celebrate her birthday anniversary. A very enjoyable was spent and a dainty lunch was served. As a reminder of the occasion, the friends presented Mrs. Burkee with a thermos bottle.

Going To Canada

A. F. Hall, former cashier of the Farmers State Bank, here, who is now secretary of the Albert Lea Building & Loan Association at Albert, Minn., is making another trip into western Canada this fall for the State Banking Department. "Pat" made two previous trips to Canada to look after investments held there by closed banks and made such a success of collections that the department has prevailed upon him to make another trip this fall.

Mrs. Peter Lundberg, who has been ill for some time with heart trouble, was taken Tuesday to the hospital at Thief River. Her condition for the past week has been critical.

The Central Lumber Company has bought the coal sheds formerly owned by Arthur Hendrickson and will hereafter handle coal in connection with the lumber yard.

Notice:- I will be in St. Hilaire all day Tuesday, Sept. 23, to attend to business matters of the Farmers State Banks.

L. E. Healy.
Spec. Deputy Ex.

Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained at the church basement by Mrs. Lars A. Loberg and Mrs. Knute Kolstad on Friday, September 19. Everyone welcome. 11-18

Departs

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

The Hunt Brother Co. installed a fine new radio set last Saturday at the Oscar Haugen home.

Brick work is well under way on the new Bratrud hospital building at Thief River Falls.

Albert Brink, accompanied by O. Gunstad left Monday on a duck hunting trip to lakes near Gonvick.

Supt. and Mrs. R. Peterson of Plummer motored over last weekend to visit friends in this village.

Ole Johnson and Harry Hanson left Monday for a duck hunting trip to Four Mile Bay on Lake of the Woods.

The village school at Hazel, with Miss Mae Kinney as teacher, has re-opened after the annual summer vacation.

George S. Wilson, who is employed by the Valley Bridge Co. at Stephens motored over the week-end to visit his family.

Twenty five Ladies gathered at the M. Fricker home on Thursday afternoon tendering Mrs. Harry Hanson a parcel shower. Lunch was served and all present had a delightful time.

All extra help employed on the local G. N. section have been laid off with exception of one man. Extra men farther up this line and on the St. Vincent branch also have been discharged.

Heavy rains last week played havoc with the new roadbed on T. H. No. 8 east from Marcoux Junction. In many places the road was washed out so badly that it was dangerous for auto traffic.

Earl Bothman, 6 year old son of Frank Bothman had the misfortune of breaking an arm Friday falling from a gate. Misfortunes do not come singly, will be noticed since Earl is a brother of Henry Bothman who lost a foot in a mower accident.

Erling Prestby, who has resided for several years on the Ole Peterson farm adjoining Hazel, has leased the J. C. Dahl residence and is moving in with his family this week. Mr. Prestby is engaged in auto trucking, and is moving in to be more centrally located, and also to give his children better school advantages.

A carload of lumber was unloaded here last week for the Central Lumber Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Dahl motored up Saturday from Lockhart for a week-end visit with friends in the village.

Edgar Naplin left Friday for St. Peter, Minn., where he will enroll for his freshman year at Gustavus Adolphus College.

Miss Lily Gunstad commenced Monday teaching a term of school in the Aug. Svenson district southeast of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Highland motored to Crookston last Thursday where they visited friends. They returned the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanson of Thief River Falls visited at the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. Hans Wilson last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Skatrud and children motored Saturday to Hallock where they spend they weekend visiting with relatives. They returned home Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg returned home Saturday after having spend a couple weeks visiting at home of his parents at New London and her relatives at Minneapolis.

Mrs. Erick Anderson was honored last Thursday by having members of her family and friends spending the day with her. The occasion being her eighty-seventh birthday.

A large touring car containing six persons, was ditched on the state road east of town last Saturday afternoon when a front tire blew out and the driver lost control for a moment. None of the occupants were injured, and only minor damage was sustained by the car.

Mrs. Theo. Betts and sons Clarence and Theodore Jr. of Grand Rapid, Minn., and Mrs. A. D. Nelson and daughter Mary Jane of Chicago, visited friends in this vicinity this week. Mrs. Betts and Mrs. Nelson were formerly Alma and Amanda Carno who resided here during mill days and will be remembered by those here at that time. This is there first visit here in twenty-five.

Flax Straw Comes To Mill

The tow mill of the Fiber Products Company in this city is now running, and large quantities of straw are expected during the next few weeks. The company has purchased two trucks with which they expect to haul a large amount of straw to the mill, which they will purchase in this vicinity. The straw crop was short last year, but the acreage of flax was somewhat increased this season and plenty of straw is expected at the mill this fall.- Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Pie Social

The Ladies Aid of the Evangelical Mission church will give a Pie Social at the Odd Fellow Hall in St. Hilaire, Saturday evening, September 20. All welcome.

Arnold Kruse left this week for points in Iowa to take in corn husking. He was accompanied by Emil Bolte, who had visited with relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Ball and daughter, who visited here several times the past summer, moved last week from Norfolk, Neb., where they have been stationed the past year, to Akron, Ohio. Mr. Ball, who is employed by the Supermaid Cookware Corporation, is to be district manager for the company at Akron.

Lewis Norman, graduate of the class of 1930 left last Friday for Fargo, where he will take a business course at the Dakota Business College.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Johnson, accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hauge, motored Sunday to Bagley and spent the day there at the Sam Hauge home, returning here that evening.

Compare G & J Stalwart tires only with other first line tires – Goodyear All-Weather – U. S. Royal – Firestone Gun Dipped, etc. G & J 29x4.40 $5.55 installed. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Janda motored up Sunday and spent the day at the Kalland home.

Coal Is Cash:- Hereafter coal will be cash with order or on delivery.
C. Roe Grain Co.

Heavy Rainfall Here

The first heavy rainfall since last June occured in this section last Thursday afternoon. Sufficient moisture fell that plowing will be materially benefitted. In Bray township and territory west from there to the Dakota line, the rain was accompanied by a severe hail storm. At the Chas. Lindquist place, hail the size of hen's eggs fell killing turkeys and other poultry. A number of residents in that section report windows broken, composition roofs and auto tops damaged by hail. As all grains were cut, there was no grain damage.

Traffic Shows Decrease

Traffic on unpaved roads in the Minnesota highway system was less this year than last, but traffic on the paved roads show an increase. This in brief sums up result of the annual vehicle count taken August 4 to 10. Less foreign cars were noted this year, but heavy trucks were more numerous.

Harry Hanson and small son motored to Karlstad Saturday where he visited with relatives, returning the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter motored Sunday to Crookston where the latter entered Bethesda hospital for treatment after a severe attack of illness which started last week. Report from the hospital yesterday stated she was showing improvement which will be good news to ber many friends.

Rev. M. L. Dahl, accompanied by his daughter, Grace, and son Manford, and by Olaf Torstveit motored Friday to Moorhead where Miss Grace enrolled for her junior year, and Manford and Olaf enrolled for their freshman year at Concordia College.

Several parties of local hunters hied to nearby sloughs early Tuesday morning to try their luck at ducks. As most of the sloughs are dry this year, hunters are finding it difficult in most cases in getting anywhere near the limit allowed.

An auction sale of stock, machinery and other personal property will be held at the Fred Soderberg farm south of town on Friday Sept. 26th. Mr. and Mrs. Soderberg plan to move into the village to make their home after the sale.

Who Needs A Savings Account?

Everyone that has any ambition, or hope for the future.

Systematic saving every week will make an account grow into substantial proportions in a short time, Then when a good propsition comes along that requires cash, you will have it.

Most people who are a failure in this world have a "wishbone" where their backbone ought to be. It takes "grit" to start anything, and a savings account is no exception. Start your's now.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Twenty Eight Years Ago

When this creamery first started, many predicted it would be short lived.

Those who pinned their faith to the dairy business and creamery during those days have lived to see the creamery grow and prosper. It took determination and faith, but it WAS done.

By patronizing YOUR creamery, and boosting for it, it will show greater growth in the next ten years than in the past twenty-eight.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

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Around The Valley

(From Our Exchanges)

Wefald Will Make Race For Congress

At a meeting of Farmer-Labor party supporters at Mahnomen last Sunday, Knud Wefald of Moorhead, former Ninth district congressman and candidate for the office was named to make the run against Congressman C. G. Selvig of Crookston. Petitions are now being circulated throughout the district for Mr. Wefald by active Farmer-Labor workers to secure 500 signers to make the petition legal and place his name on the ballot as a Farmer-Labor candidate on November 4.--Polk Co. Leader.

Miller Fiber Mills Re-opens

Crookston's newest industrial plant, Miller Fiber Mills, have resumed operations again after inactivity since late last fall. The plant under the direction of Herman Miller, is employing about 12 men at the mill during the first week of operations and will add to this force as the flax threshing season advances and more flax straw becomes available.

With a good flax yield reported in this territory, straw is plentiful and a long season for the tow mill is anticipated. About a dozen trucks now are hauling straw to the mill and more will be put into service later.--Polk Co. Leader.

Beware Hosiery Pedders

Brainerd police are looking for a hosiery salesman whom they say is a fraud and not a representative of the company he is supposed to be working for. The best way to eliminate a peddler is not to buy, but if you feel the urge to purchase at least do not give the agent any advance payment. This not only applies to hosiery, but to the salesman of any line. Make payment only when goods are delivered. This is what you ask of your local merchant, why not of the stranger? Little Falls Transcript.

Sees Big Moose

M. A. Johnson reports seeing a large moose on the road south of this village Saturday morning. It is believed to be the same animal seen a few days previous by Olof Walherg in the swamp east of Martin Ambuehl farm. It apparently looks as though the animal is making a short stay in that vicinity. It is a rare opportunity to see a moose in civilization, and all probabilities are that it had been driven here by the forest fires or the flies.- Clearbrook Leader.

Central Builds Coal Building

Construction work has been practically completed on a modern and artistic coal building facing the Great Northern tracks on Johnson avenue and First street by the Central Lumber Co., of this city at a cost of $2,500, according to R. A. Howe, local manager in charge. Warren Sheaf.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default bas been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage made and executed and delivered by August Lundberg, a single person, mortgagor to Merchants State Bank of St. Hilaire, a corporation under the Laws of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated the 9th day of December, 1924, and filed for record in the office of Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 15th day of December, 1924, at 8 o'clock A. M. and was duly recorded in Book 69 of Mortgages page 173.

There is now due and claimed to be dne on said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby, principal and interest at the date of this notice, the sum of Two Thousand Thirty-three and 20-100 Dollars ($2033.20).

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN, That said Mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described and thereby mortgaged which premises are situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and described as follows, to wit: The South Half (S1-2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1-4) and the Southwest Querter (SW1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW1-4) of Section Twenty-four (24) and the Northeast Quarter (NE1-4) of the Southeast Quarter (SE1-4) of Section Twenty-three (23) all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range Forty-three *(43)* West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing one hundred acres, more or less according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at public sale to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, in said County and State, on the 4th day of October, 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to pay the amount which shall be due on said mortgage and the expenses of foreclosure and the sum of Seventy-five Dollars *($75.00)* attorneys fees, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 20 1930.
MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF ST. HILAIRE
Mortgagee.

Paul A. Lundgren
Attorney for Mortgagee.
A21S25

DETROIT VOTES DOWN BOWLES

Huey Long Takes 20,000 Lead In Race for Senator In Lousiana.

Detroit—The Detroit News, which vigorously supported another candidate, conceded the election of Frank Murphy, former recorder's judge, as mayor to fill the vacancy created by the recall of Mayor Charles Bowles.

The election closed one of the most bitter campaigns in the history of Detroit and came after months of political excitement. Bowles won the mayoralty last November after losing two races. The charges on which the recall campaign was based included toleration of lawlessness and attempting to build up a political machine among city employees. The assassination of Jerry Buckley, radio political commentator and critic of Bowles, a few hours after he had announced the results of the recall election added to the excitement and is now the subject of a grand jury investigation.

Governor Huey P. Long was leading Senator Joseph E. Ransdell by approximately 20,000 majority in the Democratic primary for the United States senate nomination on returns from 1,024 precincts out of a total of 1,423 precincts. On the basis of city and country returns available Governor Long will win by from 15,000 to 25,000 majority in Louisiana.

South Carolina Democrats appeared to have relegated Senator Cole L. Blease, veteran political leader, to private life as a result of run-off primary for the party's senatorial nomination. Former Congressman James F. Byrnes, Spartanburg, had a lead of nearly 5,000 votes over the incumbent. Senator James Couzens' lead in the race for the Republican nomination to succeed himself in Michigan.

Alimony for Him

"I guess I'll have to give him up as hopeless," she sighed.

"Is he as bad as ever?" asked her dearest friend.

"Yes," she replied. "I've bought him the right shaving cream, the right tooth paste, made him use the proper tobacco; in fact, I haven't overlooked a single ad, and still he is impossible.

Results of the Fray

"Say, old man, you are a sight! Why, you are pasted with fudge and smeared with chewing gum. Get mixed up in a candy store?"

"Worse than that. I attempted to umpire a basketball game between two girl teams."

A Small Matter

Clarence Littleneck—Thinking of you all day has given me absence of mind.

Dolly Dill—Don't worry. You'll never miss it.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated March 11th, 1924, executed by John Fromm and Clara Fromm, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on March 13th, 1924, at eleven o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 169 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $91.33, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $93.75, due on September 11th, 1926, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $93.75 each, due on March 11th, 1929, September 11th, 1929, and March 11th, 1930, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,791.61, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from March 11th, 1930, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $372.58, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $91.33 thereof since November 8th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since March 11th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since September 11th, 1929, and on $93.75 thereof since March 11th, 1930, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $300.05 for taxes, including interest, penalties and costs, and interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, and the sum of $36.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1930, in all the sum of $3,595.95, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-eight (26) and the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 200 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 17th day of October, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 3rd, 1930.
STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. S4-O9

25 Years Ago

Mrs. P. Stranahan and Mrs. Jens Nelson left for a visit with relatives at Grand Forks and Fargo.

—XXV—

John Maakrud left for a visit at his old home at La Crosse, Wis.

—XXV—

There was a shortage of cars for handling outgoing shipments of lumber from the mill.

—XXV—

Patrons of the creamery were paid $3,470.00 for cream delivered in August that year. The price of butterfat was 20 cents a pound.

—XXV—

Over half of the steel on the new Soo line from Thief River Falls to Kenmare was laid, and the whole job was to be finished before winter set in.

—XXV—

The Great Northern commenced surveying from Roseau to Warroad. Prospects were good for the line going through to Lake of the Woods the following year.

—XXV—

Pete Lindblom cut 150 acres of grain out of 300 that fall and was compelled to let the balance stand because the fields were so soft from continued rains that it was impossible to take a binder on them.

Ancient Nicknames

The name "Charlies" was given to night watchmen in London about 1640 for King Charles I, who improved the police system.

Auction Sale

The following listed personal property will be sold at public auction at the Soderberg farm, a half mile south of St. Hilaire, along T. H. No. 32. on

Friday, Sept. 26, 1930

Sale Starts at 11:00 A. M.

HORSES

Roan gelding, weight 1300
Grey horse, weight 1400
Bay horse, weight 1400

CATTLE

Registered Holstein bull 2 1-2 years old with papers
2 Holstein cows, 3 years old
Red cow, 8 years old
Holstein cow, 4 years old
Holstein cow, 7 years old
2 Holstein yearling heifers
5 Holstein heifer spring calves
Red cow, 5 years old
Roan cow, 8 years old
Grey and white cow, age 5
White heifer, 3 years old
Roan yearling heifer
3 black and white heifers, age 3

SHEEP

2 Shropshire ewes
1 Shropshise lamb

Center table, Chiffioner Some dishes
2 iron beds, full size, 2 springs 1 mattress

MACHINERY

J. Deere binder, 8 foot cut
J. Deere mower, nearly new
J. Deere gang, 13 inch
Van Brunt single disc drill
Wide tire wagon with rack
24 foot wood drag
Hero fanning mill and bagger
Deering hay rake
Corn cultivator
Spring tooth harrow
Narrow tire wagon
Set light sleighs
Vega cream separator
1 jumper, 1 disc
Chevrolet touring car, Model 490

Miscellaneous

Two sets harness and collars
2 single harnesses, About 200 bu. oats
Wisconsin incubator, 170 egg size
Canopy top oil brooder stove
Steel Coral range, Extension table 6 ft.
Extension table, 8 foot, Library table
2 upholstered rockers, 1 wood rocker
Folding cot, Hard coal heater, 1 sink

FREE LUNCH AT NOON

TERMS: Usual sale terms will apply. Anyone desiring credit must arrange with clerk before sale begins. No property to be removed from premises until settlement is made.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Soderberg

Owners

Wm. Eukel, Austioneer

Farmers State Bank, Clerk

LIGHTS of NEW YORK By GRANT DIXON

Avaids Women

When you hear the name, Pirie MacDonald, you unconsciously think of the phrase, "photographer of men." MacDonald has been a photographer of men for 30 years, and not once in that time has he made a woman's portrait. Sixty thousand men have posed for him in that time.

Men who make pictures of women make emasculated pictures of men, says MacDonald, and he will have nothing of it. At Christmas time he wanted a portrait of his daughter, and he paid another photographer $180 to do the job.

Women, MacDonald claims, wear uniforms, while the men dress distinctively. "Take the Ritz hallroom," he goes on. "Out of 100 women, 95 wear gowns cut to the minute. Their hair is done the same, and they powder and paint by decree."

And the strange part of it is that MacDonald, thirty years and more ago, won four successive annual prizes for the best photographs of women.

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Then and Now

Hunter college, New York's college for girls, has advanced with the rest of the country since it was founded by Thomas Hunter in 1870. President Hunter ruled his wards with a stern hand, and one of his most strictly enforced rules was that only parents or guardians of the girls might meet them near the college. When, on a morning stroll down Park avenue, President Hunter met a girl in company with a gentleman, the girl invariably would say, "But, sir, he is my brother." President Hunter finally banished brothers. His wards couldn't eat candy, nor could they loiter on the sidewalk. And now let's look at them. Noontime comes, and they flock to drug stores for gooey nut sundaes; then they stand in knots at street corners and subway entrances, chatting with youths and defying the Hunter ghost.

Announcement

We have bought the Art Hendrickson coal sheds and will carry a good supply of coal on hand. Will have one carload of Berwind Briquetes and one of Bonnie Blue on the track in a few days. Save by taking your coal from the car.

Central Lumber Co.

William Peterson, Manager

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

We are told that breakfast should be eaten in silence, and it generally is if each member of the family can secure a part of the newspaper.—Boston Transcript.

Whale's Hide Valuable

The hide of a single whale has made 200 pairs of boots, 25 pairs of shoes besides large quantities of heavy belting, shoestrings, etc.—Capper's Weekly.

Thing to Remember

"Do not resent a debt," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "but remember that the creditor was a friend in the moment of need."—Washington Star.

His Hard Luck

Then there is the man who woke up with a black eye and decided he'd been fighting in his dreams and was too sleepy to defend himself.

Dangerous Extremes

Adversity and prosperity are the opposite phases of life, but either is apt to breed discontent.—American Magazine.

To Gain Knowledge

The genuine lover of knowledge must, from his youth up, strive intensely after all truth.—Plato.

Coal! Coal!

Have your coal bin replenished now before cold weather sets in. We have a good supply of different grades of coal and can make immediate delivery for you.

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REVENGE

The young bride was standing on the tiled porch using a new pair of field glasses.

"Darling," she cried, "the real estate agent who told you that our house was only a stone's throw from the station is getting out of the train now."

"Oh, is he?" returned her husband grimly. "Well, give me a brick out of the garden and I'll do my best."

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00
Morning service 11:00
Services in Eastside school Sunday evening at 8:00.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
Albin A. Larson, Pastor

Serviecs in Black River River at 10:00.

Sunday school in local church at 2:00 with services following at 3:00 in the English Language

District Mission meeting next Tuesday in local church morning afternoon and evening.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Sept. 21, services as fol lows:-

Harvest Festival in Clearwater church at 11:00. Service in American language. Offering will be lifted. Dinner will be served at the church. Devotional meeting in the afternoon, in both Norwegian and American.

Ebenezer Services at 1:30

St. Hilaire Luther League at 8:00

Mr. and Mrs. Lee E. Beebe motored Sunday to Karlstad and visited at the Urdahl home.

"Magnetic Hills"

There is a hill outside of Los Angeles that is popularly known as Magnetic hill. The common explanation is that there is a meteoric body in the side of the hill that exerts a magnetic force. As a matter of fact, the magnetic force is imaginary and cars do not climb uphill without any power on. The rider is simply the victim of an optical illusion, produced by the contrast in two grades. The motorist approaches the hill on a 15-degree grade, and as he proceeds up he comes to a sharp curve. After turning he seems to be still going uphill, though his machine will coast without power. In reality he is making a two-degree down grade. The sharp contrast of two grades or declines produces the illusion. It is said that other similar "magnetic hills" are common wherever roads wind around hills or mountains.

120-MILE STORM LEVELS BUILDINGS

Hurricane Hammers Down Communication Lines at Cape Lookout.

Norfolk, Va.—The North Carolina seaboard, from Morehead city to a point north of Hatteras, was swept by a storm of hurricane velocity. The wind, from the southeast, attained a velocity of 120 miles at Cape Lookout and 80 miles at Morehead city. At the latter place practically every telephone and telegraph line was blown down, and that section was cut off from communication with the outside world.

At Cape Lookout the wind took away the roof of the government wireless plant, demolished a dozen buildings, and piled a number of small boats far on the shore. At Ocracoke island, inhabited by about 500 people, the wind attained a velocity of more than 75 miles. Communication with that place also was cut off and the damage done there could not be learned. No injuries or loss of life were reported. Approximately 100 refugees from the storm were being cared for in the damaged coast guard station. Full extent of the damage will not be known until communications are restored.

Crime Board Units Are Chosen.

St. Paul—Judge Oscar Hallam has set the machinery of Governor Theodore Christianson's newly created crime commission into action. He appointed committeemen to start at once the task of investigating methods of criminal apprehension employed by various states and named a committee, also, to take charge of finances for the commission's work. The committees were ordered to start work at once. They will submit outlines for their work at a meeting of the commission in two weeks. Governor Christianson, addressing the opening meeting of the commission at the state capitol urged the crime commission consider a proposal to unite the present law enforcing bodies of the state and to broaden their power. He asked that the state bureau of criminal apprehension, the state highway patrol and the state fire marshal's office be joined under the command of the governor.

Chamber Doubts Cut In Speculation.

Minneapolis—Speculation and wide price fluctuation cannot be eliminated from the wheat market by regulation of the flow of the commodity to market by the producer unless there can be 100 per cent worldwide co-operation, a committee of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States declared in a report in the hands of the Minneapolis Chamber of Commerce. The report containing four recommendations on commodity exchange trading, was submitted to the Minneapolis chamber, the Civic and Commerce Association and about 1,800 other affiliates of the national organization as a referendum. Contained in the bulky referendum volume are also negative arguments.

Board May Enter N. W. Stock Field.

South St. Paul—Probability that the federal farm board may enter the northwest livestock marketing field with an entirely new setup to compete at South St. Paul with present co-operative organizations was seen with reports that efforts of the National Livestock Marketing Association to obtain a member here had failed. The National Livestock Marketing Association is a farm board organization. Northwest livestock co-operatives refused to enter that setup because of socalled arbitrary rulings of the farm board that they claimed would destroy the identity of its members and disrupt their present marketing scheme.

Bandits Rob Two N. W. Banks.

Minneapolis—Striking almost simultaneously, bandits held up two northwest banks, one at Grandy, Minn., and the other at Harrisburg, S. D. It was the second Minnesota bank robbery in two days. One man held up two officers of the state bank at Grandy, 45 miles north of Minneapolis, and fled in an automobile with approximately $500. Three men robbed the Harrisburg State bank of $1,756. They escaped in an easterly direction, after changing automobiles about two miles from Harrisburg, which is 10 miles south of Sioux Falls.

Dry Directors Asks $11,200,000.

Washington—An increase in the funds for the prohibition bureau from $9,000,000 to $11,200,000 was asked of the budget bureau by Director Woodcock to permit the addition of 500 agents to his staff of 1,475. The increased appropriation which would have to meet the approval of congress would boost the total cost of the dry enforcement agencies, including the coast guard and industrial alcohol bureau, to well over the $15,000,000 limit

Roosevelt Out for Dry Law Repeal.

Albany, N. Y.—Governor Franklin D. Roosevelt came out for repeal of the 18th amendment. The governor's attitude was expressed in a letter to United States Senator Robert F. Wagner of New York.

Bandits Get $30,000 Bank Loot.

Paterson, N. J.—Masked holdup men entered the Merchants Trust Company shortly after the bank was opened for business and made off with $30,000. Bank clerks were herded into a vault.

The Test of Their Love

By H. IRVING KING

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THE Honorable Roscoe Fielding had money; had been abroad; had been in congress; was respected by the community and had a good digestion. A well-conducted and dutiful orphaned nephew lived with him and acted as his secretary and general factotum. A charming young lady, daughter of a deceased friend, and Roscoe's ward, was also an inmate of his home and was devoted to her guardian. His life glided along smoothly and pleasantly and yet he was not entirely happy. Every mortal has a past of one sort or another and the Honorable Roscoe was no exception. The obstreperous part of Fielding's past was that which had to do with his marriage. Hailed as a "love match" it had turned out most unhappily; and though the woman in the case had long been dead, the incident—for after all it had been only an incident in the busy life of Roscoe Fielding—had given a certain twist to his mind which caused him to doubt the existence of such a thing as pure and disinterested love—the kind the poets sing of and the romancers write about.

James Ripley and Florence Ratcliff, his nephew and his ward, were, however, absolutely sure that the poets and the romance writers were correct. So, after talking the matter over in the manner customary with young people in a similar situation, James went to his uncle and told him he and Florence were in love with each other and, therefore and consequently, wanted to be married.

"Nonsense!" cried the pessimistic uncle; "it's propinquity, not love, that is the matter with you two. I suppose that, sooner or later, you are bound to get married. But marry like a reasonable being. Pick out a girl with money, a good disposition, and ambition and worldly knowledge enough to assist you in making a career for yourself."

The old man then delivered a sermon to Florence upon the text of the absurdity of marrying for love and intimated that she would do James an irreparable injury by marrying him. This last argument so impressed Florence that when James proposed that they go off and get married at once, the Honorable Roscoe notwithstanding, she tearfully but firmly negatived the proposal. Fielding watched the young couple closely for awhile and then began to have misgivings. "I wonder," he thought, "if there is the possibility of such a thing as a successful love match, after all."

Two months later the Honorable Roscoe Fielding died. After the funeral the "family lawyer" asked James and Florence to call at his office. There he showed them a will of the deceased in which he divided his large fortune evenly between his nephew and his ward; upon the condition that they sign a written agreement not to marry each other. If they refused to sign such an agreement, or, having signed it, violated it, then the fortune went to a research society and James and Florence were left penniless.

"Let the society have the money and be hanged," said James. "For my part I absolutely refuse to sign any such agreement. You say the same; don't you, Florence?"

"N-o-o," faltered Florence tearfully. "I'll si-g-n. Guardian told me I should ruin your prospects in life if I married you—and I see now that I would. I love you too well for that."

"What!" cried James, "are you going to let the prejudices of a dead man who happened to have been unfortunate in not being able to discriminate between spurious love and the real article, stand between us? Or is it, perhap ur share of the money you want?"

The taunt brought Florence to her feet with flashing eyes. "James Ripley," she cried, "you know very well it isn't the money."

"Of course I do, old girl," laughed James. "Ruin my career if you married me did uncle say? You'll ruin my life if you don't. We both refuse the conditions of the will, sir. Come on, Florence." She started to follow her lover; but the lawyer called them back.

"My instructions from my late client were," said he, "that in case you agreed to the conditions of this will I should burn this envelope unopened. If you refused, I was to open it." He took from a large envelope a will signed two days after the one he had read, in which Fielding had bequeathed his fortune to his nephew and his ward unconditionally.

"Poor, dear Mr. Fielding," said Florence, "he sought to test the reality of our love by mere money! It will stand harder tests than that—won't it, James?"

"You bet," said James. And through the years of their long wedded life it did—and stood them successfully.

Still Have Husking Bees

The husking bee has not gone out of existence. In fact, husking today is just as popular and, due to the recent prizes offered, more profitable than in former times. It is true that husking bees are not the big social event of the fall season that they were a generation or so ago. Radio, automobiles and good roads have changed the social life of the farm, but today husking is on a highly competitive basis, and several states make a feature of the corn husking contest.

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The St. Hilaire Spectator

Many Enroll For Fall Term At A. C.

Approximetely three hundred students from fifteen Northwestern Minnesota counties have reserved rooms in the dormitories and will register for the fall term at the Northwest School of Agriculture, Crookston, according to an announcement made by Register J. W. Milner The fall term opens September 29 and closes for the Christmas Holi days December 19, with the winter term opening January 6, and closing March 27, 1931. This makes a convenient time for farm boys and girls to be in school, for they are at home to assist with the farm work during the spring, summer and fall months.

Mr. Milner states that the folling students from Pennington County have already reserved their rooms: Marie Hoffman, Erie; Alta, Weckwerth, Hazel; Donald Toomery, Oliver Omundson, Violet Solmen[illegible]n; Thief River Falls.

First Change Carrier Simple but Ingenious

Massachusetts investigators have unearthed what seems to be the first change carrier ever used in a mercantile establishment. An early storekeeper in Lowell was established in a long and narrow building. The cashier was located in the extreme rear of the store, and clerks in getting change for customers were forced to waste much energy and time. The merchant preferred to keep the cashier in the back of the store and still to increase the efficiency of his establishment.

He pondered and finally hit upon an ingenious device. Taking wooden croquet balls, he sawed them in half, hollowed out the halves and hinged them, adding a small clasp to hold them together. Then, building two wooden troughs the length of the store and slanting one so the ball would roll to the cashier and the other to the clerks in the front, the carrier was complete. This simple device is said to be the father of the electric and pneumatic carriers used.

About Ourselves

The closing years of our lives sit in judgment on the past. In youth we make our age.

Unimproved Waterway

A "natural" waterway is a navigable waterway which is not improved.

No Skylarks In America

The skylark has not been introduced into the United States.

Service Station

We handle a full line of Peoples Oil Company greases, oils and gasoline. Drive in when you want service—we are ready to give it. Free air and water.

We also handle tires, tubes, batteries and various other kinds of auto accessories.

Repair shop in rear of the oil station. Bring in your car if it needs overhauling or repairs.

Engh's Service Station

Protect The Children

With schools going full blast in most districts the problem of protecting the children from automobile accidents is again before us. Here are some suggestions for insuring the safety of the pupils, coming through a State Highway bulletin.

If the school grounds are close to heavily traveled streets or highways a fence should be erected to prevent the children from running thoughtlessly into the stream of traffic.

Where children must cross a trunk highway or a street with much traffic, they should be taken across in a group by school police, local police, or teachers.

Children walking along the highways should be taught to walk on the left side, facing the traffic, and perferably in groups.

SAFETY, should have a regular place in the school curriculum. Children should be trained to be constantly on the alert.

Portable "STOP" signs to be held in the hand by persons taking children across the highways, or to be placed a short distance ahead of the place they cross will be furnished by the State Highway department on request to schools located on a trunk highway.

The department does not favor placing "STOP" signs near schools during hours other than when children are being taken across. Experience indicates that signs do not accomplish their purpose, and in some cases have made the bazard greater. "SCHOOL" signs which call for caution but do not require a stop, are placed in advance of all schools located on trunk highways.

S. W. Streus, Banker, Dies.

New York—Simon William Streus, noted financier and chairman of the hoard of S. W. Streus & Co., died at his hotel suite here. He wes 63, and had been ill for more than a year. Generally recognized as the originator of the modern first mortgege real astate bond, he wes one of the pioneers in aiding the development of the American skyscraper. His company was smong the first to finance large buildings

Bank Raiders Get $30,000.

Ottumwa, Iowa—The Ottumwa Savings hank was robbed of $30,000 by five unmasked handits who forced employes and customers to lie on the floor while they scoped up the currency from the vault. Although sheriffs and peace officers of surrounding counties were notified immediately and airplenes scoured the country side in an effort to trace the handit car, the quintet had not heen found.

Jascha Heifetz Daddy to Girl.

New York—Jascha Heifetz, violinist, is the daddy of a girl. He was married two years ago to Florence Vidor, screen star, after she had obtained a divorce from King Vidor, film director.

Graf Visits Moscow and Returns.

Moscow—The Graf Zeppelin paid its first official visit to the soviet capital. It was greeted with red flags flying and bands playing proletartian airs. After a brief visit it left for Germany.

LOCALS

For Sale:- 4 shares of capital stock in the St. Hilaire Co op Creamery Association, per value $25.00 per share. Money invested in this creamery is safe and draws good interest.

We offer this stock at $20.00 per share cash.

Farmers State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.
L. E. Healy.
Special Deputy Examiner

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Wyandotte News

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Haugen and daughter Doris spent Friday at the Ole Hanson home.

Miss Martha Albin of Stillwater and Mrs. Lia Magnuson of Little Falls are spending a week visiting at the J. Albin and P. Kolseth homes.

Misses Gina and Hannah Haugen spent Wednesday afternoon at the J. Albin home.

Rev. Dahle called at the Peter Kolseth and J. Albin homes on Wednesday.

Mrs. C. Carlson and Lillian visited at the O. Wilson home on Tuesday.

Misses Martha Albin and Marie Kolseth visited at Warren Monday.

Martha Albin, Carl and Merle Kolseth visited Sunday at the R. Nelson home at Thief River.

Those spending the week-end at their homes were Selma and Alvina, Wilson, Harritte Bruggeman and Alice Carlson.

FOR SALE, etc.

Plow Lays For All Plows

I have lays to fit John Deere, Oliver, Emerson and Moline plows on band. Can furnish lays for any make of plow on very short order. Order your lays now and bave them when you need them.

Wm. Olson, St. Hilaire, Minn.

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Legge Visions Rise in Wheat Price.

Washington—Better prices for wheat were predicted by Chairman Legge of the farm hoard on the theory thet the use of farm stocks for livestock feed and hetter than normal export demand will convince the trade that wheat is on a domestic basis. The chairman said that farmers could afford to feed wheat at $1 a bushel and advised that they hold what corn they have for finishing. Stock fed on corn first will not do so well if it is changed later to substitute feed, he said, hut will make good gains on wheat and fatten well on a later ration of corn.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Onamia—A filling station here was robbed of an undetermined amount.

Dundas—Schools here have resumed with Mrs. I. L. Herkenatta as principal.

Minneapolis—Lewis Rober, originator of kittenhall and veteran Minneapolis fireman, is dead.

Ellendale—Mrs. Albert A. Miller is the new president of the women's American Legion auxiliary here.

Crosby—M. R. Siemens has resigned as pastor of the Presbyterian church here, effective November 1.

Bird Island—A chapter of the Izaak Walton League has been organized here with Frank Karp as president.

Battle Lake—Theodore F. Green, 54, farmer, living here, was found dead on the roadside near his home.

Duluth—Edward L. Kimball, 58, one of the leading attorneys in Duluth, died at a local hospital after a brief illness.

Mankato—Eberhardt Klughers, for 30 years engaged in police work, died of injuries suffered in an automobile accident.

Chatfield—John B. Greenlee, one of four surviving members of the G. A. R. here, was 90 years, coming to Minnesota in 1846.

Crookston—Adolph Lindberg of Beltrami died here from burns received when his automobile overturned and burst into flames.

Wells—The annual calf day celebration will be conducted here September 20. Baseball, other sports and speaking are planned.

Litchfield—Litchfield schools opened with S. E. Tift as superintendant. The new high school building is not ready, except one wing.

Sauk Centre—Rev. E. B. Peterson, pastor of the Gospel Tabernacle, has resigned to become associated with the Bethel church at Sisseton, S. D.

Neilsville—Knute S. Aker, pioneer resident of Polk county and a member of the Minnesota legislature in 1911 and 1912, died at his home here.

Duluth—Despite earlier movement of 1930 northwest grain compared with 1929, receipts at the Head of the Lakes in August failed to equal last year.

Minneapolis—Earle Brown, head of the state highway patrol has declined his appointment to the state criminal board recently made by Gov. Christianson.

Wheaton—Suffering a broken neck when his car overturned, Herman A. Quast, president of the State Bank of Wheaton and a resident here 32 years, died.

Winona—Mrs. Dorothy Nesbit of Lake City was granted a divorce and custody of the two children from Dr. Harold Nesbit, formerly of St. Paul and Rochester.

Fairmont—Southwestern Minnesota Lutherans from 15 congregations will commemorate the four hundredth anniversary of the Augsburg confession here September 14.

Rochester—Rev. N. G. Maakstad of Whitehall, Wis., has accepted a call to become pastor at Zumbro Lutheran church here. He succeeds Rev. C. L. Lee, resigned.

Anoka—John Palmer, 63, mayor of Anoka and active in the political and civic affairs of that city for more than 40 years, died at Midway hospital following an operation.

Sleepy Eye—Amy Wessel, for four years county home demonstration agent here, has been appointed to the 4-H club staff at University Farm school as state club agent.

Minneapolis—His skull crushed, Joseph Maley, 52, died at General hospital from injuries received when a city truck on which he was employed collided with an automobile.

Grand Rapids—The First National Bank of Grand Rapids has taken over the Itasca County State Bank, effective at once. F. E. King is the president of the merged bank.

Winona—14 appointments in parishes and educational institutions of the Catholic diocese of Winona made by Bishop Francis M. Kelly, were announced, effective September 14.

Minneapolis—Dr. Walter E. List, head of the Minneapolis General hospital for 10 years, resigned, announcing his acceptance of the superintendency of the Jewish hospital in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Duluth—The city council unanimously approved a proposal to submit the voters on November 4 a $2,000,000 bond issue to finance permanent public works improvement in Duluth to relieve unemployment.

Hamline—Eight days crammed with interest and excitement for many thousands of visitors came to an end here with the close of the largest state fair that Minnesota ever has hed, registering an attendance of over 15,000 more than the 1929 fair.

Minneapolis—Following a collision of two automobiles here, Wallish Countick, 48, of 205 Twenty-second avenue north, died before he could be taken to a hospital. His death was the fifty-second of the year attributed to traffic mishaps in Minneapolis.

Medford—Thieves who broke into the general merchandise store of J. B. Pike and Son here stole men's clothing valued at $60.

Ortonville—When school opened L. Hagie of Waterville, Minn., was in charge as superintendent, H. N. Peterson going to Alexandria.

New Ulm—Dr. Martin Luther College here has added a new faculty member in preparation for the school year opening, Victor Voecks of Appleton, Wis., who will be athletic coach and director of physical training.

MAN GETS COAT OF TAR AND FEATHERS

Doctor, Victim, Accuses Son of Former Premier.

Penticton, Canada.—Dripping tar, and the lower portion of his body covered with feathers, Dr. V. E. Latimer, formerly of Brandon, Manitoba, prominent all over western Canada as an eye, ear and nose specialist, and a man well up in years, staggered into town recently and charged Charles E. Oliver, son of the late Hon. John Oliver, formerly premier of British Columbia, with causing grievous bodily harm. Mr. Oliver was arrested and immediately released on bail.

The tar and feather episode is the culmination of a long series of charges made against Doctor Latimer by Mr. Oliver.

"Abandon Hope."

About three weeks ago red paint and blood were splattered on Doctor Latimer's sign outside his office, and inscribed in blood on the sign were the words: "Abandon hope, all ye who enter here." This episode was mentioned in the local press at the time, but it was considered the work of some practical joker.

In connection with the tar and feathering episode Doctor Latimer stated to the police he was called to the telephone at his home by a man who gave the name of Harvey. This man stated he wished to see the doctor in his office, and said he would be at the office at 7:15 o'clock.

Doctor Latimer drove down to his office, and seeing a man in the street outside, asked him if he was Harvey. The answer, the doctor states he received, was a right swing to the jaw, which knocked him to the sidewalk.

Two other men, who apparently had been loitering in the darkness, jumped on the doctor, and, assisted by the man who hit him on the jaw, threw him into a motor car standing at the curb.

The car was driven away at a furious pace. Constable Allercott, on patrol duty, spotted the car, and as it whizzed past him he fired a shot at the rear right tire. The shot apparently did not take effect, according to the constable's statement, as the car continued its mad flight.

Tarred and Feathered.

Doctor Latimer states that on the car reaching a point about two miles and a half from the center of the city and in a lonely vacant lot the three men took him out of the car. His trousers and underwear were removed. A large pail of tarlike mixture, a slimy, sticky road substance, was at the scene of the festivities. In this one of the men dipped a stable brush. The tar was applied to the legs and body of the physician. A pillow slip full of feathers was slit open. The feathers were scattered on the tar besmeared limbs of the aged specialist.

The three men hopped into the car and drove off at the same rate of speed at which they approached.

Doctor Latimer left, minus his trousers and covered with the tar and feathers, and said he was forced to walk the two and a half miles back to the city with only his overcoat to cover him.

Police, after being notified, were easily able to find the scene of the tar and feather episode by the trail of tar left on the sidewalks by the doctor during his walk to town.

Reaching his home, Doctor Latimer summoned Dr. R. B. White. The physician found Doctor Latimer suffering from a badly swollen jaw and from shock. He immediately ordered him to bed.

When Doctor Latimer filed the grievous bodily harm charge against Mr. Oliver he told the police he had recognized the voice of Mr. Oliver, and for this reason was sure he was one of the trio which had kidnaped him.

Officer Shoots to Halt Car, Baby Killed

Hazard, Ky.—The 20 months' old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maggard of Hard Burley, died in a hospital here of a bullet wound received while riding with her parents in an automobile. B. E. Hill, on special duty job as a speed officer, said he fired to frighten the Maggards to a stop and had no intention of hitting any one in the car. The Maggards denied they had been speeding.

Peru Frees American Prisoner.

Washington—The state department was informed officially that Harold B. Grow, an American naval reserve aviator who was imprisoned by the new Peruvian military junta, has been released. Grow, chief of Peru's air forces under President Leguia, had been detained on a charge of having plotted to bomb the city of Arequipa and of having been a "mercenary."

Hawks Beats N. Y.-Detroit Record.

Detroit, Mich.—Captain Frank Hawks, holder of east and west transcontinental records, established a new record for a New York-Detroit nonstop flight. His elapsed time of three hours and three minutes bettered the previous record of four hours and 15 minutes set two years ago by Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh.

Record Hailstone

Probably the largest hailstone to fall in this country, or at least of which there is authentic record, is one that fell in a storm in Nebraska in 1928. It was 17 inches in circumference and weighed 1½ pounds.

Better Machinery Means Larger Returns To You

Now that threshing is finished, are you equipped to do a good job of plowing?

If your plow does not perform as you would like, come in and let me show yon some that will.

You can save both time and money as well as getting your work done in good season, by using a McCormick-Deering tractor. It will handle all field work besides furnishing power for other uses. It requires no care when idle—and it capable of working both day and night should it be necessary.

Regardless of what you may need in farm machinery, I have it on hand, or can get it for you upon short notice. My fast truck will bring any machine direct to your farm. SERVICE is here for you.

Adolph Satterberg

Dealer in Farm Machinery
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

More House Dresses

We have another consignment of those nifty house dresses that have been so popular with our customers this year.

These are made from color-fast fabrics, neatly made and trimmed. They range in price from

98c to $3.98

You'll agree with us that those are exceptionally good values when you see them.

Carlson Merc. Co., Inc.

O. C. Johnson, Manager
ST. HILAIRE, MINNESOTA

Tortoise—Let it be understood before we run this race, that I want 75 per cent of the gate receipts and all movie rights!

Three Miles on a Pint

Bill thought his gas was getting low;
He struck a match; the tank let go!
Bill sailed three miles right in the air—
Three miles on a pint is pretty fair.

Splendid Test

John—What is the best way to find out what a woman thinks of you?

James—Marry her.

A New Recipe

"John," said Mrs. Newlywed, "run to the drug store quick and get a bottle of paste."

"Library paste?" asked her husband, in surprise.

"Yes, if you can't get kitchen paste. I'm going to make some French pastry for your dinner.

Liquid Chicken

Freshman—We sure have a fine landlady. She saved me the tenderest part of the chicken when I was late for dinner yesterday.

Soph—What part was that?

Freshman—The g r a v y.—Capper's Weekly.

More Modernism

Jack—Why did you break with Alice, I thought you were crazy about her?

Jim—I am, but I decided I couldn't stand it to live with her folks.

No Good Cook

Ichiban—My wife is a canny housekeeper.

Sayonara—My wife doesn't know how to cook either.

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Maakrud-Palmquist

Last Saturday morning at 11 o' clock at the local Norwegian Lutheran parsonage occured the marriage of Miss Alice Maakrud, daughter of John Maakrud of this village to Mr. William Palmquist, son of Mrs. Julia Palmquist of Hazel, Rev. M. L. Dahle officiating. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Evelyn Maakrud, and Mr. Fredolph Swanson acted as best man. The bride wore a maroon glaze dress with hat to match, and carried a beautiful arm boquet of pink roses.

After the ceremony a three course dinner was served at home of the bride's father to immediate relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Palmquist left the same day to spend a week in the Twin Cities, and at LaCrosse and other points in Wisconsin after which they will return to make their home on the groom's farm near Hazel.

The bride is a graduate of the local high school with the class of 1928, and for the past two years has been employed in the local postoffice. The groom, is a most progressive young man, is engaged in farming southeast of here.

Both bride and groom were raised in this community, and enjoy a large circle of friends. The Spectator joins with the latter in extending congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Palmquist, and wishing them lifelong happiness.

The Sewing Circle of the Evang. Mission church will be entertained at the W. P. Wilson home Friday evening this week. Everybody wel come.

Rev. M. L. Dahle, accompanied by Mrs. H. Thorstveit, motored Friday to Moorhead to visit briefly with their children who attend Concordia College. Upon return they were accompanied by Mrs. Mrs. Dahle who had spent a week at Moorhead.

Enjoy your home more. $15.00 down and $2.93 per week brings you a new Coronada Radio with tone control -- the newest in radio. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

GET A Good JOB or business of your own! Write us about our Expert Master Course. New free catalog. HANSON AUTO-TRACTOR & ELEC SCHOOL, Fargo. N. Dak.

Auction Sale Tomorrow

An auction sale of stock, michinery, household goods and other personal property takes place at the Fred Soderberg farm south of town tomorrow, starting at 11:00. Some more machinery, in addition to that listed on the hills, will be offered. Mr. Soderberg has an especially fine lot of Holstein dairy stock and it is anticipated these will bring good prices.

Call New Minister

At a recent meeting of the Black River, St. Hilaire and Clara Swedish Lutheran congregations, a call was extended to to Rev. Fred Olson of Michigan to succeed Rev. A. F. Nelson in this charge. Rev. Olson is not a stranger to the Swedish folk in this vicinity as he preached here several times while a student. No acceptance to the call has been received from Rev. Olson thus far.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Anderson and daughter, Volborg, of Greenbush, visited at the O. G. Hanson home Sunday. A trip was made to the Arne Vik farm to view the modern dairy equipment, and the party was served a bounteous chicken supper there.

Mr. and Mrs: Geo. Fricker of Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Adolphs of Virginia, Mrs. G. Adolphs of Thief River Falls, and William Peterson were dinner guests Thursday at the M. Fricker home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Royal and family, accompanied by James Hopkin and family of Crookston, motored last Sunday to Fargo and spent the day there with friends.

Wm. Peterson, accompanied by Miss Hazel Frieker, motored Saturday to Drayton, N. D., and spent the week-end visiting at the Ed Peterson and H. Buchanan homes.

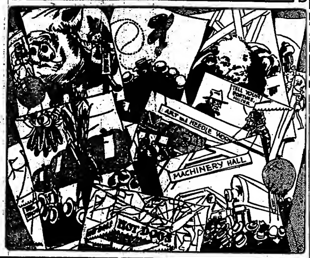
Henry and William Olsen motored Monday to Warren to see their sister, Mrs. John Forseen who is critically ill. No hope is held out for her recovery.

For Sale:- Registered Holstein bull, coming three years old. Call at the farm a half mile west of Hazel, or address.

Mrs. M. Lokken
S25O2p R1 Hazel, Minn.

Try a want adv.

Snap Shots at the Fair



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Miss Amelia Hallameck left Saturday for Viking where she will teach a term of school.

Regular monthly meeting of the creamery board was held Monday and checks issued for cream delivered the past month.

Attorney Paul Lundgren was down Tuesday from Thief River interviewing the voters in regard his candidacy for county attorney.

The pie social given last Saturday evening at the Odd Fellows hall by the Ladies Aid of the Evang Mission church was very well attended.

Erling Prestby and family are moving in this week from Hazel to occupy the Dahle residence on south Water street.

Ernest Patenode, formerly in the barber business here, was up Tuesday from Red Lake Falls renewing acquaintances and greeting old friends.

Henry Olson, representing the Interstate Seed Company at Fargo, was here for a short time Monday attending to business matters.

Miss Inez Pattesson, assistant superintendent of the Home School for Girls at Sauk Center, is spending a short vacation at the Patterson summer cottage at Maple Lake.

L. E. Healy, special deputy examiner in charge of the Farmers State Bank, was in town all day Tuesday attending to business of the bank.

Fred Biskey, accompanied by Miss Martha Launa, Mrs. K. O. Gigstad and daughter Evelyn, motored Sunday to Moorhead and spent the day there with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hanson motored here yesterday from St. Paul for a visit at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson. They visited with friends at Duluth while enroute here.

Kenard Hovet, accompanied by a friend, Miss Betty Weyer, motored up Friday from Ortonville and spent until Monday at the home of his mother, Mrs. K. Kolstad. Kenard has been employed the past year as compositor on the weekly newspaper at Ortonville.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Giese and family were over Sunday from Grand Forks for a visit at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson.

The Dorcas Society will be entertained by Mesdames K. Dalager and M. Dahle at the Norwegian Lutheran church hasement Saturday afternoon. All welcome.

Miss Evelyn Maakrud began teaching a term of school Monday in Dist. 108J between here and Red Lake Falls.

Miss Myrtle Palmquist, who attends the Bemidji State Teachers College, spent the week-end at the home of her mother, Mrs. John Palmquist, south of Hazel.

With exception of a very few flax and sweet clover jobs, threshing is finished in this locality, and plowing is well under way.

Mrs. Selma Winter returned Sunday from Crookston where she had been a patient a week at Bethesda hospital. She is much improved and is able to attend to her usual duties at the postoffice.

Potato digging was started here this week. The crop is spotted, being very good in some places, and poor in others. As the market is around a dollar a bushel, those who have a good crop this year will realize well for their spuds.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beebe, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad, motored to Crookston on Sunday for a brief visit with friends, and also to visit Oakdale cemetery where a little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Beebe is buried.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lyon motored up Friday morning from St. Paul for a short visit at the home of Mrs. Lyon's mother, Mrs. A. H. Gunstad and with other relatives. Upon returning home Sunday morning, they were accompanied by Mrs. Gunstad who will spend a week or more at St. Paul.

Oscar Kolstad, who has been employed on the docks at Duluth during the summer months, came home yesterday for a short stay. He is going to Waren to see his mother who is critically ill at the home of his sister, Mrs. L. S. Wilson.

Local Girl Married

Miss Ruth Roy, daughter of Co. Commissioner and Mrs. James S. Roy, was united in marriage to Mr. Christopher Kies of Chicago, at Hague, N. D., today. The bride, who is well known and highly esteemed locally, has been employed the past two years as assistant cashier of the bank at Hague.

After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Kies will go to Chicago, where the groom is engaged in the real estate business, and will make their home in that city. Local friends join in expressing congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Kies.

Pavement Finished

Paying on T. H. No. 8 from Crookston east to Marcoux station was finished recently, and shouldering will be completed soon. The road, is now open for traffic, is said by motorists to be one of the smoothest stretches of pavement in Minnesota.

Chest Clinic Saturday

A free chest clinic will be conducted at the St. Hilaire school building from 9:30 to 12:00, Saturday, Sept. 27.

The clinic will be conducted by Dr. B. C. Bernard of the Oakland Park Sanatorium. Citizens in this community are urged to avail themselves of this opportumty.

A series of Mission meetings were held at the local Swedish Lutheran church Tuesday this week. Rev. Albin Larson of Warren, Rev. W. Erickson of Hallock, and Rev. Glim of Kennedy spoke at the morning, afternoon, and evening services which were well attended.

Regular monthly meeting of the board of education was held Tuesday evening. A representative of the tow mill at Red Lake Falls was present to present a proposition to supply the school with flax chaff for fuel. The board members feel that a substantial saving in fuel costs may be made by using chaff if it can be delivered here at a low enough price.

The Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained by Mrs. V. G. Brink and Mrs. A. V. Jacobson on Friday, Oct 3 at the church basement. 2t.

Cream Checks Issued

Due to drying up of pastures during August, a decrease is noted in both amounts and number of cream checks issued at the creamery for that month. The list published below shows, however, twenty patrons received checks for more than $100 each, and a considerable number got smaller checks. Considering the backward season, from a dairying standpoint, output at the creamery is holding up very well. Here is the check list for last month:-

Arne Vik	$339.66
N. E. Beebe	155.41
C. H. Swanson	154.80
Wm. Palmquist	144.88
McKercher & Son	131.09
Novak & Son	129.57
Erickson Bros.	127.63
H. Holmes	125.36
F. Ulrich	118.55
F. Anderson	117.70
J. O. Peterson	117.04
Swanson Bros.	116.84
Ole Larson	112.40
And. Ortloff	111.35
And. Erickson	109.72
A. Johnson	106.94
J. Norman	103.96
C. A. Lindquist	103.56
E. H. Stephens	102.14

Mrs. H. J. Thorsveit, $99.52, E. Larson, 98.62, T. Mogen, 96.75, G. Larson, 95.77, N. P. Schalz, 95.15, L. Erickson, 93.90, Mrs. Konickson, 93.61, H. Burstad, 93.29, Geo. Haupt, 91.30, C. Anton, 91.11, F. Schmidt, 88.87, J. Gothia, 85.48, K. T. Dalager, 84.95, I. A. H. Johnson, 84.44, J. Steiger, 83.22, J. J. Larson, 80.98, J. V. Patten, 80.73, C. Kruse, 78.85, J. A. Anderson, 78.32, F. Bothman, 77.40, H. Jepson, 75.01, C. Zinter, 74.64, G. Johnson, 73.32, J. O. Swanson, 72.98, J. H. Bohlin, 72. 50, And. Mortenson, 71.82, Ole Hagglund, 71.59, R. Randorf, 71.03, D. J. Johnson, 70.39, Ben Johnson, 70.00, B. Walseth, 69.87, H. Luttmer, 69.71, V. G. Brink, 69.06, Dan Johnson, 68.44, J. Sjoberg, 68.11, O. L. Larson, 67.18, H. Johnson, 66.85, Mrs. A. Aubol, 66.77, A. A. Swanson. 66.75, P. Thyren, 64.21, E. J. Akerlund, 63.22, Sig. Vik, 62. 02, J. Lundberg, 61.91, E. Person, 61.39, Wm. Rinkinberger, 61.18, Mrs. A. P. Anderson, 60.92, Farmers State Bank, 60.81, A. A. Anderson, 60.49, J Maakrud, 56.97, C. O. Swanson, 56.61, O. Haugen, 55. 97, Wm. Yonke, 54.86, H. Hallstrom, 54.82, Ed Moren, 54.18, Wahlbeck Bros, 54.13, Svenson Bros, 52.99, I. H. Iverson, 52.80, A. Dahlstrom, 52.65, H. Hawkinson, 52.33, F. S. Erdmann, 50.76.

Who Needs A Savings Account?

Everyone that has any ambition, or hope for the future.

Systematic saving every week will make an account grow into substantial proportions in a short time, Then when a good propsition comes along that requires cash, you will have it.

Most people who are a failure in this world have a "wishbone" where their backbone ought to be. It takes "grit" to start anything, and a savings account is no exception. Start your's now.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Twenty Eight Years Ago

When this creamery first started, many predicted it would be short lived.

Those who pinned their faith to the dairy business and creamery during those days have lived to see the creamery grow and prosper. It took determination and faith, but it WAS done.

By patronizing YOUR creamery, and boosting for it, it will show greater growth in the next ten years than in the past twenty-eight.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

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Chase To Open Campaign

Ray P. Chase, Republican nominee for Governor, will open his campaign for election November 4 with a keynote speech next Tuesday, September 30.

His home town folks in Anoka will give him a rousing start on his intensive drive for votes by staging a "Ray P. Chase Day" in Anoke on that date. The town will observe a half holiday, flags will fly everywhere, bands will play, and Ray's friends from boyhood will march to Mr. Chase's home - the house in which he was born and in which he has lived his whole life - to escort him to the Anoka Armory, where the keynote exercises will take place.

The keynote rally will be at noon and the program, together with Mr. Chase's keynote speech will be broadcast between 12:30 and 1:30 p m. over WCCO from its sending station at Anoka. This will be Mr. Chase's principal radio speech of the campaign.

The keynote address will be the signal to the thousands of friends Mr. Chase has made in all 87 counties of the state in his fourteen years' service in the state auditor's office, to activel y open an intensive five weeks' drive for votes in their home communities, which will continue until election day, Tuesday November 30.

Converted Too Late

After several years of unsuccessful efforts to get a local merchant to advertise, the publisher of a Kansas weekly newspaper recently was surprised to receive an order for a full page advertisement from the former non-advertiser.

Glancing at the copy the publisher saw that it advertised a "closing out sale." The merchant was going out of business. His advestising competitors had taken his trade and there was nothing left for him to do but quit. So the newspaper man had landed his prospect at last.

The merchant recognized the power of advertising to help him get out of business, but had never tried to use it as a means of staying in business. There are a good many merchants like that.

"Fuss and Feathers" in Presentation at Court

In order to be presented to the Conrt of St. James it is necessary to be sponsored by the American ambassador or by an important English lady. Tha summons to appear is issued about three weeks before the day. Regulation conrt dress, including the prince of Wales feathers, is required. The ceremony takes place in the throne room at 9:30 o'clock. Thera is a red-carpeted aisle, extending across tha room, in front of the throne from door to door. At the appointed time the royal family, preceded by the lord chamberlain and his officers, enter and take their places. The line of members to be presented forms outside the door and slowly files past the throne and out of the other door. As the lady is about to enter, her card is passed down the line to the lord chamberlain, who calls out her name as she stands before the king to make her curtsy. She then curtsies to the queen, and with her head turned toward the royal family makes her way slowly from the room. After the presentations are made, the king and queen rise and bow and the entire assemblage responds. Music is then played while the royal members leave the room.

Mortgage Foreclosure Sale

Default has been made in the conditinns of that certain mortgage made and executed and delivered by August Lundberg, a single person, mortgagor to Merchants State Bank of St. Hilaire, a corporation under the Laws of the State of Minnesota, mortgagee, dated the 9th day of December, 1924, and filed for record in the office of Register of Deeds of Pennington County, Minnesota, on the 15th day of December, 1924, at 8 o'clock A. M. and was duly recorded in Book 69 of Mortgages page 173.

There is now due and claimed to be due on said mortgage and the indebtedness secured thereby, principal and interest at the date of this notice, the sum of Two Thousand Thirty-three and 20-100 Dollars ($2033.20).

NOW, THEREFORE, NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN. That said Mortgage will be foreclosed and the premises therein described and thereby mortgaged which premises are situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and described as follows, to wit; The South Half (S1-2) of the Northwest Quarter (NW1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW 1-4) and the Southwest Quarter (SW1-4) of the Southwest Quarter (SW1-4) of Section Twenty-four (24) and the Northeast Quarter (NE1-4) of the Southeast Quarter (SE1-4) of Section Twenty-three (23) all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152) North of Range Forty-three *(43)* West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota, containing one hundred acres, more or less according to the Government survey thereof, will be sold by the Sheriff of Pennington County, Minnesota, at public sale to the highest bidder for cash at the front door of the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls, Minnesota, in said County and State, on the 4th day of October, 1930, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, to pay the amount which shall be due on said mortgage and the expenses of foreclosure and the sum of Seventy-five Dollars *($75.00)* attorneys fees, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated August 20 1930.
MERCHANTS STATE BANK OF ST. HILAIRE
Mortgagee.

Paul A. Lundgren
Attorney for Mortgagee.
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Human Contacts Needed to Develop Personality

Let us swallow this important and prickly fact. Apart from our connections with other persons, we are barely individuals; wa amount, all of us, to next to nothing. It is in the living touch between us and other persons, other lives, other phenomena that we move and have our being.

Strip us of our human contacts and of our contact with tha living earth and the sun, and we are almost bladders of emptiness. Our individuality means nothing. A skylark that was alone on an island would be songless and meaningless, his individuality gone, running about like a mousa in the grass. But if there were one female with him, it would lift him singing into the air, and restore him his real individuality.

As a fixed object, even as an individuality or a personality, no human being, man or woman, amounts to much. The great I AM does not apply to human beings, so they may as well leave it alone. As soon as anybody, man or woman, becomes a great I AM, he becomes nothing. Man or woman, each is a flow, a flowing life. And without one another, we can't flow, just as a river cannot flow without banks.

A woman is one bank of the river of my life and the world is the other. Without the two shores my life would be a marsh. It is the relationship to woman and to my fellow men which makes me myself a river of life.—D. H. Lawrence in Scribner's Magazine.

Unkind Nature

Nature has no kindness, no hospitality, during a rain. In the fiercest heat of sunny days she retains a secret mercy and welcomes the wayfarer to shady nooks of the woods whither the sun cannot penetrate. But she provides no shelter against her storms. It makes us shiver to think of those deep unbrageous recesses, those overshadowing banks where we found such enjoyment during the sultry afternoons. Not a twig of foliage there but would dash a little shower into our faces. . . . In such spells of weather—and it is to be supposed such weather came—Eve's bower in Paradise must have been but a cheerless and aguish kind of shelter. . . . The idea of sleeping on a couch of wet roses!—Nathaniel Hawthorne.

Unfortunate Sea Lions

The sea lion could hold his own against his natural enemies, but his real troubles began when man discovered that be was insulated with several inches of oil-bearing blubber and that his hide made good leather. Nearly 200 years ago the slaughter began on the west coast, says Nature Magazine.

Thousands of sea lions died for the enrichment of the oil hunters, until by the beginning of this century only a remnant of the vast herds which once roared and fought on their offshore rookeries is left to carry on the species.

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated March 11th, 1924, executed by John Fromm and Clara Fromm, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on March 13th, 1924, at eleven o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 169 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $91.33, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $93.75, due on September 11th, 1928, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $93.75 each, due on March 11th, 1929, September 11th, 1929, and March 11th, 1930, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,791.61, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from March 11th, 1930, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $372.58, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $91.33 thereof since November 8th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since March 11th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since September 11th, 1929, and on $93.75 thereof since March 11th, 1930, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $300.05 for taxes, including interest, penalties and costs, and interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, and the sum of $36.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1930, in all the sum of $3,595.95, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28) and the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 200 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by tha Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 17th day of October, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 3rd, 1930.
STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee;
810 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. S4-O9

Apparition Has Aroused Sleepy English Village

Residents of Porchester, a village on the shores of Porchester harbor, England, declare that they have seen a ghost in the castle and the village is now in the throes of a ghost scare. The apparition appeared in tha traditional form of a tall white figure, but those who saw it were too frightened to make any investigations. Porchester castle dates back to Roman times and is world-famous for the ship models made by the French prisoners of war who were confined within its walls. Many people declare they have seen ghosts in the castle. The most famous of thesa apparitions is that of a sailor who is alleged to have declared that he would come back after death. It is believed to be his wraith which was seen walking quite recently. Ghosts seem to favor this corner of Hampshire. In the village of Warblington, some 15 miles from Porchester, the spirit of Margaret, countess of Salisbury, who was executed by order of Henry VIII, is often seen dressed as a nun, gliding about the lanes near the ruins of Warblington castle, which was once her home. —London Tit-Bits.

Works at Eithar End

On a new type of train in France the locomotive stays at the same end always, pulling on one trip and pushing on the return, the engineer being placed in a special control station at the front of the train on the pushing trip.

Popular Confection

The preserve called har-le-duc was first manufactured in the French town of that name. It was then made from selected seeded whole white currants. Other fruits are now used in making this conserve.

Name of Honor

The word "Anzac" was formed from tha initial letters of tha words Australia and New Zealand Army Corps. The phrase was used by General Birdwood in a telegram dispatched from the Gallipoli peninsular.

HAZEL NEWS

Miss Dorothy Olson spent Sunday night in Hezel with Miss Kenney. She left Monday morning for Erskine.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson of Chicago called at Pete Nelson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg and family visited at the C. Finstad home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ary Roese visited friends at Plummer this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Benson and son Clinton, and Mrs. Brink of Grand Forks visited Sunday at the T. Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs O. Peterson, Mrs. Brue and Annie Alberg were guests Sunday at Odegaards.

Mrs. O. Odegaard and sons Morris and Oscar motored last week to Fargo where Oscar will take up his work at Concordia College. Mrs. Odegaard and Morris returned Tuesday.

Mr. aud Mrs. E. Knutson and daughter visited Sunday evening at the A. Larson home.

Mrs. Sherva visited with friends aud relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Odegaard called at the Vigness home at Thief River Saturdey evening.

Mrs. O. Odegaard and Mrs. K. Steenerson of Crookston visited at the Chas. Erickson home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Nels Nelson and children called at the L. Lokken home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lindman and daughter Emily of Duluth are visiting at the Nels Nelson home. Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. Lindman are sisters.

Misses Ruth Seeland and Mae Kenney motored to Erskine Thursday evening where they visited Miss Dorothy Olson who ieaches in the public school there.

Mrs. A. Anderson and daughter Mayme spent the week end with friends in Orleans, Minn, near the Canadien border. Mrs Elna Anderberg returned with them and will spend a week at the Anderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Steenerson and baby Mary Lou, Mrs. Groven and children of Crookston were dinner guest Sunday at the O. Odegaard home. Mrs. K. Steenerson who bas been visiting at the Odegaard home for two weeks accompanied them to Crookston.

Probably Oldest Game

We make no attempt to tell the age of Sambo's familiar appeal to the bones, "Come seben—oh, 'leben, the baby needs a new pair shoes." But in reply to a number of questions as to the world's oldest game the answer is—dice. Most authorities agree that dice-throwing is the oldest amusement in the world. The game of dice, in soma form or other, has existed in every period of history. While the invention of the gama is attributed to Pelamedes, one of the heroes who sailed against Troy, about 1244 B. C., the use of "spotted cubes" for gambling purposes was resorted to even before that.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Making His Last Stand

The ivory-billed woodpecker, king of its tribe, inhabiting the great cypress swamps, probably is making its last stand in Florida, says Nature Magazine. The last breeding record of this giant woodpecker was made by Dr. A. A. Allen, who found a pair nesting in central Florida in 1924. It is now against the law to kill this fine bird. The last stand of the Carolina paroquet was made in Florida. This beautiful little parrot was once abundant but was shot and trapped in such quantities and so persistently that not one has been seen for many years. The bird is now undoubtedly extinct.

Announcement

We have bought the Art Hendrickson coal sheds and will carry a good supply of coal on hand. Will have one carload of Berwind Briquetes and one of Bonnie Blue on the track in a few days. Save by taking your coal from the car.

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Potato Harvest On

Potato digging began on a somewhat limited scale Monday last and the Farmer and the Erikson warehouse have been taken in some during the week as well as P. J. Flaten who has decided to enter the game again this season. The crop seems somewhat spotted. Some fields are yielding well and others poor as usual, but the average is not large. Prices to begin with, were good $1.30 per hundred. If that figure can be maintained for a considerable period of time it is going to mean a lot of money to this section of the country.:- Fertile Journal.

Rainbow Trout Fry Planted Near Gentilly

Through the efforts and work of Wm. Munch, district game warden, 10 cans of rainbow trout have been planted in O'Brien Creek near Gentilly.

The trout, about 8 months old, were secured from the state fish hatchery at Detroit Lakes and were delivered in Crookston last Thursday. Meeting the Northern Pacific passenger train with his truck Pat Kelly of Gentilly hauled the 10 cans out to O'Brien's Creek about a mile and a half east of Gentilly on the Hamel farm. The fry, perhaps between 1700 and 2,000, were dumped in the waters above a small stone dam by Mr. Munch, assisted by Leo DeLage.:- Polk Co. Leader.

Crickets Damage Crops

Crickets are reported to have completely ruined some of the flax fields in the vicinity of Stephen. One farmer, threshing an excellent stand of flax that had been infested with crickets, found that it yielded only 1 bushel to the acre.:- Strandquist Press.

Humboldt Bank Robbed

Bandits entered the Humbolt State Bank at Humbolt in Kittson county about 2:30 Monday afternoon, and after forcing two officals and a customer in the vault succeeded in making their get-away with $2,700.

Three men suspected of robbing the Kittson county bank shot their way to freedom in East Grand Forks about 11:30 Monday night, after they were confronted outside an East Grand Forks restaurant by two policemen, one of the officers being wounded by a bullet from one of the bandit's guns.

After the shooting the men ran into an alley out of sight of the officers and have not been seen nor heard of since. Their car was found and $700 in silver was recovered. Sheriff Ira Haaven of Polk county arrived in East Grand Forks shortly after with a pack of bloodhounds but they were unable to pick up the scent of the gunmen.:- Warren Sheaf.

25 Years Ago

Anton Anderson and Miss Ellen Carlson were married here Sept. 9, at the Ossian Carlson residence.

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O. T. Romsos, the Wylie merchant returned from Sarles, N. D., where he was building a new store.

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Bill Maynard, head sawyer at the mill was painfully injured when his hand was crushed between two logs on the mill deck.

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Miss Emma Engh of Wyandotte, and Mr. John Maakrud of St. Hilaire were married Sept. 15, 1905 at Crookston.

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Julius Pleth bought the confectionery stock and building of G. W. Casbon. In a later deal, Mr. Pleth sold the building and stock to Oscar Carlson of Plummer, a former resident here.

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C. L. Hanson assumed his new duties as assistant cashier of the First State Bank at Red Lake Falls that week.

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Otto Andre, section boss on the Soo north of Thief River, was a cousin of Prof. Andre, the noted Swedish explorer who a few years before, attempted to reach the North pole by balloon and was never heard from since.

Virginia Slow to Lose Belief in Witchcraft

Virginia offers an interesting chapter in the history of witchcraft in America, writes Frederick G. Fassett in the Boston Transcript. Ordeal by water is so generally regarded as belonging to medieval times that it is surprising to read of resort to it in an American colony as late as 1706. But there was such resort in the case of Grace Sherwood, a middle-aged woman, the wife of a planter. She was tried on suspicion of being a witch.

The coort adjourned while she was taken to a nearby stream and plunged into its waters. As she did not sink, tha result was against her. So were certain other evidences of a kind much mentioned in witchcraft literature. She was consigned to jail, but the proceedings against her evidently wera dropped. Her name subsequently appears in the record of a civil suit, and her will was probated in 1740, presumably shortly after her death.

Dandridge Family

Martha Washington was the daughter of Col. John Dandridge of New Kent, at the head of York river, Va. The William and Mary College Quarterly says that his daughters were Martha, Anna Maria, Frances, Elizabeth, and Mary. Frances and Mary died at the ages of 7 and 14 respectively. Anna Maria's married nama was Bassett. Martha's married names were Custis and Washington, respectively. Elizabeth married John Aylett.

Few Scottish Forests Left

The Caledonian forests have undergone great changes; it is thought that at one time they consisted of oak, to be supplanted by fir. One well-known authority says that birch will follow the fir, and later oak will again appear. Nowadays there are only a few remnants of the vast forests, and thera seems little doubt that large tracts were burnt to get rid of the wolves.

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Wild Flowers Cover Snow Clad Mountain

Longmire, Wash.—Wild hloom spangles the slopes of Mt. Rainier. One of the richest suhalpine flower gerdens is the vest fioral helt encircling the peak hetween the ragged lower edge of Ice and snow fields and the rugged npper limit of tree growth.

There are more than 500 varieties of wild flowers in Rainier Netional park and of these ahont 250 are in full hloom now. Next to the snow-mantled mountain and tha awe-inspring glaciers an attraction which amazes most tourists, is the wlde massed hede of hlossoms.

Greetings From the Sky

London.—Sky greetings will enliven Londou's summer nighis when the Travel Association of Greet Britain and Ireland projects on the clonds "London welcomes its visitors" in English, French, German and other languages.

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Harvest festival in St. Pauli church. Service and offering at 11:00. Dinner will be served at the church.

Devotional services will be conducted by Rev. Fjelstad and Rev. Kleveland.

Oakridge: Song service by the choir at 1:30 P. M.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .68
Duram Wbeat	.56
Rye	.33
Barley	.32
Oats	.23
Flax	1.62
Eggs, cash	.20
Creamery butter	.43

Drought Is Not the Fault of Radio Waves

Weshington.—Radio waves have about as much effect on the weather—or possihly less—than light waves have on glass, in the npinion of scientiste and engineers here in discussing the proposal of a West Virginia coal operator to close down all broadcasting stations for 60 days in an effort to hreak the drought.

"There is no disturbance in the air as the result of the passage of radio waves from the transmitting station to the receiver," said V. Ford Greaves, a federal radio commission engineer.

"Of course the radio waves penetrate air, clonds, huildings, and ether," he said, "hut it may be said that if the energy generated by all of ths radin stations in the world were concentrated it would not equal the force of a rain storm."

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Staples—A Grain and Potato Show drew a large crowd here.

Humboldt—The First State Bank was held np and robbed of $2500 cash.

Brainerd—The local tourist camp receipts amounted to $2,027.25 for the current season.

Spring Valley—Traces of iron ore have been found nn three farms in this vicinity, hy drillers.

Red Wing—A 280 foot hridge nn highway No. 3, west nf here is to be built nver the Cannon River.

Fairment—The Fairmont County Fair had the largest exhibits of livestock and corn in its history.

Duluth—A crnwd of 25,000 persons attended the dedication of ths new $300,000 municipal airport here.

Minneapolis—A daylight raid on the Simmons Hardware Co. here, netted three handits $4,800 cash.

Duluth—A herd nf 40 reindeer is peing shipped here from Finland to start a reindeer park in Minnesota.

Minneapolis—Mnre than 7,000 small game licenses have been issued here for tha npening nf the duck season.

Alexandria—Completion of paving from Osakis nn highway Nn. 3 was celebrated here with a harvest festival.

Minneapolis—Work has been started nn the first unit nf a dormitory system fnr men at the University of Minnesota.

Northfield—Carleton College just entered into its sixty-third year. $15,000 was spent this summsr on improvemenis.

Minneapolis—Chas. A. Lund, state senator, has filed fnr U. S. Senator in opposition to Sen. Schall and Einar Holdale, as an independent.

St. Paul—Plans for a new anditorium which will have a seating capacity of 12,354, have heen approved hy the anditorium advisory committee.

Albert Lea—Sixty-seven head nf Freeborn county cattle was purchased hy the Missouri Pacific railroad end ehipped to farmers in Kansas and Missouri.

Minneapolis—Everything is in readiness for the formal re-opening of river transportation into Minneapolis, with the completion of the new lock at the Fnrd dam.

Austin—A tuberculosis test of all cattle in Mower county was started hy a corps of 80 veterinarians and assistants in the employe of the Minnesota livestock sanitary board.

Mankato—Authorisation to hegin proceedings for acquisition nf sites fnr a new federal huilding addition here and a new postoffice at Austin has been received from Washington.

St. Paul—The cost of fighting furest fires in Minnesota the last two years has exhausted the state forestry department's fund of $110,000. G. M. Consel has asked an emergency appropriation.

St. Paul—Sale of 22,000,000 feet of state nwned timber in four northern Minnesota counties has been authorized. Sales will be conductsd at Duluth, International Falls, Grand Rapids and Bagley.

St. Paul—Total prodnction nf spring wheat, oats, harley, corn, flax and potatoes will be approximately 406,882,000 hushels compared with 410,864,000 in 1929, according to a goverument survey of Minnesota.

Hastings—The final coffer dam will be ripped ont within the next two weeks and by Octobsr 1 the new $4,000,000 government dam and locks just above here in the Mississippi will be ready for operation.

Minneapolis—The following Minnesota boys have recently won promotion in the United States Navy: E. W. Buethe, Elysian; F. E. Holec, New Prague; E. J. Blankman, Taunton: C. H. Reifel, Eveleth, and H. H. Bjoin, Crookston.

Minnsapolis—John Lind, goveruor of Minnesota from 1899 to 1901, personal diplomatic representative of President Wilson in Mexico in 1914, and prominent in state politics for more than 40 years, died at the age nf seventy-six.

Minneapolis—The Navy Recruiting Station reports the following Minnesnta boys enlisted during the first half of September as follows: J. C. Mashek of Hopkins; F. G. Leiferman of Moorhead: H. J. Kitten of Detroit Lakes; J. E. Catlin nf Minnesota Lake and L. P. Kurtz of West St. Paul

Minnsapolis—Plans for the hridge over the St. Croix river at Stillwater, being constructed jointly by the Minnesota state highway department and the Wisconsin highway department at a cost of abont $500,000, were approved by Acting Secretary nf War Payne. Preliminary work nn the span already has ben started.

Austin—A new process to eliminate pollntion in rivers was demonstrated here before representatives nf the state board nf health and the metropolitan drainage commission. Ths system was originated by the Hormel Packing company and is being nsed to purify the Cedar river here nf industrial waste.

St. Paul—Tuberculin testing of school children is being launched on an extensive scale in Minnesota this fall as a part of the Christmas Seal tuberculnsis-prevention program, according to Dr. T. A. Meyerding, executive secretary nf the Minnesota Public Health Association. This test, which is simple and harmless, determines whether nr not the germs of tuberculosis are lodged in ths body and makes it possibls to prevent the disease by proper care of infected children.

The Obliging Bandit

By MARGUERITE MURRELL

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FOR two days now Ted Grimes bad not had food. He was a fugitive from justice, a handit, pleying a lone hand. Having heen recognized and narrawly escaping in his lest deal, he dered not venture forth yet, hnt had taken refuge in a thickly wooded, unsettled portion of the country. As he wandered along the creek hanks of his hide-out, his hand ironically tonched the thick wellet nestling in an inner pocket of his clothes. Little good it was doing him now, he mused, as the pangs of hunger began to gnew afresh. More than five hundred dollers in his pocket, yet he could not huy himself a sandwich!

For a half hour a tantalizing hreeze hed hrought the savory odor of cooking food to his nostrils. The scent wes nearer now, increasing the desperstion of hie hunger. Cautiously making his wey through the hrush and tangled vines of undergrowth, he came to the edge of a clearing. Peering out, he saw, a short distence awey, a little weather-heeten fermhouse—evidently the source from which cama the wonderful and pleosant arome.

Circling the edge of the cleering, he drew near, and soon learued to his satisfection that only an old ledy eeemed tn he the house's occupant. To and from the kitchen door she passed, dashing things out of pans, drawing weter from the pnmp ontside, and epparently preporing the usual noondoy meal.

Boldly, Ted Grimes wolked up to the beck door, and politely doffing his cap, said: "Excuse me me'em, hut I em hungry end would like to heve a meel'e victuels."

The old lady invited him in, upparently suspecting nothing other then his momentery need.

Hurriedly finishing preparations of the dinner, she pleced it on the tehle, and cordielly invited him to "set down end he'p your se'f."

The weyferer needed no second invitation, hut set down end helped himself to lerge portions of tha simple hut wholesome food. Before he finished, there came e loud knocking at the front door.

Hastily the old ledy retreated into the adjoining room to answer the summons.

"Ah, sheriff, come in," her quevering voice was heard in greeting.

Ted Grimes hed risen end was cautiously edging his way to the rear door when his ears caught the sheriff's words.

"Heve you maneged to reise the money yet, Mrs. Jeckson?" his euthoritative yet kindly voice hoomed.

"No, hut my ole man le out a tryin' to horrow it now; though I don't gness he's goin' to have a hit o' luck," she replied.

"Well, I'll he hack e little later todey, and if he ein't got it hy then, I have ordera to foreclose on the mortgage. I am sorry, Mrs. Jackson." Theu, hidding her good day, the sheriff mounted hle horse end rode off.

Relieved, the hendit qnickly resumed his plece et the tehle. The old lady returued and, seating herself, teerfully expleined the situetion.

"My ole men and me has worked hard, these meny yeers, tryin' to pay fer this plece, hut the crops hes felled fer the lest two years, and—now we air goin' to lose our home!" ehe eohhed.

"How mnch do yon owe on it?" asked the hundit between huge mouthfuls of food.

"Nigh to five hundred dollars. 'Taint so much side o' what we've saved np end' peid in—hut we ain't got no chance et all o' raisin' that emount right now!"

Her listener grunted sympatheticolly, as he leisnrely finished his meal. Then he rose aud, drawlug hie wallet from his pocket, extracted its contents and laid it on the tehle es he said: "I think my dinner is worth that amount, ma'am."

Amid the incredulons surprise and joy of the old ledy, Ted Grimes quietly fled through the door and diseppeared.

The sheriff returued. He was a little surprised et receiving the money, hut asked no questions. The pepers releasing the mortgage were duly signed and handed over to the old lady. Then, pocketing the money, oe remounted hie horse and rode hock towards town.

Conteuted with the setisfactory outcome of things, the eheriff hummed a little tune as he jogged along.

Presently the road crossed a densely wooded ravine. As he entered this, there snddenly leaped from heside the roed the figure nf e mesked men, who, grasping the horse's reins, hrought the rider to an ahrupt helt.

"Stick 'em up high, perd," the masked men commeuded, and the sheriff found himself looking down the muzzle of a revolver.

Taken off his guerd hy the sudden hoppening, the eheriff hed no elternative hnt to ohey the command.

In the twinkling of an eye the bandit had relieved him of guns and purse, then with a crashing report he sent a hullet whizzing into the ground at the horse's feet which sent the animal rearing and plunging down the road in a clond of dust.

By the time the sheriff had reined in his horse and collected his ecattered wits, the bandit had vanished.

"A holdup in hroad daylight! Gad! and he took the mortgage money which the old lady just paid me!" wrathfully exploded the sheriff.

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River News

Mrs. Geo. Hesse entertained the Helping Hand Club at her home Thursday, all reports a good time.

Fritz Ulrich, Albin Konickson and Stanley Stephens returned Saturday evening from North Dakota where they have worked.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Dalager and family were Sunday dinner guests at the Harson home in Red Lake Falls.

Fred Ulrich is the owner of a new Pontiac purchased Monday.

Gust Larson has commenced putting in the concrete for a basement.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gieseke and family expect to leave Saturday for New Ulm where they have purchased a farm and will make there home there.

Big Water Crystals Found

Water crystals estimated to date hack to prehistoric times were discovered recently in the "Cave of the Sister of tha Falls," in France, hy archeologists who were exploring for traces of primitive man. Some of the crystals are four inches across and an inch thick, end are helieved to be the largest ever found. The specimens ere perfect and equal to the finest thet could he produced in a chemical lehoretory under perfect conditions. Remarknhla constant climatic conditions in the cave mede it possihle for nature to produce them.

Historic Indian City

Peshawar is the capital of the northwest frontier province, has figured importantly in the history of Indie hecanse of its proximity to the famons Khyher pess, the principal northern entrance from Afghanistan. Peshawar is situeted in the midst of e horseshoa ring of hills 12 miles east of the fort of Jemrud, which guords the British extremity of the pass. The town has seen the armies of such conqnerors as Alexander the Great and Ghengis Khan merch on after entering through the pass.

Canses of Earthquakes

Most earthquake regions lie neor the edges of the coutinentel platforms which are produced hy the collapse of large areas of the eerth'e crust. These are the zones which are undergoing the most rapid change of level et the present time. In many cases tha deeps have become filled with weter, producing seas and oceans.

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Beer Mug as Weapon Banned in Bavaria

Munich.—Beer steins, ash trays, tahle cutlery, soup bowls and other normol fitments of restaurants must be removed ont of sight whenever a political porty hires a heer gorden or restanrant for a mass meeting, according to a police order issued ond effectiva throughout Bavaria.

The measure has been taken, it is sald, in the interest of public safety, movabla objects having heen fonnd too tempting when soma point of an argument needs driving home. There is nothing like an empty heer mug in tha hands of a potvaliant citizen for silencing a refractory opposition, and a good ash trny goes a long way.

Modern Living Blamed for Low Birth Rate

Washington.—Tha continued decline of tha birth rate in tha United States is troceahie directly to tha change in living conditions ond other economic conditions, according to the chief of the bureau of vital statistics, Dr. T. F. Mnrphy. The increosing popularity of opartment honsa dwelling, which is comparable to the cliff dwelling of other ages, is largely responsible for the slockening in the hirth rate, he said.

Many of these iarga apartment honses do uot allow families with children to lease the apartments, he said, since the noise of children playing might prove a nuisanca to other lessees. It is seldom thot thesa houses are equipped with yards or ploygrounds, he sold, ond tbis is not an indncement for child rearing.

Another potent foctor in this declina is the increasiog number of marriages where both husband and wife work, Doctor Murphy pointed ont, and since tha standard of living of the wage earner today has heen raised to such an extent that n family cannot live on the salary earned by the husband, tbe uecessity for the wife to go ont to work hos arisen.

Dissemination of data concerning birth control ploys an important part in keeping down the birth rate, he said, and this widespread campaign is increasing eocb year.

Twin Crack Shots Celebrate Birthday

Stockholm, Sweden.—Swedeu's master shots, Moj. Wilhelm Carlberg and Capt. Eric Carlberg, twin brothers, hove just celebrated their fiftieth birthdoy, although not together hecause tha former lives in Stockholm and the latter in Teheran, Persia, where he is employed hy the Swedish match interests. Eric also has served three years with the Persian gendarmerie.

As early as in 1906, at the Olympic games in Athens, tha markmanship skill of the twin brothers was pronounced nnd hrought many prizes to Sweden. Two years later, at tha games in London, Wilhelm won three gold medals ond three silver medals in pistol shooting, while Eric won two first and two second prizes. Wilhelm also captured tha world championship in revolver shooting in 1913.

"Save My Biscuits" Plea Is Answered by Firemen

Alhany, N. Y.—"Fireman, save my hiscuits!" cried Mrs. William J. Gary as she returned from tha grocery to find the lock had snapped ou her door.

Locked out and knowing the biscuits were rapidly passing tha hrowning stage in the kitchen oven, Mrs. Gary rushed to a neighhor's telephoue and called the fire department. Tha fire laddies dashed on tha scene, hoisted a ladder to a window, and saved the biscuits.

Council Proceedings

Reguler meeting of the village council of the village of Hilaire, Minn., held at the village hall Sept. 3th at 8:00 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present.

Minutes of last regular meeting were read and approved as read.

The following bills were allowed as read.

Larson Bros. Merchandise	$2.12
P. Simonson labor on bridge	2.80
H. F. Hanson labor on bridge	2.80
Knute Kolstad and Ed Peterson Fixing sidewalk	12.00
F. Hendrickson cutting weeds	1 15
Central Lumber Company Lumber and cement	36.30
Red River Power Co. lights	34.30

Motion duly made and carried that the tax levy for the current year be $2500.00

Motion duly made and carried that the cemetery be hereafter known as the St. Hilaire Cemetary.

Motion duly made and carried that the upkeep and suppervision of the cemetary be left with the village council.

On motion duly made and carried the Clerk was instructed to send for a cemetery record.

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjurned.

A. Satterberg, President
M. Fricker, Clerk

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Wm. Olson, St. Hilaire, Minn.
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Deauville Casino Bars Bare-Legged Women

Deauville, France.—A healthy tan will no longer do dnty for a pair of stockings, women visitors to the Casino here are being told.

Tha Casino officials have decided that unhosed legs are not hecoming to their gambling salons and hava started stopping all women at tha door who do not comply with the new regulation.

Shirt Tail Catches Fire; Man "Enjoys" Hot Time

Memphis, Tenn.—J. W. Herrington, filling statiou employee, had a hot couple of minutes here when the tail of his shirt caught fire in soma unknown manner. Tha station manager pulled the garment from his hack hefore he suffered from anything more than fright.

Wanted to Join His "Class of Destruction"

Alhany, N. Y.—Letter to Dr. Thomas Parran, Jr., stata health commissioner:. "Hnve you decided when you will start your class in destruction? I would like to ha one of the closs." What the lady meant, decided the commissioner, was "instruction."

TREE-SITTING IS NEWEST CRAZE

Recalls Other Freak Events That Have Stirred Youthful Imaginations.

New York.—Boys and girls hut reeently graduated from the pinafore class are perched in trees or atop poles in public parks and heckyards in all sections of tha country. Thay ara not viewing tha scenery uor are they spying out the leud. They and tha yonthful non-stop bicycla riders have heen hitten hy tha craze for endurance records.

Freak contests snch as these seem to run in cycles. Every few years an nnnsual stunt hy some professional seeking publicity fires the imegination of thonsands of people and thus a large numher jump into tha game striving to emnlate if not surpass tha achievement. A decade ago Charleston and Black Bottom daucing was the rage. This was followed by the dance marnthon which hecame epidemic from Tangiers and Timhnctoo to Paris and Nome until state, county aud municipal anthorities interfered with drastie police regulotions.

In grandfather's day it was considered quite a trick to eat a quail a day for 30 days and every now and then soma doring soul, stoked hy a reckless stomoch, essayed the feat and glorled in the title of champion. With qnalls ns scarce they they are uow, this seems todoy not only a hermless hut perhops a delectahle pastime.

Records for Staying Aloft.

When the Hunter hrothars broke tha oviation endnranca record, Western youths hecame amhitious to "stay aloft" as long as possihle. Lacking airplanes the example of Alvin ("Shipwreck") Kelly, pole-sittar, occnrred to them. There was nothing to do bnt sit still. Hundreds of hoys and even girls immediately got into the game and mony of them are at it today.

In soma sections the pola and tree sitters have heen driven from the parks and recreation grounds; hut, aided and ahetted hy proud parents, they may do as they lika on privata premises. These youthful aspirants are dividing attention with the hika riders. Tha latter craze has hroken out persistently in New Jersey cities and towns. Nework, Hackensnck, New Brunswick and Jersey City have teams grinding away in non-stop coutests thnt threaten to put to shame what only a few years ago was referred to as the "cruel" six-day professionol hicycle races. Thesa hoys are everlastingly sticking to rickety second-hand wheels for from six to ten and eleven hours a day each until relieved by a portner. Some of them sleap a few hours out of every 24 in garages or sheds.

Tha tree-sitters may uot know it, hut they nre up against a record that eclipses that of Shipwreck Kelly. Mr. Kelly regards 28 days as a wonderful performance, hut St. Simon Stylites lived for more than thirty years atop a pillar—something of a mark to shoot at!

Many Freak Champions.

There is, apparently, no limit to tha numher of kinds of freak champions. Michoel S. Petillo of Nutley, N. J., won a radio-listening contest this year on March 6. Ha listened continuously to a radio for 155 hours without sleep, snbsisting on eggs and hlack coffee nnd sustained hy the knowledge that the prize money would enahle him to marry the girl of his choice.

Charles Drovo of Leroy, N. Y., held the world's raw egg-eating championship with 40 raw eggs consnmed in fiva minutes, until Max Hinel of Boston ate 75 row eggs in ten minutes.

Bnd Reynolds of Columhus, Ohio, ployed the pinno continuously for 105 honrs. Ha fainted once dnring the perfomance, but was revived and reeumed playing in eight minutes. His handaged fingertips were raw and his wrists and forearms swollen.

Antoina Lennzze, a Frenchman, ployed the violin continuously for 80 hours. He is said to have played more thau 600 pieces, ending with the Italian Royal March and the Marseillaise.

After establishing a heer-drinking record hy dowuing 17 glasses of tha hrew, amonnting to 10½ quarts, Douald Stephens of Colon, C. Z., collapsed. A few hours later he was ahle to sit up nnd challenge anybody to better his performance.

Cadarino Nazareno of Chicago elaimed the catch-as-catch-as-cau spaghetti-eating record after making away with seven feet of spaghetti per minute for 180 consecutive minutes, or 1,250 feet in three hours.

In Detroit, Mich., a marathon dance had lasted 106 days when the local authirities stopped it with five couples still ou the floor. Tha dancers rested 20 minutes in every hour.

Othsr Strenuous Tests.

Harry Kantor of Bloomfield, N. J., burned out a hearing aftar eating 80 red peppers and had to quit, hut he won e $50 prize eud the "championship."

Alverado Fernando established a marathon dance record in Berlin in 1927 hy remaining in motion 145 hours, except for ten minutes' rest every hour.

Former Representative Ernest Ackerman of Plainfield, N. J., has toted an umbrella for 45 years as the result of a wager made with a friend in Liverpool.

Gus Comstock of Fergus Falls, Minn., gulped his way to tha coffee drinking championship by drinking 85 cupfuls in 11 hours and 15 minuts.

Eugene Leckey, fifteen, of Brooklyn, set a new kite-flying record of 48 hours on September 3, 1929.

Mrs. H. B. Schmidt of Champaign, Ill., claims the American record of 400 hours in a rocking chair. She "rocked" continnously, except for occasional "cat-naps."

Joseph De Virgilio of Boston walked ou stilts from Boston to Providence, 45 miles, in 12 hours and 2 minutes. Tha stilts were five feet long and weighed 15 pounds.

Bill Williams of Hondo, Texas, pushed a peanut up Pike's peak with his uose. It took him 30 days and he wou a bet of $500.

Some of these records are authentic; in others reliable data is missing.

48-Hour Trip to Moon Foreseen for Humans

Paris.—That human beings may be ahle soma day to take a trip to the moon in 48 hours is predicted by M. Esnault-Pelleterie, well-known French scientist and engineer, who for years has been carefully studying tha possibilities of interplanetary communications by firing a rocket to the moon or other planets.

M. Esnault-Pelleterie believes that as soon as scientists will have mastered intra-atomie power, tha prohlem of "astronautics" will he easily solvad.

According to the engineer, this fantastie dream could he realised by firing a rockat at an initial speed of seven miles per second. He recalls the huge projectiles thrown hy the German "Big Bertha" into Paris during the World war and remarks that it had an initial speed of .875 miles per second and rose to a height of ahout 19 miles. To attain an infinite altitude it is not necessary for the projectile to hava an infinite initial speed, he says, since tha earth's attraction diminishes with the increasing distance, and the rocket at a certain moment would he influenced hy the attraction of tha moon.

With such a projectile a Paris-New York journey could be mada in less than half an hour, and Peris, the moon and back in 96 hours.

Rich Deposit of Iron Found in Middle Volga

Samara, U. S. S. R.—Iron ore deposits estimated at 1,000,000,000 tous have heen located in the Orak-Khalila mountains, middle Volga region, uear here.

Tha announcement hy a scientific research commissiou which has studied the field for uearly a year indicates that it may prove one of the most important iron sources in the world. The ore contaius an average of 50 per eent iron and lies near the surface, in some places even on the surfaca itself.

Ahout fifty kilomaters from the irou deposits hava heen found rich eoal supplies and considerahle store of manganese, uickal and other minerals. Research is continuing and already plans are heing mada for exploiting the regiou industrially.

Britain Tests Planes That Carry Cannon

Loudon. — Night-homhing airplanes carrying small rapid-fire cannon instead of machina guns are uow being developed in Great Britain to add to the horrors of the uext war. Tests are uow being carried out with a multiple-engined uight homher and are understood to have been fairly successful.

The uew guns fire explosive shells, and it is believed that uot only will tha shells prove a better defense for hombers against attacking aircraft than machine-gun defense, hut that adapted to smaller fighters they will also prove more destructive in trench raiding and in attacking columus of troops on the march than machine-gun fire.

Boston Had Its Parking Woes Way Back in 1850

Boston.—Apparently they had their parking prohlems long before the eutomohile hecame popular.

An age yellowed copy of the Camhridge Chrouicle, recently hrought to light, contained the following item under date of May 16, 1850:

"The people of Boston heve recently passed an ordinance to the effect that if any out-of-town carriage is left standing for over 15 minutes on the street tha owner must go to the police captain's office and pey a fine."

Friday Night Reserved for Village Burglars

Edmouton, England.—Friday night is hurglar's night in Edmontou, and after five cousecutive Friday uight raida local citizens formed watch parties and the police warned everybody to take their weekly wages upstairs.

Snake in Mail Box

Sandusky, Ohio.—Earl Mischler, R. F. D. postman, is anxious to find the cnlprit who placed a snake in one of the mail boxes on his route. Mischler declares chills ran up and down his back when he placed his hand in the box and felt the slick, cool scales of the reptile.

Fisherman Lands 44-Pound Salmon

Paisley, Scotland. — Edward Cochran of Paisley landed the largest salmon ever caught in Loch Lomond, [illegible]

Early Plowing Produces The Best Crop Results

Its a matter of common knowledge to the average good farmer that early plowing is the best. Not only early plowing, but good plowing done early.

Good work requires good machinery. If your plowing equipment is in such shape that it cannot do good work, it will pay you big to get some that will.

Come in and let me show you plows that have proven satisfactory to many users right here in this community. I handle different makes, keep repairs for them, and have lays to fit.

Remember, I carry a full line of all kinds of farm machinery. Anything not in stock, may be had on very short notice and my truck will deliver it to the farm for you.

Adolph Satterberg
Dealer in Farm Machinery
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

A. C. Opens Monday

The cempus of the Northwest School of Agriculture is a reguler hee hive of ectivity this week in preparation for the opening of the fall term next Mondey. Contractors are rushing completion of the new Physical Education and the remodeling of Kiehle Building both which will add greetly to the fecilities and efficiency of the school. Most noticeable improvements in the administration building include an enlerged library, auditorium, and post office facilities. Hundreds of new volumes have been added to the library, which now occupies one-helf of the ground floor of this building. In planning the new auditorium, every effort has also heen mede to provide for the future growth of the iustitution, for all activities center around the essembly hell.

A M Forker, Superintendent of Buildings end Grounds, states thet all dormitories end class rooms are now ready for occupancy. The library and administrative offices ere also being moved back into their enlarged quarters in Kiehle building this week.

According to Superintendent A. A. Dowel, the first facnlty meeting of the yeer will be held Seturday. Registration takes plece next Monday, with the first classes scheduled for Tnesdey morning, September 30

Start Fight Against Collectors' "Summons"

Madison, Wis.—Letters issued hy collection agencies which are misleading because of their likeness to a court summons hava won the disapproval of the Wisconsin Bar association. Tha commission decided to start a campaign against use of these letters and has warned that prosecutious may follow if the abuse is continued.

PRINCE OF WALES' GOLF GAME IS GETTING BETTER

French Girl Who Carriss His Cluhs at La Touquet Is Proud of Her Joh.

Le Touquet, France.—The prince of Wales has steadily improved his golf gama this summer and tha Le Touquet club, where he often plays, has reduced his handicap from twelva to five.

Technically, experts at the club sold, the heir to the British throne plays a good standard game, hnt his driving remains his weak polut. Professionals said that ha does not get a fair chance at regular practice.

Tha prince's swing is not frea enough and when he drives his position is rather cramped. His right shoulder is dropped too much.

Once his feet get into position, ha takes one or rarely two half-swings to address the hall, sways his body slightly and then drives. His short-iron shots wonld moka any golfer happy and his putting is good. If he can ever conquer his driving fault he may be abla to play under 80. As it stands now ha is champion of all tbe royalty in the world.

Tha prince's strongest hooster is his French girl-caddie, Adolphine Lamour, aged seventeen, who lives uear Etaples and has caddied for him for tha last three years. It is hy Wales' special reqnest that tha thin-legged littia French girl carries his cluhs.

As hehooves a caddia to royalty, Adolphiue is reticent as to tha prince's golfing faults, hut she will admit that his tips are uot to he classed as over-generous. She is very proud of her joh.

"The prince is a real gentleman, so he never gets angry," Adolphine said.

"Every ona likes to play with him. Except when his partner is addressing the hall, the prince is alwaya talking. Ha has a few faults of stance and swing."

Octogenarians Warned to Avoid Bridge Table

Paris.—Bridge, uot old age or automohiles, is taking the heaviest toll among octogenarians and even septuagenarians, according to Dr. Maurice Lebon, French heart specialist. Writing in L'Oeuvre, Doctor Lebon pleads with Frenchmen who have reached or passed their alloted three-score-and-ten to ahandon the card tahle and take a walk after every meal, or something approximately like that.

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Mrs. Peter Lundberg Called

Mrs. Peter Lundberg, a resident of this village for over twenty-six years, died Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the Physician's hospital at Thief River Falls where she had been a patient a few weeks. She become afflicted with heart trouble about three years ago and has practically been an invalid since that time, so death came as a blessed relief from further suffering.

Mrs. Lundberg, nee Mathilda Enquist, was born in the province of Jonkjoping, Sweden, on Jan. 7th, 1863, and was nearly 68 years of age at time of her demise. She grew to womanhood in the old county, coming to America in 1881 to make her home at Joliet, Ill. She was united in marriage to Peter Lundberg on Jan, 21, 1884.

To this union was born three sons. The family resided at Joliet until they moved to St. Hilaire in the spring of 1904, and this place has since been the family home. Besides her husband, Mrs. Lundberg, is survived by her three sons, George at Detroit, Mich., John of this place, and August at Chicago, Ill. She is also survived by one grandchild, a sister at Joliet, and two sister at Wocester, Mass.

Funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon by Rev. C. B. Dahlberg from the Evang. Mission church of which the deceased had been a member for many years. Interment was made in the cemetery east of the village.

Sincere sympathy of a large circle of friends is extended to the bereaved husband and family in their loss of wife and mother.

Luther League Sunday

Meeting of the Luther League will be held at the Norwegian Lutheran church Sunday evening at 8:00. There will be a program, election of officers, and lunch will be served.

E. D. Rydeen of Clearbrook, candidate for Representative from this district, was here Tuesday and yesterday in interest in his candidacy. Mr. Rydeen has farmed in Clearwater county for upward of thirty years. For eighteen years he has been secretary and manager of the co-operative creamery at Clearbrook. He taught school for several years in his county, and is an ex-service man. He is well qualified both by education and experience for the position to which he aspires.

Donation Day At Warren

Donation day for North Star College and Warren Hospital at Warren will be held at the Swed. Luth. church in Warren on Tuesday, Oct, 7th, sponsored by the Women's Mission Societys of the Red River Valley District. Those who can go there for dinner, are asked to bring along some food for the dinner as in previous years. A good program will be rendered during the afternoon.

R. R. V. Dairymen To Meet At Thief River Oct 29-30

Dairymen, creamery operators and others interested in the dairy industry in the Red River Valley are invited to attend the annual convention of the Red River Valley Dairymens' Association at Thief River Falls, Oct. 29 and 30. Several outstanding speakers will contribute to a program planned to provide educational features as well as special entertainment.

Some of the speakers will be John Brandt, president of Land O' Lakes, Congressman C. G. Selvig of Crookston, J. H. Hay, Assistant Dairy and Food Commissioner, and Dr. W. E. Peterson, Associate Professor of Dairy Husbandry at the University Farm, who recently discovered the cause for milk fever, and developed a cure which is proving of untold value to the dairy industry.

An attendance contest, a butter scoring contest and many other good features will be on the two days program.

Co-op. Shipping Ass'n ?

A meeting will be held at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon this week in the creamery basement for discussion of whether or not to organize a co-operative livestock shipping association. County Agent Robt. Douglass will be present, and manager of the association at Thief River will also be present to answer any questions about management, etc. Any farmer interested in cooperative shipping of livestock, is cordially invited to attend this meeting.

Misses Inez Patterson and Irma Chamberlain, and Mrs. Margaret Clinton, who are spending a vacation at Maple Lake, motored up Tuesday for a brief visit at the O. Gunstad home.

Convalescing

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Fred Erdmann had the misfortune to lose a valuable cow Monday night from bloat.

Pearl Ortloff returned yesterday from the hospital at Warren where she received treatment for an infection caused by a blistered heel.

Miss Hazel Fricker left Sunday to visit relatives at Minneapolis before going to Ronneby where she will teach again this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Palmquist returned last week-end after their wedding trip to the Twin Cities and Wisconsin points.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfy Biskey returned Monday to their home at Wahkon after spending a few days here at home of his brother George Biskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hanson have returned to their home at St. Paul after visiting several days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson.

A group of friends of Miss Hovie including members of the local school faculty, were entertained at the Hovie home near Thief River last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanson of Thief River, motored first of the week to Grand Forks to be with her sister Mrs. D. McAllister who submitted to a serious operation at a Grand Forks hospital Monday. Many friends here will be pleased to know Mrs. McAllister withstood the operation well and is getting along nicely.

A very successful auction sale was held Friday at the Fred Soderberg farm south of town. A good sized crowd was in attendance. Altho some of the stock did not sell as well as was expected, everything was sold at fair prices.

Trip Around The World

Here is your chance for a trip around. Visit Norway, Sweden, Italy China and America. Adults 25 cents each. Children under 12, 15 cents each. Refreshments will be served in each country. Buy your tickets and get directions at the Nor. Luth church basement which represents America. This trip is sponsored by the Sunday school. Come and enjoy a pleasant trip with us. First boat leaves at 8:00 Tuesday evening Oct, 7. Remember the date.

Notice: I will be in St. Hilaire today to attend to business matters of the Farmers State Bank.

L. E. Healy, Spec. Dep. Ex.
Red Lake Falls, Minn.

Attorney and Mrs. Paul A. Lundgren of Thief River Falls, were last Sunday dinner guests at the J. Edw. Johnson home west of town.

Dr. L. R. Twete was called yesterday to Parnell township near Dorothy where a number of cases of hog cholera exist. There is also an outbreak of the disease in vicinity of Euclid.

Now! You can eliminate winter starting troubles. A 17- plate Tiger Battery for all light cars. Spins your motor in coldest weather. Guaranteed 18 months $6.89 exchange. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Kies, whose marriage occured last week at Hague, N. D., left last evening enroute to Chicago after spending a few days here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Roy.

After spending the summer here while looking after their farm property, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Carpenter shipped their effects yesterday and are leaving this week for their home at Isle.

Supt. and Mrs. E N. Reiersgord moved into the Mrs. B. E. Burkee residence this week to make their home until end of the school term. Mrs. Burkee left Tuesday to stay at home of her son E. O. Burkee at Thief River Falls.

A nice improvement has been made at the cemetery by removal of brush along the front. Dead grass has been removed from the plot and it now presents a much nicer appearance. Plans are made also for clearing away timber on the unplatted part this fall or coming winter.

Sam Hauge, and family of Bagley, Mrs. Leo Phillips, Gordon Vigen and Axel Johnson of Bemidji, Oscar Hauge and family and Mrs. Chris Peterson of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. L. Giese and children of Grand Forks, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jackson and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hauge of St. Hilaire were all dinner guests last Sunday at the Otto Johnson farm home southeast of here.

Gas Drop Two Cents

Local filling stations have received notice of a drop of two cents a gallon in price of gasoline. Gas now retails locally at 20 cents, including the three cent state tax.

P. T. A. Meeting Friday

Meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held at the school building Friday evening this week. A good program, including two plays by the school dramatic club, will be given. Lunch will be served after the program. Every adult person in the community is cordially invited to attend.

Warren College Opening

North Star College at Warren will open its school year September 30th, with the largest enrollment the school has had since Rev. A. A. Larson become its president. It is a Christian school offering courses in Junior College, high school, commercial subjects and music. The school has no conference support but is maintained by gifts and donations.- Roseau Times Region

Date Set To Open Paving

October 18 is the date chosen for the civic celebration of the formal opening of the new paving by the Crookston Association of Public Affairs and the Confidence in Crookston club who are cooperating in the planning of the event. It is planned to be part of the special activities of the regular annual fall festival.

A parade will open the festivities and drum corps from Park Rapids, Grand Forks and Bagley have been asked to be present and to play in the parade, as well as a number of community bands from Northern Minnesota towns.

Senator Thomas D. Schall, candidate for re-election to the senate on the republican ticket, and Einar Hoidale, candidate for the same office on the Democratic ticket have been invited to be among the speakers for the day.—Polk Co. Leader.

Received Contracts

Ben Sanders and Anton Halvorson recently were awarded contracts for two dwellings to be erected on State owned farms north of Plummer and F. J. Mack was awarded the contract for a barn to be built on one of these farms.- Plummer Pioneer.

Anderson-Ulrick

Last Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, Miss Mabel Anderson, daughter of Mrs. Anna Anderson, became the bride of Mr. Fred Ulrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ulrick Sr., of River township. The ceremony was performed by Rev. V. Schroeder at the German Lutheran parsonage at Thief River Falls. The bridal couple were attended by Miss Hazel Anderson and Ben Ulrick, sister of the bride and cousin of the groom, and by Miss Minnie Anderson and Paul Anderson, sister and brother of the bride. The bride wore a powder blue georgette dress and carried an arm bouquet of pink roses.

After the ceremony a six o'clock dinner was served at the home of the bride's mother to immediate relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulrick left the following morning on a motor trip to New Ulm and other points in southern part of the state after which they will return here to make their home.

The bride has graduated from the local high school and from the Moorhead State Teachers College, and for the past three years was engaged in teaching. The groom is a prominent young farmer in River township. Both Mr. and Mrs. Ulrick have a host of friends in the community who join in wishing them a long and happily married life.

Snow In Canada--Dakota

First snowfall of the season a reminder that summer was drawing to a close occured Thursday and Friday in western Canada where the ground is now covered with a blanket of snow. The storm extended south into both North and South Dakota, and at points in Nebraska as much as two inches fell. Snow flurries occured at Minneapolis and St. Paul as well as other southeran Minneapolis points that were in the path of the storm.

Farther south, the snow changed into sleet which did much damage to telephone and telegraph wires. The Great Lakes region was also visited by both snow and sleet.

While unseasonably cold weather prevailed in this section from Thursday night to Sunday, the temperature did not reach freezing, nor was there any trace of snow.

Mrs. John Forseen, who has been very ill lately at Warren is reported to he somewhat improved.

Who Needs A Savings Account?

Everyone that has any ambition or hope for the future.

Systematic saving every week will make an account grow into substantial proportions in a short time, Then when a good propsition comes along that requires cash, you will have it.

Most people who are a failure in this world have a "wishbone" where their backbone ought to be. It takes "grit" to start anything, and a savings account is no exception. Start your's now.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Twenty Eight Years Ago

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By patronizing YOUR creamery, and boosting for it, it will show greater growth in the next ten years than in the past twenty-eight.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

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The Spectator is pleased to receive correspondence from some new rural sources this week. We would like to have some from vicinity of Wylie, some from southeast of town as well as other points. Anyone wishing to undertake this service, kindly call at or write this office.

STATE IS ONLY WINNER IN WICKED GAME OF CHANCE

Stud Poker Players No Longer Friends and No Longer Play Stud Poker.

Boston.—Back in May of 1929, J. B. Novak and Louis Janty eat/in, with others, in a little gama; one of those friendly stud sessions where you drop ashes on your vest rather than take your eyes off the gama and playare long enongh to shaka your cigarette.

Janty had a most distressing evening. His hands wera good, hnt not quite good enongh; they were of the painful variety of "second best," an expensive experience.

And Novak was tha ona who topped him most regularly. When Janty had kings back to back, Novak wouid turn up the big ace in the hola to make a pair. Jantry's ninee and eevens would go down in dafeat before Novak's tans and sixes.

And Novak grinned as he did it; soms times he chuckled and chortled in a way that Janty considered inconeidsrate, if not down right insulting.

Janty awoka the next moruing, n dark brown taste in his month, and wrath and sorrow in his heart. He groaned when he realized that the $650 he had had the night befora was gone forever. Tragedy had overtaken him.

He hied himself to the mnnicipnl court and there accnsed Novak. Novak was tried as a "common gambier" undsr a colonial statute paseed in 1740. He was fonnd guilty and wae ordered to forfeit to the stata $1,800; twice the amount he "sinfnlly gained in a game of chance" as the ancient law pnts it.

Ha appealed to the Supreme court, which held that the law is jnst ae valid and operativa as it wes 190 years ago.

Novak and Janty no longer are friends, nor are they stud pleyers any more.

Title of "Safest City" Is Eagerly Sought For

Chicago.—With the coveted title of "America's Safest City" as their goal, 31 cities are etruggling down the home stretch of a year-long contest to prevent traffic accidente. The driva is carried on under the auspices of the National Safety council.

Ona of them, the city which shows tha hest record for the year, will be awarded a bauner hy tha Motor and Equipment association in Pittsburgh this fall at the Nineteenth Annnal Safety Congress and Exposition. Tha contest, popularly known as the "no-death" coutest, hae excited mnch interest during tha year.

In computing tha records, tha population of the cities is taken into consideration and multiplied hy the numher of days without a fatal motor vehicia accident. All "antocides" are included with the eingle exception of carhon monoxide poisonings in private garages. Tha contest cloees August 31.

Baltimore, with a population of 789,921, was leading the contest as the "safest city" at the latest compilatiou of monthly figures by tha National Safety council. Other leaders in the race follow:

Rochester, N. Y., eecond (1929 winner).
Evanston, Ill., third.
Lawrence, Mass., fourth.
Fitchburg, Mass., fifth.
Boston, Mass., sixth.
Providence, R. I., sevauth
Loulsvilla, Ky., eighth.
Quincy, Mass., ninth.

Liberty's Beams

The light in the torch in tha Statue of Liberty is maintained by the lighthouse service of the government. On Decembsr 2, 1916, arrangements were made for tha permanent lighting of the statua with a diffused light thrown opon it from below.

The Heart of the House

By ISABEL NEILL

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GWEN slammed tha oven door with a hang. Half-running, she hurried to the back yard to move the hose to another dry spot.

"The darned place just drinks water," sha muttered resentfully. "There!"

She hed done it egain. Sha alwaye did it! A stresk of muddy weter up the side of her clean stockings.

"Darn, darn, darn," eha chanted as she went hack to the house. She wes humming a hymn of hete. She heied the honse and the garden thet surronnded it, the neighhorhood with iis unmerous dogs and grubhy children—everything about it.

The little house received the ingrate with open arms. It wes a friendly little house, even if it needed paint and a nail here and there on its loose shingles.

The tronhla with the house was that Gwen hed been given no part in choosing it. Harry hed seen it one day and hed bonght it. He hed come to see her thet evening, exultant, expecting Gwen to rejoice with him.

"But I wented to live in the Hillcrest Arms, Harry," Gwen hed complained.

"Hillcrest Arms? Girl, you'll forget there ever was such a place when you eee our house. It has grass and flowers—end a peach tree in the heck yerd. Cute inside, too. Yon can gei husy with cretonnee and paint and make it a reguler little uest."

So Gwen came to the little honee with resentment. Her new hridel things, clever and up-to the ietest mode, iooked curiously alien in the shahhy little room. Paint and cretoune would bave helped, bnt Gwen tried neither of them. She was going to let Herry get sick of this—this dump—and mnybe he'd sell and they could move to a decent piece.

Spring hed come, and althongh ehe didn't lika the place he kept the flowers growing and the grass green. She hadn't planted a seed, hnt Harry had been pnttering eround on Snndeys with gladiolne hulhs and iohelia pionts.

Bnzz! The doorbell! Another egent, she knew.

But when she reached the door a woman was standing on the little porch. A tall women, with lovely ciothee and furs. Out in tha streei stood e fine hig car with a cheuffeur at the wheel.

"Pardon me," said the stranger, in a iow, sweet voice. "I'm intrnding, I'm afraid, hnt wonld yon mind if I looked ebont your little honse a bit? I lived here once, yon see."

"Surely," Gwen was cordiallty itself. "Come iu."

"Yon haven't lived here long," the visitor ventured.

"Not very long."

"I knew that. Yon haven't made it look like you. But yon will, end I'm so glad. It hasn't heen very well treated, I'm afraid, poor little thing."

They walked through the rooms. In each of them the woman wonld remember somathing, note some change.

"I painted that hathtnh," she iaughed. "It was the most terrible old thing. I felt like Napoleon the day I finished thet hothroom in green and yellow. People didn't nse color then as they do now, hut I had to do something."

Sha asked, at last, to see the yerd. She stood on the brick areaway end the tears dropped steadily down her cheeks.

"You never know how mnch of yourself you put in a home," she soid at last. "This fence wes my birthdoy present. Ned couldn't afford it, but he went withont a new snit to gei it for me. And my fether thought I was too shehhy once nnd gave me eome money for clothes, and I bonght these hricks iusteed—the hricks for the waiks and the areawey. I remember when we pieuted the honeysuckies ou the little pergoia, and what a tragedy it wee to us when they died that first bard winter efter they'd heen eet out."

Gwen couldn't sey anything. There was a choking feeling in her throet, and she was afraid that if she tried to speak she wonld hnrst ont sohhing.

"If I conld ouly come heck," the woman sighed. "But one doesn't. Some peopie think I heve everything now, and I have nothing. It was here thet I had ali that wns worth having."

She eaid good-hy quickly, and went heck to her car, almost ruuuing. The chauffeur helped her in. She was gone. Gwen stood there, in the forsaken little garden, thinking very hard. Love had made this piace seem like a peleca once; it had mede it so heautiful to he eyes of another girl that she had given it hricke instead of buying pretty things for herself. It hed been so near the heart thet even a palace could not replace it in the heart of the woman who bad loved it so well.

Slowly Gwen went into the kitchen. Sha reviewed her own hrief montha in the littla honse. She'd done nothing to make it attractive or homelike. She'd been a wet blanket—a poor sport.

Hurriedly she changed her soiled stockings, hurriedly sha walked toward the bus. She was going to town. She was going to buy paint and cretonne and flower seeds and a little rug and a fireplaca bench—ah, the list was too long! And she was going to come home and make Harry tha very best dinner they had ever eaten in the little house where they were going to be happy—happy—happy!

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is herehy given that default has heen made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated March 11th, 1924, executed hy John Fromm and Clara Fromm, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on March 13th, 1924, at eleven o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 169 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $91.33, halance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $93.75, due on September 11th, 1928, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $93.75 each, due on March 11th, 1929, September 11th, 1929, and March 11th, 1930, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the huildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due end claimed to be due on sald mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,791.61; unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from March 11th, 1930, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per ennum, the sum of $372.58, amortized principal end interest, with interest on $91.33 thereof eince November 8th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since March 11th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since September 11th, 1929, and on $93.75 thereof since March 11th, 1930, eech at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $300.05 for taxes, including interest, penalties and costs, and interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, and the sum of $36.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of eeven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1930, in all the sum of $3,595.95, including interest on said respective sums from sald respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will he foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying end being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28) and the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 200 acres, more or less, eccording to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will he sold hy the Sheriff of said Pennington County, et the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County end State, on Friday, the 17th day of Octoher, 1930, et ten o'clock in the forenoon of thet day, at puhlic vendue to the highest hidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the deht then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on sald premises, and the costs and dishursements allowed hy law, suhject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of saie, as provided hy law.

Dated Septemher 3rd, 1930.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
610 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. S4-O9

Gulls Earned Gratituda

The Mormon cricket was so named hecause of its attack in 1848 on an early Mormou settlement near the present site of Salt Lake City. It threetened the extinction of the colony until a flight of gulls appeered from Seit iake and exterminated the pest. Because of that a monnment was erected to the gulis. Tha cricket marches in large, orderly armies, bnt at times will leave good feeding ground for a comparatively barren area.

Most Collegiate Railway

The Washington, Idaho & Montana mey iey claim to heing the most collegiate railway. Eight of its fifteen statione are named after famous educational institutions, as follows: Wellesley, Princeton, Harvard, Yale, Stanford, Vassar, Cornell and Purdue. The construction engineers on that line must have been extremely loyal to their own and their wives' alma maters.—Railway Age.

Hessians Scattered

Of tha 29,867 Hessians that cama to America during the Revolution, only 17,313 returned to Germany. Of those remaining, 548 were killed, and soma of tha 1,652 wounded died. Some also disappeared, but a great number are known to have remained and settled; grants were given them in Nova Scotia, hnt many scattered to different parts of the country.

Improved Lamp

The hetty iamp gets its nama from tha German "besser," meaning better. The hatty iamp wae covered, while the lamp it displaced was open.

Speed Limit in India

On a 30-mile road in India a motorist is given a timed strip and is forhidden to complete the journey in lees than four hours.

Alas, Na

The world's our oyster, hut we don't all find a pearl therein.—Boston Transcript.

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HAZEL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wiebe and children called at the Carl Alberg homa Snnday.

Mr. and Mrs. C Roese and children and Mr. A. Roese ware at Plummer Sunday evening. Mra A. Roese accompanied them home.

Mrs. C. Roese, Mr. and Mrs. A. Roese and Mrs. S. Hanaon motored to Fergua Falls Friday. They returned the same evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Prestby and children were dinner guests at tha C Prasthy home Sunday.

The Buay Bee school pupils are planning a pie social to be given Oct. 24th. The program will conalat of many Halloween numhers. Everyone welcome.

Misses Dorothy Olson and Mae Kinney spent Sunday evening at the O. Odegaard homa.

The Harvest Festival, held at the St. Pauli church Sunday was weli attended. Rev. Dahle of St Hilaire and Rev. Cleveland and Fjelstad of Thief River gave addresses.

Mrs Nels Johnson of St. Hilaire who had visited at the O Odegaard home returned homa Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Odegaard and son Gordon and Walter Odegaard motored to Thief River Sunday evening.

Mrs. E Knutson and Mrs. A. Jenson of Warroad visited at the Pete Nelson home Thursday.

Mr. and Mra. C. Preatby and children visited Wednesday avening at the E. Preathy home in St. Hilaire.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Finatad, Mrs. O. Odegaard. Mrs Netteland Mrs. H. Bjerk and daughter, Mrs. Hanson Ma[illegible] and Ruth Oien, Mrs. Lokken and daughters H Finstad and childran, Anna Alberg, Mr. and Mrs. C. Alherg and family gathered at the Carl Finstad home Monday honoring tha aeventy-first birthday anniversary of Mrs. K. Finatad.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Lundman and daughter of Dnluth, Louis Lokken, Mrs. F. Frenricksnn and son were guests at a chicken dinner Thnrsday at the Nels Nelson home.

Mrs. A. Jenaon of Warroad came Monday for a week visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J Gilbertson.

B. Walseth was a business caller in Hazel Wednesday.

Mrs. C. Finstad and children called at the C. Alberg home on Tuecday afternoon.

A nnmber of Hazel folks attended the Mission meetings in the Swediah church in St. Hilaire Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs Morris Odegarrd and aon and Mae Kinney were at Thief River Tuesday evenlng.

Mrs. C. Alberg and daughters callad at tna M. Lokken home on Tnesday afternoon.

Mrs. E. Knutson visited at the Morria Johnson home in Thief River Monday afternoon.

When Bees Get Sick Fruit Crop Suffers

Rochester, N. Y.—The future lives of some 50,000,000 hees, a rough estimata of the numher which now inhabit the hives of Monroe county, is in the hands of half a dozen human experts.

The aplary kingdome, which greatly aid the pollination of the trees in the county's famons fruit belt, have hecome weakeued hy a scourge, and a half-dozen experts from the State Agricnltural Department at Albany are here to their rescue.

The men arrived eeveral days ago, aud set out, armed with face veils, mufflers and gloves, to sack and hurn the homes and memhers of the weaker tribes, and transport the stronger ones to new hives, with an eye to a heartier and more abundant fruit crop next year.

The dieease, which has particularly affected the aplaries of this eection, has heen killing millions of the creatures, still in the iarvae etage, and the fruit growers have become worried. However, farm hureau officials helleve that hefore the summer is over, the hee colonies will be in etrictly sanitary coudition, and destined to he the forehears of a healthy generation.

Road Magnet Picks Up 150,000 Pounds of Iron

Phoenix, Ariz.—During the last two years in Arizona highway commission's "home-built" magnet, which scrapes highweys of the state, has collected 150,000 ponnds of iron—nails, screws, hits of wire and machinery from roads.

Nearly a City

Cleveland.—Just 38 more residents would make Rock City, one of Claveland's suhurhe, a city, census supervisors say. The official count gives Rocky River 4,962 inhahitants. Five thousand is reqnired.

Lacks Substance

Praise is a welcome diet, but it doesn't carry enongh vitamine to he especially nourishing.—Los Angeles Times.

Perennial Hard Times

A certain man has told ma every day for years that times are hard; and yet he has mada a fortune.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

Just Try It on Your Bank

Drawing is ona thing that requires talent, while overdrawing requires none.—Rushville Republican.

Think It O[illegible]

Within ourselv[illegible] ... sought; each man ha[illegible] makes.

Bray News

Miss Mabel Lindbloom who has been imployed at the E. J. Moren home is at present staying at the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scholin were husiness callers in Thief River on Thursday.

Misses Hazel and Cora Krause wara out interviawing the school whera the former will teach a term of school starting Monday.

Mr. and Mra. Henry Lindhloom and family accompanied by Mrs. Swap of Fargo, visited with friends at Thief River Falls on Sunday.

Evelyn Wood and Elmer Kron visited Sunday at the Melvin Wood home.

Misses Viola Johnson and Jessie Joyce visited ot the Harry Hawkinson home Seturday.

Mahel Lindbloom, Harriet and Darrell Wood were Sunday afternoon callers at the Emil Larson home.

Lillian Larson visited at the Chas. Krause home in Thief River on Wednesday.

Miss Hulda Mosbeck is being employed at the H. Melin home.

Mrs. Annie Lindbloom who has been ill the past week is now steadily improving.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lindquist and aon Clifford motored Sunday to Crookston where the latter enrolled as a aenior at the A. C.

Theodore Ducet of Sanders is teaching the school in Dist 7, end known as the C. A. Nelson school.

Jack Frost has been ahowing signs in this locality of late.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Scholin and daughter Vivian were shoppers in Thief River Wednesday.

Potatoes picking seems to he the main eubject in this community now.

Madagascar's Converts Have Three-Day Retreat

Vatican City.—Three days' retreat shut off from all worldly influences, is the preparation made by tha Roman Catholic converts in Madagascar hefore their haptism or confirmation, according to correspondence reaching the congregation for tha propagation of the faith.

In the apostolic diocese of Madagascar, the new converts, the students of the school end the catechists perform their spiritual retreat annually. This retreat consists of a series of religious exercises that last a whola day. The inhabitants of distant villagee bring their food and stey with the converts of the place.

The most important retreat is that of the catechists which takes place yearly at the beginning of January in every district. It is a completely shut-in retreat and the preacher is appointed by the apostolic vicar. The catechists also have a hrief retreat the first Friday of every month.

The missionaries, according to their reports here, have discovered that to convert is one thing, bnt to instill into pagan or heretic souls the principles of Christianity is another matter. It is especially through tireless instruction that the necessary work of conversion is done, they state.

Wisecracking Peddlers Banned by Village

Little Falls, Minn.—House-to-house canvessers trying to sell everything from rngs to magazines, and all working their wey through college, were escorted out of town hy police after several youths had passed "smart" remarks to young women on the sidewalk. One periodic group of peddlers was given a particularly emphatic invitation to not come back.

Go to Church on Bikes, but Leave on Tandem

Poole, England.—It was a very stylish marriage, and they didn't need a carriage when B. S. J. Bennett and Miss Gwen Hawkins, respectively, vice president and woman champion of the Poole Wheelers, arrived at the church [illegible] bicycles and rode away on a [illegible]

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PENNINGTON COUNTY

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No Race Suicide There

In writing of French Canadians, Clarence Case in Ontlines of Introductory Sociology seya: "There is a fecundity in certain parts of the province of Quebec which is not matched in any other part of the world where there is such a thing as vital statistics."

Great Flight Cost Life

George Chavez made the first successful flight over the Alps in 1910. He followed the Simpion pass, and made a flight which remains a high light in aviation, but lost his life through a mishap in landing his plane.

Most Beautiful Words

In a voting contest some years ago the following words were selected as the most beautiful in the English language: Melody, eloquence, modesty, honor, beaven, hope, purity, splendor, virtue, faith, nobility, love, harmony, liberty, adoration, innocence, joy, sympathy, divine and happiness.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00
Morning service at 11:00
Evening service at Eastside school at 8:00

Rev. Edgar Swanson superindent of the Northwestern Covenant will conduct a series of meetings in the local church starting Wednesday evening Oct. 8.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
Albin A. Larson, Pastor

Services in Swedish at Clara church next Sunday at 10:30 a. m.

English services in Black River church at 3:00

Luther League meets in Black River church Sunday evening at 8:00. Everyone welcome.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle. Pastor.

Sunday, Oct. 5

Norwegian services in St. Hilaire at 11:00. Rev. K. L. Kleveland will preach. Sunday school at 10:00.

Ebenezer Luth. Harvest festival services at 11:00. Rev. J. B. A. Dale of Dunseith, N. D., will preach. Dinner will be served at the church. Devotional meeting from 2:00 to 4:00. Several speakers. Oak Ridge Choir will sing.

Clearwater Luth. Luther League meets at the church at 8:00 P. M.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .66
Durum Wheat	.53
Rye	.34
Barley	.32
Oats	.24
Flax	1.61
Eggs, cash	.20
Creamery butter	.43

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Willmar—A new golf course is to be built here by local men.

Melrose—A harvest festival will be featured here Oct. 10 and 11.

Winona—Three cases of infantile paralysis has been reported here.

Faribault—Three Twin City men won the 3 grand prizes at the Rabbit show here.

Maple Plain—A fire which threatened this community caused damage estimated at $6,000.

Le Sueur—A parade of floats and marching groups featured the annual Del Mais celebration.

Virginia—$1,000 has been offered in prizes at the annual Farmers' Fair and auto show here.

Duluth—A new municipal sewage disposal plant to cost approximately $2,000,000 will be built.

Rochester—Twenty prominent residents of this community are listed in this year's book "Who's Who."

Hinckley—A reinforced concrete dam is to be built on the Grindstone river here at a cost of $15,406.

Brainerd—Two small forest fires in this district were checked by rangers before much damage was done.

Little Falls—104 carloads of material has been used in construction of the new military bridge here.

St. Paul—A gift of $100,000 to the endowment of Hamline University has been made by an unnamed donor.

Duluth—The enrollment at Duluth State Teacher's College numbers 437, the highest in the history of the school.

Fridley—The Oak Grove Country Club was raided by federal agents and $4,000 in gambling devices confiscated.

Ellendale—Banks here plan on having a minimum amount of cash on hand to provide protection against holdups.

Pine Island—60,000 fingerling rainbow trout were planted in the upper reaches of the Zumbro, by deputy game wardens.

Fort Snelling—More than 20,000 persons witnessed the re-enactment of the battle of Les Franquets ferme during the 3-day show.

Minneapolis—Taxes must be paid on Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. camps, according to a decision by the Minnesota tax commission.

Zumbrota—Goodhue county will be represented by 10 4-H club members at the Junior Livestock Show at South St. Paul November 10-13.

Minneapolis—The Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra moved into its new home in the Cyrus Northrup Memorial Auditorium at the University.

Glen Lake—The Glen Lake Sanatorium is going to build a new surgical laboratory and vocational training building at a cost of $125,000.

Faribault. — To avoid repeated "drives" for funds by charitable organizations here, the faculty of Shattuck school has established a chest fund.

Montgomery—Within a few minutes after opening, two unmasked bandits held up and robbed the First National Bank of $1,350 in cash. They missed $5,000 in the vault.

Minneapolis—Hennepin county is starting on its second million pints of drug store whiskey. In nine years the filling of prescriptions has brought a revenue of $100,000 to the county.

Minneapolis—Application to install and broadcast with a 50,000-watt transmitter will be made by officials of WCCO before the federal radio commission in Washington, Oct. 6.

Albert Lea—Hundreds of local people participated in a celebration of the completion of paving on state highway No. 1, linking this community with Alexandria and Two Harbors.

Isabella—A 30-mile logging railroad is to be built southwest of here for hauling timber. This will be cut on a government tract of about 100,000 acres, in the Superior national forest.

St. Cloud—An immediate audit of the books of this community will be made by the state examiners office after receipt of a petition from 277 citizens demanding such a check be made.

St. Paul—Minnesota farmers this year plan to cut their winter wheat acreage to 22 per cent less than 1929, according to the "intentions to plant" report of the state and federal crop estimators.

Warren—The state execution council denied a request made by the Marshall county board of commissioners that tax payments be postponed until Dec., 1931, following destruction of crops by hail and wind.

Luverne—Hail storms that swept some fields in Rock county helped after all. Farmers husking corn found not only leaves stripped but husks torn from the ear. All they had to do was twist off the exposed ears.

Minneapolis—The 1930 paving program of the Minnestoe highway department, comprising 280 miles of hard-surfaced road, is now practically completed, most of it ahead of schedule, C. M. Babcock, highway commissioner, reports.

St. Paul—Capt. Gerhard Folgero, skipper of the Roald Amundsen Viking ship, docked here after a trip up the Mississippi preceded by a 53 days' voyage across the Atlantic, along the route Columbus took.

Northfield—A Minnesota doctor, Percy T. Watson, chief of the Fengchow mission hospital in northern China, now on a vacation here, received an appeal to return to China and fight an outbreak of bubonic plague. Dr. Watson will leave for the [illegible] province as soon as possible.

BORE BRUNT OF EARTH TREMORS

"Apennines of Naples" Is Hardest Hit by Recent Quake in Italy.

Washington, D. C.—"Italy's recent earthquake was confined in its most destructive effects to the mountainous region known as the Apennines of Naples," says a bulletin from the National Geographic society.

"Just north of Naples the mountain range that extends down the middle of the Italian peninsula loses its form of a definite ridge and breaks down into rather distinct mountain groups, joined by cross ranges and elevated saddles. This area of elevated masses and deep defiles, where towns and villages perch on hilltops and cling to mountain slopes, has borne the brunt of the earth tremors. Farther to the east, the tableland of Apulia has been shaken, too, but not so disastrously.

Crowded City in Beautiful Setting.

"Naples, situated where this broken section of the Apennines slopes down to the Tyrrhenian sea, and close to where Vesuvius has belched out cubic miles of lava, has been shaken severely as it has been many times before. The city is largely built of gray lava from Vesuvius and in its old part consists of low houses along dark, narrow streets and alleys. It is Italy's most populous community in one of the world's most beautiful settings.

"Venosa, an inland town of 9,000 population, which suffered damage, was the birthplace in 64 B. C. of Horace, best loved of Roman poets. There is buried Robert Guiscard, great Norman soldier-duke, in the Church of St. Trinita, built by him in 1059.

"Melfi, another town in which the toll of life was large, lies near Venosa and under the pyramidal peaks of Monte Volture, which marks the southern extent of the Apennines of Naples. In Melfi, Robert Guiscard set up his capital until he captured Salerno on the coast, and made that town his headquarters. Melfi was practically wiped out of existence by an earthquake in 1851.

"Foggia, farthest east of the towns to feel the marked force of the recent quake, lies near the Adriatic side of the peninsula. It is the capital of the great Apulian tableland that was once a huge sheep pasture, maintaining millions of the animals. The town is large (61,000), and with its low white houses, has a somewhat oriental aspect. It was largely destroyed by an earthquake in 1731. The Apulian tableland that surrounds it has been called Italy's most dreary and barren area.

"Nearby is Lucera, where Emperor Frederick II planted his famous Saracen mercenaries, 60,000 strong, in the first years of the Thirteenth century. Frederick lived among these Moslems, dressed as 'the sultan of Lucera,' maintained a harem guarded by eunuchs, and used his Mohammendan forces in his struggles against the Christian soldiers of the Papacy.

One of Italy's Oldest Towns.

"Benevento, where property was damaged and lives lost, is a thriving town, capital of the region between Foggia and Naples. It is finely situated on a mountain high above the Appian Way and its two rivers. There stands one of the most imposing of the triumphal arches outside Rome, erected to Trajan. It is one of the oldest of Italian towns and stood out against the Romans successfully until 276 B. C.

"Potenza, base of operations for some of the relief expeditions, was itself stricken by the recent tremors. It lies on a low saddle which cuts the Apennines and roughly marks the southwestern limit of destruction. This town of 14,000 inhabitants was almost completely razed by the earthquake of 1857, which devastated the region of the Apennines of Naples."

Twins Stick Together, Call on Same Girls

Memphis, Tenn.—Inseparable since birth, the Harris twins—Jesse and Leslie—look alike, act alike, and even call on the same girls.

Jessie is a few hours older than Leslie. That is, Jesse was born directly before midnight, March 31, 1908, while Leslie arrived very early April 1, 1908.

The two were graduated from Southwestern here recently and will enter the same kind of business together next fall, they announced.

In their 22 years the pair has been separated but once, last summer, on a book selling campaign.

Sheepherder Has Good Day

Logan, Utah.—The state pays a bounty of $6 a pelt for coyotes. Oliver Hansen, Hyrum sheepherder, had a good day when he uncovered a nest of ten coyote puppies.

Insurance Written as Early as 600 B. C.

Albany, N. Y.—Insurance was written as early as 600 B. C., according to Harry J. Mang, of the Monarch club.

This was when boatmen on the Nile river in Egypt united to prorate their losses in mules used to haul their barges, he said.

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The St. Hilaire Spectator

25 Years Ago

Crews of Great Northern men were at work tearing up the tracks between Shirley Junction and Wylie. The latter village was to have service from here over a stub line.

Hon. J. M. Markham, of Bemidji, builder of the Markham Hotel of this village, died at Hot Springs, Ark, that week. Burial took place at Bemidji.

Mrs. Mike McAndress and Mrs. Fred Case entertained a group of ladies at a quilting party at the McAndress home.

Leonard Holmes was displaying some fine crab apples from some two year old trees on his place.

Tev. Barker left to attend the M. E. conference at Eveleth. He did rot expect to be reassigned to this place again.

The Crookston mill was down because of a breakage of a large pully. An extra one was sent down from the local mill.

Miss Selima Hoff was spending a week with friends at Thief River Falls.

Unfairness of Men

The unfairness of men in their hatreds has always interested me, in a reflective and mournful way. Most of the terrific indictments one encounters in conversations or in reading are of incidents that never happened.—E. W. Howe's Monthly.

No Colts White at Birth

There is no record of any colt's being born white. The white horses were gray or fawn color when colts. Some of the Spanish horses on the western coast have lighter colored colts than the eastern breeds, but none is known to have been white at birth.

Canadian Amber Deposits

What is believed to be one of the world's richest deposits of amber lies along the shores of Cedar lake, Manitoba, located about twenty miles southeast of The Pas and close to Lake Winnipegosis. For generations the Indians gathered amber there.

Women's Memorial

The memorial building at Washington, which commemorates the services and sacrifices of women in the World war, adjoins the Red Cross memorial to the women of the Civil war. The structure is a handsome marble building.

Place of Refuge

A real garden is one where one may enter and forget the whole world, where troubles vanish with the closing of the gate and where peace reigns in every nook and cranny.—Exchange.

Early Plowing Produces The Best Crop Results

Its a matter of common knowledge to the average good farmer that early plowing is the best. Not only early plowing, but good plowing done early.

Good work requires good machinery. If your plowing equipment is in such shape that it cannot do good work, it will pay you big to get some that will.

Come in and let me show you plows that have proven satisfactory to many users right here in this community. I handle different makes, keep repairs for them, and have lays to fit.

Remember, I carry a full line of all kinds of farm machinery. Anything not in stock, may be had on very short notice and my truck will deliver it to the farm for you.

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For a small balance of $185 still due on a contract, will sell a fine high-grade $700 Baldwin made 1929 Model player-piano in perfect condition, with 50 rolls and bench, rather than box and ship it back to Minneapolis.

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For particulars write

Collection Department
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The Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained by Mrs. V. G. Brink and Mrs. A. V. Jacobson on Friday, Oct 3 at the church hasement. 2t

Try a want adv.

Professional Accounting

Very little is known of the origin of accounting as a profession. The first association of which there is record is the Collegio del Raxonati, founded at Venice in 1581. Professional accountants probably existed in Milan at an early date, as the government established a scale of charges for them in 1742. The first Scotch professional accountant was George Watson, born in Edinburgh in 1845. In 1790 the British directory listed five. The first formal recognition given to accountants in the United States was in the laws of New York in April, 1890.

Tipping Evil Spreads to the Grave Diggers

Edmonton, England.—Grave diggers who complained that they were not allowed to participate in lowering coffins and were thus deprived of gratuities given by relatives are to be allowed to help lower coffins with the stipulation that any of them who accepts a gratuity shall be liable to instant dismissal.

School Proceedings

Regular meeting of directors of Ind. School District 102 held Sept. 23, 1930.

All members present.

On motion made and carried the following bills were allowed;

American Book Co.	
Books 9-13	$42.70
J. B. Lippincott Co. 9-18 Books	5.36
Chicago Aparatus Co. Suppies	35.22
National Surety Co.	
Treas. Bond	25.00
Fritz Cross Co. Supplies	42.25
Ginn & Co. Books 9-10	6.04
Allyn & Bacon Books 6-27	41.19
Allyn & Bacon Books 7-30	51.75
Finch Winslow & Carlisle	
Towels	27.50
A. J. Nystrom Map	4.00
Miller-Davis Co. Health Cards	3.14
Northern School Supply	
Supplies	55.02
The Grolier Society	
Library Books	49.50
Scott, Foresman & Company	
Books	4.87
Mike Highland	
Frt Exp Drayage	13.80
St. Hilaire Spectator	40.90
E. N. Reiersgord	
Census, Frt, Exp	3.30
C. Roe Grain Co.	
53,400 coal at $8.46	225.88
Northwestern Trust Co	
Interest on Bonds	1500.00

On motion duly made and carried the hond of Richard Larson as treasurer was approved.

On motion duly made and carried the clerk was authorized to purchase six, two and a half gallon fire extinguishers.

The president appointed H. F. Hanson and M. H. Jackson to see about using flax straw as a fuel.

No further business motion for adjournment carried.

Paul Roy
Clerk

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JANE AND THE DISH PAN BLUES

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BIG plates that were grayish—little plates that were buttery—tumblers and dessert dishes rimmed with cream—silver ternished from sulphur of the eggs and from the vinegar and salt of salad dressings—salad plates slimy with olive oil—cooking dishes caked with cream sauce—a roasting pan brown with drippings—truly, it was an array that might well have discouraged any young wife, the morning after a holiday, especially one who, like Jane Parsons, had been carefully spared any contact with dirty dishes, for at least twenty-five of her twenty-six years.

As a little girl Jane had never been permitted to "help mother" with the dish washing, for Jane's mother was ambitious for the little girl to be a musician and feared that any work in the line of household tasks would stiffen the pliant little joints of Jane's hands. And besides the music there was the matter of embroidery, for Jane did exquisite needlework, and of course dishwashing makes hands rough enough to fray delicate embroidery silks.

Once out of school, Jane had proceeded to capitalize her love for fine fabrics by obtaining a position selling draperies in an interior decorating shop. Her music efforts, it seemed, were not sufficiently noteworthy to warrant attempting that sort of professional career, so Jane contented herself with playing popular "hits" to entertain the numerous young men who paid court to her outside of business hours.

Naturally, since her hands must be kept in perfect condition to display effectively the beautiful brocades, the shimmering taffetas, the rich, lustrous velvets, and the cheerful chintz, cretonne and linen lengths in the shop, Jane never washed dishes at home.

In true modern fashion, Jane continued to keep her "job" for some time after she married Brett, so dishwashing was still taboo for Jane. Whatever dishes were used in the course of Jane's trifling culinary efforts were washed the following morning by the housekeeper who came in to straighten up the tiny apartment each day, while Jane and Brett were at their work.

The ultimate arrival of Betty Jane gave Jane-the-First still another alibi for steering clear of the kitchen sink. Jane must not waste her strength leaning over a dishpan, washing dishes. There was always some one to be hired to bring order from the chaos of the kitchen.

Brett, Junior, complicated affairs somewhat, for with his coming Jane and Brett, Senior, decided that a cottage in the country must be obtained "for the sake of the children." Usually, however, even in the country, a high school girl was to be found to come in "after school" and all of Saturday. Jane's hands remained surprisingly slim and white and soft.

But then came the reorganization of the company for which Brett worked. Instead of a definite weekly pay check there was an inconveniently, indefinite-sized monthly commission check. Even quarters figured importantly in the budget. And a high school girl charged a quarter an hour for dishwashing.

At first Jane tried leaving everything until after dinner at night and then drafting Brett as official dishwasher. But Brett was so tired at night that she found she hadn't the heart to keep it up. It would have been different if he had been disagreeable about helping instead of acting unhappy; she wouldn't let him do both the washing and the drying, since he couldn't afford to hire some one to do the work for her.

Jane tried washing dishes as fast as she used them. She had read that some efficiency experts claimed that was the least painful method of dealing with dishes. She tried doing them after each meal. She followed the advice of another expert who recommended a single session each day with the mop and rinsing rack. She tried the scald-them-and-let-them-stand-to-dry-themselves method.

But dirty dishes were dirty dishes at any time of the day, Jane had decided. In desperation she had tried propping a magazine upon the faucets, reading as she dishwashed, hoping thus to make the drudgery less dreary. But the experiment was a failure. The resulting cracks and nicks in plates and tumblers nullified the romance in the reading matter.

Then came the period when there were no cream rims on the dessert dishes. A 15-cent tin of applesauce served for dessert for the four members of the family. Only the children's plates were buttery. Jane and Brett tactfully assured each other they were both a bit overweight and really needed to forego cream in their coffee and butter on their toast.

There had even been one Sunday when boiled rice and stewed tomatoes had formed the main part of the dinner, with lamb chops, creamed carrots and stewed prunes for the children. And a Sunday when no bread and butter plates were used, for reasons that were not cheerful to contemplate.

Then came that most terrible of times when only spoons, stained with medicine—or tumblers that had held fruit juice or water—had needed washing. With both babies lying so distressingly white and quiet, or tossing so flushed and feverish in their cribs, Jane and Brett hadn't the heart to eat very much. Avoiding meeting each other's eyes, Brett and Jane had eaten crackers out of the box, gulped milk out of the bottles, then, catching sight of the little Jack-and-Jill-rimmed plate which should have been on the highchair tray, but which had stayed on the shelf for what seemed to Jane years, Jane would hastily abandon the kitchen, leaving Brett to regard Betty Jane's little cup and plate set—the set Sister prized so much because there was a real saucer to go with its pink-bordered cup, and having regarded it, abruptly decided that the furnace needed special stoking, or the ashes shoveled, or most anything which would offer him an excuse to bolt for the seclusion of the cellar.

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Now dishes were heaped till they touched the faucets! A roaster brown with bits of turkey skin, saucepans sticky with cream sauce, big plates greasy with giblet gravy, buttery little plates, which had jelly stains for good measure, salad plates marked with four-egg-yolk-and-french-olive-oil mayonnaise, tumblers creamily rimmed, dessert dishes, which besides flocks of whipped cream boasted crumbs of cake. A certain little Jack-and-Jill-rimmed plate and a pink-bordered set comfortingly testifying to recent use, coffee cups with dregs, which showed both cream and sugar.

Was there ever a lovelier sight?

With a sigh of satisfaction Jane reached for the soap shaker and plunged it into the steaming water in the dishpan. A moment later she found herself chanting jubilantly something that sounded strangely like a syncopated,

"Old Man Sunshine,
Little Boy Bluebird,
Help keep my dishpan full!"

Desire for Adventure Back of Foolish Acts

What aberration is it that leads people from time to time to act as did this woman in the Bronx, who drew $2,500 from the bank and paid it over for "smuggled diamonds," only to find out that they were glass? Cupidity, it is often said, the desire to get rich quickly. Yet one wonders.

When a man hands over $5,000 on a wire-tapping scheme, or $3,600 for part of the estate of the Spanish prisoner, or $3,800 for the land on which the Woolworth building stands, or $5 for a share in a pocketbook, this may be cupidity, but it may be simply an impulse to take part in something that is exciting, colorful and clever. Most of us, after all, lead intolerably dull lives; not once in a year does anything happen to us which is not the veriest humdrum; and when it does, we are so giddy that we talk about it for months. But down deep in us, have no doubt of it, there is an adventurer pining for an opportunity to buckle on a rapier and fare forth with a lantern into the night. It is this adventurer which ruins us when dark work is afoot, not the oily trickster who gets us by the buttonhole.

Try as we will, there are not many of us who can keep entirely calm when we find a pearl in our oyster. It is probably worth nothing at all, as we know from things we have read on the subject, and yet, who knows? So we covertly fold it into a handkerchief, and next day throw it away, not quite having the nerve to ask the jeweler about it. But if we represented it as one of the crown jewels of Russia, brought into this country after the execution of the royal family, some luckless wretch, unable to control the adventurer in his own bosom, might buy it.—New York World.

Coyote Farming Profitable

Coyote rearing for the fur may be developed into one of the big farming projects of central Idaho as a result of an experiment which will interest many. The Hascha brothers bought 13 coyote pups last spring and kept them in a barn on their farm at Mohsen, south of Moscow. The animals were well fed and cared for, with the result that the fur became long and thick and unmarred by any of the usual hazards undergone by wild coyotes in their natural habitat. When killed recently some of the animals surrendered pelts of unusually heavy and glossy appearance with a rich color. Some of the animals are being kept for a foundation and plans are being made to capture more coyote pups to continue the experiment this year.

By Way of Explanation

The grouch was dissatisfied with the letter which his stenographer presented for his signature. He signed it, but made her put it back in the machine and add; "P. S. Dictated to a poor stenographer." She folded the letter and put it in the envelope, but no sooner was her employer's back turned than she took it out and added: "P. S. No. 2. The reason I am so poor is because he pays me only six dollars a week."—Exchange.

Ozark Park Extended

Area of the Ozark National forest will be increased by 48,163 acres sold the United States Department of Agriculture by the Missouri Pacific railroad. The land is in [illegible] Franklin and [illegible] counties, Arkansas.

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I wish to Announce that I am a candidate for Re-election to the Office of County Attorney of Pennington County. I am now serving my First Term as County Attorney. During my term I have tried to discharge the duties of the Office fairly and impartially, and to the best of my ability, and shall continue to do so if re-elected to a Second Term. I shall very much appreciate your vote and support during my campaign for re-election.

Yours very truly,

H. O. BERVE

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FOR

State Representative

65th LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

To the Voters of the 65th Legislative District:

In announcing my candidacy for the important office of State Representative, I promise, if elected, to be diligent, and alert, and to place the agricultural interest above all other interests. I shall endeavor, however, to be fair to both industry and labor, and represent the district as a component part of the great State of Minnesota.

Your vote and support will be highly appreciated.

E. D. RYDEEN.

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above named candidate in his own behalf, and paid for at advertising rates.)

River News

Martin Haupt and Chester Gothia left Monday for southern part of the state to be employed in the corn fields

Miss Mabel Konickson left for Fargo first of the week to seek employment.

John Mortenson and Carl Swanson spent Saturday evening at the Joe Mortenson home near Plummer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Norman and daughters Lillian Minnie and Echo spent Sunday at the L. P. Thyren home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gieseke and sons left Sunday for New Ulm where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Larson and sons spent Sunday evening at the Albert Larson home

Goethals Told Them

Perhaps you have not heard of the answer that General Goethals gave to the women of the American colony of the Canal Zone who objected to the men lolling on their screened porches in pajamas, after the day's work was done. "Ladies," said the general, "we are here to do some hard work and these men deserve every comfort they can have. If you object to seeing them resting on their porches in pajamas—there is a steamship leaving for New York every Thursday!"

FOR SALE, etc.

Cows For Sale:- Because of lack of barn room, I have a few head of good cows for sale. Call on or address.

Wm. Palmquist
R1 Hazel, Minn.

For Sale:- Registered Holstein bull, coming three years old. Call at the farm a half mile west of Hazel, or address.

Mrs. M. Lokken
S25O2p R1 Hazel, Minn.

Defiant in Suicide

A Chinese merchant closed his life here with a proverb—an indirect hint that he did not want his friends to dig into his motives for committing suicide. He had rooms on the third floor of the Bank of Communications, and at dawn made his way up to the flat room, climbed to the top of an ornamental stone effigy and leaped to the ground. He was dead when picked up. His last message, found in his room, quoted a famous Chinese proverb to the effect that each man should sweep the snow from his own doorstep, leaving his neighbor's affairs severely alone.

Tough Sleeper, Did You Say? Here's Champion

Peekskill, N. Y.—John W. Kearns' slumber in a garage was suddenly disturbed when a light truck driven by W. L. Williams ran over his legs. He was taken to a hospital, but after it was ascertained no bones were broken Kearns indignantly demanded he be permitted to leave. He was able to walk out unassisted.

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Shipping Association Is Organized Friday

At a meeting held Friday afternoon in the creamery basement, which was addressed hy County Agent Robert Douglass, Hans Anton and Mr. Greibstein of Thief River Falls, it was decided to organize a co-operative livestock shipping association here. The first officers chosen were V. G. Brink, W. Ewing, Paul Thyren, Frank Bothman and F. S. Erdmann. Mike McAndress was appointed manager.

The association plans to ship stock every Saturday if enough is listed to do so. Listings may be left at the creamery in case the manager is away.

Real Estate Tax Due

Last half of the real estate taxes levied in 1929 are due this month and must be paid before first of November to avoid penalty for nonpayment. The law provides in all cases where real estate taxes amount to more than one dollar, one half may be paid before June first and balance before November first each year without penalty.

Barber shop ownerships in Red Lake Falls changed some last Thursday when Ernest Patnode who has been associated with Leonel Riendeau in the operation of the Riendeau and Patnode shop, sold his interest to Mr. Riendeau, who will conduct the shop in his own name.

Following the above mentioned change Mr. Patnode purchased an interest in the shop that has been conducted during the past year bv Leo Lasha. The new shop will be operated under the name of Lasha and Patnode.:- Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Adolph Stoa member of the entertaining staff at Fargo broadcasting station WDAY, who had become known to the station listeners as "Henry Chick" because of his activities in the Dakota Hatchery program, will no longer be heard in his favorite old-time songs. He passed away Monday from an attack of pneumonia which developed from injuries received in a motor accident.:- Gonvick Banner

Mr. and Mrs. Hans Wilson were over at Grand Forks a few days ago to visit with their daughter, Mrs. D. McAllister, who recently underwent a serious operation. The latter is rapidly regaining strength.

Proposed Amendments

The proposed amendments to the constitution of the state of Minnesota which are to be voted on at the general election next month, are published in this issue. The proposed amendments, three in number, must have a majority of ALL votes cast in the November election if they are to become part of the Constitution. An amendment ballot without marking is, therefore, the same as one marked "No".

The proposed amendments are published three weeks so the electorate may become familiar with them, and may be able to vote intelligently on the important proposals therein contained.

Appoint Committees

The following standing committees, to have charge of activities of the P. T. A.' were appointed by Harry Winter, chairman, at the meeting held last Friday:-

The following committees were appointed for the year.

Membership committee.
Mrs. E. D. Jenson
Mrs. J. Almquist
Mrs. V. Brink
Mrs. Jennie Carter
Mrs. R. Young
Mrs. M. Jackson

Program committee
Mrs. E. N. Riersgord
Miss Launa
Miss McCracken
Mr. Theo. Skatrud
Mr. O. Hanson

Publicity committe
Mrs. J. A. Hanson
Mrs. O. Gunstad

Hospitality committe
E. N. Riersgord
O. C. Johnson
Mrs. Chas. Huff
Mrs. L. Gullickson
Mrs. A. Bilden
Mrs. O. Gunstad

Committee for High School parties
Mrs. Lee Beebe
Mrs. T. M. Skatrud
Mrs. E. Sundholm
Mrs. J. A. Hanson
Mrs. O. C. Johnson
Miss Hovie
Miss. Lundquist

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lyon are expected here today from St. Paul for a hrief visit with relatives. They will be accompanied by Mrs. A. H. Gunstad, who has received treatment at a St. Paul hospital since leaving here two weeks ago.

Falling

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

A. B. Mandt was down Monday from Goodridge looking after business matters at his local service station.

A Shadow Social and Carnival will be held in school Dist. No. 33J, Friday evening, October 17. Everybody welcome.

John Forseen went last week to Warren to be with Mrs. Forseen who is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. S. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Burkee and daughter Beryl, were down Tuesday evening from Thief River for a visit with relatives and friends.

While cutting wood Tuesday afternoon, Lenning Aubol accidently cut a gash in one foot that required the service of a surgeon to close.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Olsen and children, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Erick Olsen of Thief River, visited at the Olsen Bros. home in Sanders township, where they celebrated Mr. Erick Olsen's and Lucille Olsen's birthday anniversaries.

The crack of the bat - the smack of the pigskin - clear as in a grandstand seat . . . . with a Coronado Radio. $99.00 less tubes. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

The Swedish Lutheran Ladies Aid will serve coffee and lunch at the Larson Bros store from 10:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m. at 15 cents, on Friday Oct. 10. Everyone welcome.

Friends here have received word from Mrs. W. A. Case of her arrival at Bedford, Mass., where she will spend the winter with a sister. Grandma Case, who is 81 years of age states she had a most delightful trip. She expects to return here next summer.

L. E. Healy was up Monday evening from Red Lake Falls to attend to business matters pertaining to the closed Farmers State Bank. As Mr. Healy is in charge of six closed banks, he is extremely busy, and especially so at this time of the year.

A very successful meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held at the school building last Friday evening. A splendid program was given, and lunch was served from the domestic science room after the program. Next meeting will be Friday evening, November 7th.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Olson were here last Friday from Leonard for a visit with relatives.

County Attorney H. O. Berve was down yesterday from Thief River Falls calling on voters and attending to business matters.

Vending pumps at the Mandt service station were lined up and reset on a new concrete foundation last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Gunstad were guests last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Healy at Red Lake Falls.

Martin Loberg and Robert Collins have taken over the repair shop at the St. Hilaire Garage. A new lot of tools and equipment was put in lately.

Mrs. Laura Naplin, candidate for re-election as state senator from this district, was in the village Tuesday, interviewing the voters and greeting old friends.

A good sized crowd attended the "Trip around the World put on Tuesday evening by the Norwegian Lutheran Sunday school. The trip commenced at the church basement. From there the crowd went to the Reiersgord, Skatrud, Gigstad and Dahle homes which each represented a country, and were suitably decorated for that purpose. Appropriate lunch was served at each place.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Williams of Wheaton, Minn., were visitors Sunday at the E. D. Jensen home west of town. Mr. Williams and Mr. Jensen belonged to the same regiment during the World War. As this was the first time they had met since army, days needless to say, this meeting was interesting for both.

Mrs. L. M. Mitchell of California is a guest at home of her sister, Mrs. Mike McAndress. She intends to spend the winter months in this section, dividing her time between visiting with her sister, and with her daughter at Churches Ferry, N. D. The Mitchell family were residents of this village about ten years ago.

Dr. L. R. Twete, the veternarian, has been busy the past week in vicinity of Euclid and southwest of Dorothy where a number of cases of hog cholera have broken out. One farmer lost about thirty head, and many other places had smaller losses.

Auto Accident Near Here

Two young men, Louis Phillion and Pat Febro of Red Lake Falls, narrowly escaped death late Wednesday night last week when the Ford roadster they were driving, left the road and was ditched in the turn south of the county bridge below town. Both men were thrown out as the car turned over several times landing right side up fully 75 feet from where it left the road. Melker Erickson discovered the wreck when driving in. He summoned help and assisted with removing the men to the hospital at Thief River.

One of the men suffered a broken leg and severe bruises. The other received a fractured arm and also an injury to his neck which may prove serious.

Wefald Files For Congress

Knud Wefald, Moorhead Farmer-Laborite, officially entered the race for congressman from the ninth district Tuesday when he filed with A. O. Houglum, Clay county auditor. Mr. Wefald is supported hy petitions put into circulation Sept. 7 and which bore 653 names.

Mr. Wefald's opponent at the November 4 election will be C. G. Selvig of Crookston, present incumbent of the office who ran without opposition in the primaries.:- Polk Co. Leader.

The Women's Missionery Federation of the Thief River Falls Circuit will meet at Middle River, Friday, Oct, 17th. A very fine program has been arranged, and a good attendance is expected from all sections of the Circuit.

The Dorcas Society will be entertained at the Nor. Luth. church basement Saturday afternoon by Donald Gullickson, Garmo Jensen, Vincent Surmo, Arlo Jacobson, Harold Kolstad, Maitland and Darald Carter.

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St. Hilaire, Oct, 14, forenoon
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Auction Sale Oct. 15

Mrs. Mary Aubol, who resides two miles northeast of here in Rocksbury township, has bills out announcing an auction sale of horses, cattle and farm machinery while will take place Wednesday Oct, 15. Mrs. Aubol has decided to retire from farming and will make her home in the village after her sale.

Ball Series Finished

The Philadelphia Athletics won the championship in the world series yesterday by winning their fourth game over the St. Louis Cardinals. Yesterday's game was a somewhat onesided affair, the score being 7 to 1. Much interest was taken locally this season in outcome of the series.

Pie Social, Oct. 18

A Pie Social will be given at the Martin Peterson farm home near Hazel, Saturday evening, Oct. 18, hy the Ladies Aid of the Evang. Mission church. Everybody welcome.

25 Years Ago

Miss Clara Lund returned home after spending nearly a year at Minneapolis.

—xxv—

Miss Isahel Latta, sister of Chas. Latta of Plummer, died at the St. Luke's hospital at Duluth where she was a nurse.

—xxv—

John Hogquist, the tailor, had a fire at his shop caused by explosion of gasoline. No serious damage was done.

—xxv—

A large number of cattle was being shipped out of the Grygla county where the hay crop was short hecause of excessive rains.

—xxv—

J. B. Hart, brakeman on the freight, suffered a badly mashed hand when caught between the humpers while switching here.

—xxv—

Lewis Troy, machine operator at the planer, had his left arm broken when it was caught between a pulley and a belt.

—xxv—

Charley Carlson and Albert Fellman bought the confectionery business of Oscar Carlson. They were planning to add new stock and to operate a first class place.

Who Needs A Savings Account?

Everyone that has any ambition, or hope for the future.

Systematic saving every week will make an account grow into substantial proportions in a short time. Then when a good propsition comes along that requires cash, you will have it.

Most people who are a failure in this world have a "wishbone" where their backbone ought to be. It takes "grit" to start anything, and a savings account is no exception. Start your's now.

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By patronizing YOUR creamery, and boosting for it, it will show greater growth in the next ten years than in the past twenty-eight.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

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Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated March 11th, 1924, executed by John Fromm and Clara Fromm, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on March 13th, 1924, at eleven o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 169 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $91.33, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $93.75, due on September 11th, 1928, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $93.75 each, due on March 11th, 1929, September 11th, 1929, and March 11th, 1930, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; and to pay the premium on insurance policies covering the buildings in and upon said mortgaged lands; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,791.61, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from March 11th, 1930, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $372.58, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $91.33 thereof since November 6th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since March 11th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since September 11th, 1929, and on $93.75 thereof since March 11th, 1930, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum; the sum of $300.05 for taxes, including interest, penalties and costs, and interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, and the sum of $36.00, premium on insurance effected, together with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum since March 13th, 1930, in all the sum of $3,595.95, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-eight (28) and the Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW¼ of SW¼) of Section Twenty-seven (27), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-four (44) West, of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 200 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 17th day of October, 1930, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes and insurance premium paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any, on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated September 3rd, 1930.

STATE OF MINNESOTA, Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENG, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
Henry N. Benson, Attorney General.
H. M. Feroe, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
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Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota

Submitted by the Legislature at its General Session, 1929, to the People of Minnesota at the General 1930 Election Together with Statements of

Purpose and Effect of each

Prepared by
HENRY N. BENSON
Attorney-General of Minnesota.

Addressed to
MIKE HOLM
Secretary of State.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
LEGAL DEPARTMENT.
HENRY N. BENSON,
Attorney General.

St. Paul, Minnesota, February 27, 1930.

HONORABLE MIKE HOLM,
Secretary of State:

In compliance with the provisions of section 46, General Statutes 1923, I furnish you herewith a statement of the purpose and effect of proposed amendments to the constitution of the state of Minnesota which are to be submitted to the electors of the state at the general election in 1930, in accordance with certain acts adopted by the legislature at the 1929 session thereof.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 1.

By the adoption of Chapter 429, Laws 1929, the legislature has proposed an amendment to section 3 of article 10 of the constitution relating to corporations. This section now reads as follows:

"Each stockholder in any corporation, excepting those organized for the purpose of carrying on any kind of manufacturing or mechanical business, shall be liable to the amount of stock held or owned by him."

If amended as proposed, this section will read as follows:

"The Legislature shall have power from time to time to provide for, limit and otherwise regulate the liability of stockholders or members of corporations and co-operative corporations or associations, however organized: Provided every stockholder in a banking or trust corporation or association shall be individually liable in an amount equal to the amount of stock owned by him for all debts of such corporation contracted prior to any transfer of such stock and such individual liability shall continue for one year after any transfer of such stock and the entry thereof on the books of the corporation or association."

The Purpose of the Proposed Amendment:

The Constitution, as it now stands, makes every stockholder in any corporation, excepting those organized for the purpose of carrying on a manufacturing or mechanical business, liable for the debts of the corporation, if the corporate assets are insufficient to pay the debts, up to an amount equal to the par value of the stock held or owned by him, in addition to any sum that he may owe the corporation on account of his stock. The purpose of the proposed amendment is to authorize the legislature to prescribe and regulate by law the liability of stockholders or members in all corporations including co-operative corporations or associations, however organized, except stockholders in banking or trust corporations or associations.

The Effect of the Proposed Amendment:

The effect of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to abrogate the present fixed rule of stockholders' liability prescribed by the constitution, except in the case of stockholders in banks or trust companies, and to place the matter of prescribing and regulating the liability of stockholders in all corporations, co-operative corporations or associations created under the laws of this state (except banking or trust corporations or associations) entirely within the control of the legislature, subject to change from time to time as the legislature may see fit.

Stockholders in banking or trust corporations or associations will remain, as they now are, liable in an amount equal to the amount of stock owned by them.

The ballot used at the election should have printed thereon the following:

First:

LIABILITY OF STOCKHOLDERS IN CORPORATIONS.

Amendment to Section 3, Article 10, of the Constitution authorizing the legislature from time to time to prescribe and limit the liability of stockholders in corporations.

YES..........
NO..........

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 2.

By the adoption of Chapter 430, Laws 1929, the legislature has proposed an amendment to section 2, article 6, of the Constitution, relating to the supreme court. This section now reads as follows:

"The supreme court shall consist of one chief justice and two associate justices, but the number of associate justices may be increased to a number not exceeding four, by the legislature, by a two-thirds vote, when it shall be deemed necessary. It shall have original jurisdiction in such remedial cases as may be prescribed by law, and appellate jurisdiction in all cases, both in law and equity, but there shall be no trial by jury in said court. It shall hold one or more terms in each year, as the legislature may direct, at the seat of government, and the legislature may provide, by a two-thirds vote, that one term in each year shall be held in each or any judicial district. It shall be the duty of such court to appoint a reporter of its decisions. There shall be chosen, by the qualified electors of the state, one clerk of the supreme court, who shall hold his office for the term of four years, and until his successor is duly elected and qualified; and the judges of the supreme court, or a majority of them, shall have the power to fill any vacancy in the office of clerk of the supreme court until an election can be regularly had."

Pursuant to the authority granted by this section the legislature in 1881 increased the number of associate justices to four.

If amended as proposed, this section will read as follows:

"The supreme court shall consist of one chief justice and six associate justices. It shall have original jurisdiction in such remedial cases as may be prescribed by law, and appellate jurisdiction in all cases, both in law and equity, but there shall be no trial by jury in said court. It shall hold one or more terms in each year, as the legislature may direct, at the seat of government, and the legislature may provide, by a two-thirds vote, that one term in each year shall be held in each or any judicial district. It shall be the duty of each court to appoint a reporter of its decisions. There shall be chosen, by the qualified electors of the state, one clerk of the supreme court, who shall hold his office for the term of four years, and until his successor is duly elected and qualified; and the judges of the supreme court, or a majority of them, shall have the power to fill any vacancy in the office of clerk of the supreme court until an election can be regularly had."

The Purpose of the Proposed Amendment:

The supreme court, as now organized under the constitution, consists of a chief justice, and four associate justices, all elected by the people. In 1913, in order to take care of the increasing business of the court, the legislature passed a law providing for the appointment of two commissioners to assist the court in the performance of its duties. The act under which these commissioners are appointed provides that each shall receive the same compensation as a justice of the supreme court, and also provides that if, by amendment to the constitution, the number of associate justices shall be increased to six the office of commissioner shall without further act be abolished.

In practice the commissioners sit as members of the court, hear arguments, read briefs, take part in discussions, write opinions, and in general do the same work as the regular justices, but they have no vote in determining the final decisions of the court. The legislature cannot give the commissioners a voice in the decisions of the court, since the organization of the court is governed by the constitution.

The purpose of the proposed amendment is to provide for the election of two more associate justices with full authority as members of the court, to take the place of the present two commissioners, who will then cease to hold office.

The Effect of the Proposed Amendment:

The effect of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to provide for the election of two more associate justices of the supreme court with full authority as members of the court, replacing the present two commissioners, without additional expense.

The ballot used at the election should have printed thereon the following:

Second:

FIXING NUMBER OF SUPREME COURT JUSTICES.

Amendment of Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution, to make provision for two elective associate justices of the supreme court to take the place of two court commissioners now appointed by legislative authority.

YES..........
NO..........

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 3.

By the adoption of Chapter 431, Laws 1929, the legislature has proposed an amendment to article 8 of the Constitution by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 8, and reading as follows:

"Any of the public lands of the state, including lands held in trust for any purpose, may be exchanged for lands of the United States as the legislature may provide, and the lands so acquired shall be subject to the trust, if any, to which the lands exchanged therefor were subject."

The Purpose of the Proposed Amendment:

By section 2 of article 8 of the Constitution school and swamp lands owned by the state may not be disposed of other than at public sale. The purpose of the proposed amendment is to abrogate this requirement in so far as the disposal of such lands to the federal government is concerned by authorizing the legislature to provide for the making of direct exchange with the United States of such state lands in return for lands owned by the federal government.

The Effect of the Proposed Amendment:

The effect of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to abrogate, under such conditions and regulations as the legislature may prescribe and to the extent necessary to effectuate exchanges of state, school and swamp lands for lands owned by the federal government, the rule requiring the disposal of school and swamp lands only by public sale. Such abrogation and the consequent provision for exchange of lands in pursuance of legislative enactment authorized by the proposed amendment will not impair or diminish the trust funds of the state arising from the sale of school and swamp lands, since the proceeds of sales of federal lands so acquired by exchange must, under the proposed amendment, be deposited to the credit of such trust funds.

The ballot used at the election should have printed thereon the following:

Third:

EXCHANGE OF STATE AND FEDERAL LANDS.

Amendment of Article 8 of the Constitution, authorizing the exchange of public lands of the State for lands of the United States, as the legislature may provide.

YES..........
NO..........

HENRY N. BENSON,
Attorney General.

Religion and Names

In all old historical records the Christian name John appears with remarkable frequency. The reason for this is easily explained. In the pious Middle ages parents, at the baptism of their boys, chose the name of the apostle.

Thus, when Bishop Hatfield made a survey of the population of 1380 he found that 44 per cent of the male population were Johns. Twenty-two per cent were Williams—a survival of the popularity of the Norman conqueror.

There were, likewise, many Thomases, a name which many devout parents gave their infants after the murder of Becket in Canterbury cathedral.

In the Fourteenth and Fifteenth centuries most girls were named Agnes or Alice, Isabella, Matilda and Cecilia. The commonest girls' names today are Ann and Elizabeth. Sarah, once popular, comes seventeenth on the popularity list now.—London Mail.

Penalty for Fighting

Stags, moose, caribou, and elk often fight so furiously that their horns are hopelessly interlocked and the animals starve or die of exhaustion.—Country Home.

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REAL ESTATE TAXES DUE

Last half of the real estate taxes levied during 1929 are now due. Payment must be made before November 1st, 1930, to avoid penalty for such non-payment.

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"Did I come from heaven, mother?" was the next question.

"Why, yes, Bobby," the mother replied.

"Did you come from heaven, mother?"

"Why, of course, Bobby; we all came from heaven."

"No, you didn't, mother. I heard daddy say you came from Illinois."—Indianapolis News.

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River News

Mr. and Mrs. F. Aarane nee Myrtle Hesse whose merriage occured last week at his home, left Wednesday for their home after spending a week at the George Hesse home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ulrich and son John accompanied by C. Norquist returned Thursday after spending a week with relatives at New Ulm, Hector and other points.

Wm. Hesse has moved onto the farm vacated by the Rinkenberger family.

Mr. C. Thompson moved to the farm vacated by Wm. Hesse.

Mrs. J. Lehmkuhl and family of Red Lake and Mrs. C. Ulrich and son of Great Falls Mont. visited Friday evening at the F. Ulrich home.

E. Stephens and son Stanley and Clarance Konickson and Joe Peterson left for southern points where the boys will seek work in the corn region while Mr. Stephens will visit at Waterloo Iowa with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Erdmann and children motored to Crookston Saturday to meet their daughter and sister Helena who spent the week end at home. She returned Sunday to Moorhead where she is a student at Concordia College.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Norman and three daughters and son John and Mr. and Mrs. C. Seeger and Mr. and Mrs. E. Seeger and family of Red Lake visited Sunday at the F. Erdmann home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Maakrud and daughter Evelyn spent Sunday at the Wm. Palmquist home.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. F. Aarane gathered at the Wm. Hesse home and tended then a parcel shower Sunday evening.

Pupils of Dist. 236J and 133J enjoyed a short vacation while their teachers Miss Norman and Miss Almquist attended the teachers Institute at Thief River on Monday and Tuesday.

Bray News

V. C. Noper of Thief River was a business caller at the Mons Troland home Tuesday.

Lucillie Lindbloom visited at the Harry Hawkinson home on Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Swap of Fergo visited at the John O Swenson home Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Selmer Olson and family visited at the Henry Lindbloom Sunday afternoon.

County Auditor and Mrs. H. L. Fowler visited at the E. Larson home Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Henry Lindbloon and daughter Mabel visited at the H. Hawkinson home Friday.

Dr. L. R. Twete was a professional caller in this vicinity Saturday.

Mr and Mrs. Swap and Mrs. Henry Lindbloom left Monday for Fargo.

Mrs. Emil Larson and daughter Lillian and Mrs. J. Scholin were Monday afternoon callers at the Henry Melin.

The Y. P. S. in the Black River church was well attended in spite of bad roads. A fine program was rendered after which lunch was served.

Miss Mabel Lindbloom visited with Alma Troland Thursday.

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When Sergeant Major Turned Stage Manager

One of Compton Mackenzie's stories concerns Edmund Gwenn, well-known English actor, who hed enlisted at the beginning of the World war in the royal artillery. Gwenn was horrified one day to hear the harsh voice of an orderly shout in the barrack room:

"Bombardier Gwenn to see the sergeant major at once!"

He entered the presence, wondering nervously what military misdeed was responsible for the summons.

"Bombardier Gwenn," said the great man, turning over some papers without vouchsafing a glance at the insignificant atom quaking before his desk, "Bombardier Gwenn, I have been looking through your military history. I find that before you joined his majesty's forces you were an actor. The sports will be held next Thursday afternoon. You will dress up as a woman and amuse the women and children between the events. Right about!"—Kansas City Star.

THE CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Oct. 12

Sunday school at 10:00

Harvest Festival service and offering to the Budget in local church at 11:00. Rev. P. E. Moen of Crookston will preach. Junior Choir will sing.

St. Pauli: Services in American at 2:00 P. M.

Oakridge: Services in American at 8:00 P. M. The Choir will sing.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Mission services will be conducted by Rev. Edgar Swanson of Minneapolis in local church.

Service in Swedish Friday forenoon. Service in English each evening.

Sunday school at 10:00. Morning service at 11:00.

Afternoon service (Swedish) at 2:30. Evening service in English.

Card Of Thanks

We wish hereby to express our most sincere appreciation to all who assisted us during the last illness and after death of our beloved wife and mother. We also wish to thank the choir which sang at the funeral, and all who contributed flowers.

P. Lundberg and family.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .66
Durum Wheat	.55
Rye	.33
Barley	.33
Oats	.23
Flax	1.57
Eggs, cash	.20
Creamery butter	.43

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Kenyon—The sixth annual corn show drew a large crowd.

Fairmont—The Martin county fair showed a profit of $2,000.

Rochester—A three-day junior livestock show by 4-H club boys and girls was held here.

Minneapolis—The radio show this year featured television for the first time in the northwest.

Ostrander—Fire burned over one block in the business section and caused a loss of $21,500.

Fergus Falls—For the first time since white men came to this vicinity, the Pelican river is dry.

Breckenridge—The Northern Minnesota conference of the Methodist Episcopal church was held here.

Rochester—Civic leaders of Rochester and Byron joined in celebrating completion of paving on trunk highway No. 7.

Stillwater—Owing to the closing of the Hudson bridge for repairs, the ferry across the St. Croix river here is taxed to capacity.

St. Paul—The Minnesota highway department estimated the new road projects would assure 2,000 men of employment this winter.

Montogmery—Thousands of persons from surrounding communities participated in Montgomery's second annual Kolacky day celebration.

St. Peter—State officials and former residents from all parts of the United States helped to celebrate this community's seventy-fifth birthday.

St. James—A tour of farms for farmers interested in practical methods of dairying, was conducted by J. I. Swedberg, Watonwan county agent.

Grand Rapids—Two one-day poultry schools are to be conducted in Itasca county in October, the first here October 27 and a second at Bigfork the following day.

St. Paul—Highway reimbursement bonds totaling $9,000,000 will be placed on sale by the state at noon, October 22, according to Julius A. Schmahl, state treasurer.

St. Paul—The largest electric sign in the world will be erected on the new First National bank building here, bank officials said. Each letter will be 55 feet in height.

St. Paul—The state tax rate for 1931 was set officially at 5.7 mills when Ray P. Chase, state auditor, notified county auditors throughout the state to include this figure on local tax rolls.

Baudette—Baudette is to hava an airport. Tha Chamber of Commerce has authorized necessary expenditure to make an air field out of a portion of land contributed by the fair association.

Henderson—19,000 persons attended this communities first annual sauerkraut festival. John Bredemus ol Henderson was crowned king when he consumed 14 pounds of kraut, five pounds of wieners and 15 buns.

St. Cloud—Posibility of extending the proposed nine-foot Mississippi river channel from St. Paul to Brainerd will be discussed at a public hearing here Oct. 22, Colonel Willing, U. S. district engineer, has announced.

St. Paul—A profit of approximately $12,000 was realized in the sale of $1,267,000 in bonds belonging to the state highway sinking fund. The tabulation was made by W. H. Lamson, secretary of the state investment board.

Minneapolis — A statue of Father Hennepin, noted explorer who discovered St. Anthony Falls, was placed on a granite base in front of the Basilica of St. Mary. It is 18 feet high and was made in Germany out of solid copper.

Ivanhoe—Harry Dietrich, 22-year-old farm youth of Swanville, pleaded guilty to a charge of first degree robbery in connection with the Verdi State bank holdup at Verdi, September 4, and was sentenced to serve 27 years in the state penitentiary at Stillwater.

Minneapolis—From the fourteen young men accepted for enlistment in the United States Navy from the Northwest, the following Minnesota boys were enlisted during the last half of September: J. S. Skjaret of Rustad; L. T. Dalton of Adrian; R. P. Hannigan of Stillwater; H. A. Mackel of Clara City; E. H. Legenhausen of Mankato and E. D. E. Koehn of Bemidji.

Minneapolis—National Candy Week will be observed in tha Twin cities and throughout the Northwest the week of October 11 to 18. Elaborate plans to make Sweetest Day, October 18, the biggest day of its kind in the history of the industry are under way. Manufacturers and jobbers in St. Paul and Minneapolis are planning many stunts to "Make Somebody Happy" during the week. Candy will be distributed free at the hospitals for crippled children, orphan asylums and homes of aged people. Special theatrical performances for orphans will be staged at the State Theatre, Minneapolis and the Tower theatre, St. Paul, on Saturday morning, October 18. Contests to select a Sweetest Girl will be conducted in both cities.

St. Paul—Speeding along at the rate of 350 air miles in one hour and 42 minutes, Charles W. Holman, operations manager of Northwest Airways, Inc., set a record for a St. Paul to Chicago flight. Holman averaged 205.8 miles an hour.

Wabasha—Signs designed to mark boundaries of open and closed areas are being erected along the boundaries of the upper Mississippi river wild life and fish refuge. On large yellow shields are black letters reading: "Department of Agriculture, Biological Survey, U. S. Wild Life Refuge."

Crookston Banker Dies

J. A. Nortrup, 71, prominent in banking circles in the northwest for the past twenty years, passed away at 3:45 Friday morning at his home at 417 Hunter street following a illness of but a few days.

Mr. Northrop was born at Clayman, Wis. in 1859 and lived during his early life at Iowa Falls. He came to Crookston 22 years ago and has been engaged in banking here since that time until Feb. 28, when he entered into partnership with I. P. DeMott in the insurance and estate business.–Polk County Leader

Williams To Get Light

Extension of the electric light and power line from Roosevelt east to Williams will be made this fall. The line to Roosevelt is owned by the Electric Construction Company of Grand Forks, which company operates and owns the Warraod plant.

Williams decided to accept the proposition of the company to furnish light and power, rather than to build its own light plant. Williams folks expect to be getting the service in a month or six weeks.–Roseau Times Region.

Get This Straight

Fall is here, and with it comes an army of canvassers. salesmen and solicitors that are after your dollars. Selliog merchandise in this manner brings the price up considerable from what you can buy the same articles from your local dealers. They will give you a long guarantee and the reason why they can do this is because they bave a large margin to work on. They expect to see you only once, whereas your home merchants bope to see you every time you are in town and make you a visit on Sunday or some other time. Your local merchants are always on the lookout so that he will be able to offer you more and better merchandise for your doller, and at times when you are short of the long green they will extend you credit and accommodation which the peddlers can not give you and they are always here to make good any article that may go wrong. Be careful what you buy and what you pay for an article and remember that the cost of transportation, C. O. D. charges. etc., are added after the price is set by these caovassers. The home merchants are entitled to your business and will appreciate it :-Erskine Echo.

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The most costly and luxurious automobile ever brought to China was built in the United States for the president of the Nanking government. The whole of the metal work on the body of the limousine, and even the hood, is of half-inch thick navy steel plate, which is designed to shed the bullets or bombs of would-be assassins. Two extra seats project from the back of the car, built high enough to permit the occupants to see forward over the hood. These will be occupied by special guards with machine guns. The running boards are unusually long, for guards to stand, each with a revolver in hand.

Foresees Man of Future Advance in Brain Power

A steam locomotive is only 10 per cent efficient. The average human brain, according to many psychologists, is even lese efficient. Dr. Ales Hrdlicka, anthropologist of the Smithsonian institution in Washington, has declared that evolution will produce brains a hundred times more effective than those men now have, Popular Science Monthly reports. When the mechanism of the human body is altered so that millions of tiny cells that form the cortex of the brain receive a larger supply of rich, pure blood, Doctor Hrdlicka says, the power of the brain for sustained thinking will increase many fold.

After fifteen or eighteen hours of work the poisons of waste matters, like "clinkers and ashes," clog up the brain and impair its effectiveness. Sleep is necessary to allow the blood stream to wash away the impurities and bring fresh food. When evolution produces men whose brains receive a more abundant blood supply, Doctor Hrdlicka maintains they will be able to concentrate for longer periods and will require less sleep to remain alert.

Air and Water

Air saturated with water vapor is lighter than dry air of the same temperature because water vapor is lighter than air. When water evaporates, a given quantity of water is dispersed through a large volume so that the resulting vapor is lighter than a mass of air having the same volume and at the same pressure.

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Dealer in Farm Machinery
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

MYSTERY OF THOSE SPICED NUTS

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SYLVESTER MERRIWEATHER had been a brilliant, but improvident lawyer. He had died suddenly a year before and had left his wifa and seven children their big old-fashioned home, a loving memory and practically nothing else. His wife, in desperation, immediately took upon herself the support of tha seven young Merriweathers.

Mrs. Merriweather had acquired neighborly renown for e brand of spiced nnts that she made for bome consumption in more affluent times. She determined to capitalize their popularity and soon the charming old house on the edge of the couservative New England town of Dunham was converted into a confectionery shop.

The idea came to Mrs. Merriweather one day when Natalie, the four-year-old baby girl, engaged in a fray with a neighbor child over possession of a handful of the nuts. While the bettle raged, the little girl kept shouting, "Natalie's nuts!" Finally the neighbor child went into the house, came out with a nickel and purchased ontright the handful of nuts.

Mrs. Merriweather called ber small merchant-danghter in, chided her and made her return the nickel. Bnt the germ of an idea hed been born and as a result "The Natalie Nnts" were put on the market.

The mother worked day and night to fill tha orders until her health was threatened from overwork and worry. All the children helped at times. In summer they worked on the big, comfortable, screened veranda at the rear of the house and in winter in one or the parlors that Mrs. Merriweather had converted into a shop. There, with much langhter and badinage, the children cracked, sorted and pecked nnts while mother did the actual spicing.

Elsie, the ten-year-old daughter, at the time of ber father's death hed foolishly given up school and had put her slim little shoulders to the wheel. She made but one stipulation—that secrecy he maintained as to who made tbe Natalie nnts. Fidelity to her father's memory, humiliation that her mother was so hard pressed, and youthful pride combined to make her very sensitive about this family venture. Two pastry shops handled the nuts exclusively and obligingly maintained silence as to where they obtained them.

There was a general conspiracy in tbe family that Phil Reasoner of all people must not know. So when the tall, athletic-looking Phil came to call on Elsie or take her out, rigid silence was maintained on tha subject. Phil was e good many years older than Elsie and his wealthy widowed mother was the social leader of Dunham. Elsie knew well how that haughty person would feel if she knew her son was courting a toiler.

The Merriweathers made pitiful little efforts at secretiveness. They kept on hand a supply of cheap wicker suitcases in which they packed the candy hoxes, six to a suitcase. They paid a special draysge company to relay tbe suitcases back and forth, rather than have tha regular delivery wagons from the pastry shops stopping at their door. Sometimes in an emergency one of the children had to make a qnick delivery.

Such an emergency arose one spring evening abont dinnertime. The pastry shop six blocks away had telephoned that a hostess was going to give a box of Natalie nuts to each guest that night as bridge favors. Elsie, being the most reliable member of the family, was chosen to act as messenger.

Sbe was making the fourth and last trip carrying her camouflaged package when the unrelieble fastener of the suitcase opened and out tumhled six boxes on the sidewalk. To Elsie's chagrin, Phil Reasoner was drawing up to the curb in his touring car. Franklin Youman was seeted beside him and both men, seeing Elsie's predicament, sprang out to assist her.

"Yon must like the Natalie nuts," Phil said in an offhand, reassuring manner, as he picked up one of the boxes and looked at the name.

"Yes—yes. I do. I'm giving a bridga party tonight and I'm using these nuts for favors." Elsie blushed furiously as she uttered the fib.

"We'll give yon a lift home, Elsie," he said, and hefora the distressed girl could decline, he had tucked his free hand under her arm and was steering her toward his car.

Once in the car, Phil made Franklin hold the suitcase to keep it closed. Thera was an uncomfortable silence, broken et last wben Phil said, "Elsie, there's quite a mystery as to who makes those Natalla nnts."

"Yes—I know—thet is—I mean—" faltered poor Elsie, floundering hopelessly.

But her attempt at speech was drowned utterly. Phil had thrown on his brakes and shifted gears, with a uoisy pretense of avoiding a purely imsginary collision. As he went through the elaborate deception he [illegible] quickly and gave Franklin a [illegible] ... [illegible] and Phil good-by at the Merriweather home and went off on foot. Elsie and Phil entered the house, Phil still carrying the wicker suitcase. They were scarcely seated when Phil took Elsie completely by surprise by saying:

"I wish, Elsie, that you would help me find out who is making the Natalie nuts. Mother and her friends say there is nothing as fine on the market. Franklin and I, have been talking it over and we've decided there's big money in them. They ought to retail at $1.50 instead of $1 a pound. We've got $25,000 to invest in a modern factory if we can find out who makes them. We'll either give stock to the holder of the recipes or buy him out for $25,000."

Elsie sat very still while Phil talked. Thoughts raced through her mind. Could they get hold of thet money and not disclose their identity?

"Will yon excuse me a moment, Phil," she said finally. "I want to speak to mother."

Elsie was gone not one minute bnt ten. When she re-entered the room she was accompanied by her charming mother. Natalie, the golden-haired four-year-old, all done up in white, trailed along.

Phil arose and greeted Mrs. Merriweather. When he seated himself again he took the little girl on his lap. Elsie drew a deep breath preparatory to delivering her carefully rehearsed speech. But Phil was too quick for her. Suddenly, his eyes twinkling merrily, he addressed himself to the child on his knee:

"Natalie, may wa continue to use your name for our spiced nuts?"

Cassowary Simple in, Its Method of Fishing

One of the cleverest of customs among birds, says a noted ornithologist, is the manner in which the cassowary "goes a-fishing." This giant hird, standing 5 feet or more in height, walks out into the weter, fluffs out his feathers, squats down and remains quiet for some time. Small fishes collect among the feathers, as they will among brushes or grass in the water. The hird then clamps down his festhers and walks ont on the shore, shakes itself, picks up and eats the fish.

Speaking of the ravenous appetite of this bird, the scientist said: "The cassowary frequently devours at a time as much as three quarts of raw vegetables and several fair-sized oranges whole, hesides its daily hread supply of three pounds." Consequently, it was pointed out, large quantities of stones and gravel must be consumed to aid digestion.

In confinement, the scientist said, these birds become very tame and may he allowed to walk about the place without restraint, coming when called or more often running after any one accustomed to feed them. If disappointed or teased, they not infreqnently show fight by bristling up their feathers, and kicking out sideways or in front with sufficient force to knock e strong man down. The cassowary is very powerful and dangerous to approech when wounded. On mora than one occasion wounded hirds ara known to have caused naturalists to take to a tree; the sharp nail of the inner toe being a most dangerous weapon, eqnal to tha claw of tha large kangaroo, and capable of doing quite as much damage.

The cassowary, a second cousin to the ostrich, is confined in its distribution to New Guinea and vicinity. The voice of the bird is e curious sort of snorting grunt accompanied by a low-toned bellowing, giving one a clew to its sullen and treacherous disposition.

The nest of the cassowary is placed on the ground, often in a pile of leaves; the eggs vary from five to eight in number and have a coarsely granulated surface. When fresh they are of a light green color but when exposed to the light the color changes to a light hlue, then gray and finally to almost cream. The dnties of incubation fall entirely to the male, who also assumes charge of the young until they are able to shift for themselves.

Poll Tax English Idea

The first poll tax was levied in 1377 in England. The amount was 4 pence on every head above 14 years. The poll tax continued in England for many years, and was an important form of taxation in the New England colonies. It originated with the idea that all able-bodied men should go out for at least a few days each year to work on the roeds. Those who conld not or did not want to do so could pay a tax in lieu of work. There was also the idea that everybody should pay a little, be it only $1 a year, to support the government under which he lived.

Minting Gold Coins

The gold hullion that comes to American mints is purified and the necessary amount of copper added for the alloy. It is then cast into bars, which are rolled into ribbons the width and thickness of the coin. From these ribbons the coins are cut by punches into blanks known as planchets. These are cleaned and weighed, then placed in tubes on the stamping machines, from which they are automatically fed to the stamps, which stamp abont 120 small coins a minute.

[illegible] Team Tracks on Trail

The storms and suns of years have failed to wipe out the tracks made by the great ox teams which moved along the Santa Fe trail more than half a century ago. There are plainly to be seen the deep ruts in the soil near the Points of Rocks, varying in depth from two to six feet. Thousands of tons of freight were moved over these roads at that time, drawn by teams of from 6 to 20 yokes of oxen.

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P-T Convention At Crookston, October 18

The first annual Convention of the Sixteenth District, Minnesota Congress of Parents and Teachers will be held in the high school auditorium at Crookston, Saturday, Oct. 18. All who are interested in the work are invited to attend. Here is the program for the day:-

Registration 8:00-9:30 Twenty five cents
Invocation Dr. J. J. Hibbard, Crookston
Welcome Mrs. I. W. Kinder, Crookston
Music Community Singing
Reports by President of all locals in Districts
Reports by County Chairman
Mrs. John Roholt, Beltrami, Minn.
Mrs. O. Gunstad, St. Hilaire, Minn.
How the Parent-Teacher Association can be a benifit to Rural School
Mrs. Andrew Johnson, Roseau
Mr. G. Gunderson Thief River Falls
Miss Erba Poliot, Red Lake Falls
Mr. Nels Engen, Warren Minnesota
Mr. I. S. Hov, Crookston, Minn.
Mr. Hans Hanson, Hallock, Minn.
Organization of District Mrs. Bert Levins, Crookston

1:30 P. M. Afternoon Session
The Parent-Teacher and the School Morris Bye, Supt of Schools, Thief River Falls, Minnesota
The Parent-Teacher and the Home
The Parent- Teacher and the Community, Mayor Lokken Crookston
Address Mrs. A. A. Mendenhall, State President P. T. A. Duluth

Closing Session
Dinner, Six o'clock, Hotel Crookston Fifty cents
Mr. A. A. Dowell, Supt. of Northwest School Presiding

Talks by
Mrs. A. A. Mendenhall, Duluth;
Mr. Arnold Gloor, Crookston
Address Miss Beatrice Johnstone, Grand Forks.

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Not As Bad As Painted

Much has been said about Minnesota winters and the liability of crops been damaged by frost, but the Ten Thousand Lakes-Greater Minnesota Association after a study of reports compiled by the United States Department of Agriculture has decided that we are not so bad off. In fact the Association reports there are many who accuse us of being in a frozen region who have a shorter frost free season then we have. Observation by the Department of Agriculture for a period of 30 to 50 years from readings taken at Minneapolis sbow that this Minnesota city has 10 more days in her frost free season than Denver, Colorado and Portland, Maine. She has 51 more than Flagstaff, Ariz., and 24 more than Reno, Nevada, 22 more than Baker, Oregon, 9 more than Poeatello, Ideho, 45 more than Cheynne, Wyoming, and 9 less than Santa Fe, New Mexico, 16 less Salt Leke City, 4 less than Fort Wayne, Indiana, and 15 less then Concordia, Kansas. Not so bad.

North Star Begins

With the opening of North Star college yesterday, an enrollment of 28 students in the Academy and Junior college is reported, which number will be increased by the end of the week.- Warren Sheaf.

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Mrs. J. Forseen Called

Death claimed another of the pioneer residents of this village last Sunday when Mrs. John Forseen passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. S. Wilson at Warren.

Deceased had been in poor health several years, but was able to be about her home until a short time ago when she was taken to a hospital. As no hope was entertained for recovery, she was moved to the home of her daughter where she was given loving care until death ended her sufferings.

Mrs. Forseen, nee Martha Marie Olson, was born in Norway the 26th, of January, 1862, and was 68 years and 8 months of age. She came to this country with her parents in 1868 to reside at Red Wing. They later moved to Welch Creek where they resided until 1882 when they came to this community, being among the early pioneer settlers here.

She was united in marriage to L. K. Kolstad in 1888, and four children survive this marriage. Mr. Kolstad died here in 1899. In 1903 she was united in marriage to John W. Forseen who survives her.

Mrs. Forseen was a kindly woman, and numerous friends in this community will be grieved at her death.

She is survived by her husband, J. W. Forseen, and by two sons, Oscar Kolstad of Duluth, Henry Kolstad of Albert Lea, and by two daughters, Mrs. H. Aga of Ortonville and Mrs. L. S. Wilson of Warren.

She is also survived by five brothers, Alfred, Henry and William Olson of this community, Oscar Holden of Fosston, and George Olson of Little Falls, and one sister, Mrs. O. F. Post of Chicago.

With exception of her son, Henry, and brother and sister, Oscar Holden and Mrs. Post, all relatives were present at the funeral which was held yesterday afternoon at the Norwegian Lutheran church, Rev. M. L. Dahle officiating. Interment was made in St. Hilaire cemetery.

Heartfelt sympathy of numerous friends is extended to the bereaved family and relatives in their time of sorrow.

Anyone interested in attending the District convention to be held Saturday, Oct, 18 at Crookston, kindly call a member of the committee in charge. Cars will be available for those desiring to go. Call Mrs. Theo. Skatrud, chairman, City.

Institute Oct. 20 and 21

The annual institute for the rural teachers of Red Lake county will be held Monday and Tuesday, Oct. 20 and 21 at the court house, according to an announcement made by Miss Erba E. Pouliot, county superintendent of schools. In charge of instruction will be Miss Fern Kennedy of the state department of education, St. Paul. This year the teaching of geography will be stressed. There will be a number of extra demonstrations scheduled.- Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Halloween Social

A Halloween social wil be given in the Riverside school house, Dist. 236J, Friday evening, Oct. 31st.
3t Miss Lilly Norman, Teacher

Shadow Social

A Shadow Social and Carnival will be held in school Dist 33J, Friday evening, Oct. 17. Girls bring lunch for two. Located 12 miles east and 4 1-2 miles south of Hazel. Everybody welcome.

Woodrow Wilson, teacher

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Olson and two sons motored here Tuesday from Little Falls to be present at the funeral of his sister, Mrs. J. W. Forseen, yesterday.

Mrs. Myrtle Brown motored here Saturday from Grygla for a brief visit at the home her sister Mrs. Jennie Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanson were down Sunday from Thief River for a visit with their parents.

Necktie Social:-A Necktie social will be given Saturday evening, Oct. 25 in the school house of Dist. 106. Girls are requested to bring ties. All welcome.
2t Mrs. Bertha Anderson, Teacher

Due to heavy rains during the week-end, roads thruout the rural districts have been in poor condition this week.

Attorney Paul A. Lundgren of Thief River Falls, was here Monday morning calling on friends while enroute to Red Lake Falls to attend to business matters.

Notice:- Will anyone who is driving to Crookston on Saturday, Oct, 18, and who has room for an extra passenger or more, kindly call Mrs. L. E. Beebe, City.

The Trespasser

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

A good sized crowd attended the dance given at the Hazel hall last Saturday evening.

The first carload of livestock shipped out of here by the newly formed co-operative shipping association, left here Saturday for market at So. St. Paul.

O. F. Post who is staying near Viking, came down Tuesday to be present at the funeral services for the late, Mrs. John Forseen.

Candy Social:- A candy social will be given Friday evening this week in the school house house in District 69. All welcome.
Mrs. Edna Lindquist, Teacher

A Carnival and program will be given at the school building Tuesday evening, Oct. 28. Further announcement will be made next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Armand Locken of Crookston, and Mr. and Mrs. John Sjoberg and daughters, Hannah and Esther of Hazel were guests at the J. Edw. Johnson home west of town last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Aubol and children accompanied by Pearl Simonson motored here Tuesday from Crandon, Wis., for a visit with their parents and other relatives. They will return to Crandon latter part of the week.

Supt. Cash Cartier of the Red River Power Co plant at Red Lake Falls was here Saturday to read the electric meters and to look after other business of the company.

Peter Lundberg is planning to have an auction sale of his household effects in the near future, and intends to spend the winter at his farm west of town, which is occupied by his son, John and family.

Oscar Kolstad, who has been employed at Duluth and Superior during the summer, arrived home on Tuesday, being called home by the death of his mother, Mrs. J. Forseen.

C. L. Hansen and a party of friends motored down Sunday from Thief River for a short stay. Mr. Hanson, who formerly was in the banking business here, is now field representative for the State Board of Control, the position formerly held by the late Harry E. Ives.

Elmer Johnson has improved his cottage on north Water street by a new covering of shingles.

Dont's miss the chicken at the Blue Parrot Cafe next Sunday. Bring the family. adv.

Soap coupons are redeemed at this store. Bring your's in. M. H. Jackson.

The Ladies Aid of the Swedish Lutheran church served lunch Friday at the Larson Bros. store.

T. Huot, the potato buyer, has bought about three carloads of potatoes here the past week. While yield from most fields appear to be good, there is a large percentage of small spuds this year.

John Forseen returned Monday from Warren where he had been two weeks at the L. S. Wilson home during the last illness of Mrs. Forseen.

County Treasurer John Gullingsrud was down Friday from Thief River to interview the voters and to visit with relatives west of town.

A very successful auction sale is reported from the Mrs. Mary Aubol farm where a sale was held yesterday. Mrs. Aubol expects to move in in the near future to make her home in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lyon returned Sunday to their home at St. Paul after spending a few days at home of her mother, Mrs. A. H. Gunstad, and with other relatives.

It's new! Heard of it? The 17-plate battery for light cars. Eliminates winter starting troubles. At all Gamble Stores $6.89 Exchange. Batteries charged and installed. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Arvid Dahlstrom has leased the former Espeland residence at north end of town and is taking possession this week. His family will occupy the place this winter while he seeks employment elsewhere at his trade as a bricklayer.

Axel Johnson shipped his farm equipment here this week from Bemidji and moved it out to the eighty acre tract that was formerly owned by his parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Peter Johnson. Axel has sold his farm near Bemidji to his brother-in-law, Joe Hauge, from whom he bought the place last year.

Attend Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus L. Hauge were at Shelly last Sunday to attend the Golden Wedding anniversary observance of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Arneson, old friends of many years standing. The latter were present when Mr. and Mrs. Hauge were married, and also were here when they observed their 50th., anniversary a few years ago.

Break Into School House

Some person or persons broke into the school building Tuesday night and made away with a small amount of money from the office. Indications point to it being a job by someone familiar with the building. Breaking into a building at night is a very serious matter and, if caught, the guilty parties face a long prison term.

The Mandt Oil Company service station and garage building recently received a coat of white paint which adds to its appearance. Office at the service station is being painted and otherwise improved this week.

Notice:- It has come to our notice that certain boys in St. Hilaire are making a practice of breaking street lights by throwing stones and using slingshots. This is a serious offence, and must be discontinued at once, otherwise trouble will result.

Red River Power Co,
By C. Cartier, Supt.

A group of boys including Maitland and Darald Carter, Arlo Jacobson, Harold Kolstad, Vincent Surmo, Donald Gullickson and Garmo Jensen entertained the Dorcas Society at the Norwegian Lutheran church last Saturday.

The boys handled the situation wonderfully well, and all who attended report having a splendid time.

Rev. M. Dahle motored Saturday to Moorhead to bring home his children, Grace and Manford, and Olaf Torstveit, who are attending Concordia College, that they might spend the week-end at home.

Lost:- Sack of grain by the north bridge. Finder please leave at the Roe Elevator Co. Lost Wednesday of last week.
K. T. Dalager
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Weyer—Hovet

Friends here have received word of the marrige of Mr. Kenard Hovet and Miss Betty Weyer of Eden, S. D., which occured September 22nd at Breckenridge, Minn

The young couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sherva of Wahpeton, N. D.

The groom is a son of Mrs. Knute Kolstad of this village, and is a graduate of the local high school. For the past two years he has been employed on the Independent at Ortonville. The bride who was a visitor here a short time ago has also been employed at Ortonville. Mr. and Mrs. Hovet will be at home to their friends after November 1st, at Wahpeton where Mr. Hovet recently accepted a new position as compositor and makeup man with the Richland Farmer Globe.

Numerous friends in St. Hilaire will join with the Spectator in extending congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Hovet.

25 Years Ago

An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sandmoen died Monday that week.

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Rev. C. A. Gilman and wife the newly appointed Methodist minister came that week to take over this pastorate.

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Misses Helen and Mabel Hannay entertained a group of friends at a fancy dress party at their home Monday evening that week.

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James McAndress, who was engaged in the barber business here died suddenly Tuesday morning from a heart attack. His widow and one child, besides numerous other relatives here, survived him.

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R. H. Aimer returned after spending several days at St. Paul.

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Mrs. Andrew Soderberg entertained a party of lady friends from here at her farm home near town that Wednesday.

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W. B. Martin, who had charge of the planer that season, left for St. Paul where he had accepted a similar position.

Chicken dinner will be served at the Blue Parrot Cafe next Sunday. adv.

Who Needs A Savings Account?

Everyone that has any ambition, or hope for the future.

Systematic saving every week will make an account grow into substantial proportions in a short time. Then when a good propsition comes along that requires cash, you will have it.

Most people who are a failure in this world have a "wishbone" where their backbone ought to be. It takes "grit" to start anything, and a savings account is no exception. Start your's now.

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Patrons Must Cut Weeds

With the approach of the fall freeze up and the possibility of early fall snows, patron of the rural mail route are again reminded of the desirability of cutting all weeds along public roadsides traversed by the mail carriers, in order to insure prompt delivery of mail through the coming winter season. Every winter, numerous complaints are made by the carriers, representing that certain sections of the road are sometimes impassable because of the drifted snows due largely to failure to cut roadside weeds, brush and similar growths.

Where such condition exist the patrons affected face the possibility of having there daily mail service curtailed, and it is hoped that this winter will see all mail roads in such condition that the department will not be obliged to enforce this regulation.

FOR SALE, etc.

For Sale:- Several head high grade Shropshire ram lambs to sell at St. Paul market price.

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K. T. Dalager
O 9-23 Hazel, Minn.

Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota

Submitted by the Legislature at its General Session, 1929, to the People of Minnesota at the General 1930 Election Together with Statements of

Purpose and Effect of each

Prepared by
HENRY N. BENSON
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Addressed to
MIKE HOLM
Secretary of State.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
LEGAL DEPARTMENT.
HENRY N. BENSON,
Attorney General.

St. Paul, Minnesota, February 27, 1930.

HONORABLE MIKE HOLM,
Secretary of State:

In compliance with the provisions of section 46, General Statutes 1923, I furnish you herewith a statement of the purpose and effect of proposed amendments to the constitution of the state of Minnesota which are to be submitted to the electors of the state at the general election in 1930, in accordance with certain acts adopted by the legislature at the 1929 session thereof.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 1.

By the adoption of Chapter 429, Laws 1929, the legislature has proposed an amendment to section 3 of article 10 of the constitution relating to corporations. This section now reads as follows:

"Each stockholder in any corporation, excepting those organized for the purpose of carrying on any kind of manufacturing or mechanical business, shall be liable to the amount of stock held or owned by him."

If amended as proposed, this section will read as follows:

"The Legislature shall have power from time to time to provide for, limit and otherwise regulate the liability of stockholders or members of corporations and co-operative corporations or associations, however organized. Provided every stockholder in a banking or trust corporation or association shall be individually liable in an amount equal to the amount of stock owned by him for all debts of such corporation contracted prior to any transfer of such stock and such individual liability shall continue for one year after any transfer of such stock and the entry thereof on the books of the corporation or association."

The Purpose of the Proposed Amendment:

The Constitution, as it now stands, makes every stockholder in any corporation, excepting those organized for the purpose of carrying on a manufacturing or mechanical business, liable for the debts of the corporation, if the corporate assets are insufficient to pay the debts, up to an amount equal to the par value of the stock held or owned by him, in addition to any sum that he may owe the corporation on account of his stock. The purpose of the proposed amendment is to authorize the legislature to prescribe and regulate by law the liability of stockholders or members in all corporations including co-operative corporations or associations, however organized, except stockholders in banking or trust corporations or associations.

The Effect of the Proposed Amendment:

The effect of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to abrogate the present fixed rule of stockholders' liability prescribed by the constitution, except in the case of stockholders in banks or trust companies, and to place the matter of prescribing and regulating the liability of stockholders in all corporations, co-operative corporations or associations created under the laws of this state (except banking or trust corporations or associations) entirely within the control of the legislature, subject to change from time to time as the legislature may see fit.

Stockholders in banking or trust corporations or associations will remain, as they now are, liable in an amount equal to the amount of stock owned by them.

The ballot used at the election should have printed thereon the following:

First:

LIABILITY OF STOCKHOLDERS IN CORPORATIONS.

Amendment to Section 3, Article 10, of the Constitution authorizing the legislature from time to time to prescribe and limit the liability of stockholders in corporations.

YES..........
NO..........

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 2.

By the adoption of Chapter 430, Laws 1929, the legislature has proposed an amendment to section 2, article 6, of the Constitution, relating to the supreme court. This section now reads as follows:

"The supreme court shall consist of one chief justice and two associate justices, but the number of associate justices may be increased to a number not exceeding four, by the legislature, by a two-thirds vote, when it shall be deemed necessary. It shall have original jurisdiction in such remedial cases as may be prescribed by law, and appellate jurisdiction in all cases, both in law and equity, but there shall be no trial by jury in said court. It shall hold one or more terms in each year, as the legislature may direct, at the seat of government, and the legislature may provide, by a two-thirds vote, that one term in each year shall be held in each or any judicial district. It shall be the duty of such court to appoint a reporter of its decisions. There shall be chosen, by the qualified electors of the state, one clerk of the supreme court, who shall hold his office for the term of four years, and until his successor is duly elected and qualified; and the judges of the supreme court, or a majority of them, shall have the power to fill any vacancy in the office of clerk of the supreme court until an election can be regularly had."

Pursuant to the authority granted by this section the legislature in 1881 increased the number of associate justices to four.

If amended as proposed, this section will read as follows:

"The supreme court shall consist of one chief justice and six associate justices. It shall have original jurisdiction in such remedial cases as may be prescribed by law, and appellate jurisdiction in all cases, both in law and equity, but there shall be no trial by jury in said court. It shall hold one or more terms in each year, as the legislature may direct, at the seat of government, and the legislature may provide, by a two-thirds vote, that one term in each year shall be held in each or any judicial district. It shall be the duty of such court to appoint a reporter of its decisions. There shall be chosen, by the qualified electors of the state, one clerk of the supreme court, who shall hold his office for the term of four years, and until his successor is duly elected and qualified; and the judges of the supreme court, or a majority of them, shall have the power to fill any vacancy in the office of clerk of the supreme court until an election can be regularly had."

The Purpose of the Proposed Amendment:

The supreme court, as now organized under the constitution, consists of a chief justice, and four associate justices, all elected by the people. In 1913, in order to take care of the increasing business of the court, the legislature passed a law providing for the appointment of two commissioners to assist the court in the performance of its duties. The act under which these commissioners are appointed provides that each shall receive the same compensation as a justice of the supreme court, and also provides that if, by amendment to the constitution, the number of associate justices shall be increased to six the office of commissioner shall without further act be abolished.

In practice the commissioners sit as members of the court, hear arguments, read briefs, take part in discussions, write opinions, and in general do the same work as the regular justices, but they have no vote in determining the final decisions of the court. The legislature cannot give the commissioners a voice in the decisions of the court, since the organization of the court is governed by the constitution.

The purpose of the proposed amendment is to provide for the election of two more associate justices with full authority as members of the court, to take the place of the present two commissioners, who will then cease to hold office.

The Effect of the Proposed Amendment:

The effect of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to provide for the election of two more associate justices of the supreme court with full authority as members of the court, replacing the present two commissioners, without additional expense.

The ballot used at the election should have printed thereon the following:
Second:

FIXING NUMBER OF SUPREME COURT JUSTICES.

Amendment of Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution, to make provision for two elective associate justices of the supreme court to take the place of two court commissioners now appointed by legislative authority.

YES..........
NO..........

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 3.

By the adoption of Chapter 431, Laws 1929, the legislature has proposed an amendment to article 8 of the Constitution by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 8, and reading as follows:

"Any of the public lands of the state, including lands held in trust for any purpose, may be exchanged for lands of the United States as the legislature may provide, and the lands so acquired shall be subject to the trust, if any, to which the lands exchanged therefor were subject."

The Purpose of the Proposed Amendment:

By section 2 of article 8 of the Constitution school and swamp lands owned by the state may not be disposed of other than at public sale. The purpose of the proposed amendment is to abrogate this requirement in so far as the disposal of such lands to the federal government is concerned by authorizing the legislature to provide for the making of direct exchange with the United States of such state lands in return for lands owned by the federal government.

The Effect of the Proposed Amendment:

The effect of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to abrogate, under such conditions and regulations as the legislature may prescribe and to the extent necessary to effectuate exchanges of state, school and swamp lands for lands owned by the federal government, the rule requiring the disposal of school and swamp lands only by public sale. Such abrogation and the consequent provision for exchange of lands in pursuance of legislative enactment authorized by the proposed amendment will not impair or diminish the trust funds of the state arising from the sale of school and swamp lands, since the proceeds of sales of federal lands so acquired by exchange must, under the proposed amendment, be deposited to the credit of such trust funds.

The ballot used at the election should have printed thereon the following:
Third:

EXCHANGE OF STATE AND FEDERAL LANDS.

Amendment of Article 8 of the Constitution, authorizing the exchange of public lands of the State for lands of the United States, as the legislature may provide.

YES..........
NO..........

HENRY N. BENSON,
Attorney General.

Restoring Old Paintings

Old paintings can be restored by an amateur by the careful use of spike oil of lavender, a solvent, the value of which for this work is not widely known, even among those who claim to be expert restorers. The oil should be rubbed on lightly with the fingers or with a pad. It will be found that it dissolves the varnish that has accumulated on the surface of the painting and releases the dirt. This oil was used by some old masters as a vehicle for pigment before linseed oil was adopted generally for this purpose. We would strongly advise, however, that if possible you should take the painting to an expert, to avoid the chance of accident due to inexperience.

Early "Magazines"

While our Colonial ancestors had no sensational newspapers and magazines to entertain them with tales of adventure and misadventure, in many of the small printing shops of the Colonies there were printed books and pamphlets containing the exciting and often lurid details of the trials of pirates, the hangings of criminals, the struggles of the righteous with evil, the conversion of the evil to religion, the sinister designs of the opposite sex, the dangers of drink, and also of abstinence.

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REAL ESTATE TAXES DUE

Last half of the real estate taxes levied during 1929 are now due. Payment must be made before November 1st, 1930, to avoid penalty for such non-payment.

John Gullingsrud, Co. Treas.
Pennington County, Minn.

Tom Morris Retires

Tom Morris, who has operated a jewelry store in Crookston for more than fifty years, this week disposed of his bench and tools and definitely retired from business. Due to failing health, Mr. Morris has been operating on a smaller scale during the past two years. He disposed of the major portion of his stock a year ago and two or three weeks ago sold the rest of it. This week he also sold his bench and tools.

Mr. Morris has been prominent in the civic enterprises of the city since his arrival here in 1879. He served the city as mayor for two terms following a term as alderman and he was instrumental in pioneer days in organizing the Crookston Fire department and also the municipal band.- Polk Co. Leader.

Former Sheriff Dies

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon from the Norwegian Lutheran church, Rev. P. E. Moen officiating, for Anton M. Nelson prominent resident of Crookston for 24 years and former sheriff of Polk county who died suddenly at his home 209 Minnesota St. following a sudden heart attack.

He is survived by his wife, one daughter, Mrs. Norman Koehler of Waukegan, Ill. and three sons, Alton of Waukegan, Ole of Chicago and Chester of Crookston.- Polk Co. Leader.

After several days of summerlike weather, the mercury dropped Saturday evening to the 40 degree mark as a reminder that winter is "right around the corner".

Common Colds

It is the testimony of physicians that no disease causes as much disability and affects such a large proportion of people as the common cold.

The average person still regards a draft as daogerous aod a sure-fire producer of colds; exposure and changeable weather is certain to be forerunners colds, and had air as the advance agent of this greatly feared ailmeot.

Medical science has discovered, however, that these are only pre-disposing agents that lower the individual's vitality and enable the cold germs to obtain a foothold.

That the common cold is a germ disease that has been determined beyond all shadow of a doubt and those who wish to avoid "catchiog cold" cao remain out of its clutches by keepiog fit physically.

Correct living habits, such as plenty of fresh air, nourishing foods, some exercise and a happy, wholesome outlook on life will be productive of the vigor and vitallity that is needed to hold the cold germs in check, thought they may be present.

The common cold, which may be productive of more serious ailments is not to be sneezed at and the best way to escape its consequences is to be ready to meet it on equal terms and put it to root.

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POLITICAL ADVERTISED—(Prepared by John Gullingsrud, Thief River Falls, Minn., in his own behalf and to be paid for at regular rates.)

JOHN GULLINGSRUD
Candidate for re-election to the office of
COUNTY TREASURER
Pennington County

I have conducted this office economically and efficiently, and sincerely believe that I am entitled to your continued support based on my past record.

River News

Mr. and Mrs. P. Berg of Erskine visited in Plummer one day last week.

Andrew and Geo. Norman called at L. P. Thyren Wednesday.

E. D. Rydeen of Clearbrook was in this vicinity Wednesday and Thursday interviewing the voters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Larson and family motored to Bemidji and visited until Sunday with friends and relatives.

Mr. Earl Hill of Brooks, candidate for county commissioner of this territory, was a caller in this vicinity interveiwing the voters.

Mrs. Lee Beebe substituted as teacher in Dist. 235 Monday for Miss Norman who was in the Twin Cities.

Miss Minnie Ulrich is employed at the Lincoln Hotel at Red Lake Falls.

Bray News

Mrs. W Olson visited at the S. Olson home Monday.

Henry Lindbloom and daughter, and Mrs. A. Lindbloom shopped at Thief River Tuesday.

Alfred Troland visited at Carl Lindbloou Saturday evening.

Sheriff and Mrs. O. Ihle were Sunday guests at the E. Larson home.

Mrs. Henry Lindbloom who has visited at Fargo the past week returned Saturday accompied by her mother and sister who will visit here.

A number of people from here atteneded the Aid Friday at the Larson store.

Alma Troland and Roy Larson visited Saturday evening with Mrs. H. Melin who is a patieot at the Thief River Clinic.

Had the Written Word to Prove Her Statement

She's only a freshman now, in Hollywood high, but one of these days she's going to be a movie star. In the meantime, history is causing lovely Joan no end of trouble. The other day, in class, she stated that the British were terribly ungallant in that they had shot Joan of Arc.

"But they didn't shoot her," asserted the history teacher. "Do you mean to say you failed to read the dramatic account of how she was burned at the stake?"

"Yes," said Joan, "I read all about that, but I thought maybe it was movie fire and didn't kill her. Anyhow, it said on the next page that she was shot."

"You'll have to show me, dear," insisted the teacher.

"All right, here it is," said Joan triumphantly. "It says right on page eighty-four that she was canonized."
—Los Angeles Times.

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The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

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Barley	.30
Oats	.24
Flax	1.51
Eggs, cash	.22
Creamery butter	.43

Subscribe for the Spectator.

Movement to Preserve Forests Traced to 1873

Following the Civil war settlements sprang up throughout the West. Wood in greater and greater quantities was needed and londer than before the note of alarm was sounded. We were using up and burning up our timber with frightful rapidity. From Europe scholars were returning, says Forest and Mankind. They told how France, Germany, and other countries were able to have the penny and the cake both; how they were able to cut timber from their forests year after year and still have increasing quantities.

In 1873 a committee of forestry of the American Association for the Advancement of Science presented a report to congress stressing the importance of preserving our forests and in answer to this the first significant step forward was made by the federal government. It appointed a forest agent to investigate conditions. Later this position expanded and grew into the division of forestry.

THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
Albin A. Larson, Pastor

Services next Sunday in Black River church at 10:00

Services in local church at 3:00

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00.
Morning worship at 11:00.
Evening service at 8:00 at Black River Chapel.

Pie Social at the Martin Peterson farm near Hazel, Saturday evening, Oct, 18.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Oct, 19
Sunday school in local church at 10:00
American services in Clearwater at 11:00
Y. P. S. meets in Ebenezer at 2:00
Luther League program in church at 8:00

Program

Song	Male Quartet
Radio Broadcast	Miss McCracken
Duet	LaVaughn and Rachel Skatrud
Piano Solo	Mae Kinney
Talk on Second Commandment	Rev. Dahle
Song	Male Quartet

Card Of Thanks

We wish hereby to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all for their kindness to us in our recent bereavement, in death of our beloved wife and mother, and to all who contributed the beautiful flowers.

John Forseen
Oscar and Henry Kolstad
Mrs. H. Aga
Mrs. L. S. Wilson.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Goodhue—A huge crowd attended the harvest festival here.

Minneapolis—The school board budget has been cut $78,000 for 1931.

Ft. Ripley—A new school house to cost $4,897 will be ready for use December 1.

Litchfield—A stretch of new paving on highway No. 10 to Wayzata has been opened.

Marshall—Lyon county's second annual corn husking contest will take place Oct. 28.

St. Paul—More than 27,000 automobiles are registered this year than last, in Minnesota.

Glen Lake—Construction will start on a new $136,000 service building at the Sanitorium here.

Avoca—Murray county wil have a corn husking tournament two miles west of here Oct. 22.

St. Paul—Plans for a new $4,000,000 city hall and court house has been approved by the council.

Austin—A new six story brick building with a 10-story tower will be built here at a cost of $250,000.

St. Paul—District Jndge Carlton F. McNally forced the city council to reduce its 1931 bndget $112,000.

Red Wing—2,500 boys and girls from Goodhne county participated in the Rural Ednoation Day program.

Montevideo—This community's new home rule city charter was adopted at a special election, 398 to 248.

Mendota—A pipe line connecting the Twin Cities with oil fields in Oklahoma has ben started sonth of here.

Mapleton—Voters of this community voted bonds of $115,000 for erection and equiping a new school house.

St. Paul—The restoration of Thief Lake in eastern Marshall county is favored by the state rural credits bnreau.

Albert Lea—How to market their eggs and poultry will be demonstrated to Fresborn county farmers at two schools.

Red Wing—The old arc lights on the streets of Red Wing will be replaced with incandescent ones at a cost of $5,500.

Atwater—Three masked men staged an old fashioned train robbery, lined np 19 cattlemen in a caboose and robbed them of $500, bere.

Luverne—Comparative yields of 22 different corn varieties are being determined on the Phillip N. Ording farm, three miles west of here.

Albert Lea—Five hundred dollars worth of rifles, ammunition, flashlights and watches were stolen from a hardware store at Conger, Minn.

Breckenridge—Hamline university has nearly reached its goal of raising $500,000 to make it eligible for a gift of $250,000 from the Rockefeller foundation.

Ortonville—The end of a season of community enterprise which has brought completion of 23 blocks of paving was celebrated at a three-day festival.

Stillwater—A temporary wooden bridge over the St. Croix river was opened and will be used until the permanent structure is completed next September.

St. Paul—For the first time in the state's history, motor vehicle taxes are likely to pass the $11,000,000 mark. So far this year $10,904,226.87 has been paid.

St. Paul—Damage by fire in northern Minnesota wooded areas during 1929 totaled $200,502, it was reported by Grover M. Conzet, state commissioner of forestry.

St. Cloud—Figures beyond the million dollar mark are expected to be recorded for building operations in St. Clond during 1930. Permits for the first nine months total $914,525. Fifty-one new homes were erected.

Hutchinson—Carlos Avery, Minnesota state game and fish commissioner for 14 years, and a nationally recognized anthority on conservation, died in New York where he has lived the last six years. Mr. Avery was the first mayor of Hutchinson, Minn., and later was editor and publisher of the Hntchinson Leader for 28 years. Funeral services were held here.

St. Cloud—An invasion by prohibition agents herded fifty-two persons into the Stearns county jail before the raiding was completed. It was the largest raid ever staged by federal agents in the history of Minnesota. Agents from Minneapolis and St. Paul joined others from Minnesota, North and South Dakota for the St. Clond invasion.

Minneapolis—Plans for the observance of Navy Day on Monday, the 27th of October have been formulated by the committee for Minnesota headed by General George L. Leach, chairman. The day is observed nationally each year on the anniversary of Theodore Roosevelt's birthday, under the auspices of the Navy League of the United States. The purpose of the day is to afford a special opportunity for the people of the United States to know more of their navy as it is and to give thought to its honorable services in the past.

Maynard—This community will continne to purchase its electric current from Granite Falls. At a special election on establishing a municipal plant, residents decided the present arrangement was satisfactory. A new plant would have cost $27,000.

Minneapolis—150,000 black bass will be taken from the fish hatching pond of the Izaak Walton League here and distributed to lakes in Hennepin county. More than 250,000 fish have been planted in Minnesota lakes in the past 3 years, according to R. S. Lewellen, president of the chapter.

To the Voters of Pennington County:

Owing to the fact that I am running the Auditor's Office without the assistance of a Deputy, it will be impossible for me to make a personal canvas of the voters of the County before the election and I take this method of repeating my pledge made when I received the overwhelming endorsement of the voters in the Primary Election.

Since my appointment to the office last December, I have been busy revising the accounting system in your County to make it conform to State Standards and give the Taxpayers a more comprehensive system of accounting whereby they can more readily see where the tax dollar is being spent. This is no small job for one man to undertake and can hardly be completed before my term expires.

My revision of the system of handling delinquent taxes saved the County $471.00 on the 1928 judgment. I will effect a saving of at least $1,250.00 in clerk hire in the Auditor's office this year by reason of the fact that I am experienced and do not require the service of a high-priced accountant as deputy. The School Districts of the County will receive $41,000.00 in back apportionment due them by reason of my correcting the system of distributing tax penalties to conform to the law. These are a few of the outstanding achievements in my short term of office.

There is but one way to keep taxes down. That is to limit your expenditures to your means and elect competent and efficient officials. The Auditor's Office is the most important office in your County. Do not let Friendship or Sympathy influence your vote but do your duty by casting your ballot for the candidate you consider best qualified to serve you efficiently and economically.

If elected I pledge myself to continue this program of economy which I have inaugurated. I will work out a budget of expenditures and levies for the County which will take it out of debt. I will see that this budget is lived up to. I will conduct my office without the assistance of a deputy, thereby saving the County $1,250.00 per year in clerk hire. Compare this pledge to what my opponent has to offer before casting your ballot.

I have had twenty years experience in Accounting and Auditing and for the past eight years have been a deputy Auditor before coming to Pennington County. I solicit your support solely on my ability to serve you more efficiently and economically than my opponent. If my service in the office during this short term meets with your approval, your vote and support will be appreciated.

HARRY L. FOWLER

Candidate to Succeed Himself as County Auditor
Pennington County

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above named candidate in his own behalf, and paid for at advertising rates.)

The new Physical Education Building which is now being completed at the Northwest School of Agriculture, will be dedicated Saturday, October 25, as a special feature of the annual Home Coming celebration Speakers inclnde Dean W. C. Coffey, University Farm, St. Paul, and Mr. J. C. Lawrence, Assistant to President L. D Coffman of the University of Minnesota

The new fireproof building provides, for the first time, ample physical education facilities for the girls, and relieves the very crowded condition, which has existed for years in the boys quarters.

According to A. M. Forker, Superintendent of Building and Gronnds, the first floor is divided into three separate areas, one section consisting of locker and dressing rooms with physical director's office and supply rooms for the girls; a similar arrangement for the boys; and a 60x24 swimming pool, which is located in the center of the building: and easily accessible from both boys and girls, quarters.

The entire second floor is taken up by a large 75x92 roon which will be used for the physical education class work, as well as the interclass and interscholastic basketball contests.

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Old English Expression

A nine-day wonder is something that holds attention for a few days and then is forgotten. The expression is very old in England. It was used by Shakespeare. It is thought to be based on the old proverb, "Wonder lasts nine days and then the puppy's eyes are opened," referring to the fact that dogs are born blind and their eyes do not open for about nine days.

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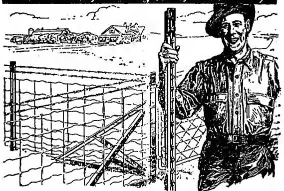

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HAZEL NEWS

The Pie Social to be given by the Busy Bee school will given the 25th instead of the 24 which was previously announced. Girls bring pie and two forks

Mr and Mrs T. Johnson and family and Mr. Johuson's mother of Grand Forks motored to Larimore N D Sunday end visited with his sister Mrs. Christianson.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Peterson, Mrs O. Odegeard and Mae Kenney attended services et the Mission church in St. Hilaire Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E Knutson and Arlene, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nelson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Melby and son of Thief River were dinner guests Snnday at the P. Thupe home.

Mrs M. Lokken and daughters visited at the Alberg home Monday evening.

Miss. Ruth Seeland spent the week end in Thief River.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Johnson and family spent Friday evening at the E. Prestby home at St. Hilaire.

A number of ladies gathered at the O. Odegaard home Monday afternoon. They completed a quilt that will be given away at the school social Oct. 25 The ladies were, Mrs. C. Alberg, Mrs Odegaard, Anna Alberg, Mrs C. Presthy and Mrs. M. Odegaard.

The Swedish Mission church will hold a pie social at the M. Peterson home Saturday Oct 18. All are welcome.

Mrs. H. Benson and son Clinton, Wm. Brink, Mrs. M. Brink, Misses Edna Almquist and Alice Naplin motored from Grand Forks to visit with T. Johnson's They were accompied home hy Roderick and Mary Jane Johnson

Mr. and Mrs. T. Johnson end Noami motored there Tnesday and Roderick and Mary Jane returned home with them.

Idea Is French

The characters Guignol and Gnafron, the French puppets which correspond to the English Punch and Judy, originated in Lyons in the Eighteenth century.

"Healthy" and "Healthful"

Healthy means possessing health, while healthful means causing health. A person is healthy, a place is healthful.—Exchange.

HAD NO ACCOUNT TO BE PAID IN MONEY

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ROSALIE BRANDON was home for a three weeks' vecation, and as usual her first hours at home were given nver tn restoring order to the doctor's eccounts, for her father was notorious for his neglect of the hookkeeping end of his large practice, and Ceila, the general housekeeper, hed too mnch to do to hother with hookkeeping, even if she hed known the meaning of dehit and credit, which was douhtful. The making nf featherweight hiscuit, velvety cake end perfect roasts did not require e knowledge of business efficiency and Celie rated several degrees ahova 100 per cent perfect when it came to cooking. And as Rosalie frnwned over tha eccounts, checked one efter another of long, unpaid hills, she kept thinking how very shehby her fether's old fur coot was; rememhered the pride he hnd alweys taken in his personal eppesrence and now, due to his tenderheartedness, he was wearing a mangy old coat with half the hair worn off it and his suits wera shabhy and frayed et the cuffs, despite repeated pressings and cleanings! It wasn't fair! Surely a few of those hills could he met, little hy little, if the debtors tried!

With a conghing, sputtering conglomeration of foreign noises and sounds e rattle-trap old car drew up et the front door of the doctor's house and a tall, extremely thin young man unwound himself from the steering wheel and prepered to alight. Just dad's luck, thought Rosalie, to he out when e patient who owned even en apology for a car called! Perhaps she could meke him wait.

"Is Doctor Brandon in, ma'am?" asked the too-thin owner of the mystery of the eutomotive industry.

"No. Won't yon wait, though? I expect him heck elmost any time, now," nnd Roselle felt herself warming to the atrange young man in spite of her annoyance over her fether's nffairs, und she found herself noticing how very hiue the young man's eyes were; whet e sad, tired, almost weary drnop there was to his mouth and wide shonlders ns he set uneesily nwelting her fother's return. Why, he conldn't he mnch over twenty-five. Yet here he was looking for ell the world ns if the cores of a nation and a whole flock of starving orphans were upon his lone shonlders! And how positively shehhy the man's clothes ware, fnr ell their neat, painful cleanliness and order! Perhaps it was the car; it certainly looked as though it might impoverish almost any one, and certeinly nnything as dablous looking as thot mechonical device might cause its nwner serions worry and thnught and cnre; might, Rosalie thought, with a hint of laughter in her fine gray eyes, even make one ill, physically and otherwise!

Bnt jnst then Doctor Brandon came in, greeting the stranger heertily, and Rnsalie's eyes narrowed et the patent embarrassment of the yonag man, aven while her fether introduced them, and she discovered that he was the very young minister newly eppointed to the Sleekport church.

"Who's got the mumps, now, Jeff?" hluffly joked the tired doctor as he fiddled ahsently with his case of medicine, "or has some one e new set of twins nr perhaps the measles?"

"Well, you see, sir," hegan Geoffrey Herrington nervously, "thet poor farmer out et the flets already bas seven—and it seems the youngest isn't at oll well, and I was wondering if perhops yon'd he willing to go out and—"

"You will not, dad," fiercely interrupted Rosalie. "You were up all night with that aew Hennessey haby, and yon know you'll never get so much as a penny, and I just won't let you go away ont there in this cold—"

"Then," replied the tired young man with an even sedder, wearier droop to his shoulders, "I'm afraid tha baby will die. It won't eet and it cries all the time, and it never sleeps—"

"Just a moment, Jeff," interrupted her fether bruskly, "and I'll be with yon."

Rosalie heard her father trying to get the district nurse, and when he finally came out with the information that they'd have to go alone Rosalie ran for her coet and hat and a moment later was shivering over the cold, flat roed with her father shouting qnestions and answers to the young minister ahove the roar and clatter of the rocking, clattering car.

"I'm going to stay and help a while," whispered Rosalie when her father and Jeff came ont ready to go. "You come for me leter, ded, will yon?" and Rosalie knew a strange thrill of giedness as Jeff eagerly offered to come and get ber any time, and the thought helped her as sha wrestled with soiled dishes, heaped up laundry and uncombed, unwashed children. Never in all her life had Rosalie worked so hard or so gladly, and at 5, when the early twilight was dimming the big old kitchen, now scrubbed and orderly, and the babies were being served a wholesome supper of sauce, milk, corn cake and cookies, Rosalie heard the bang, clatter and turmoil that heralded the approach of Jeff and his auto with unfeigned gladness.

As he held her coat for her Rosalie felt a tug at her skirt and she bent down to embrace one of ths oldest of tha little girls, who was trying to tender Rosalia a couple of worn, shabby $1 bills with the mother's admonition that this was to be "on account," and turning suddenly, Rosalie looked at Jeff with quivering lips; that these people, so poor that they had hardly enough to keep hody and soul together, should make this pitiful effort to pay a doctor's bill of over nine years' standing! And sbs had been grumbling over her father's leniency!

"Take it hack to Mummy, darling, end tell her to huy you soma shoes! She hasn't any account with us—not to be paid in money, at least!" And Rosalie pulled her hat low over her eyes and her collar high np, lest Jeff see the sudden tears that were streaking her face.

"Tha Hennesseys have twins," gently remarked the young minister as he guided the coughing, sputtering car to a standstill and turned to help Rosalie out.

"Twins!" gasped Rosalie. "Bnt I thought they already had one—this morning!"

"They did, and they have, and now your father is doing tailspins in tha library hecausa Mr. Hennessey tried to give him $10 on eccount—he wouldn't take it!"

"He wouldn't take it—why?" gasped Rosalie stutteringly.

"Because thay haven't a cent and would probahly hava to run a grocery hill to pay him thet much! Your fether," he continued seriously, "is tha most wonderful man I've ever known, Miss Brandon!"

"I supose you're the same," faltered Rosalie, hopelessly. "I suppose you, too, would give away your shoes and go harefoot!"

"Not any more, I wouldn't—on ecount of somehody else—somehody who is more wonderful than her ded," gently answered the sky pilot as he took Rosalia's coat from her and went to hang it up. And Rosalia knew!

Served as Presidents of Continental Congress

Before the edoption of the Constitution, the united colonies had a sort of provisional uational government, such authority as the states delegated heing vested in the Continental congress.

Tha Continental cougress was in session et intervals from September 5, 1774, to October 21, 1788, at Philadelphia, Baltimore, Lancaster and York, Pa.; Princeton and Trenton, N. J.; Annapolis and New York city.

During that time 18 men served as presidents of the congress—not of tha United States. There was no President of the United States until George Washington, hecause there was no Constitution, and no such definite determination of the executive powers as there is now. The president of the Continental congress corresponded roughly, in his functions, to the Vice President in the present government—the president of the senate. He hed soma powers, delegeted to him from time to time, heyond thosa of the presiding officer of a legisletive hody.

John Hanson of Maryland was one of the presidents of tha Continental congress. The complete list, with dete of the election of each, follows:

Peyton Randolph of Virginie, September 5, 1774; Henry Middleton, Sonth Carolina, October 22, 1774; Peyton Randolph (again), May 10, 1775; John Hancock of Massachusetts, May 24, 1775; Henry Laurens, South Cerolina, November 1, 1777; John Jay, New York, December 10, 1778; Samuel Huntington, Connecticut, September 28, 1779; Thomas McKean, Delaware, July 10, 1781; Jahn Hanson, Maryland, November 5, 1781; Elias Boudinot, New Jersey, November 4, 1782; Thomas Miffin, Pennsylvania, November 3, 1783; R. H. Lee, Virginia, November 30, 1784; John Hancock (egain), November 23, 1785; Nathaniel Gorham, Massachusetts, Juna 6, 1786; Arthur St. Clair, Pennsylvania, February 2, 1787; Cyrus Griffin, Pennsylvania, January 22, 1788.

It was as president of the Continental congress that John Hancock was the first signer of tha Declaration of Independence.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Preserving Autographs

To make indelible autographs that are written in pencil, the bureau of standards suggests spraying with ths fixative used by artists for preventing ths smudging of crayon and charcoal drawings. The fixative is a weak solution of bleached shellac in alcohol. The color is so pale and the film of shellac left on the paper is so thin that it cannot be noticed. Be careful not to close the book or turn the pages before the alcohol evaporates and the shellac loses its tackiness. Artists' supply houses sell a cheap tin sprayer, but an old atomizer for spraying the throat can be used. The solution should be well rinsed ont of the tubes with alcohol if you wish to use the atomizer again.

Unimaginative

Two miners who had been brought up in the same village, but had long since drifted apart, met the other day.

"Hello, Tom! Let's 'ave a drink," said one.

"No, Jack," replied the other, who had recently come under the influence of a revival mission, "I 'ave been born again."

"What!" exclaimed Jack, looking down at the other's legs. "Born again, an' still bow-legged?"—Weekly Scotsman.

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Yours very truly,

H. O. BERVE

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FOR

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In soliciting your vote and support, I as a non-partisan candidate deem it incumbent upon me to hriefly suhmit my pletform for your consideration.

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A revision of the tax system so as to reduce the taxes on property and farm improvements. To meke the system more fair and equitahle, I fevor the enactment of a State income tax, also a sale tax on luxuries and e greduated inheritance tax.

Legislation that will tend to place agriculture on a parity with industry and labor.

Last but not least, e Netionel old ege pension.

Respectfully submitted,

E. D. RYDEEN.

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Two Buildings Burn In Monday Noon Fire

Fire which originated in the old garage building owned by Erickson Bros and used lately by Theo. Huot as a potato sorting and storage place, completely destroyed that structure as well as A. Satterberg's barn and office during noon hour Monday. The fire, persumed to have started from a stove used for heating part of the garage where potatoes were stored, had gained such headway when discovered shortly after 12 o'clock that there was no possibility of saving the building. Because of lack of adequate fire fighting equipment and the fact that a brisk north was blowing, fire fighters were unable to prevent spread of flames to the Satterberg building.

In the Erickson building was stored about 600 hushels of potatoes, several pieces new and used farm machinery, paint, machine extras, a Ford light truck and various other articles which was destroyed. A sedan belonging to Chas Huff was pulled out but not before it was badly damaged by the flames.

Mr. Satterberg lost in his building, a lot of machine extras, barn equipment, office fixtures and a flock of purebred chicken. His new Ford truck and a few pieces of new machinery were taken out before the flames reached them.

Loss on the two structures, together with contents, is estimated to be over $6,000.00 with only a small amount of insurance.

The second carload of stock shipped by the newly formed St. Hilaire Co-operative Livestock Shipping Association, left here Saturday for market at So. St. Paul. Maurice Mogen went down in charge of the shipment. Very good returns were realized from the car lot shipped the previous week which was in charge of Manager Mike McAndress. The latter has had many years of valuable experience in huying and shipping of livestock which will prove of material benefit to the new association.

Chicken Dinner

The Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will serve a chicken dinner at the church basement tomorrow, Oct. 24th, at 35 and 25 cents per plate. Everyhody welcome.

Gunderson--Mortenson

At high noon last Thursday, at Red Lake Falls occured the marriage of Miss Gladys Gunderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Gunderson of Wyandotte township, to Mr. Joe Mortenson of Plummer. Witness were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nelson, brother-in-law and sister of the groom. A reception was held the same evening at the groom's farm at Plummer where they will make their home.

Numerous friends in this community join in extending congratulations and expressing best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Mortensen.

Fatal Hunting Accident

A young man, whose home is northwest of Red Lake Falls, died Monday morning at the Fosston hospital as result of a hunting accident at Clearwater Lake the previous day. In reaching for his automatic shotgun behind him in the boat, the weapon discharged, the entire load taking effect in the unfortunate man's side.

Auction Sale Friday

An auction sale of household effects and a team of horses will take place tomorrow afternoon at the residence of Peter Lundberg, two blocks southwest of the Great Northern station in this village. After death of his wife a short time ago, Mr. Lundberg decided to sell all his personal effects, and will make his home with his son on the farm west of town.

The first evidence of winter rode in with a hrisk northwest wind last Friday morning. Flurries of snow fell during the day and Saturday. The mercury went down well below the freezing point at the same time. Most people were totally unprepared for the event, most of them not having storm sash on their buildings, nor heating stoves up.

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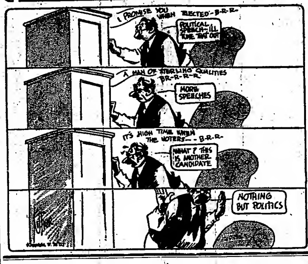

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Ladies Aid of the Nor. Lutheran church will be entertained at the church hasement Friday, Oct, 31st.

Oscar Kolstad left last week-end for Duluth after being home to attend the funeral of his mother, the late Mrs. John Forseen.

L. E. Healy motored up Sunday from Red Lake Falls to look after some business matters of the Farmers State Bank that required his attention.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Porter, who resided here a couple years ago, and who are now located Las Vegas, Nev., are the happy parents of a son horn Oct. 9th. The little chap has been named John D. Jr.

Notice:-Memhers of the Clara, St. Hilaire, and Black River Swedish Lutheran congregations will meet at the local church at 1:00 P. M., Wednesday, Oct. 29 for the purpose of calling a minister.

Because of inclement weather, none went down from here last Saturday to attend the P. T. A. District convention at Crookston, or the pavement celebration held in that city the same day.

Louis Anderson, a former resident of this community and well known to all oldtimers, is here for a visit at home of his sister, Mrs. N. G. Stark, and with his brother, Andrew T. Anderson.

Mrs. Leone Butterfield of Los Angeles, Calif., and Mrs. May Moses of Pelican Rapids, Minn., left Saturday after having spent a week here at home of their brother, N. E. Beebe.

Martin Erickson will leave soon to again take treatment at the Battle Mountain Sanatorium at Hot Springs, S. D., where he spent the winter months a year ago. He was much benefitted by the treatment at that time, and his many friends sincerely hope he will receive equally as good results this year.

Mrs. J. A. Hansen and Mrs. O. Gunstad attended the regional Red Cross meeting held last Thursday at Thief River Falls, the latter as a member of the Pennington County Red Cross Chapter. A roll call for members of the Red Cross will be put on this fall from Nov. 11 to Nov. 27.

The Evang. Mission Y. P. S. of Black River will meet at the John Steiger home Saturday Nov. 1st. 2t

After spending several weeks here with relatives, Herman Anderson left Monday for his home at Devils Lake, N. D.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Burma of Fairmont, Minn., spent last week end here at home of the latter's sister, Mrs. J. H. Bohlen.

A repair crew of the Red River Power Company from Grand Forks was here Tuesday replacing a high line pole damaged during the fire Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Auhol and children, accompanied by Miss Pearl Simonson, left Saturday for their home at Crandon, Wis., after spending several days here with their parents.

Lost:- New endgate for wagonhox. Lost Friday last on T. H. No. 32 within a mile south of town. Finder please leave it at the Spectator office.

Mrs. Mary Aubol and son, Cornel, are moving in from the farm this week to occupy the former Cathelineau house on Minnesota avenue which she recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton W. Jackson and son motored here Sunday from Grand Forks for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson, and at home of his brother, Myles.

The Ladies Aid of the Clara Lutheran church will have a sale of fancy and useful articles on Saturday evening Nov. 1st. at 8 o'clock at the Hazel hall. Lunch will be served after the sale. Everyone welcome.

Charles Young who has spent the summer in Dakota, come over Monday for a short visit at the homes of his brother and sister, Ray Young and Mrs. Chas. Huff. From here he is going to Nebrasha to take in corn husking.

Theo. Huot, the potato huyer, shipped a car of California Burbank spuds to western points a few days ago. Buyers were so exacting about size of the tubers that Mr. Huot had to re-sort several hundred sacks that were ready for shipment.

Troland--Larson

A pretty home wedding took place last Sunday afternoon at 3:00 at home of Mr. and Mrs. Mons Troland, northwest of here, when their daughter, Alma, was united in marriage to Roy Larson, son of Co. Commissioner Emil Larson. Rev. Fjelstad of Thief River officiated, and the young couple were attended by a sister of the bride and by Harry Larson hrother of the groom. After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served to about fourty guests at the Troland home. Numerous friends join in extending best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Larson.

High School Carnival

A Carnival will be given at the school auditorium Tuesday evening Oct. 28. A very good program has been arranged for the occasion. There will be booths, fish pond, Keno game and other forms of amusement. Admission will be 15 cents for grownups, and 10 cents for children.

Chicken Dinner

The Ladies Aid of the Evang. Mission church will serve a chicken dinner at the I. O. O. F. hall Wednesday evening. Oct 29th. Serving will start at 5:30 p. m. All welcome.

Harvest Festival

A Harvest Festival will be held at the Black River Swedish Lutheran church Sunday, Nov. 2nd. Chicken dinner will be served in the church hasement at 1:00. Services will be conducted by Rev. A. Larson at 3:00. 2t

Wood For Sale:- Have a quantity of good, dry poplar cord wood for sale. Will deliver in St. Hilaire. If in need of wood, call or address.

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Achievement Day Oct, 25

Saturday of this week will he Achievement Day for 4H Club members thruout this county, and also marks official ending of the season's activities in club work. Boys and girls who have engaged in baby beef, sheep, poultry and pig club work during the summer, will exhibit at Thief River Falls to compete for $142.00 in prizes. From among those exhibiting, sixteen winners will be chosen to get free trips to the Junior Livestock Show to be held at St. Paul, Novemoer, 10, 11 and 12th.

Turkey Tour Nov, 5th

The annual Pennington County Turkey Tour will take place this year on Wednesday, Novemher 5th. Visits will he made to a numher of places in this vicinity where a large percentage of hirds in this county are raised.

Halloween Social

A Halloween social will be given tomorrow evening, Oct 24, at the Aug. Svenson school, Dist 178, two miles southeast of town. Lunch will he served hy the district at the small sum of 15 cents per plate. A good time is assured to all who at tend.

Halloween Social

A Halloween social will be given in the Riverside school house, Dist. 236J, Friday evening, Oct. 31st. Girls are requisted to bring parcels.

3t Miss Lilly Norman, Teacher

A Necktie Social and carnival will be given Saturday Oct, 25th in school district No 106. Girls are requested to bring ties. All welcome.

Mrs. Bertha Anderson, Teacher

A Sock Social will be held Saturday evening, Nov, 1st in the school house in Dist No. 99. A good time assured.

Dorothy Biskey, Teacher

Don't forget to come to the pie social in the Hazel Hall Saturday Oct. 25. Girls hring pies. There will be a short program and the remainder of the evening will he spent in carrying out the carnival idea.

Who Needs A Savings Account?

Everyone that has any ambition, or hope for the future.

Systematic saving every week will make an account grow into substantial proportions in a short time. Then when a good propsition comes along that requires cash, you will have it.

Most people who are a failure in this world have a "wishbone" where their backbone ought to be. It takes "grit" to start anything, and a savings account is no exception. Start your's now.

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Ray P. Chase is making a strong campaign for the governorship. Reports from many different sections of the state indicate he is gaining strength daily. Mr. Chase has a long record of satisfactory public service back of him, and will make a popular governor.

School Robberies Numerous

Since the local school building was broken into last week and a small amount of money taken, reports of similar occurances have come from a half dozen northern Minnesota towns. Schools at Karlstad, Alverado, Halstad as well as others were entered by what appears to be an organized gang. As many schools are putting on various kinds of activities for purpose of raising money at this time of the year, there is usually a little cash on hand. These night prowlers seem to have knowledge beforehand, gained no doubt by calling on some pretext or other at the school, on how to gain entrance to the buildings. Statewide warning should be sent to all schools not to keep money or other valuables in the buildings. Strict enforcement of the law prohibiting agents from calling at schools might also prove of value.

KNIFE, PLIERS AND GIN USED IN AN OPERATION

Clever Work of a Los Angeles Surgeon That Saved Sailor on Shipboard.

Los Angeles.—A cook's carving knife, a pair of pliers borrowed from the carpenter, a bottle of Holland gin and a needle and linen thread saved the life of a seaman stricken with appendicitis, and as a result, Dr. David R. Robbins, Los Angeles surgeon, recently was presented with a huge silver loving cup by the Planet Steamship company.

A little more than a year ago Dr. Robbins and his wife left Los Angeles on the steamship Noorderdyk for Germany, where the doctor was going to study for a year. He left all his surgical instruments at home, intending to buy new ones in Germany.

Three days out of Panama the Noorderdyk received an S O S from the steamship Corvus, saying that Henry Lohse, a twenty-one-year-old sailor, was stricken with appendicitis.

The Noorderdyk steamed to the Corvus, and when they met, Lohse was transferred to the Noorderdyk. Doctor Robbins was asked to save the man's life.

Doctor Robbins borrowed a carving knife from the cook, made the incision and with the pliers removed the appendix. He then sewed up the incision with a needle and thread borrowed from his wife and disinfected the wound with Holland gin. A piece of rubber tubing from a shower bath was used for drainage. As a result of the operation, Lohse is hale and hearty, hauls on the main brace and lustily sings, "Blow the Man Down."

Because he used such strange instruments, Doctor Robbins refused to accept any pay for the operation, stating that the operation under such strange conditions might not prove successful.

However, the steamship company did not forget Doctor Robbins' deed on the high seas, and when he returned to Los Angeles from his year of study in Germany he was presented with the silver loving cup.

City Has "Honey Tree"

Duncan, Okla.—The city of Duncan lays claim to the only "honey tree" in the world. The tree is a hollow oak in which bees belonging to L. A. Morton have been storing honey. This year the tree is covered with small beads of honey. When the temperature rises the honey drips to the ground.

Proposed Amendments to the Constitution of the State of Minnesota

Submitted by the Legislature at its General Session, 1929, to the People of Minnesota at the General 1930 Election Together with Statements of

Purpose and Effect of each

Prepared by
HENRY N. BENSON
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Addressed to
MIKE HOLM
Secretary of State.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
LEGAL DEPARTMENT.
HENRY N. BENSON,
Attorney General.

St. Paul, Minnesota, February 27, 1930.

HONORABLE MIKE HOLM,
Secretary of State:

In compliance with the provisions of section 46, General Statutes 1923, I furnish you herewith a statement of the purpose and effect of proposed amendments to the constitution of the state of Minnesota which are to be submitted to the electors of the state at the general election in 1930, in accordance with certain acts adopted by the legislature at the 1929 session thereof.

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 1.

By the adoption of Chapter 429, Laws 1929, the legislature has proposed an amendment to section 3 of article 10 of the constitution relating to corporations. This section now reads as follows:

"Each stockholder in any corporation, excepting those organized for the purpose of carrying on any kind of manufacturing or mechanical business, shall be liable to the amount of stock held or owned by him."

If amended as proposed, this section will read as follows:

"The Legislature shall have power from time to time to provide for, limit and otherwise regulate the liability of stockholders or members of corporations and co-operative corporations or associations, however organized. Provided every stockholder in a banking or trust corporation or association shall be individually liable in an amount equal to the amount of stock owned by him for all debts of such corporation contracted prior to any transfer of such stock and such individual liability shall continue for one year after any transfer of such stock and the entry thereof on the books of the corporation or association."

The Purpose of the Proposed Amendment:

The Constitution, as it now stands, makes every stockholder in any corporation, excepting those organized for the purpose of carrying on a manufacturing or mechanical business, liable for the debts of the corporation, if the corporate assets are insufficient to pay the debts, up to an amount equal to the par value of the stock held or owned by him, in addition to any sum that he may owe the corporation on account of his stock. The purpose of the proposed amendment is to authorize the legislature to prescribe and regulate by law the liability of stockholders or members in all corporations including co-operative corporations or associations, however organized, except stockholders in banking or trust corporations or associations.

The Effect of the Proposed Amendment:

The effect of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to abrogate the present fixed rule of stockholders' liability prescribed by the constitution, except in the case of stockholders in banks or trust companies, and to place the matter of prescribing and regulating the liability of stockholders in all corporations, co-operative corporations or associations created under the laws of this state (except banking or trust corporations or associations) entirely within the control of the legislature, subject to change from time to time as the legislature may see fit.

Stockholders in banking or trust corporations or associations will remain, as they now are, liable in an amount equal to the amount of stock owned by them.

The ballot used at the election should have printed thereon the following:

First:

LIABILITY OF STOCKHOLDERS IN CORPORATIONS.

Amendment to Section 3, Article 10, of the Constitution authorizing the legislature from time to time to prescribe and limit the liability of stockholders in corporations.

YES..........
NO..........

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 2.

By the adoption of Chapter 430, Laws 1929, the legislature has proposed an amendment to section 2, article 6, of the Constitution, relating to the supreme court. This section now reads as follows:

"The supreme court shall consist of one chief justice and two associate justices, but the number of associate justices may be increased to a number not exceeding four, by the legislature, by a two-thirds vote, when it shall be deemed necessary. It shall have original jurisdiction in such remedial cases as may be prescribed by law, and appellate jurisdiction in all cases, both in law and equity, but there shall be no trial by jury in said court. It shall hold one or more terms in each year, as the legislature may direct, at the seat of government, and the legislature may provide, by a two-thirds vote, that one term in each year shall be held in each or any judicial district. It shall be the duty of each court to appoint a reporter of its decisions. There shall be chosen, by the qualified electors of the state, one clerk of the supreme court, who shall hold his office for the term of four years, and until his successor is duly elected and qualified; and the judges of the supreme court, or a majority of them, shall have the power to fill any vacancy in the office of clerk of the supreme court until an election can be regularly had."

Pursuant to the authority granted by this section the legislature in 1881 increased the number of associate justices to four.

If amended as proposed, this section will read as follows:

"The supreme court shall consist of one chief justice and six associate justices. It shall have original jurisdiction in such remedial cases as may be prescribed by law, and appellate jurisdiction in all cases, both in law and equity, but there shall be no trial by jury in said court. It shall hold one or more terms in each year, as the legislature may direct, at the seat of government, and the legislature may provide, by a two-thirds vote, that one term in each year shall be held in each or any judicial district. It shall be the duty of such court to appoint a reporter of its decisions. There shall be chosen, by the qualified electors of the state, one clerk of the supreme court, who shall hold his office for the term of four years, and until his successor is duly elected and qualified; and the judges of the supreme court, or a majority of them, shall have the power to fill any vacancy in the office of clerk of the supreme court until an election can be regularly had."

The Purpose of the Proposed Amendment:

The supreme court, as now organized under the constitution, consists of a chief justice, and four associate justices, all elected by the people. In 1913, in order to take care of the increasing business of the court, the legislature passed a law providing for the appointment of two commissioners to assist the court in the performance of its duties. The act under which these commissioners are appointed provides that each shall receive the same compensation as a justice of the supreme court, and also provides that if, by amendment to the constitution, the number of associate justices shall be increased to six the office of commissioner shall without further act be abolished.

In practice the commissioners sit as members of the court, hear arguments, read briefs, take part in discussions, write opinions, and in general do the same work as the regular justices, but they have no vote in determining the final decisions of the court. The legislature cannot give the commissioners a voice in the decisions of the court, since the organization of the court is governed by the constitution.

The purpose of the proposed amendment is to provide for the election of two more associate justices with full authority as members of the court, to take the place of the present two commissioners, who will then cease to hold office.

The Effect of the Proposed Amendment:

The effect of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to provide for the election of two more associate justices of the supreme court with full authority as members of the court, replacing the present two commissioners, without additional expense.

The ballot used at the election should have printed thereon the following:

Second:

FIXING NUMBER OF SUPREME COURT JUSTICES.

Amendment of Section 2, Article 6, of the Constitution, to make provision for two elective associate justices of the supreme court to take the place of two court commissioners now appointed by legislative authority.

YES..........
NO..........

PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 3.

By the adoption of Chapter 431, Laws 1929, the legislature has proposed an amendment to article 8 of the Constitution by adding thereto a new section to be known as section 8, and reading as follows:

"Any of the public lands, of the state, including lands held in trust for any purpose, may be exchanged for lands of the United States as the legislature may provide, and the lands so acquired shall be subject to the trust, if any, to which the lands exchanged therefor were subject."

The Purpose of the Proposed Amendment:

By section 2 of article 8 of the Constitution school and swamp lands owned by the state may not be disposed of other than at public sale. The purpose of the proposed amendment is to abrogate this requirement in so far as the disposal of such lands to the federal government is concerned by authorizing the legislature to provide for the making of direct exchange with the United States of such state lands in return for lands owned by the federal government.

The Effect of the Proposed Amendment:

The effect of the proposed amendment, if adopted, will be to abrogate, under such conditions and regulations as the legislature may prescribe and to the extent necessary to effectuate exchanges of state, school and swamp lands for lands owned by the federal government, the rule requiring the disposal of school and swamp lands only by public sale. Such abrogation and the consequent provision for exchange of lands in pursuance of legislative enactment authorized by the proposed amendment will not impair or diminish the trust funds of the state arising from the sale of school and swamp lands, since the proceeds of sales of federal lands so acquired by exchange must, under the proposed amendment, be deposited to the credit of such trust funds.

The ballot used at the election should have printed thereon the following:

Third:

EXCHANGE OF STATE AND FEDERAL LANDS.

Amendment of Article 8 of the Constitution, authorizing the exchange of public lands of the State for lands of the United States, as the legislature may provide.

YES..........
NO..........

HENRY N. BENSON,
Attorney General.

Old English Style

The practice of beginning sentences with the conjunction "and" dates from 855, and can be verified from the Old English Chronicle (Parker M. S.). The use may be found also in Shakespeare's King John (act iv, scene 1); the Bible; Grote's "History of Greece," and Kingsley's "Hypatia."
—Literary Digest.

12 "Brunswicks" Bid by New Brunswick

New Brunswick, N. J.—Lieutenant Governor W. F. Todd of the Province of New Brunswick, Canada, and the mayors of the twelve "Brunswicks" in the United States have been invited to be present at the celebration of the 250th anniversary of this city's settlement and the 200th anniversary of the granting of the charter by George II. The celebration will be held here from October 12 to 15.

The twelve Brunswicks are in Georgia, Maine, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, North Carolina, Ohio, Tennessee and Virginia.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor,
County of Pennington. } ss.
State of Minnesota

To N. W. Trust Co., Trustee; John Polbrook, Fred Stucy, Michael Kaasa, Marie Olson, Sam Myrum, Val Yaeger, Jno. A. Duffy, Robert Hegland, N. W. Trust Co., Swedish Lutheran Board of Education, Federal Bank & Trust Co., Jonas Bakke, Henry Thorason, Northfield Cemetery Ass'n, Albert Fallman, and Nels Nelson:

You are hereby notified that the following parcels of land situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, known and described as follows, to-wit: NW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 40, SW¼ of Section 17 in Township 152 of Range 40, N½ of SE¼ of Section 18 in Township 152 of Range 40, E½ of NW¼ of Section 24 in Township 154 of Range 40, SW¼ of Section 3 in Township 152 of Range 41, SW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 41, E½ of NW¼ and Lots 1 and 2 of Section 19 in Township 152 of Range 41, SW¼ of NW¼ of Section 22 in Township 152 of Range 41, S½ of SE¼ of Section 23 in Township 152 Range 41, SW¼ of Section 24 in Township 152 of Range 41, NE¼ of Section 9 in Township 153 of Range 41, SW¼ of Section 27 in Township 153 of Range 41, E½ of NW¼ of Section 33 in Township 153 of Range 41, SE¼ of Section 35 in Township 154 of Range 41, SE¼ of Section 13 in Township 152 of Range 42, SE¼ of Section 38 in Township 153 of Range 42, and part of S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ except ¾ acre of Section 36 in Township 163 of Range 43 are now assessed as follows: said NW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 40 in the name of N. W. Trust Co., Trustee, said SW¼ of said Section 17 in the name of John Polbrook, said N½ of SE¼ of said Section 18 in the name of Fred Stucy, said E½ of NW¼ of Section 24 in Township 154 of Range 40 in the name of Michael Kaasa, said SW¼ of said Section 3 in the name of Marie Olson, said SW¼ of said Section 12 in Township 162 of Range 41 in the name of Sam Myrum, said E½ of NW¼ and Lots 1 and 2 of said Section 19 in the name of Val Yaeger, said SW¼ of NW¼ of said Section 22 in the name of Jno. A. Duffy, said S½ of SE¼ of said Section 23 in the name of Robert Hegland, said SW¼ of Section 24 in Township 152 of Range 41 in the name of N. W. Trust Co., said NE¼ of said Section 9 in the name of Swedish Lutheran Board of Education, said SW¼ of said Section 27 in the name of Federal Bank & Trust Co., said E½ of NW¼ of said Section 33 in the name of Jonas Bakke, said SE¼ of said Section 35 in the name of Henry Thoreson, said SE¼ of said Section 13 in the name of Northfield Cemetery Ass'n., said SE¼ of Section 36 in Township 163 of Range 42 in the name of Albert Fallman, said part of S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ except ¾ acre of Section 36 in Township 163 of Range 43 in the name of Nels Nelson. That on May 9, 1927 at the sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County on March 19, 1927 in the proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1926 for said County, the above described parcels of land were separately sold as follows: said NW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 40 for $94.28, said SW¼ of said Section 17 for $116.26, said N½ of SE¼ of said Section 18 for $80.88, said E½ of NW¼ of Section 24 in Township 154 of Range 40 for $89.16, said SW¼ of said Section 3 for $82.10, said SW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 41 for $128.40, said E½ of NW¼ and Lots 1 and 2 of said Section 19 for $45.28, said SW¼ of NW¼ of said Section 22 for $16.14, said S½ of SE¼ of said Section 23 for $40.68, said SW¼ of Section 24 in Township 152 of Range 41 for $82.40, said NE¼ of said Section 9 for $93.18, said SW¼ of said Section 27 for $44.26, said E½ of NW¼ of said Section 33 for $38.78, said SE¼ of said Section 35 for $105.38, said SE¼ of said Section 13 for $106.18, said SE¼ of Section 38 in Township 153 of Range 42 for $86.22, and said part of S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ except ¾ acre of Section 36 in Township 153 of Range 43 for $61.08. That the respective amounts required to redeem said parcels of land from said tax sale thereof, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, are as follows: to redeem said NW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 40, $364.98 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $94.28 from May 9, 1927, and on $86.70 from May 14, 1928, and on $91.70 from January 7, 1929, and on $92.30 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of said Section 17, $423.65 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $116.25 from May 9, 1927, and on $105.00 from May 14, 1928, and on $104.80 from January 7, 1929, and on $97.61 from January 5, 1930; to redeem said N½ of SE¼ of said Section 18, $186.55 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $50.88 from May 9, 1927, and on $48.84 from May 14, 1928, and on $47.40 from January 7, 1929, and on $39.48 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said E½ of NW¼ of Section 24 in Township 154 of Range 40, $321.49 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $69.16 from May 9, 1927, and on $73.16 from May 14, 1928, and on $79.29 from January 7, 1929, and on $99.88 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of said Section 3, $284.35 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $82.10 from May 9, 1927, and on $67.18 from May 14, 1928, and on $52.76 from January 7, 1929, and on $72.31 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 41, $715.09 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $128.40 from May 9, 1927, and on $94.38 from May 14, 1928, and on $95.75 from January 7, 1929, and on $112.21 from January 8, 1930; to redeem said E½ of NW¼ and Lots 1 and 2 of said Section 19, $310.42 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $45.28 from May 9, 1927, and on $87.36 from May 14, 1928, and on $91.81 from January 7, 1929, and on $88.17 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of NW¼ of said Section 22, $105.48 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $16.14 from May 9, 1927, and on $36.14 from May 14, 1928, and on $17.38 from January 7, 1929, and on $35.80 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said S½ of SE¼ of Section 23, $165.38 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $40.66 from May 9, 1927, and on $41.60 from May 14, 1928, and on $42.48 from January 7, 1929, and on $40.74 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of Section 24 in Township 152 of Range 41, $332.28 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $82.40 from May 9, 1927, and on $83.28 from May 14, 1928, and on $86.14 from January 7, 1929, and on $81.41 from January 8, 1930; to redeem said NE¼ of said Section 9, $262.23 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $93.18 from May 9, 1927, and on $86.42 from May 18, 1929, and on $82.83 from January 8, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of said Section 27, $303.48 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $44.26 from May 9, 1927, and on $88.32 from May 14, 1923, and on $91.56 from January 7, 1929, and on $79.34 from January 8, 1930; to redeem said E½ of NW¼ of said Section 33, $180.85 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $38.78 from May 9, 1927, and on $27.84 from May 14, 1928, and on $33.24 from January 7, 1929, and on $30.99 from January 8, 1930; to redeem said SE¼ of said Section 35, $381.38 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $105.38 from May 9, 1927, and on $106.22 from May 14, 1928, and on $89.88 from January 7, 1929, and on $80.10 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SE¼ of said Section 13, $419.27 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $106.18 from May 9, 1927, and on $105.38 from May 14, 1928, and on $99.92 from January 7, 1929, and on $117.59 from January 8, 1930; to redeem said SE¼ of Section 38 in Township 153 of Range 42, $343.86 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $86.22 from May 9, 1927, and on $83.80 from May 14, 1928, and on $89.64 from January 7, 1929, and on $85.20 from January 6, 1930; and to redeem said part of S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ except ¾ acre of Section 36 in Township 163 of Range 43, $223.72 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $61.08 from May 9, 1927, and on $52.00 from May 14, 1928, and on $54.66 from January 7, 1929, and on $56.98 from January 6, 1930. That the respective tax certificates of sale issued to the purchaser have been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested. That the time for redemption of said parcels of land, or any of them, from said sale thereof, will expire sixty days after the service of this notice and the filing of proof of such service in my office. Witness my hand and official seal this 10th day of September, 1930.

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor of Pennington County, Minn.
(Official Seal.) O23-N8

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor,
County of Pennington. } ss.
State of Minnesota

To Thos. H. Smith.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 13, Block 23, Knox Addition to Red Lake Rapids.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 14th day of May, 1923, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 19th day of March, 1923, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1921, for said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said piece or parcel, was bid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($2.44), Two and 44|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 11th day of August, 1930, the said piece or parcel not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Fifteen Dollars and no cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($15.00), Fifteen Dollars and no cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($15.00), Fifteen and no|100 Dollars from said eleventh day of August, 1930, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 17th day of October, 1930.
(Official Seal.)

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
Approved by
Attorney General. O23-N6

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor,
County of Pennington. } ss.
State of Minnesota

To Amanda Shiebel.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 5 & 6, Block 23, Knox's Addition to Red Lake Rapids.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 8th day of May, 1920, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 17th day of March, 1923, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year, 1920, for said County of Pennington, the above pieces or parcels of land, was offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said pieces or parcels, was bid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($2.96), Two and 96|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 11th day of August, 1930, the said pieces or parcels not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Twenty-five Dollars and Sixty-four cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($25.64), Twenty-five Dollars and sixty-four cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($25.64), Twenty-five and 64|100 Dollars from said eleventh day of August, 1930, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificates of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 17th day of October, 1930.
(Official Seal.)

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
Approved by
Attorney General. O23-N6

Berlin Has Water Gun to Suppress Riots

Berlin.—The Prussian police have just introduced into Berlin streets one of the ten experimentally built mobile tanks which is armed with nothing but water.

It looks like an armored car, and the crew is protected by bullet-proof plates. It has a revolving fighting turret, from which projects what looks like a gun, but in reality is only a nozzle.

The gun can discharge water either in spurts or in a continuous stream to a distance of 150 feet. The tank is surrounded by a girdle of smaller nozzles throwing out jets, each one of which can knock a man down at a fifteen-foot range.

The water guns can be fired, as occasion demands, in all directions or in broadsides.

Recently it dispersed a mob of 10,000 who received nothing more serious than a good bath.

Live at Your Best

We grow so easily to forget our noblest and most splendid times. It seems to me there is no maxim for a noble life like this: Count always your highest moments your truest moments. Believe that in the time when you were the greatest and most spiritual man, then you were your truest self.—Phillips Brooks.

C. G. SELVIG
Representative in Congress
9th Minnesota District

POLITICAL ADVERTISED—(Prepared by John Gullingsrud, Thief River Falls, Minn., in his own behalf and to be paid for at regular rates.)

JOHN GULLINGSRUD

Candidate for re-election to the office of

COUNTY TREASURER

Pennington County

I have conducted this office economically and efficiently and sincerely believe that I am entitled to your continued support based on my past record.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor,
County of Pennington. } ss.
State of Minnesota

To Mattie Weeks.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 11 & 12, Block 23, Knox Addition to Red Lake Rapids.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 8th day of May, 1916, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 15th day of March, 1916, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1914, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land was offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said pieces or parcels, was bid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($4.83), Four and 83|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 11th day of August, 1930, the said pieces or parcels not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Thirty Dollars and no cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($30.00), Thirty Dollars and no cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($30.00), Thirty and no|100 Dollars from said eleventh day of August, 1930, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 17th day of October, 1930.
(Official Seal.)

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
Approved by
Attorney General. O23-N8

A feature of the carnival this year is the good program that has been arranged. There will be seven acts for the admission fee of 15c for adults and a dime for children. Besides the program there will be a number of good concessions. The world's champion boxing match will take place that evening.

Remember the date Oct. 28, 1930 at St. Hilaire High School Auditorium. The program starts eight p. m.

Famous Mexican Statue

The bronze equestrian statue of Charles IV of Spain, in Mexico City, is said to be the first important bronze statue cast west of the Atlantic and is described as the second finest in the world.

Coal! Coal!

Have your coal bin replenished now before cold weather sets in. We have a good supply of different grades of coal and can make immediate delivery for you.

This elevator always carries a big supply of feeds of all kinds and flour. Get our prices on large quantities.

We pay highest market prices for grain.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

REAL ESTATE TAXES DUE

Last half of the real estate taxes levied during 1929 are now due. Payment must be made before November 1st, 1930, to avoid penalty for such non-payment.

John Gullingsrud, Co. Treas.
Pennington County, Minn.

HAZEL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mathson of Plummer were Sunday callers at the E. Knutson home.

Ole Odegaard and Carl Prestby motored to Union Lake and near by vicinity to enjoy a duck hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and children, Mr. and Mrs Anton Peterson, Carl and Hjelmer Peterson and Kenneth Kratz were dinner guests at the Henry Sandberg home Sunday.

Carl Alberg was a Thief River Falls caller Saturday.

Mr and Mrs C Alberg and family called at the M. Lokken home Sunday evening.

George Borgie of Grand Forks called at the M. Lokken home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg and May Belle and Cleo were Thursday visitors at Eli Peterson.

Oscar Seeland called at the C. Alberg home Thursday.

Miss Anna Alberg returned home Thursday from Thief River. She has been in Warren this past week receiving medical attention.

Miss Anna Alberg visited at the O. Odegaard home Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Johnson and Roderick, and Mrs. J. Almquist motored to Grand Forks Thursday evening, being called by the illness of Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Almquist's mother Mrs. Brink. They returned late the same evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Odegaard and Rueben and Walter visited at St. Hilaire with friends and also attended Luther League at the Nor. Lutheran church.

Mrs. O. Odegaard visited at Willie Peterson home Monday afternoon. The time was spent in quilting.

A group of girls of the Busy Bee school have formed a club which will be called the Busy Bee Stringed Band. The first meeting was held Monday evening at the T. Johnson home. The following officers were elected; president Edna Prestby, secretary Arlene Knutson and treasurer Naomi Johnson. The hour before dinner was spent in pulling taffy. Mrs. Johnson served a lovely dinner at 6:30, the Haloween idea was carried out orange candle decorations and Jack o-lantern cakes. The remainder of the evening was spent in singing and music. Those present were; Edna Prestby, Joyce Roese, Arlene Knutson, Lillian Alberg, Naomi and Mary Jane Johnson and Mae Kenney.

Bid Wanted:

Bids will be received by the board of school Dist. No. 12 at Hazel for delivery of 12 cords of good, sound, dry, body popular cordwood at the school grounds.

Bids will be opened Friday, Oct, 31st. Right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

Itpd Mrs. O. O. Odegaard, Clerk.

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

Hairy-Faced Dog Men Found in Birmania

Paris.—French scientific expeditions in Birmania have reported the existence of a race of "dog-men," real humans whose hair-covered faces have much the appearance of woolly dogs.

They found a tribe where 9 per cent of the men have bushy eyebrows, beards, mustaches and whose forelocks come down to the eyebrows. This leaves practically none of the naked face visible.

This superabundance of hair apparently is hereditary, and nothing ever has been done to kill the roots of the hair.

North Carolina School Offers Janitors' Study

Raleigh, N. C.—North Carolina State college conducted a four-day school for janitors here this summer, teaching scientific methods of firing a furnace, pushing a brush, sweeping and other duties of a janitor.

To the Voters of Pennington County:

Owing to the fact that I am running the Auditor's Office without the assistance of a Deputy, it will be impossible for me to make a personal canvas of the voters of the County before the election and I take this method of repeating my pledge made when I received the overwhelming endorsement of the voters in the Primary Election.

Since my appointment to the office last December, I have been busy revising the accounting system in your County to make it conform to State Standards and give the Taxpayers a more comprehensive system of accounting whereby they can more readily see where the tax dollar is being spent. This is no small job for one man to undertake and can hardly be completed before my term expires.

My revision of the system of handling delinquent taxes saved the County $471.00 on the 1928 judgment. I will effect a saving of at least $1,250.00 in clerk hire in the Auditor's office this year by reason of the fact that I am experienced and do not require the service of a high-priced accountant as deputy. The School Districts of the County will receive $41,000.00 in back apportionment due them by reason of my correcting the system of distributing tax penalties to conform to the law. These are a few of the outstanding achievements in my short term of office.

There is but one way to keep taxes down. That is to limit your expenditures to your means and elect competent and efficient officials. The Auditor's Office is the most important office in your County. Do not let Friendship or Sympathy influence your vote but do your duty by casting your ballot for the candidate you consider best qualified to serve you efficiently and economically.

If elected I pledge myself to continue this program of economy which I have inaugurated. I will work out a budget of expenditures and levies for the County which will take it out of debt. I will see that this budget is lived up to. I will conduct my office without the assistance of a deputy, thereby saving the County $1,250.00 per year in clerk hire. Compare this pledge to what my opponent has to offer before casting your ballot.

I have had twenty years experience in Accounting and Auditing and for the past eight years have been a deputy Auditor before coming to Pennington County. I solicit your support solely on my ability to serve you more efficiently and economically than my opponent. If my service in the office during this short term meets with your approval, your vote and support will be appreciated.

HARRY L. FOWLER

Candidate to Succeed Himself as County Auditor
Pennington County

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above named candidate inhis own behalf, and paid for at advertising rates.)

Bray News

Fern and Lowell Hawkinson assisted Nick Schalz in popato picking on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Olson shopped in Thief River Tuesday.

Misses Mabel Lindbloom and Delia Swap visited at the Harry Hawkinson home Wednesday.

County Attorney H. O Berve was busy campaigning in this vicinity Monday.

Marie and Joe Schneider visited at the J O. Swanson home on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Person and Tom Larson and Luin Hegstrom visited at the Emil Larson home Sunday evening.

Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mons Troland occured the marriage of their daughter, Alma, to Mr. Roy Larson son of County Commissioner Emil Larson. The bride was attended by her sister Mrs. Kezar while Harry Larson acted as best man with Rev. R. M. Fjelstad officiating. A bounteous wedding dinner was served at five o' clock with relatives of the contracting parties present.

A host of friends join in extending congratulation and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Larson.

"Kosher" Meats

All Kosher meats must be from animals with split hoofs and from animals that masticate their food. They must also have been milk-fed when young.

Feet uf Clay

A scientist who has never trudged through a plowed field and had eight pounds of mud cling to each foot says the earth weighs nothing.—Duluth Herald.

Wyandotte News

Mr and Mrs. Jim Evanson and family were Sunday supper guests at the I. Rolstad home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hanson and daughter of Portland N. D have moved in on the Koiseth farm which they bought recently.

Marie and Carl Kolseth spent Sunday afternoon at O. Wilson.

The Clearwater Ladies Aid will have their annual supper and sale at the church Saturday Oct. 25. The Clara church will have their sale at Hazel hall Nov. 1st.

Rev. Dahle called at the O. Wilson and P. Kolseth homes Sunday.

Ida Rolstad left Monday for Duluth where she is employed after spending two months at the home of her mother Mrs. K. Rolstad.

Miss Ethel Bickly teacher of Dist. 125 spent the week-end at Highlanding with her parents.

There will be a basket social in Dist 6 Wednesday evening, Nov. 5th Miss Schie teacher, and one Nov. 7th in Dist 125 with Miss Bickly teacher.

Naturally

The fellow who knows enough to make hay while the sun shines also knows enough to come in out of the rain.—Capper's Weekly.

Europe Without Deserts

Europe is the only continent which has no desert area; formerly a large part of it was covered with forests.

And Model Never Changes

A rhinoceros is only a hippopotamus with a radiator cap.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Both Minerals

Oil and gas are both classed as minerals. Both are non-metals.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00.
Morning worship at 11:00.

Rev. John Olson will conduct services next Sunday at 2:00 p. m. at the L. P. Thyren home.

Try a want adv.

Church Communion

The "Encyclopedie of Church History" defines open communion as the service of the holy communion of saints, which is open to all who apply, irrespective of creed. In close communion the service is confined to the members of e single society, or at least to the members of a denomination who are beptized. By communion of place is meant the administration of the sacrament in a consecrated building. It also refers to the retention of the host.

World Needs New Drink, French Diplomat Says

London, England.—The world needs a new drink.

Thet is the belief of Viscount d'Abernon, famed trade diplomat and wartime chairman of the liquor traffic control board, who recently declared before the licensing commission that not only is a substitute for alcholic drinks wanted, but a "vast fortune" awaits the inventor of one.

"In view of the fact that alcohol does badly what it sets out to do," declared Viscount d'Abernon before the commission, "also thet it is not a true stimulant and that the euphoria (sense of feeling well) it brings is not exempt from injurious reaction, I continue to believe in the concoction of some preferable substitute.

"Not only would the discoverer thereof earn the gratitude of humanity, but a vast fortune would be his as well."

Viscount d'Abernon then gave it as his opinion that the new beverage would have to be appealing to the palate and would have to have effects that would appeal to the drinker more than present-day liquor.

Vote for

George M. Gunderson

for

County Superintendent of Schools

I have tried to practice the strictest of economy as concerns the expenses of the office, unimpairing the proper supervision and management of our schools.

If re-elected, I promise to continue giving my entire undivided time and attention to the county schools in the future as I have done in the past. Your vote and support appreciated.

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Wife's Interest in Estate

The term "inchoate interest" under the intestate lews means the vested interest which a wife has in a husband's property and which, while she cannot during his lifetime avail herself of it, cannot be diverted from her use after his death.—Washington Star.

Acetylene Welding

Acetylene was discovered by Edmund Davy, an English chemist, in 1836. The process of oxyacetylene welding was first suggested by Le Chatelier in France about 1895, and the first welding equipment for factory use was introduced into the United States from France in 1905.

Kaiser as a Composer

Strauss, the great German musician, was once at a dinner in Berlin at which a guest ridiculed the musical composition of the kaiser. Strauss listened quietly, then observed: "It's not fair, and scarcely wise, to make fun of the musical compositions of the 'all highest.' You never know who composed them."

Welsh National Flower

The generally accepted story concerning the selecting of the leek as the national flower of Wales is thet St. David, patron saint of the Welsh, on one occasion caused his countrymen under King Cadwallader to distinguish themselves from their Saxon foes by wearing leeks in their caps.

Service Station

We handle a full line of Peoples Oil Company greases, oils and gasoline. Drive in when you want service—we are ready to give it. Free air and water.

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Repair shop in rear of the oil station. Bring in your car if it needs overhauling or repairs.

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THE SPECTATOR

St. Hilaire, Minn. Phone No. 34

River News

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Ulrich spent Sunday at the G. Larson home.

Mrs. Alice Z. Baker candidate for Clerk of Court was in this vicinity Wednesday interviewing voters.

Mrs. Geo. Hesse called at the C. Thompson home Wednesday.

Carl Kankel candidate for Sheriff was in this vicinity interviewing the votors.

Mrs. C. F. Ulrich and son Alfred of Great Falls Mont. spent last week last week at the Fred Ulrich home.

Mrs. F. Ulrich and family and Mrs. O. F. Ulrich and son spent Thursday evening at the Fred Erdman home.

Mr and Mrs H. E Winter spent Sunday at the C. Thompson home.

Mrs F. Ulrich and son Ernest accompanied by Mrs. J. Lehmkubl of Red Lake and Mrs. C Ulrich motored to Moorhead Sunday for a visit at the home of the later daughter and sister, Mrs. H. Hanson.

Defective

Mary Jane was going to the country with her mother for a day. When asked whether she had with her a pocket comb, Mary Jane replied: "I have one, but some of the 'eyes' are out."

Home

Home is a domestic sanctuary wrought out of desire, built into memory, where kindred bonds unite the family in sharing labor, leisure, joy and sorrows.—Country Home.

And He Is Not Honored

"De only citizen I ever knowed," said Uncle Eben, "dat tried sho 'nuff to do two men's work was one dat alius voted twice at an election."—Washington Star.

Must Wait for Verdict

Only those Americans who have been dead for a quarter of a century are eligible as candidates for the hall of fame on the campus of New York university.

Counsel Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire, Minn. held at the village hall Oct. 6th at 8:00 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present except Larson.

Minutes of last regular meeting were approved as read.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed as read.

Ole Nash	labor	$1.05
Wm. Engh	labor	1.05
Nels Person	labor	2.80
A. Odegaard	witness fee	1.00
M. Highland	man and team	2.70
Miller-Davis Co. Cemetery Record		6.00
O. Gunstad Resolution and 2 proceeding		8.50
P. Simonson	work at cemetary and 6 months salary	23.80
H. F. Hanson	work at cemetary and 6 months salary	14.45
T. Larson	6 months salary	5.00
A. Satterberg	6 months salary	5.00
M. Fricker	6 months salary	30.00
E. Burkee	6 months salary	20.00
Theo. Quale	service rendered	92.00
Red River Power Co.	lights	34.30
John Forseen	salary for Sept.	7.50

On motion duly made and carried, Oscar Gunstad was appointed actuary of the cemetery.

Motion duly made and carried that council meet at the president office during the winter months.

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjourned.

A. Satterberg, President — M. Fricker, Clerk

Roads of Spain

Spain is a tempting country for the motorist. There are hundreds of miles of beautiful roads rivaling any in Europe, and always new highways under construction. Over wide hot plains and difficult mountain passes and following precipitous rivers they are smooth and broad and made to last forever. What if it is necessary to pass a hay cart? It is not necessary to waken the driver from his nap, for though he occupies the middle of the road there is plenty of room to pass on either side.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Caledonia—The Houston County Taxpayers Association was organized here.

Waseca—A home-coming celebration attracted hundreds of high school graduates.

Minneapolis — Minnesota's turkey crop will be 20 per cent smaller this year than last.

Monticello—C. A. French, editor of the Monticello Times, flew to New York on business.

St. Cloud—Fifty Methodist Episcopal parishes were represented at a one-day conference here.

Ortonville—This community's pavement and good will celebration was attended by 6,000 persons.

Fairmont—A twin smokestack, 165 feet above the ground will be erected at the city light and power plant.

St. Paul—Forty-nine counties were open this year to pheasant shooting, with hunters reporting a fair catch.

Mound—The Minnetonka Post, 393, American Legion, of Mound, staged the first big rally of Minnesota Legionneires.

Red Wing—Three ice-skating rinks will be maintained by the city this winter with the possibility of a fourth being added.

Fairmont—A. W. Haase, 54 years old end police chief for the past three years, dropped deed at the city hall of heert trouble.

St. Paul—The Minnesota State Organization of the Blind, Inc., celebrated the first anniversary of the opening of the Home for Blind in St. Paul.

St. Paul—The employment situation in the northwest remained unchanged during the month of September as compared with preceeding months.

Hutchinson—Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harding celebrated their sixty-eighth wedding anniversary at their home here. They were merried October 12, 1862.

Meriden—Three unmasked men, dressed as fermhands, held up the First State benk and escaped with more than $1,500 in silver and currency.

Lakefield—A barbecue, auction, football geme and a free dance will help to celebrate the new pavement on the main street of this community Oct. 25.

Little Falls—One hundred and twenty-two artillery tractors and other Nationel Guard equipment are being brought here to work on the new camp being built.

Minneapolis—Requests of the city council for $164,000 in bonds to complete sewer and water projeets this winter were approved by the board of estimete and taxation.

Minneapolis—A totsl of 4,757 building permits have been issued by the city building inspector up to Oct. 1, calling for en ontlay of $9,847,885, against $18,283,555 last year.

Minneapolis—Walter H. Newton, secretary to the president, lost a suit for $50,000 in behelf of his son who lost his leg under a streetcar lest spring. He hes esked for a new trial.

Albert Lea—Rebuilding of the Albert Lea Country Club golf course is under way, providing an increase of yardege to make per for the nine-hole leyout 36 strokes, instead of 35.

Loretta—Nineteen turkeys were stolen from the farm of Stephen Juhert, near here and shorn of their feethers. They were found in a field aoveral miles awey the next day.

Minneapolis—R. F. Jones, whose Longfellow Gardens near Minnehaha park, for meny years gave thousands of local persons and visitors from all the netion, died here at the age of 79.

Mankato—The sesqui-centennial of the founding of the Sunday school will be observed at the state Sunday School convention at Mankato, October 21-23, under auspices of the Minnesota Council of Religious Education.

Eveleth—Alleged misappropriations of city funds by councilmen and other city officiels end general misconduct of public affairs has resulted in a $676,000 deficit in the city funds during 1930, A. R. Johnson, chief public examiner, declard in a report.

Warren—The annual fsil meeting of the Red River Valley group of the Minnesota Editorial Association will be conducted here, with Carl W. Jones, publisher of The Minneapolis Journel, as principal speaker. The Red River Valley group includes Kittson, Roseeu, Mershall, Polk, Pennington, Red Lake, Beltrami, Clearwater, Norman, Cley, Mahnomen and Becker counties.

Minneapolis — Ninety-five guest speakers, including the representatives of universities and colleges of the United States and foreign countries, will conduct diagnostic clinics and give addresses during the five-dey session at the International Post-Graduate Medical Assembly, to be held in the Minneapolis Auditorium from October 20th to 24th inclusive. The one entertainment of the Assembly is the Annual Banquet, which is to be held on Friday evening, October 24th, at the Nicollet hotel, where a notable group of speakers will be heard.

Minneapolis—Start of a building program in Minnesota which will total more than $10,000,000 is planned by the post office department for spring. This will include the following work in the state: St. Paul, $2,700,000 for new post office; Austin, $75,000 extension of present post office; Duluth, $1,200,00, work on building now under way; Mankato, $300,000, extension of post office; Hibbing, $150,000; So. St. Paul, $160,000; Noyes, $78,000 for customs station as well as post office, and a new building in Minneapolis.

VOTE FOR

Stuart McLeod

Candidate for

STATE SENATOR

65th Legislative District of Minnesota

Pol. Adv.—Inserted by order of Stuart McLeod and to be paid for at adv. rates.

Vote for

E. D. RYDEEN

FOR

State Representative [X]

He was born in Minnesota, of Scandinavian ancestry, is a practical farmer, has served in the United States army; is married, has a family of four girls and three boys, and has the loyal support of his home community.

Press Comments

"E. D. Rydeen of Clearbrook, candidate for Representative from this district, was here Tuesday and yesterday in the interest of his candidacy. Mr. Rydeen has farmed in Clearwater County for upward of thirty years. For eighteen years he has been secretary and manager of the Co-operative Creamery at Clearbrook. He taught school for several years in his county, and is well qualified both by education and experience for the position to which he aspires."—St. Hilaire Spectator.

"While all the above is true concerning Mr. Rydeen, let me state that Mr. Rydeen has been a big factor in the upbuilding of the Clearbrook Creamery to where it ranks among the best in the state. If the people should see fit in electing him to this important office, we believe he would use his experience and ability to further agriculture"—Clearbrook Leader.

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Absent Guests Must Pay

A Frenchman living near Neuilly undertook to entertain the family of an acquaintance at a dinner party but at the appointed time the guests failed to appear for some reason which does not seem to enter into the case. The host was greatly offended and relieved his feeling by sending the head of the absent family a bill for the dinners which had been prepared for them.

PAID ADVERTISEMENT . . Prepared and inserted in his own behalf by H. O. Berve, Thief Falls, Minnesota, and to be paid for at regular advertising rates.

To The People Of Pennington County:

I wish to Announce that I am a candidate for Re-election to the Office of County Attorney of Pennington County. I am now serving my First Term as County Attorney. During my term I have tried to discharge the duties of the Office fairly and impartially, and to the best of my ability, and shall continue to do so if re-elected to a Second Term. I shall very much appreciate your vote and support during my campaign for re-election.

Yours very truly,

H. O. BERVE

Verner Nelson

Candidate for

REGISTER OF DEEDS

PENNINGTON COUNTY

Your Vote and Support will be Appreciated.

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above named candidate in his own behalf, and paid for at advertising rates.)

Fred D. Lorentson

for

Register of Deeds

Your vote and support is sincerely solicited.

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25 Years Ago

L. A. Dautremont, publisher of the Gazette at Red Lake Falls, died at his home in that city.

The mill was to run until the river froze over, said Manager E. R. Evans. Demand for lumber was very good.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Wilson were called to Grand Forks by illness of his brother who died shortly after they reached there.

There was a respectable sized snow storm here Monday of that week.

A. O. Davison, cashier of the bank at Wylie, accepted a position with the Merchants State Bank. The Wylie bank was going out of business Nov. 1st.

E. M. Hoff was putting a new foundation under his store, and was going to have a new front put in the building.

Father Christmas, the Grafton "divine" healer, spent a few days at Red Lake Falls. A number of people from here were down to see him in regard to their ailments without getting any apparent results.

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Another Fire Sunday

A fire believed to have orginated in a short circuit in the electrical wiring on his car, destroyed the conbined garage and woodhouse, together with all contents, at the E. Sundholm home at about ten o'clock last Sunday night.

Mr. Sundholm and family had returned about a half hour previous from a visit out in the country and noted nothing unusual when they put in the car. Passersby discovered the fire and gave the alarm. By that time the fire was so far advanced there was no possibility of saving the building so efforts were concentrated in preventing spread of the flames to adjoining property The woodshed of Mrs. B. E. Burkee and garage of Ole Johnson were saved, the former eight feet away from the fire, received only a scorching.

Mr. Sundholm suffered loss of his Essex coach car, his winter supply of wood, some coal, and various other articles stored in the buildings. Loss on the car is partially covered by insurance, and there was also a small amount of insurance on the building.

The electric power line which furnishes energy for the school and for all residences in the two blocks north of Sundholm's, was melted by the flames.

Appointed Sales Manager

Appointment of Supt. E. N. Reiersgord as local manager for the 1930 Christmas Seal Sale in St. Hilaire is announced by the Minnesota Public Health Association.

Altho dates for the sale are from Thanksgiving Day to Christmas, plans for distributing the seals are already under way. The seals make possible health and anti-tuberculosis activities in each county and also help support the state and national campaigns against the White Plague.

The local school closed Wednesday evening for balance of the week and the teaching staff left this morning to attend the Minnesota Educational Association meetings at Minneapolis.

Nectie Social

A Necktie Social will be held in school Dist. No. 54 on Friday, Oct, 31st. Everyone welcome.
Ruth Sandum, Teacher

Turkey Tour Nov. 5th

The annual Pennington County turkey tour will take place Wednesday, Nov. 5th, this year. Those who intend to go should be at the Auditorium at Thief River Falls at 10:00 a. m. The morning tour will include visits to the Toomey farm having about 400 birds, and to S. E. Hunt farm where a picking demonstration will be held. From here the tour will go back to starting point where Dr. Billings will give a short address at 1:00. During the afternoon the tour goes northeast of Thief River to visit the Mrs. I. Hayes place with 200 birds, the T. H. Bjerke farm with 300, the S. Torgenson place with 300 and the R. S. Storm farm where 300 birds are raised. Feed costs, percentage and cause of mortality and other data will be given for each flock visited, and Dr. Billings will speak briefly. All who are interested in turkey raising, are invited to take in the tour which is an annual affair in this county.

Farmer-Labor Meeting

A Farmer-Labor political meeting was held here at the Imperial hall Monday evening. Because of belated advertising, attendance was not as good as it might have been. State Senator Laura Naplin, Co. Attorney H. O. Berve, And Trovaten and Rep. Melby were the speakers who presented their views of the political argument.

Halloween Social

A Halloween social will be given in the Riverside school house, Dist 236J, Friday evening, Oct. 31st. Girls are requisted to bring parcels. 3t Miss Lilly Norman, Teacher

A Social will be held in the Nor. Lutheran church basement Tuesday Nov 4th, at 8:00 p. m. Come and spend the evening playing games and stunts. Lunch will be served.

Mix Hubbard's Sunshine Concentrate with your regular stock feed for better feeding results. Call for one of the folders telling how it is done. Concentrate now on hand at the C. Roe Grain Co. St. Hilaire, Minn. adv

You will make no mistake if you buy your hosiery at M. H. Jackson adv.

Jiggers!!

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

A big crowd attended the social given last Friday evening at the Aug Svenson school southeast of the village.

The Ladies Aid of St. Pauli Lutheran church will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Ole Odegaard at Hazel, Friday afternoon, Oct, 31st.

A big crowd partook of the chicken dinner served last evening by the Evang. Mission Ladies Aid at the Odd Fellow hall.

A clothes-pin social will be given Nov. 8th in Dist. 133J known as the August Erickson school. A special invitation is extended to all.

The Nor. Lutheran Ladies Aid will be entertained Friday Oct. 31, by Mrs. T. Mogen and Mrs. H. F. Hanson at the church basement.

Stuart McLeod, candidate for state senator from this district, was down Monday from Thief River to interview the voters and to call on friends.

A Sock Social will be held Saturday evening, Nov, 1st in the school house in Dist No. 99. A good time assured.
Dorothy Biskey, Teacher

Two week ago age R. J. McKercher lost an endgate from his new wagonbox while on the road out to his farm. A small local in last week issue brought him the gate which was picked up by the Norman boys.

Miss Eleanor Swanson spent Sunday at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Swanson. Sunday evening she was accompanied to Grand Forks by Ida Swanson, Pearl Anderson and Mrs. Richard Swanson.

Chas. Walton has moved his stock and farm machinery to a place three mile south of Terrebonne which he has leased for the coming year. His family has gone to the new place, and Mr. Walton will leave as soon as he gets the hay crop baled on the farm he occupied in Black River.

Co. Attorney H. O. Berve, County Auditor Harry L. Fowler, Sheriff O. L. Rolie, Co. Treasurer John Gullingsrud and Amer. Matheson, candidate for superintendent of schools, were all in the village last Friday to partake of the chicken dinner at the Nor. Lutheran church and to visit briefly with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Swanson and children visited Sunday evening at the Enoch Swanson home.

There was very good attandance at the chicken dinner given last Friday by the Aid of the Norwegian church at the church basement.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Slocum, accompanied by Mrs. Alice Hall, motored up Sunday from Crookston for a short visit at the N. E. Beebe home.

A repair crew of the Red River Power Company came early Monday to repair the break in the transmission line caused by the Sundholm fire Sunday night.

Ed Rosette has leased the Follstad farm south of town for the coming year, and is busy moving his farm equipment there. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lars Rosette, will made their home with him.

Rev. and Mrs. Albert Odegaard of Aneta, N. D., were here Monday and Tuesday for a visit at the home of his father, A. Odegaard, and also with relatives at Hazel.

Mrs. M. Highland and daughter, Carman, left Wednesday evening for a visit with her sisters and other relatives at Halstad. They will spend until end of the week when Mr. Highland will motor down for them.

Another carload of livestock was shipped from here last Saturday by the St. Hilaire Co-op Livestock Shipping Association. Enough listings are being made so it is expected weekly shipments will be made for some time to come.

Members of the congregation of the Evangelical Mission church tendered Rev. and Mrs. C. Dahlberg a surprise party Wednesday night of last week. The gathering was held at the church. As a reminder of the occasion, and as a token of appreciation, Rev. and Mrs. Dahlberg were presented a purse of money.

Sevren Mork, who formerly resided north of this village some over twenty years ago, was here last week for a visit with old friends and at old scenes. Mr. Mork, who now resides near Tacoma, Wash., was enroute home after a trip to his birthplace in Norway. He also travelled in several other European countries while away.

Carnival A Success

St. Hilaire High School held their Carnival in the school building on the evening of Oct 28. The main feature of the evening was the contest for Carnival Queen. When the polls closed at 11 o'clock, Miss Dorothy Gunstad was proclaimed Queen of the Carnival and chosen most popular girl of St. Hilaire High School and community, Miss Dorothy wore a very pretty gown of yellow satin and tulle. Her jewelry consisted of a necklace and and bracelet of brilliants. She also wore a crown of gold.

The other contestants were Helen Olson, Alice Skottem, Marie Anderson and Valarie Olson. The number of votes for the two highest were, Dorothy 107,030 and Helen 97,200.

Achievement Day

Last Saturday was Achievement Day for the boys and girls in this county who took part in 4H Club work during the year. Among those who exhibited at Thief River Falls last Saturday, seven from this locality took prizes and were awarded free trips to the Junior Livestock Show at St. Paul next month. In the baby beef class, Leonard Melin, Denn Ewing, Donna Brink, Edwin, Winge and Arlo Jacobson won trips. Vivian Lindquist with a pen of poultry, and Glenn Wilson with a pen of lambs, also won trips. Seven out of sixteen trips awarded were won by the young people from here.

Dairymen Meet

The 27th annual convention of the Red River Valley Dairymen's Association was held at Thief River Falls yesterday and today. A large number of dairymen, creamery operators and others from all sections of the Valley were in attendance at the meetings.

P. T. A. Meets Nov. 7th

Next regular meeting of the P. T. A. will be held at the school Friday evening, Nov, 7th. Dr. Froelich of Thief River Falls will deliver an address, and there will be other interesting numbers. Lunch will be served after the program.

The Evang. Mission Y. P. S. of Black River will meet at the John Steiger home Saturday Nov. 1st. 2t

Whist Tournament Again

As the whist tournament held a year ago proved to be so popular with men in the village and adjoining territory, a meeting was held last Thursday at the lumber office to formulate plans for having another tournament the coming winter. It was decided at the meeting to confine the membersbip, as much as possible to the residents of this locality. The M. H. Jackson store and Hunt Bros. Co. store were designated as registration places where all who desire to take part in this year's tournament may register or join. The first meeting of the club will take place at the Imperial hall Thursday evening Nov, 6th. At this time decision will be made as to how many games will be played, what fixed charges will be, and arrangements made for equipment. All interested in the whist tournament are asked to be on hand not later then 8:30 p. m Nov, 6th. It is the intention to open the sessions promptly at this hour this year so that people living at a distance from town may be home at a reasonable hour.

25 Years Ago

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Pleth were over from Plummer for a visit with their many friends.

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Business at the creamery was taxing capacity of the plant. A meeting was to be held that week to decide upon whether or not to enlarge the buildings and to put in more equipment.

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M. J. Lindahl sold his jewelry business to Robert Swenson and was going to Oregon to look up a new location.

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Catherine Susan, four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Beebe died Friday, October 27th.

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Carl F. Anderson, one of the first settlers in Bray township, died of pneumonia Oct. 13 at the age of 49 years.

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Elsa, five year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John O. Carlson of this village died Oct, 23rd.

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Nearly one half of the threshing in this locality was yet to be done. Wet weather that fall delayed all farm work.

Who Needs A Savings Account?

Everyone that has any ambition, or hope for the future.

Systematic saving every week will make an account grow into substantial proportions in a short time, Then when a good propsition comes along that requires cash, you will have it.

Most people who are a failure in this world have a "wishbone" where their backbone ought to be. It takes "grit" to start anything, and a savings account is no exception. Start your's now.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Twenty Eight Years Ago

When this creamery first started, many predicted it would be short lived.

Those who pinned their faith to the dairy business and creamery during those days have lived to see the creamery grow and prosper. It took determination and faith, but it WAS done.

By patronizing YOUR creamery, and boosting for it, it will show greater growth in the next ten years than in the past twenty-eight.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Political Advertising, paid for and inserted by Paul A. Lundgren in his own behalf.

Vote For

Paul A. Lundgren

For

County Attorney

Having filed for the office of County Attorney and realizing that there are voters in Pennington County who do not know me personally, I make the following statement:

I was born on a farm in Sibley County, Minnesota, thirty-six years ago; was graduated from Winthrop High School in 1913; graduated from Gustavus Adolphus College in 1917; have had two terms of graduate work at the University of Minnesota and at the University of South Dakota; was graduated from the Minnesota College of Law in 1925 and admitted to practice law in this State. I have had ten years of teaching experience, three of which were served as superintendent of schools and five as department head in the Minneapolis High Schools.

I purchased the office and practice of the late Senator O. A. Naplin in the spring of 1927, since which time I have been engaged in the practice of law in the City of Thief River Falls with offices in the Citizens State Bank Building.

While at Thief River Falls, I have given freely of my time and energy for the welfare of this community. I served as a member of the first committee that started the work to compel the Rural Credits Department to pay taxes upon state owned farms. I was a member of the committee that raised the money for the $70,000 Land O' Lakes Poultry Plant at Thief River Falls and served as Secretary and treasurer for the company during the construction of this plant. I have chosen Pennington County as my home and pledge to it my best efforts. I am a married man, own my own home (as most of us with mortgage attached) and am a taxpayer of this county.

If I am elected County Attorney, I pledge myself to a program of economy. I will carefully scrutinize all county expenditures and will not be afraid to use the veto power of the office.

The crying need of Pennington County today is tax reduction. I will cooperate with the County Auditor in the collection of delinquent taxes. The levy of taxes alone is not sufficient, they must also be collected and paid. There is property in Pennington County which has been delinquent more than five years on which the owner still collects rent. Many of these are not residents of this county. The statute authorizes the County attorney to collect these taxes by attachment of the rents. If elected, I will attach such rents in behalf of the county and thus increase the county's tax revenue.

I am personally dry. I will diligently and fairly enforce the criminal laws of the State of Minnesota (this includes all of them) but I will guard against prosecutions that would cause needless expense to the County.

I will cooperate with the County Board and various town boards in an effort to solve the hectic condition of our poor fund. My experience as an educator amply qualifies me to handle the jnvenile and child welfare work of the county.

I am asking your support upon the strength of my training, ability, past record and my willingness to serve. I realize that my stay in Pennington County has not been the longest bnt after all "we live in deeds and not in years." I have tried to see as many voters in the County as time from the office would permit. If I failed to call at your home, I hope this will not be counted against me.

I will appreciate your vote on Tuesday, Nov. 4th.

A Statement From One Who Knows County Auditor Fowler

To whom it might concern:

This is to certify that Harry L. Fowler some time ago was the Secretary of the Clover Leaf Co-Operative Creamery Association of Spooner, that his services as such met with much criticism and he was finally requested to resign. Much fault was found with his conduct in issuing checks to himself without authority, on which he drew money, which was later refunded to the Association. We made several demands upon Mr. Fowler for the books and records of the Association, which were in his possession, and when he was given final orders to deliver them, within two days, the books were destroyed by fire, in a trunk in Mr. Fowler's home in Spooner, so we have never heen ahle to get an audit and never will be able to find out what he had heen doing.

Pitt, Minnesota,
October 22, 1930.

A. S. ABRAHAMSON,
President of Cloverleaf Co-Operative Creamery Asso.

In the presence of
R. O. BATTLESON
K. R. ANDERSON

Political Advertisement: Inserted and to he paid for by N. J. Anderson

STATEMENT

of Ownership, Management, Circulation Etc. Required hy the Act of August 24, 1912.

Of St. Hilaire Spectator published weekly at St. Hilaire, Minnesota, for Oct. 1st, 1930.

State of Minnesota
County of Pennington--ss.

Before me, a Notary Puhlic, in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared O. Gunstad, who have been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the puhlisher-owner of St. Hilaire Spectator and that the following is, to to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, oirculation, etc, of the aforesaid puhlication, required hy the Act of August 24th 1912, towit,

That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are:

Puhlisher, O. Gunstad, St. Hilaire Minn.

Editor, O. Gunstad, St. Hilaire, Minn.

Business Manager, O. Gunstad

That the owner is: O. Gunstad

That known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of honds mortgages, or other securities are: A. Johnson, St. Hilaire, Minn.

O. GUNSTAD

Sworn to and subscribed hefore me this 1st day of Oct. 1930.

(Seal) Fred Biskey
Notary Public, Pennington, Co., Minn.

My Commission Expires Jan. 29 1935.

Huhhard' Sunshine Concentrate, a balancing ration prepared from highest quality animal and vegetahle proteins, rich in vitamins, and with adequate minerals, an ideal balancing feed for all stock, now on sale at the C. Roe Grain Co, St Hilaire, Minn. adv

Wild Geese Live Long

The biological survey states that it is not unusual for wild Canadian geese to attain the age of 100 years while being kept in captivity. There is said to be one fine old gander that has attained this age on a game farm near Elizabeth City, New Jersey.

Early Part of Speech

"Whilst" is the English form of the American while. It is an early form of the conjunction that survives in English literature. Shakespeare used it only sixteen times, but used while fifty-seven times.—Literary Digest.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor,
County of Pennington. } ss.
State of Minnesota.

To N. W. Trust Co., Trustee; John Polhrook, Fred Stucy, Michael Kaasa, Marie Olson, Sam Myrum, Val Yaeger, Jno. A. Duffy, Robert Hegland, N. W. Trust Co., Swedish Lutheran Board of Education, Federal Bank & Trust Co., Jonas Bakke, Henry Thoreson, Northfield Cemetery Ass'n, Albert Fallman, and Nels Nelson:

You are hereby notified that the following parcels of land situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, known and described as follows, to-wit: NW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 40, SW¼ of Section 17 in Township 152 of Range 40, N½ of SE¼ of Section 16 in Township 152 of Range 40, E½ of NW¼ of Section 24 in Township 154 of Range 40, SW¼ of Section 3 in Township 152 of Range 41, SW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 41, E½ of NW¼ and Lots 1 and 2 of Section 19 in Township 152 of Range 41, SW¼ of NW¼ of Section 22 in Township 152 of Range 41, S½ of SE¼ of Section 23 in Township 152 Range 41, SW¼ of Section 24 in Township 152 of Range 41, NE¼ of Section 9 in Township 153 of Range 41, SW¼ of Section 27 in Township 153 of Range 41, E½ of NW¼ of Section 33 in Township 153 of Range 41, SE¼ of Section 35 in Township 154 of Range 41, SE¼ of Section 18 in Township 152 of Range 42, SE¼ of Section 38 in Township 153 of Range 42, and part of S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ except ¾ acre of Section 36 in Township 153 of Range 43 are now assessed as follows: said NW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 40 in the name of N. W. Trust Co., Trustee, said SW¼ of said Section 17 in the name of John Polhrook, said N½ of SE¼ of said Section 18 in the name of Fred Stucy, said E½ of NW¼ of Section 24 in Township 154 of Range 40 in the name of Michael Kaasa, said SW¼ of said Section 2 in the name of Maria Olson, said SW¼ of said Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 41 in the name of Sam Myrum, said E½ of NW¼ and Lots 1 and 2 of said Section 19 in the name of Val Yaeger, said SW¼ of NW¼ of said Section 22 in the name of Jno. A. Duffy, said S½ of SE¼ of said Section 23 in the name of Robert Hegland, said SW¼ of Section 24 in Township 152 of Range 41 in the name of N. W. Trust Co., said NE¼ of said Section 9 in the name of Swedish Lutheran Board of Education, said SW¼ of said Section 27 in the name of Federal Bank & Trust Co., said E½ of NW¼ of said Section 33 in the name of Jonas Bakke, said SE¼ of said Section 65 in the name of Henry Thoreson, said SE¼ of said Section 13 in the name of Northfield Cemetery Ass'n., said SE¼ of Section 66 in Township 153 of Range 42 in the name of Alhert Fallman, said part of S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ except ¾ acre of Section 38 in Township 153 of Range 43 in the name of Nels Nelson. That on May 9, 1927 at the sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County on March 19, 1927 in the proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1925 for said County, the above described parcels of land were separately sold as follows: said NW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 40 for $94.28, said SW¼ of said Section 17 for $118.28, said N½ of SE¼ of said Section 16 for $50.68, said E½ of NW¼ of Section 24 in Township 154 of Range 40 for $69.16, said SW¼ of said Section 3 for $82.10, said SW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 41 for $128.40, said E½ of NW¼ and Lots 1 and 2 of said Section 19 for $45.28, said SW¼ of NW¼ of said Section 22 for $16.14, said S½ of SE¼ of said Section 23 for $40.88, said SW¼ of Section 24 in Township 152 of Range 41 for $82.40, said NE¼ of said Section 9 for $93.18, said SW¼ of said Section 27 for $44.86, said E½ of NW¼ of said Section 38 for $36.78, said SE¼ of said Section 85 for $105.36, said SE¼ of said Section 13 for $106.18, said SE¼ of Section 26 in Township 183 of Range 42 for $85.28, and said part of S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ except ¾ acre of Section 38 in Township 153 of Range 43 for $81.08. That the respective amounts required to redeem said parcels of land from said tax sale thereof, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, are as follows: to redeem said NW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 40, $384.98 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $94.28 from May 9, 1927, and on $66.70 from May 14, 1926, and on $91.70 from January 7, 1928, and on $92.30 from January 8, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of said Section 17, $423.88 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $118.25 from May 9, 1927, and on $108.00 from May 14, 1926, and on $104.80 from January 7, 1929, and on $97.61 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said N½ of SE¼ of said Section 18, $186.88 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $50.86 from May 8, 1927, and on $48.84 from May 14, 1928, and on $47.40 from January 7, 1929, and on $39.43 from January 6, 1960; to redeem said E½ of NW¼ of Section 24 in Township 184 of Range 40, $621.49 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $89.16 from May 9, 1927, and on $73.18 from May 14, 1928, and on $79.29 from January 7, 1929, and on $99.88 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of said Section 3, $264.35 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $82.10 from May 9, 1927, and on $67.18 from May 14, 1926, and on $62.76 from January 7, 1929, and on $72.81 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of Section 12 in Township 182 of Range 41, $715.09 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $128.40 from May 9, 1927, and on $94.38 from May 14, 1928, and on $98.78 from January 7, 1929, and on $112.21 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said E½ of NW¼ and Lots 1 and 2 of said Section 19, $310.42 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $48.28 from May 9, 1927, and on $87.36 from May 14, 1928, and on $91.61 from January 7, 1929, and on $68.17 from January 6, 1960; to redeem said SW¼ of NW¼ of said Section 22, $105.48 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $16.14 from May 9, 1927, and on $38.14 from May 14, 1926, and on $17.38 from January 7, 1929, and on $35.80 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said S½ of SE¼ of said Section 26, $168.36 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $40.66 from May 9, 1927, and on $41.80 from May 14, 1928, and on $42.48 from January 7, 1989, and on $40.74 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of Section 24 in Township 152 of Range 41, $332.28 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $82.40 from May 9, 1927, and on $86.28 from May 14, 1923, and on $88.14 from January 7, 1929, and on $81.41 from January 8, 1980; to redeem said NE¼ of said Section 9, $282.28 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $96.18 from May 9, 1927, and on $86.42 from May 18, 1929, and on $82.86 from January 8, 1960; to redeem said SW¼ of said Section 27, $306.48 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $44.28 from May 9, 1827, and on $88.32 from May 14, 1928, and on $91.58 from January 7, 1929, and on $79.64 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said E½ of NW¼ of said Section 83, $180.85 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $38.73 from May 9, 1827, and on $27.84 from May 14, 1928, and on $31.24 from January 7, 1928, and on $30.99 from January 6, 1820; to redeem said SE¼ of said Section 35, $861.28 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $105.68 from May 8, 1927, and on $106.22 from May 14, 1928, and on $68.88 from January 7, 1988, and on $80.10 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SE¼ of said Section 18, $419.27 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $108.18 from May 9, 1927, and on $95.88 from May 14, 1928, and on $99.92 from January 7, 1929, and on $117.89 from January 6, 1880; to redeem said SE¼ of Section 36 in Township 153 of Raoge 42, $343.38 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $85.22 from May 9, 1927, and on $88.80 from May 14, 1828, and on $88.64 from January 7, 1989, and on $85.20 from January 6, 1930; and to redeem said part of S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ except ¾ acre of Section 28 in Township 183 of Raoge 48, $228.72 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $61.08 from May 9, 1987, and on $82.00 from May 14, 1926, and on $54.66 from January 7, 1929, and on $55.96 from January 6, 1930. That the respective tax certificates of sale issued to the purchaser have been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested. That the time for redemption of said parcels of land, or any of them, from said sale thereof, will expire sixty days after the service of this notice and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 10th day of September, 1930.

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor of Pennington County, Minn.
(Official Seal.) O26-N6

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor,
County of Pennington. } ss.
State of Minnesota

To Thos. H. Smith.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 13, Block 23, Knox Addition to Red Lake Rapids.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 14th day of May, 1923, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 19th day of March, 1923, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1921, for said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said piece or parcel, was bid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($2.44), Two and 44|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 11th day of August, 1930, the said piece or parcel not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Fifteen Dollars and no cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($15.00), Fifteen Dollars and no cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($15.00), Fifteen and no|100 Dollars from said eleventh day of August, 1930, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 17th day of October, 1930.
(Official Seal.)

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
Approved hy
Attorney General. O23-N6

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor,
County of Pennington. } ss.
State of Minnesota

To Amanda Shiebel.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 5 & 6, Block 23, Knox's Addition to Red Lake Rapids.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 6th day of May, 1920, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and hy the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 17th day of March, 1923, in proceedings to enforce the paymsat of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year, 1920, for said County of Pennington, the above pieces or parcels of land, was offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said pieces or parcels, was bid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($2.96), Two and 96|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 11th day of August, 1930, the said pieces or parcels not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Twenty-five Dollars and Sixty-four cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($25.64), Twenty-five Dollars and sixty-four cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($25.64), Twenty-five and 64|100 Dollars from said eleventh day of August, 1930, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificates of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 17th day of October, 1930.
(Official Seal.)

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
Approved hy
Attorney General. O23-N6

THE

CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

Albin A. Larson, Pastor

Services in the local church next Sunday morning at 10:30.

Chicken dinner and harvest festival in Black River church at 1:00 and services at 3:00 p. m.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday Nov. 2nd

Ebenezer Luth: Devotional meetings led by the Red River Valley Laymen Society, Nov. 1-3

St. Hilaire

Sunday school at 10:00

Service, Norwegian at 11:00

Luther League at 8:00

Clearwater Luth-

Luther League at 8:00

Confirments meet at Clearwater church at 10:00

Want Ads Bring Results

C. G. SELVIG
Representative in Congress
9th Minnesota District

POLITICAL ADVERTISED—(Prepared by John Gullingsrud, Thief River Falls, Minn., in his own behalf and to be paid for at regular rates.)

JOHN GULLINGSRUD

Candidate for re-election to the office of

COUNTY TREASURER

Pennington County

I have conducted this office economically and efficiently and sincerely believe that I am entitled to your continued support based on my past record.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor,
County of Pennington. } ss.
State of Minnesota

To Mattie Weeks.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota and known, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 11 & 12, Block 23, Knox Addition to Red Lake Rapids.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 8th day of May, 1916, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 15th day of March, 1915, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1914, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land was offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said pieces or parcels, was bid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($4.83), Four and 83|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 11th day of August, 1930, the said pieces or parcels not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Thirty Dollars and no cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($30.00), Thirty Dollars and no cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($30.00), Thirty and no|100 Dollars from said eleventh day of August, 1930, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 17th day of October, 1930.
(Official Seal.)

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
Approved by
Attorney General. O23-N8

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday Nov, 2

Sunday school at 10:00

Morning service at 11:00

Evening services at 8:00 in Black River Chapel.

Annual business meeting will be held Wed. Nov. 5 at 1:00 in local church.

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

Try a want adv.

A. R.

JOHNSRUD

Candidate For

County Treasurer

PENNINGTON COUNTY

To The Voters of Pennington County:

I believe that the Treasurer's Office of our County can be efficiently conducted on considerable less clerk hire than in the past, and if elected, I hereby pledge myself to a two-thirds reduction in clerk hire.

Your vote and support will be appreciated.

Yours truly,
A. R. Johnsrud

(Political Advertisement: Inserted by order of the above named candidate in his own behalf, and paid for at advertising rates.)

Coal! Coal!

Have your coal bin replenished now before cold weather sets in. We have a good supply of different grades of coal and can make immediate delivery for you.

This elevator always carries a big supply of feeds of all kinds and flour. Get our prices on large quantities.

We pay highest market prices for grain.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Vote for

O. L. IHLE

Candidate for Re-election as

Sheriff

If you feel that I have put forth my best efforts to preserve law and order, and have discharged the duties of the Sheriff's office with credit, I shall greatly appreciate the vote of yourself and friends at the General Election, Nov. Fourth.

Political Adv.--Inserted in his own behalf by O. L. Ihle.

No Need for Him to Worry

"A rich man," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "need never be haughty. He will always have servitors eager to assume manners of condescending importance."—Washington Star.

Skylarks in America

There are no skylarks in the United States. Canada has the only skylarks on the continent of North America. A colony has been acclimatized at Victoria, British Columbia.

Scholar, Pupil

A scholar may be a pupil, or he may be a learned man whose knowledge is scholarly. A pupil is one who is taught; a student or learner, in charge of a teacher.—Literary Digest.

Grammatical Distinction

The word "bank," like other words indicating a collection of individuals such as "company, crowd, flock, number," etc., may be used occasionally in a collective sense. In such cases, if one is thinking of the individuals forming the collection, the plural is used; if one is thinking rather of the collection itself, the singular is required.

Concerning Marriage

"Of course," says Aunt Em, "marriage considered abstractly, exhibits faults and some of them, very serious. But when you are in love, those faults simply don't exist. That's why marriage—with love—is always a success. Take an old woman's word for it."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Bray News

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lindqnist spent Friday evening at the J. Anderson home.

Henry Lindhloom, Mable and George, Mrs. Swap and daughter motored to Fargo Wednesday to visit friends and relatives. Mr. Lindbloom Mabel and George retnrned on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Larson visit Thursday evening at the Henry Melin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovd Crown visited at the Henry Lindhloom home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Lindqnist and son Clifford motored to Kennedy Snnday where they visited at the Merle Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Christ. Person spent Snnday visiting with friends at Oklee.

Miss Evelyn Wood returned Sunday to Thief River after a two weeks vacation with her parents.

A wedding reception was given Snnday afternoon at the Emil Larson home in honor of their son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Roy Larson at which abont 50 people attended.

HAZEL NEWS

The tall Socihl given by the Busy Bee pupils was well attended. The proceeds, amounting to over fifty dollars, will be used for play ground equipment and other school supplies. O. C. Johnson of St. Hilaire was the winner of the quilt which was given away.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peterson and son and Mrs. Bruce of Thief called Monday evening at the O. Odegaard home.

Knute Steene of Minot N. D. visited at the O Odegaard home Monday evening.

Mrs. O. Odegaard will entertain the Nor. Lutheran Ladies Aid at her home Friday Oct. 31.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Johnson and family called at the Wm. Palmquist home Tuesday evening.

The Hazel basket ball club met Tuesday evening at the hall. They were 22 or 28 members at the meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Prestby and children of St. Hilaire, Mr. and Mrs. Hans Prestby and children of Amery, Wis. were supper guests at the C. Prestby home Tuesday.

Mrs. C. Alberg visited at the E. Peterson home Thursday.

Mrs. J. Sjoberg and Hannah, Mrs. Carlson and Crystal and Mrs. A. Sandberg attended a quilting party at the T. Johnson home. The quilt wili he sold at the auction sale of the Swedish church Nov 1st at the Hazel hall.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and children were bnsiness callers at Plnmmer Thnrsday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Odegaard, Hans and Anton Prestby of Amery, Wis. and Carl Prestby went to Erskine and Union Lake on a fishing trip Thnrsday. Mrs. Odegaard visited at Erskine.

O. Odegaard, Eyring, Hans, and Carl Prestby went duck hnnting Snnday and returned with 15 dncks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Knutson and Arlene were Snnday callers at the John Gunstad home.

Mrs. J. Peterson and Agnes and Earl, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sandberg and family, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Peterson, Carl and Hjalmer Peterson and Kennth Kratz were Friday evening callers at the C Roese home.

Mrs. M. Lokken and daughtres called at the Jim Everson home Sunday evening.

To the Voters of Pennington County:

Owing to the fact that I am running the Auditor's Office without the assistance of a Deputy, it will be impossible for me to make a personal canvas of the voters of the County before the election and I take this method of repeating my pledge made when I received the overwhelming endorsement of the voters in the Primary Election.

Since my appointment to the office last December, I have been busy revising the accounting system in your County to make it conform to State Standards and give the Taxpayers a more comprehensive system of accounting whereby they can more readily see where the tax dollar is being spent. This is no small joh for one man to undertake and can hardly be completed before my term expires.

My revision of the system of handling delinquent taxes saved the County $471.00 on the 1928 judgment. I will effect a saving of at least $1,250.00 in clerk hire in the Auditor's office this year by reason of the fact that I am experienced and do not require the service of a high-priced accountant as deputy. The School Districts of the County will receive $41,000.00 in back apportionment due them by reason of my correcting the system of distributing tax penalties to conform to the law. These are a few of the outstanding achievements in my short term of office.

There is but one way to keep taxes down. That is to limit your expenditures to your means and elect competent and efficient officials. The Auditor's Office is the most important office in your County. Do not let Friendship or Sympathy influence your vote but do your duty by casting your ballot for the candidate you consider best qualified to serve you efficiently and economically.

If elected I pledge myself to continue this program of economy which I have inaugurated. I will work out a budget of expenditures and levies for the County which will take it out of debt. I will see that this budget is lived up to. I will conduct my office without the assistance of a deputy, thereby saving the County $1,250.00 per year in clerk hire. Compare this pledge to what my opponent has to offer before casting your ballot.

I have had twenty years experience in Accounting and Auditing and for the past eight years have been a deputy Auditor before coming to Pennington County. I solicit your support solely on my ability to serve you more efficiently and economically than my opponent. If my service in the office during this short term meets with your approval, your vote and support will be appreciated.

HARRY L. FOWLER

Candidate to Succeed Himself as County Auditor
Pennington County

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Mrs. C. Roese and children, Mr. and Mrs. C Carlson and children visited at the A. Peterson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Thune, Inez Holton, Mr. and Mrs C Alberg and children called at the M. Thorstveit home Sunday.

Grandma Anderson and Mrs. M. Lokken and daughters called at the C Alberg home Sunday.

Ole Mathson and Oscar Wedul motored to Bemidji Friday.

River News

Don't forget the Halloween social at the Riverside school honse Dist 235J Friday Oct. 31.

Paul Anderson was a bnsiness caller at Red Lake Friday.

Mr. E. Stephens returned Satnrday after visiting relatives and friends at Waterloo, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Gnst Erickson and family and Mr. and Mrs. A. Larson and family spent Sunday at the Gnst Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Erdmann and accompanied by Mrs. K. Dalager motored to Moorhead Snnday to spent the day with Helena Erdmann while the later visited her sister, Mrs. Knutson of Fargo. Upon their retnrn they were accompanied by Mrs. M. L Dahle and Maria Erdmann who spent the week end at Moorhead.

Rev. and Mrs. P. H. Burgdorf called at the F. Ulrich home Monday.

H. J. Trudeau candidate for Sheriff of Red Lake Co, was in this territory Monday calling on voters.

**Try Our Want Advs.
They Bring Results**

Vote for

George M. Gunderson

for

County Superintendent of Schools

I have tried to practice the strictest of economy as concerns the expenses of the office, unimpairing the proper supervision and management of our schools.

If re-elected, I promise to continue giving my entire undivided time and attention to the county schools in the future as I have done in the past. Your vote and support appreciated.

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Wyandotte News

The sale by Clearwater Ladies Aid held Saturday evening was well attended.

Myrtle and Orrin Lokken of North Dakota are spending week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Gnst Wilson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hanson and family moved Monday to the farm which has been vacated by O. Noel.

Miss Margaret Berg spent Sunday at home of her mother Mrs. T. Berg.

Miss Ethel Bickly spent the week at her home at Highlanding.

Carl Nelson of Spokane Wash. came here last Tnesday to spend two weeks at the John Albin home while enroute to Sweden.

Those who spent the week-end at their parcntal homes were, Selma Wilson, Alvina Wilson, Alice Carlson and Harriett Bruggeman.

Knute Steen of Minot. N. D. came Sunday to transact business and to visit with friends.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

Stuart McLeod

Candidate For

State Senator

65th Legislative District

Will Appreciate Your Vote And Support on Nov. 4th

To The Voters:

In seeking the office of Senator for the 65tb District, without party designation, I offer the following reasons for asking for your support.

This is a farming district. Whether you are a laborer, professional man, business man, or farmer, your prosperity will depend on the welfare of agriculture.

While only about one-third of the people of the country as a whole are farmers, less than one-tenth of the income of the country goes to them. Out of this small share of national income the farmer pays an outrageously large share of the taxes.

R. W. Hitchcock, Chairman of the Appropriations committee of Lower House states that:

"Put $10,000 in a bank or put it out on a promisory note, Minnesota will tax you $30.00.

"Put the $10,000 in pigs or cows or calico or canned goods, and Minnesota will tax you $207.00.

"$10,000 worth of farm lands today is taxed in Minnesota at from $300 to $500 and even more a year."

$10,000 in farm animals in Pennington County at this time would pay a tax of over five hundred dollars.

Those who are not now carrying the load are not inclined to look with favor on any change. But leaving the present tax hurden stand means driving a constantly larger number of farmers out of business, an increasing number of laboring men without jobs, and poorer husiness conditions for all.

If there is to be any relief there must be a change, an example of which has already taken place in other states. I favor a reasonable tax on incomes and a reasonable tax on such articles of merchandise as are not necessities.

This MUST NOT BE ADDITIONAL TAXATION.

The laws by which these taxes are created should provide definitely for the pro-rating of the money raised, back to the local communities as special relief to school taxpayers and for relief from other specific forms of local taxation.

One of our most important problems is the fact that so much land is owned hy the State and that on this land no local taxes are paid. To remove this unfair hurden from the already heavily taxed neighbors will require active and persistent work on the part of your representatives. Everything I can do will be done to make sure that the State of Minnesota pays local taxes on the lands secured hy it through foreclosure.

Throughout this District, and, for that matter, throughout the state, there are school districts which, because of an unwise policy of consolidation encouraged by the Department of Education, are burdened with debts that make taxes confiscatory. Several of these districts in this territory are so heavily involved that they are barely able to meet interest payments and have reached the state where increased tax levies will actually reduce their income because of resulting increased delinquency of taxes. Special relief must be given such districts by the State and I believe it better to give such relief before the schools are closed for lack of funds than to wait until it is forced hy actual bankruptcy.

Through the distribution of the present one mill tax for road purposes and a portion of the receipts from the gasoline sales tax the state has encouraged the building of a good secondary road system throughout the State. I believe this policy of state aid for roads should be continued and extended, and that there should be no strings attached to them forcing local communities to spend additional sums in order to qualify for their share. The present practice of tieing up state and federal aid with qualifications that force communities to spend proportionate sums has had a tendency toward increasing local tax hurdens rather than lower them, and often have heen of doubtful benefit.

I am in favor of the strictest economy in public affairs, and I shall oppose all increases in salaries and general expenditures at this time.

This covers briefly my views on problems in which the people of the sixty-fifth legislative district are particularly interested. There is no section of the state more in need of constructive legislation than ours. The people of Northern Minnesota need not hesitate about making their demands known to the rest of the state. Most of the large trust funds, which are now providing aid to all sections of the state, to both rural and urban communities, had their origin in the northern districts. It was from the school lands and mines and forests of Northern Minnesota that most of these trust funds were built, and in asking the rest of the state to help us in the solution of some of our special problems we are merely asking that a part of that which was taken from us be returned.

From the standpoint of legislation, our immediate problem is to secure representatives who not only are familiar with these prohlems hut who will be able to explain these conditions to the representatives from other sections of the state.

And asking for your vote at the coming general election for the office of Senator, I am mindful of the responsibilities I would assume should I be elected. I feel that I am well qualified to represent the district. I am a farmer and expect to continue farming as an occupation and if I am elected I will do all in my power to secure legislation that will not only make the business of farming more desirable hut that will he beneficial to all of the people who benefit by that which benefits agriculture.

Political Advertisement, published in his own behalf by Stuart McLend, and to be paid for at adv rates.

Fred D. Lorentson

for

Register of Deeds

Your vote and support is sincerely solicited.

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Selvig For Congress

Four year ago when C. G. Selvig first became a candidate for Congressman from the Ninth district, it was predicted that he would make a record in Washington. That prediction has come true. Congressman Selvig is regarded as the outstanding member in the Minnesota delegation which is striving for betterment of agriculture. With his intimate knowledge of farm conditions, his wide acquaintance thruout his district, and his genuine desire to help his constituants, the Ninth district has an able and capable representative in Mr. Selvig. The longer he stays in Washington, the wider becomes his knowledge and acquaintance, hoth of which are necessary to successfully represent any district. Reports from different parts of the Ninth district indicate Congressman Selvig will be given an overwhelming majority at the polls next week.

Chase For Governor

We have no quarrel with those whose opinion may be to the contrary, hut we feel that Minnesota will elect a great Governor next week if the choice falls on Ray P. Chase. No one denies his ability, fearlessness, honesty and integrity. Fourteen years of satisfactory service in the state auditor's office has proven his executive ability. He is known thruout America as one of the hest state auditors in the country. He is an authority on tax matters, and is an ardent exponent of conservation of the state's natural resources.

The fact that he has heen elected, and re-elected several times, as state auditor, with but very little opposition, indicates, that Ray P. Chase has a considerable follow ing in Minnesota who are staunch in their belief that he will make a great governor.

It appears that price of ingredients entering into making of bread has no hearing on the retail price of that staple commodity. During war days when wheat was worth many times what is now, the argument was advanced that cost of materials determined the price of bread. Now when wheat bring less then cost of production, the argument is reversed, and price of bread remains at wartime levels.

Tuesday is election day. In choosing those for whom you intend to cast your ballot, let your own good judgment guide you. Bear in mind that opposing candidate must present their arguments so as to bring best results for themselves.

LOCALS

A Harvest Festival will he held at the Black River Swedish Lutheran church Sunday, Nov. 2nd. Chicken dinner will be served in the church basement at 1:00. Services will be conducted by Rev. A. Larson at 3:00. 2t

Wood For Sale- Have a quantity of good, dry poplar cord wood for sale. Will deliver in St. Hilaire. If in need of wood, call or address.
Alfred Lindquist
R1. St. Hilaire, Minn.

VOTE FOR

Vote for

E. D. RYDEEN

FOR

State Representative [X]

He was born in Minnesota, of Scandinavian ancestry, is a practical farmer, has served in the United States army; is married, has a family of four girls and three boys, and has the loyal support of his home community.

Press Comments

"E. D. Rydeen of Clearbrook, candidate for Representative from this district, was here Tuesday and yesterday in the interest of his candidacy. Mr. Rydeen has farmed in Clearwater County for upward of thirty years. For eighteen years he has been secretary and manager of the Co-operative Creamery at Clearbrook. He taught school for several years in his county, and is well qualified both by education and experience for the position to which he aspires."—St. Hilaire Spectator.

"While all the above is true concerning Mr. Rydeen, let me state that Mr. Rydeen has been a big factor in the upbuilding of the Clearbrook Creamery to where it ranks among the best in the state. If the people should see fit in electing him to this important office, we believe he would use his experience and ability to further agriculture"—Clearbrook Leader.

Pol. Adv. Paid for at regular rates by E. D. Rydeen, Clearbrook, Minn., in his own behalf.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

GET A Good JOB or business of your own! Write us about our Expert Master Course. New free catalog. HANSON AUTO-TRACTOR & ELEC SCHOOL, Fargo. N. Dak.

Winter driving is a real pleasure in a warm car. Universal Heater $3.85. Fits all cars. Gamhle Stores: Tbief River Falls, Minn.

Our lar ge assortment of men's wo men's and children' hosiery is sure to please you. We invite you to examine our line M. H. Jackson adv.

Brazilian City's Elevator

Bahia, in northern Brazil, has an elevator tower containing two elevators to bring people from the plateau to the level of the hay. The city is built on two levels, and each elevator has a capacity of 27 passengers and speed of 700 feet a minute, which means that nearly 4,000 passengers an hour can he carried the distance of 105 feet which separates the two parts of the city.

PAID ADVERTISEMENT . . . Prepared and inserted in his own behalf by H. O. Berve, Thief Falls, Minnesota, and to be paid for at regular advertising rates.

To The People Of Pennington County:

I wish to Announce that I am a candidate for Re-election to the Office of County Attorney of Pennington County. I am now serving my First Term as County Attorney. During my term I have tried to discharge the duties of the Office fairly and impartially, and to the best of my ability, and shall continue to do so if re-elected to a Second Term. I shall very much appreciate your vote and support during my campaign for re-election.

Yours very truly,

H. O. BERVE

Verner Nelson

Candidate for

REGISTER OF DEEDS

PENNINGTON COUNTY

To The Voters Of Pennington County:

As I will not be able to see all the votera of the County personally, I take this means of again bringing my name before you as a candidate for the office of Register of Deeds. I feel that during my years in Pennington County I have come to know most of you, and that these contacts have to me at least, been pleasant. I believe that my fifteen years of experience in business life will qualify me for the office.

I understand that there is some sentiment against me on the grounds that I am drawing compensation as a disabled ex-service man. As a matter of fairness I can only ask that you do not use this either for or against me, but rather cast your vote on the merits of my candidacy for the office and whether or not a change of personel in the office is desirable.

To all who supported me in the primaries, I again express my appreciation and ask your continued support. To those of you who now have a choice of two instead of three candidates, I ask your favorable consideration of my candidacy.

Sincerely
Verner Nelson

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By Force of Circumstances

Writers says every woman should be a queen of her own home. And, whether be should or not, every husband is a gentlemon-in-waiting.—Arkansas Gazette.

About Ourselves

It is often the shorter way and the more useful to conform to other people than to make other people conform to us.

Pencil Writing

To preserve an important document written in pencil, brush the writing with skim milk and allow it to dry gradually.

Washington's Work Lasting

George Washington, with his engineering knowledge, built a garden at Mount Vernon original in design, with box-bordered paths, beds and driveways that to this doy, in perfect preservation, is the marvel and admiration of all landscape architects and planters.

Foolish Worrying

Worry is so utterly useless. Half our worries are about things that are gone and can't be corrected, and the other half about things that probably never will happen. Live today; don't fuss about the past or the future.—Grit.

For County Auditor

N. J. ANDERSON | X

Political Advertisement, Inserted in his own behalf by N. J. Anderson

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County Ballot Results

Below are the unofficial figures on the county ballot, the final returns being in and tabulated Thursday morning instead of Wednesday as in previous years.

As will be noted by the figures, all county officials, with exception of county superintendent of schools are re-elected. In the contest for the county attorneyship, the present incumbent is re-elected by four votes. This was the closest contest in the county, and outcome was in doubt until the last vote was counted. It is not expected there will be any material changes when the canvassing board gives out official figures.

Congressman, 9th. Dist,	
C. G. Selvig Rep.	1630
Kund Wefald, F. L.	2519
State Senator 65th Dist.	
Stuart McLeod	1903
Laura E. Naplin	2485
Representative 65th Dist.	
W. E. Day	2127
J. O. Melby	2412
E. D. Rydeen	1458
County Auditor	
N. J. Anderson	1633
Harry L. Fowler	2806
County Treasurer	
John Gullingsrud	2378
A. J. Johnsrud	1845
Register of Deeds	
Fred D. Lorentson	2425
Verner Nelson	1910
County Attorney	
H. O. Berve	2197
Paul A. Lundgren	2193
County Supt. of Schools	
Geo. M. Gunderson	2145
Amer C. Matheson	2190
County Sheriff	
O. L. Ihle	2695
W. J. LaBree	1780

Congressman C. G. Selvig, who has represented the 9th District in Congress the past four years, is assured of re-election by a long lead, according to returns now available from all parts of the district. His opponent carried this county, but Red Lake offset that by a majority for Selvig. North and south ends of the district are reported as going strong for Selvig.

Young and Olsen have built a neat addition to their service station office which will be used for storage and will also have room for a car.

Olson Wins Governorship

On the face of early returns from the heavily populated parts of the state, as well as the Twin Cities, Floyd Olson, Farmer-Labor candidate, will be next Governor of Minnesota. Indications are that a vast number of split ballots have been cast in this election, and it is entirely probable that several of the state officials will be Republicans.

New Commissioners

This county will have three new county commissioners next January as result of election this week. The First district will be represented by Frank Race, the Second by A. K. Lockrem instead of Emil Larson, and O. M. Mandt will represent the Fifth instead of Isaac Wilson.

In the Third district the contest was very close, there being a margin of only eight votes for the successful candidate.

How St. Hilaire Voted

Congressman	
C. G. Selvig	65
Knud Wefald	68
State Senator	
McLeod	68
Naplin	72
Representative	
Day	71
Melby	78
Rydeen	46
Co. Auditor	
Anderson	19
Fowler	125
Co. Treasurer	
Gullingsrud	99
Johnsrud	39
Register of Deeds	
Lorentson	93
Nelson	48
Co. Attorney	
Berve	64
Lundgren	78
Co. Supt. of Schools	
Gunderson	51
Matheson	88
Sheriff	
Ihle	114
LaBree	27

Representatives Re-elected

Tabulation of election returns from Clearwater, Red Lake and this county, which comprise the 65th Legislative district, show that Senator Laura E. Naplin, and Representatives W. E. Day and J. O. Melby have been re-elected with comfortable leads in each case.

Armistice Day

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Axel Jacobson and son, Arlo, were Thief River Falls visitors last Friday.

A clothes-pin social will be given Nov. 8th in Dist. 133J known as the Aug. Erickson school. A special invitation is extended to all.

The Dorcas Society will have their annual sale Friday Nov. 14th, at 8:00. Lunch will be served after the sale. Everyone welcome

The teaching staff of the local school returned last week-end after attending the M. E. A. at Minneapolis and school re-opened Monday morning.

The Annual business meeting of the St. Hilaire Luth. church will be held Monday evening Nov. 17th at 8:00. Postponment is on a account of the Dorcas sale. All voting members please be presnt.

A number of friends of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Aubol treated them to a charivari party at their home last Saturday evening. Those present report having a most enjoyable time.

County Treasurer John Gullingsrud motored down Monday evening from Thief River for a short visit with his relatives, and also to see that the wires on his political fences were in good shape.

A number of turkey raisers from this locality took part in the annual Pennington County turkey tour which was held yesterday. Because of the fact that two previous tours had taken in farms in this part of the county, the tour went east and northeast of Thief River Falls this year.

Fred Soderberg, has leased the Leonard Holmes residence in town and will reside there the coming winter. Wiley Ewing and family will occupy the Soderberg farm, Gust Peterson and family will move onto the place vacated by Ewing, and Ed Rosette will move from the Avelson farm to that vacated by Peterson.

First meeting of the whist tournament for this season will be held at the Imperial hall this evening. It is planned this year to limit membership to residents of this village and surrounding community. Last year a large number of players from other towns took part which made the gatherings crowded and much harder to handle.

Mrs. V. G. Brink, Effie Fredrickson, and Art Jacobson spent last Saturday at Grand Forks.

Please Note: The business places in St. Hilaire will be closed from 10:00 to 5:00 on Armistice Day, Tuesday, Nov. 11th.

Henry and Harold Walton have lately secured employment at the Dr. J. Bowers farm southeast of Hazel.

Miss Sylvia Aarestad, who is a nurse at the St. Luke's hospital at Fargo, N. D. is a guest at the M. Highland home. Miss Aarestad is a niece of Mrs. Highland.

Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Stack visited Friday evening at the Walton home. The Walton family are busy moving their effects to a farm south of Terrebonne.

25 below zero and it flows and lubricates. Paraffin base -- will not break down under heat. Lubricates in warm weather. Winter Oil 16-1-2 c qt. Gal. lots. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls.

A. V. Jacobson motored Saturday to Grand Forks for a short visit at the James Amble home. He went over to see Mrs. Amble, who was operated upon two days before, but she was too weak at that time to see any visitors.

In the list of boys and girls who won free trips to the Junior Livestock Show at St. Paul, which was published last week, the name of Alton Almquist should be substituted for that of Arlo Jacobson. The young folks are all looking forward to their trips, and all hope to make a good showing at St. Paul.

Mrs. James Amble submitted to a very serious operation at a Grand Forks hospital last Thursday. She is reported to have withstood the operation well, and is now convalescing as well as can be expected which will be good news to her many friends in St. Hilaire and vicinity.

Mrs. S. Fields and daughter, Thelma accompanied by Mrs. J. Z. Dalton and Edison Lundmark motored up from Eveleth on Thursday to spend the week-end at the Brink, Jacobson, and Lindquist homes. Mrs. Dalton and Edison Lundmark are former neighbors of G. Lindquist's.

Successful Turkey Tour

The annual Pennington County turkey tour yesterday proved to be a very successful one. Twenty cars containing over seventy turkey raisers took part in the tour which visited six farms and viewed 2100 birds. Dr. W. Billings, turkey specialist, stated on the tour that Pennington County still led all counties in this state in both production and quality of birds. He stated that extra weight put on birds by the confinement plan more that offset extra feed cost. For the next season he advised turkey raisers to cull closely, keeping best specimens, to hatch early, to confine and feed well. By producing high quality birds, he said, the turkey raising industry would prove one of the best moneymaking lines on any farm.

Olson Favored Here

Floyd Olson received 84 votes to 50 for Ray P. Chase, for Governor, in this village.

Thos. D. Schall, for U. S. Senator received 71 votes which, was more than the combined votes of his two opponents, Ernest Lundeen, with 41, and Einar Hoidale, with 22 votes.

To Speak At P. T. A.

Carl B. Kellogg of Red Lake Falls will give a talk at the meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association here Friday evening on the subject of band organization. All persons interested in band work, and parents of children who would be interested in such work, are cordially invited to be present and hear Mr. Kellogg.

The Luther League will meet at the Black River Swedish Lutheran church Sunday evening. The North Star College at Warren will furnish the program. All welcome.

Annual Bazar

The Swedish Lutheran Ladies Aid will hold its annual Bazar this Saturday evening at 8 o'clock at the Odd Fellows Hall at St. Hilaire. Many useful articles that would make appropriate Christmas gifts.

A cordial invitation is extended to all. Lunch will be served after the sale.

Swenson--Aubol

Wednesday evening of last week at Thief River Falls occured the marriage of Miss Selma Swenson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mons Swenson of Black River, to Walter Aubol, son of Mrs. Mary Aubol of this village. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. Fjelstad at the Trinity Lutheran parsonage at Thief River Falls. Both bride and groom are well known and popular young people in this community and both have a host of friends who join in wishing them lifelong happiness. They will make their home on Aubol farm northeast of here.

25 Years Ago

A. O. Davison closed the bank at Wylie and moved with his family to the village where he had accepted a position as assistant cashier with the Merchants State Bank.

—XXV—

Mrs. Lewis Adams died that week at Grand Forks. The funeral was to be held at Red Lake Falls.

—XXV—

Miss Josie Quande and Edward Korstad were married at Thief River Falls, Friday, Nov. 3rd.

—XXV—

Peter Eberhardt was building a new boat at Thief River to be used in his work of raising deadhead logs for the mills operating on this river.

—XXV—

Miss Mary Spoonheim of Thief River spent several days here that week visiting with Miss Mary Hoff and Miss Josie Gigstad.

—XXV—

The sawmill was still operating altho it took much dynamite and chopping to keep the logs moving in the pond.

—XXV—

The first fatal accident in the local mill since it was built occured the previous Saturday night. Eli Blair, night edgerman, was struck by a piece of timber and injured so he died the following morning.

Upset in Red Lake

County Attorney Chas. Boughton Jr. of Red Lake county has been defeated for re-election by Attorney Fred Farley.

Charley Fellman, Sheriff in Red Lake county the past 20 years, lost to Carl Kankel of Terrebonne by a small margin.

County Treasurer Emard and his opponent, Clarence Orr, are tied.

Who Needs A Savings Account?

Everyone that has any ambition, or hope for the future.

Systematic saving every week will make an account grow into substantial proportions in a short time. Then when a good propsition comes along that requires cash, you will have it.

Most people who are a failure in this world have a "wishbone" where their backbone ought to be. It takes "grit" to start anything, and a savings account is no exception. Start your's now.

Merchants State Bank

St. Hilaire, Minn.

Twenty Eight Years Ago

When this creamery first started, many predicted it would be short lived.

Those who pinned their faith to the dairy business and creamery during those days have lived to see the creamery grow and prosper. It took determination and faith, but it WAS done.

By patronizing YOUR creamery, and boosting for it, it will show greater growth in the next ten years than in the past twenty-eight.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Minneapolis—Minnesota has 6,932.7 miles of bus routes.

Minneapolis — Minneapolis school teachers will receive a raise in pay in 1931.

New Auburn—Thieves stole $40 and some personal property of the local postmistress.

Delavan—A community carnival and fall frolic was held at the local high school auditorium.

Delhi—Bank bandits made off with $1,000 from the Farmers and Merchants State Bank.

New Brighton—Fire destroyed an elevator and two wooden corrals with damage estimated at $25,000.

Minneapolis—The first Christmas package to arrive in the Twin Cities came from Mikkelson, No. Dak.

Caledonia—The Houston County Poultry association has selected December 8-11 for its annual show here.

St. Cloud—Representatives of four banks in this community have organized the St. Cloud Clearing House Association.

McGregor—A pet deer belonging to the A. G. Hillman family was taken to Rochester to have its leg set, after breaking it.

Alexandria—The annual meeting of the Douglas County Guernsey Breeders Association will be conducted here November 15.

Detroit Lakes—Community chairmen are preparing for the annual Red Cross membership campaign in Becker county.

Minneapolis—Officers and committeemen from 24 cities and towns of Minnesota attended the annual fall meeting of the State Elk's association.

Minneapolis—The state highway department has announced plans to keep 37,000 miles of Minnesota highways open this winter with new and improved equipment.

Stillwater—Hundreds of prizes will be awarded at Stillwater's Harvest Festival, expected to be one of the largest celebrations ever held in this section, November 6, 7 and 8.

Waseca—The county board has let a contract for 40,000 feet of snow fence to keep roads open this winter. Motor driven snow plows and other new equipment were also purchased.

Windom—Two Mountain Lake hunters killed eight whistling swans, (birds that make their home in the arctic circle) while hunting geese near here. The swans were turned over to the state game and fish department.

Northfield—Two new infantile paralysis cases developed at Carleton College. Five University of Minnesota students who had come in contact with stricken Carleton students were placed in isolation.

Hutchinson—Two carloads of cattle, one of Holsteins and the other of Guernseys, purchased from farmers in this section were shipped to El Paso, Texas, P. U. Price, dairyman there, was the buyer.

Albert Lea—Freeborn county's annual turkey tour, when fowl breeders looked over results obtained at many outstanding farms in the county was held here. A turkey dinner climaxed the day's program.

Minneapolis—All attendance records of the Minnesota Education association toppled when the organization's sixty-seventh annual meeting at the Auditorium drew 10,000 teachers and school administrators.

Duluth—Scores of persons from throughout northern Minnesota attended the largest land sale ever conducted in St. Louis county. A total of 260,000 acres of tax delinquent land was offered for sale at the county auditor's office.

Hutchinson — Approximately 300 dairymen, farmers and business men were present at the dedication of the new Lakeside Creamery Association building here. Modern in every detail, the building replaces one destroyed by fire last spring.

So. St. Paul—Members of 4-H clubs to the number of 800 and representing all sections of Minnesota will exhibit animals and poultry at the Minnesota Junior Livestock show in the Livestock pavilion of South St. Paul from November 10 to 13.

Church Affiliation

About 40 out of each 100 of the people of the United States acknowledge affiliation with some church. This does not mean necessarily that the other 60 are pagans.

Art of Embroidery

Needle-painting, as embroidery was termed in the Middle ages, ranked with painting and sculpture at that period, being practiced by men as well as women.

Beauty Disappearing

Some flowers and trees in danger of extinction in the United States are: Columbine in Colorado, trailing arbutus in Middle West, trillium and fringed gentian throughout the United States, holly through the South, and dogwood, particularly in the eastern and Middle Atlantic states.

First Waltz Tune?

The waltz is said to be the most famous and consistently popular dance in all history. The origin of the waltz is obscured in the dim past. In its modern guise it appeared in 1780 and "Ach du lieber Augustin," is said to be the first tune to which the waltz was danced.

Take Cod Liver Oil For Cold

Having plenty of Vitamin A in the winter food supply helps to prevent infections of eyes, sinuses, air passages and lungs, according to Miss Inez Hobart, extension specialist in nutrition, University Farm. "It is true," Miss Hobart says, "that the body has ability to store some of Vitamin A for future needs, but the demand for it is high during the first cold months. To keep up bodily resistance this fall and winter, everyone needs to keep a generous supply of this "anti-infective" vitamin in their diet.

Butter, cream, dairy products, eggs, liver, green leafy vegetables and cod liver oil are our richest sources of Vitamin A. During the winter when the cows and chickens' green food supply is so limited the vitamin content in dairy products and eggs is somewhat lowered. It then becomes very essential to increase the supply of green leafy vegetables in the diet and to supplement the diet with daily use of cod liver oil.

The amount needed depends upon the individual and the vitamin content of the oil. The physician will prescribe the amount for the baby. The usual amount for children over two years, as well as for adults, is one tablespoonful daily. Join the C. L. O. squad.

For Better Radio Receptions

To promote better radio reception within the village, the co-operation of all users of electrical apparatus is earnestly requested. Recently there have been a great deal of unnecessary noises making radio reception difficult and almost impossible at times. Many persons are not aware that a defective iron cord, a poor switch, etc., will interfere with radio reception in the immediate neighborhood. Motors with defective brushes cause much trouble. Poor reception is more noticable in the business part of town where more power equipment is being used.

If each user of electrical appliances and equipment will cooperate with owners of radio sets by turning off and on their motors, grills, irons, etc, when reception is being interfered with, source of disturbance can be found and remedied. Supt. Cartier of the Red River Power Company has offered his assistance to discover and do away with distruhances that are making many valuable radio sets in the village almost worthless insofar as reception is concerned at times.

Reduce Din of Building by Electric Welding

Wilmington, Del.—A 14-story building is being erected here with little more noise than in construction of a barn. The structure is an addition to the Dupont office building which will cover two city blocks.

All of the structural steel frame is being electrically welded, while the concrete is mixed at a central plant and hauled to the site ready for pouring. The absence of the racket of pneumatic riveting hammers and the rattle of concrete mixers in operation has eliminated practically all noise except that of nailing together the lumber forms for the floors and other concrete work.

Occupants of nearby office buildings and people passing the operation would hardly be aware that construction was under way unless they saw it.

Radius of Universe Placed at Nine Septillion Miles

Washington.—The radius of the universe has been placed at about 9,500,000,000,000,000,000,000 miles.

That is the calculation sent to the National Academy of Sciences by Prof. Wilhelm De Sitter, of the University of Leyden, Holland, one of the world's foremost mathematician-astronomers.

It is based on the velocities of spiral nebulae, or island universes, as measured by the Mount Wilson Observatory of the Carnegie Institution of Washington.

Locates Squeakers

Loveland, Colo.—D. D. Kesler had a squeak in his car that no garage man could fix. While Kesler had the spark plugs out of the engine, a mouse made her nest in one of the holes. Five young mice were found in the nest when Kesler investigated the trouble.

Not the Poet of Her Dreams

By GENEVRA COOK

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BELLE BENTON pushed back her tumbling brown-gold curls and adjusted her headpiece, her deep blue eyes alertly watching the switchboard. At the flash of a light she slipped in a plug with slim, expert fingers.

"Operator."

"Is this the toll operator?" (What a rich, deep voice he had!)

"Yes. This is the toll operator."

"Well, will you start tolling, please? My line's dead."

For the fraction of an instant Belle hesitated. There was nothing in the "Rules for Operators" or the "Telephone Courtesy Manual" which prescribed how to answer a thrilling, deep man's voice, being funny. Then the voice won and Belle's merry laugh went caroling down the wire.

"I love your laugh," went on the thrilling voice. "I love the sound of your voice. Some day . . ."

With a sudden start Belle realized that the chief operator was watching her, and that there were six calls waiting to go through. She did not dare answer, and with a sigh she said briefly, "The line is busy," and pulled out the plug. But she did not forget the message, nor the voice.

When Ted Marsters, the young repair man with the bronzed skin and the wavy hair, swung himself lithely down on the stool next to hers in "Miss Lunchroom" that noon, she asked with the utmost care where he'd been doing repairs that morning. Flushed with pleasure at her interest in his job, he told her—twelve places in all—and by the time he had reached the end of his recital, they were having dessert.

". . . And the last place was out on the mountain, at the camp where that artists' colony is. Some poet out there cut the wire yesterday; he sold the phone disturbed him!"

But Belle had heard not one word after the word "poet."

"A real poet?" she breathed. "That writes books and everything?"

"Sure, he writes books. I saw one. It had a cover like a rainbow. His name is . . . let's see . . . yeah . . . Cuthbert Carruthers, or something like that."

All afternoon Belle sat at the switchboard with dreamy eyes. Of course, it had been he who called. Such a beautiful voice! Expectantly her eyes lingered on the mountain line, but the voice did not call again.

For nearly three weeks Belle kept her dream of the voice all to herself. But even the loveliest dreams have to have something for nourishment, and three weeks of waiting is a long time.

So one day Belle told Ted about the voice. And she confided to him that she was sure it was Cuthbert Carruthers. "And some day, Ted," she breathed, her eyes shining, "some day he'll call again, and tell me he loves my laugh and my voice, and then I'll tell him my name, and he'll come for me. And just think, his poems will be written to me!" Without observing that Ted had grown the color of a ripe tomato, she went on rapturously, "And I just know he's tall and strong and his skin is tanned with sun and wind and his hair is wavy and clipped short. . . ."

A gurgle at her left made her stop. "Why, Ted, whatever's the matter?"

But Ted had slid down from his stool and was gone.

For another month Ted, his lips twisted into an unhappy line, heard Belle sing the praises of Cuthbert Carruthers, ideal. At the end of the summer, though the voice had never called again, she was still faithful. She discovered that at the big dance which would formally open the "Sky Line Lodge" the whole artists' colony was planning to come, and she persuaded the troubled Ted to take her.

Lovely and dreamy-eyed in a fragile pink dress, she swayed to the rhythm of alluring music in the arms of Ted Marsters. Suddenly, his voice husky, he whispered. "There he is, dear." Without noticing the tenderness in his voice, Belle lifted her eyes toward Cuthbert Carruthers. She drew a deep breath and looked back at Ted, bewildered.

Cuthbert Carruthers was slim, consciously graceful, with an "interesting" pallor, and with long, carefully tousled hair which fell to his shoulders. As she gazed at him he turned to the girl at his side and spoke in a high, carefully cultivated drawl. "So many just ordinary people, my deah!"

With disillusioned eyes, Belle looked pitifully up at Ted. "My ideal," she whispered brokenly. "Why, he isn't my ideal at all. He isn't my voice!"

And then, suddenly, as Ted tenderly put his arm around her, and murmuring, "I'm sorry, dear," led her toward the balcony, suddenly as she looked up at Ted, tall, strong, with his bronzed skin, and his wavy hair, and his tender eyes—she saw her ideal. "Why, Ted," she cried. "it's you that are my ideal, Ted. It was you all the time!"

"Oh, Belle. I didn't want to tell you before; I thought you would be hurt. I was the voice, too!"

"The voice! Why, what made your voice like that, Ted?"

"Listen, and you'll hear it again, Belle. It was love."

And after a long time, when she had listened to the voice of love and found it deep and thrilling and strong, Ted whispered. "Is this the toll operator?"

"Yes."

"Well, start tolling! All my unhappiness is dead."

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington. State of Minnesota } ss.

To N. W. Trust Co., Trustee; John Polbrook, Fred Stucy, Michael Kaasa, Marie Olson, Sam Myrum, Val Yaeger, Jno. A. Duffy, Robert Hegland, N. W. Trust Co., Swedish Lutheran Board of Education, Federal Bank & Trust Co., Jonas Bakke, Henry Thoreson, Northfield Cemetery Ass'n, Albert Fallman, and Nels Nelson:

You are hereby notified that the following parcels of land situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, known and described as follows, to-wit: NW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 40, SW¼ of Section 17 in Township 152 of Range 40, N½ of SE¼ of Section 18 in Township 152 of Range 40, E½ of NW¼ of Section 24 in Township 154 of Range 40, SW¼ of Section 3 in Township 152 of Range 41, SW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 41, E½ of NW¼ and Lots 1 and 5 of Section 19 in Township 152 of Range 41, SW¼ of NW¼ of Section 22 in Township 152 of Range 41, S½ of SE¼ of Section 23 in Township 152 Range 41, SW¼ of Section 24 in Township 152 of Range 41, NE¼ of Section 9 in Township 153 of Range 41, SW¼ of Section 27 in Township 153 of Range 41, E½ of NW¼ of Section 33 in Township 153 of Range 41, SE¼ of Section 35 in Township 154 of Range 41, SE¼ of Section 13 in Township 152 of Range 42, SE¼ of Section 36 in Township 153 of Range 42, and part of S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ except ¾ acre of Section 35 in Township 153 of Range 43 are now assessed as follows: said NW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 40 in the name of N. W. Trust Co., Trustee, said SW¼ of said Section 17 in the name of John Polbrook, said N½ of SE¼ of said Section 18 in the name of Fred Stucy, said E½ of NW¼ of Section 24 in Township 154 of Range 40 in the name of Michael Kaasa, said SW¼ of said Section 5 in the name of Marie Olson, said SW¼ of said Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 41 in the name of Sam Myrum, said E½ of NW¼ and Lots 1 and 2 of said Section 19 in the name of Val Yaeger, said SW¼ of NW¼ of said Section 22 in the name of Jno. A. Duffy, said S½ of SE¼ of said Section 23 in the name of Robert Hegland, said SW¼ of Section 24 in Township 152 of Range 41 in the name of N. W. Trust Co., said NE¼ of said Section 9 in the name of Swedish Lutheran Board of Education, said SW¼ of said Section 27 in the name of Federal Bank & Trust Co., said E½ of NW¼ of said Section 33 in the name of Jonas Bakke, said SE¼ of said Section 35 in the name of Henry Thoreson, said SE¼ of said Section 13 in the name of Northfield Cemetery Ass'n., said SE¼ of Section 36 in Township 153 of Range 42 in the name of Albert Fallman, said part of S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ except ¾ acre of Section 36 in Township 153 of Range 43 in the name of Nels Nelson. That on May 9, 1927 at the sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County on March 19, 1927 in the proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1925 for said County, the above described parcels of land were separately sold as follows: said NW¼ of Section 12 in Township 158 of Range 40 for $94.28, said SW¼ of said Section 17 for $116.25, said N½ of SE¼ of said Section 18 for $50.88, said E½ of NW¼ of Section 24 in Township 154 of Range 40 for $69.16, said SW¼ of said Section 3 for $52.10, said SW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 41 for $128.40, said E½ of NW¼ and Lots 1 and 2 of said Section 19 for $45.28, said SW¼ of NW¼ of said Section 22 for $16.14, said S½ of SE¼ of said Section 23 for $40.66, said SW¼ of Section 24 in Township 152 of Range 41 for $82.40, said NE¼ of said Section 8 for $93.18, said SW¼ of said Section 27 for $44.26, said E½ of NW¼ of said Section 33 for $38.78, said SE¼ of said Section 35 for $105.38, said SE¼ of said Section 13 for $105.16, said SE¼ of Section 35 in Township 153 of Range 42 for $85.22, and said part of S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ except ¾ acre of Section 36 in Township 153 of Range 43 for $61.08. That the respective amounts required to redeem said parcels of land from said tax sale thereof, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, are as follows: to redeem said NW¼ of Section 12 in Township 155 of Range 40, $364.98 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $94.25 from May 9, 1927, and on $86.70 from May 14, 1928, and on $91.70 from January 7, 1929, and on $92.30 from January 5, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of said Section 17, $423.66 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $116.25 from May 8, 1927, and on $105.00 from May 14, 1928, and on $104.80 from January 7, 1929, and on $97.61 from January 5, 1930; to redeem said N½ of SE¼ of said Section 18, $156.55 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $50.85 from May 9, 1927, and on $45.54 from May 14, 1928, and on $47.40 from January 7, 1929, and on $39.43 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said E½ of NW¼ of Section 24 in Township 154 of Range 40, $321.49 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $59.16 from May 9, 1927, and on $73.15 from May 14, 1928, and on $79.29 from January 7, 1929, and on $99.88 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of said Section 3, $284.35 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $82.10 from May 9, 1927, and on $67.15 from May 14, 1928, and on $62.76 from January 7, 1929, and on $72.31 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 41, $715.09 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $128.40 from May 9, 1927, and on $94.38 from May 14, 1928, and on $95.75 from January 7, 1929, and on $112.21 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said E½ of NW¼ and Lots 1 and 2 of said Section 19, $310.42 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $45.28 from May 9, 1927, and on $87.36 from May 14, 1925, and on $91.61 from January 7, 1929, and on $85.17 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of NW¼ of said Section 22, $105.45 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $16.14 from May 9, 1927, and on $36.14 from May 14, 1925, and on $17.38 from January 7, 1929, and on $55.80 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said S½ of SE¼ of said Section 25, $165.38 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $40.66 from May 9, 1927, and on $41.50 from May 14, 1928, and on $42.48 from January 7, 1929, and on $40.74 from January 5, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of Section 24 in Township 152 of Range 41, $332.23 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $82.40 from May 9, 1927, and on $83.28 from May 14, 1926, and on $55.14 from January 7, 1929, and on $81.41 from January 6, 1960; to redeem said NE¼ of said Section 9, $262.26 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $93.18 from May 9, 1927, and on $86.42 from May 13, 1929, and on $62.63 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of said Section 27, $503.48 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $44.26 from May 9, 1927, and on $85.52 from May 14, 1928, and on $91.56 from January 7, 1929, and on $79.34 from January 6, 1950; to redeem said E½ of NW¼ of said Section 36, $130.85 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12[illegible] annum on $38.78 from May 9, 19[illegible]d on $27.84 from May 14, 1928, and on $38.24 from January 7, 1929, and on $60.99 from January 8, 1930; to redeem said SE¼ of said Section 35, $351.68 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $105.38 from May 9, 1927, and on $108.22 from May 14, 1928, and on $89.68 from January 7, 1929, and on $80.10 from January 6, 1980; to redeem said SE¼ of said Section 13, $419.27 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $105.18 from May 9, 1927, and on $95.55 from May 14, 1926, and on $77.92 from January 7, 1929; and on $117.59 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SE¼ of Section 36 in Township 153 of Range 42, $348.85 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $85.22 from May 9, 1927, and on $58.50 from May 14, 1928, and on $89.64 from January 7, 1929, and on $85.20 from January 5, 1930; and to redeem said part of S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ except ¾ acre of Section 36 in Township 153 of Range 43, $223.72 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $61.08 from May 9, 1927, and on $52.00 from May 14, 1928, and on $54.55 from January 7, 1929, and on $55.98 from January 6, 1930. That the respective tax certificates of sale issued to the purchaser have been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested. That the time for redemption of said parcels of land, or any of them, from said sale thereof, will expire sixty days after the service of this notice and the filing of proof of such service in my office. Witness my hand and official seal this 10th day of September, 1930.

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor of Pennington County, Minn.
(Official Seal.) O23-N6.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington. State of Minnesota } ss.

To Thos. H. Smith.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 13, Block 23, Knox Addition to Red Lake Rapids.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 14th day of May, 1923, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 19th day of March, 1923, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1921, for said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said piece or parcel, was bid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($2.44), Two and 44|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 11th day of August, 1930, the said piece or parcel not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Fifteen Dollars and no cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($15.00), Fifteen Dollars and no cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($15.00), Fifteen and no|100 Dollars from said eleventh day of August, 1930, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 17th day of October, 1930.
(Official Seal.)

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
Approved by Attorney General. O23-N6

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington. State of Minnesota } ss.

To Amanda Shiebel.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 5 & 6, Block 23, Knox's Addition to Red Lake Rapids.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 8th day of May, 1920, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 17th day of March, 1923, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year, 1920, for said County of Pennington, the above pieces or parcels of land, was offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said pieces or parcels, was bid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($2.96), Two and 96|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 11th day of August, 1930, the said pieces or parcels not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Twenty-five Dollars and Sixty-four cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($25.64), Twenty-five Dollars and sixty-four cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($25.54), Twenty-five and 54|100 Dollars from said eleventh day of August, 1930, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificates of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 17th day of October, 1930.
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H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
Approved by Attorney General. O23-N6

Trace English Surnames to Medieval Pageants

There are some names which might well puzzle the antiquarian, Take Whalebelly as an example. There are folk with this strange name in Norfolk. Whence came it?

The answer is: From the medieval pageants which were played all over Europe at one time, and of which the Passion play at Oberammergau is an almost unique survival. Whalebelly probably immortalized the performance of some forgotten actor who took the part, during the eight days' pageant held at Smithfield, of the whale which swallowed Jonah!

Other surnames which probably originated from these religious plays are Farrow (Pharoah) and Asplin (Absalom). Mildmay is another name with a religious origin. It is a corruption of the Virgin Mary. "Mild" was the recognized character of Mary, hence the formation of the modern well-known surname.

Here is an extract from "Stowe's Survey of London," a very famous old book. "The third lane out of Tower st is called Mincheon lane, so called of tenements there, something pertaining to the Minchins of St. Helen's, Bishopsgate st."

Minchen comes from the German Monch, or Manchin, meaning monk or nun. Thus, Minchin lane, as it is now called, derives from the former residence of nuns there. It also gives us the modern surnames Minuchin, Mincher, Minch and Mince.—London Mail.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington. State of Minnesota } ss.

To Mattie Weeks.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 11 & 12, Block 23, Knox Addition to Red Lake Rapids.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 8th day of May, 1915, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 15th day of March, 1916, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1914, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land was offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said pieces or parcels, was bid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($4.83), Four and 83|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 11th day of August, 1930, the said pieces or parcels not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Thirty Dollars and no cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($30.00), Thirty Dollars and no cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($30.00), Thirty and no|100 Dollars from said eleventh day of August, 1930, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 17th day of October, 1930.
(Official Seal.)

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
Approved by Attorney General. O23-N6

Dr. Spofford
Optometrist
Will Be At
Red Lake Falls, Tuesday, Nov, 11th
St. Hilaire, Nov, 12th, forenoon
Thief River Falls, Nov 12, afternoon
Eyes Examined, glasses fitted

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

THE CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday Nov. 9th. Services as follows:

Oak Ridge 11:00 A. M. Amr.
St. Pauli 2:00 P. M Amr.
St. Hilaire Sunday School 10:00

St. Pauli Ladies' Aid hold their annual sale and supper in church parlor Friday, Nov. 7, 8:00 P. M.

Oak Ridge Luth. will have their business meeting on Friday, Nov. 7 at 1:00 P. M.

Frenchman Would Show Toe-Dancing Fleas Here

Paris, France.—The flea-tamer, Jean Rochet, who has presented his performing fleas at fairs all over France, was preparing his troupe recently for a forthcoming visit to the United States, provided he can get it through immigration and quarantine stations.

Rochet has devoted a lifetime to the study of fleas, teaching them tricks of toe dancing, gymnastics and juggling.

"Each one is trained according to his particular character and temperament," said Rochet. "When first caught, each one is tied with a fine strand of golden wire, which is fixed with the aid of a microscope. This prevents the flea from escaping, since he can only jump a certain distance owing to the weight of the golden wire.

"The fleas begin to show propensities for either dancing, juggling or 'strong-man' feats and these qualities are developed carefully over a period of weeks.

"They get to know me soon and are extremely obedient. They can even be taught to respond to the dinner gong. I prefer the male flea because he is more conscientious."

Panama's Climate

Most of Panama is tropical, having warm days and cooler nights. The temperature of Colon ranges from 68 to 95 degrees Fahrenheit. Similar temperatures prevail in Panama city. The wet season is from April to December, when the rainfall is from 85 to 155 inches yearly.

Take Your Choice

There are two places a husband can go to find what's wrong with him —a doctor's office and home.—Los Angeles Times.

Sex Idiosyncracy

Another sex distinction is that a man would rather have his chair comfortable than reupholstered.—Grand Rapids Press.

Our Greatest G[illegible]

Our greatest g[illegible] [illegible] falling, but in [illegible] fall.—Confucius.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

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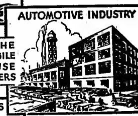

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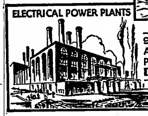

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Uncle Eben

"I can't understand," said Uncle Eben, "how so many folks seems to 'magine dat de way to have de most fun is to taka de most chances on gittin' into trouble."—Washington Star.

River News

A large crowd attended the Halloween social Friday at Dist 236J. The evening was spent in contests enjoyed by all and a neat little sum was realized.

Mr. and Mrs E. Stephens spent Sunday at the W. Wilsoo home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Larson spent Sunday afternooo at the G. Hesse home.

Mr. and Mrs Fred Seeger and family of Red Lake and Mr. and Mrs. C. Seeger and family of Oklee spent Sunday at the Fred Erdmann home.

Remember the date Nov. 8, a Clothespin social at Dist 133J known as the Aug Erickson school.

Mrs. C. Thompson bas been ill the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Rinkenberger are tbe parents of a little girl born Monday.

Mrs. J. Gothia and son and Mrs. Pautz and daughter spent Tuesday at the F. Erdmann home.

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Wyandotte News

Sunday snpper gnests at the J. Albin home were, Mr. and Mrs. P. Kolseth and family Mrs. E. Samnelson and C. Samnelson.

Dorothy Haney of Thief River and Alice and Clarence Carlson left Saturday for Fargo where they spent Suoday with the latters sister who atteod school there.

Carl Nelson left Saturday for Sweden after spending two weeks at the J. Albin home.

Knute Steen visited Wednesday at the J. Albiu and Kolseth home.

Mr and Mrs D. Haugen and sons spent Saturday with tbeir son and brother at Crookston.

Bray News

Clifford Olson bad the misfortune of breaking his arm on Tuesday while cranking a truck. He was rushed to Thief River where he received medical aid He is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs Martio Troland and son of Thief River visited at Mons Troiand Friday.

Miss Hazel Krause gave a Halloween party at her school Friday afternoon. Games and contests were played after which candy, apples and nuts were served. Those presented were, Mrs H. Hawkinson and Fern, Mrs. A. Lindbloom and Carl, Mrs. J. Severson, Mrs R. Larson and Alice Lindquist, Cora, Kranse and Lillian Larson.

Mr. and Mrs H. Bergstron and Mrs. Mickelson of Tbief River accompanied by Mrs. E Peterson of Fargo visited at the E Larson home Tbursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Larson visited at the H. Melin home Sunday.

A large crowd attended the Harvest Festival in Black River church Sunday.

Soviet Finds Use for Dead Cats; Making Soap

Moscow.—Don't waste yonr dead cats and dogs. The Soviet has found a nse for them.

"Soap must he made from cats and dogs," says Pravda, the Soviet newspaper. "One cat boiled down gives five ounces of fat, one dog more than a pound."

Rats, mice and marmots will olso be nsed in preparing a popular toilet brand called "My Grandmother's Bouquet." Boiling, instead of tbrowing away the carcasses used hy the state fur syndicate, will yield annnoily 5,000 tons of fat for soap, releasing an equal quantity of fats edihle hy workers.

An official circular urges peasants not to drown pnppies, but to keep the entire litter for one year and then knock them on the head, and sell the skins and carcasses to the fur syndicate.

Baby Girl, Three Months Old, Speaks Distinctly

Tiflis.—The three-month-old haby girl of an Armenian conple hera speaks distinctly. In the last three weeks she has used a vocabulary of 85 words. A numoer of Soviet language specialists have visited tha child in order to investigate the phenomenon.

Golf Ball Breaks Arm

Killay, England. — The peaceful business of herding sheep was broken for Arthur Williams when his arm was struck and broken by a golf ball.

Charge Girls With Reciprocal Biting

Paris.—Two young girls were brought before a municipal police magistrate charged with "reciprocal biting" on a Paria boulevard. When the police separated them the two were "locked in a clinch," one biting tha nose of her one-tima friend, and the other biting her opponent'a throat.

Secretary To Byrd Niece Of Resident Of This Community

Miss Hazel McKercher of New York who for eight years has been secretary of Admiral Richard E. Byrd, the noted explorer, is a niece of Richard J. McKercher, well known stockman residing near this village. Her father was Gilbert McKercher, and her home is at Mason City, Iowa.

On a recent visit home, the local paper carried an article ahout her work, and the following are excerpts from that article.

Under contract not to write or give interviews as all of the expedition employes are, she is reticent in her conversation with the world in general. In the past two years, however, sbe has transacted all business in connection with the expedition that passed hetween the Antarctic and the U. S. through the New York Times radio station.

Her work of finishing the accounts and compiling material has just recently been complete d - the results of which have made possible the publishing of three books this fall - one hy Admiral Byrd, one by Dr. Lawrence Gould and the other by Paul Siple, the hoy scout of the expedition.

The most interesting part of the whole expedition to me", said Miss McKercher, 'has been, perhaps, the most recent. Admiral Byrd's boat, the City of New York, which is in reality an old whaling ship, has heen turned into a floating museum for the children of America. It was opened in New York harbor August 8th and children by the hundreds have visited it to see where the men lived during the long stay in the Antarctic.

In the eight years Miss McKercher was directly under the employ of Admiral Byrd, she was with his family often. She was with bim at the time he left for the Antarctic and used to receive his messages to buy presents for his children while he was in the land of ice. Richard, Jr., Miss Bolling, Katherine, Helen all under 10-know her as Dad's messenger - and she had some big ones to deliver.

Miss McKercher was first in the service of Admiral Byrd in 1919 immediately after the war during the time he had been in command of the U. S. air forces of Canada. She worked in his employ until 1923 when she left Washington to come hack to Iowa for a period of three years to improve her health.

She again joined Admiral Byrd after his trans-Atlantic flight to Paris and compiled the material he had collected during that period. She then began work with him preparatory to the Antarctic expedition and when the task of the business end hecame of such proportions that it detracted from the Admiral's scientific work, she was placed under supervision of Captain Railey of New York, who carried out the American husiness side of the expedition.

Miss McKercber has many interesting stories of the "land of the blizzard" as it is termed and of the explorers presentation of his findings to the public.

This section of Minnesota is enjoying some exceptional fall weather. Snow flurries and cold weather in Octoher led many folks to think that winter had set in in earnest. Since then all trace of snow has disappeared and a thin coating of ice that covered the river, has melted. While its getting too late to expect much warm weather hereafter, the ground is unfrozen and some late plowing is being done.

Change in Lenten Season

The Lenten season was originally only forty bours—from Good Friday until Easter day morning. Additional days were gradually added until the present number, based on the forty days' temptation in tha wilderness, becama the rule.

Class Distinction

There are only three classes of people, so far as money goes; those who don't get along on what they have; those who just dn and those who sava something.—American Magazine.

Perents Day At A. C.

Over two hundred parents from twelve Northwestern Minnesota conntíes and eastern North Dakota attended the Annual Parents' Day celebration at the Northwest School of Agricultnre, Crookston, last Saturday. According to Registrar J. W. Miner, visitors were particularly interested in the new Physical Education building, which was dedicated the last week in Oct as a special feature of the most impressive Home Comiog reunion ever held oo the Aggie Campus, and in the new Library and service rooms in the Administration Building

Home Project leaders E. R. Clark, R. J. Christgau aod Miss Retta Bede presented the largest bome project show in the history of the school, with a display of over one hundred exhibits representiog work carried on by the students at home during the summer.

Other features of the day included the annual Parents' Day dinner and the special students' assembly program, followed by the social hour, wheo parents exchanged greetiogs with one another, and met members of the faculty together with their wives. The evening was devoted to an all school Halloween party in the new Physical Education building.

The following pareots from Penoington County were in attendance: Mr. aod Mrs. O C. Weckwerth, Hazel; Mr. and Mrs. C H Toomey, Thief River Falls.

RED SQUARE WILL BE RECONSTRUCTED

Once Scene of Glamour and Tragedy in Russia.

Washington.—Russia's "Red Square," tha scene of glamour and tragedy, is to be reconstructed, according to a report of the Notional Geographic society. In back of a high hoard feoce the work of turning the temporary wooden mausolenm into a permanent resting place of stone is already under way. Smooth flog stones will replace the ancient cohbles and permanent reviewing stands are to be erected.

Formerly the scene of public executions, of imperial proclamations and martial parades, of bloody revolutions, it now resounds with the tramp of the Red army and the footfalls of Soviet workers. High above the Kremlin wall rises a great clock tower, built the year before Columbus discovered America. Opposite this historical structure are the Trading Rows with their arcaded sidewalks, around which the people in all walks of life gather. Women in felt boots, clerks in leather jockets, officials, usuolly well dressed, with their brief cases under their arms, laborers in their dirty sheepskin coots, slippered girls dragging hand carts hehind them offer a glamorons contrast.

Venders cluster around the gates leading to "Red Square," offering all manner of articles and making sections of the sqnare into virtual outdoor department stores.

At night an open forum is established in the squore. Unimportant Soviet speakers gather little knots of listeners abont them to explain details of the Soviet plan of government, and ofttimes the sqnare is filled with o moss of people while the government leoders proclaim the doctrines of the revolntion throngh mammoth lond speokers.

With the work of reconstruction now started, all of this glamour is at a standstill, until when a new and even greater "Red Squore" is completed, it can begin anew.

Natural Well of Ice Found in South Dakota

Rapid City, S. D.—A natural ice well, 172 feet nnderground, from which crystal clear blocks of ice can he cut in hottest weather, is occasioning much interest here. The well is located at the gypsum plaster mill at Black Hawk, seven miles north of here.

In digging for gypsnm at the plant, workmen sunk a shaft, at the end of which a large hole was excavated in taking ont gypsum. This filled with water to a depth of eight feet, which freezes in summer and is coated with thick ice.

Woman Sues Post Office for Premature Suicide

Belgrade.—The wife of a workman is suing tha post office authorities for having delayed the newa that her husband had won a big prize in a lottery. She claims that her hnsband, who was a chauffeur, committed suicide through poverty and lack of work. If ha had received the news 15 minutes earlier he would not have ended his life.

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SAYS WOMAN IS LOSING BEAUTY

French Expert Blames Cosmetics, Smoking, Drink and Late Hours.

Paris.—The days of beautiful women are numbered. Modern life, with its cigarettes, cocktails, cosmetics, and late hours, is slowly exterminating feminine beauty, according to Dr. Marcelle Peillon, one of the foremost woman beauty doctors and specialists of France.

Madame Peillon says: "Unless there is an immediate reaction to all these tendencies which destroy not only beauty but health in general, women who have beautiful skin, bright eyes, red lips and vivacious temperament, will live only in novels.

"The beauties of histories were real. France was a nation of handsome women, the most beautiful being in the Frankish and Gallic tribes when cosmetics were unknown, but when the sanitary effects of bathing springs were known even to animals. Medicinal baths, hot springs, and the natural curative waters are the best aids to beauty, along with the simple regime of living that goes with the so-called cure."

Women are rarely deceived about their beauty, says Madame Peillon. They apply paint and powder and have their faces lifted; they massage and bind and pull themselves out of shape, when they really know that the only aid to beauty is good blood circulation, which makes clear skin, and skin is the natural indicator and mirror of health and beauty.

Nature Knows Best.

No cosmetic, no cream will ever do what the sun can do. And no face-lifting physician will ever provide pliant muscles like physical exercise, early sleep, early rising will do. Falling features, swollen veins, saggy cheeks, are due mainly to the life that was lived for 30 or 40 years away from the air, away from springs and sunlight.

The great enemy of beauty, says Madam Peillon, is alcohol. After alcohol comes the cigarette. The greatest aid to beauty, on the other hand, is exercise, which induces a good appetite, then comes bathing, and Madam Peillon asserts, like most physicians, that it is all important for women to have children. Few great beauties in history have been childless. Woman's beauty increases as she bears children, providing adequate care is taken.

Not Too Late, Sisters.

The woman of today, painted and powdered, sallow eyed, dulled by late hours, lacking in spirit and deficient in blood, can overtake her beautiful sisters of the past if she commences now, but Mme. Peillon fears that modern life will prevent women from growing in the natural way that the women of the past developed.

If any women are skeptical, asserts Mme. Peillon, let them not go to a beauty doctor, but let them for the sake of their own curiosity and desire to be beautiful, simply try living naturally for two weeks, stop smoking, drinking, in case they do drink, rise early, walk bareheaded in the open air, begin to love deeply, and Mme. Peillon adds, since beauty is more essential than anything, let them embrace motherhood, and their mirrors will soon show a different face, a keener eye, brighter tresses, a brow that is serene, respected, and loved.

"Big Ben" Regulated by Pence and Half-Pence

London.—"Big Ben," the famous four-dial clock that tops the great tower of the parliament buildings, and which is one of the largest and most accurate clocks in the world, owes its precision to pennies and half-pennies.

This surprising information was given by F. W. Dyson, the astronomer royal.

"During the year which ended on April 30 the clock was compared on 288 days at the royal observatory, and on only 21 days did its error reach more than one second, the maximum being one minute four seconds," he said.

"The controlling device consists of a tray fixed about halfway down the pendulum, and when the clock is losing slightly a half-penny is placed on the tray. This makes the pendulum vibrate slightly more quickly and gradually brings the clock to time. If the clock is gaining, a half-penny or a penny is removed.

"As it takes a fifth of a second for the sound of 'Big Ben' to reach the bottom of the tower and about a couple of seconds to reach Trafalgar square, the limits of reasonable accuracy have been reached. It is only for astronomical purposes that more is required."

Grownups Crowd Kids Off Their Playgrounds

Beloit, Wis.—Adults taking advantage of fun facilities of the city playgrounds have crowded children out of the places originally intended for them, according to a report to city officials. More parks are expected to be provided for adults—and children.

U. S. to See Austrian Art

Vienna, Austria.—The Oesterreichische Werkbund and two American art societies have made arrangements for an exhibit in forty American cities of a representative collection of modern Austrian paintings and sculptures.

Carbon Paper Old Idea

Carbon paper consists of tissue of varying weight coated with a color, generally carbon, and some waxy medium. It has been known and in use for a considerable period. It is mentioned in the Mechanics Magazine in England as early as 1824.

Magic Power Ascribed to Chinaman's Picture

On the doors of Chinese houses, in early summer, are pasted pictures of Chang Tao-lin, the first Taoist pope, riding on a tiger, says a writer in the New York Times. Probably there are 50,000,000 such pictures so displayed and worshiped during the year, for Chang is supposed to repress evil spirits and to ward off calamity and sickness in the hot months. On the "fifth day of the fifth moon"—usually early in June—when most of the pictures are pasted up, the children are dressed in cheap, tigerlike suits of clothes to keep off the demons, who fear tigers.

Chang Tao-lin is said to have been born on Tien Moh San (Heavenly-eye mountain) in the year 85 A. D. He was asked to be an official; but chose rather to meditate in silence and to cultivate virtue. He went to live in China's western hills and there was shown, by a book given to him from above, how to find the elixir of life, and from other ancient books how to ascend into heaven, how to fly and how to walk among the stars. With these and other magic powers he could fight demons, divide mountains and seas, and rule the winds.

Scotch Freebooter Made Hero of Song and Story

Rob Roy (Robert McGregor or Campbell), Scotch legendary hero, was born in Buchanan parish, Scotland, 1671; died at Balquhidder December 28, 1734. He was the younger son of Donald McGregor, a lieutenant colonel in the army of James II. He got his name Roy from his red hair, and adopted Campbell as his surname. After the accession of William III he obtained a commission from James II, and in 1691 made a descent on Stirlingshire. In 1712 he was evicted and outlawed on a charge of embezzlement. He became a Highland freebooter, and was included in the act of attainder. Under the protection of the duke of Argyll he continued to levy blackmail on the Scottish gentry. He is the subject of a novel by Sir Walter Scott, published in 1818; of an opera by Flotow (1832) and of several plays—Washington Star.

Two Advantages

The house agent decided that he had better be quite frank with his latest clients.

"Of course," he began, "this house has one or two drawbacks which I feel I must mention. It is bounded on the north by the gas works, on the south by an india-rubber works, on the east by a vinegar factory, and in the west there is a glue-boiling establishment."

"Great Scott!" gasped the husband. "Fancy showing us such a place. What a neighborhood!"

"Quite so," replied the agent. "But there are advantages. The rent is cheap, and you can always tell which way the wind is blowing!"

Italian Language

The modern Italian language is developed from the Latin. The earliest definite traces of Italian speech may be found in a document of Monte Cassino, dated 960. Tucan, and especially Florentine, has been the classical literary language almost from the beginning of the national literature. During the first half of the Thirteenth century the mass of lyrical poetry was produced by the Sicilian school at Palermo at the court of the Emperor Frederick II. In the second half of the century the seat of lyrical poetry was transferred to Tuscany. The modern Italian literary language, however, is founded on the Florentine dialect, which was the language of Dante.

Ghastly Trophies

The Jivaran tribes, a group of Indians, living at the eastern base of the Andes in Ecuador and the adjacent parts of Peru, practice the art of shrinking human heads. These shrunken human heads, called tsantas in the native Jivaran tongue, are often seen in museums. The head, after being taken from an enemy, is carefully skinned, sewed up in the back and then shrunk and dried by an elaborate process accompanied by much ceremony. The finished product, no larger than the head of a small monkey, preserves the human expression.

Sometimes Sounds That Way

It was the first time a Chinese boy had seen a piano, and he tried to describe it to a friend in pidgin English: "Them box," he said, "you fight him in teeth. He cry."—Boston Transcript.

Quite Friendly

Burly Ruffian (to timid pedestrian) —Got a penny, please, stranger? Me an' Bill 'ere wants ter toss up, an' see which of us takes yer watch, an' which yer pocketbook!—Border Cities Star.

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Old Age Pension

Altho a good many voters ignored that part of the county ballot, the question of whether or not Pennington County should adopt the Old Age Pension, received some attention Tuesday. There are 1696 votes in favor, to 1082 against the proposition, in the final returns for this county.

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I wish to express hereby my most sincere thanks to the voters of St. Hilaire and adjoining townships for the fine endorsement given me at the polls Tuesday in my campaign for re-election as County Treasurer. In return for this expression of goodwill, I shall endeavor to give you the same satisfactory service in this office as I have before. Thank you all.

John Gullingsrud, Co. Treas.

Thanks To The Voters

I wish hereby, to express my most sincere appreciation and thanks to the voters of Pennington County for the splendid vote given me Tuesday. I am sorry that I could not meet you all personally before election, but I hope to have the opportunity to meet and greet you all during my term in the Auditor's office. The fine endoresement given me at the polls will be an inspiration, and I shall endeavor to merit the confidence you have shown, by serving you all to best of my ability in the office of county auditor.

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The three amendments to the state constitution, voted on Tuesday, were each given a majority of the votes cast for them in this county. However, about one third of the ballots were unmarked which in effect, is the same as a negative vote.

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John J. Eide

John J. Eide, an old resident of this community, died Friday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. G. B. Peterson in River Falls township southeast of town. Deceased was 84 years and three months of age, and death was due to infirmities incident to old age.

Mr. Eide was born in Norway, July 23, 1846. He came to this country with his parents in 1859, settling at Cresco, Iowa. In 1879 he went to Yellow Medicine county in this state where he was married to Ingeborg Kolbensvik. They later moved to LaquiParle county where they resided for some years. He was the father of eight children, 6 boys and two daughters. He was preceeded in death by his wife and four children. The surviving children are Henry J. Eide of Gascoyne, N. D., Theodore of Buffalo Springs, N. D., Ed. J. of Virginia, Minn., and Mrs. G. B. Peterson of River Falls township. He is also survived by three sisters and twenty-five grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. M. L. Dahle from the Norwegian Lutheran church Monday afternoon, and interment was made in the cemetery north of the village. Sympathy of numerous friends is extended to the bereaved relatives.

Little Child Dies

Ardith Marie, thirteen months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ortloff died Friday, Nov, 7 at the Physicians hospital at Thief River Falls after a brief illness. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. Dahlberg from the Evang. Mission church Monday afternoon and burial was made in the Rux cemetery west of town. Heartfelt sympathy of many friends is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Ortloff in the sad loss of their only child.

Heard Over The Radio

Many local friends of Arthur Hendrickson will be please to know he is getting along splendidly at the State hospital at Fergus Falls. Last Monday evening he took a leading part in a broadcast of musical numbers by the Patient's Chorus over radio station K D G E at Fergus Falls. Besides being in the main chorus and male quartette, Art sang a favorite song "Love's Old Sweet Song" as a solo number.

First Whist Session

First meeting of the local whist club took place last Thursday evening at the Imperial hall. Sixty-four people from the village and surrounding country took part. In choosing sides, the colors blue and white were chosen to desiginate the two teams. The Whites took the honors for the first session and were guests of the Blues at lunch which was served at both cafes after the games. While good weather continues and roads are in such excellent condition, meetings will be held Thursday night of each week. Later on this may be changed to every two weeks should the members so decide. Next meeting will be this evening.

Move Here From Brainerd

Mr and Mrs. Frank Breneman came up Sunday from Brainerd with a truckload of household effects and will make their home with her mother, Mrs. O. Sherva. Since leaving here more then twenty years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Breneman have been engaged in the bakery business at Brainerd. Long hours and arduous labor in the bakery begun to tell on his health so they disposed of their plant and will enjoy a well earned rest until they find another suitable location.

New Settlers

M. W. Brainbridge and family moved here last week-end from Manvil, N. D. to occupy the former Dammon place southeast of town which had been farmed the past three years by John Gunstad. The latter and family have moved to their own place three miles east of here along the state road.

Johannah and Brue Peters were honored at a surprise party tendered them by the Mission Sunday school at their home last Saturday evening. Lunch was served by the self invited guests at close of the evening. A very fine time was enjoyed by all present. Both honor guests, who are soon to leave this community, were presented with gifts as reminders of the occasion.

N. E. Beebe has moved the Landis house from near the south bridge to his farm in Rocksbury. A basement has been excavated for it, and the house is been fitted up for occupancy by Mr. and Mrs. Lee E. Beebe.

A Captive

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Mr. and Mrs. R. McKercher were guests at the Maakrud home Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hauge of Bemidji, are the happy parents of a son born Thursday, Nov, 6.

Miss Helga Kalland spent last Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Janda, at Mahnomen.

Mrs. E. E. Anderson, who has resided on her farm east of town, is to spend the winter at home of her daughter, Mrs. K. O. Gigstad.

Again the consumer gets imediate benefit of a lower price. Denatured Alcohol 59c gal. at all Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kinney and daughter were down Sunday from Thief River for a short visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Aug. Swenson.

Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran church will be entertained by Mrs. Ole Hagglund and Mrs. A. P. Gordon at the church basement Friday Nov, 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hougard and family, and Mrs. S. Isaacson of Strandquist were guests Sunday at the Otto Johnson home.

The local 4H Club members who won trips to the Junior Livestock Show at St. Paul, left Sunday morning with County Agent Douglas to take in the Show which opened Monday and continued until last evening.

Remember the North Star College concert at the Swedish Lutheran church Sunday evening Nov 16th. All welcome. Admission free. A free will collection will be taken for them.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hagen and daughter motored here Sunday from Fargo and spent the day at home of his sister, Mrs. H. F. Hanson. They also visited at the home of his sister, Mrs. Chas. Carlson, in Mayfield, and with relatives at Thief River Falls.

Louis Anderson, who is visiting at the Stark home, narrowly escaped injury when knocked down by a passing car as he crossed the street here last Thursday night. He became confused by the lights and stepped from path of one car into the other. Quick application of the brakes by the driver, saved Mr. Anderson from being run over, and also from injury.

Miss Evelyn Maakrud, who teaches between here and Red Lake Falls spent the week-end at home.

The Luther League will give a program at the Norwegian Lutheran church Sunday evening, Nov, 16 at 8 o'clock. Everybody welcome.

For Rent:-160 acre farm close in. Fair buildings, good well. Inquire at this office.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brink and little son left a short time ago to spend the winter months on the Brink ranch near Eight Point, Montana. They will return next spring.

The Y. P. S. of the Evang. Mission church will be entertained at the Carl Swanson home southeast of here Friday evening Nov, 14th. Everyone welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hagglund and children accompanied by Mrs. Mary Aubol, motored Saturday to Fargo for a visit with the former's son Vernon. They returned Sunday evening.

Mrs. B. E. Burkee left Friday to spend the winter at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Martz at Litchfield. Mrs. Burkee intends to return here next summer.

Attorney and Mrs. Theo. Quale and sons of Thief River, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Palmquist, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sherry and children were guests at dinner at the John Maakrud home last Sunday.

Taken Up:- Young dog, police breed, came to my place about a week ago. Owner may have it by calling on undersigned and paying for this adv.

Harry Johnson
R1 Wylie, Minn.

Maintenance crews on T. H. No. 32 are making a very good preparation for winter by burning all grass on both sides of the highway. This prevents lodging of snow. Fences have also been erected for the some purpose at many points along the road.

A considerable number of turkeys are being prepared for Thanksgiving market in this vicinity. While the prices paid are not as high as in former years, the prices are good when compared to that of other farm products.

Annual Village Election

According to provisions of a law passed at last session of the Legislature, time for holding the annual village election is changed from March until the first Tuesday after the first Monday in December which will be December 2nd this year. A president, three trustees, a clerk, treasurer, two justices of the peace, assessor, and two constables are to be elected, and these will take office at beginning of the new year.

Orr Wins Treasurership

A drawing was held last week at the court house in Red Lake Falls to break a tie vote between Clarence Orr of Gervais, and Treasurer Emard for the county treasurership of Red Lake county. Mr. Orr was winner in the drawing but it is likely a recount will be asked by the defeated candidate.

Public Program, Nov. 15

The Dramatic Club of the local school will present a program to the public Saturday Nov, 15th in the High School Auditorium at 8 o'clock. The program will consist of two one-act plays entitled "Tacts and "Do you Believe in Luck"? There will several musical numbers. An admission charge of 15c will be made at the door and a free lunch will be served after the program. Everyone welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eide and family motored here Sunday from Virginia, being called by death of his father, the late J. Eide. The Eide family visited at home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs Aug. Erickson, until they left Tuesday for home.

All business places in the village was closed from 10 to 5:00 Tuesin observance of Armistice Day. A number of local people took in the exercises held at Crookston and Thief River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Highland motored Saturday to Halstad, upon receipt of a message stating his father had passed away that day. They attended the funeral which was held Tuesday, and returned here that evening. Sympathy of a large circle of friends is extended to Mr. Highland in his bereavement.

Lundgren Is Winner

In checking over election returns, the county canvassing board discovered some errors in the tabulation at Thief River Falls which made the vote for county attorney a tie. County Attorney H. O. Berve and his opponent, Paul A. Lundgren, drew lots Monday to break the tie, and Attorney Lundgren was the winner. Rumor has it that a recount of the ballots will be made so the outcome is still in doubt, with Attorney Lundgren holding the advantage at present.

Surprise Farewell Party

About thirty friends of Jake Bohlen tendered him a surprise farewell party at his home Tuesday evening. The guests came prepared with cards and spent a most enjoyable evening at whist after which the luncheon brot along was served. As a reminder of the occasion, Mr. Bohlen was presented a nice smoking stand and a supply of "fillers" for it as a token of remembrance from his many friends.

The Bohlen family expect to leave soon to make their home east of Thief River Falls.

P. T. A. Met Friday

Regular monthly meeting of the P. T. Association was held last Friday evening at the school building. Dr. H. Frocliech of Thief River Falls was present and gave a very interesting talk along health lines which was much appreciated. Two songs by the male quartette, and a little playlet by the lower grade children was also on the program. After the regular program was over Bandmaster K. Kellog of Red Lake Falls gave a talk about possibilities of starting a school band. He was accompanied by Mr. Keifenhiem and Miss Pouliot of Red Lake Falls who favored the gathering with two very fine instrumental numbers. Lunch was served at close of the meeting.

The Dorcas Society will have its annual sale Friday evening, Nov. 14 at 8:00. Lunch will be served after the sale. Everybody welcome.

Arthur Hanson, Ole Johnson and E O. Burkee spent Armistice Day hunting ducks at a lake near Leonard. They succeeded in bagging about twenty nice birds.

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Down Madden Lane

By MARIE DELL

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"WELL, if you don't go with Jim, how in the world are you going to get to the dance?" said Dora, who, at twenty-four, felt herself quite the sensible, old married woman.

Her sister Julie, sitting beside her before the spacious fireplace, pouted by way of answer.

"Do I have to go?" she asked at length.

"Certainly," was the elder sister's decision. "Jim Mapes will be there, and everyone will say you didn't come because you didn't have anyone to come with. If Bert weren't going to work all the evening, I'd get him to go with you."

"As if I'd go with a brother-in-law," scorned Julie. "I'll go by myself—in Bert's runabout, if you don't mind. I'll get there early so no one will especially notice that I have come alone, and there are always loods of the men who come stag and before the dancing has begun I'll have my dances all promised—and I won't give one to Jim."

A few hours later Julie, a charming little figure in pink chiffon, paused to bid her sister good night.

"You'll dodge a lot of traffic if you go right down Madden Lane," Dora told her.

So Julie started out, and as she sat there with her wee golden slippered feet and gleaming white hands regulating the speed and direction of her brother-in-law's car, she wondered to herself just why she hod come. She felt supremely miserable. Jim and she had been engaged for several weeks. Then, for some trivial something or other, Julie, foolishly angry, told Jim that she felt she could not marry him.

Down Madden Lane sped Julie and her car, cautiously keeping to the middle of the road to avoid the soft sand at the edges which, since a recent rain, was heavily water-soaked. For a short stretch the road was wide enough for only a single car, but it was unfrequented, and Julie had little thought of meeting craft coming in the opposite direction. Suddenly at a curve in the lane, Julie heard what she thought were sounds of approaching traffic, and without waiting for further developments she swerved to the right. As she did so she felt the wheels softly skid in the sand for a few inches. Then she stopped and waited. What she had heard had been only a remote railroad whistle, but it had served to involve her hopelessly in the soft sand.

Soon she heard sounds of a car approaching from the direction that she had come, which stopped at sight of her plight.

"I'm stuck in the sand," she said, hailing the stranger. The lone masculine figure proved to be Jim, who seemed at first quite elated at her predicament. Jim said he would turn and go to the farm house to tell them they were leaving a car on the road and then they could go on to the dance together. But Julie stoutly refused to go with him. So Jim went a little forward to make his turn, stopped short, made a few false starts and declared that he, too, hod stuck in the sand.

What happened seemed rather absurd as Julie reviewed it later. Jim carried Julie back in his strong arms to the farm. There she sot in the dimly lighted, stuffy formhouse "parlor," while Jim talked to the farmer, who subsequently went forth to drag the cars out of the sand with the tractor. After three-quarters of an hour, in which Jim and Julie sat together quite shyly, the farmer returned and announced his inability to budge either of the cars. Then Jim went to telephone for help and shortly came back with the information that the telephone seemed to be out of order. Julia suggested that the farmer might drive them to the dance and the former informed them that the tractor was the only motor conveyance he possessed.

So Jim and Julie sat in the little parlor alone, and before midnight came they had made up so satisfactorily that Julie forgot how the spat hod begun. Then Jim led the way back to his own roadster. With a rope he hod brought from the farmer he tied Julie's car to his own and, side by side, they drove home to Julie's sister's in Jim's car.

"My car was not stalled, really," he announced, "and yours could easily have been got out. The farmer didn't try to get them out and he had a car in his garage all the time and the phone wasn't out of order. But I'll never lie to you again, Julie, dear. I did it all because I didn't want you to go to that dance until we had had time to make up."

Mystery of Poetry

An enthusiast for poetry is Evan Morgan, who, according to the Toronto Telegram, recently completely mystified even his most learned admirers by a sentence in an article he wrote on mysticism in verse, which appears in a poetry journal. The sentence follows:

"In respect of metapsycho-mystic poetry, I venture to suggest that it should be in mode of expression to litotes and meiosis than to pleonastic hyperbola and tautologic synonym employing anastrophe and apostrophe, the climax being an aposiopes or an apothegm, but never containing amphogoric or amphibiological equivocation."

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Statement showing assets and liabilities at the time bank closed on August 29th, 1927, and receipts and disbursements from time of closing to October 1, 1930.

Assets—Time of Closing	
Loans and Discounts (including notes pledged)	$ 68,304.14
Other Real Estate	10,400.00
All Other Assets	24,528.12
Stockholder's Liability	12,000.00
	$115,232.26
Liabilities—Time of Closing	
Deposits	$ 73,408.12
Deposits secured by bonds	10,053.63
Bills Payable	7,046.00
	$ 90,507.75
Bills Payable	
Notes pledged to secure Bills Payable	$ 26,438.50
Collections on pledged notes to reduce Bills Payable	5,939.67
Advance on Bills Payable to redeem collateral	1,106.33
Bills Payable unpaid Oct. 1, 1930	NONE
Claims	
Preferred claims allowed	$ 333.68
General claims allowed	72,699.68
Receipts	
Cash on hand at time of closing	$ 968.64
Due from banks at time of closing	1,000.20
Collections, Stockholder's Liability	8,770.00
Interest on daily balances	470.16
Collections, pledged assets	5,939.67
Collections, unpledged assets	41,320.58
Sale of bonds and interest	11,159.98
Sale of Bank Building	1,500.00
	$ 71,129.21
Disbursements	
Bills Payable by collateral collections	$ 5,939.67
Advance on Bills Payable to redeem collateral	1,106.33
Preferred claims paid	333.88
Deposits secured by bonds	10,053.63
Taxes, redemptions, interest, insurance and expenses on real estate	3,581.68
Salary of Special Deputy Examiner, fuel, mileage, repairs and other expenses at the bank	3,813.99
Attorneys fees and expenses	364.03
Office Expense, Liquidation Department	777.62
Dividends paid to creditors 60 per cent	43,623.79
Balance, Cash on hand Oct. 1, 1930	1,534.79
	$ 71,129.21

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"Grapevine" Method of Spreading News in City

In the neighborhood stores of the city there is an underground system of communications that rivals the drum signals of the African jungles. News is spread here as rapidly as was the coming of the British when Paul Revere made his famous ride. A jeweler is robbed, and in no time all the shopkeepers of the neighborhood know all about it. They know the details better, perhaps, than does the victim himself.

The butcher, whose store is next to the robbed jewelry store, runs half a block to tell his friend the delicatessen proprietor. The latter dashes along to pass the news to the tobacco shopkeeper. And so it goes. But when three or more gather to discuss it, words of wisdom issue forth. How to catch the robber, how to avoid being robbed, where the jeweler failed to safeguard his goods—nothing escapes attention. Most agree that the robbed one had too much money lying around and all agree they would not do so themselves.—New York Times.

Ethiopian Language

The ancient Ethiopians spoke a language known as Ethiopic, also called lesana Ge'ez (the tongue of Ge'ez). It is closely allied with the languages of southern Arabia and represents the southwestern branch of the southern division of the Sem languages.

HUGE MAP READY IN FIFTY YEARS

Offers Relief Outline of U. S. and Canada.

Wellesley, Mass.—The largest map in the world, which will measure 63 feet from east to west and 45 feet from north to south, is being constructed here.

Conceived by Roger W. Babson, noted statistician, the work, a relief outline of the United States and Canada, was begun about five years ago. It is estimated that 50 more years will be required for its completion, and approximately $2,000,000 will be expended on the project.

The map will be ten times larger than that of the Pan-American union which the government possesses. The latter is flat, whereas that being pieced together here will be of spherical form in exact ratio to the earth's curve.

The horizontal scale will be one inch for four miles. The vertical scale will be one foot for four miles, insuring that altitudes and depressions depicted will stand out prominently.

A gallery 15 feet high will encircle the map. Viewed from this, any section reproduced on the work will appear just about as it would if actually seen from an airplane at a height of 12 miles.

Not only will the topography of the United States and Canada be imitated with precision, but by elaborate color schemes, even landscape effects will be simulated as far as possible.

Every river, mountain, railroad line, city, and smaller community of the two countries will be traceable from the gallery.

The painted desert of Arizona, the everglades of Florida, California's orange groves, the pasture lands north of the Rio Grande, and the ice-bound regions of northern Canada will be delineated.

The entire work will conform to data being furnished by the United States topographical survey.

Designer of U. S. Capitol Urged in Hall of Fame

Washington.—Charles Bulfinch, "the first American architect," and designer of the United States Capitol, has been nominated to the Hall of Fame by the board of directors of the American Institute of Architects. Summories of the achievements of the early American designer have been sent to each elector of the Hall of Fame by the board.

"Few architects of today can boast of a list of such notable buildings as those designed by Bulfinch," says the board in its plea. It was stated that Bulfinch's record as a statesman during the formative period of Boston should be sufficient to elect the architect to the Hall of Fame as a statesman, if not as an architect.

Bulfinch was born in Bowdoin square, Boston, August 8, 1763. He died April 15, 1844.

A graduate of Harvard, Bulfinch became interested in designing work while attending to improvements on his father's and friends' houses. Later he was able to make an extensive tour of Europe, studying the types of architecture used in the old cities.

While serving as a selectman in Boston, Bulfinch inaugurated street lighting, the system of coeducation, establishment of a board of health, and a financial committee that brought about order and system in the method of collecting taxes.

In 1817, after completing his second term on the board of selectmen, Bulfinch was appointed architect of the United States Capitol in Washington.

Among the many buildings designed by the architect are the Connecticut state house in Hartford in 1792, the first theater in Boston, five institutional buildings, ten churches, three hospitals, seven schools and seven commercial and bank buildings.

Long Skirt Blamed for Woman's Death by Coroner

London.—H. R. Oswald, a London coroner, presiding at the inquest on the death of Mrs. Sarah Stedman, said that the woman was killed because she had trodden on the hem of her long skirt and had fallen. He recorded a verdict against the ultra-fashionable long skirt.

Memory Expert

Denver.—Mrs. N. G. Peters would make a good instructor in a memory school. When a thief stole 21 phonograph records from her home she was able to give the song title on each disk, a total of 42.

Curfew Mistaken for Alarm of Fire

Ingersoll, Ont.—All the children who were supposed to run home when the town fire bell rang out the curfew came scurrying to the fire engine house recently to find out where was the fire.

The town council had neglected to announce the date when a new curfew law was to take effect.

Volunteer firemen who knew nothing about the unannounced curfew shared the children's disappointment when they learned the bell signaled nothing more exciting than a warning to all children less than fourteen years old to go home.

To the Voters of the 65th Legislative Dist. of Minnesota

Kind Friends;

It is my desire to express my deepest gratitude to you for the loyal support you gave me during the recent campaign and the splendid vote accorded me on election day, Nov. 4th, especially in my home county, Clearwater, which is also the home of Mr. Day, in which I received 1715 to 1516 for Mr. Day and 1352 for Mr. Melby. I appreciate very highly the confidence you have in me, and I am indeed greatful to you for the same.

Though the odds of the election were against me, my defeat is largely due to false propaganda of those who under the robe of hypocrisy spread the insinuation that I had the support of the "Wall street", "the capitalistic gang", "big business" and so forth, which was so absurd that it was laughable, still many fell for it.

To my way of thinking, it is far better and more honorable to have the support of home folks and take defeat in a clean campaign than to resort to chicanery and political trickery so as to fool some people in order to obtain votes from strangers, hence I take defeat with grace and in a good spirit, with malice toward none, and shall remain ever mindful of the great task remaining before us. It might be well to add in closing that while we are striving to make America better for Americans, let us endeavor to be better Americans for America.

E. D. Rydeen

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 84, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

Canaries Become Personal Baggage

San Francisco.—Heretofore called a lot of things, depending on the point of view, canary birds have now entered the category of "personal baggage."

In days past the family warbler was forced to ride in the baggage car along with dogs and cats, but the Southern Pacific has just ruled that small feathered songsters are "personal baggage" and as such will be permitted in passenger coaches with their owners.

French Army Bars Giant and Dwarf

Paris.—The French conscription board sitting at Estrese-St. Dennis has rejected two conscripts for the French army. One was a dwarf three feet high. No place for him could be found in the army. The other was a giant seven feet eight inches.

The board thought he would incumber the army machinery, because if he were accepted it would necessitate the cutting of special suits for him, the building of a special bed and so on.

One Strawberry to Dish Sufficient, He Proves

Oshawa, Ont.—Strawberries almost large enough for one to provide a dessert course for a meal have been grown by David Crawford of this city. One of the berries which was measured proved to be two and one-half inches across, and equally long, and it was only one of a great number almost equally large. Mr. Crawford is an amateur gardener who has given his berry patch faithful care.

They Still Ask Candles

London.—Old customs died hard in the house of commons. If the light is poor a member asks that "the candles be brought in," whereupon an attendant ceremoniously switches on the electric lights.

Thirsty Chauffeur Wins Beer Money in Hungary

Budapest.—Ladislaw Almassy who, while driving his employer's car, met with an accident resulting in the death of his employer, has won the law suit which he brought against the heirs of his late boss. He claimed that the accident afflicted him with an unquenchable thirst and that unless he used costly preventive medicines he would be obliged to drink from 20 to 28 pints of beer a day.

The court decided "that must not be" [illegible] awarded him a [illegible] of $44 a month.

Spring Uncovered

St. Louis.—Record low water on the Mississippi river due to dry weather in the Middle West, uncovered part of the old levee here, and a spring of bubbling water, which came through the stone paving. Levee hands have used it for drinking purposes.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota } ss.

To N. W. Trust Co., Trustee; John Polbrook, Fred Stucy, Michael Kaasa, Maris Olson, Sam Myrum, Val Yaeger, Jno. A. Duffy, Robert Hegland, N. W. Trust Co., Swedish Lutheran Board of Education, Federal Bank & Trust Co., Jonas Bakke, Henry Thoreson, Northfield Cemetery Ass'n, Albert Fallman, and Nels Nelson:

You are hereby notified that the following parcels of land situated in Pennington County, Minnesota, known and described as follows, to-wit: NW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 40, SW¼ of Section 17 in Township 152 of Range 40, N½ of SE¼ of Section 18 in Township 152 of Range 40, E½ of NW¼ of Section 24 in Township 154 of Range 40, SW¼ of Section 3 in Township 152 of Range 41, SW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 41, E½ of NW¼ and Lots 1 and 2 of Section 19 in Township 152 of Range 41, SW¼ of NW¼ of Section 22 in Township 152 of Range 41, S½ of SE¼ of Section 23 in Township 152 Range 41, SW¼ of Section 24 in Township 152 of Range 41, NE¼ of Section 9 in Township 153 of Range 41, SW¼ of Section 27 in Township 153 of Range 41, E½ of NW¼ of Section 33 in Township 153 of Range 41, SE¼ of Section 35 in Township 154 of Range 41, SE¼ of Section 13 in Township 152 of Range 42, SE¼ of Section 36 in Township 153 of Range 42, and part of S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ except ¾ acre of Section 36 in Township 153 of Range 43 are now assessed as follows: said NW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 40 in the name of N. W. Trust Co., Trustee, said SW¼ of said Section 17 in the name of John Polbrook, said N½ of SE¼ of said Section 18 in the name of Fred Stucy, said E½ of NW¼ of Section 24 in Township 154 of Range 40 in the name of Michael Kaasa, said SW¼ of said Section 3 in the name of Maris Olson, said SW¼ of said Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 41 in the name of Sam Myrum, said E½ of NW¼ and Lots 1 and 2 of said Section 19 in the name of Val Yaeger, said SW¼ of NW¼ of said Section 22 in the name of Jno. A. Duffy, said S½ of SE¼ of said Section 23 in the name of Robert Hegland, said SW¼ of Section 24 in Township 152 of Range 41 in the name of N. W. Trust Co., said NE¼ of said Section 9 in the name of Swedish Lutheran Board of Education, said SW¼ of said Section 27 in the name of Federal Bank & Trust Co., said E½ of NW¼ of said Section 33 in the name of Jonas Bakke, said SE¼ of said Section 35 in the name of Henry Thoreson, said SE¼ of said Section 13 in the name of Northfield Cemetery Ass'n., said SE¼ of Section 36 in Township 153 of Range 42 in the name of Albert Fallman, said part of S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ except ¾ acre of Section 36 in Township 153 of Range 43 in the name of Nels Nelson. That on May 9, 1927 at the sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in and for said County on March 19, 1927 in the proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1925 for said County, the above described parcels of land were separately sold as follows: said NW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 40 for $94.28, said SW¼ of said Section 17 for $118.26, said N½ of SE¼ of said Section 18 for $50.88, said E½ of NW¼ of Section 24 in Township 154 of Range 40 for $69.16, said SW¼ of said Section 3 for $82.10, said SW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 41 for $128.40, said E½ of NW¼ and Lots 1 and 2 of said Section 19 for $45.28, said SW¼ of NW¼ of said Section 22 for $16.14, said S½ of SE¼ of said Section 23 for $40.66, said SW¼ of Section 24 in Township 152 of Range 41 for $82.40, said NE¼ of said Section 9 for $93.18, said SW¼ of said Section 27 for $44.26, said E½ of NW¼ of said Section 33 for $38.78, said SE¼ of said Section 35 for $105.38, said SE¼ of said Section 13 for $106.18, said SE¼ of Section 36 in Township 153 of Range 42 for $85.22, and said part of S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ except ¾ acre of Section 36 in Township 153 of Range 43 for $61.08. That the respective amounts required to redeem said parcels of land from said tax sale thereof, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, are as follows: to redeem said NW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 40, $364.98 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $94.28 from May 9, 1927, and on $86.70 from May 14, 1928, and on $91.70 from January 7, 1929, and on $92.30 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of said Section 17, $423.68 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $116.25 from May 9, 1927, and on $106.00 from May 14, 1928, and on $104.80 from January 7, 1929, and on $97.81 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said N½ of SE¼ of said Section 18, $186.55 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $50.88 from May 9, 1927, and on $48.84 from May 14, 1928, and on $47.40 from January 7, 1929, and on $39.43 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said E½ of NW¼ of Section 24 in Township 154 of Range 40, $321.49 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $69.16 from May 9, 1927, and on $73.16 from May 14, 1928, and on $79.29 from January 7, 1929, and on $99.88 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of said Section 3, $284.35 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $82.10 from May 9, 1927, and on $67.18 from May 14, 1928, and on $62.76 from January 7, 1929, and on $72.31 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of Section 12 in Township 152 of Range 41, $715.09 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $128.40, from May 9, 1927, and on $94.38 from May 14, 1928, and on $95.75 from January 7, 1929, and on $112.21 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said E½ of NW¼ and Lots 1 and 2 of said Section 19, $310.42 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $45.28 from May 9, 1927, and on $87.38 from May 14, 1928, and on $91.61 from January 7, 1929, and on $88.17 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of NW¼ of said Section 22, $106.46 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $16.14 from May 9, 1927, and on $36.14 from May 14, 1928, and on $17.38 from January 7, 1929, and on $35.80 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said S½ of SE¼ of said Section 23, $185.38 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $40.66 from May 9, 1927, and on $41.50 from May 14, 1928, and on $42.48 from January 7, 1929, and on $40.74 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of Section 24 in Township 152 of Range 41, $332.23 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $82.40 from May 9, 1927, and on $83.28 from May 14, 1928, and on $85.14 from January 7, 1929, and on $81.41 from January 8, 1930; to redeem said NE¼ of said Section 9, $282.23 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $93.18 from May 9, 1927, and on $88.42 from May 13, 1929, and on $82.63 from January 8, 1930; to redeem said SW¼ of said Section 27, $803.48 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $44.26 from May 9, 1927, and on $88.32 from May 14, 1928, and on $91.58 from January 7, 1929, and on $79.84 from January 8, 1930; to redeem said E½ of NW¼ of said Section 33, $130.85 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $38.78 from May 9, 1927, and on $27.84 from May 14, 1928, and on $38.24 from January 7, 1929, and on $30.99 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SE¼ of said Section 35, $381.38 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $105.38 from May 9, 1927, and on $108.22 from May 14, 1928, and on $89.88 from January 7, 1929, and on $80.10 from January 8, 1930; to redeem said SE¼ of said Section 13, $419.27 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $106.18 from May 9, 1927, and on $95.58 from May 14, 1928, and on $99.92 from January 7, 1929, and on $117.59 from January 6, 1930; to redeem said SE¼ of Section 36 in Township 153 of Range 42, $343.88 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $85.22 from May 9, 1927, and on $83.30 from May 14, 1928, and on $89.64 from January 7, 1929, and on $85.20 from January 6, 1930; and to redeem said part of S½ of NE¼ and NE¼ of NE¼ except ¾ acre of Section 36 in Township 153 of Range 43, $223.72 and interest to the day such redemption is made at the rate of 12% per annum on $61.08 from May 9, 1927, and on $52.00 from May 14, 1928, and on $54.68 from January 7, 1929, and on $55.98 from January 8, 1930. That the respective tax certificates of sale issued to the purchaser have been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested. That the time for redemption of said parcels of land, or any of them, from said sale thereof, will expire sixty days after the service of this notice and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 10th day of September, 1930.

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor of Pennington County, Minn.
(Official Seal.)

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota } ss.

To Thos. H. Smith.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following piece or parcel of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 13, Block 23, Knox Addition to Red Lake Rapids.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 14th day of May, 1923, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 19th day of March, 1923, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1921, for said County of Pennington, the above described piece or parcel of land was offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said piece or parcel, was bid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($2.44), Two and 44|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 11th day of August, 1930, the said piece or parcel not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Fifteen Dollars and no cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said piece or parcel of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($15.00), Fifteen Dollars and no cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($15.00), Fifteen and no|100 Dollars from said eleventh day of August, 1930, to the day such redemption is made.

(6) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 17th day of October, 1930.
(Official Seal.)

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
Approved by
Attorney General. 11 14

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota } ss.

To Amanda Shiebel.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 6 & 6, Block 23, Knox's Addition to Red Lake Rapids.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 8th day of May, 1920, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 17th day of March, 1923, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year, 1920, for said County of Pennington, the above pieces or parcels of land, was offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said ofler, said pieces or parcels, was bid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($2.96), Two and 96|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 11th day of August, 1930, the said pieces or parcels not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor of said County, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Twenty-five Dollars and Sixty-four cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($26.64), Twenty-five Dollars and sixty-four cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($25.64), Twenty-five and 64|100 Dollars from said eleventh day of August, 1930, to the day such redemption is made.

(6) That the tax certificates of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal this 17th day of October, 1930.
(Official Seal.)

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
Approved by
Attorney General.

NOTICE OF EXPIRATION OF TIME OF REDEMPTION

Office of County Auditor, County of Pennington, State of Minnesota } ss.

To Mattie Weeks.

(1) You are hereby notified that the following pieces or parcels of land situated in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota and known and described as follows, to-wit:

Lots 11 & 12, Block 23, Knox Addition to Red Lake Rapids.

IS NOW ASSESSED IN YOUR NAME.

(2) That on the 8th day of May, 1916, at a sale of land pursuant to the real estate tax judgment duly given and made in and by the District Court in said County of Pennington on the 16th day of March, 1916, in proceedings to enforce the payment of taxes delinquent upon real estate for the year 1914, for said County of Pennington, the above described pieces or parcels of land was offered for sale, and no one bidding upon said offer, said pieces or parcels, was bid in for the State of Minnesota for the sum of ($4.83), Four and 83|100 Dollars.

(3) That thereafter, and on the 11th day of August, 1930, the said pieces or parcels not then having been redeemed from said sale, was sold and conveyed at public sale by the County Auditor, pursuant to the statute, to an actual purchaser for the sum of Thirty Dollars and no cents.

(4) That the amount required to redeem said pieces or parcels of land from said sale, exclusive of the costs to accrue upon this notice, is the sum of ($30.00), Thirty Dollars and no cents, and interest at the rate of 12 per cent per annum on ($30.00), Thirty and no|100 Dollars from said eleventh day of August, 1930, to the day such redemption is made.

(5) That the tax certificate of sale issued to said purchaser has been presented to me by the holder thereof and this notice requested.

(6) That the time for the redemption of said piece or parcel of land from said tax sale will expire sixty (60) days after the service of this notice, and the filing of proof of such service in my office.

WITNESS my hand and official seal this 17th day of October, 1930.
(Official Seal.)

H. L. FOWLER,
Auditor Pennington County, Minnesota.
Approved by
Attorney General. 1 24

Coal! Coal!

Have your coal bin replenished now before cold weather sets in. We have a good supply of different grades of coal and can make immediate delivery for you.

This elevator always carries a big supply of feeds of all kinds and flour. Get our prices on large quantities.

We pay highest market prices for grain.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Keep The Ball Rolling

Now that election is over, and enough fertilizer has been deposited to insure a good crop next year, its time look over your stock of letterheads, envelopes, statements, and other items in printed materials.

If you are short of any of these, or other items in printed matter, we will be glad to get your order.

Don't wait until your last sheet is gone and then put in a rush order. Others may have done the same which serves to make all late. Order now.

St. Hilaire Spectator

MAN, IN LIFETIME, SPENDS YEARS ABED

Sleeping Equipment, Therefore, Becomes Important.

Chicago.—What's the most important pieca of furniture in the American home? The answer is precticaily unanimous—the hed!

Why? Tha hed sees more use than any other one pieca of furniture. The average person spends eight hours each day in hed—56 hours e week, 240 hours a month, 2,912 hours a year and, figuring a lifetima as 50 years, a total of 145,600 hours during a lifetime. Quite a period!

These statistics prohahly show why mankind, through the ages, has devoted so much ettention to the task of msking heds more comfortable, with each age witnessing a new improvement in sleeping equipment.

The first heds, if they may he called such, were nothing if not simple, it is releted in e survey of the suhject published et the Americen Furniture Mart here. Your caveman simply wrapped some covering about himself, laid down "as is"—and there he was, eli ready for a night's repose. But the hed was one of civilizatiou's first achievements.

Egyptians Had 'Em High.

The Egyptians, it is believed, were the first people to get up in the world as far as sleeping was coucerned. Their beds were so high a stool or e whole series of steps were required to climh into them. Falling ont must heve been a serious business. The beds were supported hy long, curved legs, ending in clewed feet, graceful in design.

With the Persians, a bed must have been a complicated coutraption. It is recorded that when Artaxerxes, a Persian, presented a bed as a gift to Timsgoras, an ambassador from Athens, he sent along a whole corps of atteudants, "skilled in preparing it for sleep." Just what these bed-mechanics did has uot been disclosed, hut their services were obviously considered essential and all part of tha night's work.

The Romans, whn divided all Gaul into three parts, as Latin students know, divided their beds into five classes: 1. the ordinary sleeping bed; 2. the reclining tahle couch; 3. tha smaller lounga for rest during the day; 4. the high marriage bed; 5. the funeral bed, csrried during a funeral procession. No explanatiou is offered as to why the marriage hed was higher than any of the others.

As time went on, beds varied greetly as to siza and decoration, hnt their comfort steadily increased, as springs and mattresses were introdnced and improved. During the time of Charlemsgne beds were very simple and often mede of bronze tubing, somewhat similar to the brass bed once popular in America. Ahont the Thirteenth century, heds had increased in size and luxury and the custom of parking the marriege bed rigbt out in the middle of the main hall at a wedding was introdnced. Curtains, it may he edded, were placed entirely around the bed.

Achieves Importance.

During tha Fifteenth century, the hed prohahly achieved the greatest importance of its career. It became an eleborate piece of furniture for dispisy purposes and it was quite the thing to receive guests in tha hedroom, even kings holding court receptions while reclining ou the royal conch. At this tima it was customary to suspend draperies and canopies from the ceiling, hut later columns to support these decorations were built as part of the bed and from this beginning evolved the four-poster bed which still retains its popularity.

Skipping through the centuries to the present, small, single beds have long heen dominant in continental Europe, while the double bed was commonly used in this country, tha popularity of tha twin bed being a comparatively recent phenomenon.

Through all its ups and downs, comfort has always heen tha major item determining sales.

All Spooners Barred From This Cemetery

Port Jervis, N. Y.—Automobile spooning couples who hava been visiting the Bloomingtou rural cemetery, uear Port Jervis, hava been barred hy officials of tha cemetery after 8 o'clock at night.

A constabla patrols tha cemetery and seizes any couples whn enter tha burial ground in automobiles or on foot after tha forbidden hour.

Spooners whn do not mind spooky places for petting parties hava been invading tha cemetery in large uumbers, and most of them are said to come from Port Jervis, Middletown and other near-by communities.

Wyandotte News

Anna Elvin and Richard Peterson motored Sunday to Wannaska and visited relatives.

Mrs. P. Kolseth and Marie and Elmer visited at the P. W. Peterson home Friday.

Remember the basket social in Dist.35, Nov, 14. Stella Olson teacher.

Dinah Vanheel and Joe Mohval of St. Paul motored here Saturday to visit friends and relatives. They returned home Tuesday.

Lillian Berg spent the weekend at the M. Berg home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Monen and children, Kate Tooma, Dinah Vanheel and Joe Mohval visited Sunday at the Kolseth home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Carlson and Mrs. S. Peterson visited at the J Peterson home Sunday.

Those visiting at the J. Albin home Monday evening were Mr. and Mrs. H Monen and family, Mr and Mrs. P. Kolseth and family, Kate Tooma, Dinah Vanheel and Joe Mohval.

THE CHURCHES

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

Alhin A. Larson, Pastor

Communion services in Black River church Sunday at 10:30. No Sunday school.

Services in Clara church at 3:00

The North Star College of Warren will give a program in the local church at 8:00 in the evening.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00

Morning service at 11:00.

Y. P. S. at Black River Chapel Sunday evening at 8:00.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Services Sunday, Nov. 16.

Services 11:00 A. M. Amr. Lang.

Sunday school 10:00.

Business meeting, Monday, Nov. 17 at 8:00 P. M.

Dorcas Sale, Friday, Nov. 14.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our most sincere thanks and appreciation to all neighbors and friends for their assistance, and their kind expressions of condolence to us after death of our father, the late John J. Eide.

Mrs. G. B. Peterson
Henry Eide
Theodore Eide
Ed J. Eide

The Flanders Chain

Tha "Flanders chain of good luck" seems to exist in Scotland in a numher of copies, and it appeals to soma kind of superstition. I see that a copy, emanating from Rumania, is described as coutaining about eighty names, mostly foreign, on a typewritten carbon copy of foolscap, well filled with the names and the appeal. Tha receiver is asked to make nina copies and send them to friends, which would ba not an indirect way of turning friends into enemies. And tha further this document goes the longer it grows. This is a pretty good guarantee of its early decease, especially as there are no money prizes.—Weekly Scotsman.

Egyptian Pyramids

Tha pyramid period in Egyptian history ended about 2500 B. C. It had lasted about 1,500 years, during which tima pyramids were being erected as part of a coutinual government building program.

Guess Again

The man who wrote "All the World Loves a Lover" never drove the rear car of 15 held back hy a mushy sap doing 10 m. p. h. ou a busy highway.—San Francisco Chronicle.

World's Longest River

The Mississippi-Missouri is the longest river in the world. The Nila is second in length. When tha Mississippi was named it was supposed that the Missouri was a tributary, but geologists say that the Missouri is really the main stream of the Mississippi and what is known as tha upper Mississippi is really only a tributary.

In Appreciation

To all my old friends in St. Hilaire and community I wish to express my hearty thanks and appreciation for the splendid support you so kindly gave me in the recent campaign and election.

As your servant in the office of Register of Deeds I hope that I shall be able to measure up to your expectations and that you will have no occasion to regret the confidence you have again so emphatically expressed.

Sincerely yours,
Fred D. Lorentson

In Appreciation

I wish to thank those who so liberally gave me their support in the village of St. Hilaire and vicinity. It is my earnest desire to conduct the office of Sheriff in a manner that will meet with your approval and merit the confidence evidenced by your whole-hearted co-operation in the recent election.

Yours very truly,
O. L. Ihle

Supt. Cash Cartier of the Red River Power Co., was here yesterday from Red Lake Falls to read meters and to attend to other matters for the company.

25 Years Ago

Albert Brink, son of O. W. Brink, had the misfortune to accidently dislocate his elbow.

—XXV—

R. J. McKercher returned here after spending several weeks at his old home in Iowa.

—XXV—

E. J. Holmes came up from Cannon Falls on a real estate deal, and spent several days here with friends.

—XXV—

Board of directors of the creamery at a meeting held that week voted to enlarge the building, install new machinery so the capacity would be double.

—XXV—

There was no signs of letup at the mill. Weather was moderating and prospects were good for the plant operating two weeks more.

—XXV—

Miss Josephine Guttormson, well known local girl was married Nov, 4th to F. M. Perry of Scanlon, Minn.

—XXV—

Jens Nelson, J. J. Soll, and Chas. Felliman went out to the Reservation to spend a few days hunting deer.

FOR SALE, etc.

For Sale: Two Shorthorn cows, coming fresh in November and December. A high grade Shorthorn bull two years of age. Also a team of horses, buyer can have choice out of six head.

L. A. Westphal
N13-20p R1 Hazel, Minn.

Notice: I have a considerable acreage of light poplar timber. Anyone needing wood may have it free of charge for cutting and piling the hrush. Call on or address.

Karl T. Dalager
N13tf R1 Hazel, Minn.

Want Ads Bring Results

World Court

Tha Permanent Court of International Justice, or the World court, es it is commonly designated in the United States, was formed at Geneva, December 13, 1920. It is competent to hear and determine any dispute of an international charscter which tha parties thereto suhmit to it. It mey also give an advisory opinion upon any dispute or question referred to it hy the Leagua of Netions.

Boxwood in America

Tha early settlers brought boxwood to America and used it extensively. Many of tha estates of the colonial gentry from Philadelphia southward record the early American era of the box, and its mute testimouy declares that there was time and money and refinement to spare in thosa families of the old aristocracy who chose to express their artistic temperaments in their garden designs.

FOUND A HUSBAND FOR JANE

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

JANE KELSEY stood at the kitchen sink washing tha breakfast dishes. It was lilac-time and the breeze brought the scent of them through the open window. This did not, however, make Jane feel any happier; on the contrary, it mede her feel worse, for the smell of tha lilacs, which she loved, reminded her that another spring had arrived and with it another birthday—an anniversary which her stepmother was prone to make memorable.

"For heaven's sake, Jane, hurry up with those dishes! You'll uever make the ten o'clock train to town," called Mrs. Kelsey from tha doorway.

A plete crashed to the floor.

"Jane! Whet in the world is the matter with you? Crying? My word! You'd try the patience of a saint. A fine impression you'll make on the doctor with e pink nose and circles under your eyes."

Although Jana wanted badly to smash every dish that sha touched, sha restrained herself, finished her work end went to her room to dress. Mrs. Kelsey followed her there and watched to see thet no detail of her grooming was less than perfection. This seemed to Jane the last straw end her inward revolt was more violent than many sha had ever felt before.

The situstion wes as ebsurd as it was unique. When Jecob Kelsey died he left his entire estata in trust, with the provision thet until such e time es Jene should merry only the income could ba touched, that to he used at the discretion of Mrs. Kelsey, who, he knew, was e good business womnn. On the occasion of Jane's marrioge, the estate was to be divided equally hetween the two women. As it heppened, mnch of the property was nnproductive real estate that bed tripled in value since bis death. Mrs. Kelsey wanted badly to sell this end go to her own people in Californie. Her intentions toward Jane were kindly enough; she honestly thought that a bushend for her would solva the problem end make them both mnch happier. To this end she promoted e sort of cempeign that to Jane was the acme of humiliation.

All the wey to town Jane's mind revolved savagely ebout her really tregic position. Her stepmother was ebsolutely determined to marry her off. She had no means of earning a living end no opportunity to prepara herself to do so, for, since marriege wss the one solution, whereby her stepmother would gain Jane was provided with good clothing, hut with no money. On those occasions when she was expected to carry out some corefully plenned scheme to attract e certsin man, chosen by Mrs. Kelsey, ahe was merely given cerfere to and from the city. The schemes alweys failed. Jene wes hopeless as e husbend-hunter. In fact, by now, she felt that she hated men—ell of them.

"Life is horrible," she thought as the train neored the city; she wes furious at her own incompetency, her inebility to find a wey out of the dilemma. After leaving the statiou she unconsciously followed her nsual ronte to the sanitarium—unmarried doctors, in Mrs. Kelsey's estimetion, heing the most epproachable bechelors for her campaign. As Jane drew neer tha place her horror of facing Doctor Curtiss again wes es reel as if she hnd not et lest definitely decided that, no metter whet became of her, she would never again he a party to her stepmother's pursuit of e man. Passing the entrance, she felt e sudden relief to know that she hed strength of mind enough to disregerd the eleven o'clock appointment with the doctor. Even the knowledge that her pnrsa contained but oue coin did not frighten her for the moment. Somewhere, somehow, there was e place for her to earn the right to live, else why bad she been brought into the world. Opening her beg to get her bandkerchief, sha saw the sanitsrlum ticket with only three of its twenty numbers punched. A sick feeling swept over her es she recalled the circumstance of its purchase. Mrs. Kelsey had explained suavely to Doctor Curtiss thet her deughter, though not ill, was not robust and she felt that the electrical treatments would be beneficial for her. Certain family metters hed then been touched upon lightly—their suburban home, her own widowhood, Jane's accomplishments. A vivid recollectiou of the doctor's eyes bent upon her, she knew well, with amusement, still made her writhe inwardly. Suddenly, es she walked aimlessly along the evenue, an idee occurred to her. Sha turned and hurried beck to the sanitarium.

"I know I'm late, doctor," she began breathlessly, "but I'll not take a treatment today. I—I—just want a few words with you, please."

Doctor Curtiss placed a comfortable chair for her and then seated himself. He noticed, curiously, how excitement hed changed her from a negative, unapproachabia little persou to e vivid, almost beautiful woman. She hed been a puzzle to him from the first, and puzzles always intrigued him.

"Doctor," said Jane, flushing, "do you suppose you could return the balauce of tha money on my ticket?"

"Why, certainly, Miss Kelsey, I'll be glad to—if your mother is dissatisfied with the results of the treatment."

"It's not that," said Jana miserably; "it's only that I—I need the money so badly."

The doctor glanced involuntarily at her modish, expensive coat with its becoming fox fur; at the jaunty little felt hat that even to a man spelled an exclusiva maker; shoes, gloves, each detail perfect in its wey, then smiled companionably as ha said: "If you've been the victim of a pickpocket it's not uecessary to do more than to accept a loan."

Strung to the highest pitch, Jane's eyes filled with tears.

"I—I—can't explain," she stammered.

"I wish," said the doctor gently, "that you would tell me your trouble. I'va known that you hed one, and I've been certain that you did not want to come here in the first piece."

"You know, too, why I wes sent here!" exclaimed Jene hitterly. "You know that I happen to lack e husband and that my stepmother picked you as a likely victim. Oh, you're not the first. I've been hounded into pleying this despicebla game for five years. I'm thirty years old now end my pocket allowence is the exect carefare ueeded to bring me here to you and to return home with e report of my progress." Jane's eyes were hard and bright hy now end her voice sounded a little wild. She had opened her bag fiercely and the offending coin had rolled out on the floor.

"By the way," remarked the doctor es casually as though he had heen listening to on opinion of the latest play, "I have e distinct feeling that it is luncheon time. Suppose we settle this metter of high finance at a little resteurant that I happen to know will appeal to you?"

"If you'll give me the refund—" began June nervously.

"You're my patient nntil I do, and I prescribe food," said the doctor smiling.

A spin down the houlevard in e joyous little roedster followed, and Jane soon found herself seated opposite the doctor in e qneint French cafe, the very etmosphere of which was soothing to the nerves. After a luncheon as good es the surroundings were charming, the doctor lit his cigar, leaned beck comfortably in his chair and looked quizzicolly ot Jane. She felt herself flush and a queer tingling sensation took possession of her. The antagonism thet she had always felt for the doctor hed unaccountably vanished and she realized that she had never really seen his kind brown eyes before.

"Whet ere your plans?" he asked presently.

Jene's plana were vague, merely the intention of earning her living and the determination never to go hack to her stepmother. "Not for a day," she declered firmly, "will I go hack to that sievery—I'll starve first."

The doctor smoked on; the situation did not seem to disturb him.

"So Mrs. Kelsey thinks that I need a wife, does ahe? Well, I agree with her there," he remarked, hugely enjoying Jene's confusion. "Dear, I want to help you and I want you. I have wented you," he went on, "from the very first. Perhaps it was your honest hetred of me that attracted me. I don't know. I always have had an uncontrollahle desire to solve every puzzle that confronted me. Do you think thet you could stop hating me now, Jene?"

"I—I don't hate you, doctor," said Jene, refusing to meet his twinkling eyes.

"Then sey: 'Jim, I don't hate you, and I'll marry you tomorrow.'"

Jane never did know what she said, hut it seemed to satisfy the doctor. "It's s dorned lucky thing for me that your mother didn't pick out the osteopeth chep across the street," he teesed as the little cor was held up hy the traffic on the boulevard.

NOT WILLING TO HELP

"Is your rich uncle willing to help you?"

"No—he's willing everything to his wife."

The Real Student

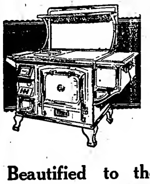
The merry boss to pleasure turns
While we eat simple hominy.
The ons who paye the taxes learns
Political economy.

Monument to Honor Amundsen Searchers

Hevre, France.—A monument representing a large iceberg ond a seaplane with its fuselage half out of tha water will mark the spot in the Seine, along the Paris-Rouen-Havre road, where the Lathem-47 hopped off for tha hunt for Amundsen in which the plane and its crew of four were lost.

Lightning Is Kind

Tecumseh, Neb.—Strange noises on the darkened porch of E. R. Carter's house annoyed him. He stepped out, barefooted, to investigate. A bolt of lightning revealed a rattlesnake, coiled to strike. Carter killed the reptile.



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One of the Two Seats

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS

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"MOTHER, I thiuk it's too disgusting the way these British people flock to the tennis tournaments. I have tried all over Loudon and can't get a single seat for the finals, and it's one of the reasone I chose to come here for the holidays—I did so want to see Lenglen and all the champions at Wimbledou."

"There, there, dear," consoled her mother. "I hava just found in tha personal colnmn—I always read these British personals, they ara so amusing—one which offers two seats for sale for the games."

"Oh, mother, shall I dash straight off to get them? You will come, too, won't you?"

"Now, Molly, yon know I wouldn't sit through a tennis motch in a crowd of several thousands."

So Molly rushed off in the first taxi she sew in qnest of the tickets.

Arriving there she found, to her feerful disappointment, thet the young man who hed got there one minnte before her had tha tickets in his hand end wes even then producing the necessary two pounds.

"Oh," wailed Molly, looking straight into the yonng men's blue eyes, "I've come all the way from America to see one of these great games and now I cen't get a single seat."

"I say, that's rotten luck. One is all I wont." He told the yarn easily, but then, he had gone through the war with that some easy smile in his eyes, and it fooled Molly completely.

She drew a pound from her neat bag and took the ticket with a smile that sank to the very depths of the young mou's heart. Also with American fronkness she held out a slim hand und colored slightly at the warm pressure it received as sha tried to thank him.

All tha way home Molly seemed to be looking into a pair of kindly blue eyes. She felt she could hardly wait until tha day she dressed her prettiest to go to Wimbledon.

Her heart sank down into her boots when, upon finally reaching her seat in the center conrt, she found that there was no nice yonng man with blue eyes beside her, but a yonng lady whose attitude as Molly sat down was not in the least cordial.

Molly realized thot this was the other of the two seets, for on her left side was a large perty. The aristocratic young lady must he the friend of the very nice yonng man.

"I'm so sorry," she said, with appeeling friendliness, "that I took this seat—the gentlemen who had it told me he only wented one, end now I know ha gave it up. I wish I could get it heck to him. I believed him when he said he didn't want it."

Lady Sybel Hove looked frankly at Molly and because few there were who could resist something wonderfully sweet about Molly, sha smiled and turned toward her.

"My brother would say that," she told Molly. "He hes been looking forward to seeing this set for months, but he said he would edge in somewhere. Please don't feel so badly," sha added swiftly for Molly looked so distressed that Sybel's heart smote her. "A man can always make his way in."

When the exciting games were over and tha thousands of good-natured people were swarming to the various exit gates, Lady Sybel turned to Molly.

"Yon will come for a cupful of tea, won't yon? Jack will be delighted to have a chat with you. He and I are taking a long trip over to your country this autumn and you must tell us all about what to see."

Molly blushed shyly and accepted.

There was no slightest doubt as to Lord Hove's delight when he realized that Sybel had succeeded in what he hoped, without having asked her, she would do. Sha had become acqnainted with the girl whose green eyes he had not been able to forget since they had gazed into his own.

The second meeting wos even more wonderful than tha first and no one looking at Molly and Lord Hove conld think anything save that they were suddenly, desperetely and most happily in love. Sybel saw it right away and wondered what color her bridesmaid's gown would be.

And when the greot ocean liner nosed into the dock in New York a scant month later the photogrophers were all there to snap the arriving bridegroom and the bridesmaid as they met tha bride.

Would Lord Hove, or would he not, kiss the bride-to-be?

That was what the newspoper men wondered.

All the Sundoy editions would tell the answer—one way or the other.

Grewsome Luck Symbol

A story comes from Paris of a wealthy South American woman who has lost a piece of hangman's rope. So long, it seems, as she had the rope, luck favored her. Her husband found gold and mede a fortune out of a company. She herself won e prize in a Spanish lottery. Then she moved into a mognificent flat in the Champs Elysees. The rope was lost during the removol. And the lody is inconsolable. The superstition about the luck of hougmen's ropes is an old one which is most current in France, where, curiously, people are not hanged. And frequent requests are received by influential Britons to obtain through the home offices une corda de pendu, or at least a portion of one.

Famous Beauty Is Hibiscus

It hes been written of one of Floride's wild flowers that it "is probably the most gorgeous of all the plants indigenous to the United States." This superlative praise was given to a tall hibiscus thet opens crimson flowers five to eight inches across, says Nature Magazine. Like several other species of wild hibiscus, this crimson-flowered one blooms in the borders of swamps in summer, at a time when low grounds in many places are gay with the southern red lily, whose upright solitary flower, of red and yellow spotted with purple, tops a stem set with many narrow erect leaves.

His Punishment

An Irish fireman, rescuing a woman at a blaze, lost his hold near the bottom of the ladder and landed heavily with the woman on top of him. A doctor, hastily summoned, pronounced him sound, though badly bruised.

"Yon are a brave man," said the doctor.

"Brave, maybe, but no gintleman," replied tha Irishman, rubbing his injuries, "or I'd have let the lady go first."

MINNESOTABRIEFS

Minneapolis—Traffic fines for October brought $10,078 to the city.

New Prague—The Eighth Annual Southern Minnesota Livestock show was held here.

Annandale—A 10 weeks evening school course for dairy men and boys will opan here.

Rochester—The Minnesota State Hotel and Restaurant Association met here for a three day session.

Stillwater—Hundreds of visitors from neighboring communities attended the annual harvest festival here.

St. Paul—The deer season in Minnesota has been set for Nov. 15 to 21 this year, with 16 counties closed.

Owatonna — The Steele county Guernsey Breeders association will conduct its annual meeting November 18.

Litchfield—Dogs killed 57 sheep and wounded many more out of a flock of 360 owned by Henry Martin near here.

Owatonna—Steele county voters approved the establishment of an old age pension system by a vote of 3,248 to 2,007.

St. Paul—Twenty-seven city owned buildings will be razed to make way for the new $4,000,000 city hall and court house.

Minneapolis — Archbishop Austin Dowling, 62-year-old church dignitary, is not expected to live, after a severe heart attack.

Dunnell—The new $32,000 school building was dedicated with impressive ceremonies. The building replaces one in use 27 years.

Minneapolis—The board of estimate and taxation has approved and agreed to finance by a bond issue, six winter work projects totaling $198,500.

Le Sueur—Le Sueur's new $150,000 high school building was dedicated with James M. McConnell, state commissioner of education, as principal speaker.

Pequot—A savage attack by a 17-year-old high school girl clerk, Elsie Knutson, in the Rasmussen drug store routed a would be robber and saved $50 in the till.

Brainerd—One hundred and eighty men will be given employment throughout the winter months in the tie treating plants of the Northern Pacific Railway here.

Hamline—A shipment of 9,000 lambs from Washington was delivered at the Minnesota State Fair grounds and are to be fed and "finished off" for the South St. Paul market.

St. Paul—Navigation in the upper Mississippi will come to an end when the lighthouse tender Wakerobin will pick up buoys and markers on its way south from St. Paul next week.

St. Paul—Increasing to $8,721,979 the total school aid fund, an additional $6,415,229 has been certified by J. M. McConnell, state commissioner of education, to school districts of the state for the year ending July, 1931.

Fergus Falls—Incendiaries were suspected in the fire which destroyed a cattle barn on the Farchem ferm near here, burning seven horses and 23 cattle to death. The blaze was the worst barn fire in this district in years.

Minneapolis—A total increase of $308,867, to be used largely to combat and prevent such hazardous fires as occurred during the 1929 drouth period is requested for the biennium starting July 1 by the state forestry and fire prevention.

Minneapolis—A construction program of more than $34,000,000 comprising building projects under way, completed in 1930 or contemplated for erection in the near future, was revealed for Minneapolis in a survey of activity in this field during the past year.

Staples—His clothing ignited following explosion of the gasoline tank of his automobile, Peter Pauls, farmer near here, rushed into his home, grabbed a kettle of boiling water and poured it over himself. With severe scalds added to the burns, Pauls died in a few hours.

St. Paul—An increase of 18,715 in the number of motor vehicles license plates sold up to November 1 of this year compared with the same period of last year was announced by Mike Holm, secretary of state. The state has sold 739,583 pairs of license plates up to November 1 on which receipts of $10,967,420.12 have been taken in.

Slayton—Records went by the board in the sixth annual northwest corn husking contest here as 5,000 persons watched Theodore Balko, Redwood county, win the championship by the narrow margin of one pound over his nearest competitor. Balko won with a net total of 1,690 pounds, while Ray Hanson, Cottonwood county, was close behind with 1,689, Jay Johnson, Murray county, had 1,685½ pounds to win third place. Balko and Hanson, runner-up, will enter national competition at Norton, Kans.

Lake Benton—The Lake Benton News, weekly newspaper, has rounded out 50 years of existence. A. E. Tasker has been publisher since 1919.

Roseau—Sale of grass seed, an industry proving more profitable to Roseau county farmers each year, has brought them $110,000 thus far this fall. Twenty-six carloads, or approximately 1,110,000 pounds of alsike, red clover, sweet clover, timothy and some alfalfa, already have been shipped. The seed, of exceptional quality this year, is commanding top prices, the average being 10 cents a [illegible]

The seventeenth annual Red River Valley Rural School Spelling contest will be held during the week of the Winter Shows on February 13, 1931. Spelling lists have already been forwarded by the Winter Shows Management to the county superintendents in the following Northwestern Minnesota counties: Becker, Clay, Clearwater, Kittson, Mahnomen, Marshall, Norman, Ottertail, Pennington, Polk, Red Lake, Roseau and Walkin. It is expected that representatives from each of the thirteen counties will enter the final contest.

The 1931 contest will be in charge of the following committee: Adolph Stenseth, Ada; Miss Erba Pouliot, Red Lake Falls, and E. E. Billberg, Roseau.

Last year eleven-year-old Morris Engelstad, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Engelstad, Thief River Falls, Pennington County, was declared the champion speller of the Red River Valley

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

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SKIPPER SEES ISLE "AFLOAT" IN PACIFIC

Captain Reports Discovery Near Society Group.

Norfolk, Va.—A "floating" island, inhabited only by birds, and another not visible two years ago, were discovered by Capt. J. O. Evans of the British steamer Pareora and his crew, according to a report made by Captain Evans on his arrival in Hampton Roads.

His ship has just returned from a long cruise to the Society islands, Solomon island and various other islands in the South seas.

The Pareora, out of England, has been away from home six months and has been steadily on the go.

"It was on April 15 at noon that we discovered the 'floating island.' It was in the Pacific near the Society islands," said Evans.

"There were no signs of human life, but there were great flocks of birds swarming over the place. There must have been a thousand birds at least in the flock we saw. We did not get close to the island because we did not known how deep the water might be.

Island Reappears.

"The island appeared to be only a few feet above the water. In some places it looked as if the water was breaking over its shore lines.

"We also sighted the Tonga of the Friendly islands, which was entirely submerged two years ago. It is now 600 feet above the surface of tha sea. There is no life on this island either, except birds. I presume if anybody wanted to live there they might be frightened for fear that the island might again be claimed by tha sea, from which it came.

"At Solomon island we had a run-in with the head hunters. They attempted to get fresh with my crew and we took three of them into custody. We gave them into the custody of the civic authorities, but they were permitted to return to their haunts with a warning they must be good.

"The Tonga island appears to be shielding a volcano. When our ship passed it we could see smoke.

"The other island which we sighted near the Society islands we called the Floating island. I don't know anything about where it came from nor how long it will remain visible."

Light in "Space"

Space is perpetual night. If "space" happened to be in the orbit of a heavenly body, when it occupied that particular spot, there would be light, since the atmosphere surrounding planets and planetoids causes them to reflect the light of the sun.

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Local Boy Makes Good

The Hardware World, a trade paper circulating among hardware dealers, has in a recent issue a very interesting article concerning H. S. Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Jackson of this village. The article states in part:-

H. S. Jackson, sales manager of the Specialty Manufacturing Company of St. Paul, recently completed one of the most successful business trips in his eight years with the company, swinging over the western, Inter-mountain and Pacific Coast area and returning to headquarters with a fat sheaf of orders and as optomistic a report as he has ever carried.

Mr. Jackson is the type of a man to conquer conditions, one who breathes and exudes an atmosphere of confidence and optomism, one whose enthusiasm is contagious and who is happily wrapped up in his work, who enjoys his business friends and who delights in his trade conquests. No line handled thru hardware channels is more popular with the trade than that manufactured by the Specialty Manufacturing Company. Mr. Jackson himself has been a member of the organization for the past eight years, and for the past five years has served as sales manager. Incidently, the company's volume has doubled since he has been in that capacity.

Many friends "back home" will be pleased to know that Harry is meeting with success, and rejoice with him in his good fortune.

Insects Long on Earth

Insects are among the oldest of all animals that have living representatives on the earth today, says the United States Department of Agriculture. Their fossil remains have been found in tha rocks of the geologic period commonly known as tha carboniferous, which, according to present methods of calculating past time, may have been laid down as long ago as 300,000,000 years.

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Bray News

Miss Fern Hawkinson visited at Henry Lindbloom Tuesday.

Theadore Anderson spent Tues day evening at the G. Lindquist home.

Viola Johnson was a Sunday caller at the G. Johnson home.

Lillian and Harry Larson visited at the J. Scholin home Tuesday evening.

A large crowd attended the Luther League in Black River church Sunday evening. A good program was rendered by the North Star College of Warren, after which lunch was served.

Mable Lindbloom and Mrs. A. Lindbloom shopped at Thief River Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson left Saturday for Cohasset to visit relatives They were accompanied by Mrs. J O Swanson who will visit relatives at Deer River.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Person and daughters visited Sunday at the C. Nelson home.

Clifford Lindquist who attends the A. C. at Crookston spent the week end with his parents.

Miss Hazel Krause teacher in Dist 180, spent the week-end at her home in Thief River.

Mr. and Mrs Roy Larson spent Sunday with relatives here.

Purebred Bronze Turkeys

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St. Hilaire, Minn.

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Return From Junior Show

Sixteen Pennington County boys and girls, who were awarded free trips to the Junior Livestock Show held at St. Paul, for their proficiency in 4H Club work, returned home Thursday night after spending a most pleasant and profitable three days at the Show. Those who went down from this immediate locality were Leonard Melin, Denn Ewing, Vivian Lindquist, Donna Brink, Glenn Wilson and Edwin Winge. Vivian Lindquist was placed 6th, with her showing of a pen of geese and Glenn Wilson won 7th place with his showing of a pen of lambs. The others all exhibited in the baby beef class which had a great number of entries from all over the state. They were not so fortunate as to get within the winning classification, but made a splendid showing with their baby beeves. While none of the Pennington County boys and girls managed to connect with large prizes, they all gained a lot of valuable information that will stand them in good stead at future shows. In addition to this, the youngsters had a fine time. County Agent Robert Douglass was in charge of the contingent from this county, and was assisted by the parents of three of the exhibitors. The trip down was made by four cars.

Farewell Party

A number of friends of Mrs. J. H. Bohlen tendered her a farewell party last Thursday afternoon at the Pete Simonson home. A very enjoyable time was spent, and Mrs. Bohlen was presented with several gifts of remembrance by her friends.

Final unoffical figures on the ninth congressional district show a total vote for Congressman C. G. Selvig of 37,378 and 32,367 for Knud Wefald, a majority of 5,011.

Enoch Sundholm, who has operated a drug store here for several years past, moved his household effects last week-end to Red Lake Falls. He will move the stock of drugs this week and will open pharmacy at the Falls.

During their years of residence in this village, Mr. and Mrs. Sundholm and family have made a host of friends who will veiw their departure with regret, but all join in wishing them happiness and success in their new home.

Back For A Visit

George Hall, one of the oldtime St. Hilaire boys, dropped in Thursday last and spent until the following day seeking out old acquaintances and visiting old scenes in the village where he lived so many years. After leaving here at close of the sawmill period, George has been at Bemidji and Duluth. For the past few years he has made his home at International Falls. In early days in this village, his father, Peter Hall, and uncles, Andrew and Christ Hall were engaged in the mercantile business here. George noted a good many changes in appearance of the town since he was last here about eighteen years ago, but he found a few of the oldtimers and had a pleasant visit. When he left Friday, it was his intention to visit briefly at Crookston, before returning to International Falls.

Deer Season Open

The big game hunting season in Minnesota, with exception of a few counties farther south, was opened last Saturday, Nov. 15. Dozens of hunters equipped with camping outfits, passed thru here last week-end bound for the deer country along the border. Deer are reported to be plentiful this fall, many of them having been noticed even in this community. Bog and brush fires in the country northeast of here which has resulted in shortage of feed for the deer, is given as the reason for so many of the animals coming into this agricultural district.

A terrific rain and sleet storm struck Grand Forks, Fargo and other Dakota points last Sunday. Telephone and telegraph wires, electric transmission cables, and limbs of trees were broken by weight of ice deposited on them during the storm. Many thousands of dollars of damage was done at Fargo and Moorhead. While this section had a steady downpour of rain at the same time, no damage was done, nor did any snow fall.

The Argyle school was broken into one night last week just after the school carnival had been held. No money had been left in the building however, so the invaders found no loot, but damages to the locks and doors which were broken open were estimated at about $200. Middle River Record.

Preparing for the Big Offensive

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

L. E. Healy was up Thursday from Red Lake Falls to attend to some business matters in connection with the Farmers State Bank.

J. H. Bohlen and son, Dick, motored down yesterday from east of Thief River to take back some articles left here when they moved last week.

Mrs. Albert Paulson and son, Ralph came Saturday from Duluth, for a short visit at home of her daughter, Mrs. T. M. Skatrud.

Two men were injured Sunday night when their car was ditched near the Engelbart farm north of town. One of the men was so badly cut that it was necessary to remove him to a hospital.

A Sock Social will be held in the school house in Dist No. 94 Saturday evening Nov, 29. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Effie Fredrickson, Teacher

Martin Odegaard, who is employed at Grafton, N. D., was over last week-end for a visit at home of his father, A. Odegaard, and with relatives at Hazel.

Miss Dorothy Anderson, who has spent the fall months here at home of her aunt, Mrs. K. O. Gigstad, left Monday for her home at Bowbells, N. D.

A good sized crowd attended the Dorcas sale held at the Norwegian Lutheran church last Friday evening.

Candidates for office in the recent election--both successful and unsuccessful ones--are trying to figure out how it all happened the way it did. No one is ever certain of the outcome in any election, and this year was no exception.

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The Junior class of the local high school will present its annual class play "The Eighteen Carat Boob" at the Imperial hall both Friday and Saturday evenings, November 21 and 22. The play is said to be a very good one, full of thrills and mystery.

The annual village election will take place Tuesday December 2nd, this year.

Attorney J. M. Bishop of Thief River was in this village and vicinity Saturday attending to professional matters.

Ed Aubol had the misfortune to have one of his valuable colts injured last week when the animal got out of the pasture onto the highway and was struck by a car.

Mrs. O. Gunstad was at Thief River Tuesday to attend a meeting of the executive board of the Pennington County Red Cross.

The new terminal elevator recently finished at Thief River, was opened for public inspection last week end. A similar plant, only on larger scale, will be erected at Grand Forks next summer.

The St. Hilaire Garage has lately finished a new inclosed top on George Biskey's Ford for his use on the mail route. The new outfit has ample room for the mail and is conveniently arranged for the driver.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Dammon of Farmington, accompanied by Bonnie Dammon, Klemens and Alice Gigstad came Thursday to visit at the Gigstad home until after Thanksgiving.

Mr. Dammon is up in the north country on a deer hunt this week.

A "trouble shooter from Red River Power Company headquarters at Grand Forks is expected to visit here in the near future to check over electrical equipment with view of discovering the interference that makes radio reception almost impossible at certain times.

Notice:- All patrons of the creamery are asked to bring in their cream before noon next Wednesday. This is necessary in order to churn afternoon, Thursday being a holiday.

M. W. Bainbridge, who recently moved onto the former Dammon farm east of town, left Friday for his former home at Manvil, N. D., to bring over a number of horses he had left there. The Spectator joins with others in bidding Mr. and Mrs. Brainbridge welcome to this community, and wish them all possible success.

Show Postponed

Because of inability to make train connections, the play Olle I Scratthult, which was scheduled here for tonight has been postponed to some later date. The company is at present in North Dakota. Advance sale of tickets was ordered cancelled here.

Second Whist Session

Second meeting of the local whist club was held Thursday evening at the Imperial hall with fifty-six players taking part. The games were much closer than at the former meeting, and final result was not known until the last tally was on the board. The Blues won with a lead of twenty some points and were guests of the Whites at lunch.

Owing to another attraction being billed at the hall for next Thursday, it was decided to have no meeting until Tuesday evening, Nov. 25th, this change being made because the regular meeting night fall on Thanksgiving Day.

Any adult person in this locality is entirely welcome to attend the whist club sessions. Advance registration before opening the fall playing was not intended to exclude anyone. Such registration was for the purpose of estimating how many would come, and to plan arrangements accordingly.

Bohlen Family Moves

J. H. Bohlen and family moved last week-end from the farm across the river which they have occupiad the past ten years, to another place northeast of Thief River Falls.

During the time they have resided in St. Hilaire, the Bohlen family have take active part in civic and church activities, and have been valued and honored citizens of the community. Their many friends wish them success in their new home and entertain a hope that they may return here at some future time.

Notice:- I will be in St. Hilaire on Monday, November 24th, to attend to business matters pertaining to the closed Farmers State Bank.

L. E. Healy, Spec. Deputy Ex.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg left today for a trip to his former home at New London, being called there by death of a relative.

Junior Class Play

The Junior Class play entitled, "The Eighteen Carat Boob" will be given at the Imperial hall, Friday and Saturday nights this week. The play will be very good, full of thrills, mystries and comedies. The cast includes;

Daisy Bell, who sponsers Bud — Elizabeth Evenson
Alice Bisnette hostess of the house party — Mabel Seeland
Cora, Bisnette's colored housekeeper — Gladys Gordon
Charles, her husband, the chauffeur — James Norman
Biily Kerns a high school student — Ronald Nelson
Kitty Darling, Alice's friend — Gladys Peterson
Bella Sparks, another friend — Dorthy Gunstad
Harry Carter, the country cousin from Maine — Russell McKercher
Lynne Bisnette Alice's father — Alvin Naplin
Raymond Barkville, the mysterious unwelcome suitor — Marvin Olness
Anna the equally mysterious maid — Margaret Jepson
Jack Merry Alice's choice — Arlo Kruse

Don't forget to attend! Remember the date--Friday and Saturday nights.

Annual roll call and drive for new members of the Red Cross starts this week and continues until next week. Some years back, the local chapter had a large membership but it was allowed to dwindle because of lack of interest. It is the plan now to re-organize the local chapter which will operate in connection with the Pennington County Chapter. The Red Cross is a valuable aid in relief in cases of emergency. For that reason interest in it should be kept up, and an organization maintained that will function in case of need. The St. Hilaire Chapter has a nice sum to it's credit left since war days. To handle this to the best interest of the community wherein it was raised, it is necessary to have a local organization. The latter will be perfected at close of the membership drive.

Twenty seven carloads of turkeys have been shipped from this county to eastern markets. Not all have been raised in this county, but a large enough percentage have been so that the income from that source is an important one to Pennington County turkey raisers.

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St. Hilaire, Minn.
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Holdlng The Fort

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The creamery--the manufacturing plant of old bossy's product--is a big factor in the keep going movement.

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St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

LIGHTS of NEW YORK

By WALTER TRUMBULL

Tha Empire Trust building, on the old Waldorf site, is rising rapidly to the sky and the new Waldorf is taking form, but those of us who came to New York some time ago never will cease to miss tha old Waldorf Astoria that Bolt and Oscar made famous. Kings stayed there; presidents visited there; the old hall room, at dances or dinners, saw every leader of sociaty, financa and politics within its walls. The Dutch Treat club held its annual dinners there. Befora prohibition, tha Waldorf bar was almost lika the sidewalk tables of the Cafa de la Paix. Sit there long enough and you would see the world go by; although many of its citizens stopped a while. There are hundreds of hotels in New York, but not one of them has tha atmosphere of that old hostelry at Thirty-fourth street and Fifth avenne.

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Thera are other vanished landmarks which bave their place in the book of memory. The Astor honsa oyster bar where yon sat on stools and men opened oysters faster than yon could eat them; Moquins, where yon found artista and newspaper men, drinking claret and indulging in deep argument; Martins; the Hoffman housa; old Delmonicos, The Brevoort, tha Lafayette, Faunces tavern and a few of the other old-time places still stand, but Healys and Reinenwebers are things of the past, and so is Cap Churchills.

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Churchills was a grent plsca for morning newspaper men. Herbert Bayard Swopa and I used to stop there regularly on our way nptown, usually about three o'clock in the morning, for ham and eggs and a bit of gossip. Cap Churchill was a greut follower of the track and used to lay his bets on a horse for straight and show. A bet on a horse to finish first or third is still called by his name.

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Then there was the famous Jacks, where yon could find Rex Beach, Fred Stone and T. A. Dorgan, better known as Tad. That was the placa where the trained walters could he depended upon to throw out an entira college football team, when the boys got too rough. It was there that Hype Igoe used to play a ukulele, until Jack issued orders that it should be taken from him at a certain hour of the early morning and placed in the icebox for safe keeping. All the theetrical world patronized Jacks. Most of tha rest of the world could be found there et one time or another. Rubens has taken over a lot of that trade and the night clubs and speakeasies have the rest.

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As far as cooking goes, New York can furnisb any typa you desire. German cooking, for example, at Lnchows; French at L'Aiglon; Swedish at Henrys; Italian at Moris or Monettas; Turkisb at the Bosporous; Spanish at Fornos; Mexican et Chili Villa; Bavarian at Munich tavern; Japanese at Tokiwus; Russlan at Lorangea; English at the White Horse tavern; Chinese at the Chinese Delmonicos; Southern at the Dixie kitchen. These are only a few of the many eating places of vurious nationalities.

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Every nation in the world almost is represented in some part of New York by its restaurants, stores and theaters. Somewhere in the city, practically every language is spoken. Aladdin could not rnb his lamp and wish for anything which money could not buy somewhere in New York. Mice and elepbanta, diamonds and glass, airplanes and diving suits, you can buy them all, if yon bave the price. New York is one of the goteways and storehouses of the earth.

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The Motor parkway runs for ahout fifty miles down the center of Long Island. It costs a dollar to enter it in e car and, since tbe Wall Street crash, business has fallen off. Motorists now stop to consider thot a dollar will purchase several gallons of gasoline. The parkway, with its infrequent traffic, still gets the dollar from millionaires and lovers—and for the same reason: they can get along faster on it.

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I am told thot, on a chill outumn day, the hands of a strunger playing the golf course at Grest Neck grew cold, so he beat them together. At the clepping sound, 51 nctors stopped in the middie of their swings and took a bow.

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I saw a cigarette smoker, the other day, go to three places before he could buy the particular brand he fancied. No other brand would do. Then he went to a gathering of friends where ha smoked every brand of cigarette offered him.

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Get Marriage Blank From Slot Machine

Moscow.—In order to facilitata marrlaga and divorce for the proletariat and to save the troubla and labor of going to a registrar's office to get the necessary papers, the authorities have introdnced slot machines which will deliver the blanks after the required coins have been dropped into the coin recelvers.

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It hardly seems possible, but there is only one week left until Thanksgiving and only five weeks left until Christmas is with us again.

A storekeeper whose store had been robbed, was asked if the amount taken was large. In reply be stated it was much less than it would have been a week before as he had just marked everything down twenty-five percent prior to having a sale.

The above reminds us of the view taken by an optomistic farmer friend. He says he is making more from his butterfat this year than last because feed is worth only half as much. While he raises all his feed, he says it feels much better to feed oats worth 19 cents and barbarley worth 28 cents, to obtain 43 cents a pound for butterfat, than it did last year at prices then prevailing for the same grains.

Try a want adv.

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FARMERS STATE BANK
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Statement showing assets and liabilities at the time bank closed on August 29th, 1927, and receipts and disbursements from time of closing to October 1, 1930.

Assets—Time of Closing	
Loans and Discounts (including notes pledged)	$ 68,304.14
Other Real Estate	10,400.00
All Other Assets	24,528.12
Stockholder's Liability	12,000.00
	$115,232.26
Liabilities—Time of Closing	
Deposits	$ 73,408.12
Deposits secured hy honds	10,053.63
Bills Payable	7,046.00
	$ 90,507.75
Bills Payable	
Notes pledged to secure Bills Payoble	$ 26,438.50
Collections on pledged notes to reduce Bills Payahle	5,939.67
Advance on Bills Payable to redeem collateral	1,106.33
Bills Payable unpaid Oct. 1, 1930	NONE
Claims	
Preferred claims allowed	$ 333.68
General claims allowed	72,699.68
Receipts	
Cash on hand at time of closing	$ 968.64
Due from banks at time of closing	1,000.20
Collections, Stockholder's Liability	8,770.00
Interest on daily balances	470.16
Collections, pledged assets	5,939.67
Collections, unpledged assets	41,320.58
Sale of bonds and interest	11,159.98
Sale of Bank Building	1,500.00
	$ 71,129.21
Disbursements	
Bills Payable by collateral collections	$ 5,939.67
Advance on Bills Payable to redeem collateral	1,106.33
Preferred claims paid	333.88
Deposits secured by bonds	10,053.63
Taxes, redemptions, interest, insurance and expenses on real estate	3,581.68
Salary of Special Deputy Examiner, fuel, mileage, repairs and other expenses at the bank	3,813.99
Attorneya fees and expenses	364.03
Office Expense, Liquidation Department	777.62
Dividends paid to creditors 60 per cent	43,623.79
Balance, Cash on hand Oct. 1, 1930	1,534.79
	$ 71,129.21

The Job That Came to Helen

By JANE OSBORN

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"PETER, yon don't understand," said Helen for tha tenth time that evening.

"Cut that out abont my not understanding," said Peter, not without some courtesy. "I understand what yon think yon mean—yon mean that yon think just because you have spent four years in college and have coma off with a degree yon are too well educated to be my wife. Rot and rubbish! What I also understand is that I lova yon very mnch, in spite of your foolish notions, and that yon are not the sort of girl, Helen De Voe, who is going to be content with just a career."

"I'll always go on caring a great deal for you, Peter," she said. "Only now that I've got my degree I really think I onght to use it. I can't giva up my ideals—even for you, Peter."

Helen wanted to succeed in some sort of business. She had specialized in economics and had taken saveral courses in finance, and on tha whola felt that she would be an asset to any banking house or other establishment needing business ability of tha first order. So one fine day she went to the city carrying with her soma nice little letters of introdnction to officers of several banks which she had begged from the president of her home bank.

As for the bank officers—they didn't even take the tronble to see her. Helen was told that she would hava to send in a request by mail for an appointment if sha wished to see them.

Then one day she managed to see Mr. Kelly, vice president of one of the business offices to which she had contrived to get a letter of introduction.

"I don't want anyone around here to help run this business," be growled after she had hopefully recounted her qnalifications. "Our payroll is too long as it is. Nobody's really interested. They just do their own little jobs and draw their salaries and hurry home at half past four. Do yon think any of the girls around bere would take it upon themselves to see that my private office was kept cleaned? Not much. All they'd have to do wonld be to keep after the cleaning woman—stay after bours once in a while to see that she did the work. But no, they wouldn't think of such a thing."

"Perhaps what yon bave said will give me an idea," Helen said. "One or two of tbe other men I've talked to seemed to bave tronble of somewhat the same sort."

But when Helen reached her home that week-end she was thoroughly discouraged. True, she had a little plan in the back of her mind, but when she came to consider it, it didn't seem so very good after all. Late that Saturday afternoon she telephoned to Peter.

"I'm sorry I said what I did to you," she said. "Maybe it is cowardly, bnt I'm going to ask you to give me another chance. Yon see, I don't believe thot there ever would be a chance for me in tbe big bnsiness world. Why, the only possible chance I saw was to turn to and keep offices clean. Honestly I actually worked out a sort of scbeme of biring some cleaning women and opening a little office to take contracts for cleaning offices and personully supervising the whole matter. I wrote to Mr. Kelly abont it. But nothing came even of that. So, Peter, if yon want me you can bave me."

And of course Peter took Helen in his urms, beyond mensure pleased to find ber in tbis bumble frame of mind.

A few days loter came a letter, signed by J. H. Kelly.

"I didn't see any chance of giving yon a job," said Mr. Kelly, "but since reading yonr letter and considering yonr plans for an office-cleaning agency I think perbaps we conld come to some agreement. I see you have brains and conrage. I'm interested in your plan and wonld be willing to back sucb a venture and finance it. We could muke it a sort of side issue. Meontime yon conld be of real use to me here in tbis office, and I guess I could mention a salary that would appeul to you."

Helen read the letter at first with eugerness. This Mr. Kelly, she had found ont, was a thoroughly reliable business man of bigh standing. And he had appreciated her qualifications—be really felt tbat be conld make use of her. Here was Helen's rosiest ambitions beginning to come true. And yet?

Helen reread tbe letter and put it in ber desk. She wonld answer it later in the day. Meantime she must keep ber eppointment with Peter. Tbey were going to consult with an architect abont building a littia dovecot for two.

Immense Flying Field

Randolph field, the West Point of the air, is the world's largest flying field. Several years ago tha city of San Antonio bought 2,300 acres of land and sold it to tha government for $1. This was the inception of the $50,000,000 project, which was dedicated on June 20-21. The field is an innovation in airport building. Heretofore airports have been built with the landing area in tha center and the hangars and other buildings around the edges. Randolph field's hangars, barracks, etc., are in the center, and the landing area runs around the outside. It will be walled in on three sides by hangars, of which there will be 26. The flying area will be so large that 250 airplanes can take off at once in formation.

Increased Legume Acreage

There is no surplus of legume crops in the Northwest, despite the fact that Minnesota's total acreage of legumes is the greatest in its history, says Andrew Boss, vice director of the Minnesota Agricultural Experiment Station, University Farm. Moreover, the growing of legumes should be still futher encouraged Dr. Boss believes. He says:

"There is no economic loss in putting a large acreage of legumes in the cropping systems on most farms. Should more of the legumes be prodnced than can be nsed by the livestock, a ready market may be found for the surplus.

Poor Henhouse Ventilator

Cutting a hole in the roof is a poor way to ventilate the poultry building because it allows considerable heat to escape, making the honse cold, says Prof. A. C. Smith, chief of the poultry division at University Farm. Running a shaft through the roof to a point near the floor is also a faulty method because much of the moistnre will escape the shaft and accnmulate near the the top of the room where the air is warmest.

The easiest and simplest method of keeping the poultry house comfortable with reference to temperature, moisture and ventilation, Mr. Smith says, is to have it eqnipped with windows jnst like those nsed in dwellings and then use the upper sash for ventilating during extremely cold weather. The sash may be dropped any distance required by the conditions of wind and weather, but it should never be completely closed, even on the coldest night.

There is no automatic system of ventilation that will give complete satisfaction, Mr. Smith says. Any system used will require adjustment and sometimes this will have to be given several times a day.

The Board of Managers of the Red River Valley Winter Shows met this week to formulate plans for the next Valley reunion which is scheduled for February 9-13, 1931. Special day meetings dealing with problems of the farm and the home are being arranged for the men, the women, and the boys and girls, while national authorities will address the mass meetings held in the Armory each evening. The Northwestern Minnesota Singers Association, composed of member choruses from Beltrami, Clearbrook, Crookston, East Grand Forks, Erskine, Fertile, Fosston Gonvick, Halstad, McIntosh, Mentor, Winger, Fisher-Bygland and Northwest School, with T. W. Thorson director, began their rebearsals sometime ago in preparation for the annual festival during Winter Shows Week.

Officals representing the Red River Valley Livestock, Farm Crops, Poultry, and Industrial departments were optomistic regarding entires for the forthcoming shows and expect all available space to be taxed to capacity. Unusual interest has already been shown in the 4H Clnb Division, according tbe District Clnb Leader H. A. Pflughoeft.

Valuable Burls

The largest and perhaps most beautiful burls occur ou redwood trees. Tha very larga ones ere valuable, being used to maka nnt and fruit bowels, serving trays, gavels, cribbage boards and other such articies. Small burls are sold for use as housa plants, since they can be put in water and mada to sprout shoots which are decorative.

Ancient European City

The city of Marseilles, France, was founded by Greek traders in 600 B. C., tha name at that time being Massalia.

From Madagascar Palm

Tha plant raffia comes from a species of palm which is a native of Madagascar.

Statement of the condition of

Merchants State Bank, St. Hilaire, Minn.

at close of business on November 10th, 1930.

Bank No. 447

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	$72,285.36
Securities, Bonds, etc.	62,849.56
Banking House Furniture and fixtures	7,800.00
Other Real Estate owned	5,100.00
Cash on hand and due from Banks	20,096.54
Cash Items and checks	689.84
TOTAL	$168,821.30
LIABILITIES	
Capital	10,000.00
Surplus	3,000.00
Undivided Profits, net	521.63
Savings Deposits	12,491.01
Time Certificates	88,784.18
Deposits subject to check	54,024.48
TOTAL	$168,821.30

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington. ss

We, J. W. Black, President and Fred Biskey, Ass't Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

J. W. Black, President
Fred Biskey, Ass't Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Nov. 1930.

Verner Nelson
(Seal) Notary Public, Pennington County, Minnesota.
My Commission expires Dec. 15th 1936.

Correct Attest (Two) Directors: E. O. Burkee, Theo. M. Thronson

State of Minnesota }
County of Hennepin } ss.

On this 18th day of Nov. A. D. 1930, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County, personally appeared J. W. Black to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

E. G. Austin
(Seal) Notary Public, Hennepin Co, Minn.
My commission expires Dec. 3, 1932

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

Estate of J. C. Dahl

State of Minnesota, } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of J. C. Dahl Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to all Persons Interested in the Above Entitled Matter: Whereas, James A. Dahl has filed in this Court bis final account of his administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: IT IS ORDERED, that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 15th day of December 1930, at 10. o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, at city of Thief River Falls, in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted; and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in the St. Hilaire Spectator according to law and by mailed notice as provided by the rules of this Court.

WITNESS THE HONORABLE, Lars Backe, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 19th day of November 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe,
Judge.

Brattland Law Offices,
Ada, Minn.
Attorney for Petitioner.
N20-D4

Alkaloid in Stimulants

The alkaloid in cocoa and chocolate is theobromine. There is from 1.7 to 2 per cent theobromine in cocoa and abont 1 per cent in chocolate. There is from .8 to 1.8 per cent caffeine in coffee and from 1.1 to 2 per cent caffeine in black tea and from 1.1 to 3.5 per cent caffeine in green tea.

Cobra Bite Usually Fatal

There are antivenins that may be administered with a certain degree of success to a person who has been bitten by a cobra. This medicine must be given immediately, bowever, which is rarely possible. Several thousand person die annually from cobra bites in India.

Schools for Bridesmaids

"Schools" for training the brides, bridegrooms and bridesmaids who are to figure in fashionabla weddings are to ba found in London. Every movement is taught, from bandling tha hride's train to which of tha bridegroom's arms she takes after the ceremony.—London Tit-Bits.

FINDS MOST COUNTY JAILS BREED CRIME AND DISEASE

Investigator Urges Women to Lead Campaign for Industrial Farms for Convicts.

New York.—"Move the county jails into the country."

In this way, and this way only, con the American people reform an institution which, instead of being a placa of correction, is actually a breeding place of both crime and physical disease.

This is tba essertion of Helen Buckler, investigator and writer for Good Housekeeping Magazine, who in that monthly reveals tha results of her inspection of jails throughout the country. She calls upon womsn's clubs to take the lead in a movement to eradicate the "moral foulness and physical filth" which she found. The conditions sbe describss, she says, are typical of 85 per cent of the 3,500 county jails scattered over America.

In tha typical jail, sha says, prisoners ere herded together, often three in a cell intended for one, men in cells adjacent to those of women without privacy, unwashed bedding is used by dozens of prisoners in succession, toilet facilities are nnsanitary and often out of condition, there is no opportunity for sunlight or exercise, and sanitation usually means spraying disinfectant over accumulating layers of filth.

The food itself is frequently bod enough to promote illness, continues Miss Buckler. But what is more important tubercular, veneresl and other diseased persons urs pushed into cells with other prisoners without consideration. And hardened criminals are the cellmates of adolescent boys and girls held for their first petty offenses. A great proportion of thoss thrown into jail are afterwards proved innocent at triel, but they bave been subjected to both moral and physical degradation, sba shows.

Tha cura for this condition is to do away with tbe jail, concludes the investigator, whose idea is supported by such euthorities as Dr. George Kirchwey, formar warden of Sing Sing, now dean of Columbiu nniversity law school; Mrs. J. Ellen Foster, first woman member of the department of federal prisons; Miss Julia K. Jaffray, chairman of the division of correction, General Federation of Women's Clubs, and others. They would substituta in the city a detention station where those awaiting trial conld be effectively segregated for tha few necessary days.

Convicted prisoners, under the plan, would be sent to a well-regulated correction ferm, where they could be put to useful work, getting the benefit of fresb air and exercise, the opportunity to learn a useful trade, and even the chance to go to school. Today most prisoners sentenced for sbort terms serve their time in idleness in tha nnhealthy darkness of the county jail, coming out weaker physically and morally than when they entered.

Tha activities of Mrs. Foster resulted in tha astablishment of such a farm for Washington (D. C.) prisoners during the Roosevelt administration and several progressiva states and cities have already followed the Capital's lead.

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This elevator always carries a big supply of feeds of all kinds and flour. Get our prices on large quantities.

We pay highest market prices for grain.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Keep The Ball Rolling

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If you are short of any of these, or other items in printed matter, we will be glad to get your order.

Don't wait until your last sheet is gone and then put in a rush order. Others may have done the same which serves to make all late. Order now.

St. Hilaire Spectator

THE

CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday Nov, 23, Services as follows:-

Ebenezer Luth. 11:00 a. m. Norw.

St. Pauli, Examination of Confirmants at 2:00 of joint class of St. Pauli, Clearwater and Clara congregations.

The joint Confirmation services will he held at Clearwater church Nov. 30th. Three members of the class will receive the Holy Baptism.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00

No services.

Card Of Thanks

We wish, hereby to express our most sincere thanks for the numerous acts of kindness, and expressions of condolence to us in our recent hereavement in death of our beloved daughter. We also thank all who contributed flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ortloff

They Called Him a Loafer

By JANE OSBORN

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"YOU don't mean Tom Sackett from over Bayview wey?" querled Rodney scornfully, and more scornfully—"Thet loafer!"

Alice Harlowe flushed with indignation and embarrassment. In the first place, a younger brother, not quite twenty, had no right to discuss his sister's friends in such manner.

"I don't see why you call him a loafer," said Alice trying hard to make it seem to her brother thet she really didn't care whether he were a loafer or not. "Besides, heing a loafer is no reasou he shouldn't take me to the country club dance. He's e marvelous dancer."

"Yeah!" said Rodney with some excitement. "Well, heing a loafer who never has doue a lick of work in his life does make a man undesirable as a brother-in-lew. You know perfectly well thet since Tom Seckett has heen coming over here noue of the other chaps come round any more."

"Silly," said Alice, with big-sisterly patronage. "But what makes you say Tom Seckett is a loafer? If he doesn't heve any husiness it is douhtless hecause he has a lot of money. He's a keen golfer, reeds everything worth while and knows everything anyoue needs to know ehout farm manegement."

"All I know is that he hasn't a cent to his name. He horrowed money to get through college, and instead of going ahead with some sort of profession or business he's just dumped himself down here on his rich old aunt who supports him in luxury, while he goes around ecting like a millionaire's sou or an earl or something."

"It seems to me you know quite a lot abont Tom Sackett," snapped Alice, "but, really, I'm not the least hit interested."

But Alice really was concerned. And since she had no plans for the remainder of the day thet could uot he postpoued, when Rodney left her to go heck to his books she found an excuse to take possession of the family car for the afternoon and started forthwith on an amateur detective expedition.

She stopped to call on the middle-aged epinsters whose bouse stood across the highwey from the Sackett estate. She knew that no great love wes lost between these sedate ledies and their more opuleut neighhor.

As she sat for e while with them she deftly led the couversation to the Secketts.

"Strange thet a man like Tom Seckett," said she, "should he willing to live ou his aunt's bounty."

"Just waiting around till he lands his heiress," sniffed one of the hostesses. "Well, whoever gets him is welcome to him."

"I imagine he's pleasant enough," said the other sister in an effort to soften a hard speech, "hut he does seem to he a dreadful loafer."

As soou as she could politely do so Alice left and went ou to the rectory. aud from the rather gossipy young clergyman and his wife gathered a little more opiniou of the sama general teuor. Later she hailed one of her hrother's friends walking aloug the highwey and asked to give him a lift.

"Roduey was telling me ahout Tom Seckett," she hegan. "Imagine heing willing to give up all idees of work just hecause your aunt had mouey."

"Yeah," quoth the young man. "Tom's a nice chap. Don't know as I hlame him. Think I'd do the same if I had a chance. That's a swell place his eunt has." And that was all the satisfactiou that Alice got from that source.

As she drova up the roadway thet led to her own comfortahle home Alice spied Tom Sackett sitting in his own—or his eunt's—roadster at one side of the driveway, apparently waiting for her return. He jumped from the car and swung to the running board of hers. Alice was coolly polite. Bnt the look of disappointment in Tom's handsome face made her swiftly regret the attitude she knew he had guessed so rightly.

He led her to a secluded spot in her own garden and there asked her to marry him. But before she could accept or refuse or put him off, he explained his position.

"I borrowed mouey to finish college," he said; "—borrowed it from outside because my aunt wouldn't lend it—she would have insisted on giving it. Then when I was through my aunt made a fair proposition. She offered me a position to come and work for her for a year—to manage her estate, and the rest of the tima to do just what she wanted me to. In return I was to have my keep and a certain salary. Well, I accepted, because I knew she ueeded me and I ueeded the mouey. After I have paid heck what I borrowed I shall have a thousand dollars left, which is just the capital I ueed to start in on that irrigetion plan my roommate and I had doped out. So you see—"

"You are certainly not a loafer—" said Alice. "And I think I would have said 'yes' even though you were."

WHERE WEATHER MAN ACTS LIKE VILLAIN

It Was Real Hot in Kansas This Summer.

Topeka, Kan.—It has heen rather hot all over the United States this summer, hut in Kansas the weather man has heen scting up like a demon.

For instance, Jule Trowhridge is a farmhand in Gove county. He was employed ou tha farm of Rev. Gerrit Snyder near Gove City. One afternoou he was directed to walk over to some stacks of harley and hring in some equipment. He walked through the harley stubble and his feet kept getting hotter and hotter. He looked down and hoth feet were actually ou fire. Tha frictiou of the leather of his shoes ou the hot ground and the hot straw of the stubble actually set his shoes on fire. Trowhridge took off his shoes and hegan fighting the fire in the stubble field. Others came to his aid and when the fire was ont Trowhridge was taken to Dr. R. L. Ruttan at Grainfield and his hurned feet dressed.

Boiled Goldfish.

The records of the Kansas state fire marshal coutain authentic reports of numerous fires in homes caused entirely hy sun rays. In one instance the sun rays struck the heveled edge of a mirror and then reflected to the rug and set the rug ou fire. In another home a hubble in the glass of a window made a magnifying glass of the spot and set fire to a bed.

W. A. Smith of Snokomo walked into the living room of his home late oue afternoou and noted that the goldfish were deed. He reached into the howl and his hand was hlistered. A sun ray had struck the bowl and had literally hoiled the fish to death. At least that's his story and he has the bowl hut uo fish to show for it.

There have been innumerable fires caused hy steel getting too hot. Some stacks of hey and wheat have heen hurned and many fields swept hy fire as the result of pitchforks standing in the hay or straw and catching the hot rays of the sun. There are a few instances of where pieces of wire left in stubble fields have hecome so hot as to set fire to stubble, and there are a few reports of where high and dead grass aloug feuces have heen set on fire hy the heat of the wires.

Cars Driven Backwards.

It is uot an unusual sight to see motor cars of a certain well-known type being driven backwards across the Kansas prairies. The hurning sun on the differential on the rear axle had hurned out the grease and wrecked the gears so that the cars would not run forward at all. Tourists had to drive home or to the next service station sitting on the dashboards and piloting the car hackwards.

But tha hot weather has been great for the hirds. They got cooked insects. Motorists driving across the prairies strike grasshoppers and hutterflies and other insects in large numbers. The heat of tha radiators and the boiling sun cooked the insects. When the cars stopped anywhere the hirds swarmed down upon the front of the car and began to eat. Soma motorists were kind enough to spread a blanket over the braces and lamps so the birds could pick tha insects in comfort and not get their feet burned.

Yep, it surely has been terrifically hot in Kansas—as well as other places.

St. Hilaire High School

Junior Class Play

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Trace English Surnames to Medieval Pageants

There are some names which might well puzzle the antiquarian. Take Whalehelly as an example. There are folk with this strange uame in Norfolk. Whence came it?

The answer is: From the medieval pageants which were played all over Europe at one time, and of which the Passion play at Oherammergan is an almost unique survival. Whalehelly prohably immortalized the performance of some forgotten actor who took the part, during the eight daye' pegeant held at Smithfield, of the whale which swallowed Jonah!

Other surnames which prohably originated from these religious plays are Farrow (Pharoah) and Asplin (Absalmon). Mildmay is another name with a religious origin. It is a corruption of the Virgin Mary. "Mild" was the recognized character of Mary, hence the formation of the modern well-known surname.

Here is an extract from "Stowe's Survey of London," a very famous old book. "The third lane out of Tower st is called Mincheon lane, so called of tenements there, something pertaining to the Minchins of St. Helen's, Bishopsgate st."

Minchen comes from the German Mouch, or Manchin, meaning monk or nun. Thus, Minchin lane, as it is now called, derives from the former residence of nuns there. It also gives us the modern surnames Minuchin, Mincher, Minch and Mince.—London Mail.

River News

The G. B. Peterson family spent Monday evening at the Aug. Erickson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo Haupt are the parents of a little son born Wednesday, Nov. 12. Mother and child are getting along nicely.

Fritz Ulrich, Martin Haupt, and Chester Gothie returned Wednesday from sonthern Minnesota where they had been employed.

A fair eized crowd attended the Y. P. S. at the Carl Swanson home Friday evening.

Martin Haupt and Fritz Ulrich left Friday for vicinity of Blackdnck on a deer hunt

Ed and Thea Burstad were Thief River callers Saturdey.

Miss Helen Hesse returned home Snnday after heing employed at the Wm. Rinkenberger home.

Bray News

A lerge crowd attended the Dedication exerices in the new Breyfield school Dist 180 on Nov 11. A good program was given end lunch was served.

Mabel Lindbloon spent Monday and Tuesday at the J. O. Swanson home while Mrs. Swanson was visiting at Deer River,

Mrs. Helmar Martinson and childern of Coleraine spent the past week at home of her sister, Mrs. Emil Larson.

Henry Lindbloon was a caller at the R Melin home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Lerson and Lillian and Mrs H. Martinson and children visited Friday at the Ed Baver home at Emerado, N. D.

Services in Black River church last Sunday were postponed due to raining weather and bad roads.

A few people from here attended the play at St. Hilaire high school Saturdey evening.

FOR SALE, etc.

For Sale:- Two Shorthorn cows, coming fresh in November and December. A high grade Shorthorn bull two years of age. Also a team of horses, buyer can have choice out of six head.

L. A. Westphal

N13-20p R1 Hazel, Minn.

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Karl T. Dalager

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J. V. Patton

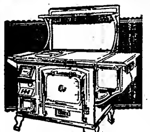
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Turkeys For Sale

I have a number of White Holland turkey toms and hens for sale at reasonable price. Call on.

K. T. Dalager,

N6tf R1, Hazel, Minn.



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St. Hilaire---Red Lake Falls

25 Years Ago

Blanche and Chet Gebott left to spend the winter at their old home at Ludington, Mich.

—XXV—

The mill was still operating. The previous fall it shut down Nov, 21, and it looked as tho that record would be broken.

—XXV—

Albert Fellman went out to the reservation to spend a few days on his claim.

—XXV—

Jens Nelson, J. J. Soll and Chas. Fellman returned from a big game hunting trip. The latter succeeded in getting a deer.

—XXV—

Dr. C. E. Higbie returned from near Crookston where he had bought wheat that fall.

—XXV—

Julius Pleth, the Plummer land man, was here closing up some deals. He made a lot of big deals that fall.

—XXV—

Miss Selina Hoff spent the week visiting with friends at Thief River Falls.

Back From Hospital

Pat Febro, who suffered a broken leg in an auto accident near St. Hilaire, while with Lawrence Phillion, on Oct. 1st, and who has been receiving treatment at Thief River Falls hospital since that time, was brought home Tuesday evening. While Pat is still unable to be up and about he is getting along nicely. Lawrence Phillion who was seriously injured in the same mishap has been removed to the University hospital at Minneapols where he is receiving treatment.—Red Lake Falls Gazette.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .55
Durum Wheat	.48
Rye	.23
Barley	.28
Oats	.20
Flax	1.34
Eggs, cash	.28
Creamery butter	.40

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Writes From California

T. M. Brevick, who now resides at Modesto, Calif sends greetings from himself and family thru the Spectator to their many friends in this community where they resided so long. Mr. Brevik states they are well pleased with California. Weather conditions there at present are similar to those which generally prevail here in June. Other members of the family are located nearby so Mr. and Mrs. Brevik feel at home.

In Appreciation

As myself and family are leaving St. Hilaire to locate at Red Lake Falls, I wish to thank all the people in this community for the patronage given me at the store, and for the many neighborly acts shown myself and family.

As we will be located at Red Lake Falls, we express a hope that our friends will call on us there wherever there have occasiou to be in that city.

E. Sundholm and family

My Favorite Stories by Irvin S. Cobb

Leaving While the Leaving Was Good

BERT SWOR, the minstrel man, uses real life incidents for the material of his monologue acts. He gathers them np in the Sontb during his vacations and repeots them on the stage in the theatrical season.

Here is one which he tells in blockfaca with great effect. He sweors it really happened in a emall Texoe town:

It seeme a colored girl was entertaining a gentleman friend when onother snitor for her favor oppeored at the locked front door and demonded admittance. There woe jeulousy in his manner and anger in his voice. Also, there was a justifiable suspicion on the part of tha occupants uf tbe house that he might be toting a razor. Anyhow, tha newcomer had a reputation for behaving violently at times. His rival within doors was of a more pacific turn of mind.

"Gal," be eoid tu his bostess, "I ain't aimin' to bove no rookns wid dot tough nigger ontside yonder."

"You ain't skeered of him, is yon?" demanded tha lady.

"I ain't skeered—I'se jest careful, that's all. I reckin de hest thing fur me to do is jest tu climb out of one of dese bere back windows and go on 'bont my bizness."

"You better not do dot," said tba girl. "Dey's a dwag in de back yord."

"Honey," quoth the deporting one as he ekinned over the window eill, "de wey things is ont in front it don't make nu diff'nnce to me ef da back yard is opholstered in dowgs."

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MINNESOTA BRIEFS

St. Paul—The Minnesota corn crop is of a mnch better quality than last year.

Rochester—This community will be tha host to the 1931 convention of the Minnesota American Legion.

Bowlus—Plans to organize a Girl Scout troop here hava been launched by tha Bowlus mother's club.

Minneapolis—200,000 flowers were on exhibition here at the twenty-first annnal park board flower show.

Stillwater—Jndgs A. E. Doe, for the last 24 years jndge of probate in Washington county died at the age of 67.

St. Paul—Geo. McCullongh, etate game and fish commissioner estimates that more than 30,000 deer will be killed this season.

Crookston—The North Dakota and Northern Minnesota Older Boys' conference, conducted by the etate Y. M. C. A. was held here.

St. Paul—Minnesota produced more wheat flonr than any othar state during Saptember, according to a Washington, D. C., report.

Minneapolis—$50,000 damage was done by fire in a grain elevator in Northeast Minneapolis. 25,000 bushals were destroyed.

Minneapolis—Three thousand men and women are working towards a goal of $1,431,000 in the annnal commnnity fund drivs here.

St. Cloud—The local Chamber of Commerce is on racord favoring a nine-foot Mississippi channel from Minneapolis to Brainard.

Robbinsdale—This community will bo abia to have a special election December 2 to decide whether it will be annaxed to Minneapolis.

Willmar—The local echoole were closed a week because of infantile paralysis. All grades except the first and second hava raopaned.

Rachester—Approximately 500 high school stndents attended the tenth annual convention of the Minnesota High School Press Association.

So. St. Paul—Heian Hanson, 13, of Worthington, Minn., captured high honors at tha Junior Livestock show, taking first honors in four events.

Minneapolis—A highway coustruction budget practically donble the 1930 budget of $14,000,000 will be recommended to the 1931 lagislature.

Little Falls—Passaga of a bill making the boyhood home of Col. Charles A. Lindbergb, near hara, a etate park, will ba asked of the 1931 legislatura.

Northfisld—Quarantine restrictions in effect at Carleton Collega bacause of infantile paralysis, were removed, but etudents agraed not to ieave Northfield nntil Thanksgiving.

Albert Lea—Sala of a four-story structure occupied hy the Albert Lea State Bank until it closed a year ago, was authorized by Judge Petarson. The building brought $120,000.

Minneapolis—Additioa of two wings to the Municipal Auditorium, one for small halle and the other for a theatra sactiou, at a cost of $1,250,000 waa recommended by the manager.

St. Paul—Minnasota, through eeveral stata officiala, will turn over $9,000,000 in trunk highway bonds in New York to a syndicate headed by tha BancNorthwest Co., purchasers of the bonds.

Minneapolis—Word has been recsived from tha navy recruiting station in this city that the following Minnesota boys were enlisted during the month of Novembsr: Robert L. Stark, Princeton; Ivan M. Suchomel and Guy W. Egbert, of Minneapolis.

St. Paul—With automobile accidents taking a toll of 32,000 lives annually and causing mora than $1,000,000,000 in proparty damaga, Minnesota and other states of the conntry must take staps to aradicate rackless drivers throngh passage of a drivsrs' license law.

Duluth—A big naval cannon, given ths city of Duluth as a msmorial of the Spanish-American war will remain in front of Central high school, whara it was placed 30 yeare ago. There was a movamant on foot to remova it after studants of other schoole painted ths cannon before and after football games.

Minneapolis — Forty-four business, industrial and civic leaders of Minneapolis hava besn appointed hy Mayor William F. Kunsa as members of an smploymant stabilization committee to tackla the nnemployment sitnation in the city and to work with the governor's employment gronp and a tri-city empiuymant committaa recantly formed by Minneapolis, St. Panl and Dulnth.

Minneapolis—Word has been recelved from tha local Navy recruiting station that the following Minnesota boys have complated their recruit training at Great Lakes, Illinois: John E. Morgan of Brackenridge; James B. Hanson, Phillip J. Shields and Roger L. Wasean, Minneapolis; Leonard J. Malhart, Little Falls; Daniel P. Saiden, Chaska; George W. Hill, Cromwall; Cyril P. Branch, Elizabeth; Theo W. A. Keller; Stave N. Magdick, Cuyuna.

Duluth—Ths dedication of the new public anditorium at the northwest experimental etation was attended by hundreds of persons from this territory.

Duluth—Coal receipts at Duluth-Superior docks since the opening of navigation late last April to the first of Nuvambar, aggregate more than 9,000,000 tons.

Hibbing—Collision of an automobile and a buck-deer un a highway near Oxide lake caused the death of the driver and eevere injuries to two companions. The deer was also killed.

LOCALS

Don't forget the Junior play Friday and Saturday.

The Luther League program which was postponed last Sunday will be given Sunday, Nov. 23 at 8 o'clock.

A representative of the Red Cross will speak at the Ladies Aid at the Nor. Luth. church basement Friday afternoon.

A change in train time took effect on this line this week. The passenger train now arrives later in the morning, and goes south at 6:20 in the evening.

Regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the creamery was held yesterday and checks will be issued Friday.

Mrs. L. A. Carlson left recently with relatives to spend the winter with then in the iron range country.

Ladies Aid of the Norwegian Lutheran churchwill be entertained by Mrs. Ole Hagglund and Mrs. A. P. Gordon at the church basement Friday Nov, 21st.

Sever Skottem and a party of friends from here were fortunate in bagging a deer west of town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Hanson have as their guest, his mother, who is spending a short time with them.

Picking of turkeys for Thanksgiving market is finished in this locality. Top quality birds are bringing around 25 cents a pound this fall.

Several deer have been killed in the brush county west of town the past few days.

Taken up One bay horse. Owner may have same by identifying and paying for this adv. and cost of keep.

Geo. T. Whalen,
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"Well, dear, I'll be at the altar tomorrow at ten sharp."

"If I'm not there, darling, please wait. I'm so often late for my weddings."

Photographs

I saw an old-time photograph,
As I contrast it with the new
I pause to sigh and then to laugh.
It looks so young—and foolish, too.

Just Came True

"I'm beginning to believe in fortune-telling."

"Why? Something come true?"

"Yes. A fortune-teller told me yesterday that I would have money left after paying my wife's dressmaker's bill."—Stray Stories.

Japanese Serf Labor

The cotton and silk mills of Japan employ women chiefly. Most of them are young girls, recruited from the rural districts. The mills are arranged as communities in themselves—usually a wall surrounds them. There are dormitories attached, and the women live as well as work there.

New Low Prices On Dried Fruits

Use more dried fruits as the prices now are the lowest in years.

Choice apricots that sold for 28 cents per pound are now only	.20
Fancy peaches that were 25 cents per pound are now only	.18
40-50 Sugar prunes, none better, are now per lb.	.15
Santa Clara prunes, 60-70 size are per lb. now only	.10
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Wyandotte News

Miss Dorthy Sumpter arrived on Wednesday from Grand Forks to visit indefinitely with her father Mr. T. Sumpter.

Mrs. S. Peterson left Monday evening for Chicago to spent the winter months with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bruggeman and Harriette visited Sunday at the P. Girardy home at Plummer, the latter remained to attend school.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hanson and Elane visited Mouday afternoon at the Ole Hanson home.

The following spent the weekend at home of their parents, Alice Carlson, Harriette Bruggeman, Selma and Alvina Wilson.

Napoleon's Josephine

Josephine was too indifferent for a mistress, too volatile for a wife; bnt as the companion of Napoleon she played her part well. As Mr. Wileon suggests, there was eomething tineeily in each. There was also something enigmatical in each, eo that if he often eeemed indeed a Caesar, she often appeared a careless, Latin divinity. Sba was courageous, gentle, soothing and tender, lika a great iady; sha was also a eobbing, frightened creature, charged with the ecents and tales of a tropic night.—London Saturday Reviaw.

Vibrations of Wings

The fly's wing vibrates 330 times per second; the bees' wing 190 times per second; the moth's wing 72 times per second; the dragon fly's wing vibrates 28 times per eecond.

Dog's Mission in Life

It is strange how dogs sense things. But it is these very things that make it easy to understand why God put a pair of dogs on the ark.—Country Home.

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The Creamery List

Below is a list of patrons of the creamery who received checks amounting to $50 and up for cream delivered during month of October. The list is shorter than usual as October is generally one of the lightest months of the year. Here is the list:

Arne Vik	$220.27
C. Anton	147.41
N. E. Beebe	133.46
Novak & Son	132.46
Anton Bros.	109.40
F. Bothman	101.31

C. H. Swanson, $99.72, Ole Larson, 96.39, And. Ortloff, 89.57, C. Zinter, 87.83, H. R. Allen, 85.05, K. T. Dalager, 84.53, Swanson Bros, 82.86, Mrs. John Konikson, 80.80, And. Erickson, 76.71, Emil Person, 74.63, F. Schmidt, 74.18, Ole Hagglund, 72.55, E. Hallameck, 72.48, F. Ulrich, 72.06, Wm. Palmquist, 71.84, Ben Johnson, 71.20, H. Burstad, 71.07, Tom Mogen, 68.68, B. Walseth, 68.35, Wm. Rinkenberger, 68.30, Mrs. H. Thorstveit, 67.02, R. Melin, 66.81, Anton Johnson, 66.68, J. H. Bohlen, 65.42, C. Pearson, 64.80, Dan Johnson, 64.27, J. O. Peterson, 63.18, E. Larson, 63.00, H. Jepson, 62.16, R. Randorf, 62.11, McKercher & Son, 61.02, Johnson Bros. 59.92, Geo. Haupt, 58.61, I. A. H. Johnson, 58.02, E. Jenson, 57.01, I. Iverson, 56.88, Joe Patten, 56.62, N. P. Schalz, 56.47, L. Erickson, 56.06, V. G. Brink, 55.62, C. Schnider, 54.15, Erickson Bros., 53.94, John Steiger, 53.91, O. Haugen, 52.83, Gust Larson, 52.23, Gust Peterson, 50.45, Christ Kruse, 50.43,

Recount On County Attorney

Following filing of petition by County Attorney H. O. Berve asking for a recount of votes cast for County Attorney in certain precincts of this county, a board was appointed Saturday. Walter Quist was named by Atty Lundgren, and Paul Harris by Mr. Berve. Adolf Eklund, appointed by the Judge of the District Court, is the third man. The result will be known this week.

The Spectator is published a day early this week so that all connected with it may enjoy the Thanksgiving holiday.

The whist session which was to be held Tuesday night was cancelled because of inclement weather. Next meeting will be Thursday, Dec, 4th.

Junior Class Play

Good sized audiences attended the St. Hilaire high school Junior Class play "The Eighteen Carat Boob" which was presented at the Imperial hall both Friday and Saturday evenings. The play was a most interesting one which kept the audience guessing as to its outcome until the final curtain fell. The young folks all had their parts perfectly and presentation of the play was made without a hitch. The costumes and stage settings were especially fine and appropriate, indicating that much care bad been spent in preparation. The Jnniors are to be congratulated on their well-earned success.

Judge Grindeland Resigns

Judge Andrew Grindeland of Warren, veteran judge of the 14th Judicial District, handed in his resignation last Thursday because of continued ill health. Judge Grindeland had not been in best of health for more than a year past, hut was so much improved this fall that he was able to continue his duties on the hench. News of his resignation, therefore, comes as a surprise. Attorney Theo. Quale and Attorney J. M. Bishop of Thief River Falls, are bothprominently mentioned as a possible successor to Judge Grindeland, hut there will, no douht, be others in the field.

Another terrific sleet storm hit Dakota and southern Minnesota last week disrupting wire service and train traffic, and doing much damage. This section of the state was fortunate in escaping this, as well as the previous sleet storm which hit Dakota. A light flurry of snow fell here Friday morning.

More weight in tire chains gives more wear. Gamble's new Tiger Chains--case-hardened--weigh more per pair then any other standard specification chain. 29x4.40 $3.15 · 30x5.00 $4.35. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Telephone lines in North Dakota and in towns close to the line on the Minnesota side, suffered damage estimated to be nearly a half million dollars during the two sleet storms which hit that area last week. Trains are heing dispatched hy radio in the territory west from Fargo while telegraph and phone lines are being repaired.

Thanksgiving Day

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know. . . . .

Mrs. Peter Simonson left Saturday for a visit at the Ittner and Potvin homes at Cass Lake.

Art Jacobson is reported to be ill again. His many friends hope for his speedy recovery.

Miss Huldah Gigstad, who teaches at Moorhead, will be home to spend Thanksgiving and halance of the week here.

A Sock Social will be held in the school house in Dist No. 94 Saturday evening Dec, 6. A cordial invitation is extended to all.
Effie Fredrickson, Teacher

Mrs. Andrew Mortenson, who was taken to a hospital some time ago, submitted to an operation last Thursday and is now getting along nicely.

Farm For Rent:- 160 acre farm with fair set of buildings good well, along good gravelled road. Inquire at this office. N27tf

Mrs. K. O. Gigstad and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nick Dammon and Bonnie Dammon were guests at a goose dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arne Vik south of town last Sunday.

George Johnson is a patient at the hospital at Thief River following an operation for appendicitis. His appendix was found to be ruptured. Tho he withstood the operation well, he has been a very sick man since.

Glenn Lindquist and Melvin Woods were both fortunate in getting deer last week. While on a rahhit hunt, they noted a couple deer coming their way aceross the prairie and were ahle to bag both as they came close to their hiding place in a strawstack.

Travellers coming thru Dakota report finding roads in terrihle shape from Grand Forks and west. The sleet storm covered the roads with a sheet of glare ice which makes auto traffic both slow and dangerous.

This section of Miunesota, which has experienced nice weather all fall while storms passed both west and east of here, was treated to its first fall of the "beautiful" Tuesday. While snow had fallen here previously this fall, it was not enough to cover the ground. It is estimated that about four inches fell yesterday.

Enoch Sundholm was up Saturday from Red Lake Falls to attend to husiness matters.

Special Deputy Examiner, L. E. Healy was here Monday from Red Lake Falls attending to business matters of the Farmers State Bank.

The open season for hunting deer in this state, closed Tuesday. There will be no open season from now until fall of 1932.

Emil and Bill Hallemeck were out Saturday in vicinity of Plummer on a deer hunt. They succeeded in landing a fine buck that would dress over two hundred pound.

Brue and Johanna Peters motored down Saturday from east of Thief River to attend the Junior Class play, and to visit friends.

Chas. Young, who had spent the fall down in the corn country, arrived here last Thursday for a visit at homes of his hrother, Ray Young and sister, Mrs. Chas. Huff.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Olson was taken ill Friday with bronchial trouble. She was taken to the hospital at Thief River for treatment and is now much improved.

The local school closes today for the annual Thanksgiving vacation, and will re-open Monday morning. The non-resident teachers are all spending the week-end at their respective homes.

More than fifty auto loads of deer hunters passed thru here last week-end hound for home after hunting in the hig game country north of here. Except in very few instances, the cars carried one or more deer.

Mrs. Tohias Reep, accompanied by Mrs. Nesse, motored down Friday from Thief River to attend the ladies aid at the Norwegian Lutheran church. Mrs. Reep, who represents the Red Cross at Thief River, gave a short talk about activities of that organization.

While looking after some traps he had set along the river hank, a young Red Lake Falls lad named Hennings was shot twice by an unseen hunter first of this week. The boy received a hullet thru the calf of his leg and the other thru fleshy part of his hand. The bullet appeared to be from a high power, small caliber rifle.

Red Cross Meeting

A meeting was held Monday evening at hasement of the Norwegian Lutheran church for the purpose of electing temporary officers of the local Red Cross chapter. The annual roll call and membership drive is being put on this week. After this is completed, officers for the coming year will be elected, and meetings will he held once a month.

P. T. A. Meets Dec. 5th

Next regular monthly meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association will be held at the school building Friday evening, Dec. 5th. At this meeting members of the teaching staff will give an outline of their work, and there will be other interesting features on the program. It is hoped all parents will be present whether or not they are members of the P. T. A. Lunch will be served after the program.

Postoffice Hours Changed

Because of the recent change in train schedules on this line, the local postoffice will hereafter open at 8:30 mornings and close at 6:30 after the evening train goes south. As usual at this time of the year, the postoffice force asks all patrons to do their Christmas mailing as early as possible, thus avoiding possibility of delay in delivery which so often occurs with late mailed packages.

Election Contested

Final results of election are still pending down in Red Lake county. For the county treasurership, the vote was a tie between Clarence Orr and the present incumbent, Mr. Emard. In drawing lots, the former won. Mr. Emard petitioned for a recount, and the result was that he received four more votes than before. Now Mr. Orr has filed notice of contest, he contending that many illegal votes had been cast in certain precincts.

A large grain elevator at Oslo was destroyed hy fire last week. The building was full of grain. A coal shed nearby containing upward of a hundred tons of coal, was also destroyed together with contents.

Emil and William Hallemeck and Lud. Gullickson each hagged a deer last week-end.

Village Election Tuesday

The annual village election takes place next Tuesday Dec 2nd, between the hours of 9:00 and 5:00. Paul Roy and A. Satterberg have filed for the office of president of the council. H. F. Hanson and Mike Highland for the three years term as councilman, and Pete Simonson for the 21 months term as councilman. Mike Fricker is alone on the ticket for village clerk, and Arthur Hanson is unopposed as candidate for treasurer. For assessor there are three candidates, Wendell Corbet, Elmer Johnson and Martin Loberg. No candidates filed for either justice or constable.

Village Statement

The annual statement of the village which was formerly published each spring, is published in this issue to comply with the new law which directs that village elections be held in December instead of March as heretofore. The statement shows the village has no outstanding debt of any kind, and has a balance of over $900.00 in its treasury. With spring settlement that sum will be considerable more.

Judge Frank Nye Resigns

Hon. Frank M. Nye, veteran Minneapolis jurist, has resigned his position, according to news dispatches contained in the Minneapolis papers last week-end. Mr. Nye was a member of Congress some years ago, and later was appointed judge at Minneapolis. He was noted for his oratorical ability, and was conceded to be one of the best public speakers in this state. During 1916 to 1918 Mr. Nye visited several times in St. Hilaire at home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. Berkhall. On one of his visits he delivered the commencement address at the local graduation exercises.

Discontinue Old Train

The local passenger train on the St. Vincent line of the G. N., has been discontinued, and local service north of Crookston is now supplied hy the Winnipeg Flyer. Lack of passenger traffic is given as the reason for discontinuance of the local which has run on that line for about forty years.

THRIFT

Economy is near to the keystone of character and success. A boy that is taught to save his money will rarely be a bad man or a failure. The man who saves his money will rise in his trade or profession steadily; this is inevitable. Benjamin Franklin says—"The way to wealth is as plain as the way to market; it chiefly depends on two words industry and frugality.

This bank is here to assist you in your savings program. A connection with your local bank is the first step for you in your financial independence. Your business is invited, appreciated and protected.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.
THE OLD RELIABLE

Holdlng The Fort

Right now when the prices for grains are below reasonable cost of production, its the dairy cow most people here depend upon to keep things going.

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Patronize your creamery--boost for it. It has paid big in years gone by, and will prove even more valuable to you in the future.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Thanksgiving Peace and Plenty

Day of Thanks in Old City of Leyden

There is a singular and most interesting connection between the Thanksgiving day in far-away Dutch Leyden and that first celebrated by the Pilgrim Fathers.

Four centuries ago a bitter struggle was in progress between all-powerful Spain and her little dominion of the Netherlands—a struggle for liberty, freedom in religion and the right of self-government. The odds were terribly heavy against these tiny low countries, but they had the advantage of an indomitable courage and a remarkable leader, William the Silent, of Orange-Nassau.

The first great turning point in their favor during the long struggle was the siege of Leyden and the city's miraculous delivery in 1574, relates the Youth's Companion. In May of that year suddenly, without the slightest warning, this city, one of the most beautiful in all the Netherlands, found itself surrounded by a huge Spanish army under General Valdez. A siege was begun that was to last five months and reduce the city to its very extremity of starvation, plague and despair.

William of Orange was at the time in Delft, but he sent many messages to the people of Leyden, urging them to hold out bravely for the sake of their country, and counseled their burgomaster, Adrian van der Werf, to take every measure of precaution in economizing food.

William of Orange had conceived a startling scheme for the relief of the city and lost no time in putting it into effect. He commanded all the dykes that kept out the sea to be broken down.

Spaniards in Panic.

This accomplished, the water gradually flowed in over the land and was finally deep enough to float a great fleet of vessels laden with defenders as well as supplies, and commanded by Admiral Boisot. But this was not effected until the town had been reduced to utter despair and had sent messages to William of Orange that it could hold out no longer.

It was on the night of October 2 that a strange thing happened. A great storm had come up from the northwest, blowing in a huge wall of water from the German ocean. The fleet of Admiral Boisot had advanced to the last great barrier held by the Spaniards, Fort Lammen, and was awaiting a last sharp encounter in the morning. The Spaniards, thus hemmed in between the city, the sea and the oncoming fleet, began to think themselves in danger.

Suddenly, during the night, there was a hideous crash—a sound so terrifying that the poor citizens of Leyden thought that now at last the Spaniards had broken in and would butcher them all! The Spanish, on their part, were sure the Leydenese had broken out and were making a last desperate sortie. Flight, they were convinced, was the only hope of safety.

So it came to pass that in the storm and darkness, over the only remaining causeway leading to The Hague, the Spanish army silently took its ignominious departure.

City Really Defenseless.

The curious thing about it all was that this horrible sound which had alarmed both contending parties equally was caused by the falling in of a part of the city wall for the space of nearly a quarter of a mile. Not to this day is it definitely known just why it happened. Probably it had been undermined by the incoming water, but at any rate, had the Spaniards only known it, they could have entered the defenseless city without opposition.

Singularly enough, the only soul in or about the city of Leyden who happened to witness the flight of the Spaniards that night was a little boy, Gysbert Cornelissen by name. He saw the long procession of lights flitting over the causeway, guessed at the retreat of the Spanish, and when all was silent and dark again, made his way to the headquarters of General Valdez. Here he found all deserted, but in such a hurry had they been that an iron pot filled with "hodge-podge" (stewing meat and vegetables) was still cooking over the camp fire.

At dawn the next morning Boisot's fleet prepared for the attack, but what was their astonishment to find an empty fort, with one small boy on the breastworks, waving his cap in one hand and brandishing a pot of hodge-podge in the other.

Historic Thanksgiving.

There was rejoicing in the city that day. The famished populace, with the crew of the conquering fleet, repaired at once to the cathedral of St. Peter's and there went up such prayers of thankfulness as only a miraculously delivered city could render. In the midst of singing the great battle hymn, voice after voice broke down till the whole congregation wept in the intensity of its emotion.

From that day to this Thanksgiving has been celebrated in Leyden on October 3, and the crowning dish of the feast is the hodge-podge, eaten in memory of the great relief.

But this is not all. More than 30 years later, when the Netherlands was at last a free and peaceful country, there went to Leyden a band of Puritans who had left England to seek a more congenial spot. In that city they lived for a number of years, sharing the hospitality of the Dutch and joining with them in their feasts and holiday customs. Many a time did they eat hodge-podge on October 3.

When at last, in 1620, they left the kindly city and sailed for their destination in the New world, they doubtless took with them the memory of Leyden's thanksgiving. In the succeeding years they found that they had their own causes for thankfulness, and in celebrating this New world festival they deemed it expedient to substitute roast turkey and pumpkin pie in place of the historic hodge-podge of Leyden.

SHEAF OF THANKS

Every day we take our joys and blessings more or less unthankingly. On Thanksgiving day we harvest our crop and bundle them up in one big beautiful sheaf, bound together with a cord of prayer; there are thanks for peace and safety; for life and health and home; for things that are, and things that are not, for things material and things spiritual; all are in the great lovely sheaf that is offered to the harvest of the Supreme Giver on Thanksgiving day.

Thanksgiving

The lines are fallen unto me in pleasant places; yea, I have a goodly heritage.
—*Psalms* 16:6.

We give thanks, O Lord, for the pleasant places, the goodly heritage. We are the heir to all the ages. Other men have labored and we enter into their labors. All the resources of industry, of science, of art, of literature, are at our command.

We give thanks for the opportunities that thus have come to us; the opportunities to have happy homes illumined with friendship and love, suffused with the myriad sides of culture; the opportunities to do useful work, to contribute our part to the complex fabric of civilization, to serve the present age.

We give thanks for the great adventure of living, with all its risks of joy and sorrow. If happiness be our portion, may we accept it with joyous hearts; if sorrow, may we find strength to fulfill our obligation with courage, knowing that, in so doing, happiness will break through.

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Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

Estate of J. C. Dahl

State of Minnesota, } In Probate
County of Pennington } Court

In the Matter of the Estate of J. C. Dahl Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to all Persons Interested in the Above Entitled Matter: Whereas, James A. Dahl has filed in this Court his final account of his administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: IT IS ORDERED, that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 15th day of December 1930, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, at city of Thief River Falls, in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted; and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in the St. Hilaire Spectator according to law and by mailed notice as provided by the rules of this Court.

WITNESS THE HONORABLE, Lars Backe, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 19th day of November 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe,
Judge.

Brattland Law Offices,
Ada, Minn.
Attorney for Petitioner.
N20-D4

Laughed at Salt Tax

Salt taxes was never very effective in the American colonies. Samuel Winslow got a special franchise for making it exclusively for Massachusetts, but he never profited much by it. Many Colonists went to distant points on the coast and made what they desired for their own use without let nor hindrance.

VILLAGE TREASURER'S ANNUAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING NOVEMBER 14, 1930

Annual statement of E. O. Bukee Treasurer of the Village of St. Hilaire in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, of the moneys received by him as such Treasurer and the sources from which they were received, and the amount paid out by him and the purpose for which they were paid.

RECEIPTS

Mo. Day Year — From Whom Received — On what Account	Amount
Balance cash on hand December 16, 1929	$ 948.10
March 3, 1930, State of Minnesota, cigarette license	31.20
April 9, 1930, County Treasurer, town revenue	382.53
April 9, 1930, County Treasurer, road and bridge	240.43
July 11, 1930, County Treasurer, town revenue	453.91
July 11, 1930, County Treasurer, road and bridge	310.07
July 19, 1930, State of Minnesota, 2 per cent tax insurance premiums	42.78
Total Receipts	$ 2,414.02

DISBURSED

Order No.	Mo. Day Year — To Whom Paid — On What Account	Amount
1	December 28, 1929 Red River Power Co. lights	$ 34.30
2	January 6, 1930, Clifford Hedeen, gravel	173.50
3	January 8, 1930, Nels Person, checking gravel	12.00
4	January 8, 1930, John Forseen, salary	20.00
5	January 8, 1930, Ole Branum, labor	1.75
5	January 8, 1930, O. Gunstad, proceedings	2.25
7	January 12, 1930, Merl Roland, labor	.50
8	January 28, 1930, Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
9	February 4, 1930, O. Gunstad, proceedings and statement	25.75
10	February 4, 1930, John Forseen, salary	20.00
11	February 4, 1930, Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
12	March 5, 1930, John Forseen, salary	20.00
13	March 8, 1930, O. Gunstad, proceedings	2.25
14	March 8, 1930, Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
15	April 9, 1930, O. Gunstad, proceedings	3.25
15	April 9, 1930, John Forseen, salary	20.00
17	April 9, 1930, Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
18	April 9, 1930, Thos. Larson, salary and car hire	5.00
19	April 9, 1930, A. Sattsrberg, salary and car hire	8.50
20	April 9, 1930 H. F. Hanson, salary	5.00
21	April 9, 1930, Pete Simonson, salary	8.00
22	April 9, 1930 M. Fricker, salary	30.00
23	April 9, 1930, E. O. Burkee, salary	20.00
24	May 7, 1930, Roy Sumpter, Fee at Thief River Falls	2.00
25	May 7, 1930, M. Highland, man and team	22.90
26	May 7, A. Satterberg, expenses Thief River Falls	3.20
27	May 7, 1930, Ole Branum, labor	10.33
28	May 7, 1930, Peter Simonson, labor	7.70
29	May 7, 1930, O. Gunstad, proceedings	2.25
30	May 7, 1930, Merchants State Bank, premium fire insurance	19.35
31	May 7, 1930, John Forseen, salary	7.50
32	May 7, 1930, Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
33	June 3, 1930, John Forseen, salary	7.50
34	June 3, 1930, Nels Person, labor	2.10
35	June 3, 1930, M. H. Jackson, labor	1.80
35	June 3, 1930, O. Gunstad, proceedings	8.80
37	June 3, 1930, M. Highland, labor	8.75
38	June 3, 1930, Pete Simonson, labor	3.50
39	June 3, 1930, H. F. Hanson, labor	3.50
40	June 3, 1930, Red River Power Co., light	34.30
41	June 5, 1930, Dr. Froelich, salary health officer	28.00
42	July 10, 1930, A. P. Gordon, labor	11.20
43	July 10, 1930, Thos. Larson, judge of election	5.30
44	July 10, 1930, O. Gunstad, proceedings	2.25
45	July 10, 1930, H. F. Hanson, Board review and ballots	14.15
46	July 10, 1930, Peter Simonson, election and labor	11.90
47	July 10, 1930, M. Fricker, board of review and ballots	12.55
48	July 10, 1930, A. Satterberg, election and phone calls	5.70
50	July 10, 1930, Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
51	August 7, 1930, Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
52	August 7, 1930, M. Highland, labor	8.00
53	August 7, Hans Folstad, assessing 1929 and 1930	100.00
54	August 7, 1930, O. Gunstad, proceedings	2.25
55	August 7, 1930, Nels Person, labor	3.00
55	August 7, 1930, A. Satterberg, expenses, council Thief River Falls	4.25
57	August 7, 1930, Thos. Larson, car hire	1.00
58	August 7, 1930, H. F. Hansen, car hire	1.00
59	August 7, 1930, R. Larson, treasurer of church, cemetery transfer	1.00
50	September 4, 1930, Larson Bros., supplies	2.12
51	September 4, 1930 Peter Simonson, labor	2.80
62	September 4, 1930, H. F. Hanson, labor	2.80
53	September 4, 1930, Kolstad and Peterson, labor	12.00
64	September 4, 1930, F. Hendrickson, labor	1.15
58	September 4, 1930, Central Lumber Comapny, lumber and cement	36.30
55	September 4, 1930, Red River Power Co., light	34.30
57	October 8, 1930, O. Nash, labor	1.05
58	October 8, 1930, Wm. Engh, labor	1.05
69	October 8, 1930, Nels Person, labor	2.80
70	October 8, 1930, A. Odegaard, witness fee	1.00
71	October 8, 1930, M. Highland, labor	2.70
72	October 8, 1930 Miller-Davis, cemetery record	8.00
73	October 8, 1930, O. Gunstad, proceedings	8.50
74	October 8, 1930, Pete Simonson, labor and salary	23.90
75	October 8, 1930, H. F. Hanson, labor and salary	14.45
75	October 8, 1930, Thos. Larson, salary	8.00
77	October 8, 1930, A. Satterberg, salary	5.00
78	October 8, 1930, M. Frickner, salary	30.00
79	October 8, 1930, E. O. Burkee, salary	20.00
80	October 8, 1930, Theo. Quale, attorney fee	92.00
81	October 8, 1930, Red River Power Co., lights	34.30
82	October 8, 1930, John Forseen, salary	7.50
84	November 5, 1930, Elmer Johnson, police	8.00
86	November 6, 1930, Fire Department, service, two fires	81.15
87	November 5, 1930, Nels Person, labor	4.55
91	November 5, 1930, A. Satterberg 5,340 pounds of coal	52.90
92	November 6, 1930, John Forseen, salary	13.80
	Balance cash on hand November 14, 1930	$ 905.92
	Total	$ 2,414.02

RECAPITULATION

Balance December 16, 1929	$ 948.10
Fund	1,470.92
Total	$ 2,414.02

DISBURSEMENTS

Fund	$ 1,508.10
Total Disbusements	1,508.10
Total	$ 1,508.10
Balance November 14, 1930, total	$ 905.92

State of Minnesota }
County of Pennington } ss.
Village of St. Hilaire }

I. E. O. Burkee village Treasurer, hereby certify that the within is a true statement of all the moneys received by me into the Village Treasury of said Village and the source from which the same were received and their respective amounts, and also the amounts paid out by me and the purposes for which paid during the year ending November 14, 1930.

Given under my hand this 14th day of November, 1930.

E. O. BURKEE, Treasurer.

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00
No services.

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Thanksgiving services Thursday at 10:30. Let the whole community join in this service.

Confirmation Sunday, Nov. 30 in Clearwater Luth. church. A class of 13 will be confirmed, and 3 adult baptisms.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
Alhin A. Larson, Pastor

Services in local church next Sunday at 10:30

Sunday School in Black River church at 2:00 and services at 3:00.

North Star College of Warren will give a concert in the local Swedish Luthern church Thanksgiving Day at 3:00.

Like to Spend

There are a surprising lot of people in the world who never want to buy anything until it gets expensive. Especially stocks.—Elmira Star-Gazette.

Uncle Eben

"I don' want to be no boss," said Uncle Eben, "an' do all de worryin' while de plain workin' folks is takin' all de vacations."—Washington Star.

At the regular fall meeting of the directors of the Red River Valley Livestock Breeders' Association, which was held in Crookston last week, A. W. Aamodt, Western Polk County agent, was elected acting secretary during the absence of O. M. Kiser, Northwest School animal husbandman, who is spending the year in graduate study at the University of Minnesota. Other items of business included the selection of judges and departmental superintendents for the forthcoming show scheduled for the week of February 9-13, 1931.

Officers of the Livestock Association are as follows: Congressman C. G. Selvig, Pres. F. A. Green, Stephen, vice president; O. M. Kiser, Crookston, secretary: M. E. Dahl, Twin Valley, treasurer, together with the following directors, A. J. Robinson, Mahnomer; S. M. Sivertson Crookston; Paul Engelstad, Thief River Falls, E. D. Grant, Glyndon, William Ash, St. Vincent, and C. C. Strander, Crookston.

No in Either Case

Richard Brinsley Sheridan (1751-1816), Irish dramatist and politician, and Edmund Burke (1729-1797), English statesman and orator, are both credited with the pun which follows. When asked to pay at least the interest on a sum owed, the impertinent but witty reply was:

"It is not to my interest to pay the principal, nor is it my principle to pay any interest."

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Your Printing

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St. Hilaire Spectator

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Engh's Service Station

The Pastor Says:

It may be that young people do not attend church as much as they ought, but recently I was present at a baptismal service where there was quite a sprinkling of children.—John Andrew Holmes.

Jewish Guardians

A "shomer" is literally a watcher. The Shomrim are a band of young people who ride at night about the settlements of the Jews in Palestine and ward off marauding Bedouins.

Who Cares?

To the Munich professor's statement that radium becomes lead in 1,860 years the world, no doubt, returns in chorus, "Isn't that too bad?"—St. Paul Pioneer Press.

Myth Exploded

The widely credited possibility of ships becoming embedded in the weeds of the Sargasso sea, and being unable to escape was disproved by the expedition of the Michael Sars under the direction of Sir John Murray in 1910, which found the surface covered with weeds only in patches, not continuously. The Beebe expedition later verified this statement.

Creosote Not Necessary

There is no necessity for creosoting the wood used in airplanes. It is done only when the wood is in contact with the ground or actually placed in the ground. The objection to using creosote on wood for airplanes is that it prevents the satisfactory application of paint and also adds unnecessarily to the weight of the machine.

The Flight of Mary Ann

By CHARLES SLOAN REID

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MARY ANN threw back the sheets of her bed and sat up. The moonlight came through the window of her little shed room. Cautiously she put her feet to the floor. There was not a sound in the house except that of her father's snoring in the next room. Slowly she pulled on her stockings, then slipped into her clothes. Taking her shoes in her hand she started across the floor. The boards gave back a slight squeaking as she moved.

"I shore mustn't wake Paw nor Maw," she told herself. "What I'm doin' will mos' kill them two, I reckon; but somehow I jest can't help it. An' then, Mark promised by all good an' bad he'd bring me back to see 'em right off."

The shed room had no opening except the small window near Mary Ann's bed and the doorway leading into the main room of the cabin. The girl would have to cross the floor of thet room to make her exit from the house. She had packed the few articles of her wearing apparel into a small oilcloth handbag, which she took up in her left hand. Slowly she lifted the latch of the front door and drew back the shutter on its hinges. A moment later she stood alone on the front doorstep, the door closed behind her.

"Poor Maw and Paw! Whet will they think o' me, I wonder? But I can't help it—I jest can't. I'm a plom' out an' out fool about Mark Simmons. I wonder why he didn't want to marry me here et home, reg'lar? I don't like this runnin' away business; but I reckon it can't be helped, now I've promised. Somehow them eyes o' his wouldn't let me do nothin' but promise, as he wanted me to."

The girl's soliloquy ended in tears, but it did not shake her determination. She continued: "An' there's poor Bill Duckett as has been lovin' me since I was a baby, a'most; an' me a-lovin' him all the time, too, till Simmons come. It ain't a treatin' Bill right, nuther, I reckon; but whet can I do?—What can I do? Mark said we'd travel an' see a lot o' things 'fore we come back—an' I shore would love to see things."

Mary Ann put on her shoes and laced them carefully. Then she took up her handbag and started down the trail thet led to the river. From down the ravine came tha roar of the stream.

Despite the buoyancy of the love theme singing in her heart she stopped and stood listening intently. The boom of the river had been in her ears since childhood; but tonight it seemed to be droning strange words.

"I reckon I be a coward," she murmured to herself. "He couldn't tell me no lies, with truthful eyes like he's got."

Thus she assured herself, and her footsteps became once more elastic. At a turn in the trail, where it swerved to avoid a water-worn declivity of the mountain, Mary Ann came into full view of the Sall Rock. Mark Simmons stood there, waiting, his form clearly outlined in the moonlight. Mary Ann stopped and shrank back into the friendly shade of some shrubbery. Once more she was thinking of Bill Duckett and his years of devotion. As Mary Ann watched through the openings among the leaves she saw a creeping thing go gliding across the rock toward the feet of Simmons. The girl's lips parted. A shriek of warning formed in her throat; but it failed to issue when she realized that what she at first thought a huge rattlesnake was only a harmless bull snake. Simmons had seen the reptile almost at the same instant. Raising his foot he set it across the snake's neck, lightly, but with sufficient force to pin the reptile to the rock. Mary Ann watched the performance with sudden curiosity, without moving from her position.

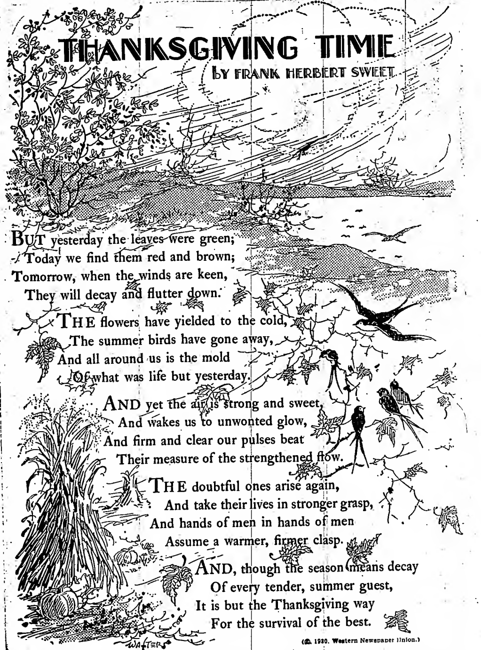
Thrusting his fingers into his pocket, Simmons drew forth a small penknife which he opened. Stooping over his captive, he began jabbing the reptile with the point of his knife blade in a way to make it squirm in evident pain, apparently without any intention of killing it. Evidently the man was enjoying the sufferings of the helpless thing beneath the instep of his foot. Mary Ann Arnett's eyes grew large from amazement. Then horror filled her soul. Once more the eyes of Mark Simmons seemed to be staring into her own; but now they were like the eyes of a rattlesnake, merciless and cruel. Dropping her handbag, she clapped her hands to her throbbing temples, turned about, and fled like a frightened fawn back up the trail toward the cabin.

Presently Mary Ann ran headlong into the arms of some one who clasped her closely, stopping her flight. The girl, panting from her exertions, looked up into the face above her own. The moonlight revealed to her the features of Bill Duckett.

"Oh, Bill," she cried, "don't—don't let him git me? I love you, Bill. I won't ever love nobody but you! Ugh!" She shuddered, as once more her mind's eye saw the writhings of the snake under Mark Simmon's torturing.

"Lord, girl, you shore do make me happy! I found out Simmons was calc'latin' on takin' you away tonight; an' I—well, no matter now, Mary Ann—yuh're mine, ain't yuh?"

"I shore am, Bill, for good an' always." Mary Ann clung to him with a sort of wild desperation.



THANKSGIVING TIME

BY FRANK HERBERT SWEET

BUT yesterday the leaves were green;
Today we find them red and brown;
Tomorrow, when the winds are keen,
They will decay and flutter down.

THE flowers have yielded to the cold,
The summer birds have gone away,
And all around us is the mold
Of what was life but yesterday.

AND yet the air is strong and sweet,
And wakes us to unwonted glow,
And firm and clear our pulses beat
Their measure of the strengthened flow.

THE doubtful ones arise again,
And take their lives in stronger grasp,
And hands of men in hands of men
Assume a warmer, firmer clasp.

AND, though the season means decay
Of every tender, summer guest,
It is but the Thanksgiving way
For the survival of the best.

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Maine First to Give Thanks for Mercy?

We are apt to think that Thanksgiving was originally a New England festival and belonged distinctively to the Puritans. This is a mistake. Neither Boston Puritans nor Plymouth Pilgrims had anything to do with it, for it was first practiced by the Popham colonists of Monhegan, Maine, and it was in a Church of England thanksgiving service—"A Giving of God Thanks for a Safe Voyage," says a writer in the Kansas City Times.

The practice of setting aside certain days for thanksgiving had become a custom long before the Reformation. Protestants followed the practice, especially in the established church, where it had become a fixed practice long before New England began the observance. It seems a strange thing that the Pilgrims, who hated so heartily all the observances of the Church of England, should have been so willing to follow this practice so early in their history.

The first Thanksgiving day of New England was, however, never appointed nor intended for a day of religious worship. It had nothing in common with the Church of England day of prayer and praise for past blessings and future need. It was appointed as a day of recreation and freedom from work, which made the colonists' days one ceaseless grind of care.

Indians Helped Provide Meat.

But those who are wont to think of the Pilgrims as a group of sober and morose men and women, with no idea in life beyond work and prayer, would do well to read an account of that week of Thanksgiving, the first real play time of the Pilgrims.

Edward Winslow wrote to a friend in England on December 11, 1621:

"Our harvest being gotten in, our governor sent four men out fowling, so that after a special manner we might rejoice together, after we had gained the fruit of our labors. That four killed as much fowl as, with little help beside, served the whole company about a week. At which time, among other recreations, we exercised our arms, many of the Indians coming among us, and among the rest, their great King Massasoyt, with some ninety men, who for three days we entertained and feasted. They went out and killed five deer, which they brought and bestowed upon our governor, upon the captain and others."

Governor Bradford in his account speaks of the great number of water fowl and wild "turkle." The record goes on to tell that the Pilgrims, without doubt, fared decidedly better than did their English brothers that year, as "turkle" was scarce.

There were only 50 Englishmen to eat the Thanksgiving feast that first year, but 90 Indians came as guests. They did not come empty-handed, but brought generous gifts. The kindly spirit of friendliness was worth even more at that time.

Only Five Women to Get Meals.

The games were tests in jumping, leaping and running, in which they all took part. But in spite of all this, it could not have been a week of unalloyed recreation and pleasure, for there were only four women to do the cooking, with the help of one maid servant, and a few maidkins. There were 140 men to be served, and 90 of them Indians, whose hunger had to be appeased for three days. Even more noticeable and pathetic was the very small number of children in the stockade to participate in this first Thanksgiving celebration.

There is no record of any kind of religious service or prayer during the week. One writer says: "Lost in the wood—terrified by lions—terrified by grinning wolves—half frozen in the poorly built houses—sickened by poor food, and half famished—almost half the company dead, after two years of suffering and hardship. In spite of these heavy hardships, and after the drought of 1623, a nine days of prayer for rain was answered, and the second Thanksgiving day was appointed and observed."

The first Thanksgiving day which was publicly appointed, was set for February 22, 1630, in gratitude for the "Friend-bringing and food-bearing ships." November 4, 1631, Winthrop wrote, "We keep Thanksgiving day today in Boston." Until 1684 the day was celebrated about every two years.

Thankful for Clean Teeth.

We have no certain record when it became a fixed annual observance in New England. But in 1742 there were two Thanksgiving days and Massachusetts and Connecticut celebrated without reference to each other. As time passed, it became more and more a day of prayer and thanksgiving. "For it becomes more hard," one Connecticut writer says, "to settle upon any special day."

It was not regularly observed until 1766, and then more as a day of worship than a day of feasting. One writer speaks of a service in which a long list of special blessings was specified.

"For the healing of breaches, the abatement of disease, the arrival of persons of quality, gratitude for plentiful harvest, that God has sent us no want of bread, and for clean teeth."

These early Thanksgiving days were of many different days of the week, and of no certain month for many years. After the day began to be observed annually, it came to be the custom to hold the festival in the fall, and following harvest. The feast was usually prepared for by some days of fasting.

No Celebration Without Pie.

But among the early Thanksgiving celebrations of Colonial days is one which has no counterpart in history. The records say that the governor of Connecticut appointed a certain day to be observed throughout the state as a time of thanksgiving. But, for reasons of their own, the residents of the town of Colchester ignored the governor's appointed day. They sent a committee to him stating that they were not able to accept the day he had selected, but "would gladly celebrate Thanksgiving one week later."

As this had never happened before, the governor was at a loss to know how to proceed. Fortunately, he was a patient man, and not easily affronted, and one who was blessed with a sense of humor.

Finding he was not going to make the matter disagreeable for them, he was again visited and the matter explained. A sloop expected from New York had been delayed a week. On board was a hogshead of molasses for making pies, without which no Thanksgiving celebration could proceed.

Being a man of good sense, and perhaps, too, having the New England appreciation for pie, the good people of Colchester were allowed to hold their Thanksgiving when the hogshead of molasses came in, a week later.

In 1677 the first regular Thanksgiving proclamation was printed, and it is said a copy still is in existence.

FOR BLESSINGS

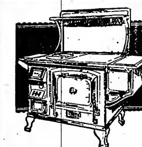
To give thanks on Thanksgiving day, to pause from normal activities, to recognize the providential blessings bestowed upon the American people is a duty. The custom has no law of compulsion. It has become a traditional practice. It is instituted by Presidential proclamation, which is observed as though it were of statutory force. While the day has become a holiday, a festivity in some degree, it remains primarily an occasion of reverential recognition of the great dispensation which brings to America the richness of spiritual as well as material advance.

Called-For Tribute

In all the ages of mankind the tributes of the people to the divine being have been forthcoming, and at no time more fervently than following the harvest. Let those who fail in their tributes to the source and center of human hope, at this time at least, pay tribute to their Maker. The Lord is in his holy temple, let all the earth keep silence before him.—Philadelphia Ledger.

English Feast Days

History tells us that England had so many days of thanksgiving that it often interfered with the more serious affairs of life. Even during the days of Cromwell there were more than a hundred feast days.



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River News

Miss Winifred Thompson visited Wednesday at home of her friend, Helen Hesse.

Fritz Ulrich, Martin Haupt and friends returned Saturday from vicinity of Blackduck bringing home a couple of fine deer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Burstad, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry. Burstad and daughters Vivian and Dorthy spent evening at the Adolph Satterberg home.

Pete Ulrich and Mr. Henschke arrived Saturday for a brief visit with his brother Fred Ulrich before returning from a deer bunt to their home at Buffalo Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Seeger of Red Lake Falls spent Sunday at the Fred Ulrich home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Erdmann and family spent Sunday at the E. Seeger home at Red Lake Falls.

LOCALS

A heavy snow storm raged Tuesday afternoon and night in the territory around Fargo, N. D. In several places the storm was so bad tbat school children were not permitted to go home from school.

The Board of Managers of the Minnesota State Fair have worked out a ten year building plan which will be submitted to the legislature for approval at its coming season. Among the improvements contemplated are a larger tourist camp, a new 4H club building, and new buildings to bouse the swine, sbeep horses, poultry, agriculture, horticulture, dairy, machinery and industrial exhibits. As many of the present buildings were erected from 25 to 45 years ago, and are of frame construction, need for new equipment is apparent.

Reward of Virtua

Chew your food slowly aod you'll find when ready for a second helping there's nothing left bnt carrots, some spinach and balf tbe baby's glass of milk.

More Valnable Than Gold

Among the minerals, beryllium, platinum, radium, palladium, osmium, iridium and vanadium are more valuable than gold.

Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the village council of the village of St. Hilaire, Minn, beld at the village hall Nov, 3th at 8:00 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present.

Minutes of last regular meeting were approved as read.

On motion made and carried the following bills were allowed as read.

Ed Roy	Police one night	$3.C0
Elmer Johnson	Police one night	3.00
Peter Simonson	Police one night and labor 8 hours	5.80
Fire department	Service at two fires	80.15
Nels Person	labor 13 hours	4.55
O. Gunstad	Proceedings	2.25
Larson Bros	Merchandise	4.10
Mike Highland	Grading, Draying, Express	7.19
A. Satterberg	6340 lbs coal	52.90
John Forseen	Salary	13.50
W. S. Nott Co.	200 lbs Acid	9 00
Red River Power Co.	Lights	34.30

On motion duly made and carried meeting adjourned.

A. Satterberg, President   M. Fricker, Clerk

Great African Lake

Lake Nyaso, which covers about one-fourth of the protectorate's entire aree, is the third ln size of the greot lakes of central Africa. It is 340 miles long ond its greotest width, which occurs ot the center, ls 45 miles. The total area of the lake has been estimeted nt 11,000 square miles. Its waters are carried into the Zambesi via the River Shire. Nyasalnnd and its great lake were only voguely known until 1859 when David Livingstone and the German traveler, Albrecht Roscher, explored it simnitaneously, Livingslone from the sonth and Roscher from the east. Since thet time it has been the scene of civilizing work on the part of missionaries and government officiale.

Progression

"At twenty years of age, tbe will reigns; at thirty, the wit; at forty, the jndgement," said Benjamin Franklin. And he might have added: "At forty-five, the wife."—Fort Wayns News-Sentinel.

Men's Ideas

I would wi-h . . . to look with a large forgiveness at men's ideas and prejndices, which are by no means the ontcome of malevolence, bnt depend on their edncation, their social status, even their professlous.—Joseph Conrad.

Turn About Is Fair Play

A Bartlesville woman says she will quit driving from the back seat wben her husband quits cooking from the dining room.—Bartlesville (Okla) Enterprise.

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Alexandria—Merchants ere planning a coru show December 13.

Dayton—The First State Bank of Deyton was robbed of $800 cash by two men.

West Duluth—The business district was threetened by a blaze which caused $100,000 damage.

Milroy—Two bank raiders wearing overalls held up the State bank of Milroy and escaped with $400 in currency.

St. Cloud—Stearus county has appropriated $25,000 for the area T. B. test, bringing the total tax levy to $501,500.

Janesville—Amateur actors of this community will provide a fund for the re-establishing of a skating rink for children.

Duluth—Chas. E. Browne, St. Louis county deputy sheriff succeeded in bagging a 150-pound bnck deer, with a bow and nrrow.

Winona—On its last river trip of the seeson, the towboat Patrick G. Hurley, gronnded on the Wisconsin side of the river here.

St. Paul—The Dayton Bluff State Benk wes the scene of a daylight robbery when e lone gunman forced the cashier to hand over $1,933 in cash.

Little Falls—An addition to the Little Fells-Bellevue game reserve in Little Falls township has heen created under an order of Geo. W. McCullough.

St. Paul—St. Peul's new million dollar Third street viadnct, spanning the wide strip of railroad tracks from John street to Mounds bonlevard, 3,114 feet was opened for the first time to traffic.

Blooming Prairie—Blooming Prairie will construct its own power, light snd heating plant, citizens decided at a special election. The voters approved issuance of $35,000 bonds to construct the plant.

Minneapolis—The 1931 Community relief and welfere work—a total that $1,538,258.73 snbscribed by citizens for relief and welfare work—o total that exceeds by $107,258.73 the goal set for tbe compeign.

St. Paul—The Red River Trail, one of the most important thoroughfares of the northwest in the frontier days, is to be relocated and marked for the henefit of future generstions. The Minnesota Historical Survey is sponsoring the movement.

St. Paul—More than 1,000,000,000 young fish were planted in lakes and streoms of Minnesota dnring the last two years, according to a biennial compilation by the state game and fish depertment. The total number plented wss 1,147,944,517.

St. Paul—Minnesota's population is 2,563,593, it wes announced by the census bureeu in Washington. Tho figure is slightly less then the preliminery total. The etate's increase was 176,828, or 7.4 per cent, the smallest rate of increase in any decade of Minnesota history.

St. Paul—The Minnesota State Fair bee mepped a ten-year building program, it wes announced by Frank E. Millerd of Candy, president of the Feir. Construction of a number of new bnildings, replatting of grounds, installetion of sewer, water and gas meins, and the acquisition of odditional ground for e tourist camp and for automobile perking, are high spots in the plan for a bigger and better feir. The incoming legislature will be esked to approve the Fair Bosrd's program and provide funds with which to carry on the improvements. The solons will be petitioned to creete a fund by adding a fraction of a mill tax to the State tax levy, the revenue to be derived from this source to be used exclnsively for new buildings and improvements the next ten yeers. "Minnesota's State Fair has fallen hehind fairs in Iowa, Illinois, Indiena, Ohio and Michigan in recent yeers hecause its physical plant is run down ond deterioated," says Mrs. Millerd. "Leck of adequate facilities end huildings to house displays has cut down the number of exhibits and curtalied our educational program. Of the more than 100 bnildings on the grounds, only fonr or five are of fire-proof construction. The others era of freme construction with dirt and wood floors and were erected from 25 to 45 yeere ago. They not only ero unsonitary end dengerous to health but are nnetiractive and present a tremendous fire hazard. This bas not heen epparent to fair visitors for the reason that the condition of buildings hes been hidden by improvised camouflage. The Fair, organized and dedicated to the building np of agriculture, hes pleyed a prominent part la the development of the state's basic industry. Approval by the legislature of the improvement program will re-establish the Minnesota State Feir to front ranks snd extend its sphere of influence. The exect fraction of a mill tax to be asked or the amount to be reelized annually has not yet been definitely determined."

Northfield—Carleton college here, has received a gift of $1,500,000 from the General Educational Board of New York, a Rockefeller foundation. It is given on the condition that friends of the college raise an additional $3,000,000 for the school.

St. Paul—Minnesota big game hunters will add approximately $185,000 to the state's coffers for the privilege of hunting deer in the state, George W. McCnllough, state game and fish commissioner has stated. Approximately 60,000 licences are expected to be sold for the season.

MAN CLAIMED BY 2 FAMILIES

Odd Case of Dual Personality That Has Puzzled the Italian Courts.

Rome.—The extraordinary case of dispnted personality in which a mystery man is claimed hy two families is now approaching its climax in the forthcoming final decision of the Florence Court of Appeals.

For more than four years the strange case has interested the entire country and already the Italian courts have pronounced twice on the affair.

The point in dispute is whether a certain former inmate of the Collegno hospital for the insane is Prof. Giulio Canella, Italian officer reported missing during the war, or Mario Bruneri, former printer and sometime jailbird of Turin.

"Recognized" by Sons.

The wives of Mario Bruneri and Professor Canella both swear that the "unknown" is their hnsband. He has been "recognized" hy the sons of both the original Bruneri and Canella families. Many relations of both families bave sworn before the courts that he belongs to them. A long list of persons, including the bishop of Verona, numerous lawyers and professional men, and even the editor of the Vatican organ, the Osservatore Romano, Count Della Torre, have intervened in the case and declared that they "recognize" the man either as Canella or Bruneri.

All this mass of evidence is contradictory, but the two decisions of the Italian courts have ruled that the unknown is Mario Bruneri.

During the various phases of the protracted case Italy has divided itself into two camps, known as the "Brunerians" and the "Canellists." The affair has been made the subject of veudeville sketches. Cartoonists have wallowed in it. Advertisement writers have followed its possibilities closely. Bets have been made on it, and men have gone to fancy dress dances in pairs as Canella and Bruneri, dressed alike. It has been a joke, a perplexity, a last resort in conversation, almost a post-war problem.

The "unknown" maintains he is Prof. Ginlio Canella of Verona and is at present living with Mrs. Canella, by wbom be bas bad two children during the years that the controversy bas lasted.

Brunsris Are Poor.

The Bruneri family are poor people, the Canellas well-to-do folks, but more than one member of tbe North Italian bar has given his services gratis to the Brunerlan cause out of conviction tbat the "mystery man" is really the ex-printer, Mario Bruneri.

Every kind of expert has been employed in the case—psychiatrists, psychologists, finger-print experts, detectives, calligraphists, but the evidence is always contradictory.

About four yeara ago Bruneri's mother received a letter from the lunatic asylum of Collegno, near Turin, purporting to come from her son, which declared that he was detained there and asking for financial assistance and a lawyer. He had been missing for some time. He was in the hospital as an unknown suffering from lack of memory, and as the original Bruneri was wanted by the police, the Bruneri family went cautiously abont proffering their assistance to the nnknown and exposing his identity. Shortly afterwards a photograph of the mystery man was pnblished in the press, whereupon Mrs. Giulio Canella immediately recognized him as her husband, supposed to bave been lost in the war.

Soon after this the Bruneri family visited the "unknown" at Collegno. They at once "recognized" him, his son calling him "papa" and his wife and his brother showing every sign of thrilled recognition.

The "unknown," bowever, grew cold and told the Bruneris they were mistaken. He was Prof. Giulio Canella and no one else. He has insisted on heing called Canella ever since, despite the findings of the courts and the protests of the Bruneri family and their innumerable supporters througbont the country.

Swimmer Scares Girls; Pays for It With Life

San Jose, Calif.—An eleven-year-eld boy swimmer who wanted to "scare the girls" paid with his life for the stunt bere.

Four times Carl Steiner, young son of Mrs. Josephine Steiner, simulated drowning, bnt came np to laugb at his four young girl friends on the bank of Coyote creek. The fifth time they paid no attention until several mlnntes bad passed.

Then Lea White ran to a farmhonse and gave the alarm. The body was recovered.

It's Ye Tourist Who Kills Joy for Mailman

Jasper Park, Alberta.—It's the tourists who keep the postman busy. Allowed two days, the everage tourist sends fifty post cards from Jasper Park lodge, says John O'Brien, its manager.

Often the tourist will write people he has not written to or heard from for years, Mr. O'Brien said, bnt he added that when a man and his wife are traveling together, the duty of corresponding is wholly turned over to the wife.

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PUSH RESEARCH WITH ROCKETS

Steel Towers Built at Camp Devens for Important Experiments.

Worcester, Mass.—From a small depression in a remote corner of Camp Devens, near here, where thousands of American soldiers trained during the war, there will soon echo sounds of explosions reminiscent of war-time artillery practice. But the sonnds will not be of big guns, says the Chicago Daily News.

They will be from rockets sailing npward from a steel tower to heights that cannot be predicted with certainty. Perhaps their greatest altitude for some time to come will be measured in only thousands, or even bundreds, of feet, but from them scientists are looking forward to the time wben they will be eble to explore heights above the earth far greater tban any reacbed by airplanes or balloqns. Perbsps eventually travel to the moon or even to other planets will become possible by a development of such rocket experiments.

Backed by Guggenheim.

The Camp Devens experiment is part of the work of Dr. Robert H. Goddard, professor of physics at Clark university bere. Doctor Goddard is one of the pioneer students of this form of locomotion. It was in 1912, while at Princeton university, that he began his researches. In 1914 be went to Clark, where he has worked ever since. Much of his work bas been done with the assistance of tbe Smithsonian institution and later of the Carnegie institution of Washington.

So important bave been Doctor Goddard's researches and so mucb do they promise that now a grant bas been made to him by Daniel Gnggenheim in order that he may continue them with adequete facilities.

The Goddard rocket is essentially the same as the Fourth of Jnly pyrotechnic, in that it is propelled by the recoil from the discharge of gases.

Professor Goddard has perfecied a liquid propellant for his rocket which has many advantages over gunpowder or similar explosives. As this burus np as it is used the rocket continually becomes lighter. In scientific exploration of tbe npper atmospbere above the present altitude records instruments would be carried up and a perachnte would bring them safely to earth after the charge had been exbausted.

Hope for Results.

Doctor Goddard does not promise when he will be able to send rockets np to these great altitudes. The only ones he has fired so far are small affairs, which have only ascended a few hundred feet. Similar rockets will be fired from tbe Camp Devens station, thongh increasingly higher and higher altitudes should be attained. He compares bis present experiments with the first efforts of the Wrigbt brothers, who flew only a few feet bnt whose work laid the foundation for the development of the airplane.

After the rocket is perfected scientists expect many present-day puzzles will be solved. It will be possible to study the spectrum of the sun withont the screening effect of the ozone layer 50 to 75 miles above the earth, whicb cuts ont a large part of the solar radiation. Knowledge will donbtless be gained of the Kennelly-Heaviside layer, the ionized stratum in the atmosphere that makes possible long-distance radio.

Samples of the atmospbere from these high altitudes may be brougbt down for analysis, and it may prove that et these beigbts what rarefied etmosphere there is consists mainly of hydrogen and helium instead of oxygen and nitrogen. And then in the far distant future, perhaps, the scientists foresee the time when they can actually send a rocket to the moon, 240,000 miles away, or even to one of the ether planets, millions of miles distant.

Pool Closed to Save Clothes

Crewe, England.—A children's padding pool has been closed bere on Sundays because of the risk of Sunday clothes being ruined and the fact that some nearby residents objected to the noise of childish laughter on the Sabbath.

Closes Season's Run

The Feldspar mill closed Monday for the season. The mill had been running night and day all fall. There is about 40 cars loads of the finisbed product stored here which is expected to take care of orders until navigation opens.- Warroad Pioneer.

Burglary In Town

Last Thursday morning it was discovered that the Holland drug store had been entered the previous night and a quantity of narcotics taken from the prescription case. Entrance to the building, was gained by a window in the rear. A hole was bored in the upper sash of the lower half of the window. Through this hole a small instrument was inserted to open the catch thus allowing the window to open. The loot amounting to $50.- Warroad Pioneer.

25 Years Ago

John Richards, manager of the Crookston Lumber Company, was here looking after matters at the mill.

—XXV—

Miss Valborg Peterson and Mr. Albert Fellman were married at the home of his father here Nov, 23rd.

—XXV—

The sawmill closed Nov, 24th because of a breakdown of some of the machinery. That year the mill operated the longest season in its history.

—XXV—

Martin McAndress went up to Thief River to spend a few days on his claim.

—XXV—

Wylie secured an agreement from the Great Northern that it would maintain the tracks from here and would provide train service from this point.

—XXV—

More seats were installed at the school house. Attendance was increasing and it was thought another teacher would be needed.

—XXV—

Lewis Adams and two children came from Grand Forks, and he took charge of the barbershop. His mother came with them to care for the children.

Taken up-One bay horse. Owner may have same by identifying and paying for this adv. and cost of keep.

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Mrs. P. W. Peterson Called

This community received a shock Sunday when it learned that Mrs. P. W. Peterson had passed away that morning at home of her daughter, Mrs. Amanda Weyrauch, at Chicago. Mrs. Peterson left here two weeks ago, apparently in good health, to spend the winter months with her children in Chicago. Shortly after her arrival there she was taken ill with pneumonia, and passed away Sunday morning at 8:00. As members of her family here were not even aware she was ill, news of her death was a severe shock to them all.

Mrs. Johana Sofira Peterson, nee Bockman, was born Feb, 27, 1862 at Foglo, Somboda Aaland; Finland and was nearly 68 years of age. She grew to womenhood in Finland coming to this country in 1888. She was married to William Peterson at Chicago on July 4th, that year and shortly thereafter they moved to the farm southeast of Hazel that has been the family home for the past 42 years.

Mr. Peterson died in April 1926, and one son and two daughters also have preceeded their mother in death.

A kind and loving mother, a good neighbor, an active and willing worker in the Clara church of which she was a charter member, Mrs. Peterson was held in high esteem by all who knew her. Her home always held a welcome for all, and she was always ready to aid those in distress. She will be long remembered for her kindness and Christian character.

Mrs. Peterson is survived by five sons and four daughters. The sons are Frank, Richard, and Alvin who reside at home, Fred at Chicago, and Walter at Wannaska, Minn. The daughters are Anna, who resides at home, Mrs. Elmer Erickson of McIntosh, Minn., Mrs. H. F. Weyrauch and Violet Peterson of Chicago. All members of the family were home for the funeral which was conducted by Rev. Aner Bloom of Grand Forks, at the Clara Swedish Lutheran church yesterday afternoon. The church was filled to overflowing by friends and neighbors who came to pay their last respects to the deceased who was beloved by them all. Interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the church where other members of the family are buried.

Heartfelt sympathy of a large circle of friends is extended to the bereaved family in their time of sorrow.

Village Election Held

The annual village election was held Tuesday. Interest in the event was not overly keen as only about two thirds of the normal vote in the village was polled. Paul Roy was elected president of the council for 1931. H. F. Hanson was re-elected as councilman. Peter Simonson and Tom Larson were re-elected to succeed themselves as councilman for the short terms of nine months following expiration of their present terms. Mike Fricker was re-elected village clerk, and Arthur Hanson was named for treasurer. In a three cornered contest, Elmer Johnson won the assessorship. Scattered votes were given several persons for justice of the peace, and constable.

At meeting of the village council Monday night a decision was reached to purchase another chemical engine to augment the fire fighting apparatus of the village. The new extinguisher will be similar to the old one, but instead of being pulled by hand, it will be mounted on a auto chassis or trailer so it may be quickly transported to any part of town or surrounding country in case of emergency.

Merkens--Hovet

Relatives and friends here have received word of the marriage of Thomas Hovet of this village, to Miss Mabel Merkens of Shelly, Minn. The ceremony took place at the Lutheran church at Ada, on Wednesday, Nov. 19th.

The groom is a son of Mrs. K. Kolstad of this village, and is well known locally. Mr. and Mrs Hovet will make their home on a farm near Halstad during the winter. Numerous friends in St. Hilaire join in wishing the newlyweds a long and happy married life.

Dr. Spofford
Optometrist
Will Be At
Blue Parrot Cafe, St. Hilaire, on Wednesday, Dec, 10, forenoon only
Eyes Examined, Glasses fitted

A Sock Social will be held in the school house in Dist No. 94 Saturday evening Dec, 6. A cordial invitation is extended to all.
Effie Fredrickson,
Teacher

Santa's Appeal

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Local turkey raisers are getting ready to dress their marketable birds for the coming holiday trade.

An increase in receipts of cream is noted at the creamery for month of November.

Rev. and Mrs. C. B. Dahlberg returned this week after having visited for over a week at home of his parents, at New London, Minn.

Jake Bohlen and son Dick, were down Saturday from their farm east of Thief River to look after matters of business.

Harry Just, who has been employed at Thief River Falls until recently, was here last week-end for a visit with his father Emil Just.

Several auto loads of deer hunters passed thru here Saturday enroute for their homes farther south. Each of the cars carried one or more deer.

Mrs. Pete Simonson returned last week after visiting a few days at the homes of her daughters, Mrs. Ittner and Mrs. Potvin, at Cass Lake.

Heavy snow fell last week end in Dakota. That section was previously visited by two severe sleet storms, and this added snow will provide ample moisture for spring.

Despite somewhat gloomy predictions by the weather bureau, last Saturday was one of the nicest days experienced all winter. The mercury came up to over freezing part of the day.

Last meeting of the present county board will be held at the court house tomorrow. At next meeting, which will be held in January, three new members of the board will take their seats.

A gift for the boy or girl at school -- the invalid -- A personal radio. The Play-Boy $49.50 complete. Gamble Stores. Thief River Minn.

William Peterson motored fore part of last week to Fergus Falls to visit with friends. Upon returning, he was accompanied here by Miss Hazel Fricker of Ronneby, who spent Thanksgiving here with her father, Mike Fricker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Burkee and daughter of Thief River, spent Thanksgiving here with relatives.

Local merchants report a large increase in sales of heavy wearing apparel since the cold weather set in.

Next session of the whist club will be held at the Imperial hall this evening. After resting up for two weeks, both sides are "rarin to go" so a real contest is anticipated.

George Johnson, who submitted to an operation at the hospital at Thief River a short time ago, is steadily convalescing and will be about again in a short time.

All members of the local teaching staff returned first of the week and school re-opened Monday after the annual Thanksgiving vacation.

There will be only 17 more shopping days until Christmas, and shoppers should buy early, mail early, and buy liberally of Christmas Seals.

Ole Hagglund motored Tuesday to Fargo to be with his son, Vernon who underwent operations yesterday for removal of tonsils and appendix. Vernon withstood the ordeal well and is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Dammon, accompanied by his sister, Bonnie Dammon, left last week end for their home at Farmington after having spent a week here at the Mrs. K. O. Gigstad home.

Frozen radiators is one of the common troubles being experienced now by motorists. The local garage operators have their hot water tanks and blow torches ready for such an emergency, and have been kept busy lately.

Fred Soderberg left yesterday for Minneapolis where he will enter the University Hospital for treatment of a knee that has given him much pain and trouble the past year. His many friends hope he will secure permanent relief.

Peter Burstad, former local man is in charge of construction of a new power dam being built at Martell, Calif. At the present time about 60 men are employed, but Pete states he will have 150 men on the job in a short time.

Band Concert, Dec. 19th

The Red Lake Falls Juvenile Band of sixty pieces, which gave a very pleasing concert at a meeting of the Parent Teachers Association here two years ago, will again appear here in concert on Friday, Dec 19th, at 8 o'clock. This concert will be given as a benefit for the St. Hilaire Juvenile Band which started this week and the small sum of 25 cents admission will be charged. The Red Lake Falls band is a well trained organization and no lover of band music should fail to attend this concert. The concert will be given under direction of Bandmaster K. Kellogg, who also has charge of the local band.

Recount Completed

Recount of votes cast in certain precincts of this county for county attorney was completed Tuesday at Thief River. In the recount, Attorney Paul Lundgren gained one vote, and eight disputed votes were submitted to the district judge for decision. Final outcome will depend upon what decision Judge Olson gives on the eight disputed ballots.

Butterfat Coming Up

A notice of increase of two and one-half cents in price of butterfat was received at the local creamery this week. As amount of butter in storage is less than last year it is anticipated that further increases will be made as the supply of butter in storage deceases. The big industrial program being mapped out, which will very likely get under way after New Year, and which will provide employment for a large number of people, will also have a tendency to keep the price of butterfat moving upward.

New Judge Appointed

Attorney Julius Olson of Warren, was named last week by Governor Theo. Christianson to succeed Hon. Andrew Grindeland as one of the judges of the Fourteenth Judicial District. Attorney Olson was a former partner of Mr. Grindeland in practice of law at Warren, and has been a resident of that city for about thirty years.

Our line of gloves and mittens are sure to please you. adv
M. H. Jackson, City

Rev. E. E. Thompson Dies

Rev. Elbert E. Thompson, former pastor of the M. E. Church of this village some years ago, died Thursday, Nov, 20 at the Wesley hospital at Wadena where he was taken from his home at Cass Lake two weeks previous to his death.

The Cass Lake Times states that Rev. Thompson had retired from the ministry because of ill health, but continued to reside at Cass Lake.

Elbert Thompson was born Dec, 20, 1885, at Greenfield, Indiana, where he graduated from high school. He attended Wesley College and the University of North Dakota and was ordained in 1911. During the years of service in the ministry he served at Sauk Center, St. Hilaire, Fisher, Ada, Verndale, Spooner, Deer Creek, Henning, Osakis, Eagle Bend, Clarissa and Cass Lake, in this state and at Emerado, N. D.

He become ill some years ago and spent nearly two years in Colorado in an attempt to regain his health, after which he again returned to this state. His health again forsook him and he came to Cass Lake where he and family resided.

Rev. Thompson is survived by his wife and daughter Vivian of Cass Lake, his aged father. three sisters and four brothers. Funeral services were held at Cass Lake and interment was made there.

A juvenile band of about twenty pieces which will be under the direction of Bandmaster K. Kellogg of Red Lake Falls, was organized at the local school recently. As soon as all instruments are received, regular weekly periods of instruction will be given at the school. Mr. Kellogg expects to have the band so far advanced by spring that it can make a public appearance.

Elect Officers

At the annual meetings of the Ladies Aid and Dorcas Society held Monday at the Norwegian Lutheran church, officers of the two organizations for the coming year were named as follows.

Dorcas

Mrs. M. Highland	President
Mrs. V. Brink	Vice President
Mrs. E. Jenson	Secretary
Mrs. T. Skratrud	Treasurer

Ladies Aid

Mrs. K. Kolstad	President
Mrs. A. V. Jacobson	Vice President
Mrs. O. Haugen	Secretary
Mrs. Otto Johnson	Treasurer

THRIFT

Economy is near to the keystone of character and success. A boy that is taught to save his money will rarely be a bad man or a failure. The man who saves his money will rise in his trade or profession steadily; this is inevitable. Benjamin Franklin says—"The way to wealth is as plain as the way to market; it chiefly depends on two words industry and frugality.

This bank is here to assist you in your savings program. A connection with your local bank is the first step for you in your financial independence. Your business is invited, appreciated and protected.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.
THE OLD RELIABLE

Holding The Fort

Right now when the prices for grains are below reasonable cost of production, its the dairy cow most people here depend upon to keep things going.

The creamery--the manufacturing plant of old bossy's product--is a big factor in the keep going movement.

Patronize your creamery--boost for it. It has paid big in years gone by, and will prove even more valuable to you in the future.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

Pretty Things that are made at Home

And again the calendar brings us to that time of the year when the "what to give" problem presents itself to minds perplexed. If your friend to whom you wish to give something very choice—something you have made, stitch by stitch—"goes stepping" in society, if she dines and dances, attends parties, grand opera and such, she will love to unfold from its dainty tissue wrappings on Christmas morning, an adorable hand-crocheted silky-tinsel evening beret, such as is shown in this picture.

You can buy the skeins of silky-tinsel (two dozen will be ample, and they are not expensive) at most any fancy-work department. Not another item of material is required except three-fourths of a yard of gold metal ribbon, which forms the fitted band about the head as you see in the picture.

Anyone who crochets will know at a glance how to form the star pattern at the top of the crown, and if in doubt there is always an instructor present in the better fancywork sections, or better still, printed instructions are usually available. The stitch employed around the star and which forms the greater part of the beret is variously known as the "knot stitch" or "hailstone" or "true lover's knot."

Here's an added suggestion, if in your enthusiasm you would like to multiply this gracious gift by two, make an evening bag to match. Crochet it the same as for the beret and line it with gold tissue cloth. Then sew it into a gold-metal frame after the manner ribbon bags are made. If the metal frame does not have a chain, then use metal ribbon matched to the beret headband to slip over the wrist.

CHERIE NICHOLAS.

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FARM POULTRY

SCRATCH LITTER OFTEN MENACE

May Become Damp and Filthy in Poultry House.

More harm than good sometimes results from the scratching litter. It may become damp and filthy and thus be a menace to the health of the flock, or moldy and musty straw may be used with the result that serious loss of birds follows.

Scratching litter can be used to great advantage and most poultry keepers resort to its use during the winter months. The purpose of litter in the poultry house is threefold:

1. Enables feeding of grain so as to induce the birds to keep active during the day.
2. Acts as an absorbent and keeps floor clean.
3. Makes the birds more comfortable.

While these purposes are usually accomplished, at the same time the litter often becomes an unsuspected source of trouble.

Poultry keepers can well afford to exercise much discretion as to the quality of straw to be used for scratching litter. Only bright clean straw, free from dust and mold, should be used as chickens are unable to stand excessive dust and but very little mold since it is so irritating to the air passages. It is difficult to realize how delicate and complicated is the respiratory system of a fowl. As one author puts it, the "chicken breathes pretty much all over its body." Besides having bronchial tubes and lungs, it also has nine air sacs located in various parts of the body which form a part of the respiratory system.

Pullets Laying Eggs Need Best of Care

Hens need a balanced ration if they are to return a profit for feed and care. In the natural laying season—April, May, and June—the hens balance their own ration by eating green feed, gravel, lime, seeds and grains and insects, and by drinking water in abundance if it is to be found. In winter, when the hens are kept in a building, these things must be supplied if eggs are to be produced.

In summer hens exercise almost constantly. In order to provide exercise in winter, cover the floor with straw and then scatter the feed in this litter. Have plenty of lime, oyster or clam shells, gravel and charcoal in separate hoppers. Provide the protein (insects) by feeding tankage, meat scrap or milk.

Give green feed in the form of cabbage, alfalfa or sprouted oats. Mangels make an excellent succulent feed, but do not take the place of leaf or green feed.

A warm mash, fed about noon during November and December, stimulates egg production. This may be continued throughout the winter with good results.

Extremely Thin Shells Show Lack of Material

When egg shells are extremely thin, either there is not sufficient material given the birds so that they can make normal shells, or the birds themselves are not able to make the proper use of the material that is given them. The addition of cod liver oil to the ration will help the birds to make better use of the materials that have been furnished or a mineral mixture may supply the necessary elements the birds need. If birds could get out in the direct rays of the sunshine regularly, the health-giving properties would enable them to make more efficient use of the feeds and supplements that are given them. The practice of keeping layers confined in winter prevents this. That's why glass substitutes are used in some of the windows, as these substitutes allow the healthful sun's rays to pass through. When cod liver oil is used, it is added at the rate of 2 pounds to 100 pounds of the mash fed, or about 1½ pints to 100 pounds of mash.

Need More Protein

When hens are not laying, there are a few questions to ask relative to the flock. First, are they properly housed? Second, are the pullets matured and up to standard weight? Third, are parasites, either external or internal, handicapping the flock? If these three questions can be answered satisfactorily and still the birds are not laying in a suitable manner, then it is likely that the trouble lies in the ration. Well-grown birds need a ration containing more protein.

Feeding Program

A good winter feeding program that the average farm poultry raiser will find helpful is as follows: Small grains, as wheat, oats and barley given in early morning; green feed or sprouted oats, 9 to 10 a. m. or another light feed of small grain; a light feed of hot mash at noon and heavy feed of shelled corn in the late afternoon. Do not overfeed on small grain because the birds should consume a good amount of mash from the hoppers throughout the day.

Songs Quickly Forgotten

E. C. Mills of the National Broadcasting company says the modern popular tune has a life span of 90 days. It is this situation which has given rise to such new methods of distribution as selling phonograph records at the newsstands.

River News

Paul Thyren motored to Ada Monday to transact business.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Johnson and daughter Betty were dinner guests Thanksgiving at the H. Jepson home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Larson and family spent Saturday evening at the Albert Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Bothman and family spent Sunday at the K. Dalager home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Winter spent Sunday at the C. Thompson home.

Mr and Mrs. C. Ulrich spent Sunday at the G. Hesse home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Erickson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Larson and family were Thanksgiving dinner guests at the Gust Larson home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Erdmann and family spent Thanksgiving at the C. Seeger home at Red Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burstad and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Burstad were Thanksgiving dinner guests at the Adolph Satterberg home.

Harry Erickson returned Wednesday from McIntosh where he spent a few days visiting his brother Elmer.

Miss Martha Anderson arrived Wednesday from Moorhead and spend Thanksgiving at the home of her sister Mrs. Carl Swanson. She returned Sunday to resume her duties as teacher there.

A group of friends tendered Mrs. Geo. Haupt a pleasant surprise Tuesday. A very enjoyable afternoon was spent after which a delicious lunch was served by the self invited guests.

Conventional Idea of Lightning Found Wrong

At a meeting of the British Association for the Advancement of Science in 1856 the Scottish engineer, James Nasmyth, son of a landscape painter, stated that "in no instance among the many thunderstorms whose progress he had most attentively watched had he ever observed such forms of lightning as that usually represented in works of art; in all such the artists invariably adopt a conventional form, namely, that of a zigzag combination of straight lines."

Nasmyth believed the error of the artists originated in the form given to the thunderbolt in the hand of Zeus as sculptured by the ancient Greeks.

Some decades after these remarks were uttered the photography of lightning began to be common, and the photographs all showed that he was right in believing that lightning is never truly zigzag. Its path generally includes many sinuous curves, and it often branches, but a sharp angle is very rarely seen in a photograph, and it is then doubtless an effect of perspective.—Charles F. Talman in "Why the Weather."

Mirror Superstition

It is within the experience of almost every one to encounter bad luck within seven years, whether or not one breaks a mirror, spills salt or walks under a ladder. Such beliefs are pure superstition. Brand's Observations on Popular Antiquities says about the matter: "Mirrors were used by magicians in their diabolical experiments, and in ancient times was practiced a kind of divination by the looking-glass; whence, it should seem, has been derived the present popular notion, according to which the breaking of a looking-glass is accounted a most unlucky accident, being ominous of the loss of his best friend by the person to whom it belongs. Grose gives it as betokening death in the family circle, commonly of the master."

Size of Canada

Canada is Britain's largest overseas dominion; bounded by three oceans. Coastal distance (per Canada Year Book): Pacific coast line, 7,180 miles; Hudson bay coastline mainland, 6,000 miles; Atlantic coast line, 5,000 miles—total, 18,180 miles. Canado's greatest width in due east and west direction approximately 3,000 miles; greatest distance between southerly and known northerly land extremities, approximately 2,870 miles. Canada-United States boundary, 3,985 miles long; 1,787 by land, 2,197 through water. Canada is larger in area than the United States, with Alaska, by 42,912,000 acres.

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There are a couple instances in this community where folks are in need of necessities to carried them thru the winter, and this thru no fault of their own. It has always been a matter of pride in this community that every case of need of this sort have been alleviated without outside help. If persons who have children's clothing that has been outgrown, and is still usable will donate it to this cause it will greatly assist in keeping the children warmly clothed so they may attend school. There have been no lack of such donations in the past and we do not anticipate there will be any now. This officewill be glad to received any donations and will undertake to see that they are distributed where they will be appreciated. Outer garments, underwear, shoes, mittens and overshoes can be used now.

There are prospects at the present time of securing a part-time physican and also a dentist for St. Hilaire. If people in this locality feel this will adequately take care of their needs, and will express themselves accordingly, it is possible such arrangements may be made.

"Five Thousand Skunks Wanted" is the heading of an adv carried in several northern Minnesota papers. If half the stories spread about the different candidates in the recent election are true, it should not be difficult to fill the order.

Resumption of manufacturing in several eastern automobile plants recently is believed to be the start of a general upward trend which will increase gradually until industry get back into its usual stride next spring. Several thousands of men have been put to work and many more will be put on after New Year.

Nearly a score of hunters were killed and many more were crippled by gunshot wounds during the deer season just closed in Minnesota. The state automobile association favors passage of a law licensing auto drivers to prevent irresponsible and unfit persons from obtaining permits to operate motor vehicles. A similar law governing hunting of big game in Minnesota would be a good thing. Thousands of men now go out for deer who have no idea whatever how they should be hunted. Neither do they have any conception of what is meant by safeguarding themselves as well as others who might be hunting in the same vicinity. Armed with high powered rifles, they will fire at any moving object without ascertaining whether it might be a human being or a domestic animal. If no suitable law could be drafted to keep these irresponsble persons out of the woods, deer hunting should be closed, or, permits granted to residents of the state to hunt only within the boundries of the county wherein they reside.

Thanksgiving is over without any casualities being reported from this vicinity. While some of our good friends expanded to the limit in order to do justice to the feasts set before them, they all seem to have withstood the strain.

Sherman's Army Defeated Grant's

Using miniature golf links as a battlefield, and putters and golf balls instead of cannon and shrapnel, Civil war veterans of the National Military home at West Los Angeles, Calif., settled the "war" which has raged since '65 concerning the question: Who had the better army, Grant or Sherman? The 27-hole battle ended in victory for General Sherman's forces. Coming through the arch of "golf course swords" is George L. Grimston, ninety-three, who defeated the Grant representative, Capt. Andrew J. Kimball, at the right.

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

Estate of J. C. Dahl

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of J. C. Dahl Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to all Persons Interested in the Above Entitled Matter: Whereas, James A. Dahl has filed in this Court his final account of his administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with his petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: IT IS ORDERED, that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 15th day of December 1930, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, at city of Thief River Falls, in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be beard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted; and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in the St. Hilaire Spectator according to law and by mailed notice as provided by the rules of this Court.

WITNESS THE HONORABLE, Lars Backe, Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 19th day of November 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe, Judge.

Brattland Law Offices,
Ada, Minn.
Attorney for Petitioner.
N20-D4

Try a want adv.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

Hot Air Foundation

Our civilization is erected on after-dinner speeches; the foundation of business is after-dinner speeches; in fact the whole existing show is held together by gentlemen in clean dress shirts who get up on their hind legs and commence by saying, "Mr. Toastmaster and Gentlemen."—American Magazine.

True Eloquence

He is an eloquent man who can speak of low things acutely, of great things with dignity and of moderate things with temper.—Cicero.

Valuable City Forests

Heidelberg, Germany, has a city forest of 8,300 acres dating back to 1392, which produces more than 30,000 cords of wood annually, while that of Zurich, comprising 4,200 acres and maintained for ten centuries, yields an annual income of $10.25 an acre.

Wyandotte News

Miss Laura Schaack arrived Wednesday evening from Bemidji where she is attending the State Techers College to spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents Mr. and Mrs Math Schaack.

Those spending Sunday at the John Albin home were Mr. and Mrs. David Haugen and sons, Mr. and Mrs P Kolseth and children and Mrs. G. Omott.

Friends and neighbors will be sad to know of the sudden death of Mrs Sopheria Peterson who recently left for Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Erickson and family of McIntosh visited at the Frank Peterson home on Wednesday evening. The latter remained to visit indefinitly.

The following spent the Thanksgiving holidays at their homes were, Alice Carlson, Harriett Bruggeman, Selma and Alvina Wilson and Elizabeth and Mollie Evenson.

The confirmation services held at the Clearwater church Sunday was well attended. Those confirmed were, Nellie and Hazel Nelson, Mayme and Erling Anderson, Arline Knutson, Alvina Wilson, Evelyn Evenson, Gerhard Wilson, Harold Arne, Theodore Haugen, Lee Evenson, Alton Carlson, and Walter Odegaard.

Friends and neighbors surprised Anker Hanson and David Omdahl at Nils Hanson's home Friday evening. The evening was spent in playing games and dancing Lunch was served by the self-in-vited guests.

National Mazda electric lamps, the new inside frosted type, in all sizes commonly used, 10, 15, 25, 40, 50, and 60 watts, are 20 cents each at the Spectator office.

The 75 and 100 watt sizes are 35 cents, and larger ones slightly higber.

Uncle Eben

"I don't believe in ghosts," said Uncle Eben, "but I ain' puttin' up no argument on de subject, cause I don' want to take any chances of bein' convinced."—Washington Star.

Self Diagnosis

Most of us know when we are sick. Few of us know whether we are really well. We don't know where health ends and sickness begins.—Woman's Home Companion.

Much the Same Today

In the Stone age, a writer reminds us, men had no such thing as money. It is really surprising how little things seem to have changed since then.—London Humorist.

Coal! Coal!

Have your coal bin replenished now before cold weather sets in. We have a good supply of different grades of coal and can make immediate delivery for you.

This elevator always carries a big supply of feeds of all kinds and flour. Get our prices on large quantities.

We pay highest market prices for grain.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Your Printing

As the present year is drawing to a close, the time for settlement of accounts is approaching.

Look over your supply of statements, letterheads, envelopes, bill heads, sales-books, etc., and see what you will require.

The best time to order is before you are entirely out. We will be glad to do that printing job for you.

St. Hilaire Spectator

Bray News

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lindquist were Thanksgiving dinner guests at the N. E. Beebe home.

Mrs A. Lindbloom had as her Thanksgiving dinner guests Mr. and Mrs. H Lindbloom and family.

Mr. and Mrs August Scholin helped Iver Johnson's eat their turkey for Thanksgiving dinner.

Mrs. Martin Erickson and family were Thanksgiving dinner guests at the G. Lindquist home.

Ole Odegaard of Hazel was a caller at the Mons Troland home on Tuesday.

Miss Mable Johnson instructor in the school at Kennedy spent Thanksgiving vacation at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. L. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Person and family and Tom Larson were dinner guests Sunday at the E. Larson home.

Miss Easther Johnson spent Monday in Thief River having dental work done and visiting friends.

Theodore Anderson spent Sunday evening at the G. Lindquist home.

Lillian and Harry Lar son called Friday evening at the John Scholin home.

Miss Evelyn Wood, nurse at the Okeland Park Sanitorinm spent Thanksgiving at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. Wood.

There was no school in Dist 69 Tuesday on account of the storm.

Miss Hazel Krause teacher in Dist 180 spent Thanksgiving vacation at her home at Thief River.

Mrs. Henry Lindbloom and Mrs. Annie Lindbloom shopped in Thief River Saturday.

FOR SALE, etc.

Dog For Sale:- Well bred cattle dog, eight months old. Will sell cheap if taken soon. Call on.
Philip Anderson
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Notice:- I have a considerable acreage of light poplar timber. Anyone needing wood may have it free of charge for cutting and piling the brush. Call on or address.
Karl T. Dalager
N13tf R1 Hazel, Minn.

Farm For Rent:- 160 acre farm with fair set of buildings good well, along good gravelled road. Inquire at this office. N27tf

Purebred Bronze Turkeys
I have for sale purebred Bronze turkey toms weighing from 18 to 20 lbs at $7.00 each, and hens weighing from 12 to 14 lbs, at $4.00 each. Call on or address.
J. V. Patton
St. Hilaire, Minn.

ALEC LIKED GWEN AND HER MEALS

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

GWEN DANA rang the bell of 8A Edison apartmenta with some trepidation. The general air of the building suggested sophisticated living. Could her amateur cookery compete with what would be asked and expected here?

She smiled rather wryly. Her father, a naval man, had died accideutally; her mother at her hirth. She hed cooked for him, in the way he hed taught her—grilled steaks, salads, the food of the man who loves good living and has taught himself in camps and on fishing trips.

How would "A. G., Box 909," epprove her limitations? She didn't know a thing about lamb stewe or pnddings.

A tall young man opened the door. "Miss—er?" interrogatively.

"I'm the applicant for a positiou as cook," said Gwen simply.

"Good Lord! I—er—I beg your pardon. I really thought yon were oue of my sister's friends. She lives here half the time; ouly got married in June. Come in. Please sit down. You—er—yon really wanted to—er—cook?"

"Indeed, I do. But, of course, I thought there would be a family. You see, I have the rest of the lease of my apartment right across the street, and I thought, when I had your letter, it would be so lovely if I could work uear. Seve carfare, you know."

A. G., who was Alec Gordon, liked her immensely. She looked so cool and capeble. And she was smell enough even for a kitchenette. Besides, her wide gray eyes looked out steadily from a warm brown skin thet was different from his sister's exotic whiteness—pleasantly different.

"I'll show yon the kitchenette," said Alec, and Gwen was glad to uote electric refrigeratiou and a workmanlike stove of the slightly amateurish descriptiou she understood.

"Would you mind telling me what yon like to eat?" said Gwen.

"Steaks, thick, with mushrooms, and omelete and anything hut mushy puddings and lamh stew," said Alex fervently.

"I am so gled," almost cried Gwen, "beceuse I can conscientiously please you with those—and baked potatoes and salads. I cooked for father and he tanght me."

"I'll give you, let's see? Whet onght I to give you?" hoyishly.

"I think I am worth about $15 e week," said Gwen. "Father told me ths silliest cooks get about that—the green ones."

The bell rang. "My sister," said Alec, "I'm ewfully glad. Yon'll like her."

A bresth of French perfume, a tall yoong woman with reddish hair and impudent green eyes. Gwen understood how dogs stiffen.

But Mrs. Naseby held out e loug, thin hand. She was disposed to be friendly.

"How do?" she said. "Are you the girl who is to cook for Alec? You look as if yon could cook. Little people are so terribly clever. Where d'you live? Just across the street? That's where we live. Your fether was an army officer, wasn't he? Navy? Well, you must come and see me sometime. I snppose you'll just cook his breakfast, at seven. Yon must he punctual. I never was, and Alec hates that. Then he has dinner at six-thirty. He loethes desserts. One would think hs was dieting. Well, don't forget to call on me sometime." She left and pulled Alec into the hall where Gwen heard whispering. She liked the brother.

Gwen's cooking became the talk of Alec's friends. He was very cousiderate and noue of them ever met the cook.

The sister, Mrs. Naseby, continued en off-hand friendship. "You've spolled Alec's figure. He's getting an enormous stomach," she said once. She called ou Gwen and Gwen returned the call one day wheu she hed seen Mrs. Naseby safely off in her roadster.

Alec was happler than he had been in years. He attributed it to his improved digestion. But he had qualms concerning his cook's leaving him. Not a dinner time but he hed guests, self-invited. Grilled fish, salads fragrantly suggestive of discreet garlic, omelets that carried parmesan like Venus rising from the sea foam.

Besides, in the brief meetings, and Gwen made them very brief, he found her so intelligent. She had been to college, it appeared, and her love of books was something deeper than a desire to know the current best seller. She had humor. Her wide mouth dimpled upward pleasantly at the corners. What a girl—what a—wife!

The idea came in his shower bath. He [illegible] breakfast—something like waffles, [illegible] country sausages and tiny, and he knew Gwen had made cherry jam only the day before because she told him so.

"Are you doing anything tonight?" he said casually as she put on her hat to depart.

"No," said Gwen, "why?"

"Because I want to take you to the Playhouse. They have a good comedy there and I want yon to give your honest opinion of the new chef at the Alcazar afterward. Want to give a party there one day soon." Artful Alec! He meant an engagement party.

"All right. I will come. Is it to he what the stenogrephers call 'formal?'" She dimpled exceedingly.

"I think it is," he said, instinctively knowing she'd love to put on something completely uncooklike for the occasion.

"He's a dear, really, to know I had a decollete frock," thought Gwen. "Now I shall take some weges to bny a wrap. No, I won't. I shall wear dad's Spanish shawl." Her eyes sparkled, for it was most exquisite.

Accordingly, a sleek-headed little figure draped in intangibly lovely colors over a demure gray frock—the color of her eyes—leughed in the right place at the comedy and ate discriminatingly of the ornate menu at the hotel leter. Alec wes overjoyed. This was a thoronghhred. What e dear little sport to he a cook rather than ask help of relativee. Before the evening was over he had ohtained a promise thet he could retain his cook for the term of her natural life—on suitable conditions.

"Of course she's a lady by birth and her father was a navy man, bnt, of course, there ere oodies of people who will always say Alec married his cook—and beceuse of her cooking."

It's a pity, but you see Violet Naseby had red hair.

Keep Calm, Says Doctor, When Lightning Flashes

When the heavens roar and lightning flashes, women should uot, hy any means, hide in e closet or crawl under a bed, declares an article on the ravages of lightning in Country Home.

"Moreover, they should keep as calm as possible," says the article, "for no oue knows how many people have died of fright and hed it blamed ou lightning, even thongh the stroke didn't land within e quarter of e mile of them."

Women are reminded thet staying inside and keeping dry is the first rule of defeuse against lightning. They should choose a structure with a metal frame hody if they can, hut, if they ere in e rural community of wooden houses, they should seek shelter in a building properly equipped with lightning rods. If caught out of doors, they should seek a grove or dense woods.

"In any case," the erticle coucindes, "statistics show that the chances of being struck et all ere mlnute. In e suburb or town where houses are of about eqnal height, a resident may figure thet lightning is upt to visit him only ouce in a thousand years."

The writer points out thet insurance inspectors should he cousulted when protecting e huildiug with lightning rods. With them it is a cold business matter and they will rednce their rates accordingly if the types of rodding come within the specifications they epprove. It is believed that 57 unprotected hnildings are destroyed to every oue that is properly rodded.

All Should Live Century

One hundred years should he the life span of every healthy man und woman horn of healthy parents. This is the dictum of Prof. Alexauder Guenolt, oldest doctor in France, who recently celebruted his ninety-eighth birthday in Paris by studying medicine and working on a voluminons hook on longevity. The sprightly grey-bearded man, who looks to he sixty, said: "The normal span of life of a normal man is one huudred years. Do not eat too much, bnt eat what yon think is good for you. At my age I eat eggs and hntter with every meal, and also have e little meat, vegetables aud wine. The most important point is proper breathing. The average man should inhale three to four litres of air et every breath."

Over There

Major-General James B. Fecht, chief of the army air corps, told a war story at a Legion banquet in Washiugton.

"An officer," he said, "met near Bar-le-Duc oue day, a big, raw-boued private who was wearing a German helmet. The officer held the private up and said:

"'Who are you, and who gave you permission to wear Boche millinery?'

"'I'm Huckleherry Hewkins from Paint Rock,' said the private, 'and for goodness' sake, ceptain, don't make me give this helmet np, for I had to do in nine Heinies to get my size.'

"The captain looked Huckleherry Hawkins up and down, then he said:

"'By golly, man, if you ever lose your shoes the war's over.'"

New Jersey Oyster Race

In New Jersey the sowing of oysters has become an annual event in the form of a race. The seed heds offshore are under the protection of the New Jersey boerd of shell fisheries. It is egainst the lew for fishermen to gather oysterlets to renew their leased beds close in until May 1. So on that dey the oystermen line their sailing vessels up at Bivalve, N. J., and when the coast guards signal by firing e gun the oyster crafts are off to the seed beds.

Feminine Sherlock Holmes

The use of women detectives to guard against the operatious of shoplifters in the stores is an old story but now women are entering the regular detective field, ready for any kind of assignment thet might come their way. A school to equip women in this field has been in operation in London for some time and some of the women turned out by it have been very successful in the role of Sherlock Holmes.

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Soften Tires For Icy Roads

Icy roads are responsible for more more winter motor vehicle accidents than perhaps all other causes and anything that can offer relief from them is worthy of being passed along, a state highway bulletin says in passing along a suggestion sent in by a travelling man. "When the roads are extremely slippery, considerable comfort can be obtained," the suggestion states, "by letting down the air pressure in the tires to 20 or even 15 pounds The increased flat thread gives much greater gripping power. The same plan will be found helpful in working out of loose snow."

The postal department warns against the practice of placing stamps other than U. S. postage stamps on address side of packages and letters. Christmas and similar seals should be placed on other than the address side of packages to avoid confusion.

THE CHURCHES

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M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, Dec. 7th. Services as follows:
Norw. Services 11:00 A. M.
American Services 7:45 P. M.
Sunday school at 10:00 A. M.

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C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00
Morning services at 11:00
Eastside School at 8:00

Ornate Royal Tombs

Every Persian ruler, like all the great rulers of all the lands, of all time, took great care to see thet his body would be preserved and protected after desth; and much mouey was spent in the erection of tombs and the carving of caves to receive these royal remains. Many of them can be seeu today not far from the ancient city of Persepolis, uear the Persian gulf. Some of these tombs were built of huge blocks of stoue, but many others were carved out of the solid rock and their entrances then mortared up with stone.

Sturgeon Eggs for Tractors

The Volge river of Russia furnishes sturgeon from which eggs are taken. These eggs find a ready market throughout the world and are treded for tractors, electrical mechinery and cotton goods. A third of the weight of the female sturgeou is sometimes accounted for by the roe and when it is cured and marketed it is caviar, a highly-priced and delicate food. We import 300 tons from Russia which comes to over $600,000 annually.

Historic "Gateway"

The Khyber pass is the most important of the passes which lead from Afghanistan into India. No other pass in the world has possessed such strategic importance or retains so many historic associations as this gateway to the plains of India.

Will Build Warehouse

Adolph Satterberg has plans made for building a large farm machinery warehouse and office on the site of his barn which was destroyed by fire last fall. He intends to move the machinery building, which he owns, from across the street and will build an addition to its large enough to house his machinery stock, repairs and twine. He plans comfortable office quarters in one corner of the building, and will also construct a concrete platform in front for display of new machines.

LOCALS

Musicians from the North Star College at Warren gave a very fine concert at the local Swedish Lutheran church last Thursday.

Regular monthly meeting of the P. T. A. will be held at the school building tomorrow evening.

Manford and Grace Dahle, who attend Concordia College at Moorhead, were home last week to spend Thanksgiving.

Enoch Sundholm was up last week-end from Red Lake Falls and moved down some household effects and part of his drug stock which had been left here.

The old ice house building, formerly used by Arthur Hendrickson, on the Great Northern right-of-way has been torn down. When the site is cleared of debris, it will be a nice improvement to that part of town.

The Hunt Bros Company has lately put on display, a fine assortment of Christmas toys of all kinds. The stock is very good and people in this locality will have no difficulty in finding something suitable.

An effort is being made by towns on the St. Vincent line of the Great Northern to have the local train, which was discontinued a short time ago, again put into service. The G. N. contends that competition by busses and private cars has made operation of the train unprofitable.

Valor Defined

Valor consists in the power of self-recovery, so that a man cannot have his flank turned, cannot be outgeneraled, but put him where you will, he stands.—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

Peculiar Formation

Mount Monednock in New Hampshire is an isoleted rock mass, the remains of much higher mountain masses now nearly worn away. It is composed of slate, talc and mica.

Popular Reading

In 1929, nearly 35,000,000 Bibles were sold in the world. Of these, 14,000,000 were sold in the United States, in comparisou with about 200,000 novels.—Country Home.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

Santa Claus Headquarters

We have placed on display, a large and varied assortment of Christmas toys and holiday goods.

These are all substantially made toys, and every article is reasonably priced.

See our big line of mechanical toys. You will be sure to fine something suitable in it. For convenience of our customers, we will pack and store any articles desired until called for at Christmas.

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M. H. Jackson

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

MINNESOTA NEWS

Rockford—The naw Cross Lutheran Church was dedicated here. The structure was arected at a cost of $15,000.

St. Paul—Tha state collected $1,074,023 on the 3-cent tax on 5,800,791 gallons of gasoline shipped into Minnesota in October.

Winona—The Winona D. A. R., honoring the memory of Captain Orrin Smith who named Winona in 1851, unveiled a monument in Levee Park.

Stillwater—A change of venua has been granted Warden Sullivan of the Stillwater penitentiary who is defendant in a enit brought by Harry Ross, a former prison inmate charging the warden with false imprisonment.

Olivia—Renville county anthorities investigated a plot to extort $1,000 from Julius Gundarsou, farmer living eight miles sonthwest of Renville, under threat of death and burning of the buildings on his farm.

Winona—Fira caused savaral thoueand dollars damage at a Carpet Cleaning works here. All firemen in the city were called ont to hattle the flames in tha heart of tha business district.

Owatonna—Grains and agricultural products of Steele, Rice and Waseca counties were on display when the second auunel crop show of the Dairy Laud Crop Improvemant association was held here.

St. Paul—Big game shooters of Minnesota made finel drives on deer Tuesday es the season closed with the death toll among huntars already two end one-helf times as large as in 1928. In 1928, yeer of the last open season, six persons lost their livas. This year thera hava been 15.

Little Falls—Nawly elacted officers of the Arthur Bernard Johnson post No. 1,112, Veterans of Foreign Wars, and euxillery, of this city, have heen installed with Mike Zynoloski, commander ef tha post, and Anna Coen, president of tha euxiliary.

St. Paul—A $4,500,000 car building program termed tha largest ever undertaken hy the Northern Pacific railwey will be startad immadiately. 600 men will ba addad to tha company's payroll betweau hare end the coast.

St. Paul—Tha Greet Northern railway, eugagad lu e $3,000,000 program of rahuilding cars and engines, will maintain its force through the winter without further rednctions from the 25,000 now employed in offices, shops, yerds, train oparation and maintenanca work.

St. Paul—Alexandar Cathcart, prominent St. Peul business man and civic lsader, died at his home, 631 Goodrich avenue, St. Paul. A heart attack wes givan as tha causa of his death. He was 65 years old. Funeral services were conductad at Christ Episcopal church, Fourth straet and Frenklin.

Faribault—A driver whosa automobila struck a train must pay a railroed company dameges, e jury decided in district court here. A vardict of $95.32 in favor of the Minneapolis, Northfiald & Southarn Railroed Co. was returned by e jury against Arthur Degan, whose automobile ran into e motor train.

Little Falls—A silver plaque mounted on a weinut shield has been sant to Seth Beckmen for having tha highest producing hard in tha etata cow testing association contest last summer. He has a hard aversge of 534.1 pounds of huttarfat. This herd, the pioneer Holstein herd of Morrison county, cousists of ebout 20 cows at tha present tima.

Minneapolis—There are at least 15,000 persons out of work in Minneapolis at tha present time, according to en nuofficial tabulation of the unemployment registration that want on for five husy hours et every election polling plece in the city Tuesday. Of that numbar ebout fiva per cant are women and girls. In St. Paul a similer poll succaeded lu registering about 5,000 persons.

Faribault—The Rice County Historical Society will equip a room set asida for historical exhibits in tha New Buckham Memorial Library here. Dr. F. F. Kramar of Faribault is the president of the historical society. Othar officers includa W. W. Pya, vice-president; H. L. Buck, recording secratary; Mrs. C. A. Bierman, corresponding secretary, and A. R. Leach, treasurar. Directors are Miss Laura Nutting and Judge M. M. Shields.

Minneapolis—A snit against A. O. Ebarhert, former governor of Minnesota, and Gustaf Widell, e Mankato contractor, for judgment of $2,000 was filad in district court by Joseph A. Poirlar, assistant county attornay, on baheif of the state. The defendants were suraties on a $2,000 bond posted by Axel A. Ebarhart, an attorney end a brother of A. O. Eberhart, following his arraignment in district court on a graud lerceuy charga returned by tha Haunepin county grand jury February 28, 1927.

Little Falls—Sacratary of War Patrick J. Hurley has approved the expanditura of $8,000 to dismantle an air corps hanger at Moundsville, W. Va., and to ship it to Little Falls where it will be re-erected at the new camp of the Minnesota National Guard.

St. Paul—The Dayton Bluff State Bank was the scena of a daylight robbery when a lone gunman forced the cashier to hand over $1,933 in cash.

Little Falls—An addition to the Little Falls-Bellevue game reserve in Little Falls township has been created under an order of Geo. W. [illegible]

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School Proceedings

Board of Education of the school district No. 102, met pursant to call at the school house Nov. 24, 1930 at 7 p. m.

All members present except V. G. Brink.

Minutes of last regular meeting approved as read.

On motion made and carried the following bills were allowed.

Colborn School Supply	
Supplies	$3.81
Fiber Products Co. Fuel	32.28
Red River Power Co.	
Light Power 3 months	31.52
A. W. Brink Boiler Inspection	4.00
Mike Highland	
Frt. Exp. Drayage	4.67

On motion made and carried it was decided to carry all our Insurance with tbe Citizens Fund Mutual.

On motion meeting adjourned.

Mrs. Eleanor Hanson, President — Paul Roy, Clerk

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Series of Surprises

Life is a series of surprises, and would not be worth taking or keeping if it were not. God delights to isolate us every day, and hida us from past and future.—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

Thermodynamic Laws

The first law of thermodynamics says that energy can neither be created nor destroyed; the second, thet yon cannot get energy by e transfer of heat from a cold to a hotter body.

High Rank in History for the "Nothing-Buts"

To call the roll of nothing-bnts summons an eugust assembly. There was Socrates, charged with meny things, end yet he replied, "I am not a teacher nor yat a poet nor yet a rhetorician or lawyer or pleeder or pretender to aay superior learning. I am 'nothing but' a seeker after truth."

And St. Paul said, "This one thing I do," and went on to tell how he devoted his entire energies and life to proclaiming a message that he considered worthy of all his efforts. A great man that Paul; he might have heen a university professor in Tersus, "no mean city," or might hava risen to e place of influence as e Roman citizen, establishing contacts betweeu the Roman government and the Jewish peopla so difficult to govern. In that casa he would hava heen forgotten with most of the men of his generation. But ha joined the nothing-buts and became immortal.

And eo might tha list be lengthened with tha names of all the great specialists of the world—Galileo and Luther and Newton and Columbus and Washington and hosts of others. And these all would hava acknowledged themselves nothing in entire great spheres of knowledga and endeavor hut—and in that but lay tha fruits of concentration, of idealism, of devotion and perseverance. A noble order are thosa "nothing-buts."—Detroit News.

Odd Epitaph

Here lie tha remains of James Pady, brickmaker, in hopa that his clay will he remolded in a workmanlike manner, far superior to his former perishable materials.—Epitaph from Addiscomba churchyard, England.

Causes of Mildew

Mildew spots are growths of some species of mold. They appear on cotton meterials and sometimes on woolens which have heen left in a damp, dark place. Leather, too, is very susceptible to mildew.

Concerning Belief

"Whut you believe," said Uncle Eben, "is whut yon wants to helieve, an' dat's de reason friends ought to be slow an' cautious 'bout tryin' to tell all de truth dey thinks dey knows."—Washington Star.

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Boys Will Be Boys

There came an angry rap ou tha kitchen door, and Mrs. Brown opened it to edmit her neighbor, who was in a state of great indignation.

"It's that mischievous boy of yours," cried the enraged woman, holding np a brick for the other's inspection. "He's been and thrown this through my window."

A delighted look came over Mrs. Brown's face.

"Really! How interesting!" she remarked. "I wonder if yon will let me have the brick? We're keeping all the little mementoes of his youthful pranks—they'll be so interesting when he grows up."

Jumping to It

Two schoolboys were discussing athletics.

"How high can you jump?" asked one.

"[illegible] over four feet," explained the other. "What can you do?"

"[illegible] feet," his friend replied. "How about the long jump?"

"Just about ten feet," said the first. "What can you do?"

"Eleven easily," was the reply. "What's your time for the half-mile?"

By now the other was a little suspicious.

"Five seconds better than yours," he said.

No Real Significance in "Average" Figuring

Averages ara funny things. Here comes the National Confectioners' associetiou with satistics to show that the average American speuds two cents a dey for candy. "If he buys 12 ponnds a year he is everage," it is said.

The above-mentioned average persou, if he likes candy, spends considerabily more than two cents a day on it, and eats far mora than e dozen pounds a year. The mau who does not care for sweets will buy noue et ell.

So the "average," although interesting, means uothing at all. Perhaps the hest thing snch figures do is to permit those with curious minds to maka comparisous.

It is elways intriguiug to ba told thet the number of doughnnts eaten in the United States every year, if piled on top of each other, would reach to the moon and beck fiva times.

Oue is reasouably sura that this spectacular piliug feat would be impossibla from every standpoint, but it pleases the imaginetion to picture that multipla pila of doughnuts.

Thus the American reader is delnged, year after yeer, with highly fanciful comparisous, spiced with great distances and impossibie stunts. No one is harmed, and perhaps the art of statistics is helped.—Washington Star.

Law in a Democracy

"For that is what a law le in a democracy—e statute that the people will back np; indeed, in tha long run, that is all e law is anywhere. The lawe of a nation or commuuity ara the recorded customs of the peopla . . . and all the historic codes, the Mosaic code, the lews of Solon and Lycurgus, the codes of Justinian and Napoleou, the civil law, tha English commou law, and tha legendary tahooe of the savage tribes are but customs that heva existed so long that they have crystallized into law . . . It is uot the law that makes the custom, bnt the custom that makes the law, and when statutes run counter to custom they are impotent."—Brand Whitlock's "The Law of the Land," in the Atlantic Monthly.

Curly [illegible], Perhaps

Jimmy had e head covered with yellow curls. His mother fondly and frequently called him:

"You little curly head!"

The name linked itself in his brain with tha emotion of affection.

One morning he climbed on his father's lap end hugging him tightly said:

"You little curly head!"

His father was entirely bald.

25 Years Ago

It was 24 below zero on Thanksgiving day that year.

—XXV—

Mrs. N. A. Nelson left for a visit with relatives at Duluth and Wisconsin points.

—XXV—

Hans Anderson bought the McAndress barbershop outfit, and had LeRoy West of McIntosh in charge.

—XXV—

Ed Bridge, who bad charge of the lath mill tbat season, left for his claim in Canada.

—XXV—

A real old fashioned blizzard hit here that week, drifting roads and walks so that it was hard to get around.

—XXV—

M. E. Hoff, Leo Achenback and the Misses Selina and Clara Hoff braved the roads to make a trip to Thief River for a visit with friends.

—XXV—

The Soo finished its line from Thief River to Kenmare, N. D., and regular train service was to start the following week.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .62
Duram Wheat	.54
Rye	.30
Barley	.33
Oets	.25
Flax	1.46
Eggs, cash	.30
Creamery butter	.40

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Special Meeting Of Creamery Stockholders

A special meeting of stockholders of the St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n has been called for Friday, Jan. 2, 1931, as will be noted by call notice elsewhere in this issue, for the purpose of extending the corporate existance of the organization which expires Jan. 23rd. By voting to extend before the present incorporation expires, the creamery will make a substantial saving. Seventy five percent of the stockholders of record must vote "yes" for renewal. Several important amendments to the Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws cannot be acted upon until after the stockholders vote for renewal. All stockholders, whether residing locally or elsewhere, will shortly receive ballots on this question which they should give prompt attention in order that the creamery may comply with the new laws governing co-operative organizations.

Third Whist Session

Third meeting of the whist tournament was held at the Imperial hall last Thursday evening with sixty eight players taking part. The Blues, inspired by their victory at the previous meeting, again administered another drubbing to the Whites, and were guests of the latter at lunch. Next meeting will be held this evening. This will be the last one until after the holidays.

Band Concert, Dec. 19

The benefit concert to be given here by the Red Lake Falls Juvenile Band on December 19th will consist of band numbers, violin solos, violin and flute duets, cornet duet, and vocal numbers with band accompaniment. Forty five players will take part. This will be the best musical entertainment given here in years, so no one should miss it. A program in detail, will be printed next week.

Current Magazines

I have taken the agency for a number of popular magazines. Can procure any magazine you may want and have it here as it is issued. Call here for your reading matter.

D11tf Hanson's Cafe

Wylie Pioneer Dies

Andrew Dreelan, pioneer resident of Wylie, died Wednesday evening of last week at the ripe old age of 80 years.

Mr. Dreelan was born in Ireland in 1850, and came to Canada in 1888 and was employed for several years at railroad work. In 1900 he moved to his present farm at Wylie and for a number of years was section foreman on the Wylie line in addition to his farming activities. He is survived by his wife and two sons and two daughters. The sons are James, at home, and Albert of Duluth. The daughters are Mrs. Joe Dargen and Mrs. G. Strassenruther of Minneapolis. He is also survived by two brothers and three sisters.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday morning from St. Mary's Catholic church at Red Lake Falls and interment was made in the Catholic cemetery east of that city.

Starts Rebuilding

Adolph Satterberg started work this week to erect a new building to house his rapidly growing farm machinery business, on site of his office and warehouse which were destroyed by fire last fall. The large machine warehouse, which was located across the street, was moved over Tuesday and set well back on the lots. A new addition, to provide for office room and also additional storage space, will be built in front. This is to be erected now if weather conditions continue favorable. When the new building is completed, Mr. Satterberg will have more room for machinery than before, and will also have commodious office rooms.

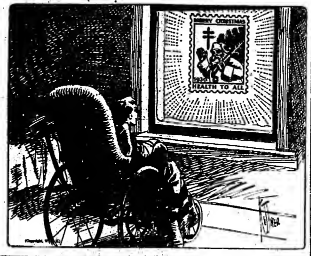
Spokely Files Contest

Julius Spokely, unsuccessful candidate for Polk County sheriff in the November election, Wednesday filed a petition with the Clerk of District court contesting the election of Sheriff Ira L. Haaven on the grounds that Haaven violated the state corrupt practice act.--Polk Co. Leader.

Yellowstone Once Level

Before the glacier epoch, it is said, there was no Grand canyon of the Yellowstone, but its place was occupied by a gently rolling country. Melting ice, though, poured so much water into Yellowstone lake that it overflowed to the north, possibly finding a shallow depression where the canyon is now.

Sunshine



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Sheriff O. L. Ihle was down Saturday from Thief River attending to business matters.

Tim Ensrud is having a truckload of Christmas trees brot in this week

Notice: Starting Monday evening, Dec. 15, all stores in St. Hilaire will be open every evening until after Christmas.

The Y. P. S. of the Black River Swedish Lutheran church will meet at that church next Sunday evening, Dec, 14th. All welcome.

Oscar Kolstad, who has been employed the past summer on the docks at Superior and Duluth, motored up Saturday for a short stay at home.

What an array--Tanks - tractors - dolls - sleds - tricycles - airplanes - tinker toys - Gifts that are close to children's hearts. A dog that really barks 98c. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Turkeys For Sale: Have a number of well bred Mammoth Bronze turkey toms, weighing from 18 to 20 lbs each to sell at 30 cents per pound. Call at the farm two miles southeast of St. Hilaire, or phone 9715.

G. W. Brainbridge

Thus far this winter, this section of the country has enjoyed excellent weather. The mercury has been below zero but a few times. Last week end, the mercury was above freezing, and Tuesday a nice thaw was experienced which is somewhat unusual for this time of the year.

Lundgren Wins

Att'y Paul A. Lundgren will be the next county attorney of Pennington County. The matter was finally settled this week when Co. Attorney H. O. Berve moved for a dismissal of the action. Decision of Judge Olson on the disputed ballots did not give either of the candidates any advantage.

May Get New Bridge

At meeting of the county board last Friday, a request for a special appropriation was made to the state for the purpose of building a new bridge to replace the bridge north of this village. It is probable something definate will be decided upon before spring.

Only 11 more shopping days remain until Christmas. Buy early, mail early.

Mrs. Ole Berglund of Thief River is visiting at home of her mother, Mrs. Aug Swenson east of town.

James Hanson motored up Sunday from Crookston for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson.

Trade in your old smooth tires. $1.25 to $3.50 per pair regardless of wear. For a limited time only. Gamble Stores.

Balance of stock and fixtures belonging to E. Sundholm was moved this week to Red Lake Falls where Mr. Sundholm is opening a new pharmacy.

Miss Marie Vik, who has been employed at Minneapolis, came home yesterday to spend a short time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arne Vik.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Swendby of Chisholm spent a few days last week at the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Fricker.--Holt News

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vik and daughters, Anna and Helga were guests at a 6 o'clock turkey dinner last Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Hanson.

Vernon Hagglund, who was operated upon for removal of appendix and tonsils, at the St. Luke's Hospital at Fargo last week, is convalescing rapidly and will soon be able to attend to his usual duties.

Regular monthly meeting of the Parent-Teachers Association was held at the school building Friday night last. Each member of the teaching staff gave an outline of their work which was interesting to parents of pupils attending school. A couple good musical numbers were given also, after which lunch was served from the domestic science room.

Mrs. R. J. McKercher received a message Sunday evening that her father had passed away that afternoon at his home at Fort Atkinson, Wis., after a few days illness, at the age of 79 years. Mrs. McKercher left Sunday night over the Soo for Ft. Atkinson to attend the funeral at which all members of her family are to be present.

Orr Wins Treasurership

Clarence W. Orr will be treasurer of Red Lake county for the ensuing four years as result of a decision by Judge William Watts after a two day trial in Red Lake county district court. Judge Watts decided that Orr had a majority of eleven votes over Ovide Emard, incumbent.

Twenty three ballots in Terrebonne and Poplar River were illegally cast and were thrown out in accordance with a state supreme court decision. Of these illegal votes, 22 were cast for Emard and 1 for Orr. These ballots were held to be illegal because these 23 voters received help in marking them without the voters or their helpers being sworn in, a procedure which the election laws of the state specifically prescribe.--Red Lake Falls Gazette.

Peterson--Adolphson

Announcements have been received by relatives that Martin Adolphson, son of Erick Adolphson of Kerman, California, was married recently to Miss Helen M. Peterson also of that place. Friends and relatives join in wishing the newlyweds a long and happy married life.

Norwegian Lutheran Choir Will Give Concert Sunday

The Choir of the Norwegian Lutheran church, under the direction of Mr. John Espeseth, will be heard in a group of songs at the Luther League program Sunday Dec 14th. at 8:00.

The Choir has made rapid progress since Mr. Espeseth took over the leadership and we know you will be pleased when you hear them sing. Besides the choir the following will be given.

Duet Miss Hovie and Miss Launa
Radio Broadcast Miss McCracken
Christmas in China, Mildred Hanson
Christmas in Madagascar Alice Skottem
Christmas in Zululand Donna Brink
Song Male Quartet

Lunch will be served after the program. Proceeds will go to the choir. Everybody welcome to this program. Come and hear the choir bring forth their beautiful song as this able instructor, Mr. Espeseth, would have them brought forth.

Both rain and snow fell here last night.

Dr. Theo. Bratrud Dies

Dr. Theodore Bratrud of Warren, one of the most prominent and outstanding surgeons in this state, dropped dead Saturday after a heart attack. Coming to Warren in early days, Dr. Bratrud was instrumental in building up the Warren hospital until it was one of the best known in this section of the country. He owned considerable real estate and other property at Warren. A few years ago he and associates moved to Grand Forks and were there for a short period, but later returned to Warren where he established the Warren Clinic after severing his connection with the hospital. Desiring a more central location and better hospital facilities, he arranged last fall for building of a new hospital at Thief River which is now in course of construction.

While ill health had compelled him to give up larger part of his extensive practice, it was his intention to act as chief surgeon at the Thief River hospital when it was completed.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at Warren. Interment was at Dr. Bratrud's boyhood home at Spring Valley, Minn.

Leave For Washington

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Breneman, who have spent several weeks here at home of her mother, Mrs. O. Sherva, leave today by car en-route to Castlerock, Wash., where they will visit with his mother and brothers who have resided there since leaving here at close of mill days. Mr. and Mrs. Breneman expect to take the southern route thru Omaha and west to Salt Lake City on their trip to Castlerock which is almost due north of Portland.

Since selling out their bakery business at Brainerd, Mr. and Mrs. Breneman have made no definate plans but may decide to locate permanently in Washington if they find a suitable place.

To Creamery Patrons

No cream will be taken at the creamery on Wednesday, December 24 and 31. This is done to enable the management to have some very necessary repairs made on the vats. Patrons please note this as we will have the vats dismantled on those days, and will have no place for cream.

St. Hilaire, Co-op Creamery

THRIFT

Economy is near to the keystone of character and success. A boy that is taught to save his money will rarely be a bad man or a failure. The man who saves his money will rise in his trade or profession steadily; this is inevitable. Benjamin Franklin says—"The way to wealth is as plain as the way to market; it chiefly depends on two words industry and frugality.

This bank is here to assist you in your savings program. A connection with your local bank is the first step for you in your financial independence. Your business is invited, appreciated and protected.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.
THE OLD RELIABLE

Holding The Fort

Right now when the prices for grains are below reasonable cost of production, its the dairy cow most people here depend upon to keep things going.

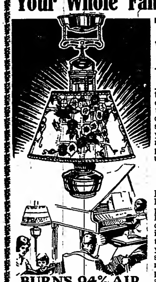
The creamery--the manufacturing plant of old bossy's product--is a big factor in the keep going movement.

Patronize your creamery--boost for it. It has paid big in years gone by, and will prove even more valuable to you in the future.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

At Christmas Time
and the whole year 'round

Your Whole Family Will Enjoy This MODERN WHITE LIGHT



HERE is a new light that will bring endless joy and comfort to the home without electricity. It gives a flood of the softest, mellowest modern white light that has ever been man-made. It does it so simply, so safely, and is so sanitary, it will startle and surprise you. Sunlight alone excels it. It makes sewing, reading, studying a pleasure. And above all it gives the utmost in efficiency and ecooomy.

Saves Its Cost in a Few Months' Time

Not alone does this remarkable new lamp give you an abundance of pure white ligbt but it uses so little kerosene compared to the old style oil lamp, that it will actually save its cost in a few months, and continue to save and save and save, year after year. In supplying yourself with an Aladdin you are in reality making an investment which pays you liberal dividends as loog as you use oil for ligbting.

BURNS 94% AIR

The New Instant-Light Aladdin Mantle Lamp

Will Both Brighten and Beautify Your Home

A match and a minute is all it takes to light it. Burns common kerosene (coal oil) with 94% air—only 6% fuel. Gives a modern white light nearest to sunlight. Burns without smoke, noise, smell or trouble. Absolutely safe. Operates as simply as the old style lamp and runs for 50 hours oo a gallon of oil. Tested by 33 leading Universities and Colleges and every claim verified. Approved by Fire Underwriters and Good Housekeeping Institute. No other artificial light has such endorsements.

A Style for Every Purpose at a Price to Suit Every Purse

Aladdins are modern too in style and finish—can be secured in table, vase, hanging, bracket and floor lamps—a style for every purpose and need.

Exquisite Shades —Hand Decorated in Either Glass or Parchment

Beautiful multicolored shades in either glass or parchment are available—exceedingly decorative and pleasing in design. Plain glass shades too if you prefer.

This store is Anthorized Aladdin Dealer for Aladdin Lamps. A full line of Aladdins and supplies for all models constantly on hand.

Carlson Mercantile Co., Inc.

O. C. Johnson, Manager
St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Wyandotte News

Mrs. Jim Evenson visited at the Ray Rackwell home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Weyrauch, Fred and Violet Peterson returned to Chicago Thursday after being home for funeral of their mother.

Goodwin Wilson spent Sunday afternoon at the G. Wilson home

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hanson and daughter visited Sunday at the Ole Hanson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hanson and children visited Wednesday at the Clarence Hanson.

River News

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Ulrich are the proud parents of a baby boy born Sunday morning, Nov. 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorstien Walseth and Annie and Harold Walseth visited Friday evening at Aug. Swensons.

Ernest, Harry and Leonard Erickson, Art Swanson, Paul Thyren, Oscar Burquist, Art and Lloyd Peterson called on Wm. Rinkenberger Friday evening.

Mrs. Aug. Erickson and son, Leonard and Laura Almquist visited Saturday at the G. B. Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Johnson visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Burstad.

Gust Konickson's of Erskine are visiting at the John Konickson home.

Gladys and Evelyn Peterson and Margaret Jepson spent the week-end at their respective homes.

Winefred Thompson spent Friday and Saturday with Helen Hesse.

Edwin Anderson called at the M. Peterson home Saturday evening.

Council Proceedings

Regular meeting of the council of the village of St. Hilaire, Minn, was held at the village hall, December 1st at 8:00 p. m.

Meeting called to order by the president.

All members present.

Minutes of last regular meeting were approved as read.

On motion duly made and carried the following bills were allowed.

H. F. Hanson	Taking ballots to Thief River and Judge of election	$10.10
P. Simonson	Judge of election	7.50
T. Larson	Judge of election	7.50
A. Satterberg	Clerk of election	7.50
M. Fricker	Clerk of election	4.00
O. Gunstad	Statement, Proceedings Ballots, Fuse and Lamps	25.80
Wm. Olson	Repairs as per bill	3.65
Larson Bros.	Merchandise	.40
W. S. Nott Co,	4 glass bushings	2.15
John Forseen	salary	20.00
Red River Power Co,	lights	34.00

Knute Kolstad and Albert Nelson were appointed judges and Thomas Larson clerk of the village election.

On motion duly made and carried the council decided to buy a 40 gallon chemical tank and equipment from W. S. Nott Co, and the clerk was instructed to order it.

C. R. Huff was granted a license for two pool tables.

On motion duly made an carried meeting adjurned.

A. Satterberg, President — M. Fricker, Clerk

Saturday Not Always Sabbath for the Jews

The period from sunset Friday to sunset Saturday was adopted by the Jews as their Sabbath about 360 A. D. It is erroneoos to suppose, as many do, that tha ancient Jewish Sabbath always fell on what corresponds to our Saturday and that the weekly cycle bas never been broken. In ancient times tba first day of tha Jewish year was also the first Sabbath of tha year and tha day was determined by tha higb priests or tha sanhedrin by ohserving the new moon. A Sabbath followed every seventh day thereafter until tha end of the year. Conseqoeotly tha Sabbath was not a regularly recurring seventh day in tha sense that our Saturday or Sunday is, and the Sabbath did not fall on ths day corresponding to our Saturday more often than it fell on other days of the week. At that time, of course, all the days began and ended at sunset. The Jews, after being scattered over tha world, found the ancient Hebrew calendar difficult to follow, and about 360 A. D., noder tha leadership of Hillel II, they began to adopt Saturday as their regular Sabbath.—Pathfinder Magazine.

HAZEL NEWS

Gladys Alberg spent the week-end at the O. Seel and home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg and children spent Friday afternoon at the O. Odegaard home.

Lillian and Helen Alberg called Saturday evening at the M. Lokken home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Alberg called at the O. Thune home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sykes were Sunday callers at the M. Lokken home.

Mrs. Morris Odegaard and son visited at her home in Thief River the past week.

Misses Ruth Seeland and Mae Kenney attended the P. T. A. at St. Hilaire Friday evening.

Mrs. Nels Nelson and children were callers Saturday afternoon at the M. Lokken home.

Anna Alberg spent last week at the W Peterson home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Breneman of Brainerd, Mrs. Sherva, Grace Carlness, Ole Peterson and Mae Kenney were supper guests at the O Seeland home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Odegaard and children were Sunday afternoon guests at the Kval home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Knutson and Arlene were Sunday dinner guests at the J. Gunstad home.

Dorothy Gunstad visited Saturday night at the Seeland home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and family visited Saturday at the Henry Sandherg home.

The Busy Bee school pupils are now working on their Christmas program which will he held Friday evening Dec 19.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Berg were Sunday callers at the J. Nelson home.

Shoppers in Thief River Saturday were, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Odegaard, Mrs. A. Anderson, Mrs. P. Nelson, Oscar Seeland and Omar and Ruth and Anna Alberg.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Seeland Ruth and Omar, Ethel May Carlness and Mae Kenney visited friends in St. Hilaire Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C Prestby and family visited friends in St. Hilaire Sunday evening.

Two-Dollar Bill Called "Just Darned Nuisance"

The idea that there is something unlucky ahoot the $2 bill—so that many persons tear the corners off them to avert misfortune—occasionally arouses curiosity.

A nomber of our readers bave writteo in with suggestioos to account for the helief in the unlockiness of this particular note. One, however, a merchant io Pennsylvania, says from bis experience as a retailer that "there is oo question of superstition iu connection with the $2 bill, it is just a darned ouisance.

"There is no compartment provided in our cash register for them," he writes, "ond when we are handed ooe by a customer wa bave to secrete it away somewbere until wa get a chance to pass it on to the bank. Wa can't very well band it out to another customer for change, that is if we want to retain their good will.

"The ooly possible use it bas is when some one purchases a 2-cent stamp and bands us a $20 bill in payment. Then we can get back at him by unlooding all the $2 bills we havs on band."—Literary Digest.

Play Fair in Life

Other men are just as moch deserving of a chance as yon are. The road to success is not over others upon whom yoo have trampled. Yon cannot demnnd a "fair field and no favor" without extending the same privilege to others.—Grit.

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In view of what it means in the development of rural life we believe in the movement to check the growth of chain atores, chain banks and other lines of business. If the present trends continue, rural life is going to be retarded in its development. If this country is to become the happy and prosperous country that it ought to be, rural development should be helped and not hindered. The growth of chain systems of one kind or another leads inevitably to the concentration of city control of rural affairs. It is a serious question and should have the thoughtful consideration of all people.—Bird Island Union.

Subscription statements are being mailed out this week to all subscribers of the Spectator whose subs expire or are about to expire at this time. While amounts represented by the statements, are small in practically all cases, the total of them all amounts to a considerable sum which is needed by the publisher in order to carry on. For a limited time—as long as supply lasts—we will give with each local renewal, a Windo-Meter, an outdoor thermometer that fastens to outside of a window so it can be read without going out. These can he given only to those who call at this office as they are not mailable.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 24, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

DR. L. R. TWETE
Licensed Veterinarian
Thief River Falls, Minn.
Tuberculin Testing

Wise Old Coyote Takes Few Chances on Traps

Ordinarily tha coyota does not hand like the timber wolf. The person unacquaiotad with coyotes and their habits would bardly belleva tha above statement after listeoing for the first tima to tha bowling of ona or two of these animals. The coyote can maka more noise for his size than any animal in the woods and a solitary male can so change the voluma and direction of bis voice that ooe would almost swear there were a dozen coyotes doing their stuff.

If a coyote locates dead game aod is afraid to run chances of gettiog his toes pinched be will, provided ba is a wise old beast, employ a simple strategy to test tha danger of the place. Setting back on bis baunches be will send a few well-rounded calls into tha air, a sort of bunting cry which signals for belp. Tha nearest coyote, particularly if it be a young and uninitiated fellow, will answer tha call and come post haste. While tha wise ona bolds back the newcomer will walk up and investigate. Presently, providing notbing serious happens, tha old one will coma on in and partake of tha feast. But, as sometimes bappens, if tha youngster steps into a steel trap, the other unceremonioosly takes his leave, another sly wrinkle of wisdom forming on his shrewd face as he steals cautiously away.

Free for All

It was Freddie's first visit to tha country.

During a walk with his grandfather in tha woods be kept looking round as if expecting to see soma ooe.

"Why are you looking round?" asked the old gentleman.

"Where's the policeman?" asked Freddie.

"Policeman?" cried the other. "We have no policemen in the country, Freddie."

The boy looked more puzzled than before.

"Then who keeps tha people off tha grass?" ha answered.

Notice of Special Stockholder's Meeting Of The St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Association

A special stockholder's meeting of the St. Hilaire Co-Operative Creamery Association is called to be held at the Imperial Hall in the Village of St. Hilaire, Minnesota, at Two o'clock P. M., on the 2nd day of January, 1931. At said meeting the following resolution, recommended for passage by a majority vote of the Board of Directors of the corporation, will be considered and voted upon:

"RESOLVED that the corporate existance of The St. Hilaire Co-Operative Creamery Association is hereby renewed and extended for a further period of twenty (20) years, from and after the 23rd day of January, 1931. The officers of the corporation are directed to execute and record the necessary Certificate and to take all other action necessary to make aush renewal effective."

THE ST. HILAIRE CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASS'N
By Felix Grandbois, President

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

Estate of Nels Johnson

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington — In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Nels Johnson Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to All Persons Interested in the Above Entitled Matter: Whereas, Martha Johnson has filed in this Court her final account of her administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: IT IS ORDERED, that said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 3rd day of January 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, at Thief River Falls, in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted; and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in the St. Hilaire Spectator according to law.

WITNESS THE HONORABLE, Lars Backe Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 5th day of December 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe, Judge.

H. O. Berve
Attorney or Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minn.
D11-25

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of Christian Storholm

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington — In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Christian Storholm Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Sophia Storholm.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be and the same hereby is limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Wednesday the 10th day of June 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and in the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in St. Hilaire Spectator, St. Hilaire, Minnesota, as provided by law and by mailing as provided by rule of this court.

Dated December 8th, 1930.
(Court Seal) Lars Backe, Judge of Probate

Theo. Quale, Attorney,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
D11-25

POULTRY

SPROUTED OATS ARE EXCELLENT

Care Must Be Exercised That Hulls Do Not Impact.

Sprooted oats maka an excellent poultry food. When sprouted oats are fed, whole oats can ba left oot of the scratch grain with advantage. In feeding whole oats, tha hulls often caose impacted crops and death ensues. When tha oats are fed sprouted no troobla aloog this lina will be experienced.

In sprooting oats a temperature of at least 55 degrees is required. Tha growth will ha more rapid if tha higher temperatura is provided.

Oats can ha sprooted in the dark if tha temperatura is rigbt. If sprooted in a dark room, the top growth will ha light in color, hut one day's exposura to ligbt aod air will give the green color.

A method of sprooting oats is as follows:

The oats ara soaked in water for tweoty-foor bours. An incb layer is then spread out in sballow trays or racks. The trnya most bava good draioage. If the drainage is poor tba oats will mold and are then unfit for feediog to tha birds. Twice a day tha oats are sprinkled with warm water. Io a week or ten days, depending on the temperature, of course, the oats will he three inches tbick and will have a top growth of four or fiva inches.

A block a foot square mokes a sufficient daily feed for 50 hens.

Grain Supplements Are Needed by Laying Hens

Laying hens must have their rations of whola nnd ground grains supplemented with proteio conceotrates, otherwise they will be loofers and not layers doe to no faolt of the hen hot tha feeder. Tha most common metbod of balancing the ration is to feed a proteio cooceotrate of animal origin, sucb aa meat scraps, tankage (wbich is a similar prodoct), or milk in soma form. Tha common mathod of feeding meat scraps or tankage is to mix it with brao, shorts, and cornmeal, usiog aboot 20 pouods of it to 100 pooods of the mixture. This should ha kept before tha hens all the tima in open boppers, the daily allowanca for 100 bens being seven to eight pounds daily and more if they will eot it. This mash, due to the meat, stimulates egg prodoctioo and is an old tried practica which has proved ecooomical.

Keep Poultry Houses Warm During Winter

It is important for egg prodoction that tbe pooltry bouse ba kept reasooably warm and well veotilated. Heavy paper or balf-ply roofiog and matched siding ootside of studding, paper and sheathing, commercial insulatioo and plaster, or plaster hase and stucco inside, aod sawdust, gravel, chopped hoy or straw between studdings to hreak op the air space, mokes a frama hoose warm. Concrete, coocreta hlock, or clay hlock walls need an air spaca filled with commercial iusulotioo, granolated cork, or sawdost to keep frost off the walls. Forring on the inside with lath and cemeot stocco also makes a worm honse, or commercial insulation cnn he fastened directly to the inside of the woll and tben plastered.

Poultry Hints

Goineas are noisy enoogh to scara away poultry thieves.

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If pullets start to lny too soon they will seldom be foily feotbered or full grown.

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If the pullets are iofested with body lice and intestinnl parasites, treat tha birds before they start to lay.

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Heavy feeding hefore tbe pollets aro placed in winter qnarters gets them in shope for layiog duriog tbe winter.

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Maoy poultry raisers seem to think the onts should he aprooted as long as they will continue to grow befora being fed.

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Direct sonlight and green feed are tbe final factors determinlog tbe hatchability of eggs from healthy, vigorous, properly moted fowls.

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The value of succulent feeds sucb as mangel roots, cabbages and sprouted osts, is difficult to measnre; nevertbeless they are important in the ration.

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In many instnnces colds aod roop are the resolt of chronic coccidiosis, worm infestatioos, faulty management, or poor hoosing. Correct conditions wbicb lower the vitality first.

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Moving pollets from the range to the laying bousa is delicata work as far as pollets are coocerned. Remember that they are going into atrange qoarters and will receive oew managemeot. Sodden chaoges are often disastrous to egg production. Move slowly ahout the layiog hoose, as quick movements startle them.

DEFECTIVE PAGE

Coal! Coal!

Have your coal bin replenished now before cold weather sets in. We have a good supply of different grades of coal and can make immediate delivery for you.

This elevator always carries a big supply of feeds of all kinds and flour. Get our prices on large quantities.

We pay highest market prices for grain.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Your Printing

As the present year is drawing to a close, the time for settlement of accounts is approaching.

Look over your supply of statements, letterheads, envelopes, bill heads, sales-books, etc., and see what you will require.

The best time to order is before you are entirely out. We will be glad to do that printing job for you.

St. Hilaire Spectator

Bids Wanted

Notice is hereby given that the old school building in Dist. No 180, Pennington County, Minn., will be sold to the highest bidder for cash. Size of building is 16x22 with ten foot posts. Sealed bids for purchase will be received by the undersigned up to 8:00 p. m. on Wednesday Dec, 24th. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

D10-17 S. N. Olson, Clerk

25 Years Ago

Daniel Johnson, who lived near the south bridge died Tuesday at the age of 75 years.

—XXV—

R. H. Foss, one of planing mill employees, fell and broke a leg while loading cars at the planer.

—XXV—

N. A. Nelson bought two lots in Block 49 and was going to build an office on them.

—XXV—

Mrs. Carl Johnson was called to LeSueur by serious illness of her sister.

—XXV—

Emma Hoff returned from Moorhead where she had attended the State Normal.

—XXV—

George Austin went down to Crookston to attend a meeting of the dairy convention.

—XXV—

Peter Martinson of Clover Leaf, was found dead at his home under circumstances that pointed to foul play. The authorities were questioning the wife and niece of the dead man who were in the house when the body was found.

FOR SALE, etc.

Pullets For Sale: About a hundred May hatched pullets for sale. Call on

Gust Peterson,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Dog For Sale:- Well bred cattle dog, eight months old. Will sell cheap if taken soon. Call on.

Philip Anderson
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Notice:- I have a considerable acreage of light poplar timber. Anyone needing wood may have it free of charge for cutting and piling the brush. Call on or address.

Karl T. Dalager
N13tf R1 Hazel, Minn.

Farm For Rent:- 160 acre farm with fair set of buildings good well, along good gravelled road. Inquire at this office. N27tf

Life's Futility

What's the use? Even if you become great enough to have your portrait on paper money you have to be dead.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Complete Privilege

Give a woman a chance to remind a man that he has made a fool of himself and she will ask no other boon.—Public Ledger.

Keeping the Balance

Prosperity seems to be scarcely safe unless it be mixed with a little adversity.—Hosea Ballou.

Futility of Anger

Anger is not only the prevailing sin of argument, but also its greatest stumbling block.—Gladstone.

Follow Direction

It isn't always the things men aim at, but the way they travel that counts.—American Magazine.

WANTED A COTTAGE WITH YARD AND FLOWERS

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

JOHN DALTON looked very sober as he waited in the artistically furnished sun room for his sweetheart who was putting the finishing touches to dinner. He lived at home and he knew something of the cost of such a dainty little apartment and it worried him, for his salary would not permit such a scale of living, and he hesitated before asking Lorene to marry him and move into a cheap little suburban home. As for starting married life by paying an exorbitant rent for the sake of keeping up with a horde of total strangers, all engaged in the squirrel-cage of keeping up appearances, he considered this foolish in the extreme.

"I bope there will be something that you will like for dinner," fluttered Lorene, who looked oddly tired for a girl who had nothing to do all day but sit in her sun parlor and amuse herself. John had spent a wearying day among his blue prints but be looked less tired than she.

"You should not go to so much trouble," protested John, looking uncomfortably at the elaborate table set with silver candlesticks with tiny rose-fluted shedes and at the lace and damask circular cloth. "We live very simply at home. My mother does her own work and we prefer to have her use as few dishes as possible. Living is so costly these days that plain food is about all we can manage."

Lorene's mother glanced at him thoughtfully, but made no reply. John, accustomed to the free discussion of tha housework, wondered bow much his hostess hired done. There was no maid to serve the meal, but he fancied, from tha amount of silver and cut glass used that there must be outside help, for both women were expensively gowned and at the conclusion of the abundant, almost extravegant, dinner they both left the room with no epparent thought for the putting away of the food or dishes.

John took Lorene to the theater as they had already planned and because she wore a delicate white lace frock, he felt obliged to call a taxi lest sha soil her satin pumps. The seats had cost him $10 and with the taxi fare both weys he had spent his surplus for the week. The girl had never looked prettier; the shadows about her dreaming brown eyes lent her a fragile appearance that mada the man long to ask her to marry him and let him take care of her, but the very frailness of her beauty made him hesitate. If she was so tired out from the beat of a day filled with idleness, how could sba stand up under the strain of making both ends meet on his very moderate salary? He had good prospects, but at present his salary check was ouly average for his age. Sbe had scarcely touched her dinner, plate after plete held delicate food that she had left barely tasted.

"I was sorry not to bring you flowers," he said as they sped up the brilliantly ligbted avenue.

Lorene stirred, tha lights caught the bronze tints in her beautifully coiffed hair and it looked almost golden. "I'm glad you didn't," sha said softly. "I do not care for hothouse flowers. I like a garden whera ona works and watches for the unfolding of the buds. Oue appreciates what is worked for. I love the country—"

The taxi stopped before the epartment building and John helped her out.

"Will you come up?" asked the girl.

"I'd better not," be said reluctantly. "It is pretty late and I have to get up early." Under the door light be noticed the vivid flush that swiftly swept her face. Her lips parted as though she intended to interrupt but at his next words the blush receded, leaving her face a dead white. "I may not be around for some time. You see I'm a poor man and I hava nothing to offer a girl like you. Wby, the dinner you gave me tonight would beve cost me nearly my week's salary if I had entertained you downtown instead of your entertaining me. I don't feel right about accepting what I cannot return." He looked deeply into her wide, brown eyes and turned away abruptly.

Lorene watched the tall figure swing down the street with eyes that were wet with sudden tears.

"Did you have a good time, dear?" asked her mother sleepily.

Lorene shook her hair about her face as she removed the pretty sbell hairpins. She did not wish anyone to see her bitter disappointment. "Nothing extra," she murmured. "I think I made a mistake not telling him, but it's too late now. He—" she swallowed hard and then concluded bitterly, "he's not coming again very soon. He thinks he has nothing to offer a girl like me," and she vanished into her own room.

John Dalton was looking determined as he entered the telephone booth of a downtown firm. He had not been in this office for some months, as his employer usually attended to the business transacted with them, but he had been entrusted with the blue prints for the contemplated building. The head was out and while John waited he obeyed tha longing that had clutched him all day. He must speak to Lorene and ask ber to let him see her. He could not break off as be had tried to do. Twice, between eppointments, hs had called np the apartment, but both times there had been no response, and ha wondered jealously where she had gone. He stalked out, frowning; again central had languidly informed him thet his party did not answer. Stalking along tha corridor, be heard a familiar voice. Just ahead of him walked a slim figure, clad in e severe blue serge frock, with dainty sheer ruffles at the neck. Tbe mass of wavy bronze hair wes plainly arranged, hot there was no mistaking the curly tendrils that esceped the net and mada a misty brightness about her small bead.

"Lorene," he said, catching op with bere, "what ere you doing bere withoot a hat? Surely yoo do not work downtown?"

"Of course I do. Mother aod I both work. Otherwise wa could oot keep that good flat, hot I sometimes wooder whether it's worth tbe effort. We bave to do so much work at night that we're tired the uext day."

"Last night yoo said yoo loved the country. Did yon mean real country life or the imitatiou ooe finds at couotry clobs, filled witb aervants?" be demanded clutcbing ber arm.

"I've never beeo in e coootry cloh. I'd like to have e cottage with a yard and iots of flowers—" Lorene broke off, coofused uoder the delight that appeared oo tbe grave face looking down at her.

"Will you belp me flod sucb e cottage?" be demanded.

Physicians Make Poor Showing in Longevity

Physicians, eppareotly, do not enjoy as fevorable a mortality situatiou as other professiooal workers. In fact, they beve an expectatioo of life at age thirty—wben tbey are eoteriog upon their choseo careers—of betweeo two and tbree years iess tban a selected insured groop; eod tbey surpass the general popoiatiou in ioogevity by barely a year.

In spite of the fact that as a group doctors are endowed with better than tbe average pbysique, mentulity and social position, their irregular hoors, tbe liability to emergeocy calls at any and every hour of tbe day and nigbt, and exposure to all kinds of weatber which inevitably accompauy rural and small town practice more than counterbalance their assets.

Iofloenza and pneumoaia are very common causes of death and explain io part the bigb mortality. Tbese diseases may ba cousidered occupatiooal in character since doctors are coostantly exposed to them in the course of their day's work. Organic beart disease and diabetes are alao decidedly higber amoog American pbysicians.

The suicide situatioo lo this group bas often ettracted etteotioo. In this conntry available figures, eltbougb inconclusive, suggest that tba suicide rate is aligbtly abova the average. Io England eod Wales, bowever, mortality from suicide is very high, being twice the average.

Tha mortality of dentists is lower thao the average for all occopied males; bot like that of doctors, it is not as favorable as that wbicb tbe professiooal and wbite-collar class as a whole enjoys.—Louis I. Dublin in Harper's Magazine.

Chemical to Combat Crime

Numbers on eutomoblie parts, guos, watches and other metal articles, mutileted or partly obliterated by thieves in an effort to baffle identificatioos, may be restored with a chemical prepared by members of the stoleu eutomobile detsil of Chicago's police department, says Popular Mecbauics Magazine. The chemical, in liquid form, is upplied to tbe part wbere tbe original oumber is believed to be. In five minutes or five bours, perhaps, depending opoo the kind of metal and the degree to wbich the old characters have heeo worn away or obscured, the fuint outlines of tbe original oomhers usually can be seen. Special lights and magnifying glasses are sometimes necessary, but usually the numhers are visihle to the onaided eye. Tbe restoration is generally not permanent, hot lasts long enongh to permit an accurate tracing of the numbers. More than 100 antomohilea, many guns, wetcbes and other articles tbus have been identified hy the chemical squad.

Cross-Word Puzzles Old

Puzzles similar to the crossword puzzles were known to the ancients. What is believed by some anthorities to be the oldest crossword pozzle was made by a Cretan aboot 2,000 years ago, u copy of which now lies lo the archeological museum at Jobns Hopkins university, Baltimore. Thia pozzle is called tha "Pbaestus disk," and was found on the island of Crete by an expedition many years ago. According to the New York Eveniog World, tbe first genuine crossword puzzle of tha modern type was composed by Arthur Winn, and appeared in a supplement of the Sunday World on December 21, 1913. Tbe outbreak of the World war arrested tbe crossword puzzle craze temporarily, but it was revived as a feature in the World in 1916.

Aircraft Study

The Prussian minister of educatiou has ordered that classes dealing with aeronautic problems be added to the curriculum of all public schools. In schools with workshops, the pupils, in addition, are to be advised and assisted in the construction of models of all kinds of aircraft.

Service Station

We handle a full line of Peoples Oil Company greases, oils and gasoline. Drive in when you want service—we are ready to give it. Free air and water.

We also handle tires, tubes, batteries and various other kinds of auto accessories.

Repair shop in rear of the oil station. Bring in your car if it needs overhauling or repairs.

Engh's Service Station

THE CHURCHES

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Sunday, December 14
St. Pauli, 11:00 a. m. Norw.
Ebenezer, 2:00 p. m. Norw.
St. Hilaire,
Sunday school at 10:00 a. m.
Luther League at 8:00 p. m.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN

Albin A. Larson, Pastor

Sunday Dec 14th
Black River Church
Sunday school 10:00
Services at 11:00
Sunday school will practice their Christmas program after services
Services in Clara at 1:00
In local church at 3:00

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH

C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00
Morning services at 11:00
Evening service in Black River Chapel at 8:00.

Sunday School children taking part in the Christmas program are asked to meet at the chnrch Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Card Of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all for their kindness to us after the death of our beloved mother.

We wish especially to thank Rev. Bloom for his comforting words, and to those who sang at the funeral service. We also thank all for the beautiful floral offerings.

Frank Peterson
Fred Peterson
Richard Peterson
Alvin Peterson
Anna Peterson
Violet Peterson
Walter Peterson and family
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Weyrauch
Mr. and Mrs. E. Erickson
and family

In Appreciation

We wish to express our thanks to all our friends for their kindness to us, and for their visits and calls to the hospital during recent illness of our little daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Olson

In Appreciation

We wish to thank the people of this community for their gifts to us on Thanksgiving. Needless to say, all were greatly appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Neuman
and family

Just Make Excuses

Some people know how to make such good excuses that they don't try to do anything else.—Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

The KITCHEN CABINET

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"I want to give good measure running o'er
And into angry hearts I want to pour
The answer soft that turneth wrath away:
I'm sure I shall not pass again this way."

RELIABLE RICE DISHES

Rice is a food which may begin with a breakfast and end with dinoer. It is good as a base for soups, as a vegetable in place of potato, as a dessert there are numberless ways of serving it, aad in croquettes it has always been popular, with a good sauce to serve with tha croquettes.

As u hot cereal for breakfast there is nothing more wholesome for young or old. Served with brown sugar or white, maple sugar, cream or condeosed milk or with fruit, it is sure to be enjoyed.

Tbe cooking of rice is not so simple as it seems, as the pasty, hard centers of rice will testify. Rice needs a large quantity of water to keep the rice grains swirling from the time of the first cooking. The time for the cooking of rice depends largely upon its freshness. Old, well dried rice oeeds ionger cooking to make it teader.

To two quarts of swiftly boiling water add two teaspooafuls of salt, tben add ooe cupful of well washed rice; drop it slowly into the water so that the water is kept at the boiling temperature. If it is necessary to stir tbe rice use a fork and do not add the salt until after the stirring is over. When the rice is tender draiu iu a colander and rinse with hot water until every grain stands out ahioiag and separate.

A bowl of cooked rice is an asset lo any refrigerator. A few spoonfuls may be added to a custard, a broth and on appetizing dish is ready. For croqoettes or fritters oae may have eo eodless variety, stuffed with jelly or chopped meat, vegetables or fruits, then served with ao appropriate sauce they are aore to win approval.

Simple, plain cooked rice served with e compote of fruit makes a delightful luncheoo dessert. It is especially good with apricot and pear combinatioo.

Nellie Maxwell

Moon's Movements

Owing to the fact that the moon's orbit does not lie in tha plaoe of tbe earth's equator, the moon haa an alternating north-and-sootb motioo—moving north for two weeks aud theo south for two weeks.

Gold Bowls for Nomads

Golden bowls four centuries old, believed to have heeo made in India, heve been brought by a atrange tribe of gypsies to the ancient camping grounds along the river Alt, in Rumania.

Plausible

Scientists have discovered that butterflies recognize oue another at a distance of six or eight feet. A possihle explanation is thet butterflies doo't owe one another money.—Detroit News.

Legal Phrase

The word "novation" is from the Latin word meaning "new," and its use in legal phraseology means a substitution of a new obligation, indebtedness, creditor, etc., for an existing one.

Santa Claus Headquarters

We have placed on display, a large and varied assortment of Christmas toys and holiday goods.

These are all substantially made toys, and every article is reasonably priced.

See our big line of mechanical toys. You will be sure to fine something suitable in it. For convenience of our customers, we will pack and store any articles desired until called for at Christmas.

Hunt Brothers Co.

St. Hilaire--Red Lake Falls

TOYLAND IS HERE

Make this store your shopping place for Christmas gift goods.

A big line of toys of various kinds is now on display. Trimmings for the tree, candies, nuts, and fruits are here for you.

Gifts For Grownups

For those who believe in giving more substantial gifts, we have a fine line of hosiery, ties, scarfs, boxed handkerchiefs, shirts, comfy slippers as well as many other useful articles that will be appreciated by the recipients.

Shop Early and Shop Here

M. H. Jackson

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Bray News

Mrs. Annie Lindbloom called at the Henry Lindbloom bome Saturday afternoon.

Mr and Mrs. J. O. Swanso n and family visited at the Nick Shalz home Sunday afternoon.

Mable Lindbloom visited at the Harry Hawkinson home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson, Mr and Mrs. Mike Peppin of Dortby were supper guests Saturday evening at tbe Arcbie Marcott home at Red Lake.

Mr. and Mrs H. Lindbloom visited et the Seimer Olson home Tuesday evening.

Lillian and Harry Larson called at the home of Mrs. A. Lindbloom Wednesday evening.

Numerous friends of Dr. Theo. Bratrud of Warren will be shocked to learn of his death which occured Saturday.

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CALL THE S. P. C. A.

The teacher was teaching his class abont parrot fever, and warned tbe pnpils never to kiss animals or hirds, especially parrots, canaries, and so on.

"Can yon give me an instance, Jackie?" be asked.

"Yes, sir; my Aunt Emily used to kiss her lap-dog!"

"Yes, and . . .?"

"And it died, sir!"—Lustige Koiner Zeitung (Cologne).

Depot Literature

"There's one good thing about your railroad," said the tourist tn the condnctor on tbe Mosquito Bay line

"What's tbat?" was the surprised qnery.

"Yonr time tables. They don't alwsys get the facts quite rigbt, bnt they are never sensational."

Observant Youth

"Say, Bob," said the small girl to the small boy, "what are relations?"

"Relations," was the answer, "are folks that keep mother working so hard for fear they'll come around on a tour of inspection and say she isn't a good bousekeeper."

Methuselah's Hard Luck

"Methuselah hed e few hard knocks I'll bet."

"Sure, he was with one company 80 years before he got e raise."—Chicagn News.

MINNESOTA NEWS

Windom—$125,000 bonds for the erection nf a new high school building were approved by citizens in the recent election.

Red Wing—The Goodhne county court house, built in 1858, is to be razed and in its place will be erected a new and modern structure.

Fairmont—More than a hundred clnbs and societies are enumerated among the city's social nrganizations, according to a recent survey hy the local paper.

Breckenridge—Wilkin county is the fourteenth county in the state to employ a home demonstration agent. Miss Charlotte Kirchner entered npon dnties there December first.

Monterey — $15,000 waterwnrks bonds were voted by the residents nf Monterey in last Tuesday's election. Ther were bnt twelve votes cast against the proposal.

St. James—A Watonwan county farmer bas just completed the harvesting of 125 acres of popcorn, perhaps the largest acreege nf this crop ever prodnced on a single farm in the state.

Owatonna—Acting on a mysterious tip, Sheriff Joe Fisber prepared to extend a warm welcome to a bunch of bank robbers who were reported to have plans definitely laid for a bold np in that city, bnt after several hours of watchful waiting the riflemen were withdrawn but the robbery did not occur.

Zumbrota—The re-election of Senator A. J. Rockne to the state senate is being contested by C. L. Grover, bis Farmer-Labor opponent in tbe recent election. Action has been instituted in district court but it is the Senator's contention tha while the court may take the evidence, jurisdiction in tbe case lies with the State Senate.

LeSueur Center—This village containing 950 souls bas voted to change its name to plain "Center" because of the constant confusion arising between LeSuenr Center and LeSnenr. Action taken in the recent election resulted in a majority of 20 votes being cast in favor of the change. Necessary legal steps will be taken at once to perfect the cbange.

St. Paul—A. J. Olson, Renville, Minnesota Federation president, M. E. Jacobson, Dawson, Mrs. E. V. Ripley, Hibbard County, George W. Freeman, Znmbrota, Thomas Cashman, Owatonna, and J. S. Jones, St. Paul, secretary of the Minnesota Federation are the delegates representing Minnesota who will attend the national convention of the Americau Farm Bureau Federation nt Boston.

St. Paul—Tbe state will collect more than $11,000,000 for motor vebicle license registratinu this year, according to figures for 11 months. The state already has collected $10,991,829 on 743,674 registrations, nr $200,944 more than was taken in for the 12 months of 1929. For the first 11 months nf last year tbe state issned 726,984 license permits for which $10,753,688 was collected.

Rochester—Competition for debate championships will take place in three gronps in the first district under plans adopted by the directors of tbe Minnesota Higb School Debate League. One group incindes Elton, Spring Valley, Le Roy and Grand Meadow; a second, Rochester, Stewartville, Winona and Cbatfield; and a third, Alden, Ellendale, Blooming Prairie, Claremont and Kenyon.

St. Paul—Extradition to Minnesota of two promnters wanted by Pipestone county authorities in connection with the sale of almost $50,000 of stock in an alleged wortbless gold mine in Idaho has heen denied hy the governor of Wasbington with the provision that tbe promoters repnrcbase the stock from the victims, R. G. Haverstock, investigator for the state securities division, annonnced Thnrsdey.

Fergus Falls—Arrested after Game Warden Fred Gast recognized his picture in a St. Panl newspaper, Al LeBarre of St. Pani was arraigned on a second degree assault charge in district court, and asked for further time in whicb to plead. He was given until December 16, and released uder $1,500 bail. LaBarre is charged with having attacked Game Warden Gast several weeks ago when the latter asked to see bis license.

Minneapolis—Captain Lloyd Rnth, 36, former member of the army air reserve corps and once state commander of the Disabled American Veterans, fell 150 feet to his death Tbnrsday at 1:30 p. m. from a trainning plane piloted by Captain Jack Palmer. Rntb tumbled from the rear cockpit as Captain Palmer made a left bank abont 300 feet northwest of the St. Panl airport after taking off into the wind. His body struck hebind a woodsbed of Paul Okronglis, 519 Kentncky street, St. Paul. He was killed instantly.

Sherburn—In the recent village electinn a proposal to erect a community ball at a cost of $8,500 was lost by a vote of 217 to 91.

Red Wing—C. L. Dorneyer, navy aviation mechanic leaped to his death in Lima bay, Colon, Canal Zone, when motor tronbie overtook a seaplane in which be was riding.

Minneapolis—Land buildings and equipment at the main campus of the University are valued at $31,452,326 according to an inventory announced Thursday by the administration.

Protect Yourself When Catching Rabbits

Rabbit hunters are warned hy the Minnesota State Medical Association to protect themselves against unsual epidemic of tnlaremla.

As many cases of tnlaremia or rabbit fever have been reported in Minnesota so far this year as occured in 1928 and 1929 together, a bnlletin on tbis disease from the Minnesota State Medical Association announces today.

Eight persons have fallen victims to the disease np to October of this year according to State Board of Health figures, the bnlletin reports, and this fact may well mean that there is an unusual amount of the disease among wild rahbits in some localities of the state this year.

The disease affects wild rabbits, not tame. It is not confined exclusively to rabbits among the wild animals, squirrels being afficted sometimes. Some instances are on record where the disease has been transferred to human beings with wood ticks as infecting agents, the hulletin says.

But the majority of cases where tuleremia has been transferred to hnman beings it has been traced to infected rahhits, and hnnters are consequently warned especially to be unusually careful this year.

"Never tonch a wild rahbit with bare hands" the bnletin directs "Disease germs may cling to the bare unbroken skin. They will infect the slightest skin wound or scratch".

"Rubber gloves are suggested as a protection for those who are handling carcasses or preparing rahhits for the table. Fortunately cooking kills the germs of the disease and cooked rabbit meat is safe as far as tularemie is concerned".

The sick rabbit is weary and indifferent the bulletin points out. Hunters should beware particularly of rabbits easy to catch.

Headaches, chills, fever, and hody pains occuring from two to five days after handling an infected rabbit are the first symtoms of the disease. There is also, nsually, a swollen area on the thumb or finger or point of first contact. The fever lasts a week or more end then becomes intermittent.

"Hail Columbia" Written as Offering to Friend

Just to oblige an insistent friend, a Philadelphia judge back in 1798 spent part of one week-end composing a patriotic song which he thonght would sink heck into obscurity within a week nr two.

And the result was one of America's greatest national airs—"Hail Columhia."

The composer was Joseph Hopkinson, who was widely known for his artistic, musical and literary tastes. It was in the middle of the summer of 1798 that a young actor, Gilbert Fox, for whom the benefit was to be given, went to Hnpkinson's home at 838 Spruce street. He explained that there was little prospect of attracting a crowd and asked his friend to help him out.

That was Seturday. The performance was to be on Monday. And early that morning "Hail Columbia" had been completed.

Fox sang the song, accompanied hy a full band and a "grand chorus." Crowds sang it nn the streets as they left the theater. And a short time leter Hopkinson wrote to George Washington:

"The theaters here and in New York have resounded with it night after night and men and hoys sing it wherever they go."—Kansas City Times.

The Mannekin

A few minntes away from the Grand place of Brussels—"noblest of medieval sqnares"—at the corner of the Rne de l'Eture and the Rne dn Chene, stands the famous Mannekin fountain. This impudent rascal is a popular hero, everywhere known as the "oldest citizen of Brussels." Whenever visiting celebrities wish to please the Bruxellois, they present the Mannekin with a new suit of clothes. He has costumes of many nations—from a Napoleonic unifnrm to a gayly embroidered Japanese kimono—all of which are kept hy the city for him to wear on special occasions. But whether naked as he was made, or decked out in an admiral's gold braid, he continues to fulfill his role of heing the merriest fountain in Europe.

SANTA HEADQUARTERS

See our magnificent line of holiday articles now on display.

Mechanical and other toys that will delight the hearts of the little folks.

Tree trimmings of all sorts, candies, nuts, popcorn, and everything needed for the tree.

Last, but not least, a wonderful variety of gift goods for the grownups. In our extensive lines you can find something suitable for every member of the family—and every article priced very low.

Make this store your Christmas shopping headquarters.

Carlson Mercantile Co., Inc.

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Fix Your Mail Box For The Winter

Tbe rural mail box is another item whicb must now be addedto the list of things which we must get ready for winter. With the state prepared to plow all trunk highways, and many of the counties and townships increasing their snow removal programs, more mail boxes must have attention than in former years.

Even with the most careful driver behind the plow it is often impossible to see the boxes or avoid hitting them. Witb the high speed plows now in general use, the mail hox on a rigid post too close to the roadway is in a precarious position.

One type recommended by the State Highway department has a swinging arm made from a 2 by 4 ten feet long, counter weighed so that the mail box is up in the air out of tbe way. A short piece of rope is attached so the mail carrier or persons calling for it can easily pull it within reach. A diagram showing the material needed and how to construct it will be furnished by tbe department on request.

Another type is made by using an irom pipe for tbe post with a smaller L shaped pipe as a swinging arm. The hox is bolted to one end of the smaller pipe and short end of the L fits loose into the post.

Simpler and less expensive type are the common tripod or 'norse' and the post set in an old milk can ballasted with gravel or coment. These need moving back and forth but if not moved they will not be danaged by the plows as hadly as boxes on posts set in the ground.

Holding a Husband

How tn keep a bnsband, in nine chapters, is told by the Californie Federation of Women's Clnbs. Here are the rules: Dress prettily for breakfast. Get yonr busband to take you ont two evenings a week, bnt let him stay et bome tbe rest. Pay the household bills before bnying new dresses. Never make your hnsband dry dishes. Never permit yonr mother-in-lew to visit on holideys. Listen to your hnsband if he likes the sound nf his voice. Ask his advice on everything. Be clinging, bnt not too clinging. Make him think you're a weak, small creature and be is 9 feet tall with the strength of a lion.

Dens Can Have Other Uses

"So you insist nn four windows in your den," asked the architect of the man for whom he was planning a home.

"Yes, it must have four windows," the man replied. "Yon see my wife likes a lot nf light for her sewing."—Capper's Weekly.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .61
Duram Wheat	.54
Rye	.30
Barley	.29
Oats	.25
Flax	1.42
Eggs, cash	.30
Creamery butter	.41

Apple Cider

Pure apple cider will add zest to your party lunches.

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Local Boy Makes Good

Paul T. Erickson, graduate of the local high school four years ago, and now senior medical student at the University of Minnesota, was recently notified of his appointment to an internship in a U. S. military general hospital. He expects to be assigned about April 1st, 1931 to either the Letterman General Hospital at San Francisco, The Walter Reed General Hospital at Washington D. C., or the Station Hospital at Fort Sam Houston, Texas. Paul's appointment to internship in a U. S. Hospital, which is the most highly prized and most sought after assignment wished for by any medical student, came thru the good offices of Congressman C. G. Selvig of this district. Only four such appointments were given to students at the University of Minnesota this year. Mr. Erickson's highest scholastic standing, together with the fact that he was honor man at the R. O. T. C. at Fort Snelling last year, did much to influence his appointment.

Mr. Erickson is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Erickson of Black River community west of this village. He has a host of friends in this community who will rejoice with him in his good fortune of securing this desirable appointment.

Members of the newly organized school band have all received their instruments and are now receiving weekly instruction. Bandmaster Kellogg hopes to have the organization so far advanced by spring that it can make a public appearance.

A band is an asset to the village, and should have the hearty co-operation of all citizens.

Don't forget to attend the band concert Friday evening at the school building.

We know the gifts men would buy for themselves-- unusual and different. Radio, Fishing, Golfing, Hunting - something for the car. Gamble managers will gladly assist you.

Current Magazines

I have taken the agency for a number of popular magazines. Can procure any magazine you may want and have it here as it is issued. Call here for your reading matter.

D11tf Hanson's Cafe

Fourth Whist Session

Fourth meeting of the whist club, with sixty players taking part was held last Thursday evening at the Imperial hall. The Blues, who had two straight victories to their credit, started out with a good lead but the Whites gradually overcame it, and forged ahead to victory with a 94 point lead. Lunch for the winners was served at Hanson's Cafe, and for the losers at the Blue Parrot Inn. As has been announced previously, there will be no meetings of the club until after the holidays. According to present plans, the next meeting will be held on Thursday evening, Jan, 8th.

Lands Fine Position

Howard M. Bilden, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bilden of this village, who has represented the Park, Davis drug manufacturing company in Iowa territory the past three years, has lately secured a fine position with the Ciba Drug Company of New York. He will be in New York City until after the holidays after which he will have charge of territory in Pittsburg, Penn.

Howard's many friends back home rejoice with him in his good fortune.

All stockholders of the creamery who reside in this vicinity should mark and sign the ballots sent them this week and either mail or leave them at the creamery at the earliest possible time.

Let Christmas bring the world to your fireside with a new Coronada Radio-- A gift for the whole family. What would they enjoy more? $69.50 complete. Play-Boy $49.50 complete. Gamble Stores. Thief River Falls, Minn.

Salesmen and others who have occasion to use the trunk highways every day, state the roads were never in better condition then they are at present.

Christmas and New Year cards in lined envelopes, and also fancy boxed stationery for sale at the Spectator office.

For those who desire quality goods, the Spectator office has on display a line of boxed papetries that will make acceptable and appreciated holiday gifts. We also have a selection of New Year and Christmas cards.

He's at the Door

Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

Tim Ensrud received a truckload of Christmas trees last Thursday for convenience of his customers.

J. H. Bohlen and son Dick, were down from their home east of Thief River Monday for a brief visit with former neighbors.

Jake Bohlen, Dick Bohlen, and Brue Peters were down Thursday night from east of Thief River to take in the whist party.

Supt. R. Peterson of the public school at Plummer was in the village for a short visit Monday morning.

Starting Monday this week and continuing until after the holidays, all stores in St. Hilaire will be open evenings for convenience of holiday shoppers.

L. E. Healy, special deputy examiner in charge of the Farmers State Bank, motored up Tuesday from Red Lake Falls to attend to business matters in connection with the bank.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Melvie and family of Hazel, Minn., visited Sunday at the home of Mrs. N. Engebrigtson, who is Mrs. Melvie's aunt. Mr. Melvie is the manager of the Hazel creamery.--Holt News.

Bobbie, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Wilson of Warren was taken ill with an attack of appendicitis last week, and was operated upon at the Warren hospital. Last report is that he is progressing nicely.

Ed J. Eide, former local man has been employed in the electric light plant at Virginia, Minn., has lately been transferred to the new steam electric station at Duluth, and has moved with his family to that city.

The local school closes Friday this week for the annual Christmas vacation of two weeks, and will reopen Monday January 5th. Non-resident members of the teaching staff will all leave for their respective homes this week-end.

A large force of extra postal workers has gone on duty on the trains and in larger postoffices this week to handle the huge volume of mail. Despite admonitions to mail early, issued every year, there is always a lots of Christmas mail left at the terminals until after the holidays.

First meeting of the new village council with Paul Roy presiding, will be held Monday evening Jan 5.

Sheriff O. L. Ihle was down from Thief River Saturday attending to official business in his line.

Cream will not be taken at the creamery on either the 24th or 31st of this month because repairs are to be made on the vats those days.

Ed L. Healy, veteran land man at Red Lake, suffered a broken arm last Thursday when he fell while piling wood.

After the river froze over a few weeks ago, the ice flooded during the recent warm spell and some excellent skating is being enjoyed by the young folks.

The mercury went down to 10 degrees below zero here Monday morning. The same temperature was recorded at the government observatory at Grand Forks.

Nature is co-operating in beautifying this section of the state in preparation for the holidays. The trees with a thick coating of frost deposited during the mild, foggy weather present a beautiful appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hanson are the happy parents of a daughter born Thursday at the hospital at Thief River Falls. Both mother and child are doing well.

Harold Holmes commenced work a few days ago as extra mail clerk on the run from Grand Forks east. His work will continue until after the holidays. Harold took the examinations a few years back, and is looking forward to a regular run.

Fred Soderberg, who was taken to the University Hospital a short time ago, submitted to an operation last week For a time he was in serious condition, but has since improved greatly and is getting along fine. His many friends hope for his complete recovery.

Starting at end of this week will begin the annual homecomig for Christmas of many former residents of the village. A large number of young people who are engaged in teaching, or are employed at other vocations, have a warm spot in their hearts for the old "home town" and always make it a point to come home around the holidays.

Legislature Meets Jan. 6

The Minnesota legislature of 1931 will assemble at the Stat Capitol at St. Paul on January 6th. There will be many changes this year among which will be 35 new members in the senate out of a total of 67. One third of the representatives elected last fall also are new. It is entirely probable that control of both branches of the legislature may change upon organization and the dominant group will have control of more than 150 appointments to be made.

Will Build Next Spring

Erickson Brothers, owners of the old garage building which was destroyed by fire last fall, plan to erect another building on their site as soon as weather conditions permit next spring. The size and type of building they will put up has not been decided upon at this time.

Benefit Concert

For the St. Hilaire School Band on Friday evening, December 19th, 1930 at 8 P. M. Given by the Red Falls Juvenile Band

Karl Kellogg, Conductor
Elsie Bourdon, Piano
Celeste Pouliot, Piano
Mrs. J. A. Haughes Soprano
Una Normandeau Reader

Program

Trumpet Solo — Vern Keifenheim
Reading — Una Normandeau
Violin Solo — Karl Kellogg
Cornet Solo — Lillian Christie
Cornet Duet — "Mignonette"
Kenneth and Vincent Kelly

Red Lake Falls Band

Star Spangled Banner
The Marseillaise
Operatic Mingle — Berry
On Wisconsin — Purdy
At Evening Time — Jewell
Stein Song — Colcord
Vocal Solo with violin obligetto
Mrs. J. A. Hughes
Eleanor — The Band — Deppen
America

Turkeys For Sale: Have a number of well bred Mammoth Bronze turkey toms, weighing from 18 to 20 lbs each to sell at 30 cents per pound. Call at the farm two miles southeast of St. Hilaire, or phone 9715.

G. W. Brainbridge

Try a want adv.

Machinery Building Finished

By employing a good sized crew of men, and taking advantage of the mild weather which prevailed last week, Adolph Satterberg has nearly finished all exterior work on his new farm machinery building which replaces that destroyed by fire last fall.

The new building, in which is incorporated the machine and twine shed from across the street, is 40 x 70 feet in size. Room has been provided in front for a concrete display platform to be built next spring. Mr. Satterberg intends to put concrete foundation under the structure and also concrete floor thruout the entire building, with exception of the office quarters, as soon as weather will permit in the spring. When the building is finished, Mr. Satterberg will have much better quarters, both for storage and display of machinery, than ever before.

Fellman--Toulouse

Miss Vernice Fellman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fellman, and Albert Toulouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Toulouse, both of Plummer, were quietly married at the parsonage of St. Vincent Catholic Church on Thanksgiving Day, Nov. 27. The marriage took place at three o'clock in the afternoon and was performed by Rev. Augustine Zellekens. The attendants were Rachel and Frank Toulouse, sister and brother of the groom. The newlyweds will reside at the home of the bride's parents through the winter.--Plummer Pioneer.

George Johnson, who is a patient at the hospital at Thief River following an operation over three weeks, took a sudden turn for the worse last Friday and was a very sick man for a day. Since that time he has improved gradually and is now in fair condition with all indications pointing toward recovery.

To Creamery Patrons

No cream will be taken at the creamery on Wednesday, December 24 and 31. This is done to enable the management to have some very necessary repairs made on the vats. Patrons please note this as we will have the vats dismantled on those days, and will have no place for cream.

St. Hilaire, Co-op Creamery

THRIFT

Economy is near to the keystone of character and success. A boy that is taught to save his money will rarely be a bad man or a failure. The man who saves his money will rise in his trade or profession steadily: this is inevitable. Benjamin Franklin says--"The way to wealth is as plain as the way to market; it chiefly depends on two words industry and frugality.

This bank is here to assist you in your savings program. A connection with your local bank is the first step for you in your financial independence. Your business is invited, appreciated and protected.

Merchants State Bank
St. Hilaire, Minn.
THE OLD RELIABLE

Holding The Fort

Right now when the prices for grains are below reasonable cost of production, its the dairy cow most people here depend upon to keep things going.

The creamery--the manufacturing plant of old bossy's product--is a big factor in the keep going movement.

Patronize your creamery--boost for it. It has paid big in years gone by, and will prove even more valuable to you in the future.

St. Hilaire Co-op Creamery Ass'n

THE KITCHEN CABINET

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The true profiting of a man consisteth in the denying of himself: and he that denieth himself, liveth in great freedom and secnrity.—From the Imitation of Christ.

UNUSUAL DISHES

The following are all familiar ingredients bnt have been arranged in an unusual way:

Bran Muffins.—Sift one-half cupful of flour, one-half teaspoonful of salt, add one cupful of bran. Dissolve one-half teaspoonful of soda in three-fourths of a cupful of orange juice, add to the other ingredients with one and one-half tablespoonfuls of molasses and two tablespoonfuls of melted bntter. Beat vigoronsly and ponr into hot, buttered gem pans and bake in a hot oven.

Lamb Salad.—Cut two cupfuls of cold cooked lamb and one-half cupful of celery into fine pieces. Mix with one cupful of drained, crushed, canned pinespple. Season with salt, mix with enough mayonnaise dressing to hold the mixture together and serve on lettuce.

California Coupe.—Mix the pulp of one orange, one banana, a slice of pineapple, all cut into small pieces, add one tesspoonful of lemon juice, two teaspoonfuls of maraschino sirup, a few grains of salt and powdered sugar to taste. Fill tall sherbet glasses two-thirds full of the fruit mixture and cover with orange or lemon ice; garnish with marnschino cherries.

Fruit Nut Sherbst.—Take the juice of three lemons, one cupful of sngar, two peaches and two bananas, put through a sieve, then add one pint of rich milk and one-half cnpful of cosrsely chopped pecan meats. Freeze as nsual. Serve with orange sance.

Pineapple Meat Loaf.—Mix thoroughly one-half pound each of pork nnd beef, both chopped fine. Add one cupful of drained crushed pineapple, three cupfuls of rolled cracker crumbs, ndd a beaten egg, one teaspoonful of salt and pepper to taste. Roll ont and put into a bread pan and bake forty-five minutes. Serve hot or cold.

Carrot Pis.—Grate carrots, using two cupfnls or more, cook until soft, drain and add eggs, milk and seasonings of nutmeg, just as for pumpkin or squash pie.

Nellie Maxwell

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"Not all on hooks their criticism waste
The genius of a dish some jnstly taste
And eat their way to fame."

SOMETHING ABOUT SAUCES

A tasty sance, well made and served with the proper dish, is an accomplishment which is worthy of the most skilled cook.

Most french sances are made from two foundations—brown and white sauce. From these they play npon and build many fanciful and delightful effects. We may take these sauces, add to them or modify until we have something, if ingenions enough, to be a new sance, but in reality it is the same notes making a different tune.

The base of most brown sances is a meat stock, for which canned bouillon, bouillon cnbes, or the vegetable substitutes for meat stock in pastes, when dissolved in bot water give us a good start without mnch effort. The flour for the brown sance is browned to a golden brown, nsing care not to burn it, then the butter and the roux is ready when added to the stock. The stock is heated and added to the butter and flour which have been rubbed together nntil smooth, stir until the mixture is smooth; then the sance is returned to a double boiler and cooked over bot water for an hour, beating occasionally with an egg beater. Snch a sance is smooth and of good flavor. Now comes the seasoning. If herbs are to be nsed they should be added to the stock and removed before adding to the thickening. Salt, pepper, onion, a bit of bay, a pinch of thyme a few drops of worcestershire, a hint of tabasco and cayenne, with perhaps a clove of garlic dropped in for a five-minute seasoning, then removed. The cook who enjoys her art is constantly experimenting. Seasoning is the whole thing, provided your sance is properly made and cooked.

A little of this and a little of that makes a perfect blend.

White sance, the most common and most abused in the making, of any sance, when properly treated, is delightful. This sance may be made of whole milk, evaporated milk, dilnted with water, or with milk and heavy cream, depending upon the quality of the sance needed.

Nellie Maxwell

Bray News

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Schalz and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gunnard Lindquist visited Sunday at the G. A. Lindquist home.

Mrs. Annie Lindbloom and Lucillie, Mrs. John O. Swanson and Hazel Krause visited at the Mons Troland home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Scholin and family spent Sunday at the Mrs Annie Lindbloom home.

Mrs. M. Troland and son of Thief River visited Thursday and Friday at the Mons Troland home.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson entertained Sunday evening at a dinner party in honor of their daughter Lillian who celebrated her 18th birthday anniversary. Covers were laid for nine.

Mrs H. Lindbloon, Mrs. J. O. Swanson and Annie Lindbloom shopped in Thief River Friday.

HAZEL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. C. Roese and family visited at A. Larson's Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Sandberg visited at the C. Roese home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Larson and family were dinner guests at the C Roese home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs M Peterson were callers Sunday evening at the C. Roese home.

Miss Lanra Almquist spent the week end at home of her aunt Mrs. T. Johnson.

A number of Hazel folks shopped in Thief River Saturday.

Mary Jane and Noami Johnson and Laura Almquist visited at the C. Alberg home Saturday.

A group of friends gathered at the H. Finstad home Sunday honoring their daughter Goldie on her fourth birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Nels Johnson spent the week end at the Ole Odegaard home.

Mr. and Mrs O. Odegaard and sons attended the Luther League in St. Hilaire Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Knntson called at the H. Berg home Sunday.

Arlene Knntson spent Sunday visiting with Mayme Anderson.

Mrs. Hjelmer Berg called Monday at the E. Melvie home.

Ruth and Mabel Seeland, Ethel Mae Carlsness and Mae Kenney were diuner guests Sunday evening at the P. Nelson home.

The Hazel Hayseeds are planning a baskct ball game vs the St. Hilaire team Thursday evening Dec 18th.

The Busy Bee String band met at the C. Prestby home Monday evening. The time was spent in practicing for the program which is Dec. 19. Mrs. Prestby served a delicious lunch at close of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Prestby and family visited at the C. Prestby home Sunday.

Mrs. Rev. Dahlberg visited at the Busy Bee school Monday.

Lillian Alberg visited with Mae Kenney at the Odegaard home Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Skaug of New Folden visited Wednesday with their daughter Mrs. Melvie.

Mrs. Morris Odegaard returned from Thief River Tuesday after visiting with her parents.

25 Years Ago

A. M. Edstrom and wife were over from Hazel, to spend Sunday at the Gigstad home.

—XXV—

The farmers threshing machine outfit finished its run for the season that week.

—XXV—

Lewis Adams and children and his mother, Mrs. H. C. Adams departed for Bellingham, Wash, to make their home.

—XXV—

A. R. Jones, who was running an elevator in Dakota, came to spend the holidays with his family.

—XXV—

Rolland Bros bought the residence property of Ole Guttormson and were to occupy it the following spring.

—XXV—

George Austin, local buttermaker scored highest in the butter contest at the Dairymen's convention. He took the state prize with a score of 95.

—XXV—

The planning mill close down for the season to permit installation of a new boilder. The mill would be ready to operate again about Feb, 1st.

Rank

Whatever honors Noah had
In good old days of yore,
No yacht club e'er hestowed on him
The title, "commodore!"

Loss of Memory

Malins—I bave discovered what it is that destroys a man's memory completely.

Newton—What is it? Alcohol or tobacco?

Malins—Neither; it's doing him a favor.

His Idea of Consideration

"Is Bliggins a considerate man?"

"Not exactly. He is one of those people who think it is all right to trnmp on your feet as often as they choose, provided they say 'Excuse me!' every time."

Oh, You Sheik!

"What bappened to yonr new wrist watch, Gladys? It looks like it had been run over by a truck."

"Not a bit of it, honey; last night Charlie held my wrist while he was kissing me."

Oh, They're a Tongh Lot

Mrs. Flop—There was a time when my husband was an ideal married man.

Mrs. Flip—There was a time?

Mrs. Flop—Yes; before he got to running nronnd with husbands.

TIME CONSUMER

Wifie—I've gotten another mirror for my room, dear.

Hubby—Heavens! It'll take you twice as long to dress now, I suppose.

Finance

Soms people hy investmsnts win:
Of this there isn't any donht.
You go and put yonr money in
And wondsr who will take it ont.

Not the Water

Bobby went swimming with his father one evening. When he returned he enthnsiastically told his mother what a good time he had bad.

"Was the water cold?" she asked.

"No, the water wasn't cold," replied Bobby, "bnt I was!"

Christened

Mary Ellen bad been promised a playmate and one morning recently she appeared at a neighbor's door and said:

"My little sister is down at the hospital and her name is a boy."

Heavily Laden

Manager, Mailing List Service—Why haven't yon delivered that national list of bank vice presidents to the Sandtrap Golf Magazine?

Assistant—Sorry, sir, bnt our truck broke down

Excusable

"Isn't that author inclined to be egotistical about his work?"

"Yes; bnt it isn't his fault. He has been reading the advertisements put ont by his pnblishing house."

Possibly a Hint

He—There was something I wanted to say to you, but I forget what it was.

She.—Was it "good-night"?—The Humorist.

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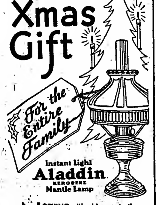

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Aladdins are available in all modern styles and finishes and may be equipped with modern hand decorated glass and parchment shades. Come in and inspect them.

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The Dividing Line

The great distinction between teachers, sacred or literary—between poets like Herbert, and poets like Pope—between philosophers like Spinoza, Kant and Coleridge, and philosophers like Locke, Paley and Stewart—between men of the world who are reckoned accomplished talkers, and here and there a fervent mystic, prophesying half insane under the infinitude of his thought—is that one class speaks from within, or from experience, as parties and possessors of the fact; and the other class from without, as spectators merely.—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

Avoid Eye Strain

Discourage the youngster who wants to read "just a little while" in bed in order to become sleepy. Reading in bed overtaxes eyes that have already done a day's work.

No Difference in Sexes

A woman needs about the same number of calories as does a man of her size and weight taking the same amount of exercise or doing the same amount of work.

Notice of Special Stockholder's Meeting Of The St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Association

A special stockholder's meeting of the St. Hilaire Co-Operative Creamery Association is called to be held at the Imperial Hall in the Village of St. Hilaire, Minnesota, at Two o'clock P. M., on the 2nd day of January, 1931. At said meeting the following resolution, recommended for passage by a majority vote of the Board of Directors of the corporation, will be considered and voted upon:

"RESOLVED that the corporate existance of The St. Hilaire Co-Operative Creamery Association is hereby renewed and extended for a further period of twenty (20) years, from and after the 23rd day of January, 1931. The officers of the corporation are directed to execute and record the necessary Certificate and to take all other action necessary to make such renewal effective."

THE ST. HILAIRE CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASS'N
By Felix Grandbois, President

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

Estate of Nels Johnson

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Nels Johnson Decedent.

The State of Minnesota to All Persons Interested in the Above Entitled Matter: Whereas, Martha Johnson has filed in this Court her final account of her administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: IT IS ORDERED, That said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 3rd day of January 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M, at the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, at Thief River Falls, in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted; and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in the St. Hilaire Spectator according to law.

WITNESS THE HONORABLE, Lars Backe Judge of said court, and the seal of said court, this 5th day of December 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge.

H. O. Berve
Attorney or Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minn.
D11-25

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of Christian Storholm

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Christian Storholm Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Sophia Storholm.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be and the same hereby is limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Wednesday the 10th day of June 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and in the examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in St. Hilaire Spectator, St. Hilaire, Minnesota, as provided by law and by mailing as provided by rule of this court.

Dated December 8th, 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Judge of Probate

Theo. Quale, Attorney,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
D11-25

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated December 15th, 1923, executed by John Mostrom and Helen Mostrom, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on December 19th, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 110 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $78.04, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $93.75, due on December 15th, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $93.75 each, due on June 15th, 1928, December 15th, 1928, June 15th, 1929, December 15th, 1929, June 15th, 1930, and December 15th, 1930, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,750.13, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from December 15th, 1930, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $640.54, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $78.04 thereof since November 4th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since June 15th, 1928, on $93.75 thereof since December 15th, 1928, on $93.75 thereof since June 15th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since December 15th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since June 15th, 1930, and on $93.75 thereof since December 15th, 1930, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, and the sum of $728.79 for taxes, including interest, penalties and costs, and interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $4,175.82, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

Lots Eight (8) and Eleven (11) of Section Eleven (11); Lots Three (3), Five (5), Seven (7), and Nine (9), of Section Twelve (12); and the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NW¼ of NE¼) of Section Thirteen (13), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Thirty-nine (39), containing 181.50 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 30th day of January, 1931, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 17th, 1930.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENO, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
HENRY N. BENSON, Attorney General.
H. M. FEROE, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
510 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota. D18-J22

Cifation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Swan Wiberg, also known as Svan Viberg, or Swan Weberg, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to All Whom it May Concern:

WHEREAS, Ida Weberg has filed in this Court her petition stating, among other things, that she is the surviving spouse of the above named decedent; that said decedent died intestate, a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, left property in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and was a citizen of the United States; and praying that administration of his estate be granted to Frank Bothman.

THEREFORE, You are hereby cited to be and appear before said Court on the 10th day of January 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County, and State and show cause, if any you have, why said petition should not be granted.

Dated December 13 1930.

(Court Seal) Lars Backe
Probate Judge

H. O. Berve
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
D18-J1

Improvement in Dairying

A hundred years ago the best cows did not give to exceed 2,000 pounds of milk a year, wheress the best dairies today average 5,000 pounds per cow.

"International Candle"

The unit of light now used in this country, Great Britain, France and Russia is known as the international candle.

Briefly Told

Remember there is always the open door, always the right way of escape for those who determinedly seek it.

Not Machine Made

Machines seem able to produce every essential thing except consumers.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Land of Many Volcanoes

Altogether 107 volcanoes are known to exist in Iceland, with thousands of craters, great and small.

Refinement's Penalty

The same refinement which brings us new pleasures exposes us to new pains.—Bulwer-Lytton.

Coal! Coal!

Have your coal bin replenished now before cold weather sets in. We have a good supply of different grades of coal and can make immediate delivery for you.

This elevator always carries a big supply of feeds of all kinds and flour. Get our prices on large quantities.

We pay highest market prices for grain.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Your Printing

As the present year is drawing to a close, the time for settlement of accounts is approaching.

Look over your supply of statements, letterheads, envelopes, bill heads, salesbooks, etc., and see what you will require.

The best time to order is before you are entirely out. We will be glad to do that printing job for you.

St. Hilaire Spectator

Annual Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held at the Imperial Hall in St. Hilaire, Minnesota on the 7th day of Janurday 1931, beginning at 1:00 p. m.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year and to transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

John O. Swanson
Sec'ty

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Bids Wanted

Notice is hereby given that the old school building in Dist. No 180, Pennington County, Minn., will be sold to the highest bidder for cash. Size of building is 16x22 with ten foot posts. Sealed bids for purchase will be received by the undersigned up to 8:00 p. m. on Wednesday Dec, 24th. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

D10-17 S. N. Olson, Clerk

Trees Perspire

It is said that one white oak tree will give off by evaporation 150 gallons of water on a hot day.—Country Home.

Never Shake Varnish

Never shake varnish, enamel or lacquer in the can. This causes bubbles, which are difficult to brush out.

Both Halves

An Atchison man's first wife was his better half. His second wife is the whole thing.—Atchison Globe.

Some Heavy Winners

Most men get all the recognition they deserve without fishing for it.—Toledo Blade.

Public Playgrounds

There are 21 national parks in the United States.

FOR SALE, etc.

Pullets For Sale: About a hundred May hatched pullets for sale. Call on

Gust Peterson,
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Dog For Sale:- Well bred cattle dog, eight months old. Will sell cheap if taken soon. Call on.

Philip Anderson
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Notice:- I have a considerable acreage of light poplar timber. Anyone needing wood may have it free of charge for cutting and piling the brush. Call on or address.

Karl T, Dalager
N13tf R1 Hazel, Minn.

Farm For Rent:- 160 acre farm with fair set of buildings good well, along good gravelled road. Inquire at this office. N27tf

Somewhat Disturbing

A man was in the habit of opening his Bible at random and taking the first thing his eye alighted upon as something that would be helpful to him.

One day the first verse he read was, "Judas went out and hanged himself," and not thinking this quite suitable he shut the book and opened it again at another place. The verse his eyes fell upon was, "Go thou and do likewise."

He tried again, and this time, to his amazement, he read, "What thou doest, do quickly."

All That Was Needed

Glenn and Bess were two youngsters under school age, but they played with children who went to school and they studied music, especially the "do, ra, me" part.

They were playing alone one day when Bess said: "Now, Glenn, we will sing. You take do and I'll take bread."

STELLA NEEDED A VACATION AND REST

(© by D. J. Walsh.)

STELLA LEE smiled with anticipation as she descended from the pullman at Craig station. The air was fresh from a recent shower and the countryside seemed friendly and inviting. A neat, shining car slid to a stop by the train platform and a tall, sun-burned man jumped out and approached her.

"Cousin Stella! I'm so glad to see you!"

"Cousin James! This is a pleasure! Where is Rose?"

"Frying a chicken for your supper," James answered. "These yours?"

It was a seven mile drive to Clear Spring farm. Stella was glad that she had come. She was fond of Rose and Jim. Her middle-aged childless cousins. It had been a hard year at the office and Stella was sick of hurry and noise and jazz. She would sleep late every morning, take long walks through the woods and pastures and rock on the front porch.

That evening was all Stella had anticipated and more. First came a delicious supper of fried chicken and gravy, hot rolls and honey and iced milk. Stella talked little, but her cousins hung on every word, eager to learn more about the new sound pictures, which they had never seen, and to glimpse big business through the eyes of an efficient secretary.

Later Stella went with Rose and Jim after the cows and when they returned the purple and gold of sunset was fading into soft, quiet pastel shades. She watched Jim turn the separator, helped Rose feed the portly white cat and then sat in a comfortable old chair and watched the moon climb the sky. Quiet and peace; no noisy neighbors or shrilling radios or clanging traffic.

Next morning Stella was awakened at six o'clock by a strident voice: "One-two, bend left; three-four, bend right."

A radio? Horrors! But Rose referred to the innovation with frank pride. "Jimmie just got new batteries. Now we can have music and programs all day long. He likes the stock reports and the jazz; but I enjoy the cooking chats most of all."

"Things might be worse," Stella was thinking optimistically, and before noon they were. She heard an excited telephone conversation and gathered that Silas Smith, the nearest neighbor, was ill, and his wife terribly worried. Leaving Stella to prepare herself a cold snack, Rose and Jim hurried over to the Smiths. They returned late in the afternoon and when the car stopped it seemed as if a dozen children tumbled out.

"Silas has acute appendicitis," Rose said breathlessly. "Doctor Carr took him to the city for an operation. Bessie went along, of course, and we are going to feed the stock and look after the children."

"You are certainly good neighbors," declared Stella. "Come here, little girl, and tell me your name."

"Jiggs," answered the six-year-old towhead, "and I want to go with my daddy."

She began howling lustily and it required the combined efforts of Rose, Stella, and the ten-year-old twins, Dick and Bob, to comfort her.

"Turn on the radio," Jim suggested. "That will drown her out."

From that hour bedlam reigned. The boys raced shouting through the house and Jiggs and Tramp, a nondescript dog, chased the terrified chickens from the front yard to back. Stella peeled a mountain-high pile of potatoes to the accompaniment of an amateur jazz orchestra some fifty miles away.

"How long will you keep the children?" she inquired of Rose, who was baking pies.

"Until Bessie and Silas get home, probably ten days or so. You'll get used to their noise before long."

That evening Stalla and Rose washed dishes, while Jim went after the cows. The portly cat did not come for her evening milk; she had disappeared. Later the twins rocked vigorously in Stella's comfortable rocker, while the cold, chaste moon climbed the sky and looked down disapprovingly on the noisy group. Jiggs sat in the squeaky porch swing beside Stella and Tramp was close by scratching fleas.

Stella rose wearily. "I have a headache," she said; "I believe I'll retire."

"Let me sleep with her, Mrs. Bibbs?" coaxed Jiggs loudly.

"Well, you do have to sleep somewhere, that's a fact," smiled Rose. "How about it Stella?"

"Whatever you say," Stella answered weakly.

Jiggs slept soundly, her limbs outflung in childish abandon, but Stella lay wide-eyed. She could never endure this for two weeks, but how could she get away without offending Rose and Jim? She awakened still undecided, but desperate. Fortunately, the arrival of the mail offered a solution of the problem. She had a letter from the office, merely a friendly note from the filing clerk, but she seized on it as a means of escape.

"I must go back," she told Rose, holding out the envelope with the firm name engraved in the corner. "An emergency has arisen and I must take the next train!"

"Oh, what a pity!" cried Rose. "We were going to have such fun."

Late that sams evening Stella entered her apartment. She flung wide the windows and a cool breeze came in, bearing a faint, pleasing hum of traffic. Taking up the phone, she called a nearby restaurant, ordered her dinner and while she waited for it sorted her three days' accumulation of mail. Her favorite magazine had come, she noted, and the book of the month. Turning the dials of the radio expertly, she allowed a silvery thread of music, poignant and beautiful, to enter the room. This was quiet and peace. The bridge-playing couple who lived in the apartment across from her, she recalled, had gona to the mountains on their vacation. The radio fans who lived below her had gone to the seashore. Stella tasted her shrimp cocktail and as she savored its cool, delicious flavor she let her eyes linger with pleasant anticipation on the waiting book and the soft, inviting couch. She, too, had embarked on her vacation; a vacation—with rest.

Average Person Getting Too Little From Life

Many people are not asking enough from life, for there is more to be had if one will go at it scientifically, declares Dr. S. Parkes Cadman, famous preacher, in an article in the American Magazine.

Doctor Cadman has formulated ten questions and if the reader must admit any of the accusations, he "needs an earthquake to awake him," be says. The list is as follows:

1. Have you enough knowledge of yourself to understand what you can accomplish?
2. Are you standing still, or are you progressing?
3. Do you ever use your imagination to picture yourself in advance of where you are?
4. Do you focus your aims?
5. Do you see the relation between self-denial and self-expansion?
6. Do you wait for others to pull you along?
7. Do you strive constantly to raise the standard of your tastes and qualifications?
8. Do you mark time instead of marching?
9. Do you ask too little of religion, of morale, of marriage, or of any other factors or facts of life?

"Jot down on a sheet of paper three squares," Doctor Cadman recommends further. "Let the first stand for emotions, the second for brain force, the third for will power. Then trace your actions, mental and moral. Which of these squares will contain the largest number of motivations for these actions? There is but one answer, that representing emotions. Far too many of these are random outbreaks of feeling, unrestricted impulses, hunches that do not hunch."

Burning Coal Deposits

Fires in coal mines occasionally burn for years, defying all efforts to put them out. Under New Straitsville, Perry county, Ohio, and covering an area of about ten square miles, there is a coal mine fire raging which is said to have been going on since 1884. In the 46 years about $50,000,000 worth of coal in ten-foot and twelve-foot strata has been destroyed. Millions have been spent to check it. Another coal mine fire in Ohio that was extinguished after thirty years, 1927, was that in the Hocking coal field, between Corning and Congo in Perry county. Other mining authorities mention a coal mine at Zwickau, Saxony, which caught fire in the Fifteenth century and is still burning; also the "Burning Hills" of Staffordshire, England, where for years, until the fire burned out, tropical plants grew luxuriantly.

In Barren Soil

Huge trees growing without any visible means of support are one of the queer sights of the Zapata swamp of southern Cuba, which is nearly 1,800 square miles in extent. Many varieties of trees, some 4 feet in diameter, are found growing in limestone areas where not so much as a single spoonful of soil can be gathered from an acre. The trees make a start in small pockets and holes in the limestone, where collections of leaves and distintegrated rock furnish them with cover for growth. In their search for food tha roots stray about over the surface of the rock, finally plunging through holes to find sustenance in soil hidden deeply in the cavernous recesses of the coral stone.

When to Cut the Tree

Rate of growth and yield in any type of forest will vary considerably with the degree of intensity with which forestry practica is carried out. Studies of growth in tha Pacific Northwest, says the American Tree association, have thus far been confined chiefly to the more important timber types. The minimum rotation (age at which the trees are cut) in the Douglas fir region has been determined as sixty to eighty years.

Faithful Dog

Doctor Dunlap of Kingfield, Maine, made a call and left his rubbers on the porch. His dog, Peter, a cocker spaniel, was with him and took it upon himself to watch those rubbers, which he did until the latter part of the afternoon, going without his dinner to do so, until the doctor's family was notified and came and took Peter and the rubbers home. He had not noted the doctor's departure from another door.

Service Station

We handle a full line of Peoples Oil Company greases, oils and gasoline. Drive in when you want service—we are ready to give it. Free air and water.

We also handle tires, tubes, batteries and various other kinds of auto accessories.

Repair shop in rear of the oil station. Bring in your car if it needs overhauling or repairs.

Engh's Service Station

THE CHURCHES

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00
Morning services at 11:00
Swedish Service at the East Side school house 2:30.
Business meeting Friday afternoon at 1:00.
Sunday School children practice at church Saturday at 1:00.
Christmas Program will be held Tuesday Evening December 23 at 8:00 o'clock.

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
Alhin A. Larson, Pastor

Sunday Dec 21
Communion service in Clara church at 10:30
Service in Black River at 3:00 in English.
Sunday school meets for practice at 1:00 at Black River
Dec 25th
Julotta in Black River at 6:00 a. M. both Amer. and Swedish
Service in local church at 10:30
Service in Clara at 3:00

NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN
M. L. Dahle, Pastor.

Christmas Season
Sunday Dec. 21
Services at Clearwater 11:00 a. m. Norw.
St. Hilaire at 8:00, American
Christmas Day Dec 25
St. Hilaire at 11:00 a. m. Amer. Both choirs will sing "The Prince of Peace"
Children program in evening Friday Dec 26.
Service at Ebenezer at 11:00 Nor.
Children's program at St. Pauli in evening.
Sunday Dec 28
Oakridge
Children's program and service at 1:30

Genius Defined

Never caught napping, the oracle of tha Douglas County Herald, replying to a request to define a genius, plunges his quill into originality and pens this sad truth: "A genius is a man who can do almost anything—but make a living."

Bad Leadership

"One who has led you into difficulty," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "cannot be depended on to straighten out the tangle any more than the cat who has been playing with a ball of silk."—Washington Star.

First Real Medical Book

The first medical book of real consequence is said to have been a folio volume of Aulus Cornelius Celsus, a Roman, printed in 1470, which went through 105 editions and still is read.

Goes Away Back

Men's liberties began to dwindle about the time Mrs. Pithecanthropus put a sewing machine in the corner of the cave referred to as her husband's "den."—Arkansas Gazette.

Measurements of Time by Old Water-Clocks

An early means adopted for the measurement of short periods of time was by noting the quantity of water discharged through a small orifice in the containing vessel, says an article in tha Montreal Family Herald. If the vessel would empty itself between sunrise and sunset, a certain number of markings equally distant on the side of the vessel would enable one to tell what portion of the day had passed by the height of water. This crude measure of time was called a water-clock.

When tha Roman general, Julius Caesar, was carrying out his conquest of Gaul, he crossed to Britain for the first time in tha latter part of the summer of 55 B. C. In his account of the expedition he tells of many things he had observed among tha Britons, and one was the water-clock. Through accurate measurements by this clock he found that the midsummer nights in Britain were shorter than in the south of Gaul or Italy. He ascertained the fact but he did not know the cause—the spherical form of the earth and its revolving on an axis not at right angles to the plane of its orbit.

String of Amber Beads Sheds Light on History

A "human bridge" to Asia discovered by Horace McCracken, the leader of a scientific expedition into Alaska looking up some anthropological subjects. The "bridge" was the finding of a Stone-age mummy and a string of amber beads that may determine the fact that America's first settlers came from the west. Because of their fear of invoking the displeasure of the spirits, natives would give little assistance to the explorers regarding any ancient burial places, but finally one old fellow was found who knew of such a place and he was induced to reveal it, although he would not visit it. The clew which he gave resulted in the success of the expedition. In a cave on a remote island they found four mummies, one probably that of a tribal leader or chief, as he was surrounded by a collection of furs, trinkets and ancient implements. Another mummy had a string of amber beads about the neck and these are what connected tha Alaskan races with the Orientals, for it is stated with authority that the beads could have come only from Korea.

Altogether Too Frank

Fishing, perhaps, for a little adulation, the eighth-grade teacher told her pupils to write a theme telling just what they thought of her.

"Please be absolutely frank, now," she urged.

Eleven-year-old Virginia, not yet wise enough in the ways of the world to realize that frankness is merely a pious ideal that meets vindictive suppression and punishment in practice, wrote:

"I think you're brutal. I don't like you. I think you're mean to me and to the other children . . ." and so on for two pages.

Poor Virginia.—Chicago Evening Post.

Making Sure

Wilson was on his way home from the station. When he was about three miles from the village and about a mile from his house he saw a man approaching him from tha opposite direction.

"Excuse me, sir," said the stranger when they met, "do you happen to have seen a policeman anywhere about?"

"I'm afraid I haven't seen one for over two miles," returned Wilson unsuspectingly.

"Good!" snapped tha stranger, changing his tone of voice. "Hurry up and give me your watch and pocketbook then."

Santa Claus Headquarters

We have placed on display, a large and varied assortment of Christmas toys and holiday goods.

These are all substantially made toys, and every article is reasonably priced.

See our big line of mechanical toys. You will be sure to fine something suitable in it. For convenience of our customers, we will pack and store any articles desired until called for at Christmas.

Hunt Brothers Co.

St. Hilaire--Red Lake Falls

TOYLAND IS HERE

Make this store your shopping place for Christmas gift goods.

A big line of toys of various kinds is now on display. Trimmings for the tree, candies, nuts, and fruits are here for you.

Gifts For Grownups

For those who believe in giving more substantial gifts, we have a fine line of hosiery, ties, scarfs, boxed handkerchiefs, shirts, comfy slippers as well as many other useful articles that will be appreciated by the recipients.

Shop Early and Shop Here

M. H. Jackson

St. Hilaire, Minnesota

Few Groups of Eskimos Snow-House Dwellers

Snow houses are unknown to the Alaskan Eskimos, and in the Mackenzie delta region snch dwellings are used ouly in emergencies.

The snow honse has long been and still is the winter habitstion of a uumber of Eskimo gronps scattered eastward from Corouation gulf to Greenland. Even in that desolate regiou the suow house is regularly inhabited only when no other building materials are available. Some of these Eskimo hunters are very adept at constructiag honses of snow for the temporary shelter of their families.

The Labredor Eskimos do uot live in snow houses, and ont of the 15,000 Eskimos in Greenland ouly a few hundred living around Cape York ever dwell in snch shelters. Eveu amoug these the more usual winter dwelling cousists of walls of earth or stoue and rafters of stone slabs or the large bones of animals.

It is supposed that the Eskimos are descended from American aborigines who gradnally worked their way into the Far North. Ancient ruins found throughont the regiou whera snow houses are still regularly or occasionally used indicete that tha house of stone, driftwood and whaleboue is older than the igloo or hemispherical house built of blocks of snow laid in spiral courses.

Warrior and Athlete

Babar the magnificent warring oriental monarch of the Fifteenth century, was apparently tireless, and as proud of his skill as an athlete as of his ability as a general, says an article in the Boston Globe. Once, for the fun of it, he swam the Ganges, performing this stunt, as he explains in his memoirs, "in 33 strokes." At another time be ran aronud the battlements of s fortress with a man under each arm, leaping the embrasures. Bnt these feats, added to his endless campaigns, weakened him, and ha died snddenly at the age of forty-eight, leaving his uew empire to a son whose ability was less conspicuous.

Peasant Had Definite if Peculiar Grievance

Oue of the most familiar stories of Athenian history is that of Aristides and the peasant, says an article in e Boston paper. The ancient Atheniaus were just as human as any other people of later times, despite our tendency to regard them as supermen. Aristides, it will ba remembered, was a great and good man whose policy was opposed to that of the hrilliant and unscrupulous Themistocles.

The deedlock between the two leaders hud to he hroken hy ostracism, which provided for the temporary banishment of the less popular leader. A peasant accosted Aristides and asked him to write the nama of Aristides ou his ballot. This was a vote for banishment and the leader asked the peasant if Aristides had ever injured him. "No," the man answered, "bnt I am tired of hearing him called Aristides the just."

Defined

Candby—There's a big difference hetween e botanist and e florist.

Mowks—Is there, really?

Candby—Yes; a botanist is oue who knows all abont flowers, and a florist is one who knows all ahont the price people will pay for them!

Business Getter

Guest—What! Out of all the dishes in the menn you can only offer me sausages and mashed? What on earth are all the others down there for?"

Walter—To encourage the appetite, sir.

The Sarcastic Lover

"And after we're married, dear, wa'll never qnarrel and fight like other people."

"Y—yon mean we'll have an entirely new and original method."

Better Not Infringe

"Whet kiud of a humorist is this?"

"Heh?"

"I see he bas his jokes registered in the United States patent office."

POULTRY FACTS

NEW YORK WANTS ITS EGGS WHITE

Shippers Will Find It Profitable to Meet Desires.

New York city is particular about its eggs and local shippers find it profitable to meet tha requirements of this market, says Prof. J. C. Huttar of the New York State College of Agriculture.

A good case, new white fillers, and white eggs, uniformly graded, give tha New York huyer confidence in the quality of the eggs. If a certain hrand has a reputstiou for uniform grading, a buyer mey examine a few eggs in ona or two cases and huy accordingly.

When a patrou in s restaurant orders two fried eggs and tha waitress brings him one with a light yolk and the other a golden nrange, ha thinks something is wroug with one or the other and sends them hsck tn the kitchen, even if they are perfectly good eggs, e New York city restaurant hnyer recently told Professor Huttar.

A light yolk, or oue that appears light before the candle, is in demand. One clesa of trada discriminetes heavily against an orange or red yolk. Yolks appear reddish before the candle if they have been subjected to warm temperature for more than one or two hours. No donbt this is the way most of the New York stete prodnced eggs got their had name, says Professor Huttar.

Making Poultry Houses Comfortable for Winter

It is impossible to remodel nld-type poultry houses so that they will provide fresh air and et tha same time control frost and moisture as satisfactorily as a new, well planned oue will do. There are, however, some simple things that can he done for the old poultry house that will make it mnch more comfortable in winter.

Thera is prohahly nothing that can ba done to make an old house more comfortahle than to put in s straw loft overhead. If the loft is built straight across just enongh to he out of the way so that it is not necessary to stoop, overheed will be rednced and a proper temperature can be maiutained. The thickness of the layer of straw should be anywhere from 12 to 18 inches after it has aettled.

Shntter-ventilators are much more reliable for veutilation than muslin curtains and in remodeling a shutter-ventilator can ofteu be substituted for oue sash of an old wiudow.

Floor space for birds may be increased by constructing dropping boards and at the same tima sanitary conditious will be greatly improved. Many common ponltry diseases are spread through infected droppings.

Too Early Laying Not a Desirable Quality

The birds that start to ley early are usually, other things being equal, the best birds in the flock. However, early inying at the expense of body growth and developmeut is uot wanted. The early matched pullets, some of them, will be starting to lay uow, but they must not be forced. If these pnllets come into lay normally and are well developed, they may be permitted to lay as they will. If, ou the other haud, tbey come into lay before baving physically developed as they should, an effort should be mada to hold them hack somewhat until they have developed further.

Poultry Facts

Chicken feed is a poultry sum.

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Don't dope chickens unless uecessary.

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Chickens wonld rather roost outside than in a mite infested house.

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The constant culling of the poultry flock is a most commendable practice.

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Poultrymen who have been using lights ou their laying flocks shonld pinn to discontinue them about tha first of April.

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The typical hen usually lays the greatest uumber of eggs the first, or pnllet year, then drops off abont 15 to 20 per cent each succeeding year.

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When the young chickens are raised on clean range, kept iu clean houses, aud given clean feed and weter, it is seldom necessary to give any kind of ponltry remedy.

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Leguma hay that is leafy and of good quality makes a very satisfactory suhstitute for the succulent green food of summer.

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"The best evidenca a poultryman can use in judging a breeding male before he is tested is the prodnction performance of his mother aud sisters.

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It is important that tha hay be cut from young, immature plants that are largely leafy in content. It should also he carefully cured so thet it will retaiu its bright green color.

River News

Mr. and G. E. Larson and family helped Albert Larson celebrate his birthday anniversary.

The friends of Geo. Hesse will be glad to learn that their infant son, is home from the hospital and improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Fellman spent Tuesday evening at the G. Larson home.

Mr. P. Gaass of Crookston called on Will Rinkenberger Thnrsday.

Olaf Burstad had the misfortnne of slipping into the ditch Wednesday when returning home from Thief River. A car from the front blinded his view and he lost control of the car. Mr. Burstad was not hurt.

Mable Konikson returned home Thnrsday from Fargo where she has been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Burstad were Thief River business callers on Thnrsday.

Geo. Hesse called at the Fred Uirich home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Erdmann and son spent Sunday at the J. Lemky home.

Mr. and Mrs. C Thompson spent Sunday at the Herman Burstad home.

A number of folks from here attended the song service rendered by the choir of the Nor. Lnth church at St. Hilaire Sunday evening.

Ferdie and Alvin Swenson, Arthnr Swanson and Frank Johnson motored Tuesday to Waskish and Ponemah, returning the ssme day.

Viking History

In a little island in the middle of the Irish sea there is held every year on July 5 (represeuting midsummer day, old style), tha promulgation of the Manx laws. The scene of tha ceremony is Tynwald hill, in the Isle of Man.

It is a living relic of the important part played in the history of England hy the Vikings, who from tha close of the Eighth century mede plundering excursions to the British isles, and then settled first in the Orkneys and Shetlands, later in the Hebrides, and thence gradually in the western isles of Scotland; in Irelsud, where they were met hy their brethren coming round by the south, and iu Man, whence they spread eastward till they joined forces with their kinsfolk in York.

No Pockets for Money

The natives of New Guinea have uo pockets in which to carry their pocket change. From time immemorial they bave carried their money, cousisting of shells and beads, on strings aroand their necks. Accordingly when the British govermmant issued uew pennies to take the place of tha uative money the coins were perforated so thet the natives could carry their mouey on strings or wear it for earrings.—Pathfinder Magazine.

Token of Gratitude

The purpose for which the bird sauctuary in Florida estahlished by Edward Bok and tha tower built was to creata symbols of pure beauty and tn express the sppreciatiou and gratitnda of Edward Bok to tha American people for their kindness and genarosity. Tha motto chosen for it was "I come here to find myself; it is so easy to get lost in tha world," by John Burronghs.

Cities "Built" on Furs

Canada was at one time beyoud all coutradiction tha land nf fur. Churches and forts were erected at the cost of so many heaver skins. Three Rivers and Montreal might ba said to have been virtually built on beaver skins, and intruding sdventurers, out of favor with the monopolistic powers, freqnently paid enormous fines with the same fur.

Fiery!

"Y[illegible] hava mada your h[illegible] too inflammable, I'm afraid," said the critic to the young suthor. "To begin with, ha has a lantern jaw. In chapter 2 his whole face lit up; in chepter 3 his cheeks flamed. He gave a burning glance in chapter 10 and after blazing with wrath and boiling with rage be administered a scorching rebuke in the last five pages."

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See our magnificent line of holiday articles now on display.

Mechanical and other toys that will delight the hearts of the little folks.

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St. Hilaire, Minnesota

LOCALS

The choir of the Norwegian Lutheran church rendered a number of very fine selections at meeting of the Luther League held at the church last Sunday evening. The choir is making fine progress under direction of Mr. Espeseth of Thief River Falls. Other interesting numbers were also given Sunday evening, and lunch was served after the program.

Regular monthly meeting of the creamery board of directors will be held Friday, the 19th.

George Biskey is back handling mail on route number one after having a short vacation because of illness.

The Great Northern has authorized a round trip rate of a fare and a third minimum fare $1.00, for the holiday season, the sale dates being Dec. 19 to 24 inclusive, and final return limit Jan. 6 1931. In effect, this means the old two cent rate will apply during the holiday season.

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Honolulu Smokeless

Honolulu is a smokeless city and for thet reasou it is rated clean or free from tha smndga which has marred tha structural eppeareuce of New York and particularly Pittsburgh. Except for the chimneys of the gas and electric plants there are no chimneys in Houolulu. In the first plece heating systems are not needed and tha greater uumber of housewlves or servauts use gas for cooking. Some more cook outdoors and others ou a charcoal stove which does not give ont any smoke. This interesting Hawaiian city, it was pointed ont, is not a profitable field for painters.

Safety First

During the trial of a man ou a serious charge of theft the evidence was so palpebly insufficient thet the judga stopped tha casa and directed the jury to return a verdict of "not guilty." A well-known lawyer, however, who wished to do somathing for the fee ha hed received for the defense, claimed the privilege of addressing tha court.

"We'll hear you with tha greatest pleasure," seid the jndge, "but, to prevent sccident, wa'll first scquit tha prisoner!"—Montreal Star.

Didn't Need Any

Mary Jane's mother was in the heck yard an she went to the door when a young man knocked.

"Please tell your mother I have a subpena for her," said the man.

"I'm sorry," eald Mary Jane, "bnt mother just went to the grocery store and has all the vegetables she needs."

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Nortbern Whsat	$ .60
Durem Wbest	.54
Rya	.28
Barley	.26
Oets	.21
Flax	1.35
Eggs, cash	.22
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Fine Band Concert

The best musical program given here in years was the band concert given at the school building last Friday evening by the Red Lake Falls Juvenile Band for benefit of the newly organized St. Hilaire Juvenile Band. The Red Lake band, which appeared here in concert two years ago, has improved wonderfully since that time. They rendered the well selected program in a manner that would do credit to an adult organization. A trumpet solo by Vern Keifenheim, a reading by Una Normandeau, a violin solo by Bandmaster Kellogg, a cornet solo by Lillian Christie, a vocal solo by Mrs. J. A. Hughes, piano selections by Elsie Bourdon and Celeste Pouliot, and a cornet duet by Kenneth and Vincent Kelly were all well rendered, and were greatly appreciated by all present. This splendid performance by the Red Lake Falls young people was an inspiration to the young folks here who are just starting out as band members. Local people feel greatly indebted to the visitors for the neighborly visit, and will endeavor to reciprocate at some future time.

After the entertainment, the Red Lake Falls band members and those who accompanied them here were guests of the local band and school faculty at lunch which was served from the domestic science room.

St. Hilaire is beginning to take on a holiday appearance this week. This is due not so much to the decorations that are in evidence, but by the number of young people who have come home for the holidays. The young people are all glad to be home, and we are all pleased to see them again.

The postmaster General has issued an order that no mail shall be worked in any postoffice on Christmas Day. Letters may be dropped in the letter box, but no parcel post or other mail matter will dispatched. There will be no service on any mail route.

Current Magazines

I have taken the agency for a number of popular magazines. Can procure any magazine you may want and have it here as it is sued. Call here for your reading matter.

D11tf Hanson's Cafe

Try a want adv.

Wilson Farm Sold

The former A. S. Wilson farm of 66 acres, one of the most desirable tracts within the village limits, which was owned by the closed Farmers State Bank, was sold a few days ago to Harry E. Winter, local barber. Mr. Winter bought the place for a home, and it will be ideal for that purpose when put in shape.

Basketball Game

A group of basketball players from here motored Thursday evening to Hazel and took on the lads there for a fast game which resulted in a victory for the locals. Among those from here who took part in the game were several former stars on the local high school team a few years ago.

Thank You All

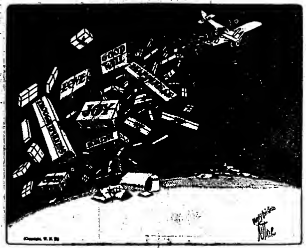
The following subscribers of the Spectator have all recently favored us with their renewals of their sub. scriptions.

Coming as they do, at a time of the year when expenses in connection with operating this business is heaviest, needless to say they are much appreciated, and we thank each and all on the list. Here they are: Albert Nelson, E. F. Ericksen, S. Skottem, Paul Erickson, L. S. Wilson, A. O. Swanson, Lars Rosette, Alf. Lindquist, Henry Ortloff, Harry Hanson, P. A. Hallstrom, E. J. Eide, Martin Erickson, O. L. Ihle, L. A. Loberg, Alf. Benson, H. L. Hanson, N. P. Schalz, Chas. Samuelson, Lydia Peterson, Peterson Bros., Erling Prestby, O. K. Olsen, Mrs. K. O. Gigstad, Wm. Palmquist, Mrs. Lena Hallstrom, Mrs. A. P. Anderson, Frank Bothmann, Frank Peterson, Dan Johnson, J. A. Hansen, J. S. Roy, G. Bergland, Central Lbr. Co., Edw. Anderson, Mrs. Henry Nelson, John Steiger, E. N. Reiersgord, Joe Torstveit, Mike Fricker, Aug. N. K. Anderson, Roy Randorf, Harvey Aubol, Andrew Huseby, Miss Laura Simonson, and J. Arthur Erickson.

Mrs. Jennie Carter commenced work last week as assistant at the postoffice and is rapidly becoming familiar with the duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hovet came Monday from Shelly to spend Christmas here at home of his mother, Mrs. Knute Kolstad.

Greetings



Tales About Town

Happenings of the Week, Told in Brief. News Concerning People You Know.

The Spectator has an assortment of New Year cards for those who desire them.

The local school closed Friday for the annual Christmas vacation of two weeks.

Miss Blanche Hoff, who teaches in the public schools at Minneapolis is home to spend her holiday vacation.

A three inch fall of nice, fluffy snow fell here Friday which gives the landscape a real Christmas appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Larson and daughter, Lillian, accompanied by Tom Larson, motored Sunday to Bronson and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Larson.

Miss Marion Wilson, who teaches in a consolidated school at Hammond, Minn., is home to spend Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Wilson.

Andrew Burnquist leaves this week for a visit at home of his sister, Mrs. Ole Guttormson at Miles City, Mont. The Guttormson family resided here some years ago.

Manford and Grace Dahle, who attend Concordia College at Moorhead, came up last week-end to spend the holidays with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. M. L. Dahle.

Clifford Lindquist, who attends the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston, came Friday to spend Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lindquist.

Norman Olson, operator of the Leonard Co-operative Creamery, Carl Olson of the Clearbrook Creamery and Oscar Edeen of Clearbrook, greeted friends in Gonvick yesterday enroute to Thief River Falls.—Gonvick Banner.

Miss Laura Simonson who is employed at Minneapolis, and Miss Pearl Simonson, who is teaching at Crandon, Wis., came Sunday morning over the Soo to spend their Christmas vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Simonson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kundert, Sam and Mrs. J. A. Hughes, Mrs. Kelly and sons, Karl Kankel and Ernest Buse were among the Red Lake Falls folks who motored up to attend the hand concert given at the school building last Friday evening.

Miss Huldah Gigstad, who teaches at Moorhead, is home to spend her holiday vacation.

Regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the creamery was held Friday and checks were issued Monday of this week.

Miss Amelia Hallemeck, who teaches at Viking, is home to spend Christmas vacation with her parents.

Miss Eliza Hendrickson, who teaches near Borup, came last week-end to spend Christmas vacation with her mother, Mrs. Nels Johnson.

J. H. Bohlen bought the livestock and machinery at the J. B. Nelson place west of town last week and is taking it to his place east of Thief River.

Edna Almquist, who attends a commercial school at Grand Forks, and Miss Laura, who teaches in the Aug. Erickson school east of here, are home to spend the holidays.

Miss Myrtle Palmquist, who attends the Teachers Training College at Bemidji, came home Friday to spend the holidays at the farm southeast of here.

Fred Erdmann motored Friday to Moorhead to bring home his daughter, Helena, who is attending Concordia College, to spend the holidays at home.

Clarence Hallstrom, who is employed in a garage at Minneapolis, came up last week to spend the Christmas holidays with his mother Mrs. Lena Hallstrom.

Paul Erickson, senior medical student at the University of Minnesota, came Saturday to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Erickson, at their farm home west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Holmes moved last week from the Black farm northeast of town to the place they formerly occupied three miles west of the village. They intend to again engage in turkey raising the coming year.

G. W. Bainbridge, who moved on to the former Dammon farm east of here last fall, has established a milk route in town and commenced making deliveries this week. Mr. Bainbridge has had his herd tested, and is making a speciality of certified milk.

Sails For Europe

Mrs. Colie Guy of St. Cloud, left a few days ago for Europe to spend the winter with her son, Gordon, who is attending school in Paris, France. Mrs. Guy plans to study short story writing, painting and French while in France, and will tour Europe before returning next summer.

Mrs. Guy will be recalled by many St. Hilaire friends as Esther Johnson, a former resident of this village.

Long In Service

The local school Tatler states 1930 marks the 20th, year of Mike Fricker's service as janitor at the local school. Ten of these years were spent in the old building and ten in the new. During all those years, Mike has given excellent service and his many friends hope to see him well, contented, and busy as usual on the old job in 1940.

A nice Christmas tree program was given last evening at the Evang Mission church.

Miss Dorothy Olson, who teaches at Erskine, came home Friday to spend her Christmas vacation.

Vernon Hagglund, who is employed in a job printing plant at Fargo, came up Moo day to spend the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hagglund.

Wm. Peterson motored last week end to Fergus Falls for a visit with friends. Upon return, he was accompanied by Miss Hazel Fricker of Ronneby, who will spend her holidays vacation here with her father M. Fricker.

The Spectator is printed a day early this week so those connected with it may enjoy the Christmas holiday. The same will occur next week so all who have copy should bring it in early.

The new wing blade equipment on the high speed highway trucks is doing excellent work in snow removal from the trunks roads in this locality. Instead of the old method of pushing snow from the roads, the high speed outfit spreads it for fifty feet or more to each side of the road therefore eliminating drifts which always occured after use of the old outfits.

Increased School Aid Asked Of Legislature

Northern Minnesota School Directors Seek Aid For Tax Burdened Districts

At a meeting of school board members from all parts of northwestern Minnesota held at Thief River Falls last Thursday evening, resolutions were adopted asking the state legislature, which convenes in January, to repeal the law passed in 1927 which provides that school districts be paid ninty percent of the state aids provided for in the legislation previously passed. It was urged that an appropriation be made large enough so all districts might receive aid in full.

The legislature was asked also to consider other possible sources of revenue to relieve the burden on real estate which is carrying the major part of the tax burden at present.

Other resolutions requested that legislation be enacted which would restore to the tax rolls such improved farm lands that have been acquired by the state thru foreclosure by the Rural Credit Bureau. In some districts a large portion of the improved area is thus owned, and is non-taxable. People in those districts are finding it increasingly difficult to maintain schools and make other necessary improvements toward which the state owned lands pay nothing.

Another resolution which would mean much to many school districts in this part of the state, asks that the state take steps to assist school districts that are burdened by heavy debts bearing a high rate of interest, by making provision for funds for refinancing of such debts at lower rate, and extending them over a long period of years.

Another recommendation made was that state aid money be distributed in August before beginning of school instead of in November. The latter leaves many districts without current funds, and compels them to carry the shortage in orders which bear a high rate of interest.

Mrs. Eleanor Hanson, Paul Roy, M. H. Jackson, V. G. Brink, H. F. Hanson, Richard Larson and Supt. E. N. Reiersgord represented the local school district at the meeting.

Last Sunday was the shortest day in the year.

Merry Christmas

That you may have a joyous Christmastide and happiness All the coming year is the wish of

MERCHANTS STATE BANK
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MERRY CHRISTMAS

and

HAPPY NEW YEAR

To All

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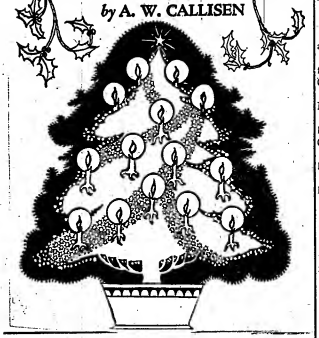
The TRUTH ABOUT SAINT NICHOLAS

by A. W. CALLISEN



FOR hundreds of years children everywhera have loved Santa Clans. And no wonder, for Santa Claus is a real person, as real ns Cnptaln John Smith, General Graut, or our heloved George Washington, ouly his real name was Solnt Nicholas. Ages ago the Germans called him Sankt Nic'lans, which their childreu turned into Sankt Claus—the Santa Claus of today.

Saint Nicholas, the patron saint of children, was a Greek who lived in Asia Miuor nhont sixteen hnndred years ago, and his life was so spotless aud his good works so endoring that he is even now heloved iu all lands. Many churches hove heen named for him.

The parents of Saint Nicholas were rich nnd respected and lived in a city called Patara at the southwest corner of Asia Minor. Long they dwelt together, childless, hut at leugth their prayers were auswered and the little son Nicholas was sent to cheer their loneliness. It is said thot from the very first he was the wonder of all friends and ueighhors, so different was he from other children of his age.

At school ha wos one of the hrightest and hest scholors, and so greot was his love for the church, nnd so anxlous was he to serve Christ, his msster in all things, thot his father and mother williugly allowed him to study for the priesthood. Thus it came that he was sent to the home of his uncle, Bishop Nicholas of Patara, under whose loving care he wss instructed in all the wlsdom of tha church as known in that day.

And now we come to the story of how Nicholas, from the kindness of his heart, first hrought gifts to childreu while they lay asleep. It so hnppeued that in the city there dwelt a very good ond learned man with his three youug doughters. This mau had nt one time heen very rich, hnt hy tnking hnd advice from one he thonght his friend, lost all his wenlth. Now he was hitterly poor, nnd as he was too proud to heg, the fomily had no longer a crust of hread to eat. Good Nicholos heard of this nnd his kind heart was greatly trouhled. So he filled a purse with gold and weut hy night to the poor man's house thongh he had no idea how he should deliver his gift withont heing seen. The moon was shining hrightly and hy its light he saw a trellis which was huilt against the honse for a grapevine to grow upon. This he climhed, and peeping through the window saw the three huugry children asleep ou their hed, their cheeks still wet with tenrs. It made his heart nche to see their distress and tears came into his own eyes. Geutly droppiug the purse of gold on the floor he climbed again to the ground.

The next morning the poor man rejoiced greatly when his danghters brought him the purse of gold, and for a time the family's trouhles were ot an end.

When the money was at last all spent, Nicholas again climhed the trellis hy night and dropped a secoud purse, and loter a third. You can fancy how astonished the poor man was at this unexpected help, and after the secoud pursa he determined to watch for tha generous giver. This ha did and the third time canght Nicholas in tha very act. The poor man fell upon his knees and thanked him with tears for his act of mercy, hut Nicholas earnestly hegged him never to tell who had hefriended him.

Through the children, however, the story hecame knowu in the town, and as the kind-hearted Nicholas contlnned to help the needy in secret, giving awny the entire wenlth he hod inherited from his parents, people soon lenrned to sny whenever a gift hod heen left duriug the night: "Snint Nicholns hrought it!"

Nicholas continned ns he had hegun, aud devoted his whole life to tha good of his fellow men. Ha visited tha sick, and helped the needy hoth with money aud good advice.

Six hundred years later when King Vladimir of Russia come all the woy to Constantinople to he hoptized ha heard the splendld story of Soint Nicholos. And from the king and his Russian people the story spread to the Lapps in the far north. These simple folk helieved that the good saint lived at the North pole amid the wonderful northern lights, and that he cnme to them with gifts in a sled drnwn hy reindeer, the common way of travel in their country. So has the story come down through the years to the children of today.

Yes, indeed, St. Nicholos, or Sonta Clous, as he is hetter known, was a very real person! A very good and loving friend to all who needed him!

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Nature Provides Things That Make Nice Presents

The hirch, when it gets too hig for its clothes, crncks the bnrk n few lnyers at a time, ond the wind pnlls off long, thin streamers of exquisite tints of silvery white or dusky-hrown, from which hoxes nnd haskets mny he fnshioned for Christmos which are ont of the ordiuary. Rustic looking ploca cards may he made for the friend who gives unique lnncheons, snys Natura Magazine. The comper friends might find nnpkin rings mnde of it convenient. The locust thorn which is found in the Middle West mnkes a good stiletto, in fnct, it is shorper thnu ona made of silver. You cou make it a hit more decorntive by having a silver hond fitted to it hy the locnl jeweler on which initials mny be engroved.

HIS FIRST CHRISTMAS

Hidden Opinions

If a teocher have auy opinion which he wishes to conceal, his pupils will become as faily indoctriuated into that as into any which he publishes. If you pour water into a vessel twisted into coils and angles, it is vain to say, I pour it ouly into this or that—it will find its level in all.—Ralph Woldo Emerson.

No Place to Rest

If yon will work hard nntil you reach tha top, you need to work ouly twice as hard thereafter in order to stay there.—Lafayette Journal and Courier.

He'll Tell the World

"No one knows the anguish of the golfer who makes a hed stroke," says a writer. Nohody that is outsida of hearing distance.—Everyhody's Weekly.

School Proceedings

Board of Education of the school District No. 102, met pursuant to call at the school house Tuesday December 16, 1930 at 7:30 p. m.

All members present.

Mrs. Eleanor Hanson presided.

Minutes of last regular meeting approved as read.

On motion made and carried the following bills were allowed:

Citizens Fund Mutual Insurance	$216.60
Northern School Supply Supplies	5.81
MacMillan Book Co., Books	.84
Churchill Mfg. Co., Floor polish	10.00
Richard Larson, Supplies	6.05

On motion meeting adjourned.

Mrs. Eleanor Hanson, President   Paul Roy, Clerk.

WANTED—News items of interest to the community. Call 34, or drop us a note. We appreciate your co-operation.

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THE CHURCHES

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Christmas Season

Christmas day
St. Hilaire Luth.
11:00 American Lang. Subject "The Prince of Peace." The Choir will sing.
Children's festival in the evening at 8:00.
St. Pauli Luth.
Services at 2:00 P. M.
Childrens festival Dec. 26 in evening.
Ebenezer Luth.
Services Dec. 26 11:00 A. M.
Christmas festival Dec. 30 in the afternoon.
Oak Ridge Luth.
Services and children's program Saturday Dec. 27 at 1:30
Clearwater Luth.
Childred's program and services Sunday Dec. 28 at 1:30.
St. Hilaire Luth.
Sunday, Dec. 28.
Norw. Services at 11:00.

EVANGELICAL MISSION CHURCH
C. B. Dahlberg, Pastor

Sunday school at 10:00
Morning services at 11:00

SWEDISH LUTHERAN
Albin A. Larson, Pastor

Sunday school program in Black River church Friday evening, Dec. 26.

Bids Wanted

Bids will be received by the board of District No. 106, Pennington County, up to time of next meeting, at 8:00 P. M., Saturday, Jan. 10, 1931, for delivery of four cords of heavy, split, body poplar cordwood at the school in said district. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

D25-J8   Victor Johnson, Clerk

Annual Meeting

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the Bray Mutual Fire Insurance Company will be held at the Imperial Hall in St. Hilaire, Minnesota on the 7th day of Janurday 1931, beginning at 1:00 p. m.

This meeting is called for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year and to transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

John O. Swanson
Sec'ty

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River News

Friends of this vicinity were surprised to hear of the marriage of Miss Thea Burstad of this vicinity to Mr. Eber Conklin of Thief River at the Methodist parsonage Thursday Dec 11th, Rev. Emory officated. A wedding dinner was served at the groom's home to immediate relatives after which the newlyweds left for Fargo. Mr and Mrs. Conklin will make their home on a farm near Thief River. The many friends of the newlyweds wish them a long happy married life.

Carl Swanson spent Tuesday at the Paul Thyren home.

The C. Thompson family spent Wednesday at the Geo. Hesse home.

A group of young folks of this vicinity attended the basket ball game between the Hazel Hayseeds and St. Hilaire team Thursday.

Miss Helena Erdmann came on Friday from Moorhead to spent Christmas at home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. Erdmann.

Miss Myrtle Palmquist came Friday over the Soo from Bemdji to pend Christmas with her mother Mrs. J. Palmquist.

The pupils of Dist. 236 and their teacher Miss Norman rendered a very enjoyable program Friday afternoon at which the parents and the pupils of Dist 133 and Miss Almquist, teacher were guests. Mr. Santa made his appearance after the program and heled distribute the gifts.

The pupils of Dist 133 and their teacher Miss Almquist gave a very enjoyable program Saturday evening to a large audience.

Mr. and Mrs. John Maakrud and daughter Evelyn and Mr. and Mrs. F. Erdmann and family were Sunday dinner guests at the Palmquist home.

The Market

(Corrected On Thursday)

Northern Wheat	$ .58
Duram Wheat	.55
Rye	.24
Barley	.24
Oats	.20
Flax	1.31
Eggs, cash	.20
Creamery butter	.35

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Treat It as Such
Leisure is what energy we have left when we have done the work we are compelled to do.—Woman's Home Companion.

Notice of Special Stockholder's Meeting Of The St. Hilaire Co-operative Creamery Association

A special stockholder's meeting of the St. Hilaire Co-Operative Creamery Association is called to be held at the Imperial Hall in the Village of St. Hilaire, Minnesota, at Two o'clock P. M., on the 2nd day of January, 1931. At said meeting the following resolution, recommended for passage by a majority vote of the Board of Directors of the corporation, will be considered and voted upon:

"RESOLVED that the corporate existance of The St. Hilaire Co-Operative Creamery Association is hereby renewed and extended for a further period of twenty (20) years, from and after the 23rd day of January, 1931. The officers of the corporation are directed to execute and record the necessary Certificate and to take all other action necessary to make such renewal effective."

THE ST. HILAIRE CO-OPERATIVE CREAMERY ASS'N
By Felix Grandbois, President

Citation for Hearing on Final Account and for Distribution

Estate of Nels Johnson

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Nels Johnson Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to All Persons Interested in the Above Entitled Matter: Whereas, Martha Johnson has filed in this Court her final account of her administration of the estate of the above named decedent, together with her petition praying for the adjustment and allowance of said final account and for distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons thereunto entitled: IT IS ORDERED, That said petition be heard, and that all persons interested in said matter be and appear before this court on the 3rd day of January 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court Rooms in the Court House, at Thief River Falls, in said County, and then and there, or as soon thereafter as said matter can be heard, show cause, if any they have, why said petition should not be granted; and that this citation be served by the publication thereof in the St. Hilaire Spectator according to law.

WITNESS THE HONORABLE, Lars Backe Judge of said court, and the seal of said court this 5th day of December 1930.

(Court Seal)   Lars Backe Judge.

H. O. Berve
Attorney or Petitioner
Thief River Falls, Minn.
D11-25

Order Limiting Time to File Claims, and for Hearing Thereon

Estate of Christian Storholm

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Christian Storholm Decedent.

Letters of administration this day having been granted to Sophia Storholm.

IT IS ORDERED, That the time within which all creditors of the above named decedent may present claims against his estate in this Court, be and the same hereby is limited to six months from and after the date hereof; and that Wednesday the 10th day of June 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Probate Court rooms at the Court House at Thief River Falls in said County, be and the same hereby is fixed and appointed as the time and place for hearing upon and in tbe examination, adjustment and allowance of such claims as shall be presented within the time aforesaid.

Let notice hereof be given by the publication of this order in St. Hilaire Spectator, St. Hilaire, Minnesota, as provided by law and by mailing as provided by rule of this court.

Dated December 8th, 1930.

(Court Seal)   Lars Backe
Judge of Probate

Theo. Quale, Attorney,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
D11-25

NOTICE OF REAL ESTATE MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Notice is hereby given that default has been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated December 15th, 1923, executed by John Mostrom and Helen Mostrom, his wife, as mortgagors, to the State of Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, State of Minnesota, on December 19th, 1923, at nine o'clock A. M., and duly recorded in Book "77" of Mortgages, on page 110 thereof; that default consists in the failure to pay $78.04, balance of the semi-annual installment of amortized principal and interest of $93.75, due on December 15th, 1927, and the semi-annual installments of amortized principal and interest for $93.75 each, due on June 15th, 1928, December 15th, 1928, June 15th, 1929, December 15th, 1929, June 15th, 1930, and December 15th, 1930, respectively; and to pay the taxes on the hereinafter described mortgaged premises; that under the terms thereof there is actually due and claimed to be due on said mortgage, at the date hereof, the sum of $2,750.13, unamortized principal, together with interest thereon from December 15th, 1930, at the rate of five and one-fourth per cent. per annum, the sum of $540.54, amortized principal and interest, with interest on $78.04 thereof since November 4th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since June 15th, 1928, on $93.75 thereof since December 15th, 1928, on $93.75 thereof since June 15th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since December 15th, 1929, on $93.75 thereof since June 15th, 1930, and on $93.75 thereof since December 15th, 1930, each at the rate of seven per cent. per annum, and the sum of $728.79 for taxes, including interest, penalties and costs, and interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent. per annum to the date hereof, in all the sum of $4,175.82, including interest on said respective sums from said respective dates and at the respective rates as aforesaid; that no action or proceeding at law or otherwise hae been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof; that pursuant to the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed and the lands and premises therein described, lying and being in Pennington County, Minnesota, to-wit:

Lots Eight (8) and Eleven (11) of Section Eleven (11); Lots Three (3), Five (5), Seven (7), and Nine (9) of Section Twelve (12); and the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (NW¼ of NE¼) of Section Thirteen (13), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-two (152), Range Thirty-nine (39), containing 181.50 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof,

with the hereditaments and appurtenances, will be sold by the Sheriff of said Pennington County, at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Thief River Falls, in said County and State, on Friday, the 30th day of January, 1931, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash, to pay and satisfy the debt then due on said mortgage, including said taxes paid, as aforesaid, and the taxes, if any on said premises, and the costs and disbursements allowed by law, subject to redemption at any time within one year from the date of sale, as provided by law.

Dated December 17th, 1930.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
Mortgagee,
By Department of Rural Credit.
OLE O. SAGENO, Chairman,
Attest: H. H. FLOWERS, Secretary.
(DEPARTMENT SEAL)
HENRY N. BENSON, Attorney General.
H. M. FEROE, Ass't Attorney General.
Attorneys for Mortgagee,
810 Hamm Building,
St. Paul, Minnesota.   D18-J22

Citation for Hearing on Petition for Administration

State of Minnesota, County of Pennington } In Probate Court

In the Matter of the Estate of Swan Wiberg, also known as Svan Viberg, or Swan Weberg, Decedent.

The State of Minnesota, to All Whom it May Concern:

WHEREAS, Ida Weberg has filed in this Court her petition stating, among other things, that she is the surviving spouse of the above named decedent; that said decedent died intestate, a resident of the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, left property in the County of Pennington, State of Minnesota, and was a citizen of the United States; and praying that administration of his estate be granted to Frank Bothman.

THEREFORE, You are hereby cited to be and appear before said Court on the 10th day of January 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Court House in the City of Thief River Falls in said County and State and show cause, if any you have, why said petition should not be granted.

Dated December 13 1930.

(Court Seal)   Lars Backe
Probate Judge

H. O. Berve
Attorney for Petitioner,
Thief River Falls, Minn.
D18-J1

BOVINE OBJECTION

"College boys can't work their way to Europe on cattle hoats any longer?"
"No—the cattle kicked!"

Guessing

A man will struggle hard and long
To gain what he esteems success.
He wins it; feels that he was wrong.
And starts in on another guess.

Always Guilty

Wife (on their return from the party)—Do you realize what you did?

Husband—No, but I'll admit that it was wrong. What was it?

DEFECTIVE PAGE

Coal! Coal!

Have your coal bin replenished now before cold weather sets in. We have a good supply of different grades of coal and can make immediate delivery for you.

This elevator always carries a big supply of feeds of all kinds and flour. Get our prices on large quantities.

We pay highest market prices for grain.

C. Roe Grain Co.

Arthur Hanson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn

Your Printing

As the present year is drawing to a close, the time for settlement of accounts is approaching.

Look over your supply of statements, letterheads, envelopes, bill heads, sales-books, etc., and see what you will require.

The best time to order is before you are entirely out. We will be glad to do that printing job for you.

St. Hilaire Spectator

YOUR TOWN AND MY TOWN

THIS is your town and my town; and that means not only those who live within the corporation limits but those who live in the surrounding rural districts, who make this town their trading center, who attend its churches and whose sons and daughters are enrolled in its schools. This, then, is OUR town.

We have helped build it up together; we have made it a better place in which to live and given it its character as a representative American community; we have worked together and played together; we have enjoyed prosperity together and suffered adversity together; and both have served to bind us more closely to each other.

There is one institution in our town which can justly lay claim to no small part in making our community what it is. That is the Home Paper. Chronicler of the news which keeps the people of our community informed of the activities of their neighbors and therefore gives them a better opportunity to know one another; interpreter of the spirit of our community, of its ideals and its needs to make it a better community; and leader in the movements which answer those needs and promote the welfare of our community, your Home Paper is happy at this time to extend to all of its friends in this friendly community a friendly greeting: Merry Christmas!

And in this glad season when we all can know the joy of giving, let us add to our list just one more gift—a gift of loyalty to our community. Let us highly resolve to carry over into the new year the spirit of Christmas. Let there be "peace on earth, good will to men" not only on this day but in the days to come as we work together for the best interests of your town and my town—our town—our community.

—THE PUBLISHERS

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Red Indian Games

American Indian games may be divided into two general classes, games of chance and games of dexterity. Games of pure skill and calculation, such as chess, are entirely absent.

New York in Lead

The United States consumes more vegetables than any other country in the world. The largest consuming market for asparagus and cucumbers is New York city.

The Persistent Pup

Next to wet salt, nothing could be harder to shake than a pet dog that is determined to follow you from home to the office.—Louisville Times.

Common Idea

"He who tells his own belief," said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown, "always thinks, whether it is right or wrong, that he is uttering simple truth."—Washington Star.

Appropriate Name

"Telegraph plateau" is the name given to the shallow bed of the Atlantic ocean between Newfoundland and Ireland on which the transatlantic cables are laid.

Thunder and Lightning

Lightning, under favorable circumstances, may be seen at least 100 miles. Thunder seldom is heard more than 20 miles, and usually not over 10 to 15 miles.

CHRISTMAS TREE LAND

by MARJORIE BROOKS SHEPPARD

IT WAS early evening and the air was frosty in the forest. The full moon shed a white light over everything and the gay little frost-stars twinkled on every bush.

Only the trees seemed alive; they stood sentinel-like, quiet guardsmen. The huge out-of-shape spruce on the right seemed to be the authority. To him the others all looked for wisdom. He had seen many, many winters come and go, he had been buffeted by the great North Wind until he was twisted and bent, he had felt the cold strike so deeply into his heart that he groaned every time a breeze swayed his branches. But still he survived, the greatest, the most powerful of the trees there.

Suddenly the winter silence was broken as a light wind rustled through the forest and the old tree shook himself awake. With the sound all the other trees bent toward him alertly. "Today," said the old tree solemnly, "is the first day of December."

The pine trees, both big and small, sighed in unison. Neither December nor any other month meant anything special to them. But the half-grown spruces were attentive at once. They were wise in the ways of the forest and they knew that the oldest spruce could be relied upon to keep in touch with the seasons. They knew perfectly well what his announcement meant, and they waved their branches about merrily. Only the baby trees failed to understand and join in the glee with the others. Even the very beautiful, perfectly-shaped, large trees were moved to delighted expectancy.

"The first day of December," repeated the very littlest baby spruce. "What does that mean?"

"Sh," cautioned the pines, and the other trees nodded warningly. It did not do to interrupt when the old spruce spoke.

But the old spruce was kind, he did not mind a bit. "It means," he said, "that exactly twenty-five days from today is Christmas."

"Christmas?" again queried the littlest baby spruce, "What is that?"

Patiently the old spruce replied. "Listen, and I'll tell you the story. In nearly all the Christian countries of the world one of the symbols of this day called Christmas is the Christmas tree. Now this Christmas tree is a plain evergreen tree, just like one of us, and on it are hung brightly colored ornaments, sparkling garlands and gayly wrapped gifts. So much happiness and peace does this tree bring that to be chosen for this purpose, whether it be for the richest or humblest home, is indeed a great honor.

"Sometime soon, almost any day now, men will come into the forest and picking out the best, will take them away. Then the adventure begins. First the chosen ones will be tightly and very carefully rolled up and the branches tied to keep them from getting broken, and then they will be sent many, many miles away, probably to a great city. In that city they will be just as carefully unrolled and then stood up so that people may see.

"On Christmas eve they are set up in the homes of those who have chosen them and late that night the loving hands of one who loves the children will decorate them."

The pine trees sighed sorrowfully. "They never choose us," they said.

"No, nor us," whispered the birches sadly.

The half-grown spruces and firs drew themselves up proudly. "We are pretty sure to be taken," said the most graceful of these. "Look at us, all our branches are graduated so that they make a nice point on which to place a star. We all have straight trunks, too. We'll be taken, that's sure."

The littlest baby spruce had another question to ask the old tree, one about which he was not very clear: "Why weren't you ever taken?" he said.

"Sh!" warned the tall pines once more. They were very much afraid that the feelings of the old tree might be hurt.

"Because," answered the old tree sadly, "I wasn't beautiful enough. I've never been straight like the rest of you and who would want a gnarled old thing like me to dress with bright ornaments? But I don't mind. I know there are a great many others to do their share toward spreading happiness so I am content to stay in the forest."

The littlest baby spruce was silent and all of a sudden he looked up, startled, as the big fir towering above his head began to speak. "I, too, may go this season," he said with pride, "now that community Christmas trees are getting so popular; even ones as big as I get a chance."

"Oh, my, oh, my!" wailed the littlest baby spruce. "Suppose I'm not chosen! Maybe they won't want such tiny ones!"

"Come now, never mind, don't worry," soothed the old tree. "The houses are so small nowadays that a great many people have to have table Christmas trees. Perhaps you'll be one of those. But I think we've talked enough for now. Let us all go to sleep, it's getting late. Tomorrow they may come to look us over and we must look our best."

So perfect silence once more fell over Christmas Tree Land. The full moon, now low on the horizon, shed a light over everything and the gay little frost-stars still twinkled on every bush. Everything was in readiness and waiting for Christmas.

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England Halted Christmas

For twelve years, from 1644, Christmas was not kept in England. The Puritans, deeming it a pagan festival, passed an act of parliament abolishing it, and directing that December 25th should be a day of fasting and repentance. Charles II. restored Christmas.

Crafty Andy Carnegie Stirred Up Students

Once when Andrew Carnegie was visiting his sister-in-law on Jekyll Island she told him she could not get any letters from her sons who were at Yale. She was anxious about them. Carnegie bet her he would have a letter from them as soon as the mail could reach New Haven and return. The bet was accepted.

He wrote the boys that their mother was worried about them; that he was visiting her; that all were very well at their home; and gave them other news that would interest them. Then he added that he was enclosing $5 for each, and he signed himself their affectionate uncle.

But he did not enclose the $10.

As he told the story himself (recalls Mr. Morris), his twinkling little eyes enjoyed the slyness of it immensely.

Then, in two or three days, a reply came. It revealed the atrocious fact that he had forgotten to send the $5 bills. He should send them at once as the boys were nearly dead broke.

He had outwitted his nephews and won his bet; the power of his money was demonstrated.—Kansas City Star

Couldn't Pass Up That Chance for Easy Money

"One reason why auto insurance rates are no cheaper than they are," says an auto club official, "is the tendency of most people to magnify minor accidents in the hope of obtaining larger adjustments. Most of the insurance companies give the policy holder the benefit of the doubt and therefore base their premium rates accordingly.

"I am sorry to say that the majority of policy holders seem to be like Jones.

"Jones, you know, had been in a collision but it was so insignificant that he passed it up without a thought. Next day, however, he met a friend who asked:

"'Hello, Jones, I thought you were seriously injured in an accident yesterday?'

"'So I discovered when I read the morning papers,' admitted Jones, adding, 'I'm on my way home to bed right now and have sent for my lawyer.'"

Boiling Point of Water

The boiling point of water varies with the pressure. In water under ordinary conditions it is 212 degrees Fahrenheit or 100 degrees Centigrade, but it becomes less with lessened atmospheric pressure, as in ascending a mountain, being lowered about one degree Fahrenheit for every 550 feet of ascent or one degree Centigrade for every 961 feet. The boiling point of water at the summit of Mt. Blanc (15,781 feet) is about 85 degrees Centigrade. It would take less heat to raise the temperature of water to 85 degrees Centigrade than it would take to raise it to 100 degrees Centigrade. Thus water would boil more quickly at higher level.

Certified Milk Dairy

Have established a milk route in St. Hilaire and am now taking orders for house delivery of certified milk.

Herd is under inspection each month by Dairy Inspector Dr. L. R. Twete. Herd is blood tested and T. B. tested. All equipment will be up to standard. Place your orders for certified milk now.

Bainbridge Sanitary Dairy

G. W. BAINBRIDGE, PROP. PHONE, 9715

Merry Christmas

WE extend to all our friends in St. Hilaire and vicinity, the season's best greetings and express a hope that you will all enjoy a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

Hunt Brothers Co.

PAUL ROY, MANAGER

Season's Greetings

In this joyous Yuletide season we take occasion to extend to all our customers and friends our most sincere wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

ENGH'S GARAGE

ED ENGH, Prop.

Brittany Druid Stones

Brittany, the "Land of the Sea," is one of the oldest lands in the world, and its Druid stones of colossal size date back thousands of years before the Christian era and, like those at Stonehenge, in England, are visited annually by thousands.

St. Malo, on the coast, has the appearance of a large ship at anchor. It stands on a rocky peninsula and is surrounded by massive walls which were built in the Sixteenth century as a defense against the French and the British. The town is named after a Welsh monk named St. Malo, or Maclou, who held a bishopric there in the Sixth century.

Originated in Germany

Skat, a card game now known throughout the world, originated in Altenberg, Germany, in 1821, writes George P. Hambrecht in the Wisconsin State Journal. Up to 1817 the Italian game of tarock held full sway over the card-playing public in their clubs and societies in Germany, but in that year tarock began to be replaced by schafkopf, which became the nucleus of the modern skat.

Bid for Fame

The late Luther Burbank said one day to a Los Angeles reporter:

"Almost any man can succeed if his aim is a good one. Too many men adopt bad aims.

"A long-haired musician rushed into the kitchen and said to his wife:

"'At last, love, I have fame within my grasp.'

"'How so?' the poor woman asked, and she looked up at him from the washtub rather skeptically.

"'You know Mendelssohn's "Wedding March"?'

"'Yes.'

"'Well, I'm going to write a "Divorce March".'"

A Frohman Story

One day Mr. Frohman got stuck in the lift behind the scenes, and it was over half an hour before he was released. In fear and trembling the door was opened, as those present expected to be cursed roundly for the mishap, but as Frohman stepped out he said with his winning smile, "That's the first holiday I have had for over twelve years."—"Life and Letters of Henry Arthur Jones."

MERRY CHRISTMAS

That you and your's may enjoy a joyous Yuletide, and that health and happiness may be your lot is the sincere wish of

Larson Bros.
General Merchandise
St. Hilaire, Minn.

Yuletide Greetings

To all customers and friends, I take occasion at this happy holiday season to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and also to express a hope that good, old Santa will treat you well.

CARL PERSON
Wholesale and retail Meats

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

We take occasion to express our most sincere thanks and appreciation to all our customers for the generous patronage they have given us the past year.

On eve of opening of the holiday season, we wish you one and all a MERRY CHRISTMAS

M. H. Jackson

Merry Christmas

TO ALL our customers ane friends we extend our most sincere wishes for a happy holiday season, and wish you all a Merry Christmas

Mandt Oil Company
Melvin Anderson, Mgr. St. Hilaire, Minn.

Christmas Music

by Mary Graham Bonner

THERE was Christmas music everywhere. The pines were singing softly to themselves. It seemed as though they sang great long notes filled with melody.

Blue, curling smoke could be seen from the chimneys of houses, and great old trunks of trees made crackling sounds.

It was a world of white and dark patches, of lights and shades and of the sounds of the wind and the ice-coated trees.

It seemed like a background of music to Frances and Floyd as they walked up beyond the town to the woods to gather Christmas greens.

They wanted a great many greens. The house expected them. Every picture wanted its spray of green behind it, every window wanted its wreath, and the house wanted its big tree, and its little one for the center of the dining room table.

"You're coming to Christmas dinner, you know," Frances told Floyd.

"Yes, your mother did ask me. It was so good of her. Of course it will be my first Christmas away from home, but we never celebrated Christmas much at our house. Not the way you seem to do.

"Why I never knew people to celebrate Christmas as you do—and there are no young children in your house."

"We've always done it that way," Frances answered. "Mother always has Christmas celebrated as though every one of us was a child.

"Maybe it's what keeps us feeling so young and merry all the time.

"You're Sure It's Not Just the Family You Love?"

We're such a family for games and fun—all by ourselves, too."

What a beautiful walk they had, and how Floyd did enjoy helping them decorate later on.

Since his business had called him here and since he had seen so much of Frances he had never felt happier.

At first, as he went inside with the Christmas greens, he felt a bit of a stranger.

Their voices were all louder than usual. They were calling directions to each other. They were laughing over the things they were doing.

They were so enormously busy over such details. They took as much time wrapping up a paper of pins for one of the members of the family as they would have done had it been a rare necklace.

And about every little detail they took the same care.

The Christmas decorations were finished. The wreaths were up in the windows. Every picture had its spray of green behind it, and they were all talking of how it would look on Christmas day.

Floyd was sure they would all act as though it were a great surprise to them. That was how they entered into the spirit of their Christmas.

"Come very early in the morning," Frances' mother was saying to Floyd. "Then you'll be here in time to help open the presents and empty the stockings."

Floyd accepted gayly. It was really his first Christmas like this. And in the center of it all was Frances—Frances whom he loved so much.

"Maybe," he said to her as he was leaving, "maybe I could really be a member of this family next year. Do you think you could love me enough to take me?"

"You're sure it's not just the family you love?" she asked, smiling.

"I'm quite sure of the member of the family I love best," he returned, and she buried her head in his heavy overcoat and said:

"Well, I think it's a very good idea!"

There was Christmas music everywhere!

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Unable to Use Trunks

Baby elephants are unable to use their trunks in feeding themselves and require considerable time before learning to use them as their parents do.

The Detour

The detour may also be described as the worst distance between two points.—Des Moines Tribune-Capital.

Franklin Wealthy

Benjamin Franklin left an estate of $150,000, which in those days was a considerable fortune.

Greetings

May the merriest CHRISTMAS just have its own way At Your House with you folks this friendly Christmas Day

Tim Ensrud
Confectionary

Yuletide Greetings

Sincere greetings to you all and best wishes for a "Merry Christmas"

Harry Winter

MINNESOTA BRIEFS

Ceylon—Two masked gunmen held up William Ditz, billiard hall proprietor here and escaped with $250. The thieves wore handkerchiefs over their faces.

Red Wing—Surveyors are at work on relocation of Highway No. 58, which will route that road through a new district between Red Wing and Zumbrota. Many curves are to be eliminated.

Duluth—Members of the Duluth Automobile Club discussed the proposed legislation to be sponsored by the state automobile association at the forthcoming session of the legislature at a meeting here.

Owatonna—Students at Pillsbury Academy here were allowed to leave the campus when quarantine orders issued some time ago were lifted. The school was quarantined when a case of poliomyelitis was discovered.

St. Paul—Archbishop Austin Dowling, Catholic prelate who died November 29, left an estate of less than $10,000, it was revealed by Rt. Rev. Thomas A. Welch, bishop of Duluth, who is named executor and sole legatee.

Beaver Creek—When the votes were counted for mayor of the village in the early December election it was found that W. Teason and Joseph Dunbar were tied. The judges of election tossed a coin to decide the vote and Teason became mayor.

Benson—Fred W. Riegger has been elected president of the Benson Chamber of Commerce to succeed George S. Tait, M. W. Sutfin is the new vice-president, while Ray Skold, secretary, and J. S. Lee, treasurer, were re-elected.

Austin—H. B. Hillier, Brownsdale, has been elected president of the Mower County Farm Bureau Federation. Newell Nelson Lyle, director, was chosen vicepresident. Andrew Jensen, Rose Creek, will serve again as secretary-treasurer.

Minneapolis—Burned beyond recognition, the body of Captain Charles L. Gilman of Minneapolis, nationally known as a sportsman and firearm expert, was found in his ruined cabin on the shore of Sand Point lake, 20 miles northwest of Orr, Minn. Gov. Christianson has ordered an investigation into the cause of death.

Owatonna—The most elaborate student musical production in this community's history was held here December 17, given by the music department of Owatonna high school. Presentation of Felix Mendelssohn's oratorio, "Elijah," attracted a capacity crowd in the high school auditorium.

Montgomery—J. A. McCasland has been elected commander of the American Legion post here. Other new officers include E. J. Smith, first vice-commander; T. J. Kelly, second vice-commander; T. A. Slavik, finance officer; M. T. Shambouer, chaplain; Dr. F. J. Pexa, sergeant-at-arms, and Jerome C. Coughlin, adjutant.

Minneapolis—The local Navy Recruiting Station reports the following Minnesota men now serving in the Navy were promoted for the period ending 30th November, 1930. Peter Jorgensen, Rushmore; Carl E. Strom, Sandstone; Roy J. Koester, Red Wing; Roy J. Krogh, Duluth and Arthur Znehlke of Wadena.

Hastings—Consideration of a proposal to redistrict Dakota county was continued until January 6 by the county board. The action to draw new lines is necessary by the 1930 census. The law provides for redistricting if a census shows 30 per cent or more of the population in one commissioner district. The second exceeds this legal figure.

St. Paul—For the first time in the state, clergymen of a score of the leading evangelical denominations will come together here in January, to consider common problems of the church. Plans for the conference were made public by a volunteer committee of representatives of 19 denominations and six religious organizations.

Marshall—Lyon county's chapter of the American Red Cross will be directed the coming year by Rev. John B. Houser of Marshall. Tracy Evans of Tracy has been named vicechairman, Mrs. L. M. Thorburn of Marshall, secretary, and V. B. Tubbs of Marshall, treasurer. Mrs. L. E. Leedom will be in charge of junior Red Cross work. H. N. Harmon has been named to take charge of home service while Mrs. H. H. Gieske is chairman of the volunteer service.

St. Paul—Two Minnesota men will be among the 33 Rhodes scholars who will represent the United States next year, Dr. Aydelotte, secretary to the Rhodes trustees, has announced. Austin Farley of St. Paul, a junior at the University of Minnesota, and Benjamin C. Duniway, a graduate of Carleton College, Northfield, and at present a law student at Leland Stanford University, will represent Minnesota.

Minneapolis—Credit rating agencies have formed the Minnesota Retail Credit Bureaus Association, electing S. L. Gilfillan, secretary-treasurer of the Minnesota Credit Exchange, as its president. The plan of the association is to extend a credit service to its members in all parts of the state. Other officers elected were: H. H. Dammann, Rochester, vicepresident; Miss G. P. McCabe, Brainerd, secretary-treasurer; George Fairely, Duluth, and R. E. Walker, St. Paul, directors. Sessions of the credit people were conducted at the Nicollet hotel.

Gulls Which Keep to Shore

The black-head gulls of Europe, unlike the ordinary seagulls common along the coast of this country, are not sea-going birds. They will not follow ships day after day, but keep themselves well within reach of land. In fact, they are not adverse to flying inland and feeding in new-plowed land, on insects, worms and larvae.

The gulls breed from the British Isles east through Europe, as far as Turkestan. In winter they range all the way from the Azores to Japan, living largely along the shores, on crustaceans, small fish and any food which finds its way into the waters along the shores.

This Looks Fishy

The world's population is estimated now at more than 2,000,000,000, with 950,000,000 in Asia, 550,000,000 in Europe, 230,000,000 in North and South America (part of them in the United States), 150,000,000 in Africa, and 7,000,000 in Australia. And yet occasionally a man will say: "There's only one girl in the world for me!"

Tree of Ages

One of the world's oldest trees has just been located at St. Vincent, one of the Cape Verde islands. It is estimated to be at least five thousand years old, having sprouted about 3,000 years before the birth of Christ. The Portuguese colony at St. Vincent knows the ancient giant as "the dragon tree."

Merry Christmas To All

As Christmas season is again with us, we take occasion to express to our patrons and friends that oft repeated greeting MERRY CHRISTMAS

That you may enjoy the day among loved ones, and that happiness and good cheer be your lot, is the sincere wish of

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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bohlen and Johanna Peters were down last evening to attend the Evang church program, and to visit with friends.

Fred Soderberg, who was taken to the University hospital a short time ago, is reported to be steadily improving after his operation.

Ed Engh and Leo Carpenter motored Tuesday to Crookston to attend to matters of business. They returned the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanson and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Johnson of Thief River, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hanson, and Tim Ensrud were dinner guests at the Hans Wilson home last Sunday.

A snowfall to depth of nearly three feet covered part of the Atlantic coast country as far south as the Carolinas last week.

Leonard Melin, Rose and Helen Naplin of Wylie, and Alta Weckwerth of Hazel, who attend the Northwest School of Agriculture at Crookston, are spending the holidays at their respective homes.

25 Years Ago

The new boiler was installed at the planer. Two weeks more would be required to finish the brick work.

—XXV—

Higbie & Lang opened the bowling alley for the winter season.

—XXV—

Harry Swenson, local G. N. agent was planning a trip to the west coast with intention of looking up a location.

—XXV—

The creamery placed a large order for new equipment to be installed the following spring.

—XXV—

Andrew Soderberg cut 26 tons of first crop and 36 tons second crop from a ten acre field of red clover on his farm. A yield of better than 6 tons to the acre.

—XXV—

G. B. Grace left to spend the holidays with his parents at Davenport, Iowa.

—XXV—

The creamery paid 23 cents a pound for butterfat in that month's settlement. Large volume handled accounted for the high price.

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